

JOHN D. SPAN TO END STRIKES CALLED ABSURD

John Mitchell, Former President of United Mine Workers, Declares Scheme Advanced by Financier for "Collective Bargaining" Will Not Settle Disputes.

Also Testifying at New York Investigation J. P. Morgan Denies His Firm Dominates Half of the Country's Railroads—Says He Favors the "Open Shop."

New York, Feb. 2.—That Rockefeller's plan of "collective bargaining" to settle the mine trouble in Colorado, and other industrial strife, is "simply absurd" was a statement of John Mitchell, former president of the United Mine Workers of America, before the commission on industrial relations yesterday.

"No good can come out of such a plan," said he. "The unorganized man can be depended upon to select to represent them only men the bosses want. They may not be directly influenced to do this, but there will be an indirect influence which they cannot resist."

"We have gone through this before. The slogan 'we might as well starve idle as starve working' will naturally be raised again just as it was during 1900 in the anthracite fields."

Mr. Mitchell's reference was to the plan of collective bargaining suggested by the Rockefeller interests.

Mr. Mitchell thought the referendum and recall is of advantage to labor. "When," he said, "it costs more to fire a man than it does to save him the employers will save their workers."

Mr. Mitchell said that where men are organized the death rate is higher and the wage lower.

J. P. Morgan on Labor. J. P. Morgan, testifying yesterday at the inquiry, denied that his banking firm dominated half of the railroads in the United States.

The denial was called forth by a statement attributed to Samuel Untermyer when the latter was a witness before the commission, that his banking firm virtually controlled all the railroads.

"We certainly do not control half of the roads," Mr. Morgan asserted.

It was Mr. Morgan's first public appearance as spokesman for the vast financial interests of the Morgan company. When he arrived at the hearing, John Mitchell, former president of the United Mine Workers of America and now a member of the New York state workmen's compensation commission, was on the stand. Mr. Morgan had to wait more than a half hour before the commission finished with Mr. Mitchell, who testified regarding conditions in Terre Haute, Ind., and Pennsylvania.

Questions Amuse Him. Mr. Morgan confessed his lack of knowledge regarding labor conditions in the corporations of which he is a director. Some of the questions put to him by the commissioners appeared to amuse him. Several times he laughed before answering. Into other replies he sandwiched chuckles between his words.

The officers of corporations, as executive officials, were responsible for labor conditions among employees, Mr. Morgan declared.

He was in favor of the "open shop" and considered "should play the part of any decent man." Philanthropic foundations had done considerable good, he believed.

TERRE HAUTE TRIALS FOR ELECTION FRAUDS WILL OPEN ON MARCH 8

Indianapolis, Feb. 2.—Donn M. Roberts, mayor of Terre Haute, Ind., and 26 others, will be placed on trial in the United States district court here March 8, charged in a federal indictment with conspiring to corrupt the Terre Haute election of Nov. 3, 1914.

The trial is expected to be lengthy; it is known that the government will have about 400 witnesses.

Splendors of Home of Steel Magnate Sold "For a Song" Boston, Feb. 2.—The \$2,000,000 residence of the late Standard Oil magnate, Henry H. Rogers, at Fairhaven, is being ripped to pieces. Workers are tearing it apart, and all of its interior splendors are being sold for a mere trifle of what they cost.

VILLA STARTS CAMPAIGN IN NORTH COUNTRY

Believing That Region of Mexico, Which He Has Ruled Since Revolt Against Huerta, Was Slipping from Him, Former Carranza Deputy Begins to 'Retake' It.

San Luis Potosi, Held by Soldiers of First Chief, Reported Evacuated at Sight of Enemy, Without Even a Battle—Jesus Carranza Executed, Says Dispatch.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The city of San Luis Potosi and vicinity are in the hands of the Villa forces, according to a telegram received here tonight by an agent for General Villa, General Urbano, at the head of five thousand men captured the city without difficulty, the message avers, adding an intimation that the Carranza forces evacuated the town without a fight.

Aliens Threatened With Death. A decree has been issued by General Gonzalez, who holds Tampico for Carranza, declaring that all foreigners "whose complicity and connivance with the enemy can be proved will remain subject to the law of Jan. 25, 1902—execution by firing squad."

This sanguinary decree is regarded by the state department officials as not meaning precisely what it says, but the United States officials at Tampico have been instructed to get all the details of the purposes of General Gonzalez. The state department did not know, until it had received the decree of Gonzalez, where he was. He justifies his decree on the following statement from his viewpoint:

"That some foreigners, forgetting their position as guests in this country, have taken an active part in the political and military matters during recent times, and these punishable acts retard the general eagerness to bring about peace."

General Gonzalez also declares that "the telegraph and telephone points are absolutely prohibited to be used for any other than commercial purposes." A fine of \$10,000 is imposed for a first violation of this regulation and "severe" measures are threatened for a second violation.

It is noted by officials of the department that recently Carranza intimates that owners of oil mills had been "sympathetic with the enemy."

Zapata's Forces Attacking. Dispatches from Consul Silliman at Mexico City say that the Zapatistas are again attacking the water works or the capital. Mr. Silliman, however, notes that if the Zapatistas should succeed against the water supply on the south city will be able to get water from resources in the north.

Dispatches from General General Hantz at Monterey speak of the continued success of the army of Villa under Gen. Felipe Angeles at that military center. There is a return to work all around. Dispatches from Vera Cruz say that telegraph and railway communication between that city and the national capital will be resumed probably tomorrow.

Elisen Arredondo, the Constitutional agent here, reports that General Carranza and Ortega were killed in a recent attack on Guadaluajara by the "reactionaries" and other Villista troops. Mr. Arredondo says that the enemy was not only defeated, but lost all their supplies, trains, thirty locomotives, ten cannon, eight machine guns and a large quantity of ammunition.

Jesus Carranza and Son Executed. Laredo, Texas, Feb. 2.—General Jesus Carranza, his son Abelardo and Ignacio Peralt, members of his staff, were executed by General Santibanez, former Constitutional general, who deserted to Zapata, according to a telegram received from the first chief at Vera Cruz. Mrs. Jesus Carranza, a refugee here, in announcing the death of her husband, said General Venustiano Carranza, the first chief of the Mexican Constitutionalists, had telegraphed her he would send troops to recover the body.

General Jesus Carranza and his staff were taken prisoners recently near San Geronimo on the Isthmus of Tehuantepec. Carranza's staff, according to reports were executed immediately. Jesus Carranza, his son, Abelardo and Peralt, a relative, were held prisoners for a time by Santibanez, who demanded as price of their safety that Venustiano Carranza cease operations in that territory. The father, mother, wife and other members of General Santibanez's family, were recently reported captured in the state of Jalapa and sent to Vera Cruz, where Constitutionalists said they would hold them pending disposition of Jesus Carranza.

Guadaluajara in Hands of Carranza. Mexico City, Feb. 2.—Official reports of the capture of the city of Guadaluajara were received at General Oregon's headquarters. The battle occurred Jan. 20 and General Villa's troops under Generals Medina, Ortega and Contreras suffered heavy casualties. Five hundred men were killed, including the three commanding generals, the report says, and twelve 80-millimeter cannon, ten machine guns, trains of 200 cars and large quantities of ammunition were captured.

\$2,000,000 MORE ASKED FOR ALASKAN RAILWAY

Washington, Feb. 2.—Secretary Lane asked the house appropriations committee today to include \$2,000,000 in

the sundry civil bill for the Alaskan government railway. The limit of expense for construction of the railway is \$25,000,000. Of this \$1,000,000 has been appropriated and mostly spent in surveys.

LAKE SUPERIOR FROZEN, HERRING FISHING STOPS

Ice on North Shore Brings Season to a Close—Shipments Were Large.

Two Harbors, Feb. 2.—With the freezing over of Lake Superior along the north shore, the fishing season has closed. It is estimated that 1,000 tons of frozen herring were shipped from here this season to Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa and Montana. Most of the shipments were made in 100-pound lots.

In two days during the first part of January, there were 104 tons of frozen herring shipped from this port. On one day 60 tons were shipped. It required eight full box cars to handle the shipment.

Most of the small gasoline boats are tied up for the winter. The fish steamer Crescent and Richardson of Duluth have also tied up here. On account of the recent freeze they were unable to enter the Duluth harbor with their cargo and were forced to return to this port and unload and ship the fish to Duluth by rail.

The fish industry, which appears as yet to be in its infancy here, has proven a great success.

GARRISON OBJECTS IN A SHARP LETTER

Secretary of War Displeased by Senator Chamberlain's References to Army Bills.

Washington, Feb. 2.—Secretary Garrison has made public a letter he addressed to Senator Chamberlain, chairman of the senate military committee, sharply objecting to characterization of pending administration bills to strengthen the army as "piecemeal legislation" and declaring unless congress will provide the trained personnel to man them, the country's coast defense guns might as well be dismantled.

Senator Chamberlain recently wrote to the secretary advising that congress would be unable to enact the "piecemeal" legislation proposed by the war department, and asking that the department submit a general measure for reorganization of the army, based on a plan adopted by the general staff.

In his reply, Secretary Garrison suggested that persons outside of the department were getting the committee's ear, and intimated that an officer of the general staff had been transferred from Washington some time ago on account of his activities in this connection.

TITLE OF NEWSPAPER ISSUED BY GOVERNMENT IS 'FARM TO TABLE'

Chicago, Feb. 2.—From Farm to Table Via Parcel Post, is the title of the newest government newspaper of which volume one was issued by the Chicago postoffice yesterday. The publication is designed to aid in the distribution of farm products direct to the consumer and the first edition lists nearly 200 farmers and small dealers who seek to sell and ship their products direct to the ultimate consumer by means of the parcel post.

Indiana, Michigan, Illinois and Wisconsin are represented, and the list includes eggs, butter and poultry, canned goods, home-made jams, vegetables, and canned fruits. Many of the shippers make even more extensive offers, listing walnuts, butternuts, cheese, fresh sausage, honey and hog meat.

DISAGREE ON WAGES PAID TO ENGINEERS

Chicago, Feb. 2.—When the hearing before an arbitration board of the wage controversy between the engineers on western railroads and the railroad themselves was resumed yesterday, J. H. Keeffe, assistant general manager of the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe railroad, quoted a composite payroll, giving the days worked in the month of October, 1913, the average hours per day, and average earnings by the hour, day or month.

Engineers in all classes of service, he said, earned during that month an average of \$42.25 and firemen an average of \$42.20.

On cross examination Warren S. Stone, for the engineers, read an interstate commerce commission compilation, giving what purported to be the average daily wage of the men for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913. The commission's figures gave the earnings of engineers during that year as \$5.25 and those of the firemen as only \$3.33.

Mr. Keeffe said the figures he quoted did not purport to show the annual earnings of the men, but showed merely what they drew from the payroll in October, 1913.

ARKANSAS TO GO DRY BY LOWER HOUSE VOTE

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 2.—Arkansas will be dry after June 1, 1915, unless the courts interfere. The house of representatives has passed the statewide prohibition bill by a vote of 74 to 22 after defeating all amendments. June 1 was the date fixed for the closing of all saloons in the state. The same bill, pending in the senate, is assured of passage.

SUPFRAGE BILL SENT TO ARKANSAS HOUSE

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 2.—The state senate voted 23 to 12 this afternoon in favor of referring to a popular referendum the question of granting votes to women. The house has yet to act on the resolution.

Great Armies Hotly Engaged in the East; Battle in Carpathians Still Is Indecisive. Fighting West Desperate and Inconclusive

GAINS CLAIMED BY BOTH SIDES IN WAR IN EAST

GERMAN LOSSES 'COLOSSAL,' SAYS RUSSIA—BERLIN REPORTS PROGRESS.

PASSES ARE BATTLEGROUND STRUGGLE IN CARPATHIANS BETWEEN HUGE ARMIES STILL UNDECIDED.

SERBIA SAID THREATENED DUAL ALLIES REPORTED PREPARING TO INVADE BALKAN STATE.

London, Feb. 2.—Desperate efforts by the Germans during the last few days to break the deadlock in the eastern theater of the war are reported in official advices from Petrograd. The struggle for passes leading through the Carpathian mountains into Hungary is still in progress, with both sides claiming minor successes. In the north, a Vienna dispatch says, the Russian offensive, along the central part of the Pilia river, in Poland, has been repulsed with heavy losses.

German Losses Declared "Colossal." Petrograd, Feb. 2.—An official report given out here says: "Everywhere on the eastern front Russian troops have been successful. The Carpathian passes have been made gains, despite the defense offered by the Austro-German forces."

"In East Prussia we continue our movement. Fierce attacks by large German forces were repulsed. On the whole, the German losses can be described as colossal."

Berlin Claims Attacks Repulsed. Berlin, Feb. 3.—The following official statement was issued tonight: "In the east, the struggle in the Carpathians continues. Several attacks by the Russians were repulsed with heavy losses. In Poland, the situation is unchanged."

Serbia to Be Invaded Again? London, Feb. 2.—A Nish dispatch states that Austro-German forces are preparing for a third invasion of Serbia.

Advices from Petrograd last week said the dual allies were concentrating a huge army on the Roumanian-Serbian border, evidently with the intention of preventing a Roumanian attack from taking part in the conflict in the Carpathians, should Roumania decide to enter the war. It is believed in London that the concentration of this army gives rise to the Nish report.

Constantinople Reported in Panic. London, Feb. 2.—Four Dardanelles forts have fallen before the allied fleets. Constantinople is in a panic, says a dispatch received at Copenhagen today.

More Australians in Egypt. London, Feb. 2.—A second contingent of Australian soldiers has arrived in Egypt to join the allies in their endeavor to check the invasion of Egypt by the Turkish army.

Italy May Call Reserves. London, Feb. 2.—Italian reserves living in England have received a warning to stand ready to answer a call to the colors at any time.

This is the second order issued by the Italian government to its reserves to prepare for a mobilization call. Last week the sultan, Mehmed V, refused the usual presents of money tendered by the tribesmen, saying that the population could make better use of their tribute by sending it to France for the relief of the wounded.

Moors Loyal to France. Paris, Feb. 2.—A dispatch to the Temps from Rabat, Morocco, says: "The celebration of the anniversary of the Prophet was the occasion of a manifestation of the loyalty of the Moors to France and the sultan. General Lyautey, resident French governor of Morocco, received many of the chiefs of the tribes, which recently have proclaimed their allegiance, and their presence at the reception produced a marked effect on the Mussulman population."

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Turks Fortify Erzerum. Petrograd, Feb. 2.—Information has reached Tills that the Turkish governor of the fortress of Erzerum has ordered the civil population to evacuate the area of the fortress.

The fortifications of both the Erzerum fortress and the Devoyun heights are being energetically strengthened with modern intrenchments, wire entanglements, and some big guns are reported to have arrived from Constantinople.

SUMMARY OF THE WAR NEWS

The struggle in the Carpathian mountains for the passes through which the Russian invaders may enter Hungary, and the new German offensive in the western theater of the war, where Emperor William's forces are endeavoring to break through to the French coast, still are the principal centers of interest.

In the east, both Russians and Germans claim progress. Berlin's official report says the dual allies are advancing in the Carpathians. Petrograd asserts that the Austro-German losses are "colossal."

Three violent assaults at different parts of the French front in the west are declared in the French war office's statement to have been repulsed. Berlin reports that the Germans advancing in the Yser valley. French airmen destroyed the famous Homberg castle in Alsace in a bomb raid, according to an unofficial report.

The Concert Powers of this new Power, whose place was brilliantly earned. "After all, it is our existence and that of all free peoples that is at stake. Therefore, we ought to renounce the idea of any insurmountable obstacles."

GERMAN CRUISERS PLANNED TO RAID BRITAIN IS CLAIM London, Feb. 2.—The London Daily Telegraph says today: "The German cruisers' raid of last Sunday week had more significance than a mere repetition of the Scarborough exploit."

"The best information confirmed by several significant orders is that the birthday present to the kaiser was intended to be much more substantial than killing a few foes."

"When the German battle cruiser squadron came into the North sea there was already lying at one of their naval ports fully manned and equipped, a flotilla of transports full of troops."

"The enemy's plan was to lure our cruisers to destruction among the mines and submarines off Helgoland, and when that had been accomplished to dispatch the transports on Sunday night at full speed to the English coast, which it was intended they should reach on Monday morning."

LANDING OF BRITISH FROM THE TRANSPORTS SAID LIKE CLOCK WORK Rotterdam, Feb. 2.—How fresh British troops, sent as reinforcements to the armies of the allies, are landed in France is described by the Nieuwe Rotterdamse Courant.

"The landing," he says, "is done in an altogether admirable way. Enormous transports enter the various French ports, while the North sea and the English channel are all protected by torpedo boats and destroyers and a few rapid cruisers."

"The transports follow each other at short intervals. As a ship swings into its place, the soldiers stand ready to march. The wagons for the division are ready to be loaded. Ample space has been reserved on the quays for the landing, but no more men are landed than the railways can carry at a time."

"As soon as the ship is empty she moves on at once to another point in the harbor and is followed by a new transport with almost clockwork regularity."

"The efficiency of organization is well illustrated by the fact that in one French harbor no fewer than twenty-eight transports were discharged within twenty-four hours."

"It has been asserted that this newly formed army is inferior to the first, but nothing can be seen such inferiority. The corps compare favorably with the first line troops of the best European army. They comprise young and well disciplined men in the prime of life."

32,000 CANADIANS LEAVE FOR FRANCE; CAVALRY THERE NOW Toronto, Feb. 2.—Private advices received here state that the first Canadian contingent of 32,000 men, who have been at Salisbury for three months, are in France, or on their way there, and that they will be on the firing line soon. The cavalry are already across the channel.

"The Canadian troops will after all go to the war as an army division, with the prospect that when the succeeding contingents arrive, they will be welded into one corps. The men are in good shape."

Dispatches show that the whole camp was happy to receive marching orders. The men had chafed under the restraint of English army discipline, but they accepted conditions as they found them, and all they wanted was to be allowed to go to the firing line as soon as possible. It was not known from what port they would embark."

As soon as the first contingent have moved from Salisbury, it is expected that the second contingent of 25,000 men, now in concentration camps in various parts of Canada, will proceed to England."

MILITARY MEDAL FOR QUEEN OF BELGIANS Haave, via Paris, Feb. 2.—The military medal has been conferred on the queen of the Belgians by Emperor Nicholas of Russia in recognition of the queen's heroism in ministering to wounded soldiers at the risk of her own life. The medal was presented to the queen at the Belgian army headquarters by Major General Prince Felix Youssoff of Emperor Nicholas's suite.

Paris, Feb. 2.—The Temps devotes a leading editorial article to the Japanese question. Though beginning with the assertion that the "question seemed definitely relegated to the category of affairs considered purely academic" by the various chambers, the Temps considers right on the side of the advocates of the Japanese, who, it says, have effectively demolished their opponents' arguments. The paper gives a brief resume of the views of M. Clemenceau and Pichon, and concludes: "Habit alone can prevent the entry

ALLIES REPEL THREE ATTACKS PARIS ASSERTS

VIOLENT ASSAULTS AT DIFFERENT POINTS ARE DECLARED FAILURES.

BERLIN TELLS OF GAINS MOVE TOWARD COAST OF FRANCE AVERRED TO BE SUCCEEDING.

FRENCH AIRMEN ACTIVE FAMOUS HOMBERG CASTLE IN ALSACE REPORTED DESTROYED BY BOMBS.

London, Feb. 2.—Violent German attacks on three parts of the line in France were repulsed yesterday, according to the Paris official statement.

Last night was calm all along the front, but this morning the Kaiser's troops renewed the attack on the British and French positions between Bethune and Labasse in an effort to recapture the trenches they left after the fighting of last week.

Attack on Earth Work. Several attacks were directed against the earthworks which had been retaken half a dozen times. Each attack was broken by the fire of the allies' artillery and musketry.

Simultaneously the Germans made a surprise attack with bombs and grenades against the French strongholds at Beaumont Hamel, to the north of Albert. The full force of the attack was directed against one of the advance trenches, but the fire they met was so terrific that they were compelled to flee. Their retreat was so precipitate that they left on the field the explosives which had been destined to blow up the French trench.

Battle in Argonne. Fontaine Madame and the forest of La Gracie in the Argonne region were scenes of great activity. The fighting continues at both these places without definite result.

German sappers succeeded in burrowing under one of the French trenches at two places and planting explosives, which later exploded, the trenches with fearful detonation. Fortunately the French occupants had been warned in time and all escaped.

Quiet has been enforced in the Vosges and in Alsace due to the heavy fall of snow which has made operations impossible.

Reports of the fighting on Sunday as published in a statement from Paris this afternoon chronicle the defeat of the Germans to the southeast of Ypres, where they attacked the allies' positions to the north of the canal. Terrific artillery fire, supporting a furious fusillade of musketry, effectually checked the attackers and they were forced to fall back.

On the remainder of the front artillery conflicts were waged. These were particularly violent in the north, while along the Aisne from the Oise to Berry-au-Bas the French gunners continued to show their supremacy over the German batteries, many of which were silenced.

Allies Report Successes. Paris, Feb. 2.—The French war office today issued the following statement: "The allies have made considerable progress in the vicinity of Perthes, Les Hurles, northeast of Chaulons, and in the Argonne. We also have made gains in the direction of Burhanant Les Bas."

Berlin Claims Progress. Berlin, via London, Feb. 2.—The war office today issued the following official statement: "Increasing activity along the western front is reported. At Poissons our batteries endured a heavy bombardment of the French trenches, finally taking them by a brilliant charge. The town of Poissons was damaged by our shells."

Gives Warning to Britain. Berlin, Feb. 2.—An official German navy report says that in view of the fact the British are sending large contingents to the continent, "we shall use every method of war at our disposal against them."

French Airmen Active. London, Feb. 2.—Unofficial advices received here state that French airmen have destroyed, with bombs, the famous Homberg castle in Alsace.

ALSATIAN STORK ALIGHTS AT PARIS Paris, Feb. 2.—A great crowd assembled in Palace de la Bastille this afternoon to watch an Alsatian stork, which had lighted on the wings of the statue of Liberty on the top of the July column, erected in honor of the heroes of the revolution of July, 1830. The fact that an Alsatian bird had taken refuge in Paris, was declared by some of the spectators to be a good omen.

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THE DOCTORS AMISS.

The legislative doctors who biennially prescribe for the primary law apparently slipped a cog when they amended the statute at the last session so that the county commissioner of schools is included among the officials to be nominated directly by the people.

If the nominations of commissioners of schools occurred at the same time a number of other nominations for important offices were made by popular vote, there is no good reason why they should not be disposed of in that way.

In Marquette county, for instance, the expense of nominating the candidates will greatly exceed the annual salary paid the official to be elected, and the voters will be harassed by another unnecessary election.

WHY NOT LELAND?

Judging from the comment of the state press there exists a substantial sentiment for the renomination by the Republicans of Frank B. Leland, of Detroit, regent of the U. of M., who is opposed for the office by another Detroit candidate.

This being the case, it is rather difficult to understand why the delegates to the Republican state convention who are expected to have the welfare of the state prominently in their thoughts should be seriously asked to nominate another man in his stead.

News from the Menominee range indicates the most marked revival that has taken place in any Lake Superior iron field since the general curtailments of a few months ago.

Apparently the two roads that are most in need of a lift, the Pere Marquette and the South Shore, were able to go to the legislature with their cases and point out how they could be given the lift they are looking for without the other roads being lifted, too.

Marquette has completed a year of commission government. While it will be necessary to wait for the annual report, and the comment thereon, to know exactly what has been accomplished, it is violating no confidence to say that Marquette would not return to the old form on a bet.

MUST HELP NOW.

Addressing the Negaunee men and women assembled to consider plans for a central charities bureau, G. J. Maas advanced the idea that the work of the bureau would be successful insofar as it gave work, instead of alms, to those who need money, or more money, to live through the winter, and he advocated measures by which the city would be able to employ through the period of depression the heads of families now so eager to work.

About the soundness of Mr. Maas' contention that there is no way of helping men as effectually as by giving them opportunity to work there can be no question. If Negaunee had some public employment at which they could be put there can be no doubt that his advice would be heeded.

While Mr. Maas is sound at bottom in what he has to say, it still appears that in a situation like the present it is necessary to give outright to needy people. Not to do so would be to defeat the purpose of the whole effort, which is to prevent actual suffering among unemployed men and the women and children in their families.

WHEAT.

The present prices of wheat may not be maintained very long, but there is no cheap wheat in sight for more than a year to come.

The area planted to winter wheat in this country shows a gain of 4,135,000 acres over that of last year. This is a small matter on the face of the returns, and becomes still smaller when one learns that much of the increase is in districts which seldom grow wheat.

Railroad traffic was more seriously interfered with yesterday than it has been at any previous time the present winter.

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low Democrats believe that he has played an excellent stroke of politics.

The Houghton Gazette is meeting its responsibilities and showing its interest in the public well by pointing out to the sheriff and prosecutor of Houghton county something of their duty.

Let the man who thinks that conversation is cheap look up the aggregate telephone bill.

EDITORIAL OPINION

Mr. Breitung Shows the Way.

Follow citizen Breitung of Michigan wares of the Dacia, but not of cotton and its transportation overseas. Tiring of the hubbub attendant upon his purchase of the former Hamburg-American vessel, this new-found vessel magnate proposes to buy several ships of the Ward line which boast British registry.

Mr. Breitung's determination to engage in overseas trade is the first extensive effort made by an American capitalist to build up the merchant marine under the advantageous circumstances of the present.

Primarily the marine activities of Breitung and those who follow him will benefit the south which is bulging with cotton, and Germany which needs that staple to feed her looms.

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The Moral Issue in the Jamming Process

Opponents of the shipping bill pointedly told its senatorial supporters that their jamming and forcing process was inspired, not by the alleged emergency in the situation, but by the knowledge that the measure could not pass the new congress were a special session called for that or any other purpose.

David Starr Jordan, at a peace meeting at the Hotel Astor, in New York, said to a reporter: "Half the world at war, and the counsel we are getting is that we must arm more heavily."

Out of the Frying Pan.

"The speaker was Representative William Gordon. He was criticizing one of the contending armies.

Diamond Cut Diamond.

"They carry drill and discipline to far. They're like the two efficiency experts."

Wilful Waste of Life.

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ways Business Association comparing the record of the United Kingdom, where the law against trespass is rigidly enforced.

During the ten-year period from 1901 to 1910, 50,025 persons were killed and 53,427 injured in this country while trespassing on railways.

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On Tolerance.

At the German American chamber of commerce, in New York, Dr. Adolph Miller, an agent for the purchase of woolens, said: "A better spirit, a spirit of tolerance, is now manifesting itself.

Not His Style.

Andrew Carnegie, celebrating his seventy-ninth birthday in New York, said: "I impute my good health to my activity. I have always kept active.

Contradiction.

The superintendent of the public schools at Auburn, N. Y., declares that the modern school girl's dress is "a moral menace."

A LAUGH OR TWO

"A. J. Drexel, one of the American volunteers in the British service, dined with me at the Ritz, in London, while on furlough."

Lower State Notes

LUDINGTON—The Petit Salt company of Milwaukee will construct a \$1,000,000 plant for the manufacture of salt at this point and already have taken steps toward this end.

Mystery Shrouds Man's Death. Mystery surrounds the death of Frank Stanich, better known as Frank Stomach, a saloonkeeper of New Caspian, near Stambaugh, who was found drowned in Iron river about 300 feet below the Chicago & Northwestern railway bridge.

CADILLAC—County Clerk Felix Flynn says the high cost of living. Deputy Clerk Sarah St. John declares girls are becoming more and more independent.

CADILLAC—David B. Cox, sixty-five, prosperous Greenwood township merchant, has been married three times within a year, his latest bride being Mrs. Elizabeth Hardy, also of Greenwood. Cox has had five wives, on Dec. 28 Mrs. Sadie Cox obtained a divorce, alleging that Cox flirted with other women.

Trout Creek to Have a Creamery. The organization of a co-operative creamery company to operate a plant at Trout Creek has been completed.

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Copper Country

LIGHTING CONTRACT NOT TO BE RENEWED

Portage Township Board Believes Entry of New Company Means Lower Rates.

The Portage township board has decided not to renew its five-year lighting contract with the Houghton County Electric company. Supervisor Hartman made this announcement yesterday morning.

The township is the governing body of the Dakota Heights, Hurontown and Delongville locations and must maintain the street lights therein. The lights do not equal in number those of Houghton, but they represent the number in a fair-sized municipality, so that the contract to the lighting company is a considerable item.

Supervisor Hartman explained yesterday why the township board has decided not to itself up with a five-year contract. He recalled that the Sturgeon river hydro-electric development company has a right-of-way through Portage township, coming in contact with all of the locations lighted by the township. He believes that eventually this company will provide competition for the Houghton county company and that this consummation will come about well within the five years that would be covered by the renewal contract now tendered by the latter company. The result would be, in the opinion of the township board, lower lighting rates.

In any event, the board believes that this prospect justifies the payment of light rentals from month to month rather than on a slightly lower contract basis covering a period of five years.

DANCING SCHOOL FOR POOR.

Mrs. Jeffers of Painesdale Announces a Unique Enterprise.

A unique enterprise for charity is announced by Mrs. F. A. Jeffers, principal of the Adams tonduite high school at Painesdale. Mrs. Jeffers is to conduct a public dancing school at South Range and the proceeds will be devoted to the relief of the needy in the Range towns.

Mrs. Jeffers has been preparing for this plan for some time. She has taken special courses in the modern dances for a double purpose, one being to give the young people of the range towns an opportunity to learn the new society dances inexpensively, the other to raise money for charity.

The charity dancing school will be conducted in the Santori hall at South Range, beginning tomorrow night. A fee of twenty-five cents a person will be charged for the instruction. The advent of Lent will make it necessary to abandon the enterprise temporarily after two sessions. The classes will thus be conducted only tomorrow night and the following Thursday night.

Miss Desrosier of the Painesdale High school will assist Mrs. Jeffers in her instructions.

PREPARING FOR THE PRIMARY.

United City Party of Hancock Holds a Preliminary Conference.

At a meeting of the United City party committee in the Hancock city hall Monday evening it was decided that efforts be made to have a large list of candidates seek the nominations for the various offices to be filled at the spring election. It is desired to give the voters a wide range of selections. The committee wants it understood that the party will not offer its endorsement to any individual candidate high school at primary. Naturally the leaders are anxious that strong men be nominated to insure the success of the ticket, but this is something for the voters to settle. So far the campaign at Hancock has been a "gum-shoe" campaign, a watchful waiting game. Any number of names have been mentioned as candidates for the different offices. All petitions must be filed not later than next Wednesday afternoon.

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SOO TEAM KEEPS UP ITS WINNING STREAK

Second Hockey Game With Calumet Last Night Won by the Visitors, 3 to 1.

The Soo and Calumet teams played last night at the Colosseum rink at Laurium one of the most stubbornly contested games of hockey ever seen in the copper country. The match ended in a victory for the visitors by the score of 3 to 1. At half-time, Calumet had tallied one point and the Soo had been blanked. The Calumet enthusiasm became almost frantic. However the score was tied by the visitors early in the second session, and until within five minutes of the close of the game the tie held. But the Soo opened a desperate attack and scored twice in the short time remaining. It was the second time the Soo had been scored upon this season, both times by Calumet. In eight games the total points tallied against the Lock City team have been only two.

The new schedule of the Western league of the American Hockey association, printed in these columns yesterday morning, did not take into account the fact that there still remain to be played two games in the original schedule, or the first leg of the schedule. The original schedule gave each team two trips away from home, but the defection of Duluth rather than this arrangement out of gear and compelled a readjustment. The latter outcome was the schedule printed yesterday.

On the first leg, Calumet and Portage Lake have "home and home games," as they say in Canada, to play. Calumet plays in Houghton Friday night, and Portage Lake plays in Calumet next Tuesday night.

Comparing the Teams.

Abstract observations on the two copper country hockey teams are dangerous comments to make. The luckless reporter may find that a Western Union messenger boy has a chunk of ice to hurl at his head if he casts aspersions on the Portage Lakes, while it may be that the cashier of a bank or a teamster or even a gentle minister of the gospel will speak harshly to him if he animadverts to the Calumet team. However:

Calumet and Portage Lake are to come together in mid-season. As both of them have been trounced severely by the invincible Soo team it would appear to be a safe deduction that they are pretty evenly matched. Up to the opening of last night's game at Calumet, Calumet had scored once on the Soo. The Portage Lakes had not scored at all. The conclusion is that the Soo team is placing a small wager on the results of the coming games, is obvious.

What the copper country hockey fan wants, to hear him tell it, is hockey between well-matched teams. He wants to buy his ticket with the expectation that it will admit him to a game that is going to be in doubt from the initial to the final Shields bell clangor. This being the case, there should be a big attendance at these games. Portage Lake defeated Calumet early in the season, but was weakened somewhat since then by injuries to players. Calumet has strengthened up by adding a Canadian star, one Smith, to its mixture. Herein lies again reason for believing that the teams are matched evenly. That both teams can play good hockey cannot be doubted.

The deduction is natural that these should be cracking good games of hockey. The copper country has a chance to demonstrate its boasted support of the sport that has come to be so peculiarly a copper country pastime.

COUNTY BRIDGE REGULATIONS.

Chairman Hartman Explains Rules for Trolley and Steam Roads.

During the remainder of the operations on the repairs to the Portage Lake bridge, the Houghton County Traction company will maintain two watchmen on the bridge constantly and the steam roads using the lower deck will run their trains across the structure at a rate of speed not to exceed four miles an hour. These regulations were put into effect yesterday by the order of Chairman Hartman of the bridge committee of the board of supervisors. The order respecting watchmen was made because Foreman Herbst, in charge of the Worden-Allen company's contract for the repair of the bridge, asked Chairman Hartman for a bond that would hold him and his company free from liability for injury to anyone using the bridge during the repairs. This request came about through an incident that might have resulted in death or damage to property.

A farmer from one of the outlying locations went to Houghton Saturday night and attempted to drive across the bridge. He was unable to read the sign posted at the end of the bridge and drove right through to the barrier at the draw. Finding then that he could not cross he had to turn his rig on the snow-covered bridge and in doing so he tore a runner from his sleigh. Foreman Herbst was afraid that the man might hold him responsible for the damage, and so he asked for the guaranty. That the farmer was not killed was only an instance of his luck, as he might have attempted to drive right through and have landed in the draw.

This condition grew out of the fact that shortly after the bridge was closed to traffic the guard chains were not as religiously kept in place as they might have been, those in charge evidently thinking that the public knew fully the condition at the bridge, Chairman Hartman's instructions to the street railway company have been carried out and the watchmen are now on duty.

The South Shore and Mineral Range roads have issued orders to all train crews not to run over the railroad deck of the bridge at a speed to exceed four miles an hour. The entire structure on the south side has been eakened by the necessary repair processes and if anything happened to a swiftly moving train the entire bridge might be wrecked. Chairman Hartman said yesterday

that the repairs will take at least until the first of March and that during one week of that time the south end of the bridge will be closed even to street cars. This will be because all of the supports of the last span of the bridge at the draw on the south side will be taken away, to permit the replacing of the tubular columns with girders of steel. The bridge will then be able to support only pedestrians on that side. Announcement of the closing of the bridge to street cars will be made in good season.

MURDERER ADJUDGED INSANE.

Commission of Physicians Says Guiltless Is Not Responsible.

Nelson Guiltless, charged with the murder of his uncle, Charles Guiltless, at Lake Linden Jan. 19, yesterday in the circuit court pronounced insane by a commission consisting of Dr. Alfred LaBine, county physician; Dr. A. F. Fischer, surgeon-in-chief for the Quincy Mining company, and Dr. P. D. Bourland, of Lake Linden.

The physicians were examined in open court and they were a unit on the decision that Guiltless was insane at the time he shot his aged uncle and butchered him with an axe, that he still is possessed of homicidal and suicidal mania. The unfortunate fellow was yesterday afternoon committed to the lunatic asylum for the criminal insane by Judge O'Brien and he will be taken there at once.

The court was occupied during the greater part of yesterday with the case of John F. Ogden, charged with deserting a wife he had married to escape prosecution. Ogden's defense is that he left Calumet and went to Detroit with his wife's knowledge and that he intended to send for her when he was able to support her there. The case went to the jury late in the afternoon.

The next case, the trial of which opened late in the afternoon, is that of Louis Shafer of Coburntown, charged with having his saloon open on Sunday. Shafer's defense is that on the occasion in question he entered the saloon to use his telephone to call a doctor to attend to his wife.

BIG WRESTLING TOURNAMENT.

South Range Athletic Club Promotes Contest for All Corners.

Announcement was made yesterday by the Finnish Athletic club of South Range of a big wrestling tournament that is to take place in South Range Feb. 27. Details are not as yet complete, but much interest is known to exist among Finnish athletes and a big turnout is certain to result.

The club shortly will give out a schedule of the events, which will include contests at all weights. The style will be catch-as-catch-can. Prizes, including valuable medals and other trophies, will be offered. To a great extent the entrants will be Finns, though the tournament is to be open to all comers.

The Finnish athletic clubs of the copper country have produced a number of exceptional wrestlers, including Karl Lehto, Waino Ketonen and others of hardly lesser note. The clubs consider that the copper country has just as promising material now and that this tournament should develop a lot of good ones.

The contests will take place in the Finnish Temperance hall at South Range and if there are entries enough, probably will consume an entire day.

PINTARS WILL BE DEPORTED.

Father and Son to Be Sent Back to Austria by Government.

The last step in the preliminaries toward the deportation of John Pintar and his son, John, of Calumet, was taken yesterday when the consular department of Immigration Inspector Povey at the Soo a certificate of the health and physical condition of the pair. When the immigration inspector was here last week he gave the two an examination and left instructions for the physical examination, which the consular department of the immigration inspector Povey said that because of the European war it would not be possible to deport the man and boy, but he learned later that if they are in perfect health they can be deported, as they can be placed on a ship at New York and compelled to shift for themselves thereafter. This could not be done to defective or ailing undesirable.

Pintar is the man who attempted to desert his young son at Calumet and who is charged with having advised the person with whom the boy was boarding that he should "cut him up for sausage meat."

As soon as the necessary formalities have been arranged at the Soo it is expected an officer of the immigration department will be in Houghton to take charge of the father and son and start them on their way to their native Austria.

REPORT OF PAINE LIBRARY.

Steady Increase in the Number of Book Borrowers is Noted.

The following is the annual report of the Sara Sargent Paine Memorial library, Painesdale, for the year 1914: A total of 3,296 borrowers was registered, divided as follows: Painesdale, 1,442; Troutmountain, 514; Baltic, 565; South Range, 120; Atlantic, 530; Houghton, 2; Beacon Hill, 12; Redridge, 13; Freda, 7; Edgemere, 1.

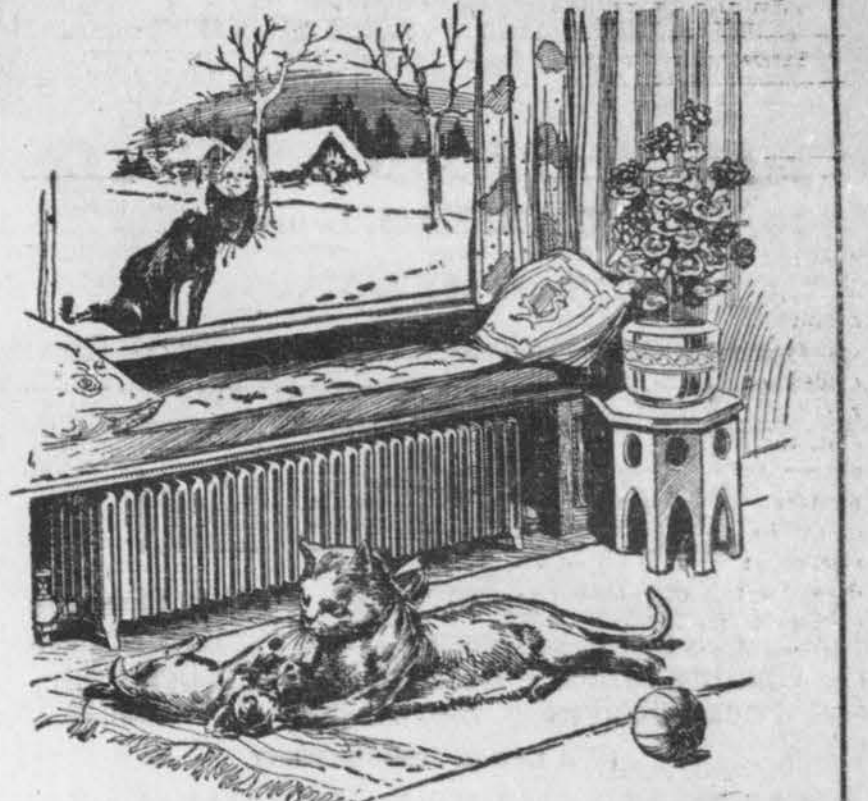
The total number of books in the library, including the Adams township library, is 6,402. There were added during the year eighty-six books by purchase and twenty-four by gift to the memorial library and seventy-five to the township library from all sources.

The total circulation of the library in all its branches was 39,239, divided as follows: Baltic, 3,535; Troutmountain, 2,575; Atlantic, 5,337; South Range, 712; Painesdale, 17,800.

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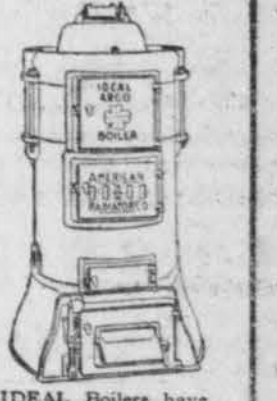
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ENROLLMENT HEAVY. Suomi College Dormitory and Commercial Departments May Be Enlarged.

When the directors of the Suomi college, Hancock, meet March 9 there will be considered and discussed the matter of additions to the dormitory and commercial department. Both of these departments are crowded and applications from young people wishing to enter have been denied as a result. The appointment of teachers for next year will also be considered. There are now 132 students enrolled at the college, the largest number in the history of the institution. Of the whole number forty-two are enrolled in the commercial department.

BENEFIT OF DOMESTIC SCIENCE. Boys of Painesdale School Treat Visitors to Doughnuts.

The benefits to be derived from teaching the boys of the Painesdale High school domestic science were seen in the luncheon served last Friday night after the Painesdale-Mus City basketball game. The Painesdale team won with a score of 28 to 17, but made amends for this by serving a supper. The chef d'oeuvre of the feast was doughnuts, big, fat, round, brown doughnuts, made in the school kitchen by the boys themselves. All present praised the doughnuts in words and in actions.

DESK-LIGHTING DEVICE. The Houghton County Electric Light company has installed in the office of the A. Haas Brewing company a desk lighting device that is a joy to bookkeepers Wimmer and Smith. It is the only light of the type in the district. The electric lamps are under a metal hood with frosted glass beneath and within the hood are prismatic mirrors, which direct the light downward at an angle. The device permits the measurement of the desk and an adjustment that distributes the light accurately over the surface.

BOYS LEARN TO COOK. The finishing touches are being applied to the new domestic science quarters in the Hancock High school building, Painters at work. The new semester opens Monday of next week. Miss Laura MacDonald has been engaged to assist Miss Matilda McCordick of the domestic science department, and will devote her entire time to the sewing classes. A class of twenty-four boys will receive instructions in cooking once a week.

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PLUMBERS ARE HAPPY. The plumber is met with a broad smile on his face these days. While everyone will complain of the cold snap that swept the copper country a week ago, the plumbers were satisfied, even though they burned a little more fuel than usual. Many water pipes were frozen. So rushed have the plumbers been that they are just about caught up with the work. One plumber said yesterday that he had received close to thirty calls during one day and he knew other plumbers were as busy as he has been.

HANCOCK PLANS MUCH WORK. Municipal improvement work to be undertaken the coming summer will be outlined by the Hancock city council this evening. The most important project is the proposed paving of Front street. The city has been desirous of having this work done for several years. Meetings of the various committees have taken place during the winter months, and it is expected each will be in a position tonight to furnish a ten-

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The recruiting campaign in the Houghton Light Infantry is progressing so satisfactorily as to give the officers most encouragement. One of the most pleasing indications is that within the week seven former members have rejoined. These are not considered re-enlistments, because in most of the cases a year or more had elapsed since the former terms expired.

The return of these "seasoned men" to the company delights the officers, because on Feb. 18 a Michigan National Guard inspector is to be in Houghton and these seven new members will not pull down the average efficiency of the company, as seven raw recruits would. The company also has taken in three recruits, men who have not served before.

JOES TO CONSULT SPECIALIST. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Siller of Painesdale are in Chicago, Mr. Siller going there to consult a specialist regarding a serious eye trouble which he has suffered for several months.

Dr. J. H. Cox of Winona left last night for Chicago, called there by news of the continued serious condition of Mrs. Cox, who is taking treatment in one of the city hospitals. Dr. George Kirby of Calumet is attending to Dr. Cox's patients.

John B. Dea of Baltic is at Rochester, Minn., undergoing a serious operation.

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City Brevities

Today's weather: Cloudy. Yesterday's temperatures: Seven a. m. 8 degrees; noon 21; 7 p. m. 23. Highest, 23 degrees; lowest, 6.

A. O. Jopling left yesterday for Lansing. Mrs. Louis Vierling has returned from a visit to Chicago.

Kenneth Fellow, of Negaunee, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Theodore Schneider has gone to Detroit on a several days' business trip. Dr. F. W. Menhennett, of Ishpeming, was a Marquette business caller yesterday.

H. J. Boyd, of Menominee, has been a business caller in the city the last two days.

Morgan Wright left yesterday afternoon for Lansing, on a business mission.

H. C. Bowden, of Negaunee, was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

James Foster, of Menominee, a former resident of the city, is in the city for a few days.

H. F. Handford, superintendent of the poor, was in Ishpeming and Negaunee yesterday.

The Women's Welfare club will meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the band room of the city hall.

Mrs. J. E. Spion arrived home last night from Bessemer, where she has been visiting for the last few days.

Frank J. Jennison, cashier of the Marquette National bank, left last night for Chicago on a business trip.

The Ladies' auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon in Keough's Hall.

John D. Mangum, secretary of the Marquette Commercial club, went to Houghton yesterday afternoon on a day's business trip.

Thomas Treloar, district manager of the Massachusetts Bonding & Surety company, goes to Big Bay this morning on a business trip.

Kiamert's Home band will play at the ice rink tonight if the weather is favorable. An extra five cents will be charged for admission.

Mrs. W. A. Jefferson, 327 Bluff street, will entertain the St. Agnes court, Women's Catholic Order of Foresters, at her home this evening at 8 o'clock.

E. S. Bice, vice president of the First National bank, has been in Minneapolis the last two days attending a meeting of the bankers of this federal district.

The Queen Esther circle will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal church. The meeting was postponed from last night.

The ladies of the guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church have postponed the musical show which was to have been given this month until after the Lenten season.

Word was received here yesterday of the sudden death at St. Petersburg, Fla., of Mrs. C. C. Billingshurst, of Muskegon. Mrs. Billingshurst was a relative of Mrs. Louis Vierling.

St. Margaret's Guild will give a card party this evening at the home of Mrs. Richard Jennings, Adams street. Refreshments will be served. The public is invited to be present.

The Study Circle of the Women's Welfare club will meet in the band room of the city hall at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Mrs. James Moloney, vice president of the second precinct, will have charge.

For the benefit of the many persons who have been enjoying the coasting on North Front street, the city commission has ordered an electric lamp installed at the intersection of Park and Front streets.

Miss Todd, Ridge street was surprised by a few of her intimate friends Monday night on the occasion of her seventy-seventh birthday. The home was especially decorated. Stories were told by the members of the party, and a lunch was served. Miss Todd has been a Marquette resident for forty-seven years.

Will Conduct Institute—President Kaye, of the Northern State Normal school, goes this morning to Ontonagon where he will conduct the Ontonagon county teachers' institute.

Will Organize Patrols—Three patrols of Boy Scouts from the Sunday school of the St. Paul's church will be organized Saturday. Rev. Bates G. Burt will act as scoutmaster for the troop.

Picture Was Delayed—"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," which was booked for the Delft theater yesterday, was not shown because of the delay of trains by the storm in Wisconsin. The picture will be booked again in a few weeks' time.

Should Use Caution—Another accident on the North Front street hill Monday afternoon, in which a small boy was badly hurt by running into a milk wagon while coasting, shows that caution should be used by all who are enjoying the sport. It has been urged that all small children make use of the Spruce street hill, which is less dangerous. Many large hobs are in use on the Front street side every day and many hundreds have enjoyed the sport since the hill was put

in good condition. An interval should be allowed to elapse between starting the sleds from the top of the incline, so that in case of an accident there will be less chance of persons becoming injured.

Today at the Opera House—Along with the vaudeville by the Tip-Top four, the pictures to be shown today at the Marquette Opera House are as follows: "The Magnate of Paradise," a drama by the Edison company, with Robert Brower, and "The New Editor" and "They Looked Alike," Lubin comedies.

A Comedy Feature—"Love, Luck and Gasoline," in three reels, with John Bunny, Wallie Van and Lillian Walker, a Vitagraph Broadway star feature, will be exhibited today at the Delft theater. The other picture on the program will be "Robert Thorne Forecloses," a Selig drama. A special orchestra will furnish music.

Sunday School Conference—Parents and teachers of St. Paul's Episcopal Sunday school will meet for a conference on the work of the school this evening at 8 o'clock in the Morgan Memorial chapel. A. R. Cussell, superintendent of the Sunday school, will have charge of the meeting. All members of the congregation are invited to attend.

Special Train Tonight—The basketball teams of the Marquette Hibernians and the St. Aloysius sodality will leave at 6:30 o'clock this evening for Ishpeming, where they will play the first and second teams of the Knights of Columbus, respectively. A large number of persons will accompany the teams. The train will leave Ishpeming at about 1 o'clock, and a dance will be given following the games.

Time Table of 1882—A time table of the Marquette, Houghton & Ontonagon railway, issued in 1882, which has been hanging on the walls of Henry Holden's blacksmith shop for many years past, has attracted the attention of many persons of late. No trains devoted entirely to passenger traffic were run at that time, and accommodation trains constituted the only public passenger service, but there were several of them each day.

Game Will Be Fast—Basketball fans are looking forward to the game Friday night at Fraternity Hall between the Peter White club and the Marquette High school, which is expected to be one of the fastest exhibitions that has been seen in Marquette this season. The high school players have shown themselves to be remarkably fast on the Fraternity Hall floor. The members of the club team, while older by several years than those of the high school squad, have not had the practice enjoyed by the latter. The teams are believed to be well matched. The high school team has won three and lost one game this season, and the club team has won all four games it has played.

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KAISER'S FRUGAL LIVING

The Kaiser and Kaiserin are cutting down the expenses of the imperial household and teaching the German people a lesson in frugality. The standard of meals at court appears to be no higher than that of many private families in the west end of Berlin. This, at any rate, is the statement published in the German papers and given out officially. The Kaiser's chef has had no opportunity of displaying his inventive genius for new dishes since the outbreak of the war. Very few guests have been entertained at the palace, and the Kaiserin has placed a ban on table delicacies. The Kaiser ordered a trial meal with "war bread" last November, and since then he has ordered that it be eaten at every meal. A few weeks ago it was placed on the menu at Great Headquarters, where it is said it was greatly appreciated by the Kaiser himself.

The use of white bread for the imperial breakfast table was stopped simultaneously with the prohibition in Berlin of all kinds of night baking. No fresh loaves are baked overnight at the palace, but every morning the court baker delivers a quantity of war bread sufficient for the next day's meals. This is warmed up for the Emperor and the members of the court at each meal.

The Kaiser's breakfast, when he eats it in Berlin, is simple, consisting of an egg, tea or coffee and war bread. Soup is served at 1 o'clock, and this is followed by a plate of meat or vegetables, but nothing else. The evening meal is less frugal. Potatoes are served in their skins, which are also eaten, says the

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Both at the front and in the palace the Kaiser lives with Spartan simplicity. His choice is restricted to thick soup, containing chopped meat.

The Kaiserin visits the kitchen every day, giving orders and superintending the cooking. "One cannot live sumptuously while our brave soldiers in the trenches are making the greatest sacrifices," she is reported to have said.

Cakes, whipped cream and other luxuries are forbidden at court. When the children of the crown prince and other members of the imperial family are invited to afternoon tea a few crackers appear on the table, and the Kaiserin, Crown Princess or the Duchess of Brunswick is a guest at dinner no extra dish is added to the simple menu.

MR. ROOSEVELT AT HIS BEST.

Mr. Roosevelt's desire to employ 810,000 of his \$40,000 Nobel Peace prize for the use of the unemployed in New York is wholly praiseworthy. The money is now under the guardianship of congress, but congress is not so busy that it cannot devote a quarter of an hour to granting Mr. Roosevelt's request, and Mr. Roosevelt could not put any part of this peace fund to more fitting use than to employ it in relieving some of the distress caused by this greatest and most needless of wars.

It was Mr. Roosevelt's original intention that the Nobel fund should be used toward establishing a foundation for promoting industrial peace, but the Federal government now has a commission that can be used for that purpose and

the Roosevelt endowment is unnecessary. The main industrial problem for the present, so far as New York is concerned, is helping the people who have been thrown out of work by war, and in his generous efforts to assist Mr. Roosevelt appears at his best.—New York World.

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WOMEN NOT IMMUNE FROM MANN LAW

Supreme Court Holds White Slave Act Was Not Intended for Men Alone.

Milwaukee, Feb. 2.—Women implicated in the Mann white slave act cases are not immune from prosecution.

In a decision handed down yesterday the United States supreme court upholds the opinion of United States Attorney Guy D. Goff, who has contended that women are equally liable with men.

Possibility of blackmail in white slave cases now is eliminated.

The decision was given in the case of the United States against Chester C. Landenschleger and Clara Holte, in which Mr. Goff sought to find the Holte woman equally guilty on the charge of violating the Mann act by entering into a conspiracy with Landenschleger to defraud the government.

Opinion of Goff.

The United States supreme court decision dismisses the demurrer sustained by Judge Geiger in federal court.

Mr. Goff, in submitting his opinion to the attorney general and the United States supreme court, said:

"When the man and the woman agree to go, combine to do an unlawful thing, and to effect it by equally unlawful means, if their agreement spells a violation of the federal conspiracy law, and has as its object the violation of the law of the United States to be effected only by the unlawful means prohibited expressly by the law sought to be violated, then it would seem that if justice is equal there should be no reason, legally or morally, why both the man and the woman should be held liable."

"This view of the matter has been emphasized here as well as elsewhere in that large class of cases where the women, who allow themselves to be transported for immoral purposes, are just as criminal as the men who transport them."

"To punish the husband or the ordinary transporter and free the wife or woman, has in many instances to my personal and official knowledge, been the means of facilitating the woman's return to such immoral practices with added license."

"The Mann act does not require the concert of two or more in order to constitute its violation. In many cases women are transported upon the express terms of marriage, while the real intent is to prostitute the woman."

"A mere reading of the law will clearly disclose the fallacy of confusing the substantive and distinct crime of conspiracy with that of the object sought to be accomplished."

Wives Are Transported.

"I refer expressly to those cases where men transport their wives for immoral purposes, the women always knowing in advance the reason why they are so transported, as well as that distinct class of cases where women are willing to resort to interstate commerce as a facility to do wrong, prompted by the thought that the chances of being detected are less and the opportunity of accomplishing their immoral purposes greater."

"In the case at bar the evidence disclosed an agreement between the defendants to use interstate commerce for lewd and immoral purposes and the woman was equally culpable with the man and decidedly the stronger character."

Woman Pleaded Guilty.

Landenschleger, who is twenty-one years old, came to Milwaukee with Clara Holte, aged forty-one, from Illinois. He pleaded guilty to the charge of white slavery before Judge Geiger and was committed to the house of correction. She also pleaded guilty to United States Attorney Goff's charges of a conspiracy, but in view of the importance and precedent of the case Judge Geiger refused to accept the plea and appointed an attorney for her who filed a demurrer, which was sustained by the court.

The decision of the supreme court brings out a new phase of the Mann act that is believed sufficient to drop efforts for certain amendments deemed necessary to meet many cases where blackmail and extortion were threatened.

METAL STOCKS TAKEN BY GERMAN GOVERNMENT

London, Feb. 2.—A dispatch to the Times from Bern, Switzerland, dated Monday, says:

"This morning, before noon, all stocks of copper, tin, nickel, antimony, aluminum and hard lead, which are in a manufactured state or not, including copper wire and copper refuse, had to be reported to the military authorities throughout Germany, who have commandeered them everywhere."

BERLIN PLACES LIMIT ON BREAD CONSUMPTION

Rotterdam, Feb. 2.—The mayor of Berlin has announced that inhabitants of the capital are to go on rations so far as bread is concerned. The allowance for each individual is four pounds of bread a week.

The Berlin newspapers announce an official order directing that all stocks of copper, tin, aluminum, nickel, antimony and lead are to be reserved for the use of the army.

RUSSIA SAID SEEKING TO BORROW WAR FUNDS FROM FRENCH REPUBLIC

Paris, Feb. 2.—David Lloyd George, the British chancellor of the exchequer, and P. Bark, the Russian minister of finance, have arrived here. The visit to Paris of Lloyd George and Mr. Bark probably is in connection with the consideration of the issuance of a joint loan of \$3,000,000,000 which it has been reported recently is contemplated.

NINE GERMAN ESCAPED FROM CANADIAN FORT BY MEANS OF STRING

Boston, Feb. 2.—How he escaped from the Citadel, a British military prison at Halifax, N. S., where he and other German reservists had been confined several months, was told by Franz Schmidt of Vera Cruz, Mexico, a non-commissioned officer in the German army reserves, who arrived here today. Nine prisoners scaled the walls of the Citadel by means of a rope surreptitiously woven from pieces of twine. They had previously cut the bars of a window with a saw made from a steel table knife.

"Ten of us wanted to celebrate Emperor William's birthday so we set last Thursday for our attempt to escape," said Schmidt. "We slipped through the opening made with the knife and crouched under the wall in the darkness until the sentry's back was turned. Then I threw the rope over the top of the wall and a hook which we had placed on one end caught. Nine of us climbed the rope and dropped safely on the other side, but the last man was captured. Four of the nine were taken shortly afterward."

M. LABORI DECLINES TO ACT AS COUNSEL FOR FRENCH PAYMASTER

Paris, Feb. 2.—M. Labori, the well known advocate, has notified Francois Desclaux, general paymaster of the army, that it will be impossible for him to take charge of the defense of Desclaux before the court martial which is to try him on a charge of stealing military stores.

M. Labori said he had accepted the task of defending Desclaux when the case appeared to be a purely judicial one. Since then, M. Labori added, Desclaux had been the subject of newspaper discussion because he was a witness for the defense in the trial of Mme. Caillaux, wife of the former minister of finance. Mme. Caillaux was charged with the murder of M. Calmette, editor of the Figaro. Labori said as he had been assured the charge of espionage against Desclaux has been abandoned, he preferred to retire from the case.

The Figaro intimates that the sudden return to Paris of M. Caillaux, for whom Desclaux once acted as secretary, means that he will intervene in the case in favor of Desclaux.

Desclaux and a wealthy woman, in whose mansion were found military stores, said to have been stolen by Desclaux, were arrested last week. The woman was said to be the wife of a German.

ITALIAN SHIPS WON'T CARRY SHOE CARGOES DESTINED FOR SWISS

Washington, Feb. 2.—American exporters are finding it next to impossible to ship goods now to Switzerland and Sweden. They have appealed to the foreign trade advisers of the federal government to aid them, but the extraordinary efforts have not had the desired effect. Italian steamers are not accepting goods for shipment to Switzerland. They are, in fact, refusing all shipments unless destined for Italian consumption. No American vessels are available for the Italian trade.

CUT POSTAL SERVICE FOR HUGE DEFICIT

Revenues Fall Off All Over the Country—European War the Chief Cause of Slump.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The postal revenues are in such condition that Postmaster General Burleson has given orders to his subordinates to reduce expenses all along the line. To what extent the revenues have been depleted officials of the Post Office Department said they were unable to tell. Returns of revenues at the large post offices, they asserted, had not been received for most of the period covered by the European war. The hostilities in Europe, it is said, have been responsible to a considerable degree for the falling off in revenues. While postal officials are reticent on the subject, the parcel post is held responsible also for the curtailment of income of the post office department. It is asserted that many bulky documents, such as catalogues of mail-order houses, are now sent out through the parcel post at much lower rates than formerly.

At a meeting here recently of the postmasters of most of the large cities the officials of the post office department impressed on them the urgent necessity for cutting expenses.

In some quarters the understanding prevails that there will be a deficit in the postal revenues for the current fiscal year, which began on July 1, 1914, of \$30,000,000. This estimate is not confirmed by anyone in authority, but it is asserted that it has been made by postal officials in discussing the problem with congressmen. Postal officials admit that throughout the country the revenues of post offices have fallen off from 1 to 10 per cent.

Postmaster General Burleson endeavored to overcome the prospective deficit by providing for marked reductions in the estimates he submitted to Congress for the expenses for the postal service, but the house of representatives would have none of it, and proceeded to appropriate amounts that aggregated nearly \$10,000,000 more than the postmaster general recommended. The house moreover, drafted this legislation in such a way that the postmaster general will be obliged to spend the money appropriated.

NOT ONE REPUBLICAN NAMED BY PRESIDENT FOR NEW TRADE BODY

Chicago, Feb. 2.—According to dispatches from Washington, President Wilson has completed the selection of the members of the new trade commission without naming a single Republican. Of the five members, three will be Democrats and two Progressives.

The members of the body which will regulate the business of the country are: William J. Harris of Georgia, Democrat, now director of the census; Joseph E. Davies of Wisconsin, Democrat, now commissioner of corporations; Edward N. Hirtley of Illinois, Democrat, banker, railroad director, and president of the Illinois Manufacturers' association; George L. Record of New Jersey, Progressive, lawyer; and Will H. Parry of Washington, Progressive, real estate operator and builder.

As soon as the makeup of the commission became known the word flew about Washington that President Wilson is trying to break up the Republican party by naming only Progressives to the minority positions on the trade commission.

Both Mr. Parry and Mr. Record were Republicans, but they are no more. They deny that they have returned to the Republican party, as did so many Progressives last November.

OUR NAVY DROPS TO FOURTH.

France About to Take Third Place Among the Sea Powers.

Washington, Feb. 2.—Figures compiled by the bureau of intelligence of the navy department show that while the United States probably still ranks as the third among the world's naval powers, the time is rapidly approaching when France will take third place and the United States will be relegated to fourth position, with Japan, the fifth power, coming along strong behind. The data which disclose these facts are embodied in the Navy Year Book, just issued as a senate document. Within a period of less than six years the United States will have dropped from second to fourth place among naval powers, provided no catastrophe overtakes the French navy and the French ships now building in France are completed according to schedule.

The figures show that the British navy is more than double that of Germany in tonnage, and more than three times as great in tonnage as either that of the United States or of France.

The tables show that the total tonnage of the British navy, in ships built and building, is 2,714,850 tons; that of Germany, 1,396,577; that of France, 899,915 tons; that of the United States, 894,889; of Japan, 699,916; of Russia, 678,818; of Italy, 497,815, and of Austria-Hungary, 347,508. It is believed that the British and German figures are even larger than indicated, due to the rapid construction and commissioning of ships, facts and data concerning which have been withheld by those governments.

The tables do not take into consideration either the British or German naval armaments of the powers listed.

	Dread-noughts,	Pre-dread-noughts,
Great Britain	36	40
Germany	29	29
France	12	18
United States	12	12
Japan	6	13
Russia	7	7
Italy	10	8
Austria-Hungary	7	0

	Battle-cruisers,	Arm'd cruisers,
Great Britain	10	34
Germany	8	9
France	0	29
United States	0	11
Japan	0	13
Russia	4	0
Italy	0	9
Austria-Hungary	0	2

The strength in destroyers and submarines of the powers is:

	De-	Sub-
Great Britain	188	97
Germany	154	45
France	87	86
United States	64	49
Japan	52	13
Russia	135	49
Italy	51	27
Austria-Hungary	18	12

FREE BOOK ON STOMACH ILLS.

Geo. H. Mayr, of 154 Whiting St., Chicago, Ill., a prominent druggist, has published a guide to health, in which he shows how he cured himself and brought relief to thousands of other sufferers from constipation, biliousness, indigestion and intestinal troubles by the use of French healing oils. One dose usually cures. The most chronic cases rarely need over three doses. This book will be mailed free on request. Mayr's Wonderful Remedy is sold in leading druggists everywhere with the positive understanding that your money will be refunded without question or quibble if ONE bottle fails to give you absolute satisfaction.

"JIM CROW" CAR BILL PROPOSED AT CAPITAL

Washington, Feb. 2.—A "Jim Crow" car bill to cover public conveyances in the capital, was reported to the house today by a committee with recommendations that it be passed.

Greater London is composed of 33 city boroughs and 29 suburban towns.

Economy Sale

—AT—

FOSTER'S

Today, Tomorrow, Friday and Saturday, February 3, 4, 5 and 6.

Once every year the Gossard Front Lace Corset Co. supply their agents with a limited stock of their line for a special sale. Our patrons will remember such a sale last February. A great many ladies have been waiting for this. So remember the dates and be on hand early if you wish to take advantage of these prices.

- All 3.50 Front Lace Gossard Corsets 2.50
- All 5.00 Front Lace Gossard Corsets 3.50
- 50c Gossard Brassieres, all sizes 39c
- 1.00 Gossard Brassieres, all sizes 79c

2,000 garments in muslin underwear for four days at prices that cannot be duplicated anywhere in this part of the country. The prices are less than cost of the material. THIS IS OUR ECONOMY SALE.

- Gowns well worth 59c— 39c sale price
- Gowns well worth 89c— 69c sale price
- Gowns cheap at 1.00— 75c sale price
- Gowns cheap at 1.25— 98c sale price
- Gowns cheap at 1.50— 1.15 sale price
- Chemise cheap at 1.00— 69c sale price
- Chemise cheap at 1.25— 89c sale price
- Princess Slips 1.00— 79c sale price
- Princess Slips 1.25— 98c sale price
- 25c Corset Covers— 19c sale price
- 50c Corset Covers— 39c sale price
- Combination worth 1.00— 79c sale price
- Combination Suits 1.25— 1.00 sale price
- 250 pairs drawers cheap at 39c— 25c sale price, pr.
- 5c Skirts— 39c sale price
- 75c Skirts— 59c sale price
- 1.00 Skirts— 79c sale price

This muslin underwear was purchased at a sale, at less than manufacturer's cost. These prices we offer you are jobbers' prices. Don't miss buying at these figures—

We have just finished our inventory and now offer you hundreds of remnants and odds and ends at about 50c on the dollar.

J. H. Foster Co.

WILL BUILD SHOPS TO GIVE IDLE WORK

New York, Feb. 2.—Elbert H. Gary announced on Monday at a meeting of the executive branch of the mayor's committee on unemployment, of which he is chairman, that \$15,000 had been raised to establish emergency workshops for unemployed men and women and to form an emergency loan fund. Mr. Gary said that it is necessary to raise three times this amount. There are now in operation thirty-four emergency shops, it was announced, which, in co-operation with

OHIO THREATENED AGAIN BY FLOODS

Dayton, O., Feb. 2.—With the second anniversary of the devastating floods of March, 1913, less than two months away, Dayton, Hamilton and other cities in the Great Miami river valley on Monday faced the exact situation that led up to the previous disasters, with flood prevention work practically untouched.

The Great Miami, fed by the winter thaw, has risen from four to six feet within the last forty-eight hours. At Dayton, ice floes are being dynamited and men are patrolling the river banks and levees. At Hamilton a temporary bridge was destroyed when an ice jam went out. Unless a freeze comes, serious floods are probable.

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THINGS TO THINK ABOUT.

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Rats in southern Italy have acquired the habit of climbing the orange trees. They suck the juice of the blood fruit, neglecting the others.

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That awful sourness, belching of acid and foul gases; that pain in the pit of the stomach, the heartburn, nervousness, nausea, bloating after eating, feeling of fullness, dizziness and sick headache, means your stomach is sour—your liver is torpid—your bowels constipated. It isn't your stomach's fault—it isn't indigestion—it's biliousness and constipation. Try Cascarets; they sweeten the stomach, remove the sour, fermenting food and foul gases; take bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter from the bowels. Then your stomach trouble, headache, bad cold and all such misery ends.



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Statement of Condition at the Close of Business Dec. 31st, 1914.

The Peninsula Bank, Ishpeming, Mich.

Condensed from Statement to Commissioner State Banking Department.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans, Discounts and Bonds	\$769,876.03	Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Banking House	15,000.00	Surplus Fund	50,000.00
Overdrafts	None	Undivided Profits, Less Expenses and Taxes	42,499.89
Cash Resources	135,272.34	Dividends Unpaid	276.00
		Deposits	744,872.48
		Reserved Interest	7,500.00
		Bills Payable	15,000.00
Total	\$910,148.37	Total	\$910,148.37

A Bright Light

Use the new **MARS** Bright Battery in your flash lights.

They give a brilliant light and last a long time.

The battery that gives satisfaction.

For sale by

Marquette County Gas & Electric Co.

Mining News

ALLOUZE.

The advance in Alouze is due to a combination of fortunate circumstances—the company is now in the best financial position in its history and, moreover, will be able, when the word is given, to increase its output to 10,000,000 pounds of copper per annum, which would be a high record by several million pounds. Alouze has working capital today of about \$400,000, an increase of \$150,000 over a year ago. This is the outside figure which has been set by the directors for Alouze to have, so that earnings are now applicable to dividends. Alouze stockholders have had a long wait but their patience should be rewarded before many months. Alouze produced in 1914 about 6,000,000 pounds of copper, an increase of 2,000,000 pounds over 1913, but earnings did not show a corresponding increase because of the lower price for copper. Output at present is running better than the 1914 rate, but 1915 cannot show a big increase over 1914, having unfavorable developments in the copper situation. Notwithstanding that Alouze did not get under way until the spring of 1914—because of the after effects of the strike—the 1914 cost of production was about 10 cents per pound. In recent months this figure has been shaded a cent, so that barring Alouze the Alouze cost is the lowest of any of the Calumet & Hecla group. It is figured that with an output of 8,000,000 or 10,000,000 pounds Alouze can maintain the nine-cent cost, and on 14-cent copper would therefore have a earning capacity of \$4 to \$5 per share. It has taken Alouze a long time to "arrive" but Calumet & Hecla is at last in a fair way to realize in the not distant future a return on its 41,000 shares investment in the stock.

DEATHS AT MIDDLE AGE.

At middle life and later the American of today shows a diminished vitality as compared with the American of thirty years ago. Registration statistics and life insurance statistics show that the death rate in this country is increasing at the later age periods, and that the death rate from diseases of the heart, blood vessels and kidneys, which affect chiefly those at middle life and later, has increased during the last thirty years. This is not merely an apparent increase due to improvement in diagnosis, but an actual increase, as these diseases have been followed back as one group, and thus errors in diagnosis or changes in reporting are necessarily kept within the group.

In England and Wales there has been no such increase either in the death rate from these degenerative diseases or in the death rate at the later age periods.

The expectation of life in this country has not increased at the older ages although a decided increase is apparent at the youngest ages, due to the conquest of the communicable diseases.

Strong and self-reliant as we are as a nation, let us rejoice that what we are does not constitute the pinnacle of strength, and that if we take heed of future development may give us reason for even greater confidence in our power to endure and to prevail.

ERRORS IN SHORTHAND.

A young friend of mine is engaged in the study of Pitman's shorthand (writes a correspondent), and has just told me of a tragic occurrence which befell him at an examination. He felt that he had taken down the dictation all right, but when he came to transcribe the shorthand into "long hand" he came to one curiously outlined which entirely baffled him. It seemed to be the form for either "fish" or perhaps "efficiency," but either word was entirely superfluous to the sentence in which it was found. He left a blank in his transcript and went on to write the rest of the exercise, and time was nearly up when he returned to the troublesome outline. As he gave a hopeless sigh, gazing sadly at the outline, it suddenly slid away along the paper. Terror took possession of him. He thought his mind must be going. But it was only the outline. His sigh really had solved the problem. The outline was an eyelash which had fallen on the sheet.—Manchester Guardian.

W. Thurtell, the optometrist, is now in Ishpeming; office at Nelson House. Telephone for private calls. Eyes carefully and scientifically examined and glasses ground to suit each different case. All work guaranteed. 1-7-14

Ishpeming Department

PRIMARY ELECTION STIRS CRITICISM

Large Expense Involved in Making Nominations for County School Commissioner.

The primary election that will be held Saturday, March 3, to nominate candidates for county commissioner of schools will cost over \$500 for the city of Ishpeming. This amount will include the pay of ten election boards and a day's salary for each of the ten supervisors, together with mileage, when they go to Marquette prior to the election to receive the ballots.

It is estimated that the primary election will cost the county and cities and townships in the neighborhood of \$400, or more than twice the annual salary of the commissioner. Each of the ten election boards here will be composed of three inspectors, two clerks and two gate keepers. No more nor less than this number can be employed under the provisions of the primary law.

Much fault is found because the primary law provides for an election in such a case as this. One of the aldermen yesterday said that so far as the city of Ishpeming is concerned a commissioner could be nominated by having all of the voters go to one precinct, instead of having them go to the wards in which they reside. Such a proceeding would save the city several hundred dollars, as seven men could easily do the work that seventy men now get paid for, but unfortunately it would not be legal. The elimination of registration prior to election has cut out unnecessary expense, but it is suggested that the law should again be revised so as to provide for the nomination of a county school commissioner in some other way.

STORM HIT RAILROADS.

Heavy Wind and Snow Storm Swept Wisconsin Monday.

Both passenger and freight trains on the Chicago & Northwestern and Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railways, running between Chicago and upper peninsula points, were cancelled yesterday, because of a severe blizzard that swept through Wisconsin. The morning passenger trains did not get any farther than Green Bay, where the storm seemed to be more severe than at any other point in Wisconsin. Passengers and mail carried on the morning trains came through in the afternoon.

The blizzard started Sunday, with rain, and early Monday it began to snow. The storm was of such unusual proportions that it paralyzed traffic of all kinds. Hundreds of telephone and telegraph poles and wires were brought down.

The storm Monday was mild here, compared to what it was in Wisconsin points below Marquette. Even before it occurred there was more snow near Green Bay than there was in Ishpeming, a most unusual thing.

One of the men who has been running on the Northwestern system between Chicago and Ishpeming for many years yesterday said that the storm was the worst that he has ever seen in Wisconsin. Snow drifts were many feet high and trains were stalled for hours. One of the morning passenger trains was stuck in the snow near Oshkosh. The train was out in two and three locomotives and a large crew of men with shovels worked for hours getting it out of the drifts.

SHORTAGE OF MANGANESE.

Steel Plants May Have Difficulty Getting Mineral in This Country.

The Financial News says that if the boom that has been predicted for some steel companies is soon the steel companies are likely to find themselves facing a shortage of ferro-manganese. The annual normal consumption of this alloy is 700,000 tons, practically all of which is imported from Europe. The News says that at the time the war started the average supply in this country was possibly enough to last six months.

Manganese prices advanced sharply upon the declaration of hostilities, and although the high levels were not sustained the alloy has been quoted at about double the price prevailing in the early part of 1914 for several months—and there are indications of another advance soon.

Some small supplies are obtained from Brazil and there is also an unimportant domestic production. But these combined are not nearly enough to meet the demands of the steel trade. Some importations are also being made from Britain, but this source of supply may be cut off at any moment. That an actual shortage of manganese has not yet been felt is probably due largely to the fact that steel operations have been at very low levels since the middle of last year and that the consumption of manganese, in consequence, has not been nearly normal. Increasing operations, it seems likely, will result in a marked shortage.

The supply of manganese oxide, required in the chemical, dry battery, glass, varnish and other trades, is practically exhausted and dealers, in many cases, are unwilling to quote on their limited stocks except to retain their larger customers. Present quotations are from six to nine cents a pound.

A manganese deposit, said to be of first quality, was worked some years ago in the Clark-Estevan mine, near Copper Harbor.

Manganese has also been found in the Cuyuna district in Minnesota, and it is thought that a considerable supply can be obtained from there.

HAIR COMING OUT?

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a 25-cent bottle of Danderrin at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it into the scalp. After a few applications the hair starts coming out and you can't find any dandruff.

EXCELLENT PROGRAM PLANNED FOR BOYS

Ted Magnuson of Ishpeming Will Be Speaker at Conference at Calumet.

Excellent programs for the third annual Upper Peninsula Boys' conference to be held in Calumet on the 19th, 20th and 21st of the month have been arranged, and have just been made public. About thirty Ishpeming boys, representing the Y. M. C. A. and several church organizations will attend. Ted Magnuson is the only one of their number who will present a paper at the conference. His subject will be "Sunday School and Y. M. C. A. Pulling Together." The programs will be as follows:

Friday Afternoon, February 19.
1:00-4:00—Registration of delegates at Y. M. C. A.
3:00—Meeting of program committee at Y. M. C. A.
3:30—Opening session of conference at high school auditorium.
Concert—High school orchestra.
Song service.

Addresses—Hates G. Burt, chairman of committee, Marquette; Wesley Malloch, Escanaba; J. A. Van Dis, Detroit.
5:00—Meeting of nominating committee—High school.

Friday Evening.
6:00—Complimentary banquet—Armory.
Invocation.
Music—Calumet high school orchestra.
Songs and yells by delegates.
Report of nominating committee.
Introduction of newly elected officers.
A. E. Healy, Ironwood.

Responses.
Addresses—"Sunset at Noonday," J. M. Artman, Chicago.
"Why We Are Here," A. E. Roberts, New York.

Saturday Morning, February 20.
7:30—Leaders breakfast with Mr. Artman at Y. M. C. A.
9:00—Morning session—High school auditorium.
Song service.

9:30—Papers by boys—General subject, "Team Work."
School Team Work, Everett Kearney, Ironwood.
Sunday School and Y. M. C. A. Pulling Together, Ted Magnuson, Ishpeming.
Team Work in the Church, Arthur Truscott, Hancock.
Community Team Work, Kenneth Nicholson, Manistique.
Team Work in the Home, Walter McKie, Marquette.
County Y. M. C. A. Community Factor, George Breen, Stambaugh township.

10:15—Discussion.
10:20—Address, "Success," H. M. Armstrong, Stambaugh.
11:30—Conference Photograph.
12:30—Leaders lunch with Mr. Artman, Episcopal church.

Saturday Afternoon.
1:30—Recreation, as announced at morning session.
5:30—Discussion, Group supper.
Church Clubs and Sunday School Classes, J. M. Artman.

One of the speakers at the conference will be Ted Magnuson of Ishpeming. Y. M. C. A. (a) County Work, A. E. Roberts; (b) City Work, L. E. Buell.
Evening.
7:30—Big meeting of conference.
Concert.
Song session.
Reports of discussion groups.
Invitations for next conference.
Address, Mr. Roberts.
Address, Mr. Van Dis.
Moving pictures.

Sunday Morning, February 21.
9:00—Meeting of leaders, J. M. Artman.



Rheumatism For Young and Old

The acute agonizing pain of rheumatism is soothed at once by Sloan's Liniment. Do not rub—it penetrates to the sore spot, bringing a comfort not dreamed of until tried. Get a bottle today.

RHEUMATISM

Here What Others Say: "I highly recommend your Liniment as the best remedy for rheumatism I ever used. Before using it I spent large sums of money trying to get relief of the misery and pains in limbs and body, so I tried your Liniment both internal and external and I found quick relief, and now am well and strong again."—Geo. Curtis, 225 N. 10th St., Springfield, Ill.

Here's Proof: "I wish to write and tell you about a fall I had down fourteen steps, and bruised my neck and hip very bad. I could not sleep at all. I sent my wife for a 25-cent bottle of your Liniment and in two days' time I was on my feet again."—Charles H. Ippie, 1235 1/2 Prairie Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

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All Druggists, 25c.
Send four cents in stamps for a TRIAL BOTTLE
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man and others at Y. M. C. A.
10:30—Regular church services. Delegates attend church with hosts.

Afternoon.
2:30—Musical Program. Song service.
3:00—Address by Mr. Roberts, "Winners."
Evening.
7:30—Farewell meeting of conference. Song service.
Special music.
Tarewell talks.
Closing addresses.
Mr. Artman, Mr. Buell and Mr. Van Dis.

DEATH OF WILLIAM ARGALL.

Old and Wellknown Resident of Ishpeming Passed Away Unexpectedly.

William Argall, of Hill street, died Monday night, Ashima, from which he had been a sufferer for several years, was the cause of his death. It was not generally known that he was seriously ill, as he was around as usual only a few days ago.

Mr. Argall had been a resident of Ishpeming for more than thirty years, during all of which time he was employed at the Lake Argeline mine. He worked underground until a few years ago, when he began to suffer from the disease which caused his death, and he was transferred to surface, where he was employed until a short time before the property closed down. In 1896 he served as supervisor from the First ward. He was a native of England, was about fifty-five years of age, and is survived by four daughters and one son. The daughters are Mrs. John Claville and Mrs. George Harris, and two who are single, all of Ishpeming. The son is John Argall, who is employed at the Cleveland Lake mine.

Mr. Argall was a member of Sir Humphrey Davey lodge, Sons of St. George, also of the Foresters' society. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon, with services at the Methodist church.

STEEL TRADE ACTIVE.

Encouraging news is being received from the iron and steel centers, indicating that the demand for iron and steel products is broadening. The United States Steel corporation's Gary rail mill is said to have sufficient orders on its books to keep it going for some weeks, and one of the idle blast furnaces there will be blown in next week. The corporation is also about to blow in a furnace at Lorain, Ohio, and two in the Pittsburgh district.

The Republic Iron & Steel company has announced an increase of its prices on steel plates, shapes and bars for future delivery. It now quotes \$1.15 Pittsburgh for March delivery, and \$1.25 for the second quarter. Other corporations are also expected to increase their prices.

Orders for more than 75,000 tons of rails were placed last week. These included 200,000 for the Missouri Pacific, 15,000 tons for the Chicago & Eastern Illinois and 10,000 for the Union Pacific.

BASKETBALL TONIGHT.

It is expected that there will be a large turnout of basketball fans at the Braastad Amusement hall this evening, when two Ishpeming Knights of Columbus teams will play against two Marquette Hibernian teams. The Hibernians are coming up by special train, accompanied by a large delegation of rooters. The first half of the opening game by the second teams will start at 8:15, and the first teams will take the floor at about 8:35, or at the conclusion of the first performance at Ishpeming theater. Good music will be furnished for dancing, which will start at 9:30, continuing until midnight.

FINE PROGRAM TONIGHT.

Tonight's picture program at Ishpeming theater will be of exceptional merit. It includes the seventh episode of "Zudora," in which some extraordinary scenes are shown; a Vitagraph comedy, "Bunny Backslides," featuring John Bunny and Flora Finch, and a Lubin feature drama in two reels, "Was His Decision Right?" In Episode No. 8 of "Zudora," which will be presented next week, James Cruze is shown in three different characters. He is transformed from the villain into the hero.

A matinee will be given this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

ISHPEMING IN BRIEF.

The Thabita club will conduct a social in the Anderson hall next Tuesday evening, the 9th.

A number of Ishpeming people attended a Catholic church social at Diorite Monday night.

Mrs. Emily Wilson has returned from a month's visit with her son and daughter in Milwaukee.

The members of the Ishpeming Ski club will tomorrow evening treat the ladies to a Norwegian turkey supper.

The women of the Swedish Lutheran church congregation will serve coffee this afternoon in the Young People's hall.

The Tip Top Four, a comedy quartet, will be the vaudeville attraction at the Ishpeming theater tomorrow, Friday and Saturday.

During the past few days Marquette range holders of the United States Steel corporation stock have received about \$6,900 in bonuses.

Will Anderson, of the Ishpeming Furniture & Hardware company, left last night for Milwaukee to attend a hardware men's convention. He will go from there to Chicago on a purchasing trip.

The twenty-third and final episode of "The Million Dollar Mystery" will be released by the Thanhouser Film corporation at Washington's Broadway. It will be shown at the Ishpeming theater the first week in March.

The employees of the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company will receive their checks for work performed in the second half of January as follows: Hard Ore, Lake and Cliffs shafts, the 10th; Gwin district, 11th; Salisbury, Republic, North Lake district, 12th; Negawase district, 13th.

Save Your Best Friend

MONEY is man's best friend, for with plenty of Cash you are sure to be popular; when your dollars are gone your friends soon desert you.

The Way to Have Money Is by Saving It

Start an account today; make a resolution to put a certain amount away each pay day and it will not be long until you'll have a substantial balance.

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First Complete Showing of Spring Wash Goods

Goods to Fit All Purses
10c, 12½c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c Up
ALL DAINTY PATTERNS

A dollar will go farther with us. Let us show you.

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TWO BASKETBALL GAMES

Tonight at Rink

MARQUETTE ISHPEMING
A. O. H. vs. K. of C.
1st and 2nds 1st and 2nds

Preliminary Game at 8:15 Big Game at 8:30
Dancing after games Gen'l Admission 25c

Spain contemplates naval expenditures totaling over \$400,000,000.

ISHPEMING THEATRE

TODAY ZUDORA

Seventh Episode.
Blowing Up Battleship at Sea.
Burning of Fine Old Mansion.

John Bunny and Flora Finch in "Bunny Backslides"
Roaring Vitagraph Comedy.

"Was His Decision Right?"
Lubin Feature—Two Reels.

MATINEE at 4.

Tomorrow TIP TOP FOUR
Big Comedy Act

Friday "Exploits of Elaine"
The Big Serial See the First Episode.

Flora Finch and Broncho Billy

Saturday FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN
in "The Shanty at Trembling Hill"
Two-Reel Feature.

Monday Frohman Production of "AFTERMATH"
With Virginia Pearson and Owen Moore.

There is one sure way that has never failed to remove dandruff at once, and that is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, common liquid arvon from any drug store (this is all you will need), apply it at night when retiring, use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve, and entirely destroy, every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

The First National's Reputation

for satisfactory banking service is responsible for the loyalty shown by its customers.

Believing that it holds this good will because of a steadfast purpose to please its customers and the community, this institution naturally desires to keep the quality and quantity of its service up to the highest point.

You are invited to share in the benefits of this service as a depositor here.

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Capital and Surplus, \$200,000

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THAT—you can save time and money by using them.

The Negaunee State Bank

CAPITAL \$50,000. SURPLUS (earned) \$5,000

American Inventors — and War

From time to time there appear in our newspapers weird stories designed to convince this country—or Germany, perhaps—that the reason the enemy's main fleet prefers its harbors to the high seas is that some subtle schemes are in hand which will take some little time to elaborate, will result in the British navy sharing the fate that befell the Spanish Armada. Most of these stories reach us via America, and if they originate in Germany, probably lose nothing in making their double journey across the Atlantic.

When we were last engaged in a great naval war our opponents attempted on a not unimpressive scale, to play the game in which Germany is indulging today. During the war of 1812 Robert Fulton, the famous American inventor, designed what was really the first steam-propelled warship, which was named the Demologos, and was launched almost exactly a century ago. The commission appointed to inquire into her possibilities reported that she was a structure resting upon two boats, whose keels were separated from end to end by a canal 15 feet wide and 65 feet long. One boat contained the "cauldrons of copper" to prepare her steam, while the other was partly occupied by the "vast cylinder of iron with its piston, levers and wheels." The paddle wheel revolved in the space between the boats. The main armament of this vessel consisted of 30 thirty-two-pounders, specially designed for the discharge of red-hot shot; while the deck above that on which the guns were mounted was said to be so extensive that several thousand men might parade there in comfort.

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Know the U. S. Better

For several years past the expenditure by Americans traveling in Europe has been nearly \$300,000,000 annually. This is not saying we did not get our money's worth at that, for quite the contrary is true. Not 1 per cent of returning travelers regret what it cost them to see the world, and how the other nations live. Even if war should end within a month or two, not many would care to cross this year. The facilities of ocean travel to other than European ports are either so limited or inadequate that our chronic travelers find themselves in a condition of "all dressed up and no place to go"—that is abroad.

Europeans who have visited us are constantly amazed at the utter indifference with which Americans confess to a lack of acquaintance with the natural wonders of our own country, which they had seen when on our side. It is high time we did know our own country, and while our town halls and churches are not a thousand years old, our Niagara Falls and Rocky Mountains and Glacier Park are older than either Rome or the ruins of Herculaneum. And where we have seen when on our side. It is high time we did know our own country, and while our town halls and churches are not a thousand years old, our Niagara Falls and Rocky Mountains and Glacier Park are older than either Rome or the ruins of Herculaneum.

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from each blow, so as to discharge a ball of that size into an enemy's ship 10 or 12 feet below the water line, it must be allowed," they modestly concluded. "That she has the appearance of at least of being the most formidable engine of warfare that human ingenuity has contrived." The "columbiad" was the forerunner of the modern submerged torpedo tube. The Demologos was not completed in time to take part in the war against England, and she was accidentally blown up in 1829 at Brooklyn, where she was serving as a receiving ship.

Prosperity After War

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MONUMENT TO ADAM.

This monument to the "memory of Adam, the first man," is the only one of its kind in America, and probably in the world. It was erected in 1909 by John P. Brady, a well known contractor and builder, of Baltimore, at his country place, Hickory Ground, Gardenville, in the northeastern suburbs of Baltimore. It is composed of stone, bronze and cement, and is surmounted by a very large and accurate sundial, especially calculated and constructed for the latitude in which the monument is erected. Surmounting the sundial, in a circle on the dial, is the motto, "Sic Transit Gloria Mundi" ("So Passes the Glory of the World"), and the date, 1909, and on either side of the shaft is a sunken panel with sunken letters, the two reading:

"This, the First Shaft in America, is Erected to the Memory of Adam, the First Man."

The monument has naturally attracted much attention. Mr. Brady has stated, among other things, in a newspaper interview, that "where so many others of lesser worth have been honored, he thought it about time that something was done for Adam."—Syracuse Magazine.

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Negaunee Department

WARD COMMITTEES TO DIRECT RELIEF

Plans for Effort to Be Entered on in Negaunee Further Outlined Yesterday.

Ward committees of three members each, to take charge of the work that is to be done by the United Charities association, were appointed at a meeting of the central committee yesterday morning. A purchasing and distributing committee, with Dr. H. W. Sheldon as chairman, was also named.

The committees are as follows: First Ward—Mrs. Dominick LaVigne, chairman, Mrs. S. S. Mitchell and Miss Catherine Crane. Second Ward—Mrs. C. E. Lindquist, chairman; Miss Anna Keating and Mrs. Harry Whittington. Third Ward—Miss Mary Dougherty, chairman; Mrs. Thomas H. Harris and Miss Annie Collins. Fourth Ward—Mrs. John M. Perkins, chairman; Mrs. John P. Miller and Miss Marion Pellow. Fifth Ward—Mrs. John E. O'Donoghue, chairman; Mrs. Harry W. Trembath and Miss Mildred Yates. Purchasing and Distributing Committee—Dr. H. W. Sheldon, chairman; Miss Ina Atkins and Miss Mary McLoughlin.

The work of the organization was taken up with vigor yesterday. One of the rooms in the fire hall will be used as a depot for supplies. It will be open every afternoon from 2 o'clock until 5. No money will be paid out of the association treasury except on orders signed by the chairman and secretary. No money will be given to applicants for assistance, but food, fuel and clothing will be furnished. The committee requests residents of the city to refuse assistance to applicants at their doors.

Will Seek Work at Mines. The members of the employment committee will make an effort to see if the available work at the mines can be so divided that all heads of families can have at least three days a week.

A resolution, to be presented to the mining companies, asking that Negaunee unemployed be given the preference over outside men when there are places open at the mines, was adopted, as follows:

"It is the sense of this committee that the mining companies should endeavor to give employment in the mines of Negaunee to men who are residents of Negaunee, in preference to men from outside, at least while so large a number of Negaunee laborers are out of employment as at the present time; and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the superintendents of the various mining companies, with the request that they give it consideration."

One of the plans to raise funds is a charity ball, to be given next Monday evening. The arrangements have been taken in charge by a number of young women, who are now selling tickets at \$1, which will include refreshments.

Commencing today, women will be in charge of the association's store room, and clothing and other donations may be sent there. People desiring aid may apply at the store room at any time during the afternoons between 2 and 5 o'clock.

ROLLED CLOSE MATCH.

Teams Nos. 1 and 8 in the Palace alley bowling league rolled a close match Monday evening, No. 8 losing by twenty-seven pins. Tomorrow night a match will be rolled between the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company's five-men team of Ishpeming and the Negaunee city team. The public is invited to witness it. The scores made Monday night were as follows:

Team No.	1	2	3	4	5	Total
Moffatt	151	185	143	479		
Gustafson	127	132	104	363		
Viant	114	157	124	395		
Total				1237		
Team No.	6	7	8	9	10	Total
Bennetts	126	146	170	442		
Turr	156	128	118	412		
Roberts	141	135	141	417		
Total				1271		

WINTER IS CHAIRMAN.

At a special meeting of the board of public works yesterday afternoon Joseph H. Winter was elected chairman, to succeed Captain James H. Rough. Both Messrs. Rough and Winter are old members of the board. Captain Rough has been chairman since it was organized in 1905. Business, which calls Captain Rough out of the city frequently, made it advisable for him to resign the chairmanship.

CELEBRATED ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. Baptiste Barasa yesterday at their home celebrated the fourth anniversary of their marriage. They are among the city's oldest Italian residents, and they were married here in 1875. An elaborate dinner was served yesterday to about twenty-five guests. Mrs. Barasa was a daughter of the late Philip Marquetto, who was one of the first white men to settle in Marquette county.

LOCAL LACONICS.

R. A. Getman, of Houghton, is here on a few days' visit with friends. Mrs. Philip Levine was the guest of relatives at Marquette yesterday. John Alpine, justice of the peace, spent yesterday on business at Marquette. E. G. Hartkins, of Escanaba, was a business caller in the city yesterday. L. Grabower, of Marquette, was the guest of Negaunee relatives yesterday. William C. Yates is spending a few days on business in the copper country. C. F. Steinbach, of Houghton, is the guest of A. D. Kennedy for a few days. Births recorded in the city yesterday were a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Holmi, 748 Main street, and a son to

Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Meechie, Cambria location. Kenneth C. Fallow and Paul Bell were business visitors yesterday at Marquette. H. W. Jackson left yesterday for Shingleton, to spend a few days on business. John A. Wasmuth was a business visitor yesterday at Michigan and Champlain. Dean Arnes and A. R. Kytte, of Calumet, are spending a few days in the city on business. The interior of Miller Bros.' store is being redecorated. Allen McDonald & Son are doing the work. T. C. Yates, cashier of the First National bank, was a business visitor the past few days at Duluth. Thomas Wallace, of Duluth, former postmaster at Champlain, is in the city on a few days' business visit. Arthur Beaudin is able to be out again after having been confined to his home for the past two weeks, by sickness. Miss Agnes Upstrom, who had been the guest of Mrs. Maurice DeGabriele for the past week, has returned to her home at Marquette. A public masquerade for women only will be given tomorrow evening by the members of the Lady Macabees at LeVine's Hall. Miss Elizabeth Nordby has returned to her home at Sands, after spending the past few days here visiting with relatives and friends. Miss Hazel Ferguson, who visited for the past few days with her grandmother, Mrs. H. E. Woods, has returned to her home at Marquette. The funeral of the late Mrs. W. J. Xonhey, who died Sunday night, will be held Thursday afternoon, with services at the Mitchell Methodist Episcopal church at 2 o'clock. Miss Viola Williamson has been appointed assistant in the kindergarten department at the Jackson school. Miss Viola Cornish is now assisting kindergarten teacher at the Park street school. Thomas Abbott and Thomas Pascoe will depart in a few days for Lion Mountain, N. Y., where they will take positions as miners with the Lion Mountain Iron company. Twenty Negaunee men are now employed at Lion Mountain. The hearings of "Bones" Hultonen, who was arrested last week for stealing silverware owned by Charles Thoren, and Henry Swartzberg and Edward Saunders, who were arrested for buying the stolen goods, were postponed from yesterday until Saturday afternoon. A special meeting of the Epworth league of the Mitchell Methodist church will be held Sunday evening, Feb. 7. Reginald Richards will be the leader. There will be music by the Mitchell Methodist quartet. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

TROUBLESOME GENDER.

The trouble that Latin gender gives to American boys and girls who are struggling with the rudiments of that tongue should inspire in them a sympathetic feeling for a small descendant of the race of Attila who found the gender of our English nouns and pronouns a stumbling block. A solid little figure trudged up to the librarian in the children's room. "That little boy," he declared, indicating the rest of the room vaguely with his thumb, "he hit me."

The "liberty teacher" followed him back across the room until the accusing thumb halted near a table where sat a guilty-looking child about half the size of the plaintiff. The accuser explained: "That little boy, she hit me. That little boy is a little girl; but he has short hair, and when I point at him, she hits me."—Youth's Companion.

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LIKABLE TRELVELAN WAS A GERMAN SPY

Orderly of British Red Cross Looked the Englishman and Seemed a "Somebody."

Northern France, Jan. 20.—The orderly on the first bus was sitting at attention, with arms folded, waiting for orders. It was just dawn, but the interior of his bus was clean and ready. He always fixed it up at night, when the rest of us, dog tired, crept into the dank straw, saying we would get up extra early and do it. So we got up early, and the chauffeurs tinkered with engines and the orderlies fumigated interiors; and the First Orderly, sitting at the head of the column, where he heard things and saw things, got acquainted with Trelvelan.

The seven American motor ambulances were drawn up with a detachment of the British Red Cross in a small village near B—, where the base hospital was located, up near the Belgian frontier. The weather was cold. We had changed the point of our buses from brown to gray to make them less visible in the snow. Even the hoods and wheels were gray. All that could be seen at a distance were the two big red crosses, blinking like a pair of eyes on the back canvas flaps. The American cars were light and fast, and could scurry out of shell range quicker than the big lumbering ambulances, of which there were a plenty. Therefore we were able to outrun the First Orderly, who was in demand. The morning that the First Orderly met Trelvelan our squad commander was in conference with the Major of the Royal Medical Corps concerning the business of the day.

Both the First Orderly and Trelvelan were "Somebodies." It was apparent. It was their caste that attracted them to each other. The First Orderly was a prominent figure in the Paris American colony. He knew the best people on both sides of the Atlantic. Now he was an orderly on an ambulance because he wanted to see something of the war. He wanted to do something in the war. There were many like him—neutrals in the ranks of the Red Cross.

Just an Orderly.

The detachment of the Royal Medical Corps to which Trelvelan belonged arrived late one night and were billeted in a barn. The American corps were in the school house, sleeping in straw on the wood floor. There was a small evacuation hospital where the wounded from the field hospitals were patched up a little before we took them for a long ambulance haul.

Trelvelan was only an orderly. The American corps found this "quaint," as Trelvelan himself would have said. For the orderly of the medical corps corresponds to the "ranker" of the army. In this war, at a time when officers were the crying demand, the gentlemen rankers had almost disappeared.

Among the American volunteers, being the squad commander was somewhat a matter of choice and of mechanical knowledge of our cars. We all stood on an equal footing. But Trelvelan was simply classed as a "Tummy" so far as his medical officers were concerned.

So he showed a disposition to chum with us. He gravitated more particularly to the First Orderly, who reported to the chauffeur of the second bus that Trelvelan had a comprehensive knowledge of the war; that he had also a keen knowledge of medicine and surgery, in which the First Orderly had himself dabbled.

They discussed the value of the war in several branches of surgery. The chauffeur of the second bus heard Trelvelan expounding to the First Orderly on the precious knowledge derived by the hospital surgeons in Paris and London from the great numbers of thigh fractures coming in, and how amputations were becoming always fewer. The men walked again, though one leg might be shorter.

A Chap One Liked.

Trelvelan in his well-fitting khaki uniform seemed cast from the same mold as hundreds of clean-built Englishmen. He had a lean face and blond hair. His accent was faultlessly upper class. The letter "g" did not occur as a terminating consonant in his conversation. The adjective "rippin'" or "rotten" conveyed his sentiments one way or the other. His hand clasp was firm, his eye direct and true. He was a chap you liked.

At our midday meal, which was served apart for the American contingent, the First Orderly asked the corps what they thought of Trelvelan. "I've lived three years in England," said the chauffeur of the second bus, "and this fellow seems to have far less 'side' than most of his class." The First Orderly explained that this was because Trelvelan had become cosmopolitan. He had traveled a lot, spoke French and Spanish, and understood Italian, whereas most Englishmen seemed to learn any foreign tongue. "Why isn't he in a regiment—his so superior?" wondered the second chauffeur. The First Orderly maintained that there was some good reason, perhaps family trouble, why his new friend was just a common orderly like himself.

The entire column was ordered out. They halted wounded from the field hospitals to the evacuation camp until nightfall. After dusk they made several trips almost to the trenches. But there

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were fewer wounded than usual. The cold had lessened the infantry attacks, though the artillery constantly thundered, especially at nightfall. The new orders were "everything ready" for a possible quick advance into L—, which was then the advance post. An important redistribution of Gen. Freche's forces was hoped for.

At coffee next morning our squad commander, after his customary talk with the fat Major, admonished us to have little to say concerning our affairs; talk, he said, was a useless adjunct to war.

Acquaintances All Over the World. That day again the First Orderly's dinner conversation was of Trelvelan. Their conversation of the morning had gotten away from armies and surgeons and embraced art and people, which were the First Orderly's forte. People were his hobby, but he knew a lot about art. This knowledge had developed in the form of landscape gardening at the country places of wealthy friends. It appeared that he and Trelvelan had known the same families in different parts of his world.

"He knows the G's," he proclaimed, naming a well-known New York family. "He's been to their villa at Lenox. He spoke of the way the grounds are laid out, before he knew I had been there. Talked about the box perspective for the Venus fountain that I suggested myself."

The corps "joshed" the First Orderly on that and asked him whether Trelvelan had yet confided the reason for his position in the ranks. The First Orderly was indifferent. He waved a knife, loaded with potatoes. "He may be anything from an Honorable to a Duke," he said, "but I don't like to ask, for you know how Englishmen are about those things. I've found, though, that he did the Vatican and Medici collections only a year ago with some friends of mine, and I'm going to sound them about him some time."

There were sharp engagements that afternoon and the corps was kept busy. At nightfall the booming of the artillery was louder and nearer, especially on the left, where the French heavy artillery had come up the day before to support the British line. The ambulance corps was ordered to prepare for night work. They snatched plates of soup and beans, and sat on the busses, waiting.

At 8 o'clock a shell screamed over the line of cars, then another, and two more. "They've got the range on us," the fat Major said, "we'll have to clear out."

Eighteen shells passed overhead before the equipment and the few remaining wounded got away and struck the road to the main base at B—.

And Then He Was Shot. The American squad was billeted that night in the freight station, dropping asleep as they sank into the straw on the floor.

At midnight an English Colonel's orderly entered and called the squad commander. They went out together; then the squad commander returned for the orderly of the first bus. The chauffeur of the second bus was awakened when they returned after several hours. Through the gloom the squad commander was groping his way to his place. The First Orderly had stumbled down in the straw. They said nothing.

It was explained in the morning at coffee. "Trelvelan" was shot at sunrise. He was a German spy.

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