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"In view of this situation, the Bureau regards it as only a measure of justice to advise, that the ten per cent. reduction in rates be abrogated upon a considerable portion of the classes to which it has applied.

"Will you therefore please note, that upon and after the twenty-second day of July, 1901, this bureau will advise, that the ten per cent. reduction now in force shall no longer be permitted upon risks covering any except the following named classes, namely—churches, school-houses, court-houses and other public buildings, and their contents (excepting penitentiaries, infirmaries, work houses, county poor houses, and insane asylums) and brick or stone mercantile buildings (not con-

tents) occupied exclusively for mercantile, office, public hall (without stage or scenery), and dwelling purposes.

"Advisory rates upon dwellings, private family bars and upon risks protected by an approved system of automatic sprinklers, remain unchanged.

"Upon all risks other than those above enumerated we advise that the gross advisory ratings now furnished by this Bureau, be required, and that no deduction be made therefrom."

OUT ONE THOUSAND.

Fond du Lac Woman Falls to Receive Life Insurance.

Although the whereabouts of Oliva Tyfnee, to whom Louis Augustine, whose death occurred in 1900, left life insurance amounting to \$1,000, has been ascertained, it is now too late to get the money for the beneficiary, the year allowed in which to make proof of death having expired.

It will be remembered that both Augustine and his dependent at one time resided in Escanaba, going from here to Talbot. Augustine then went to Wagner where he d.d. Oliva Tyfnee afterwards moved to Fond du Lac and there married Frank Rossey. After Augustine's death Lawyer Eastman of Marinette endeavored to locate the woman, but was unable to do so until July last, through Mrs. C. Johnson of this city.

Held Joint Installation.

A joint installation of the officers of Division No. 1, A. O. H. and the Ladies' Auxiliary to that order was held in North Star hall on Friday night of last week and was attended by a large number of members and invited friends. County President Martin T. Lyons conducted the ceremonies, which were followed by a social session and refreshments.

Small-Pox Patient Well.

Angus Constantino, who was removed from the County hospital to the pest house three weeks since with small-pox, has been discharged and has returned to his home at Ogontz.

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BALL GAME ENDS IN RIOT.

In Their Desire to Defeat the Sand-Pipers Sault Ste Marie Players and Citizens Act Like Untutored Savages.

"The best we could get was the worst of it." This familiar phrase, in the slang of the day, expresses the sentiments of all who went from this city to Sault Ste. Marie, Sunday, to witness the game of ball between the Sand-pipers and Maroons. When such conservative men as Judge Emil Glaser, Solomon Greenhoot, John Tolan and Charles Joegers together with every other one of the sixty people who went from Escanaba to witness the game, pronounce the conduct of the Soo players and citizens alike, as disgraceful, mean, outrageous and uncivilized, there certainly must have been good cause for the feeling of profound disgust with which the scenes enacted there impressed all of our people and some of the better element who reside in the Soo.

Of the games, let it suffice to say that Saturday's was won by the Soo's by a score of 7 to 3. Nolden pitched for the Escanabas in the start but was hit so regularly that he was relieved by Henry Olmsted in the fourth. Curry occupied the box for the Maroons and is said to have pitched a splendid game. Dr. Knight, the umpire, evidently knew what was expected of him for he is accused by those who saw this game, as well as that of Sunday, with being a daylight robber and was so unfair in his decisions that even the sport loving people of his own city became disgusted with his conduct. However the Soo team won the game and was therefore entitled to sixty per cent of the gate receipts.

Sunday's game was attended by more than 1,000 people, fully sixty going from this city to witness it. Olmsted went into the box for the Sand-pipers and from the start was a target for all sorts of vindictive epithets from the onlookers and brutal assaults by several of the ball players. Barber of Big Rapids pitched for the Soo's and to his everlasting credit let it be said that he and he alone of the nine men deported himself in a gentlemanly manner. In the eighth inning—when the game broke up in a free-for-all fight—the score was five to one in favor of the Maroons, but not an earned run had been made and the alleged larceny of Dr. Knight was responsible for the advantage held by the Soo team. Not satisfied with having won the games by such cowardly means, the managers of the Soo team added injury to insult by refusing to pay the Escanaba players the forty per cent of the gate receipts to which they were entitled and which should have amounted to something more than \$150.00.

So much for the results, anything else said of the games must redound to the shame of Sault Ste. Marie so long as the memory of those who witnessed Sunday's disgraceful melee lasts. It was evident from the opening of Saturday's game that the Soo people had decided to win both games by either fair means or foul and had also planned to satiate their desire for brutal sport by heaping as much abuse upon the visitors as possible. Both games were played upon the government grounds near Fort Brady and the crowd that rooted for the Soo formed a line from the home plate to first base and threw sand into the faces of the Escanaba players who were running bases. From the grand stand and bleachers the hoodlums shouted epithets more vile than one might expect from a crowd of drunken sailors. Even some women of the Soo so far lost their sense of decency as to call the visitors vile names and stooped to even greater depravity when they kicked and buffeted two young ladies, from this city, who were occupying seats in the grand stand.

That men should lower themselves to the level of untutored savages, but little above brute creation, simply for the sake of winning a game of baseball or venting their spite seems almost beyond belief but when women stoop to such shameful acts as those referred to above it seems utterly incomprehensible. Twice during Sunday's game Pitcher Olmsted was assaulted by Watson, the Soo's first baseman and all the tricks of "dirty ball" known to the Soxites were practiced. In the

eighth inning the Escanaba's had two men on bases with no one out. Olmsted ran to second and pushed over the player who attempted to block him. Watson ran down from first base to take a hand in the struggle which ensued and in another moment the field around second base was a sea of struggling, cursing and fighting men. At this juncture Policemen Haller rushed into the fray with drawn club and struck Gene Longley, of this city, a blow over the head that rendered him unconscious for several minutes. The officer then hit Klinger a rap on the head and would undoubtedly have injured others of the Escanaba boys had not some of the cooler heads interfered and quieted the riot.

This ended all attempts to finish the game but did not put a stop to the insults of the Soo rowdies and, while on their way down town, Olmsted was again assaulted by Watson. Even when the Escanaba party took the train for home they were followed to the station by a crowd of about fifty toughs who tried repeatedly to start a fight. This is but a brief review of the shameful story brought back from the Soo and the worst of it all is that the press of that city defends the actions of their players and rowdies and blames the visitors for all the trouble. The Sault News-Record calls Henry Olmsted "the dirtiest ball player in the U. P.," abuses Deputy-sheriff Olmsted and says: "our players were the victims of the most ungentlemanly, cowardly and disgraceful treatment imaginable on their recent trip to Escanaba, but took their medicine like men." The facts of the matter are, their players were treated like kings and proved themselves such boorish rowdies at the hotel where they stopped that the proprietor had to call the police and the only thing that saved the entire party from arrest was the promptness of their manager in getting the players out of the hotel before the patrol wagon put in an appearance. During their stay here the Soo players were quartered at a \$2 a day hotel, were entertained at a party, given particularly in compliment to them, and were shown every courtesy by our citizens until they themselves were profuse in their thanks. At the Soo, our players were sent to a \$1 a day hotel, were hooted and spit at, called vile names and assaulted both on the diamond and in the streets.

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Last Matinee Held.

Harry Benton's horse Jacquo won two races in straight heats at the matinee held last Friday afternoon, defeating Joseph Beauchamp's Kid Potter, in the first, and Charles Ebnard's Emily H. and Peter McRae's Felice K. in the second event. The third race was won in two straight heats by Peter Curtis against Russel Willie's R. C. W. and Mr. Boileau's Mack. This was the last of the matinee races for the season.

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"Negaunee, Mich., July 19.—To agents: Gentlemen—The results of the fire insurance business for the last three years have been so unfortunate as to convince all unprejudiced observers that it is impossible for the insurance companies to secure a fair return upon their investments except by increasing their advisory ratings. The reduction of 10 per cent. made in January, 1899, was unjust in its results to the companies, in that it destroyed all probability of their obtaining any profit upon their hazardous ventures.

"In view of this situation, the Bureau regards it as only a measure of justice to advise, that the ten per cent. reduction in rates be abrogated upon a considerable portion of the classes to which it has applied.

"Will you therefore please note, that upon and after the twenty-second day of July, 1901, this bureau will advise, that the ten per cent. reduction now in force shall no longer be permitted upon risks covering any except the following named classes, namely—churches, school-houses, court-houses and other public buildings, and their contents (excepting penitentiaries, infirmaries, work houses, county poor houses, and insane asylums) and brick or stone mercantile buildings (not con-

tents), occupied exclusively for mercantile, office, public hall (without stage or scenery), and dwelling purposes.

"Advisory rates upon dwellings, private family barns and upon risks protected by an approved system of automatic sprinklers, remain unchanged.

"Upon all risks other than those above enumerated we advise that the gross advisory ratings now furnished by this Bureau, be required, and that no deduction be made therefrom."

OUT ONE THOUSAND.

Fond du Lac Woman Fails to Receive Life Insurance.

Although the whereabouts of Oliva Tyfnee, to whom Louis Augustine, whose death occurred in 1900, left life insurance amounting to \$1,000, has been ascertained, it is now too late to get the money for the beneficiary, the year allowed in which to make proof of death having expired.

It will be remembered that both Augustine and his dependent at one time resided in Escanaba, going from here to Talbot. Augustine then went to Wagner where he died. Oliva Tyfnee afterwards moved to Fond du Lac and there married Frank Rossey. After Augustine's death Lawyer Eastman of Marinette endeavored to locate the woman, but was unable to do so until July last, through Mrs. C. Johnson of this city.

Held Joint Installation.

A joint installation of the officers of Division No. 1, A. O. H. and the Ladies' Auxiliary to that order was held in North Star hall on Friday night of last week and was attended by a large number of members and invited friends. County President Martin T. Lyons conducted the ceremonies, which were followed by a social session and refreshments.

Small-Pox Patient Well.

Angus Constantino, who was removed from the County hospital to the pest house three weeks since with small-pox, has been discharged and has returned to his home at Ogontz.

CHANGE OF LOCATION

On and After Monday August 5th, 1901,

My Merchant Tailoring Establishment will be located at 1109---1111 Ludington street (second floor) where I invite all my old patrons---and many new ones---to call upon me and inspect my stock of

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which is by far the largest ever shown in Escanaba. Every pattern is strictly up-to-date, and many of them are to be seen only at this establishment.

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The Iron Port

THE IRON PORT COMPANY.

Telephones: Finch, No. 153; Bell, No. 2.

SATURDAY, AUG. 3, 1901.

The proposition to bond the city for \$25,000 with which to construct a building on lots 7 and 8, block 65, (at the corner of Wells avenue and Mary street) to be used as a city hall, and for offices for the various city officers and for fire department purposes, is one that should meet with the approval of the community, and at the election to be held on August 12th, it should carry by an overwhelming majority. That a city building is a necessity there can be no question, and there is no time like the present. Under existing conditions Escanaba's single company of fire fighters is illy located; the common council has no home of its own; and the police department is without headquarters, while the security of important city documents is by no means the best. The proposition should carry if for no other reason than to secure a more central location for the fire department. For a number of years past the western portion of the city has been rapidly building up until today that section forms a large percentage of the fire risk of the city, and that it is inadequately protected against fire is an unquestionable fact. Then, too, the common council should be provided with a suitable place for meetings; the city clerk and city treasurer should have convenient offices with vaults for the safety of records and other documents, and last, but by no means least, there should be police headquarters where officers of the peace may be found at any and all times. It is proposed to bond the city for thirty years from the date of issue, and to draw interest not to exceed 5 per cent per annum.

Garrat P. Serviss of New York, the scientific writer, says of the present hot weather: "The burning heat now afflicting the whole of the United States and felt also on the other side of the Atlantic and generally throughout the northern hemisphere is convincing proof of the fact that the earth is a satellite of a variable star. All astronomers know that the face of the sun is blanketed with absorbing vapors, while its interior is much hotter than the glowing shell that we see. Strip off the vaporous blanket entirely and the surface of the earth would probably burst into smoke and flame in the instantaneous gush of unbearable heat that would be poured upon it."

Whenever the solar vapors are thinned the heat from within leaps out and strikes the earth and the other near by planets as with a breath of fire from the suddenly opened door of a blazing furnace. That is what has happened this summer and the immediate agency that has flung open the furnace doors and sent forth the destroying blast is the mysterious power whose visible manifestation is the presence of the black sun spots. The spots are simply indicators of the sun's condition, resembling in that respect the eruptions on the face of a smallpox patient. They tell the story of the sun's internal convulsions and indicate some of the places on its surface where the pent-up forces are bursting out. For the next four years these gigantic outbursts will increase in fury, and a corresponding series of terrestrial seasons marked by great excesses of temperature, sudden contrasts, and extraordinary cyclonic disturbances, will follow. This theory, however, is doubted by Chicago scientists, whose only explanation of hot weather is the continued low pressure in the Northwest.

Indications point to a prosperous season for the American farmer. The report now comes from Russia that a large portion of the empire will suffer from a decided failure of the crops, and the peasants are confronted with destitution and starvation. The failure of crops in Europe and the continuation of the South African war with the prospect of a conflict between Russia and Japan will necessarily raise the price of products.

Owing to the extreme heat the Michigan peach crop will be smaller this year than it has been for twenty-five years.

A successful New York physician of much reputation and extensive

practice thinks it possible that the troublesome affliction of "hay fever" may be cured or at least alleviated by treatment with infusions of ragweed and other plants the pollen of which is generally believed among doctors to be the cause of this peculiar disease. This medical expert is modest in his claims. He is not trying to advertise himself. In a journal read only by physicians and surgeons he gives the details of certain experiments which he has made up on his patients with gratifying results. He asks other doctors to test the healing qualities of the remedies which he has used. If his investigations result in relieving the sufferers from hay fever his fame will soon be worldwide.

Members of the various labor organizations who are being asked to contribute from their earnings to enable the Amalgamated association to carry on its fight against the United States Steel corporation may not be aware that the Amalgamated is an exclusive labor organization, the membership of which is composed of higher priced labor in the steel mills, and to which "common" labor is not admitted. The association aims to keep the wages of "skilled" labor in its line of work at the top notch, at the expense of all other classes of labor employed in the same plants. Because the members of that association have been able through their very exclusive organization to maintain for themselves a high wage rate the other workers have had to be content with lower wage than would otherwise have been paid. But the members of the Amalgamated are willing to be assisted now in their fight with the Steel Corporation by the "common" labor organized in the less exclusive unions.

There seems to be room for extended investigation by the ablest men of science with regard to the exceptional frequency and violence of electric storms this year. The oldest inhabitant on either side of the Atlantic fails to recall a season in which lightning strokes were nearly so numerous and destructive as in 1901. And one of the most noteworthy of the things recorded in the newspapers in Europe and America in respect to the thunderstorms is that the bolts from the clouds have descended upon churches in many more instances than ever before. Who is wise enough to suggest any sort of explanation or theory as to these strange happenings?

There is great need of prompt action on the part of the street committee. The season is rapidly drawing to a close, and as yet comparatively little has been accomplished in the direction of improvements. Surely, the \$8,000 appropriation should be used, and advantageously, too. There is need of street improvements.

On July 1st there was in circulation in the shape of gold, silver and paper money \$2,482,567,605 as against \$2,479,962,978 on June 1st being an increase of \$3,604,627 in one month of the circulating medium of the country. This is \$28 per capita, being the largest of any country in the world, and every dollar equivalent to gold at that.

According to the "Railroad Age" railroad receiverships dwindled to three small rods with only about sixty miles of track during the past half year. This is the greatest height to which we have attained in railroad solvency. Monkey with the tariff and that record will soon go back to the more than 100 receiverships of '94, '95 and '96.

Emperor William is letting his beard grow and toning down the fierceness of his mustache, all of which is said to give him "a striking resemblance to his father." It would not hurt the Kaiser if he resembled his father in other respects.

A little more assistance on the part of Sampson and the alleged historian Maclay, and Rear Admiral Schley will become a greater popular idol than Dewey was before he gave away the gift residence.

It turns out that Maclay's history wasn't a text book of Annapolis at all. This leaves it up to Mr. Maclay's publisher as the author of one of the biggest literary booms in recent years.

Manville Jenks, of Ishpeming, has been tendered by Gov. Bliss and has accepted the position on the state tax commission, declined by Graham Pope, of Houghton.

Five hundred and seventy-six Boer children died in concentration

camp in June. When Edward's title is extended they might call him King Herod VII.

DROWNED AT MEMONINEE.

Body of Former Ford River Resident Found in River There.

The body of Frank Barth, an old resident of Ford River, was found in the Memoninee river Friday. Mr. Barth wandered away from home while mentally unbalanced from illness the night before, fell into the river and was drowned. He was 78 years old and the father of eleven children, seven of whom are living.

Undergoes Repairs.

The tug G. A. Tomlinson, of Escanaba, occupied the sectional dock at the Sturgeon Bay shipyard several days the fore part of the week. She was given a thorough researching, was painted and had new stern-bearings put in. The Tomlinson belongs to the Great Lakes Towing Co's fleet.

The Moore Sold.

The steamer C. W. Moore, of the Hart Line, has been sold to Chicago parties and will be used in the fruit trade between Chicago and East Michigan points. The Moore left for Chicago last Saturday.

When you want wood call up the Escanaba Woodenware Co.

LEGAL NOTICES.

First publication July 13, 1901.

PROBATE ORDER FOR HEARING FINAL ACCOUNT.—State of Michigan, County of Delta, ss. Probate Court for said County.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Delta, held at the Probate office in the city of Escanaba, on Monday, the eighth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

Present, Honorable Thomas B. White, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Martin Daniels, deceased.

On reading and filing report and account of William Daniels, administrator of said estate.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the fifth day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said report and account, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, Michigan, and show cause, if any there be, why the said report and account should not be confirmed.

And it is further ordered, that said administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said report and account and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in The Iron Port, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Delta, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy) T. B. WHITE, Judge of Probate.

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Present, Hon. Thomas B. White, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry A. Bridges, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Esch D. Bridges, a son and heir at law of said deceased, praying that the court adjudicate and determine who are the lawful heirs entitled to inherit the real estate of said deceased.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the fifth day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, Michigan, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in The Iron Port, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Delta, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Delta, held at the Probate office in the city of Escanaba, on Thursday, the eleventh day of July, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

Present, Hon. Thomas B. White, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Malcom M. Aird, deceased.

On reading and filing the annual report and account of Nellie J. Aird, Administratrix of said estate.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the fifth day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said report and account and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, Michigan, and show cause, if any there be, why the said report and account should not be confirmed.

And it is further ordered, that said Administratrix give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said report and account and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in The Iron Port, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Delta for two successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy) T. B. WHITE, Judge of Probate.

First publication July 13, 1901.

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At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Delta, held at the Probate office in the city of Escanaba, on Monday, the eighth day of July, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

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ECHOES FROM AFAR.

The average size of Canadian farms is 93 acres. Thirty-five million acres are under cultivation.

In 1860 English people received 20 letters a head. In 1899 this number had grown to 55.

Russia kills 3,000,000 ermines, 15,000,000 marmots, and 25,000,000 squirrels in a year.

The capital of British banks increases at an average rate of £16,000,000 a year.

The cement made from English river mud, and sold abroad, brings in over £11,000,000 a year.

In England 312 people die of starvation yearly, and 260 in France. Sixty per cent. are men and 40 women.

AN "M. D.'S" OPEN LETTER.

Benton, Ill., May 20th.—R. H. Dunaway, M. D. of this place, in an open letter, makes the following startling statement:

"I had Diabetes with all its worst symptoms. I applied every remedy known to the profession, as well as every prescription suggested in our books. In spite of all, I was dying, and I knew it.

"As a last resort, and with scarcely any faith whatever, I commenced taking Dodd's Kidney Pills. In one week I saw a great improvement. After I had taken five boxes, I was sound and well. This is ten months ago, and I have not taken any medicine of any kind since, and am convinced that my cure is a permanent one.

"As a practicing physician with years of experience, I most positively assert that Dodd's Kidney Pills are the best medicine in the world today, for Diabetes or any other Kidney Disease. Since using them myself, I have used them in many cases in my practice, and they have never failed.

"I am making this statement, as a professional man, after having made a most thorough test of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and because I feel it my duty to the public and to my professional brethren. The truth can never hurt anyone, and what I have said is the absolute truth."

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TWO HUNDRED YEARS OLD.

Next Year Will Conclude the Second Centennial of the Russian Press.

On the 29th of December, 1902, the Russian press will have the opportunity of celebrating its two hundredth anniversary. It was on that day in the year 1702 that Peter the Great signed the ukase ordaining the publication of the first Russian newspaper, the "News on Military and Other Matters." A few days later the first number of this official Russian newspaper was issued, and from January 16, 1703, it appeared regularly both in Petersburg and Moscow. This first Russian newspaper, by the way, had but a short life. The news ceased to appear in 1711, says a London paper. Already preparations are being made in the Russian empire for a



PROF. CHARLES R. EASTMAN.

After a most interesting trial this popular Harvard instructor was acquitted of the charge of murder by a jury at Cambridge, Mass. Eastman was on trial, accused of the premeditated killing of his brother-in-law, Richard H. Grogan, on the afternoon of July 4, 1900, while engaged in a target practice match on the estate of Alvin Clark, the celebrated lensmaker, who was the father of Mrs. Eastman and Mrs. Grogan. Owing to the prominence of the families involved in the trial and the many interesting features entering into the case the trial attracted attention in all parts of the country.

worthy celebration of this jubilee. The Bibliographical society of Moscow plans the publication of a magnificent work, containing a list of all the Russian newspapers published from 1702 to 1902, and adorned with the pictures of prominent journalists and publishers. The net proceeds of the sale of the work are to be used as a fund for supporting needy journalists. They also intend to arrange on this occasion a newspaper exhibition at Moscow.

ATTEMPT TO "HOODOO" EVANS

How a Virginia Negro Lighthouse-keeper Tried to "Influence" the Admiral.

Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans was once in the lighthouse service. In a "Sailor's Log," published by the Appletons, he tells of one of his experiences as follows:

"I found most of the lighthouse-

HAD BAD LUCK WITH TEETH.

Repeated Misfortune of a Woman Who Required the Services of a Dentist.

A dentist enjoying an extensive practice among the fashionable people of the South side relates this peculiar experience of one of his patrons, says the Chicago Chronicle: "She was a rather pretty young married woman," he says, "but her upper front teeth were so badly discolored and defective as to greatly mar her appearance. Her husband, after much persuasion, induced her to have two of the worst replaced with artificial teeth. I made a neat job of it, and she was delighted. The two teeth were on a plate, and she wore them to bed the first night she had them. During the night they fell from her mouth to the floor, and when she got up in the morning she trod on them

and broke the plate all to pieces. I reset the teeth on another plate, and she went home again with them. That night she put them in a glass of water on the mantel. Her husband got up in the night to get a drink of water, and finding something in the tumbler threw the contents out of the window, thus disposing of the second set in three days. Then I made her a third set. These she put on the mantel when she retired and forgot to replace them in the morning. The maid, dusting the room, swept these off into the grate underneath the mantel, where they burned up. The family moved out of town a few days afterward, so whether she got a fourth set I do not know."

Water in the Philippines.

In asking the natives for water in the Philippines our soldiers learned that in one province the word was "aqua," in another "tubig" and in a third "denum." So "wate" or "waty"

CLAY IMAGES FOUND AT NIPPUR.



The works of art here shown give us a fair idea of a civilization which existed more than 6,000 years before the Christian era. They were discovered at Nippur by an expedition led by Rev. Dr. John P. Peters, who conducted excavations at Babylon under the auspices of the University of Pennsylvania. Besides these portable art treasures of the remote past the expedition discovered many interesting ruins, among them one of "the Temple of Bel, the sun god. This deity was worshipped by the Israelites, and before they did so others looked upon him as the fructifier of the soil.

keepers in Virginia waters were colored men put in office by Gen. Mahone and his followers. Many of them had to be removed, generally because they would go to sleep and neglect their lights. One of them I had to remove for a very curious offense, or, rather, he removed himself when he found I was going to do it. I visited the station where he was on watch, and was inspecting, when I noticed that he followed me about, spitting frequently when he thought I was not observing him. I learned from the principal keeper, a colored Methodist minister, that the fellow was chewing herbs and spitting around me as a hoodoo to prevent me from reporting the various irregularities I discovered. When he found that I had reported them all, and asked his removal as well, he jumped overboard and was not seen again."

Earned His Soujraquet.

Col. William Frederick Cody is said to have earned the name of "Buffalo Bill" by killing 4,280 buffaloes in 19 months (1857-8), having contracted to furnish the Kansas Pacific railroad with all the buffalo meat required to feed the laborers engaged in construction.

The Star Boarder's Plight.

When Emperor William gets weary of a diet he shuts it off. This is where William has a big advantage, remarks the Chicago Record-Herald over people who board.

WESTERN CANADA'S DECEMBER WEATHER EQUAL TO THAT OF MAY IN MINNESOTA.

To the Editor:

Thomas Regan and C. Collins, of Eden Valley, Minnesota, went out to Western Canada last December as delegates, to look over the grazing and grain lands that are being offered at such low prices and reasonable terms. This is what they say:

"We arrived in Calgary about the 20th December and although we had left winter in Minnesota and Manitoba, we were surprised to find beautiful warm weather at this point, quite equal to what we have in May in Minnesota. There was no snow nor trace of winter to be seen, and the climate was really splendid. Horses, cattle and sheep were running out, in prime condition, with plenty of feed on the prairie, and really better than that of ours stabled in the south. We are impressed with this country as one of the finest mixed farming countries we have ever seen. The immense tracts of fertile lands, well sheltered and abundantly watered, leave nothing to be desired.

Leaving Alberta we returned east and visited the Yorkton district in Assiniboia. We drove out about ten miles at this point and were highly pleased with the splendid samples of grain we were able to see, wheat yielding 25 bushels, oats 60 bushels. Roots were also good specimens. From what we have seen, we have decided to throw in our lot with the Yorktoners—satisfied that this part of the country will furnish good opportunities for anyone anxious to make the best of a really good country. Any agent of the Canadian Government, whose advertisement appears elsewhere in the columns of your paper will give you full particulars of the new districts being opened out this year in Assiniboia and Saskatchewan.

Yours truly,
OLD HEADER.

Somewhat Different.

The Greener—I understand you said I sold you a jug of cider that had water in it. The Butcher—You have been misinformed. What I said was that you sold me a jug of water that had a little cider in it.—Chicago Daily News.

You Can Get Allen's Foot-Ease FREE.

Write to-day to Allen S. Olmsted, Leroy, N. Y., for a FREE sample of Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder to shake into your shoes. It cures chilblains, sweating, damp, swollen, aching feet. It makes new or tight shoes easy. A certain cure for Corns and Bunions. All druggists and shoe stores sell it. 25c.

Taste for Sculpture.

Sculptor—Madam, your daughter has a beautiful foot.

Mrs. Richnick—Yes, everybody says so. How much would you charge to make a bust of it?—Judge.

Private Mailing Card.

Private Mailing Card with colored views of scenery on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, sent on receipt of ten (10) cents in stamps. Address P. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

Business Repartee.

Strange Lady—What's the price of this iron bedstead?

Dealer—Twelve dollars, madam.

"How much off if I pay cash?"

"Madam, if you don't pay cash the bed is not for sale."—Detroit Free Press.

If you want to keep your teeth clean, bright and sound, you will chew White's "Yucatan" Gum. Every confectioner sells it.

Mrs. Phoxy—"Why did you tell the doctor you had corned beef and cabbage for dinner yesterday? You know you never eat such common food as that." Mr. Phoxy—"I know, but if I had told them what I had really eaten he would boost his bill up accordingly."—Philadelphia Press.

Piso's Cure is the best medicine we ever used for all affections of the throat and lungs.—Wm. O. Eadsley, Vanburen, Ind., Feb. 10, 1900.

"Why is justice pictured as a woman holding a pair of apothecary's scales?" "I don't know, but it would be manifestly absurd to represent her as an iceman with an iceman's scales."—Philadelphia Times.

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Michigan Court Decides Against State Officials in Test Case.

IT INTERESTS LUMBERMEN.

Trespass Agent Was Acting for Land Commissioner Wilder in Seizing Logs for Taxes--The Text of the Case.

At a hearing before M. J. Connine at AuSable, on a motion by the state to dissolve an injunction restraining Land Commissioner Wilder and State Trespass Agent Shien from selling or taking possession of 350,000 feet of hemlock logs belonging to the Pine River Lumber Co. Judge Connine found that Trespass Agent Shien was in contempt of court and denied the motion the attorney general to dissolve the injunction and gave absolute possession of the logs to the Pine River Lumber Co.

This decision is of great interest to lumbermen generally, for the reason that the courts have never construed the authority of the land commissioner and trespass agents in regard to the method of procedure in collecting for timber cut upon land upon which there is delinquent taxes. Until quite recently these collections have been made by the sheriffs of the various counties upon warrants issued by the auditor general.

Commissioner Wilder has held that he and his trespass agents could seize the timber without any such warrants and completely confiscate the timber so seized even if the value of the timber amounted to many times the amount of delinquent taxes. Hundreds of small operators in northern Michigan have during the past winter lost most of their winter's work on account of having their timber thus sold by trespass agents.

SCHOOL BONDS SOLD.

Face Value, With Four Per Cent Interest, Paid by Local Bank.

The sale of the \$25,000 of city school bonds which was voted for by the people of Escanaba some ten days ago, has already been effected. The entire amount was taken by the First National Bank of this city and the price paid was par with 4 per cent interest, per annum. The bank also agrees to pay the cost of having the bonds engraved and printed.

Through this transaction the board of education is supplied with \$25,000 in ready cash to liquidate present indebtedness and also erect the four-room addition to the Barr building. Under the contract disposing of the bonds to the bank, it is stipulated that they shall be entirely redeemed in ten years, at the rate of \$2,500 per year. This, it is thought, will not entail any hardship in repaying the money so borrowed.

Fined Five and Costs.

Mrs. Mary Magnuson was fined \$5 and costs in Justice Glaser's court Thursday for unlawfully attempting to evict a tenant from a house on Sarah street. The tenant is Mrs. Ingrid Johnson, a widow woman, who, though she paid her rent promptly, was objectionable to Mrs. Magnuson and the latter attempted to get rid of her by removing the doors from the building and throwing some of the furniture into the street. Mrs. Johnson caused the arrest of her landlady and the trial and conviction followed.

Excursion to Garden.

The Escanaba baseball team will go to Garden tomorrow on the steamer Duluth to play a return game with the ball tossers of that place, and will be accompanied by a large number of excursionists. The boat will leave the Stephenson dock at 8 a. m.

Wreck on the Soo.

A combination freight and passenger train on the Soo line was wrecked near Gilchrist Thursday and several passengers were slightly injured. The accident was caused by a refrigerator car jumping the track and pulling the passenger coach after it.

Sent to Industrial School.

County Agent E. F. Van Valkenburg left for Lansing Tuesday evening, having in charge John Fillion, the twelve-year-old son of Alexander Fillion, who was ordered committed to the State Industrial school by Justice Glaser on Monday.

Killed in a Wreck.

A telegram from St. Louis yesterday announces that Charles A. Jacques, a railroad engineer, who

formerly resided at Gladstone, was killed in a wreck Thursday night. No particulars were given. Mr. Jacques was well known in this city and several years ago was married to a daughter of W. J. Smith, proprietor of the Commercial House at Gladstone.

CITY IN BRIEF

Miss Zora Thomas is visiting in Oshkosh.

Frank Bracelin of St. Joseph spent Thursday in the city.

Mrs. J. J. Harlin left Thursday for a visit at Milwaukee.

Miss Catherine Voss has returned to her home at Duluth after a week's visit with Miss Grace Tolau.

Mrs. John Driscoll of Hancock is in the city the guest of her sons, John and Jerry.

John R. Van Evera, E. Mathews and Dayton Williams of Marquette transacted business in this city Friday.

Mrs. R. E. Estberg and Miss Louisa Warren have returned to Milwaukee after a visit with friends here.

Miss Lottie Jordan of Milwaukee is the guest of her cousin, Miss Edith Dupont, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Van Valkenburg left today to spend Sunday with friends at Hancock.

The Misses Gertrude and Marion Selden and Helen Millar left last evening, on the steamer Coralia, for a trip to Cleveland.

Miss Lena Beauchamp left Friday for a visit with friends at Green Bay.

Miss Mary Gallagher of Terre Haute, Ind., is in the city visiting with her friend Miss Sadie Shevlin.

H. Schroeder of Duluth is visiting in the city.

J. S. Plante has returned to Garden Bay after spending several weeks in this city.

The steamer Duluth will run an excursion to Garden Bay tomorrow and it is expected that a large crowd will take in this pleasant trip.

Skerbeck's circus, the tents of which are pitched in Escanaba today, showed to good business at Gladstone Thursday.

The Hart steamboat line's new steamer, City of Louisville, made its first trip to Escanaba today.

John Kust, an old resident of Stambaugh, accidentally shot himself while hunting Thursday.

Conneaut Ohio, reports the receipts of 602,000 tons of iron ore during July. This is the largest amount received in one month during the history of that port.

The ladies of the Morning Star lodge will give a picnic at South Park tomorrow afternoon. It will be a temperance picnic and no dancing will be allowed but plenty of interesting features are assured those who attend.

The Swedish Baptist state convention will be held at Menominee August 8th to 11th, and it is expected that fifty or more clergymen from all parts of the state will be in attendance.

Mrs. E. W. Hopkins of Commonwealth, Wis., and her sister, Miss Rose Appleton, of Appleton, are in the city, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilkinson.

"Two Merry Tramps," Wood & Ward's splendid comedy, is pronounced by everyone to be the most refined and absolutely pure comedy on the road this season, not one suggestive word, action or scene being introduced in the entire performance. At Peterson's opera house August 17th.

For Sale Cheap—Three burner gasoline stove, with oven, and Hermetic Favorite soft coal heating stove. Apply at this office. 311t

MANGLED BY REAPER.

Little Girl at Rapid River Narrowly Escapes a Horrible Death.

Josie Barabeau, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barabeau of Rapid River met with a serious accident yesterday afternoon that may cost it the use of one of its feet. While the father was engaged in cutting a field of oats with a reaper, the child wandered away from the house and entered the field of standing grain unnoticed. She was attracted by the noise of the reaper and before her presence was known to her father she had been caught in the knives of the machine and one of her legs was nearly severed just above the ankle. A physician dressed the injury and, if blood poisoning can be avoided, her recovery is assured although she will probably have a stiff ankle.

FOR SALE—The windmill, tank and tank tower in Lake View cemetery will be sold cheap for cash. Apply to W. J. Hatton, 211 Ogden avenue.

IT LOOKS OMINOUS.

Chance for Settlement of the Great Strike Dwindles.

HURT BY MORGAN'S LATEST ACTION.

Steel Magnate Sends a Flat Refusal to the Request for Another Conference on the Wage Question.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 2.—The Commercial Gazette says: The Amalgamated executive board last evening received by telegraph a flat refusal from J. Pierpont Morgan to reopen the wage conference where it was broken off at the Hotel Lincoln nearly three weeks ago. The powers of the steel combine insist in this communication that the only basis of settlement will be on the terms which the financial backer of the concern, President C. M. Schwab, and Chairman Elbert H. Gary laid down at the meeting with the Amalgamated executive in New York last Saturday. A member of the executive board of the association said: "These terms are denominated by those who have the best interests of the organization of the steel workers at heart as the most unfair, the most unjust, ever proposed to any body of workmen by a set of employers or a corporation. The terms are such that the executive board of the Amalgamated association cannot accept, and it has already gone on record to that effect."

This morning the answer of Mr. Morgan is expected by mail. There is scarcely a fragment of a hope that the Amalgamated association will back down from its well-known position. The leaders of the workers will in reply outline their plans to the steel corporation for a continuation of the great struggle. They will include the stopping of every wheel possible in the works of the combine and the extension of the strike in all possible directions by the Amalgamated association. Friday may develop much, but if the combine cannot be made to waver through the influence that will be brought to bear the great conflict will probably be fought to the bitter end.

Wants Another Conference.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 2.—Another day of suspense and the end not yet. The third all-day session of the Amalgamated association executive board passed without action being taken on the New York conference peace proposals, and another session will be held to-day. Official confirmation of the status of the steel workers' strike as it has been outlined was given in the current issue of the Amalgamated Journal, which is the organ of the association. The executive board of the association is, in fact, waiting for a word from J. Pierpont Morgan.

After the board had heard from President Shaffer concerning his trip to New York last week it was decided to request a change in the propositions of Mr. Morgan and a message was sent to Mr. Morgan in New York Tuesday night announcing the decision on this matter. In explanation of this message the Journal says: "The executive board desires another conference with the representatives of the constituent companies and will remain in the city until an answer is received. Upon the result of that answer will depend whether the strike will be prolonged indefinitely."

An Ultimatum.

The message sent to Mr. Morgan, while not so stated, is believed to be an ultimatum to the head of the United States Steel corporation. It is viewed as such by the labor leaders about Pittsburgh. If the steel workers do not get their demand for this conference the strike will go on indefinitely. None of the officials of the organization would discuss this point. They still maintained their silence and said they had nothing to give out. At noon, after the executive board had been in session all morning and in a formal manner waited for a reply from Mr. Morgan, the members decided to make an official denial of the report that there was a lack of harmony in their ranks.

No Lack of Harmony.

To the reporters present they gave out the following:

"We, the members of the executive board of the Amalgamated association, desire to deny emphatically the reports published of expressions of a disagreement among us. We are disposing of the work before the committee as fast as its importance will permit, and no member has expressed any opinion or given out any statement of the business, or anything of the intentions of the members has been made public. Neither will any reports be issued until a definite conclusion has been reached. We are simply trying to reach a settlement which shall be honorable and satisfactory to all concerned."

Stands as a Unit.

Whatever differences might have existed are said to have been adjusted satisfactorily and the board stands as a unit for its demand for the renewal of the conference with the manufacturers' representatives. Much depends on this. The propositions of Mr. Morgan are said by one high in authority to be incomplete and do not settle the dispute. The members of the executive board are willing to consider what they term reasonable and fair propositions for the adjustment of these difficulties, but to do this they must confer with the operating officials and have these details fully understood and agreed to. To accept the propositions as they now stand would only complicate matters more, according to the officials of the association.

Mr. Morgan's Silence Ominous. Whether Mr. Morgan will answer

the message of the Amalgamated association or not seems to be a question that even the association officers do not care to predict. They hope that he will recognize them to this extent. They state positively that if he does not there can be no settlement of the strike. All day the executive board sat and waited for a reply. On Wednesday the same proceedings were gone through with. Mr. Morgan's silence is regarded by some as significant and ominous. Others profess to believe that he is in consultation with other officials of the United States Steel corporation and will answer shortly.

SOCIALISTS ADJOURN.

Closing Proceedings of the National Convention Held in the City of Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 2.—The national socialist convention adjourned Thursday night after electing Leon Greenbaum, of St. Louis, national secretary, and designating St. Louis as the national headquarters of the socialist party. As the delegates filed from the hall they sang the "Marseillaise." Much of the wrangle during the night session hinged on the effort to embody in the articles of resolution a clause prohibiting socialists from accepting office under either of the "Capitalist" parties and from entering the ranks of the state militia. Both of these clauses were finally adopted. The judiciary of the country was branded as "a servile tool in the hands of the capitalistic class and hostile to the interests of labor." At the last moment a resolution was introduced declaring the establishment of unity. In every question that came before the convention the Chicago faction had been voted down, and when this made its appearance Berger, of Milwaukee, the Debs leader, signified his defeat by declaring the convention had accomplished his purpose; that Chicago had surrendered and unity established.

SECOND BATTLE FOUGHT.

President Castro Notifies Consul at New York of Defeat of the Insurgent Forces.

New York, Aug. 2.—Consul General E. Gonzales Esteves, of Venezuela, Thursday received another cable from President Castro, announcing the result of a second battle with the invading force under De Galvira, news of whose defeat was received by the consul general Wednesday evening. The cable received Thursday was as follows:

"Five thousand men left of the Colombia revolt completely outbattled and defeated in San Cristobal. (Signed) Castro, Presidente."

Washington, Aug. 2.—Senor Don Augusto F. Pulido, charge d'affaires of the Venezuelan legation, Thursday received a telegram from the Venezuelan consul general in New York, Gen. E. Gonzales Esteves, confirming the report that the 5,000 revolutionists were defeated in San Cristobal on July 29.

Island Disappears.

Duluth, Minn., Aug. 2.—Steamboat island, one of the Apostle group, off Chequamegon bay, Lake Superior, has disappeared. Before the last storm, and for time immemorial, it was a small island of sand and rock overgrown with trees. Now it has gone, and a rocky reef several feet under water marks its place. It is now a danger to navigation, and a lighthouse would be required on the ledge if it were in the path of ships.

Columbia Beats Independence.

Bateman's Point, R. I., Aug. 2.—In a race over a triangular course Thursday the yacht Columbia again beat the Boston yacht Independence 4 minutes and 31 seconds. In the run to the finish of ten miles, as timed from shore, the Independence apparently gained over two minutes on the Columbia. The Vigilant won in the yawl class, beating the Navahoe about 40 seconds.

Will Use Wireless System.

Milwaukee, Aug. 2.—W. L. Mercereau, superintendent of the Pere Marquette system, announced that his company would in the near future install wireless telegraphy between Manitowish and Ludington over 56 miles of open water. Later on the Pere Marquette company expects to equip all of its steamers with the system.

Slain in Sham Battle.

Mason City, Ia., Aug. 2.—Oliver Mitchell, a prominent young man of Rockford, Ia., was shot in the back Thursday afternoon during a sham battle and died soon after. The accident occurred during a Sons of Veterans' celebration at Rockford, the young man being shot by a comrade.

A Vacancy Filled.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 2.—The resignation of Charles F. Hernley, of Newcastle, as chairman of the republican state committee, was accepted Thursday afternoon, and James P. Goodrich, of Winchester, was elected to the place.

Lady Brodrick Dead.

London, Aug. 2.—Lady Hilda Brodrick, wife of Secretary of State for War Brodrick, died Thursday morning after a brief illness.

THE FRENCH-IRISH.

Many of Them Have Been Titled and Prominent Personages in the History of France.

France, with its MacMahons, O'Neills, O'Connors and Nugents, possesses many Irish names. The Boulanger movement introduced to us Count Dillon, in whose gardens the Floquet duel was fought. Most of the Franco-Irish, though 200 years may have passed since their ancestors left our shores, have preserved a great affection for Ireland, and each St. Patrick's day sees a certain number of them united to celebrate the feast of Ireland's patron saint. I had the pleasure of being present at one of these "dinners de St. Patrice," under the presidency of Vicomte O'Neill de Tyrone, a charming nobleman, who claims descent from Owen Roe O'Neill, says a writer in Gentleman's Magazine.

Among Irish names in France I may mention Crebillon de Ballyhugh, MacGuékin de Slane, Mahon de Monaghan, O'Quin d'Etchepare (formerly mayor of Pau), Harty de Pierrebouurg, Harden-Hickey (who shows his Irish origin by editing the principal comic paper in Paris, the *Triboulet*). There are a few names with the prefix "O," and it is hard to know how they came by it. There is a Baron O'Tard de la Grange and a Comtesse O'Pole; and I have also seen in a list of students O'Diette and O'Lanyer. These are to be distinguished, of course, from such names de guerre as O'Monroy, O'Diu, O'Squarr, etc. Your average Frenchman takes the bearer of a name with an "O" or "Mac" as a noble.

Removal Notice.

Next week August Erickson will remove the stock of clothing, gent's furnishings and shoes from 508 Ludington street to the new brick block at 1109 Ludington street, and invites all his old customers to call upon him at the latter number. His stock will be largely increased in all departments.

Explosion Narrowly Averted.

During the test of the water works some days ago the pressure demolished the meter of the Richter Brewing company, allowing the cold water to fill the boilers to overflowing before the accident was discovered, narrowly averting an explosion. It required three days to right matters.

Bank Statement.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

The First National Bank

at Escanaba, in the State of Michigan, at the close of business, July 15, 1901.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$747,493 03
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	171 71
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	30,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc.	79,500 00
Banking-house, furniture, and fixtures	8,000 00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)	3,370 94
Due from State Banks and Bankers	3,316 37
Due from approved reserve agents	24,611 60
Internal Revenue stamps	474 94
Checks and other cash items	1,170 78
Notes of other National Banks	13,313 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	78 73
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	1,167 50
Legal tender notes in excess of redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer	53,092 58
5 per cent. of circulation	1,000 00
Total	\$1,162,366 06

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$0 00
Surplus fund	\$0 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	270 54
National Bank notes outstanding	30,000 00
Due to State Banks and Bankers	2,180 76
(Individual) deposits subject to check	293,341 80
Demand certificates of deposit	666,578 96
Total	\$1,162,366 06

State of Michigan, County of Delta, ss:
J. C. O. Hoyce, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
C. C. Hoyce, Cashier,
subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of July, 1901.
H. H. ALLEN, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
F. H. VAN OLIVE,
W. W. OLIVER,
S. B. BAYBROOK,
Directors.

LEGAL NOTICES.

First publication Aug. 2, 1901.

ORDER OF HEARING, FOR GENERAL PURPOSES—State of Michigan, County of Delta, ss:

At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate office in the city of Escanaba, on the second day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

Present, Hon. Thomas H. White, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Allen H. Palmer, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of Cornelius Palmer, the father praying that administration of said estate may be granted to him or some other suitable person.

Therefore it is Ordered that Monday, the twenty-sixth day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden in the Probate office, in the city of Escanaba, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in *The Iron Port*, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

Seal
Aug. 24
T. B. WITZ,
Judge of Probate.

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Phone by applying at the Exchange or calling up No. 118, which will be promptly answered by "the old man"

Escanaba Mich.

Weeling, West Virginia, has made Henry Olmsted an offer to swirl the horsehide for its baseball team and he may accept.

Do not fail to visit Ed. Erickson's store on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Aug. 8, 9 and 10. Beautiful decorated chinaware given away absolutely free with every purchase of one dollar.

The society of Ben Hur initiated a class of ten on Thursday evening.

The Imperial Dramatic company will not appear in this city next week, having cancelled their dates.

Chas. Taylor's scenic production, "Daughter of the Diamond King," will hold the boards at The Peterson on Wednesday evening next. It is a strong attraction.

The stone crusher recently purchased by the city is not as yet in operation. The street committee desires to locate it on C. & N. W. land and is waiting to get a favorable reply from the officials at Chicago.

Sam Macherick, of Fisher, has started the erection of a building at Bark River and will engage in the general merchandise business there.

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Aug. 8, 9 and 10, there will be unparalleled bargains at Ed. Erickson's, and a piece of handsome decorated chinaware or cellloid with each purchase of \$1 absolutely free. The Business Men's association of St. Ignace will observe Aug. 7 as "Marquette Day" and have planned a big celebration.

The annual meeting of the Sons of Hermann of the state will be held in Menominee Tuesday, August 13th, and it is expected that over 100 delegates will be in attendance.

The recent wet weather damaged the hay crop to a considerable extent.

M. R. Young will open a tea store at 302 Ludington.

Ed. Erickson's livery horses were broken and broke its neck by a fall Monday.

Senator Tillman of South Carolina, one of the South's most famous orators, will speak at the Chautauqua, Marquette, tonight.

Decorated Chinaware, hundreds of different articles, given away free at Ed. Erickson's for three days—Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Aug. 8, 9 and 10. They cost you nothing. See the window display.

Peter Olson has moved to his new location, 1109-1111 Ludington street.

Several of the small suspension rods on the Brooklyn bridge were broken last week on account of the heat. The structure sagged so much that it was closed to traffic for repairs.

The battleship Maine, which is larger, stronger and faster than her namesake, was launched successfully from the Cramp yards near Philadelphia Saturday.

The work of graveling the Ford River Switch road within the city limits is progressing satisfactorily. The street committee is doing a good job.

R. E. Gorham is now located at Cooks, where he is running a locomotive on the Russell Spur branch of the Soo. His family moved from Escanaba to Cooks this week.

The Bell Telephone company has this week strung another cable of one hundred wires from the central office up Elmore street.

Extensive preparations are being made by the Trades Council for the observance of Labor Day—September 2.

W. W. Oliver has awarded the contract for the erection of a \$7,000 residence on the south shore. It will be one of the most beautiful residences in Escanaba.

Robert Fosburg was acquitted of the murder of his sister at Pittsfield, Mass., Friday, Judge Stevens declaring the attempted prosecution an outrage and instructed the jury to throw the case out of court.

George Ketcham's trotter Cresceus broke the world's record for a mile at Cleveland Friday by making the distance in 1:02 1/2.

All cash purchases at Ed. Erickson's store on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week will be given a handsome present free.

The sloop yacht Hattie Bradwell of Marinette run into this port Tuesday evening, and remained over night.

Ed. Erickson has greatly improved the interior of his store. He will soon occupy both 508 and 510 with dry goods.

The mills of The I. Stephenson company at Wells are kept humming to fill orders.

Sourwine & Hartnett's Blood Berry gum, is becoming famous throughout the land.

Neff, the Gladstone hardware dealer, has an advertisement in The Iron Port today, to which your attention is directed.

ing of Miller's store at Houghton in October 1900. It is understood that there is an effort on the part of interested parties to further postpone the trial, but Mr. St. John is decidedly against such action, and the probabilities are that the case will be tried in Houghton county on the 12th inst.

MICHIGAN'S MORTALITY.

Recrd of "Grim Reapers" Work in State and Delta County.

There were 2,458 deaths returned for the month of June, corresponding to a death rate of 12.5 per thousand population. This number is 327 less than the number returned for the preceding month and 165 more than the number of deaths in June, 1900. There were 420 deaths of infants under one year of age, 143 deaths of children aged one to four, inclusive, and 642 deaths of persons aged 65 years and over.

Important causes of deaths were as follows: Pulmonary tuberculosis, 169; other forms of tuberculosis, 28; typhoid fever, 22; diphtheria and croup, 15; scarlet fever, 17; measles, 12; whooping cough, 9; pneumonia, 143; diarrheal diseases of children under two years of age, 103; meningitis, 41; influenza, 32; cancer, 106; accidents and violence, 198. There were also six deaths reported from smallpox during the month.

There was a decrease in the number of deaths reported from tuberculosis, typhoid fever, diphtheria, pneumonia and influenza, as compared with the preceding month, and an increase in the number of deaths from diarrheal diseases and from accidents and violence. The latter included seven deaths from lightning.

In Delta county there were sixteen deaths, corresponding to a death rate of 8.5 per cent. Of this number, nine occurred in Escanaba, one in Gladstone, two in Masonville and one each in Bay de Noc, Escanaba, Garden and Wells townships.

Obituary.

Carl Walch, the twelve-year-old son of Nicholas Walch died at the family residence, 815 South Charlotte street, Monday morning at 8 o'clock. His death was due to Bright's disease from which the little fellow had suffered a long time. While his condition had not been serious for some time past it was not thought that death was near. Sunday the patient seemed as strong as ever and made no complaint. He spent part of the day sitting on the veranda with his sisters. Monday morning a sudden change for the worse brought an end to his sufferings in death. The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, Father Eusebius officiating. The funeral of the late Mrs. F. E. Smith was held from St. Anne's church Monday morning.

Mrs. George Witherell of 1311 Ludington street died Saturday night last of convulsions at the age of twenty-three years. Mr. and Mrs. Witherell came to Escanaba from Depere, Wis., less than a year ago, and boarded at Richard Perron's hotel at the number given. The remains of Mrs. Witherell were taken to Depere for burial.

Gunderson Strikes it Rich.

Lars Gunderson, for a number of years a resident of Escanaba, where he was engaged in the grocery trade as manager of the Scandia company, is now in the Klondyke, and is said to have struck a very rich lead. His family, including Mrs. Oscar Lokke, left Minneapolis last week to join him in the far-away gold fields, where they expect to remain for at least five years.

Will Honor Boynton.

Members of the DuBois Tent, K. O. T. M., are making preparations for a big time at Manistique August 15th, at the time of the visit of Maj. N. S. Boynton, the founder of the Maccabee society. There will be visitors from Escanaba, Gladstone, Sault Ste Marie and other points.

Shingle Mill Closed.

John Corcoran's shingle mill at Faunus has discontinued operations for want of help. Nine men employed therein quit work a few days ago, and their places have not been filled at this writing. The mill was sawing between 50,000 and 60,000 shingles per day.

Handsome New Residence.

John Christie, proprietor of The New Ludington Hotel, has secured plans and specifications from Geo. F. Barber & Co. of Knoxville, Tenn., for a \$3,800 residence, which he proposes to erect this season, on Michigan avenue, near Elmore.

For Sale—The residence property of G. M. West, corner Harrison and Ogden avenues. Finest location in the city. Enquire of F. T. Randall, 415 Elmore street.

Other Things

For sale or Exchange—Five burner gasoline stove, soft coal heating stove, baby carriage, Crawford bicycle, banjo, guitar, artist complete outfit for making chalk plate cuts. Enquire at this office.

People afflicted with Chronic diseases of any form or nature should consult Dr. Donald McDonald, the eminent Specialist of Grand Rapids at the New Ludington Hotel, Escanaba, on Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, August 10, 11, 12 and 13, four days only. Consultation free.

For Sale—Two good dwelling houses on one lot, Nos. 217 and 219 North Jennie street. Can be bought separately if desired. Apply to Charles Beck 923 Ludington street.

Half rates to State Firemen's Tournament at Crystal Falls, Mich., via the Northwestern Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip, August 6 to 8, inclusive, limited to return August 10 inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

The Chicago & Northwestern road will make a one and one-half fare rate for the round trip to Escanaba for the Delta County Agricultural society's race meeting, August 7th and 8th, and also for the Delta county fair, to be held September 10, 11 and 12.

The Escanaba road is advertising for one hundred men to work on the extension. The survey has been completed.

Excursion tickets to Race meet at Escanaba, Mich., via the Northwestern Line, will be sold at reduced rates, August 6 to 8, inclusive, limited to return until August 9, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

Very low rate Excursion Tickets to the Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, N. Y., via the Northwestern Line are sold daily with favorable return limits. Direct connection at Chicago, with fast trains of all lines to Buffalo. For further particulars apply to agents. An illustrated booklet will be mailed on receipt of two cents postage by W. B. Kuisbren, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Chicago. July 27-4t.

Gold Mining and Prospects in the Black Hills is the title of a most interesting pamphlet setting forth the opportunities for gold mining in this very wonderful section on the Northwestern Line. This publication will be mailed free on receipt of two cents in postage by W. B. Kuisbren, G. P. & T. A., 22 Fifth avenue, Chicago, Ill. July 27-5t.

New Presses Enroute.

Next week The Iron Port will install two new printing presses of modern build—one a four-roller pony Potter, the other a Geo. P. Gordon jobber the very highest grade printing machine manufactured. The Potter press, which will be the only four-roller printing press in the upper peninsula, will print a sheet 25x35, and has a speed of 3,000 per hour. Both will be used exclusively in our jobbing department, and will add very materially thereto.

Used Knives and Clubs.

Several decidedly disgraceful altercations occurred on Sunday last, but so far as known there were no arrests, the police being conspicuous only by their absence. On the Stephenson dock, about 4 o'clock p. m., two Escanabans engaged two outsiders in a fight, in which knives and clubs were used. There was a large crowd on the dock at the time, and the lives of women and children were endangered.

Skerbeck's Circus Today.

Skerbeck's Circus will give two exhibitions in Escanaba today. This is one of the best of the smaller circuses on the road, and as it will be the only tent show Escanaba will have this season it will probably be largely patronized.

Plans are Accepted.

At a meeting of the Board of Education Monday evening the building committee was authorized to accept plans and specifications for a 4-room addition to the Barr school building, and to advertise for bids for the construction of the same.

Used Indecent Language.

William Brown and Angus Aird were each fined \$5 and costs in Justice Emil Glaser's court Monday for using profane and immoral language in the presence of women and children at the Stonington picnic the previous day.

Killed at Talbot.

Axel Peterson, a brother of C. P. Peterson of 412 Maple street, was instantly killed at Talbot by the accidental discharge of a shot gun on Wednesday. A full charge of bird shot entered his head.

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COMMUNICATED.

The Union Meeting of the G. I. A. to the B. of L. E. which was held at Marquette on the 24th and 25th of July was attended by a delegation of fifteen ladies from Division 229 of Escanaba. On the morning of the 24th fifteen bright and gay ladies boarded the train at 6 o'clock bound for Marquette. They arrived at their destination at 8 o'clock, and awaiting their arrival at the depot was Grand-Inspector Mrs. C. A. Anderson. After hurried greetings were exchanged they marched to the "Anderson Cottage," where an elegant breakfast was partaken of. After satisfying the "inher (wo)man" we parted, each to enjoy Marquette's beauties to her own liking and promising to be at Fraternity Hall at 2 o'clock to attend the regular meeting of the Marquette Division where Grand-President Mrs. Murdock instructed and praised the work done by them.

The meeting was dismissed at noon, when the Marquette ladies again proclaimed their intention to eat. And behold! a banquet fit for the gods met our gaze. Needless to say hungry mortals did justice to the feast. Then followed a literary entertainment and flower contest, where Mrs. C. A. Anderson by her wonderful skill and knowledge of botany won the first prize. Adieus and good nights were then exchanged and the 24th of July had passed away. On the morning of the 25th the heavens opened and poured down their wrath, thus doing away with the out-of-doors entertaining which the Marquette ladies had planned for. Another meeting held our attention in the a. m. and dinner was served in the hall. Then followed another pleasing entertainment and contest whose first prize was won by the Grand President, Mrs. Murdock. Suffice it to say, "we enjoyed our-

selves." I said fifteen bright, clean, fresh and gay ladies boarded the train at Escanaba for Marquette, but I must change that a little when I say the same ladies boarded the train at Marquette for Escanaba. Alas! for the freshness and cleanliness—for an unmerciful rain literally poured upon us,—of course our brightness and gayety and happy memories of Marquette sisters and their entertaining cannot be washed away.

ONE PRESENT.

Among the Churches.

Rev. H. W. Thompson of Fond du Lac, who has been visiting in the city during the past few days, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist Episcopal church last Sunday morning and preached a very interesting sermon. Rev. Thompson was at one time pastor of this church and many of the old members were present to hear him.

At the Methodist church tomorrow morning Rev. Mr. Kerridge, the pastor, will take for his theme, "God," and in the evening his subject will be "The Story of Joseph, the Prime Minister of Egypt."

The exterior of the Baptist church has recently been improved in appearance by a coat of paint.

The Epworth League of the Swedish Methodist church gave a pleasant social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Olson, 418 Jennie street, last Saturday evening. Refreshments were served.

Rev. H. W. Thompson of Fond du Lac will preach at the Presbyterian church tomorrow evening.

Attorneys Consult.

Louis Legris, a prominent Houghton lawyer, arrived in Escanaba last night and is today in consultation with George Gallup of this city. Messrs. Legris and Gallup are attorneys for Dennis St. John, an employe at The Fair store, who is charged with complicity in the burn-

THE IRON PORT

ESCANABA, MICHIGAN.

THE INTREPID BEE.

There lived a Bee—who, though quite small,
Was not a busy bee at all.
No aim in life—no cares had he;
This bee had naught to do but be.

One day by chance he overheard
A passing stranger's passing word;
Deeply and long he pondered on it—
'Twas of a bee in some one's bonnet!

"A bonnet!" thought the humptious bee;
'That would be just the place for me!
What residence is so correct
For one exclusive and select?"

Now it fell out that very day
Miss Amorilla came that way,
Wearing (as you no doubt foresee)
A rose-decked bonnet. Then the bee

Exclaimed: "Hurrah! My luck is great.
How all things come to those that wait!"
And with a sudden cry: "Here goes!"
He plunged into the redder rose!

His honey he essayed to suck,
But found instead that he was stuck,
And from a snarl of cotton-wool
In vain his legs he tried to pull.

Within his mouth was such a taste—
Ailing eyes and glue and paste—
While wires and stiffened muslin things
Scratched his poor eyes and tore his wings.

But, though in dire and luckless plight,
He kicked and pushed with all his might,
And somehow managed to get free,
A sadder and a wiser bee.

The Moral, pointed like the bee's own
sting,
Adorns the tale, and should this lesson
bring:
A little learning is a dangerous thing—
—Carolyn Wells, in Saturday Evening Post.

A Husband's Generosity

By Marie Irish.

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"MR. HARRINGTON to see you, sir," announced the office boy. "Show him in," directed the merchant, "and, Dexter, see that we are not disturbed."

"Good-morning," said Harrington, blandly, as he entered. "You wish to see me, your note said." And the self-possessed, fashionable man of the world regarded the merchant with a slightly interested air.

"Yes, I—" and going to the window the merchant drummed absently on the glass. "Yes," he resumed, turning to his caller, "I—the fact is, Harrington, I was—in the conservatory last night and—quite accidentally, you understand, heard your avowal to—my wife. Saw you kiss her as you held her in your arms, and—well, the usual love scene when affairs have reached a climax."

Only an instant did Harrington's self-possession desert him. Then he observed, carelessly: "Ah, rather unfortunate. Too bad for you, too."

The merchant sank into a chair, his face growing more haggard. "For God's sake, Harrington," he groaned, "drop that cloak of indifference and be a man. I'll own that this affair has quite broken me up, but—I want to do the right thing."

"Do the right thing," echoed Harrington. "May I ask what you—"

"Some men," interrupted the merchant, "would shoot you—as you deserve; some would endeavor to avert matters; some would do nothing and let things come to a smash. I shall do neither. I am—"

"Then why the trouble of this interview?" asked Harrington, coolly.

"If you love my wife as you vowed to her last night, you must know, or partly realize, at least, how I love her, and—" the merchant turned again to the window.

"I might have known I was too old to keep her love," he continued, bitterly.



"YOU ARE EXCEEDINGLY KIND."

ly. "Another mistaken case of May and December. She is too young and beautiful for a back number like me. I might have expected some fascinating scoundrel—yourself, for instance—to win her from me. I might have expected it, but—I trusted her. I knew she saw you often, that you called at the house, but in my love I trusted her and was blind. I had no hint of danger until—last night."

"Perhaps," suggested Harrington, calmly, "you will be so kind as to proceed to the object of this meeting."

"Some men—honorable ones—" exclaimed the merchant, hotly, "would at least have attempted an explanation; but you—you are a cad, and—to think I must give her up to you. Oh, don't get surprised," as Harrington looked up quickly; "you know me for too honorable a man to allow disgrace to come upon my wife—even if I did not love her. You need not fear that I shall do the straight thing."

"You are exceedingly kind," and Harrington smiled. "What are your plans, if I may inquire?"

"If I go away, to some quiet out-of-the-way place where I shall remain un-

heard of—desert her, you see, and allow her to get a separation, will you promise to wait, and, in time, when there shall be no disgrace attached, marry her? I'll leave her good settlements and give you a clear field—anything to avoid the elopement you suggested last night."

"Your generosity merits a more worthy subject," said Harrington, flushing. "I am afraid you don't understand that—"

"I'm not doing it for you," interposed the merchant, "but for her. How a man who professes to love a woman can seek to bring shame, and, consequently, unhappiness, upon her surpasses my understanding. I'd like to kill you—but where would be the gain? The mischief is done, and I am not the man to hold a wife whose heart is given to another. As I said, I shall go away and leave you the field."

There was a minute's silence, Harrington haughtily watching the elder man, who continued earnestly: "If only I knew you would be kind to her, Harrington, and make her happy! Helen is good and true—I'd stake everything on her honor—and she isn't to blame because I am not attractive enough to hold her love. How could she be expected to keep on caring for me, when fascinating, unprincipled men of leisure, like you, have the inside track? She's not to blame, I say, because she doesn't love me as—she used to do." And the merchant's voice grew soft as his eyes took on a far-away look.

"She was only eighteen when we were married," he resumed; "only eighteen—and I was nearly forty, but we were very happy—I am sure she would tell you we were happy. Such a dear little home keeper as she was—not the woman of fashion and society that she is now, and her husband meant more to her in those days. There's nothing like financial success to make a failure of home life. If we had remained poor, affairs might have been different." And a dry sob rose in the merchant's throat.

"It would have been different, too, if the babies had lived," he went on. "How happy we were over the first one—such a wonderful little fellow, we thought him! Even now I seem to feel her tears upon my cheek and the touch of her soft face against mine as she crept into my arms for comfort when he was taken from us. Sometimes, when she can't help it, she will think of the lost little ones and of their father. When she does, Harrington, I hope you will comfort her."

It was Harrington now who was drumming on the window. As he made no reply the merchant continued reminiscently: "How bravely she nursed me through the fever—'twas her care, the doctors said, that saved me—and how delighted she was when I sat by the window for the first time. Perhaps if I had worked less to provide her with luxuries and more to keep her affection she might have cared for me still."

"Have you informed your wife of your decision to abscond and give her freedom?" asked Harrington, without turning. "Does the plan meet her approval?"

"I—the fact is, she doesn't know it or that I have any suspicion of last night's denouement. To tell you the truth I haven't—I'd rather not hear her confess that I have become nothing to her. Even though I know she loves you I'd rather not hear her say so. I take the 9:30 to-night and shall leave without seeing her again. I trust you will carry out my wishes in regard to the marriage and comfort my wife in the hour of her desertion," and the merchant laughed harshly.

"Evidently," said Harrington, turning toward him, "you did not hear all of last evening's denouement, as you call it. You must have retired from the scene before the finale."

"Yes," answered the merchant. "I chanced upon you accidentally and, as a man of honor, heard and saw no more than was inevitable before I could escape. You were planning a trip to—was it Venice? when I withdrew."

"No; planning—it takes two for that," explained Harrington, "and for your sake I am glad to say that last night's unfortunate crisis was entirely one-sided. I love your wife—you, loving her, too, can perhaps understand why—and last night, as you know, I rashly proclaimed my devotion. I took her unawares, surprised her with my avowal, and forced my kisses upon her. I alone was responsible for the scene of which you were a witness."

"And Helen," demanded the merchant, hoarsely. "Isn't she—does she care—"

"Not for me," answered Harrington. "I leave to-night for the west and I may be a scoundrel as you say, but your wife is a true woman and—loves you. Let me leave you this as proof of her devotion," and handing the merchant a note Harrington hastily left the room.

Note in hand the merchant walked to the window and stood gazing down upon the swiftly moving stream of humanity below—gazing with a flood of gladness in his heart that brightened the otherwise somber scene. Then opening the note he read as follows:

"My Dear Mr. Harrington: Allow me once more to express my deepest regret for last night's mistake, and to beg your forgiveness if I seemingly encouraged your attentions. Resting secure in my husband's affection and my love for him, I am most surprised and pained to learn the nature of your regard for me. With my heart safely in my husband's keeping let me assure you of my best wishes for your future happiness and the hope that you will adhere to your resolution to leave the city. Yours, respectfully,
"HELEN BANFORD."

When the merchant had finished the note he looked around for Harrington. But the man was gone. Touching a bell he summoned a clerk. "Order a carriage for me at once," he said. "Quick, now; I must go home."

Gainsborough Hats Are Finding Favor in Paris

The Models of To-Day Show But Little Change from the Originals—Many Imitations.

Gainsborough Hats Are in Again for the Summer Season

POSSIBLY it was the recovery of the long lost Gainsborough portrait that set the styles in Gainsborough hats, but I think not. In fact, the craze for the Gainsborough was born some time before the long lost picture was found. Such a craze comes naturally with the vogue for modes of the time of Louis. But in the hats there is seen less change than in other of the revived modes, and the Gainsboroughs of to-day are much the same as the originals that were in vogue more than half a century ago.

Those of to-day have a trifle more finish, but they have the same width of brim, the same drooping plumes, and are worn with the same picturesque tilt.

They appeal particularly to the French women of fashion, and the artistic touch of the French milliners have given these picture hats of the present season a distinct advantage over the English production of earlier days. The fact is the Gainsborough hat appeals strongly to the artistic sense of the French milliners. It gives them a golden opportunity to display an artistic boldness of conception and handling of which they are fond, and

er flowers, such as lilacs, heliotropes, violets, daisies and lilies of the valley. But while many of the so-called Gainsboroughs have flowers, the real ones all have the drooping plumes, and a few of them have flowers as well.

But let me describe a few of the choicest models of these hats, both of the real Gainsboroughs and those that are so-called, though smaller in size, and trimmed differently.

The most fascinating and most picturesque of all the real Gainsboroughs that I have seen is of cream leghorn, with the brim bound with black velvet and a very narrow piping of the velvet underneath the brim. It is made to be tilted very high at one side, with a rosette of black velvet and a buckle of brilliants resting on the hair. There are five handsome black plumes drooping over the brim, with one standing upright at the side.

Some Charming Hats That Are on the Gainsborough Order

ANOTHER that is on the Gainsborough order, though in other seasons would have been called a picture hat, is of white Swiss braid. At one side are immense rosettes of white chiffon, with a loose twist of the chiffon across the front and many



A GAINSBOROUGH HAT IN BLACK AND WHITE.

for which they find ready customers among the fashionable Parisians.

In the English publications I have noticed a number of illustrations of so-called Gainsborough hats, but the majority of them are not. They are too small, and are made to wear straight upon the head, while the genuine Gainsborough is tilted and of abnormal size.

What the Original Gainsborough Hats Were Like

THE Gainsborough worn by the duchess of Devonshire when the stolen portrait was painted was of black velvet, as were the majority of the large hats of that time. While the hat is considered strictly English it was in reality the production of a



A WHITE SWISS GAINSBOROUGH.

French maker in the time of Marie Antoinette. The French queen, however, did not take kindly to the monster hats, and it remained for the women and a painter of England to make them famous. The disappearance of the famous portrait a quarter of a century ago caused a revival of the hats for a time, and now its recovery is giving strength to a new craze for them. These modern Gainsboroughs are as a rule made of braids. For this purpose the braids used are peroxalines, horsehairs, Swiss and leghorns. Flowers are used on many of the hats, not alone in roses, but in masses of small

loops of the same material, with a cluster of pink roses and their foliage at the other side.

One that is a little more on the real Gainsborough order, but which has flowers as a feature of its trimming, is of white leghorn that droops well over the face and tilted high at the left side with bunches of heliotrope underneath. A wreath of heliotrope encircles the crown, with one long plume brought from the center of the front and drooping over the left side of the brim. The plume is a beautiful tone of heliotrope to match the flowers.

A smaller hat that is somewhat on the Gainsborough order is of horsehair braid in a delicate blue. It has a tam o' shanter crown, with a twist of black velvet and a rosette of the same material in the front. Four plumes coming from the rosette, two standing upright and two drooping at each side of the brim. A similar plume at the back drooping well over the brim.

A white leghorn that greatly resembles the Gainsboroughs is tilted high at the left side and droops low at the back. This is lined with shirred black chiffon, and has white chiffon rosettes under the uplifted brim. The crown is covered with a great number of black ostrich tips, with one long plume standing upright at the left side.

RADIE MERRITT.

Bob Veal for New Yorkers.

A Norwich (N. Y.) jury refused to mule a farmer who was accused of shipping "bob" veal to New York because they thought the meat good enough for New Yorkers. The action was brought by the attorney general against a farmer residing in South Edmeston, who was charged with sending 17 "bob" veals, or calves under four weeks old, from South Edmeston to New York on May 5, 1899. It was a test case and the courthouse was crowded with grangers, who watched the trial with interest. The state endeavored to collect the penalty of \$1,700 against the farmer, but the jury returned a verdict of \$150. One of the jurymen subsequently said that they canvassed the matter thoroughly and concluded that the veal, though under legal age, was not unhealthful, and that it was sold at a price that placed it within reach of the poor of the metropolis, thus making the defendant a benefactor.

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A boy, to be considered exceptionally good, must show traits of his mother.—Atebison Globe.

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Personal and Social

E. B. Forsterling of this city and Miss Kate Britz of Lathrop were united in the holy bonds of wedlock at St. Joseph's church Wednesday noon. The bridesmaids were Miss Mary Luzzardi of Trombley, and Miss Kate Dwyre of Lathrop, and Miss Annie Eggle of this city acted as flower girl. The groomsmen were Michael Eggle of Lathrop, and Ned Curran and Dennis Nee of this city. The bridal party, including the parents of Miss Britz, arrived in Escanaba on the 10:40 train, and returned to Lathrop at 2 o'clock, where the wedding dinner was served and reception held.

The marriage of Theodore St. Peter and Miss Rose Lanthier, both of Escanaba, took place at St. Anne's church Tuesday morning. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Messard in the presence of a large concourse of friends and acquaintances. A wedding dinner was served at the home of Mrs. Joseph Lemay on Sarah street, and in the evening a wedding supper was served at the home of Mrs. Sam Green on Wells avenue, after which a reception was held at Dupont's hall.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Vreelan, who have been visiting their daughters, Mrs. E. F. Hendershott and Mrs. W. H. Marten, left on the Sheboygan Saturday for their home in St. Johns, Mich. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Hendershott, Mr. H. having sold his interest in the cigar factory to his partner, W. H. Marten.

A party of young folks, some of whom were from out of town, spent a very pleasant evening Tuesday, at the rooms of Messrs. Adams, Winegar and Poorman. The affair was in honor of Miss Flora Winegar, of Escanaba.—Norway Current.

Jos. Schweitzer returned to this city Monday after a few weeks' wanderings among Escanaba's sandy deserts. He thinks Munising is all right after all.—Munising Republican.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buel of Jennie street, Friday, July 25th, son, George Gallup and son, Charles, pent Sunday at Chicago.

Jerry Madden of Rapid River pent Sunday with his family at Menominee.

Mrs. Henry Madden of Lake Linden is the guest of her brother, John Hagnon.

B. D. Winegar visited Elk Rapids and Traverse City this week, securing men for the lumber wood.

Born, on Tuesday, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Olinger, a son.

Miss Florence Winegar has this week entertained Miss Irene Patende of Norway.

Miss Carrie McConnell has returned to her home at Iron Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McDuffie arrived home Monday, after spending our weeks in the east.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hoyler are entertaining Miss Hattie Glasier and Miss Millie Richard of Milwaukee.

Mrs. Chas. Chapple and daughter Luc visited Green Bay friends this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Durancéau entertained W. J. Murphy of Ohio Monday.

Chauncey Lucia of Ogontz visited friends in the city during the past week.

Henry Olmsted has been away from home this week playing baseball with the Appleton team.

Irving McEwen returned on Monday from a week's visit with friends at Milwaukee.

Miss Lillie McDonald of Garden pent Sunday with Escanaba friends.

The nuptials of Charles Juttner, lawyer's popular attorney, to a prominent Escanaba lady, is one of the predicted social events of the near future.

Mrs. S. N. Harrison of Peshtigo has been the guest of Mrs. M. K. Bissell this week.

Mrs. Noland arrived in Escanaba on Tuesday and is the guest of relatives. She is accompanied by her daughter, Miss Lucy.

Mrs. Bert Bacon has this week entertained her sister, Miss Hulda House of Marinette.

Miss Opal Durland of Flora, Illinois, is the guest of Miss Myra Corcoran.

Thomas Linsley of Chicago has been a guest of relatives in the city during the past week.

Brother's orchestra played for dance at Green Bay Saturday night.

Miss Catherine O'Brien is visiting friends in Milwaukee.

G. M. West, now located at Chica-

go Heights, visited with his family in this city this week.

A marriage license was issued Saturday to John Purdy and Miss Eva Durancéau of Masonville.

Mrs. J. S. Cunliff and baby of Baraboo, Wis., have been the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy O'Brien, during the past week.

W. H. Sprone of Chester, Pa., and C. L. Sporely of Negaunee were the guests of J. C. Kirkpatrick during the past week.

Leonard Johnson has gone to Seattle, Washington, with a view to locating there permanently.

Immigration Inspector Frank M. Jewell of Sault Ste Marie was in the city a few hours last Saturday.

Mrs. Hutte and daughter, Miss Bessie, are visiting with relatives at Green Bay.

Mrs. James Price returned to her home at Foster City Saturday after a short visit with Escanaba friends.

Miss Mayme McGraw of Brampton visited friends and relatives in our city this week.

H. H. Winde returned from Hot Springs, Ark., Friday.

C. J. McGraw, C. & N. W. agent at West Gladstone, was seen on our streets Sunday.

Mrs. F. W. McNamy and Miss Christie of Racine are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Amos Parkhurst.

Walter Power and wife of Hibbing, Minn., George Power and wife of Calumet, Roscoe Power of Green Bay, and the Misses May and Treca Power of Chicago were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Power last week.

It was an informal reunion, all members of the family with a single exception being present.

Fred Kuss and family of Ironwood are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kuss at Faunus.

T. W. Collins, traveling passenger agent for the Union Pacific railway, was in the city Thursday, making preliminary arrangements with the Elks for transportation to Salt Lake City in 1902 at the time of the reunion.

Miss Matie Marston, Miss Alice and Margaret Robertson and Miss Gertrude Farrel, will leave on Monday for a lake trip to Chicago.

I. Kratze is in the east.

Toby Winegar of Norway spent Sunday with his parents.

Ole Erickson spent a portion of the week in Chicago.

Mrs. George Kuhns and daughters, Thelma and Inez, arrived here from Baraboo Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Kuhns' mother, Mrs. C. Stoik.

Assistant Postmaster W. L. Brown and wife have returned from an extended visit at Green Bay.

Miss Kate McMonagle has returned from an extended visit at Milwaukee.

Mrs. James Kennelly visited Ishpeming this week.

Miss Amy Lalonde, of the county treasurer's office, will leave on Monday for a month's trip to St. Paul and Winnipeg.

Ex-Supervisor Wm. Kautben of Garden was in the city on Wednesday.

Tonsorial Artist John Vassaw is the proud parent of a son, born on Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Ellsworth, assisted by her daughter, Miss Rose, entertained a party of friends at her home on N. Mary street on Sunday. Those present were Mrs. A. Allard, Mr. and Mrs. Dangemann, Miss Emma Allard, Miss Mary Leyerdure, Miss Minnie Mekash and Joseph Marcouler of Menominee; Miss Lottie Dangemann of Wells; Miss Vida Bedard of North Escanaba; Miss Edith Headsten and Ernest Laverdure, of Escanaba.

Dr. Fitzgerald of Perronville spent Tuesday night in Escanaba.

Judge White was at Foster City on Wednesday.

Mrs. Emory Hoffman and children are visiting at Ogontz.

Joel Lucia of Ogontz was in Escanaba on Wednesday, enroute to Chicago.

F. E. Powell, representing the Chicago Newspaper Union, one of the foremost printers' supply houses of the west, was an Escanaba visitor Thursday, and "worked" The Iron Port for his usual order.

Mrs. Wm. Rowe of Laurium was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Olmsted on Wednesday.

Miss Florence Brotherton attended the Chautauqua at Marinette this week.

Mrs. J. P. McColl has recovered from a fortnight's illness.

H. W. Davis, a former reporter of

The Mirror, was married at Camp Douglas, Wis., on Wednesday, the bride being Nathalie Winnifred Falconer of that place.

Herman Lebeau of Maple Ridge transacted business in the city Wednesday.

Miss May McMonagle is the guest of Miss Marion Rogers at Fond du Lac.

Rev. Father Messard is at Marquette attending a priest's retreat.

Wm. Hennessey is visiting his mother at Grand Rapids.

Jos. Delorier, Geo. Rowe, Frank Paquin and A. Caron went to Swazy on Tuesday, and are fishing down the Escanaba river.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Arnold, on Tuesday, a daughter.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Earnest B. Forsterling of this city and Miss Kate Britz of Lathrop; Naus Papour is Isabella and Miss Olive LaFrancis of Garden.

Mrs. Jacob Buchholtz has returned from a pleasant visit of a fortnight with her son, Rev. Fr. Buchholtz of Munising.

A marriage license was issued on Wednesday to Jos. Hebert and Mary Berry, both of Nahma.

G. W. Kaufmann was at Chatham on Thursday.

Fred Hazen has accepted a lucrative position with the Royal Box company of Chicago.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. I. Watz, on Wednesday, a boy.

Mrs. Ole Erickson and daughter, Miss Gertrude, are visiting at Ishpeming.

A social dance was held at Peterson's hall last night.

Ed. Bourion, telegraph operator at Watson, on the Escanaba road, has gone to Alfred to jerk lightning, and is succeeded by J. Robinson of the lower peninsula.

We clip the following from the Rock Rapids, Ia., Review, regarding C. G. Glavin of Escanaba: "C. G. Glavin, for the past year with the Great Western Grain company, left for Heron Lake, Minn., this morning, where he will buy grain for the Hubbard-Palmer company the coming year. Mr. Glavin is an energetic young man, who possesses the full confidence of his associates and the esteem of his acquaintances. His upright business methods commends him to the public wherever he goes. The Review wishes him his full measure of success."

J. S. Doherty has returned from a visit at Green Bay.

E. F. Van Valkenburg and wife are at Hancock.

Mrs. Frank Slater is this week entertaining Mrs. C. Stowe and family of Maywood, Ill.

Mrs. Richard Hoyler entertained a picnic party at South Park Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Ida Kratze of Milwaukee, at one time a resident of Escanaba, will be married to Dr. Gilbert Keller next Wednesday.

Mrs. John Miller and Mrs. Sam Granger of Masonville were Escanaba visitors on Thursday.

Mayor Mangium of Marquette was in the city Wednesday.

CANNOT FIND PLANS

City Hall Specifications, Made in 1900, Are Evidently Lost.

COST TO ESCANABA \$500.

The Documents Too Carefully Stored Away by Former City Officials, and New Ones May Have to be Prepared.

In 1890 the city of Escanaba, having in view the erection of a \$20,000 city hall building at the corner of Wells avenue and Campbell street, caused plans and specifications to be prepared by Charlton, Gilbert and Demar, the Marquette architects. The project, however, failed, and the expensive drawings and specifications were carefully stored away for future reference. When the city building proposition again presented itself a few weeks ago, it was in order to unearth the work of the architects, but much to the amazement of the building committee the plans had completely disappeared. The present city clerk's office was thoroughly ransacked, and every conceivable place where it was thought the plans might have been put for safe keeping was hunted through, but without success.

Later—Since the foregoing was written Chief Tolan has rummaged city documents stored in a vault at the court house, and found the plans of the proposed city building, but the specifications are still missing. The supposition is that they have been destroyed, a large quantity of supposedly worthless paper from the vault having been burned some time since. The plans and specifications cost the city \$500. The bill of Fred D. Charlton for that amount was allowed and ordered paid at a meeting of the common council held on April 1, 1900.

FOOD FOR CHILDREN.

Concerning Wholesome Diet for Little Ones in Warm Weather.

Children should have meat only once a day in summer, milk and eggs being substituted. Any of the cereals with milk, or, if these are not liked, milk toast, or bread and milk, or plain toast with eggs, soft-boiled, baked, shirred, scrambled, poached or in an omelet, make an excellent breakfast. Fresh fish is a welcome addition to the meal. Salt codfish warmed with milk and a little butter, or made into balls with potato is a very digestible dish. Well-cooked fresh meat, one vegetable besides potatoes, a simple pudding or ice cream are enough for dinner.

Soup may be added, and the fruit that is in season. With the latter use sugar, but no cream. Baked potatoes, sliced raw potatoes baked in milk, creamed rice or macaroni may form the substantial dish at supper. Fruit may be given in moderation.—Elizabeth Robinson Scovill, in The Ladies' Home Journal for August.

VICTIM OF A SAW.

Edward Anderson Fatally Injured at Gladstone Saturday.

Edward Anderson, twenty-five years of age, was fatally injured while at work in the factory of the Northwestern Co. at Gladstone Saturday. The young man fell against a bolting saw and one of his legs was severed between the thigh and knee. He was also cut and bruised about the body.

The accident occurred about 10 o'clock in the forenoon and during the succeeding three hours, before he died, everything possible was done by the attending physicians to save his life but to no avail. Anderson was unmarried and had no relatives in this section of the country.

Gardens are Defeated.

The Sand-pipers crossed willows with the husky lads from Garden last Sunday. Both teams put up an excellent article, and the game was one of the best seen on the local grounds this season, the score being 1 to 0 in favor of the Escanabas.

Large Wood Contract.

R. G. Baker of Bark River has secured a contract to furnish 5,000 cords of wood to the Manistique furnace during the coming winter.

Fats and Leans Again.

Another contest between the "Fats" and "Leans" will be pulled off at the baseball park next Friday afternoon. The vanquished "Leans"

will at that time attempt to regain their lost laurels. The game will be played between the hours of 2 and 8 p. m., and as the gate receipts will be given to charity the attendance will doubtless be large. The line-up will be practically the same as on the 24th ult, with the exception of a few additions to the "Leans," with which they hope to strengthen their team.

OPENED THURSDAY.

Northern Chautauqua at Marinette Now in Full Blast.

There is no more ideal spot for a summer Assembly. These grounds, comprising fifty acres of the west shore of placid Green Bay, are covered with a beautiful growth of evergreen, maple and hardwood and are connected with the enterprising cities Marinette, Wis., and Menominee, Mich., by well equipped electric railways. The surroundings are healthful and attractive and the camping facilities are unsurpassed. The boating, bathing and fishing are delightful and absolutely safe. Delicious air, pure artesian water, graded streets, water works, electric lights, fire protection, police control and every possible comfort for the convenience of camp life is provided.

The buildings, five in number, are handsome in style of architecture and commodious so as to accommodate the audiences in the several courses, several pretty summer cottages and hundreds of white tents dot the grounds when the assembly is in session. The census shows that over 700 lived on the grounds last year during the assembly.

For information regarding rental of grounds and tents, also for official programs for this Chautauqua, opening Aug. 1st and extending to Aug. 12th, address or apply to G. W. Hanley, or Joseph Maurer, Argus office, Marinette, Wis.

POLICE COURT NEWS.

Resume of the "Grind" in Local Justice Courts This Week.

Josephine Boyle, a fifteen-year-old girl, was convicted of truancy in Judge Glaser's court Wednesday morning and an order was issued by the court removing the girl from her mother's care and placing her in charge of relatives pending a further investigation of the case. The girl was arrested on complaint of her mother, who charged her with being immoral, but the evidence in the case did not sustain this charge and instead the court ruled that the mother was an unfit person to have the care of the girl.

John E. Sullivan was before Judge Donovan last week charged with drunkenness under the disorderly act. He was assessed a fine of \$5 and costs and set to jail for 8 days.

Timothy Sheahan was arrested last week by Sheriff Roberts charged with the larceny of a parasol from the residence of Mrs. Ingrid Carlson of Jennie street. The prisoner was arraigned before Justice Glaser and sent to jail for 15 days.

Asks for Separation.

Mrs. Mary House through her attorney, James A. Clancy, has filed notice of a suit to obtain a divorce from her husband William House, upon the ground of desertion and non-support.

Death of Mrs. Fitch.

Mrs. W. F. Fitch, well-known to many of Escanaba's pioneer residents, died at her home at Marquette on Saturday last after a brief illness.

DRUGS AND MEDICINES.

A Sponge

Taken off hand, does not make a very interesting study, but there is a good deal in a sponge besides water. If you are interested, drop in and let us talk sponge with you—it is a little hobby of ours; we understand a sponge. We have them to sell—

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The most complete and best equipped suite of law offices in the Upper Peninsula is that on the second floor of the Masonic block, occupied by the firm of Cummiskey & Yelland and George Gallup. The suite comprises five rooms, Messrs. Cummiskey & Yelland occupying the three formerly used by Drs. Cuthbert & Cotton, while Mr. Gallup occupies the two rooms recently vacated by John Cummiskey. A connecting door throws the two sets of offices into one commodious, well arranged and splendidly equipped suite, with individual offices and consultation rooms and a law library that can not be duplicated in this section of the state.

Attorney George Gallup has moved his entire library from his residence into these rooms, which, together with the library of Cummiskey & Yelland, is valued at more than \$12,000. This library includes 3,627 volumes, and contains all the cases decided in the United States, together with the complete reports of thirty separate states. Within the past month these gentlemen have fitted their offices with the most modern book cases obtainable. They were purchased from Macey of Grand Rapids at a cost of \$800 and are absolutely dust proof cabinets with glass fronts, each provided with automatic spring hinges. There are 390 sections in all, and each section will hold from fifteen to twenty books.

Although the law practice of Messrs. Cummiskey & Yelland is in no way connected with that of Mr. Gallup, these gentlemen have, for mutual interests, connected their offices and libraries and all feel that they have profited by the union. All three gentlemen are graduates of the University of Michigan. Mr. Gallup came to Escanaba eleven years ago and by assiduous application to his profession has built for himself a splendid practice and incidentally accumulated a fortune along with it. John Cummiskey, the present prosecuting attorney of Delta county, has resided in this city but little over five years, yet in that time he has become one of the best known and most successful attorneys in this vicinity. His partner, Judd Yelland, comes from the same town in the Lower peninsula, viz. Howell, and has been practicing there, with much success, during the same number of years that Mr. Cummiskey has followed the profession in Escanaba. Although Messrs. Cummiskey & Yelland have been business partners only since April 1, they know each other thoroughly, having grown up together and graduated in the same class at Ann Arbor.

The Dog Nuisance.

Can there be nothing done to abate it? The city is overrun with dogs, many of them worthless curs, and an annoyance to passers-by, either afoot, or on wheel, or riding in carriages. On Sunday last, a lad on his way to Sabbath school was attacked and bitten on the arm by a dog weighing 150 pounds or more on Elmore street. The owner was notified that he must take care of the dog or he would be shot. He promised to keep him muzzled, but the promise is not kept, and the dog lies along the sidewalk terrorizing all who pass by. Within this block, there are six or eight dogs, and upon the approach of a vehicle, by concerted action they rush out, chase and bark at the horses, and it does seem as though many dogs might be dispensed with without detriment to the public good. **SUBSCRIBER.**

Fire From Gas Leak.

The residence of Charles Johnson at 1017 Ludington street was the scene of a small fire about 9 o'clock last Saturday morning. The blaze had started from a leaky gas meter in the basement, but how it became ignited is not known. The fire department was on the scene promptly and succeeded in extinguishing the flames before any damage resulted.

Prizes for Farmers.

The Michigan state fair will be held at Pontiac, Oakland county, Sept. 23 to 27, both inclusive. A first prize of \$50.00, a second of \$30.

00, and a third of \$20.00 will be given for the best exhibits of fruit to be shown from any county in the upper peninsula; number of varieties and quality to be considered; but one premium to be awarded to any one county. Another prize of \$50.00 a second of \$20.00 will likewise be paid to the best exhibits from any county in the upper peninsula, grain in peck lots and of straw, and vegetables in peck and half dozen lots, same conditions as above.

Notice of Special Election.

A special election of the electors of the City of Escanaba will be held on Monday August 13, 1901, at which time the question of bonding the city in the sum of \$25,000 for a city building to be used as city hall, city offices and for fire department purposes, will be submitted to the people, as required by the following resolutions:

Whereas, It is deemed necessary by the common council of the city of Escanaba to erect a public building on lots 7 and 8, block 65, to be used as a city hall and for offices for the various city officers, and for fire department purposes, and,

Whereas, For the erection of such building a larger amount is necessary to be raised by taxation in any one year, and

Whereas, It is deemed necessary to raise by loan the sum of (\$25,000.00) for this purpose. Now, therefore be it

Resolved, That the question of raising the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) by loan and of issuing the bonds of the city for the payment thereof be submitted to a vote of the electors of the city at a special election to be held on the 12th day of August, 1901. Such election to be conducted in the same manner as the annual city election, as near as may be, and at the following polling places in each ward:

- First ward, council chamber.
- Second ward, hose house.
- Third ward, hose house.
- Fourth ward, hose house.
- Fifth ward, old school house.
- Sixth ward, city building.
- Seventh ward, school house.

Said bonds to be payable within thirty (30) years from the date of issue, and not to draw interest greater than five per cent (5 per cent) per annum.

The following electors are hereby appointed to act with the supervisors and aldermen of each ward as a board of inspectors of said election.

First ward, A. B. Chambers; Second ward, R. E. Morrell; Third ward, Charles Engstrom; Fourth ward, Duncan McRae; Fifth ward, A. V. Lindquist; Sixth ward, Wm. N. Van Duzer; Seventh ward, Benjamin McKillican.

Such election shall be by ballot in the following form:

For a loan to build a public building for a city hall, fire department purposes and city offices.

- Yes.
- No.

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Teachers Examination.

The regular teachers examination for Delta county will be held at the court house in the city of Escanaba, commencing Thursday, August 15, at 8:30 a. m. This examination is open to all applicants for first, second and third grade certificates.

Signed,
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