

# THE IRON PORT

THIRTY-SECOND YEAR

ESCANABA MICHIGAN, SATURDAY, OCT. 5, 1901.

NUMBER 40

## PLANT INADEQUATE

City Light-Producing Factory Unable to Meet Demand Upon It.

## ENGINE IS OVERLOADED.

Dr. H. B. Reynolds Will Probably Receive Appointment to Suc- Dr. Booth, Resigned, on the Staff of Physicians.

The city's lighting plant is inadequate to meet the demand made upon it, and as a consequence it is impossible to light the streets until about 10 o'clock at night, or when a sufficient number of business places have discontinued the use of electricity to permit the starting of the arc dynamos. The cause is attributed to the lack of power at the station, the present capacity of the engine and boiler being largely overtaxed. At present there are between 2,300 and 2,400 incandescent and 69 arc lights, provided by use of a 3,500-light incandescent dynamo and two arc dynamos each of 45-light capacity. These dynamos are propelled—or rather are supposed to be propelled—by a Corliss engine of 200 horse power, which is inadequate by at least eighty horsepower to meet the requirements, and for this reason the plant is unable to cope with its business.

An expert electrician, when questioned by a representative of The Iron Port, said, to economically handle 2,300 incandescent lights the number of horsepower should be not less than 240, with an additional fifty horsepower for the arc lights. The same gentleman says that under existing conditions the plant's boiler and engine cannot long stand the strain now being forced upon them, and that it is only a matter of a comparatively short time when both must be rendered practically useless for the purpose to which they are now put. This is only a reasonable conclusion.

The Board of Public Works, of which S. B. Rathfon is chairman, has realized for some time past that something must be done to meet the demand made upon the plant by consumers of electricity, and at a meeting held Monday afternoon at the city clerk's office it was decided to act in the matter forthwith. Mayor Murray K. Bissell was present, and after discussing the provoking question of improvement, the clerk was instructed to correspond with the Westinghouse people and secure the services of an expert electrician for the purpose of thoroughly investigating the plant and passing upon its requirements to faithfully serve the community during the ensuing ten years. After this has been accomplished the Board of Public Works will make its recommendations to the common council, and if that body coincides with its views for improvements the board will then advertise for bids for such additional machinery as may be deemed necessary. But, on the other hand, should the council refuse to favorably accept the Board's recommendations, a proposition to dispose of the plant will probably be made.

As the winter months approach orders for additional lights are coming in at a rapid rate, but it is impossible to fill them on account of the inefficiency of the plant. Even with the number of lights now carried the engine has been stalled on several occasions of late and the only relief seems to be to add power. This is a momentous question, as the putting of the plant in first-class condition will necessitate an expenditure of from \$35,000 to \$40,000.

## NEW LAW IN FORCE.

First Offense Against Game Laws May Be Tried Before Justice.

Official notice has been received from State Game Warden Grant M. Morse, as follows: "Under the new law, in prosecutions for violations of the game laws the first offense can be tried before the justice of the peace. The minimum fine is ten dollars and the maximum fine one hundred dollars, or imprisonment

in the county jail not exceeding ninety days, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court. This applies in prosecutions for offenses committed after September 5, 1901, which time the new law took effect."

## CONTRACT NOT AWARDED.

Michigan Oil Company Does Not Open Bids for Drilling.

Several members of the Michigan Oil company, whose operations are at Rapid River, met at George Gallup's office in this city Monday for the purpose of opening bids for drilling, but for some reason unknown to The Iron Port that portion of the program was delayed. The bids will be opened at Green Bay, the headquarters of the company. Those attending the meeting were: C. A. A. McGee and M. D. Kelley of Milwaukee, C. C. Phelps of Green Bay and Perry G. Hibbard of Rapid River. Mr. Hibbard is the company's superintendent and resident manager, and is now engaged in making arrangements to get machinery on the property.

An analysis of the oil found at Rapid River shows 51 per cent. asphaltum and 49 per cent. lubricating oil, with no residue. So far only pocket oil has been found, but if the wells which are to be sunk at once should bear out the forecasts of mining experts, a remarkable rich property has been discovered.

## ARNOLD'S NEW BREWERY.

Large Brewing Plant Now Being Erected at the Soo.

The Arnold Brewing company of Sault Ste. Marie, of which Ed. Arnold, late of the lumbering firm of Mashek & Arnold of this city, is president, and his son George Arnold is secretary and treasurer, expects to commence the manufacture of the brown beverage that smelleth of the hop about February 1st. The plant at the Soo is being pushed to completion as rapidly as possible, and will represent an expenditure of \$100,000, and will have a capacity of 50,000 barrels per year. The brewery will be constructed with a view to doubling the output should necessity demand an increase.

The building will have a frontage of 106 feet and a width of 80 feet, and will consume 125,000 bushels of malt annually, much of which will be supplied by the farmers of Chippewa county after next season.

## OPTION ON IRON LANDS.

Canadian Lumber Company Secures Right to Possessing Territory.

The Steel Rolling Mill company of the Canadian Soo, has secured an option on iron lands in Dickinson county owned by S. M. Stephenson, William Holmes and Samuel Peltier of Menominee, and extensive exploration, are now in progress. The property is what is known as the section 14 property, and the life of the option is ninety days. A few years ago John McKenna found ore on this property, but not in sufficient quantity to warrant further explorations, and he gave up his option. The Soo people need Michigan ore to mix with their Canadian product.

## TO MAKE OXALIC ACID.

Only Factory of Its Kind in America for Cheboygan.

Ground is broken in Cheboygan for the erection of a large factory for the manufacture of oxalic acid, oxalate of potash and oxalate of lime. The raw material to be used is the huge mountain of sawdust which has accumulated during the years in which the lumber industry has been carried on there. It will be the only factory of the kind in America. Chicago capitalists are in the venture.

## CONDUCTORS WILL DANCE.

The local Order of Railway Conductors has secured Peterson's hall for Thanksgiving Eve., and the committee are now perfecting arrangements for a grand ball at that time. One thousand invitations will be sent out, and special trains will be run over the Northwestern road from the north, and also from points on the Menominee range branch.

## MILWAUKEANS BUY LUMBER.

The Sawyer-Goodman company of Marinette has sold to Devere & Schloegel of Milwaukee 17,000,000 feet of pine strips. No price is given.

## SEEK TRACY'S JOB

Applicants for Superintendency of County Hospital Numerous.

## FIVE ARE ALREADY NAMED

Board of Public Works to Enlist Services of Expert Electrician to Determine Actual Requirements of the City.

The annual meeting of the Board of Supervisors for Delta county will be held on the second Monday in October, which falls on the 14th, and at this session there will be appointed a superintendent of the hospital and poor farm to succeed T. J. Tracy, and also a physician on the hospital staff to succeed Dr. C. E. Booth, resigned. For the former position there are a number of applicants, including, besides the present incumbent, A. H. Rolph and Frank Foster of this city, and John S. Craig and Mr. Derry of Gladstone. It is also intimated that David Narracong of Gladstone would not refuse to act in that capacity were the place offered him. The several aspirants for the superintendency of the county institutions are now button-holing supervisors in their respective interests, but from what information The Iron Port is able to glean few pledges have been made. The salary is \$1,200 per annum.

In all probability the vacancy on the hospital staff of physicians, caused by the removal of Dr. Booth to Florida, will be filled by the appointment of Dr. H. B. Reynolds to serve out the unexpired term. Drs. C. E. Booth, C. H. Long and O. E. Youngquist received their appointments at the October meeting two years ago, and entered upon their duties the following January. As the term is for three years there still remains nearly fifteen months to serve.

## SHE WINS SUGGEST.

Josephine McGillan Highly Praised by Boston Critics.

The Boston papers speak very highly of Miss Josephine McGillan, a sister of Mrs. H. J. Robertson of this city, who, under the stage name of Virginia Keating, made her professional debut at the Boston Theater, playing Mlle. Dauglars to James O'Neill's Monte Cristo last week. Miss McGillan graduated from the Chicago Conservatory last June, where she had been studying under the tutelage of John Lane O'Connor. The young actress is said to possess a dramatic temperament of rare power. The critic says she is a typical Irish beauty, with big blue eyes and raven black hair. Miss McGillan will be seen in Chicago in February.

## EXPLORING NEAR SWANZY.

Selden and Baldwin Estates Own Valuable Mineral Lands.

Adjoining the Princeton mine near Swanzy, the Selden and Baldwin estates own three forties and preliminary arrangements are now being made to explore these properties for iron ore. John M. Millar, representing the estates, has recently spent considerable time on the land, making surveys and attending to other necessary details, upon the completion of which the work of sinking a shaft will be commenced. The prospects for a rich find are said to be good.

## THE WORK DELAYED.

Break in Machinery Delays Work in the Oil Fields.

After a delay of several days, caused by the breaking of machinery, the work of boring for oil on the Wagner property was resumed on Monday and is now progressing rapidly. The drill is down over 200 feet, and barring further delay the contractors expect to reach a depth of 2,000 feet within the ensuing forty days.

## DEATH OF GLADSTONIAN.

John Hayes died at his home in Gladstone last Saturday of typhoid fever, and was buried from St. Fidelis church Monday, the funeral being

attended by the L. L. A., of which the deceased was a member. A widow and seven children survive him.

## FIRST OF THE SEASON.

Modern Woodmen of Rapid River Will Give a Masquerade.

On the evening of October 19th Poplar Camp, No. 435, M. W. A., of Rapid River, will give its fifth annual masquerade ball at Lagerquist's hall, and the membership of that popular organization will endeavor to maintain its excellent reputation as royal entertainers. Brotherton's orchestra will furnish music, which is a sufficient guarantee that nothing will be lacking in this line. First and second prizes are offered to the best character, both lady and gent, and also for the most comical make-ups.

The committees are as follows: Executive: Jas. Larkins, John Burnette, C. J. Rabideau, Arthur Hoxford and Thomas O'Connell. Reception: A. A. Clumpper, C. E. Hamilton, D. C. Dillabough, Wayne Kinzel and O. O. Follo. Floor: Wm. J. Miller, Dr. A. L. Laing, Louis Kunkel, Dr. A. S. Kitchen and Wm. Johnson. Refreshments: Jay Baker, H. E. Pfeifer, J. H. Sinnitt, Morris Goldman and R. P. Hill. Supper will be served from 6 to 12 o'clock by the ladies of the Catholic church.

## SLIGHT MISUNDERSTANDING

Woman From the Rural Realm Calls Down Inspector Millar.

On the office windows of the Franklin school building appears these words: "Board of Education." A few days ago a woman from the rural realm, accompanied by a comely maiden of sixteen, called upon Inspector J. M. Millar and after a few preliminaries regarding the school, in which she contemplated enrolling her daughter, asked the price per term for board and education. When told by Mr. Millar that he could only furnish information as to the latter, the woman very pointedly told the inspector that he'd better pull down his sign, for "board and education" was what he advertised on the school building, and of all people in the world school folks and ministers should not attempt to deceive the public.

## 1,000 YARDS DELIVERED

That Amount of Crushed Stone Placed on Escanaba Streets.

John Bichler, who has a contract with the city for furnishing crushed stone for street work, tells a representative of The Iron Port that up to date he has delivered on board cars at Groos one thousand cubic yards of crushed stone. The contract price is sixty-five cents per yard. Mr. Bichler also furnishes the city with "chips" for foundation purposes and receives \$2 per cord f. o. b. Groos. He is at present employing ten hands at his quarry.

## INJURED AT FOOTBALL.

Clayton Moore Has Rib Broken in Practice Game.

While playing a practice game of football on the Franklin school grounds Saturday afternoon, Clayton Moore, employed by the Northwestern company, and who lives with his widowed mother at 614 Ludington street, had a rib broken. In a rush for the pig-skin a player attempted to jump over Moore, but his calculations were in error and he alighted upon the young man with the above result.

## NEW RAILROAD BEGUN.

Bay de Noquet Lumber Company Building Railway to Sturgeon.

Work on the Bay de Noquet Lumber company's proposed railway from Nahma to its extensive timber holdings along the Sturgeon river has been commenced, and will be completed as far as Sturgeon station, on the Soo line, a distance of four miles, this fall.

## DEATH OF AN OLD RESIDENT.

Many residents of Escanaba and Delta county will remember Samuel Spilk, a junk dealer who lived in this city some years ago. News comes from San Antonio, Texas, that Mr. Spilk died there on Saturday last. He was a member of U. P. Tent, K. O. T. M., of Escanaba.

## FAIR-FLAT FAILURE

The Unfavorable Weather Conditions Held Responsible.

## FARM EXHIBITS ARE FEW.

Horsemen Disappointed Over Failure to Participate in the Speed Program.—Only One Heat Is Pulled Off.

With its customary ill luck the Delta County Agricultural society bumped up against unfavorable weather again this year, and as a result the seventh annual fair was a miserable failure. It was thought by the management that the weather man would have vent his spite against the association ere this, but the evidence produced proves otherwise. The fair was advertised to open for entries on Tuesday, but the rain descended in torrents during the greater portion of the day, and the list of entries consisted of vegetables brought in by Noel Bissonette, an Escanaba township farmer, and one article of furniture. Practically, the same conditions obtained on Wednesday, and as a consequence the speed contests were declared off. Thursday dawned brightly, and the horsemen had in anticipation one afternoon of sport, but about midday it commenced to rain, snow and hail alternately. A few enthusiastic patrons of the race track turned out and braved the elements, but after one heat, in which Peter Piper, Jo. M. and Daisy L. were the contestants, President Oliver declared "everything off" and the 1901 fair was at an end, even though there had been no beginning.

A goodly string of horses were entered for the races, including some new ones to this course. Wm. Firkus's spritely pacer, Jo. M., moved out some in the one heat race, and nosed under the wire with Peter Piper in 2:32, Daisy L., owned by Peter Snyder of Gladstone, finishing two seconds later. Jo. M. was given a "crick in the neck" by his driver on the home-stretch.

## PAINTER FORGES CHECKS.

Two Escanabans Are Caught for Small Amounts by One Norton.

A painter by the name of Fred Norton, and who was employed by E. G. Turner for a fortnight past, unceremoniously disappeared from the city last Saturday night, leaving in the lurch a number of Escanabans. Saturday night Mr. Turner gave Norton a check on the First National Bank for \$9.50 in payment for work. Evidently Norton saw that he could imitate Turner's signature and he proceeded to make the most of his opportunity. Procuring Bank of Escanaba checks, Norton filled one out for \$12.40 and another for \$9.50, signing Turner's name thereto, and these were cashed by Mr. Primeau and W. H. Barnes. The genuine check was also cashed, and with the money thus obtained, \$27.40, Norton shook the dust of Escanaba from his sandals. The police department was informed of the transaction on Monday, immediately after the Bank of Escanaba had refused the bogus checks, and a search for the offender was instituted, but thus far without success.

## DOUBTS HIS STORY.

Morgan Who Claims to Have Been Robbed Has Been There Before.

Charles Morgan, whose home is in Algoma, Wisconsin, claims to have been robbed by two men, in the alley back of the Third Ward livery, on Tuesday night. Sam Newman, a dealer in horses, has a sale stable across the alley from Mr. Willie's livery, and, according to Morgan's statement, when entering the place about 11 o'clock Tuesday night he was attacked by two men, one of whom threw a sack over his head and whom shouldered and then held him while the other robbed him of \$45 in cash. The men, says Morgan, appeared so suddenly that to make effective resistance was impossible. Immediately after the alleged robbery the police were notified, a search of the

locality was made at once, but no clue to the perpetrators could be found.

Mr. Newman, whose money it was that disappeared, arrived in the city Wednesday, and to a representative of The Iron Port emphatically expressed doubts as to Morgan's story of the robbery, notwithstanding there were evidences of an encounter upon the person of the victim. Newman said Morgan lost \$48 while in Iowa several weeks ago, and alleged that something was happening to him all the time.

## NINETY-NINE YEAR LEASE.

Late Bishop Vertin Leased St. Joseph's Church for That Term.

An altogether new and quite unexpected condition of affairs has appeared in the matter of the separation of St. Joseph's church. It will be remembered that the Irish-American portion of the congregation petitioned the Bishop for either a pastor of their own nationality or a division of the church. Bishop Eis granted the latter, and appointed a committee of five each from the Irish-American and German-American elements of the church to appraise the church property and settle upon an equitable division thereof. These committees failed to perform the duty assigned them, and the matter was again referred to the Bishop.

It now transpires that the Franciscan order holds a ninety-nine year lease of the property, signed by the late Bishop Vertin and sanctioned by the Pope, and for this reason no settlement can be arrived at without the action of a higher authority. Apostolic Delegate Martelli, the Pope's representative in this country, now has the matter under advisement, and awaiting his decision in the matter the Bishop has instructed Fr. Langan to rent pews to his congregation for 7 and 9 o'clock masses, and this will be done tomorrow.

## UNKINDEST CUT OF ALL.

The Menominee Leader Makes Sport of a "Fake" Story.

A local correspondent to the metropolitan papers sends a "fake" story about people in this vicinity being obliged to sit up nights to keep the deer from eating off their door knobs, and the item brings forth the following comment from The Menominee Leader:

"What a paradise for hunters Escanaba will be when the deer season opens. If the deer keep on increasing in number as rapidly as late reports would have it, the hunter can sit on the hotel veranda in an easy chair and puff at his favorite brand 'clear Havana,' while popping away at the unsuspecting deer which is nosing underneath the snow for the grass between the street car tracks."

## GUS. BAEHRISCH INSANE.

Alderman Gus. Baehrish Taken to Newberry on Tuesday.

Gus. Baehrish, an old resident of this city, and for a number of years landlord of the Oliver House, was before Probate Judge T. B. White Monday afternoon, where Drs. H. B. Reynolds and W. A. Cotton examined his mental condition. They pronounced Mr. Baehrish insane, and Judge White issued an order committing him to the Newberry asylum, whither he was taken by Undersheriff Olmsted the following day.

## Knocked Down by Cyclist.

On Saturday afternoon last, while Miss Helen Millar was walking on Harrison avenue, near Hale street, she was run down by a bicyclist, who, in direct violation of a city ordinance, was riding on the sidewalk. The handlebars of the bicycle struck her in the back, knocking her down and injuring her slightly. The cyclist was thrown headlong from his wheel, but escaped injury.

## Garden's Fair.

The farmers of Garden, Fairbanks and Sac Bay townships held a fair at Garden on Thursday and Friday, and reports say the attendance was liberal and the exhibits numerous and excellent in quality. Hon. Sam. M. Stephenson of Menominee and Ira Charley of Ingalls were present.

The Kellogg Switchboard & Supply company, of which E. C. Norton is local agent, is erecting a large store building at Trembley.

# The Stage.

This evening at the Peterson's opera house theatre-goers will have an opportunity to pass upon the much talked of American comedy drama, "Jess of the Bar Z." To many the title may be somewhat mystifying, though it is in reality as fitting as it is unique. The "Z" is the brand placed on the cattle owned by one Dr. William Mayfield, and roaming the ranges about his ranch in New Mexico. The doctor who is a scientist, and busies himself in collecting the strange insectivora of the region, to the neglect of his cattle interests, has a daughter Jessie, recently returned from an absence of five years in eastern schools and in Cuban hospitals as a Red Cross nurse. As the play deals with her management of her father's ranch and her love affair with James Spencer, an ex-sergeant of Rough Riders and former owner of a herd of cattle which have been stolen by cattle "rustlers," the title of the comedy drama is very properly "Jess of the Bar Z." There are types also of the real American cowboy the monarch of the cattle-rangers, the frontier sheriff and cattle detective, the lazy Mexican peon, whose vocabulary is of one word manana (to-morrow), the cow puncher of Celtic extraction and Celtic wit, the ubiquitous small boy, the angel of the kitchen, and others who add to the interest and stimulate the action of the drama. The cast presenting "Jess of the Bar Z" is a large one and is headed by Alice Archer.

"The Minister's Son" will be presented at the Peterson Opera House, Monday Sept. 30th, after melodramas, with their murders, pistols and heroines. This pretty play is as refreshing as a summer breeze. Its simple story of simple people, its naturalness and bright, quaint comedy, its pathos and mirth will move an audience alternately to laughter and tears and hold their deepest interest until the final curtain. What could be more touching than "Simoa" comforting his broken hearted sister by a passage from the Bible, or when he leaves home as the family sing the hymn he loves best. W. B. Patton plays the leading role of "Simoa Ray," the Minister's son. He is quaint and natural in his methods and has a rare gift of originality. The supporting company is especially strong, and all special scenery is used in this production.

Mr. Ben Hendricks, whose name is closely associated with the presentation of Swedish dialect plays in this country, is young in years though a veteran in stage experience and enjoys popularity throughout the entire country. He has appeared in every Swedish play of distinction that has been produced in this country. In "Ole Olson" he found the play of greatest heart interest and of widest possibilities for the delineation of Swedish character and he secured the rights of production. Together with the excellent company he will appear in this play at the Peterson Opera House next Tuesday night, Oct. 1st, and a splendid entertainment of the wholesome comedy class can be safely promised. A special feature of the performance will be the singing of the Swedish Ladies' Quartette.

"The Eleventh Hour" was presented at Peterson's opera house Wednesday evening to a packed house and gave general satisfaction. The piece is one of Carter's scenic comedy dramas and is filled with startling climaxes and thrilling incidents.

**Bids Wanted.**  
Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the building committee of the common council of the city of Escanaba, Michigan, at the office of the city clerk of said city until 8 o'clock p. m. of the 3rd day of October, 1901, and said proposals will then be opened, for the erection of a building in said city of Escanaba, to be used for a city hall, city offices and fire department purposes.

Copies of plans and specifications, and forms of bids may be seen in the office of Architects Charlton, Gilbert & Demar, at Marquette, Mich., and in the office of H. J. Robertson, City Clerk of Escanaba, Mich. A proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check for \$500.00, Escanaba, Michigan, which shall be returned after bids are opened. The check of the successful bidder shall be accepted (if

any) which will be held until satisfactory bonds are furnished and contract signed.  
Address all proposals to H. J. Robertson, city clerk, Escanaba, Michigan.  
The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.  
Dated, Escanaba, Mich., Sept. 21, 1901.

H. J. Robertson,  
City Clerk.  
M. Priester, John Lehr, Tim Magner, building committee.

## OFFICIAL MINUTES

Continued From First Page.  
October, 1901. Ayes—unanimous.  
Alderman Preister was excused by the mayor.  
Upon motion of Alderman McMartin the city clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for the construction of sewers in the alley between Harrison avenue and Wolcott street, from Ogden avenue to Hale street, and in the alley between Wolcott street and Campbell street from Ogden avenue to Hale street. Time for receiving said bids to expire at 8 o'clock p. m. of the 3rd day of October, 1901. Ayes—unanimous.  
Upon motion of Alderman Lucas the meeting adjourned.

H. J. ROBERTSON,  
City Clerk.

## WANT COLUMN

**TAKEN UP**—There came into my enclosure on Sept. 19th, a cow, which the owner is requested to call for, pay charges and take away. Call on Sandy Graham, North Escanaba.

**FOR SALE**—Large sized coal stove for sale cheap. Inquire at office of Dr. C. H. Long, on Georgia st.

**FOR SALE**—41 1/2 acre farm in the Danforth settlement, only five miles from the C. & N. W. depot Escanaba, ten acres under cultivation; fifty bearing apple trees, and the balance of the acreage good timber land. There is a 1 1/2 story, ten room house, plenty of barn room and other outbuildings. Will sell with farm implements or not as desired.

Another farm of forty acres, three miles northwest; three acres improved and containing a house, barn and good spring of flowing water. Apply to  
J. P. DANFORTH, Escanaba, Mich.

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Act quickly in times of danger. Backache is kidney danger. Doan's Kidney Pills act quickly. Cure all distressing, dangerous kidney ills.

Plenty of evidence to prove this. Mr. John Simmons, of 317 East Hugbill street, Iron Mountain, now retired, says:—I grew so bad with backache that I could not stoop to bring any strain on the muscles of the loins without suffering excruciating torture. I tried every-thing in my power to cure the trouble, but I could not even check it until I took a thorough course of the treatment prescribed by Doan's Kidney Pills. In three days I noticed an improvement. In time the backache and other symptoms of either weakened or overexcited kidneys disappeared and up to date there have been no recurrences.

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City Light-Producing Factory Unable to Meet Demand Upon It.

## ENGINE IS OVERLOADED.

Dr. H. B. Reynolds Will Probably Receive Appointment to Suc- Dr. Booth, Resigned, on the Staff of Physicians.

The city's lighting plant is inadequate to meet the demand made upon it, and as a consequence it is impossible to light the streets until about 10 o'clock at night, or when a sufficient number of business places have discontinued the use of electricity to permit the starting of the arc dynamos. The cause is attributed to the lack of power at the station, the present capacity of the engine and boiler being largely overtaxed. At present there are between 2,300 and 2,400 incandescent and 69 arc lights, provided by use of a 3,500-light incandescent dynamo and two arc dynamos each of 45-light capacity. These dynamos are propelled—or rather are supposed to be propelled—by a Corliss engine of 200 horse power, which is inadequate by at least eighty horsepower to meet the requirements, and for this reason the plant is unable to cope with its business.

An expert electrician, when questioned by a representative of The Iron Port, said, to economically handle 2,300 incandescent lights the number of horsepower should be not less than 240, with an additional fifty horsepower for the arc lights. The same gentleman says that under existing conditions the plant's boiler and engine cannot long stand the strain now being forced upon them, and that it is only a matter of a comparatively short time when both must be rendered practically useless for the purpose to which they are now put. This is only a reasonable conclusion.

The Board of Public Works, of which S. B. Rathfon is chairman, has realized for some time past that something must be done to meet the demand made upon the plant by consumers of electricity, and at a meeting held Monday afternoon at the city clerk's office it was decided to act in the matter forthwith. Mayor Murray K. Bissell was present, and after discussing the provoking question of improvement, the clerk was instructed to correspond with the Westinghouse people and secure the services of an expert electrician for the purpose of thoroughly investigating the plant and passing upon its requirements to faithfully serve the community during the ensuing ten years. After this has been accomplished the Board of Public Works will make its recommendations to the common council, and if that body coincides with its views for improvements the board will then advertise for bids for such additional machinery as may be deemed necessary. But, on the other hand, should the council refuse to favorably accept the Board's recommendations, a proposition to dispose of the plant will probably be made.

As the winter months approach orders for additional lights are coming in at a rapid rate, but it is impossible to fill them on account of the inefficiency of the plant. Even with the number of lights now carried the engine has been stalled on several occasions of late and the only relief seems to be to add power. This is a momentous question, as the putting of the plant in first-class condition will necessitate an expenditure of from \$25,000 to \$40,000.

## NEW LAW IN FORCE.

First Offense Against Game Laws May be Tried Before Justice.

Official notice has been received from State Game Warden Grant M. Morse, as follows: "Under the new law, in prosecutions for violations of the game laws the first offense can be tried before the justice of the peace. The minimum fine is ten dollars and the maximum fine one hundred dollars, or imprisonment

in the county jail not exceeding ninety days, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court. This applies in prosecutions for offenses committed after September 5, 1901, which time the new law took effect."

## CONTRACT NOT AWARDED.

Michigan Oil Company Does Not Open Bids for Drilling.

Several members of the Michigan Oil company, whose operations are at Rapid River, met at George Gallup's office in this city Monday for the purpose of opening bids for drilling, but for some reason unknown to The Iron Port that portion of the program was delayed. The bids will be opened at Green Bay, the headquarters of the company. Those attending the meeting were: C. A. A. McGee and M. D. Kelley of Milwaukee, C. C. Phelps of Green Bay and Perry G. Hibbard of Rapid River. Mr. Hibbard is the company's superintendent and resident manager, and is now engaged in making arrangements to get machinery on the property.

An analysis of the oil found at Rapid River shows 51 per cent. asphaltum and 49 per cent. lubricating oil, with no residue. So far only pocket oil has been found, but if the wells which are to be sunk at once should bear out the forecasts of mining experts, a remarkable rich property has been discovered.

## ARNOND'S NEW BREWERY.

Large Brewing Plant Now Being Erected at the Soo.

The Arnold Brewing company of Sault Ste. Marie, of which Ed. Arnold, late of the lumbering firm of Mashek & Arnold of this city, is president, and his son George Arnold is secretary and treasurer, expects to commence the manufacture of the brown beverage that smelleth of the hop about February 1st. The plant at the Soo is being pushed to completion as rapidly as possible, and will represent an expenditure of \$100,000, and will have a capacity of 50,000 barrels per year. The brewery will be constructed with a view to doubling the output should necessity demand an increase.

The building will have a frontage of 106 feet and a width of 80 feet, and will consume 125,000 bushels of malt annually, much of which will be provided by the farmers of Chippewa county after next season.

## OPTION ON IRON LANDS.

Canadian Lumber Company Secures Right to Possessing Territory.

The Steel Rolling Mill company of the Canadian Soo, has secured an option on iron lands in Dickinson county owned by S. M. Stephenson, William Holmes and Samuel Peltier of Menominee, and extensive exploration, are now in progress. The property is what is known as the section 14 property, and the life of the option is ninety days. A few years ago John McKenna found ore on this property, but not in sufficient quantity to warrant further explorations, and he gave up his option. The Soo people need Michigan ore to mix with their Canadian product.

## TO MAKE OXALIC ACID.

Only Factory of Its Kind in America for Cheboygan.

Ground is broken in Cheboygan for the erection of a large factory for the manufacture of oxalic acid, oxalate of potash and oxalate of lime. The raw material to be used is the huge mountain of sawdust which has accumulated during the years in which the lumber industry has been carried on there. It will be the only factory of the kind in America. Chicago capitalists are in the venture.

## Conductors Will Dance.

The local Order of Railway Conductors has secured Peterson's hall for Thanksgiving Eve, and the committees are now perfecting arrangements for a grand ball at that time. One thousand invitations will be sent out, and special trains will be run over the Northwestern road from the north, and also from points on the Menominee range branch.

## Milwaukeeans Buy Lumber.

The Sawyer-Goodman company of Marinette has sold to Devere & Schloegel of Milwaukee 17,000,000 feet of pine strips. No price is given.

## SEEK TRACY'S JOB

Applicants for Superintendency of County Hospital Numerous.

## FIVE ARE ALREADY NAMED

Board of Public Works to Enlist Services of Expert Electrician to Determine Actual Requirements of the City.

The annual meeting of the Board of Supervisors for Delta county will be held on the second Monday in October, which falls on the 14th, and at this session there will be appointed a superintendent of the hospital and poor farm to succeed T. J. Tracy, and also a physician on the hospital staff to succeed Dr. C. E. Booth, resigned. For the former position there are a number of applicants, including, besides the present incumbent, A. H. Rolph and Frank Foster of this city, and John S. Craig and Mr. Derry of Gladstone. It is also intimated that David Narracong of Gladstone would not refuse to act in that capacity were the place offered him. The several aspirants for the superintendency of the county institutions are now button-holing supervisors in their respective interests, but from what information The Iron Port is able to glean few pledges have been made. The salary is \$1,200 per annum.

In all probability the vacancy on the hospital staff of physicians, caused by the removal of Dr. Booth to Florida, will be filled by the appointment of Dr. H. B. Reynolds to serve out the unexpired term. Drs. C. E. Booth, C. H. Long and O. E. Youngquist received their appointments at the October meeting two years ago, and entered upon their duties the following January. As the term is for three years there still remains nearly fifteen months to serve.

## SHE WINS SUGGESTS.

Josephine McGillan Highly Praised by Boston Critics.

The Boston papers speak very highly of Miss Josephine McGillan, a sister of Mrs. H. J. Robertson of this city, who, under the stage name of Virginia Keating, made her professional debut at the Boston Theater, playing Mlle. Danglars to James O'Neill's Monte Cristo last week. Miss McGillan graduated from the Chicago Conservatory last June, where she had been studying under the tutelage of John Lane O'Connor. The young actress is said to possess a dramatic temperament of rare power. The critic says she is a typical Irish beauty, with big blue eyes and raven black hair. Miss McGillan will be seen in Chicago in February.

## EXPLORING NEAR SWANZY.

Selden and Baldwin Estates Own Valuable Mineral Lands.

Adjoining the Princeton mine near Swanzy, the Selden and Baldwin estates own three forties and preliminary arrangements are now being made to explore these properties for iron ore. John M. Millar, representing the estates, has recently spent considerable time on the land, making surveys and attending to other necessary details, upon the completion of which the work of sinking a shaft will be commenced. The prospects for a rich find are said to be good.

## THE WORK DELAYED.

Break in Machinery Delays Work in the Oil Fields.

After a delay of several days, caused by the breaking of machinery, the work of boring for oil on the Wagner property was resumed on Monday and is now progressing rapidly. The drill is down over 200 feet, and barring further delay the contractors expect to reach a depth of 2,000 feet within the ensuing forty days.

## Death of Gladstonian.

John Hayes died at his home in Gladstone last Saturday of typhoid fever, and was buried from St. Fidelis church Monday, the funeral being

attended by the L. L. A., of which the deceased was a member. A widow and seven children survive him.

## FIRST OF THE SEASON.

Modern Woodmen of Rapid River Will Give a Masquerade.

On the evening of October 19th Poplar Camp, No. 435, M. W. A., of Rapid River, will give its fifth annual masquerade ball at Lagerquist's hall, and the membership of that popular organization will endeavor to maintain its excellent reputation as royal entertainers. Brotherton's orchestra will furnish music, which is a sufficient guarantee that nothing will be lacking in this line. First and second prizes are offered to the best character, both lady and gent, and also for the most comical make-ups.

The committees are as follows: Executive: Jas. Larkins, John Burnette, C. J. Rabideau, Arthur Hoxford and Thomas O'Connell. Reception: A. A. Clumpner, C. E. Hamilton, D. C. Dillabough, Wayne Kinsel and O. O. Follo. Floor: Wm. J. Miller, Dr. A. L. Laing, Louis Konkel, Dr. A. S. Kitchin and Wm. Johnson. Refreshments: Jay Baker, H. E. Pfeifer, J. H. Sinnitt, Morris Goldman and R. P. Hill. Supper will be served from 6 to 12 o'clock by the ladies of the Catholic church.

## SLIGHT MISUNDERSTANDING

Woman From the Rural Realm Calls Down Inspector Millar.

On the office windows of the Franklin school building appears these words: "Board of Education." A few days ago a woman from the rural realm, accompanied by a comely maiden of sixteen, called upon Inspector J. M. Millar and after a few preliminaries regarding the school, in which she contemplated enrolling her daughter, asked the price per term for board and education. When told by Mr. Millar that he could only furnish information as to the latter, the woman very pointedly told the inspector that he'd better pull down his sign for "board and education" was what he advertised on the school building, and of all people in the world school folks and ministers should not attempt to deceive the public.

## 1,000 YARDS DELIVERED

That Amount of Crushed Stone Placed on Escanaba Streets.

John Biehler, who has a contract with the city for furnishing crushed stone for street work, tells a representative of The Iron Port that up to date he has delivered on board cars at Groosone thousand cubic yards of crushed stone. The contract price is sixty-five cents per yard. Mr. Biehler also furnishes the city with "chips" for foundation purposes and receives \$2 per cord f. o. b. Groos. He is at present employing ten hands at his quarry.

## INJURED AT FOOTBALL.

Clayton Moore Has Rib Broken in Practice Game.

While playing a practice game of football on the Franklin school grounds Saturday afternoon, Clayton Moore, employed by the Northwestern company, and who lives with his widowed mother at 614 Ludington street, had a rib broken. In a rush for the pig-skin a player attempted to jump over Moore, but his calculations were in error and he alighted upon the young man with the above result.

## NEW RAILROAD BEGUN.

Bay de Noquet Lumber Company Building Railway to Sturgeon.

Work on the Bay de Noquet Lumber company's proposed railway from Nahma to its extensive timber holdings along the Sturgeon river has been commenced, and will be completed as far as Sturgeon station, on the Soo line, a distance of four miles, this fall.

## Death of an Old Resident.

Many residents of Escanaba and Delta county will remember Samuel Spilk, a junk dealer who lived in this city some years ago. News comes from San Antonio, Texas, that Mr. Spilk died there on Saturday last. He was a member of U. P. Tent, K. O. T. M., of Escanaba.

## FAIR FLAT FAILURE

The Unfavorable Weather Conditions Held Responsible.

## FARM EXHIBITS ARE FEW.

Horsemen Disappointed Over Failure to Participate in the Speed Program.—Only One Heat Is Pulled Off.

With its customary ill luck the Delta County Agricultural society bumped up against unfavorable weather again this year, and as a result the seventh annual fair was a miserable failure. It was thought by the management that the weather man would have vent his spite against the association ere this, but the evidence produced proves otherwise. The fair was advertised to open for entries on Tuesday, but the rain descended in torrents during the greater portion of the day, and the list of entries consisted of vegetables brought in by Noel Bissolette, an Escanaba township farmer, and one article of furniture. Practically, the same conditions obtained on Wednesday, and as a consequence the speed contests were declared off. Thursday dawned brightly, and the horsemen had in anticipation one afternoon of sport, but about midday it commenced to rain, snow and hail alternately. A few enthusiastic patrons of the race track turned out and braved the elements, but after one heat, in which Peter Piper, Jo. M. and Daisy L. were the contestants, President Oliver declared "everything off" and the 1901 fair was at an end, even though there had been no beginning.

A goodly string of horses were entered for the races, including some new ones to this course. Wm. Firkus's sprightly pacer, Jo. M., moved out some in the one heat race, and nosed under the wire with Peter Piper in 2:32, Daisy L., owned by Peter Snyder of Gladstone, finishing two seconds later. Jo. M. was given a "crick in the neck" by his driver on the home-stretch.

## PAINTER FORGES CHECKS.

Two Escanabans Are Caught for Small Amounts by One Norton.

A painter by the name of Fred Norton, and who was employed by E. G. Turner for a fortnight past, unceremoniously disappeared from the city last Saturday night, leaving in the lurch a number of Escanabans. Saturday night Mr. Turner gave Norton a check on the First National Bank for \$9.50 in payment for work. Evidently Norton saw that he could imitate Turner's signature and he proceeded to make the most of his opportunity. Procuring Bank of Escanaba checks, Norton filled one out for \$12.40 and another for \$9.50, signing Turner's name thereon, and these were cashed by Mr. Primeau and W. H. Barnes. The genuine check was also cashed, and with the money thus obtained, \$27.40, Norton shook the dust of Escanaba from his sandals. The police department was informed of the transaction on Monday, immediately after the Bank of Escanaba had refused the bogus checks, and a search for the offender was instituted, but thus far without success.

## DOUBTS HIS STORY.

Morgan Who Claims to Have Been Robbed Has Been There Before.

Charles Morgan, whose home is in Algoma, Wisconsin, claims to have been robbed by two men, in the alley back of the Third Ward livery, on Tuesday night. Sam Newman, a dealer in horses, has a sale stable across the alley from Mr. Willie's livery, and, according to Morgan's statement, when entering the place about 11 o'clock Tuesday night he was attacked by two men, one of whom threw a sack over his head and whom shouldered and then held him while the other robbed him of \$45 in cash. The men, says Morgan, appeared so suddenly that to make effective resistance was impossible. Immediately after the alleged robbery the police were notified, a search of the

locality was made at once, but no clue to the perpetrators could be found.

Mr. Newman, whose money it was that disappeared, arrived in the city Wednesday, and to a representative of The Iron Port emphatically expressed doubts as to Morgan's story of the robbery, notwithstanding there were evidences of an encounter upon the person of the victim. Newman said Morgan lost \$48 while in Iowa several weeks ago, and alleged that something was happening to him all the time.

## NINETY-NINE YEAR LEASE.

Late Bishop Vertin Leased St. Joseph's Church for That Term.

An altogether new and quite unexpected condition of affairs has appeared in the matter of the separation of St. Joseph's church. It will be remembered that the Irish-American portion of the congregation petitioned the Bishop for either a pastor of their own nationality or a division of the church. Bishop Eis granted the latter, and appointed a committee of five each from the Irish-American and German-American elements of the church to appraise the church property and settle upon an equitable division thereof. These committees failed to perform the duty assigned them, and the matter was again referred to the Bishop.

It now transpires that the Franciscan order holds a ninety-nine year lease of the property, signed by the late Bishop Vertin and sanctioned by the Pope, and for this reason no settlement can be arrived at without the action of a higher authority. Apostolic Delegate Martelli, the Pope's representative in this country, now has the matter under advisement, and awaiting his decision in the matter the Bishop has instructed Fr. Langan to rent pews to his congregation for 7 and 9 o'clock masses, and this will be done tomorrow.

## UNKINDEST CUT OF ALL.

The Menominee Leader Makes Sport of a "Fake" Story.

A local correspondent to the metropolitan papers sends a "fake" story about people in this vicinity being obliged to sit up nights to keep the deer from eating off their door knobs, and the item brings forth the following comment from The Menominee Leader:

"What a paradise for hunters Escanaba will be when the deer season opens. If the deer keep on increasing in number as rapidly as late reports would have it, the hunter can sit on the hotel veranda in an easy chair and puff at his favorite brand 'clear Havana,' while popping away at the unsuspecting deer 'which is nosing underneath the snow for the grass between the street car tracks.'"

## GUS. BAEHRISCH INSANE.

Alderman Gus. Baehrish Taken to Newberry on Tuesday.

Gus. Baehrish, an old resident of this city, and for a number of years landlord of the Oliver House, was before Probate Judge T. B. White Monday afternoon, where Drs. H. B. Reynolds and W. A. Cotton examined his mental condition. They pronounced Mr. Baehrish insane, and Judge White issued an order committing him to the Newberry asylum, whither he was taken by undersheriff Olmsted the following day.

## Knocked Down by Cyclist.

On Saturday afternoon last, while Miss Helen Millar was walking on Harrison avenue, near Hale street, she was run down by a bicyclist, who, in direct violation of a city ordinance, was riding on the sidewalk. The handlebars of the bicycle struck her in the back, knocking her down and injuring her slightly. The cyclist was thrown headlong from his wheel, but escaped injury.

## Garden's Fair.

The farmers of Garden, Fairbanks and Sac Bay townships held a fair at Garden on Thursday and Friday, and reports say the attendance was liberal and the exhibits numerous and excellent in quality. Hon. Sam. M. Stephenson of Menominee and Ira Charley of Ingalls were present.

The Kellogg Switchboard & Supply company, of which E. C. Norton is local agent, is erecting a large store building at Tromblay.

## The Stage.

"The Minister's Son," a pastoral comedy drama, was presented at The Peterson Monday night by a decidedly clever company, headed by W. R. Patton. The performance was a novelty in many ways. We have recently had a surfeit of farces and melodramas and a play as fresh and wholesome as this was a relief to tired eyes and ears. Patton, as Simon Ray, appeared in a character full of contrasts and it must be said that he appeared to better advantage in his comedy moments than in some of the serious scenes assigned him. Most successful of Mr. Patton's support was J. G. McFarlane, as a young preacher. He was the cleric in voice, action and appearance. The play was presented by a big cast, which fact prevents individual mention here, but each member of the company shared honors with Mr. Patton in telling the charmingly natural story of "The Minister's Son."

The following attractions have been booked by Manager Peterson: Mahar's Minstrels; October 8; May Robbins' "Little Trixie," October 10, 11 and 12; "Don't Tell My Wife," October 17; Louis & Austin's Minstrels, October 22; "Humbug," October 23; "Devil's Auction," October 25; "Are You a Mason?" November 5; Porter J. White, November 6; Tim Murphy, November 12; "Gypsy Princess," November 21; "The Span of Life," November 27.

Ben. Hendricks, in the leading of "Ole Olson," made a decided hit at The Peterson Tuesday evening, but his audience was smaller than usual. This play is supposed to draw largely from the Scandinavian elements, and a counter attraction at one of the churches accounts in a measure for the light attendance.

### NEW FOOTBALL RULES.

Important Changes in Rules of the Now Prevailing Game.

A number of important changes have been made in the rules governing football, and for the benefit of lovers of the game The Iron Port gives them below:

The most important change in the new football rules this year is one relative to the fair catch. An official now judges whether or not a fullback has the opportunity to make a fair catch and not whether he merely attempts it in a wild manner. The old rule was made to protect the fullbacks from coming ends and read that a man must announce his intentions. This has been gradually discarded until now the player goes after his fair catch in anticipation of being protected.

If the ball is in the air and the player near enough he will naturally be given the right of way. If, however, the official does not announce it an end is perfectly justifiable in blocking him away from the ball even before it alights, to let a man on side come up the field and fall on it.

In rule 4 of the official guide a further definition of a safety is given. It provides for the case in which a fullback punts from behind his own goal line. Ordinarily, following the old rule which gives the ball to the opponents where it goes out of bounds, this would have been a touch-down where now it is brought in. In case the full kicks out now and the ball crosses his side line back of his goal line the referee will blow his whistle and announce a safety. The ball will then go back into play the usual way.

Another rule defines ahead of the ball as being ahead of that point of the pigskin nearest the goal line of the side not defending. If a team refuses to play after two minutes are up the referee will give the opposing side five yards. Pulling or hauling an opponent in the rush line is now regarded as delay of the game and the umpire may rule it as such.

A player putting the ball in play from out of bounds, must touch it inside and kick it ten yards, no special direction being mentioned.

The rules now require the referee to signal with his hand when the full ball is on the ground to a try at goal.

### EDUCATORS TO MEET.

Hancock Will Entertain Peninsula Educational Association.

The annual meeting of the Upper Peninsula Educational Association, which met here in January last, will be held this year in October, instead of in January as heretofore. It will be held in the copper country, Hancock being the place selected. Preparations are in hand to make this the largest and most successful meeting in the history of the association.

Leading educators of state and national reputation will be on the program. The local arrangements are in the hands of the four Copper

country superintendents, H. Z. Brock of Hancock, F. W. Cooley of Calumet, C. G. White of Lake Linden and J. S. Griffin of Houghton. The appointment of these gentlemen assures the success of the meeting so far as local arrangements are concerned.

The change of time of the meeting is made in the interest of a large attendance, October being a much pleasanter time of the year for the purpose than January. By having it near the beginning of the school year also, teachers are enabled to make fuller use of the help and inspiration received. All railroads will make low rates.

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### APPLE CROP A FAILURE.

Late Frosts Last Spring Kills the Blossoms—Less Than Half Crop.

The apple crop is a complete failure in this section. The frosts of last June killed the blossoms, and, practically speaking, no apples were grown this year. Frank Provo, an Escanaba township farmer, expected to harvest about 150 bushels of apples this fall, but instead gathered less than two bushels, and others in his neighborhood suffered similarly. C. D. Johnson of Maple Ridge township has a splendid young orchard, and should have had at least seventy-five bushels, but the frosts killed his blossoms completely, and he got only one-half bushel.

### CAN IT BE TRUE?

Rumor that Escanaba Road Will Be Built to Swanzy.

There is an unauthenticated rumor in circulation to the effect that the Escanaba & Lake Superior railroad will be continued in the direction of the east branch of the Escanaba river and finally reach Swanzy. The building of the new road to this point would most certainly show foresight and shrewd business tact on the part of the Escanaba road, but it is a question whether the project is even contemplated by the owners.

### NEW MANAGEMENT.

The Sherman House Leased by Mr. Glavin to Saginaw Party.

D. E. Glavin has leased the Sherman House, located on the second and three floors at 704-706 Ludington street, to Frank Johnson of Saginaw, who took possession on Tuesday. Mr. Johnson is a thoroughly experienced landlord, and will conduct a first-class hostelry.

### Teachers' Examination.

The regular teachers' examination for the county of Delta will be held at the council rooms in the city of Gladstone on October 17th, at 8:30 a. m. This examination is open to all applicants for second and third grade certificates. P. R. Legg, Commissioner of Schools.

### New Saw Mill at Faunus.

The saw-mill now in course of construction at Faunus will be ready for business in about a fortnight. A considerable amount of the machinery was purchased from the Escanaba Woodenware company of this city.

### At Menominee Today.

The local football team is trying conclusions with the Menominee eleven, on the latter's gridiron, this afternoon. The teams are said to be well matched.

## Railroads

The jury in the damage suit of F. Schmeckpepper against the North-western road at La Crosse, Wis., rendered a verdict of \$1,169.95 in favor of the plaintiff. The plaintiff in the case sued for \$2,500, alleging that his land was damaged to that extent during the floods of last spring owing to defective construction in the Northwestern tracks. This was a test case and it is now probable that several similar suits will be started on the same grounds.

J. M. Clifford, superintendent for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul company at Wells, has been granted a patent on an improved switching device. Leading railroad men pronounce the invention one of great value.

The construction department of the Chicago and North-Western has received instructions to at once arrange for rebuilding all the depots at stations on the Sioux City and Pacific between Sioux City and Omaha.

The Princeton and North-Western branch of the Chicago and North-Western has been completed from Princeton to Grand Rapids, Wis., about sixty miles, and will soon be ready for traffic to the latter point.

The Escanaba & Lake Superior road has received two new 60 foot passenger coaches from Pullman for use on its line between Wells and Channing.

The Chicago & North-Western has placed an order for six engines with the Schenectady plant of the American Locomotive company.

The Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie will add three engines to its equipment.

Half rates to Minneapolis, Minn., via the North-Western line. Tickets will be sold at one fare for round October 9, 10, 12 and 14, limited to return (by extension) until October 31, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Very low rates to New York City and return via the Northwestern line daily. Tickets will be sold until October 20, 1901, limited to return within 20 days. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

### THE POLICE MILL.

Grind of the Week as Shown by the Justices' Calendars.

Susie Wagner, a young woman with a tarnished character, was found in a woodshed in the rear of 415 Mary street Monday in a drunken stupor. Chief Pepin arrested her on the charge of disorderly conduct, and Justice Glaser imposed a fine of \$10 and costs, but suspended payment provided Susie would leave town. The chief of police escorted her to the train the same evening, and she departed for Green Bay.

Dan O'Connell and his wife of 304 South Mary street were arrested on Monday by Chief Pepin charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Both were fined \$10 and costs. Mrs. O'Connell paid and Dan went to jail for fifteen days.

The Barbers' Union will give a dance on the night of October 7th.

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# OFFICIAL MINUTES

Escanaba, October 1st, 1901.—The regular monthly meeting of the common council of the city of Escanaba was held in the council chamber, Tuesday evening, October 1st, 1901.

Present: The Mayor and Alderman Edouin, Kirkpatrick, Lehr, Lucas, Magher, McMartin, Priestler, Valentine, White and Wright—10.

The minutes of the regular meeting of Sept. 17th, 1901, and the adjourned regular meeting of Sept. 20th, 1901, were read and upon motion of Alderman McMartin, they were approved as read. Ayes—unanimous.

Upon motion of Alderman Priestler the liquor dealer's bond of George Hodges was approved. Ayes—unanimous.

The monthly reports of Justices of the Peace Glaser and Donovan, City Marshal Peppin and Poundmaster Valentine were read and upon motion of Alderman Kirkpatrick they were approved, and ordered placed on file. Ayes—unanimous.

Upon motion of Alderman Valentine, the monthly report of City Treasurer Nelson was accepted and order placed on file. Ayes—unanimous.

The monthly reports of the street commissioners were read and upon motion of Alderman McMartin they were accepted and allowed and the mayor and the clerk authorized to draw orders in payment of same.

Alderman Defnet entered and took his seat. Moved by Alderman Defnet that the bills against the city, as auditing committee be allowed and the mayor and clerk authorized to draw orders in payment of same. The motion prevailed by the following vote: Ayes, Defnet, Edouin, Kirkpatrick, Lehr, Lucas, Magher, McMartin, Priestler, Valentine, White, Wright—11.

City's poor bills	\$ 162 39
Street commissioners' bills	323 38
St com on Ford River road	260 25
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Escanaba Iron Works repairs	9 01
John Biehler on account	100 00
Delta Hardware Co sundries	63 43
C. & N. W. R. Y. Co fr on stone	80 00
Geo Lehr moving horse house	50 00
Mitwaukee Sentinel adv for city hall bids	2 80
W. A. Holquist carriages to park	12 00
A. H. Rolph expense memorial services	37 42
Dr. A. Nelson prof services	2 00
D. H. Carroll rent council room	75 00
Charleton, Gilbert & Demar plans and blue prints	90 00
Mrs. Kidd meal's prisoners	3 60
M. Peppin wood for jail	3 50
F. M. Olmsted meals for prisoners	15 00
Bittner, Wickert & Co feed	47 79
T. Magher shoeing	3 00
C. Maloney & Co feed	38 70
E. Glaser justice fees	9 00
H. Wilke oil	6 00
Stegeth Lumber Co lumber	193 05
E. P. Royce serv as engineer	40 00
Sorby Bros cement crossings	89 40
Frank Johnson wagon rental	8 00
Fred Anderson cedar posts	7 90
E. Olson sunds	36 34
James Tolan laundry	4 35

Julius Andrew & Sons Co.	8 25
Chicago General Fixture Co	3 68
Central Electric Co.	254 41
General Electric Co.	9 43
Engel & Co.	3 13
Penn Oil & Supply Co.	9 62
Quaker City Rubber Co.	8 13
Reliable Electric Co.	249 69
Standard Oil Co.	459 15
R. Williamson & Co.	7 17
Frank M. Beney	29 00
Delta Hardware Co.	15 81
Escanaba Journal	3 50
Escanaba Iron Works	12 58
Escanaba Woodenware Co.	15 00
Michigan Telephone Co.	16 50
I. Stephenson Co.	13 40
J. Roemer	29 82
E. Olson	6 66
Time roll September	500 00

The building committee reported that they had sold the building on lots 6 and 7 of block 65 for \$330.00 whereupon it was moved by Alderman Lehr that the report be accepted and placed on file. Ayes—unanimous.

The following resolution offered by Alderman Lucas was adopted by a unanimous vote. It appearing that the board of special assessors has made a special assessment roll of the sewers to be constructed in the alleys between Harrison avenue and Wolcott street, and between Wolcott street and Campbell street, from Ogden avenue to Hale street, and

that said roll has been filed in the office of the city clerk.

Resolved, That notice of the filing of the same be published in one of the city papers for two weeks and that the council will meet on the 22nd day of October, 1901, in the council chamber at 8 o'clock in the afternoon with the board of assessors to review said assessment roll.

On motion of Alderman White, supported by Alderman Valentine, and on the following yeas and nays vote: Yeas, Defnet, Edouin, Kirkpatrick, Lehr, Lucas, Magher, McMartin, Priestler, Valentine, White and Wright—11. Nays—none, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the sewer committee cause to be made an estimate of the entire cost of constructing sewers in the following streets and alleys, to wit: In the alleys between Charlotte and Mary streets, Mary and Jennie streets, and Jennie and Fannie streets, from Tweedy street north to Hale street, and in Tweedy street from the intersection of the alley between Jennie and Fannie streets east to a point where the alley between Charlotte and Mary streets intersect said Tweedy street, and in Hale street from the point of intersection of the alley between Fannie and Jennie streets east to Charlotte street, also in the alleys between First and Second streets in Campbell's addition to the City of Escanaba, from Bay street west to Mary street and in Mary street north to First street and in First street east to the point where the alley between Mary and Charlotte streets intersects, said First street in block 3 of said Campbell's addition, thence north in said alley to block 3 of Proprietor's Second Addition to the City of Escanaba, thence across said block to the center of Tweedy street, to a point where said sewer will intersect with the sewer above mentioned in Tweedy street, and present the same to the council.

The sewer committee presented an estimate of the cost of erecting sewers in the following streets and alleys in accordance with the direction of the council heretofore made as follows to wit: In the alleys between Charlotte and Mary streets, Mary and Jennie streets, and Jennie and Fannie streets, from Tweedy street north to Hale street and in Tweedy street from the intersection of the alley between Jennie and Fannie streets east to a point where the alley between Charlotte and Mary streets intersects said Tweedy street; and in Hale street from the point of intersection of the alley between Fannie and Jennie streets east to Charlotte street; also in the alleys between First and Second streets, in Campbell's addition to the City of Escanaba, from Bay street west to Mary street; and in Mary street north to First street; and in First street east to the point where the alley between Mary and Charlotte streets intersect said First street in block 3 of said Campbell's addition; thence north in said alley in block 3 of Proprietor's Second addition to the City of Escanaba; thence across said block to the center of Tweedy street to a point where said sewer will intersect with the sewer above mentioned in Tweedy street.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council: By direction of the common council we have caused to be made an estimate of the entire expense of constructing sewers in the streets and alleys above mentioned according to the plans and diagrams adopted and now on file in the office of the city clerk as follows:

4,725 ft of sewer in the alleys above mentioned	\$4,725.00
19 man holes	1,235.00
17 lamp holes	170.00
800 ft of sewer on street crossings	840.00
760 ft of sewer on Tweedy at	760.00
910 ft of sewer on Hale st.	910.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$8,640.00</b>

The above estimate includes the pipe, excavation and entire expense, of which expense the City of Escanaba should pay the following proportion: All the man holes, all lamp holes, all the sewer in the street crossings, and the entire expense of the sewers in Tweedy and Hale sts, making a total of \$3,915.00, leaving \$4,725.00 to be defrayed by special assessment.

Resolved, That this council determine that it is necessary as a public improvement to construct sewers in the alleys between Charlotte and Mary streets, Mary and Jennie streets, and Jennie and Fannie streets, from Tweedy street north to Hale street, and in Tweedy street from the intersection of the alley between Jennie and Fannie streets east to a point where the alley between Charlotte and Mary streets intersect said Tweedy street, and in Hale street from the point of intersection of the alley between Fannie and Jennie streets east to Charlotte street, also in the alleys between First and Second streets in Campbell's addition to the City of Escanaba, from Bay street west to Mary street and in Mary street north to First street and in First street east to the point where the alley between Mary and Charlotte streets intersects, said First street in block 3 of said Campbell's addition, thence north in said alley to block 3 of Proprietor's Second Addition to the City of Escanaba, thence across said block to the center of Tweedy street, to a point where said sewer will intersect with the sewer above mentioned in Tweedy street, and present the same to the council.



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the question of opening First street from Elmore street to Michigan avenue, was referred to the street committee, with instructions to report at the next regular meeting of the common council. Ayes unanimous.

Moved by Alderman McMartin that the city's gray team, and teamster, be placed under the charge of the street commissioner. Ayes, unanimous.

Upon motion of Alderman Lehr the council adjourned until next Thursday evening, Oct. 3rd, 1901.

H. J. Robertson, City Clerk.

Escanaba, Oct. 3rd, 1901.—The regular adjourned meeting of the common council of the City of Escanaba, was held in the council chamber Tuesday evening, Oct. 3rd, 1901.

Present: The Mayor and Alderman Edouin, Kirkpatrick, Lehr, Lucas, Magher, Preister, Valentine and White—8.

Moved by Alderman White that the contract for constructing sewers in the alleys between Harrison avenue and Wolcott street and also between Wolcott street and Campbell street from Ogden avenue to Hale street be awarded to Timothy Killian, and that he be required to furnish bonds for \$500.00 for the faithful fulfillment of his contract. The motion prevailed by the following vote: Ayes, Edouin, Kirkpatrick, Lucas, Magher, Preister, Valentine and White—7. Nays, Lehr—1.

Moved by Alderman Lucas that, as Mr. J. M. Lawson's bid for constructing the proposed city hall was the lowest. That he be awarded the contract to construct building according to the plans and specifications now on file in the city clerk's office. The motion prevailed by the following vote: Ayes, Edouin, Lehr, Lucas, Magher, Preister, Valentine and White—7. Nays, Kirkpatrick—1.

Moved by Alderman Lehr that the building committee be instructed to reshingle the second ward polling house. Ayes—unanimous.

Moved by Alderman Lehr that the Escanaba Water Co. be instructed to extend the water main so as to furnish fire protection for the Escanaba Woodenware Co.'s saw mill. Ayes—unanimous.

H. J. ROBERTSON, City Clerk.

## A LARGE INDUSTRY

The manufacture of cigars is rapidly becoming one of Escanaba's leading industries, thousands of dollars being paid annually to labor. The largest factory is that of Joseph Wickert, on West Ludington street, the interior of which is shown above. Last year Mr. Wickert turned out 504,000 cigars, and paid over \$7,000 for their making. His most popular brands are the "Fernando," "Elk," "Chief" and "Lincoln," but besides these he makes a special brand, "The Druggist," for Sourwine & Hartnett, who have an extensive retail trade on this particular brand, selling upwards of 40,000 annually to local consumers. Mr. Wickert's cigars are to be found throughout the upper peninsula, and the fact that his business is constantly increasing is a sufficient guarantee of the quality of his goods. Commencing in a comparatively small way in 1888, when he was associated with Robt. Bruhns, Mr. Wickert has built up a substantial business and is looked upon as one of Escanaba's solid business men.

## CITY IN BRIEF

Ernest Engberg was arrested at Beck & Carlson's saloon on Wednesday afternoon, charged with being drunk and disorderly, and was given a ride to the city prison in the red wagon. He attempted to "clean out" the saloon. In Justice Glaser's court Thursday morning he paid \$26.45.

"The Irish Pawnbrokers" appeared at The Peterson last night. The play is made up of specialties to a certain extent, and gave good satisfaction.

The city has decided to contest the claim of Mrs. Pool, who asked \$5,000 damages because of a fall upon a defective sidewalk.

M. L. Ellingham will open a general merchandising establishment at North Escanaba. He was formerly storekeeper for the I. Stephenson company at Wells.

J. S. Doherty, the real estate dealer, has an advertisement in The Iron Port today.

Read the proceedings of the common council, to be found on another page. They are full of interest to every taxpayer.

Over 700 has been expended in the building and repairing of sidewalks since May 1st.

George Hodges has opened a saloon in the building recently vacated by Nic. Bink.

D. Kratzke of Gladstone will open a store at Manistique.

## OCTOBER JURORS.

Escanaba city.—Alexander Christie, Solomon Greenhoot, Hugh Lyons, John E. Lehr, Edward Kirkpatrick, Fred Hess, Knute Knuteson, Louis

Lippold, Alexander Pariseau, Chas. Erickson.

Gladstone city.—Alexander Murker, John Lewis, Henry L. Michael, Charles Green, A. B. Cassidy, Charles Wals, James C. Mearns, Marion W. Lancaster. Baldwin—Alfred E. Besson. Bark River—Charles Westberg. Bay de Noc—Ole Erickson. Fairbanks—Armie Rochfort, Jr. Ford River—Albert J. Bessax. Escanaba—Andrew J. Berckma. Garden—Jacob Roberts. Maple Ridge—Neal Curran. Masonville—August Schram. Nahma—John A. Erickson. Sac Bay—Joseph Pizzalo. Wells—Moses Garner.

## ROOSEVELT, HOME RULER.

As Governor He Spanked His Children on Occasion.

Roosevelt stories are now in order. Here is a true one: The new president believes heartily in the old Biblical admonition that to spare the rod is to spoil the child, says an Albany dispatch to the New York World. The Roosevelt children have all been spanked—except during their babyhood—and very soundly too. Once when Ansley Wilcox of Buffalo, in whose house Mr. Roosevelt was sworn in as president, was a guest at the state executive mansion he sat talking to the governor shortly after the Roosevelt children had been put to bed. As the governor and his guest talked and smoked, peal after peal of laughter was heard coming from the nursery, and there were sounds of a general romping.

It annoyed the governor. He went out into the hall and called loudly to the nurse to have the noise stopped. He had hardly started the conversation again before the sounds of "cutting up" were as loud as before. "Excuse me," Mr. Roosevelt said grimly to his guest. He ascended the stairs to the nursery almost at a bound and in a few moments there was heard the "laying on of hands." Whack, whack, whack! Mr. Wilcox heard, and immediately the snickering stopped and sniveling took its place. Then the governor returned, a trifle winded and redder in the face, but with his determined expression unrelaxed.

## How to Treat Anarchists.

Let congress, writes ex-Attorney General John W. Griggs in Leslie's Weekly, declare that to teach or advise the overthrow or destruction of the federal government by murder, assassination or any other violent or unlawful means shall constitute a punishable offense against the United States. Let the states do the same with respect to state governments. Let it be made an offense punishable by imprisonment for life to belong to or knowingly participate in the proceedings of any organization, society, group or circle which holds as one of its tenets that it is justifiable to assassinate public officers. Let the publications of all such societies wherein such doctrines are taught be denied carriage through the mails and be made lawful objects of police suppression and the publishers subjected to indictment.

## War Presidents.

The Revolution gave us Washington for president, the war of 1812 gave us Jackson, the Mexican war gave us Taylor, the civil war gave us Grant and the Spanish war, says the Providence Journal, has given us Roosevelt.

## At Menominee Today.

The local football team is trying conclusions with the Menominee eleven, on the latter's gridiron, this afternoon. The teams are said to be well matched.

Rain and sweat have no effect on harness treated with Eureka Harness Oil. It resists the damp, keeps the leather soft and pliable. Scatches do not break. No rough surface to chafe and cut. The harness not only keeps looking like new, but wears twice as long by the use of Eureka Harness Oil.

Sold everywhere in cases—all sizes. Made by Standard Oil Company.



# Personal and Social

H. M. Stevenson, who was called to Holland, Lower Michigan, by the dangerous illness of his father, has returned home, his father's condition being much improved.

Wm. McCue has returned from a flying trip to Low Michigan. He was accompanied home by Mrs. McCue, who has been visiting relatives there for two months.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Johnson of Maple Ridge township are attending the Buffalo exposition, and will visit their old home at Utica, N. Y., before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnes of Gladstone spent a portion of the week in the city, the guests of Mrs. Barnes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wilson.

On Wednesday afternoon Justice Emil Glaser united N. Lachappel of Wilson and Miss Mary Derouin of Ford River in marriage.

Mrs. Perry McAdow, nee Miss Marion Tyrrell of this city, who has been touring Europe, has returned to her home in Florida.

The Misses Grace McColl and Rose Hessel left, on Monday, for Chicago, where they will enter a business college.

Mrs. J. P. Cleary returned home on Tuesday from a two months' visit with relatives in the lower peninsula.

Thos. Coan of Chicago is in the city, called hither by the death of his mother.

Mrs. F. H. Atkins entertained a party of lady friends Thursday afternoon.

Miss Mary McDonald has returned home from a month's visit at Florence.

Mrs. B. Leighton is at home from a visit to her former home in Maine. Henry Rahr of Green Bay was an Escanaba visitor on Wednesday.

H. W. Reade transacted business at Duluth this week.

Louis Jerome of Masonville township came down to the races on Wednesday, but as there was no start on account of a soft track he returned to the farm.

John P. ... who went to Mt. Clemens ... with rheumatism, writes that his condition is materially improved.

Barney G. Gunert, for several years bookkeeper for the ... Brewing company, has resigned his position.

Corra Hive, Lady Maccabees, will give a dancing party at North Star hall on the night of October 10th.

The Royal Neighbors and their friends danced at Clark's hall Thursday evening.

Wm. Lemieux of Marinette was the guest of Escanaba relatives this week.

Mrs. Herman A. Breitenbach is visiting her parents in Milwaukee.

Supervisor L. Van Winkle of Van's Harbor was in the city Tuesday.

The North Star society will give a pedro party, at its hall, tonight.

Fred H. Keune transacted business at Manitowoc this week.

Rev. Fr. Langan was a Milwaukee visitor this week.

Mrs. John O'Meara spent the week in Chicago.

Fred Hasen is home from Chicago.

Eugene McGillan, who resided in Escanaba for a short time a year or more ago, is with Otis Skinner's company, now playing "Prince Otto" in St. Louis.

Prosecuting Attorney John Cumiskey was called to Howell this week by the dangerous illness of his father.

Paul Wickert will return to Janesville, Wis., this evening after a two weeks' visit with his parents in this city.

Judge T. B. White returned, on Monday, from a week's visit to his old home at Jefferson, Wisconsin.

Mrs. E. W. Wickert will leave this evening for a month's visit with Chicago and Milwaukee friends.

Mrs. Emory Hofmann was tendered a "surprise" by her lady friends Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Otto Troudy went to Milwaukee this morning for a few days' visit with friends.

Mrs. W. H. Yockey is entertaining her sister, Miss May McHugh, of St. Louis.

Mrs. Carr of Crystal Falls is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Robert McCourt.

Miss Esther Lucia of Ogontz attended the institute this week.

Miss Hattie Burns is the guest of her cousin, Miss Minnie Lavigne.

George L. Green and wife visited at Fond du Lac this week.

Fred H. Engdahl, who has been touring Europe during the past three months, arrived home on Monday. His trip was a decidedly pleasant one, yet he was glad to get back to Escanaba.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buell have taken up their residence in Green Bay, that point being more convenient to Mr. Buell's work. The best wishes of many friends go with them.

Mrs. F. D. Mead returned on Sunday from Milwaukee, where she visited in the family of her brother, Mr. Myrick, of the Free Press.

Mrs. F. Loell has taken up a permanent residence in Milwaukee. She was a resident of this city for twenty years.

Miss Helen Mead, daughter of City Attorney F. D. Mead, is now a student at Downer college, Milwaukee.

Mayme and Kittle McCauley have accepted situations in Chicago, and left for that city Monday.

Louis Anderson and Chas. Beck hunted partridge near Isabella a portion of the week.

Peter Semer and Dr. Chevalier hunted, up the line of the Escanaba road, this week.

Robert Oliver has gone to Houghton to resume his studies at the Mining school.

Miss Anna McKilligan left this morning for Milwaukee to visit friends.

Miss Winnie Stolk and Miss Genevieve Goodell have returned from Ashland.

Miss Edith Fenton left, Tuesday, for Ypsilanti, where she will attend school.

John Groos left for Chicago on Monday. He is taking a medical course.

Mrs. John Trotter, who has been dangerously ill, is gradually improving.

Mrs. F. E. Darling of Rapid River, visited relatives in the city this week.

The Misses Mayme and Carrie Tyrrell spent Sunday at Negaunee.

The Modern Woodmen of Wilson gave a dance last night.

James Boddy and family have moved to Beloit, Wis.

Ed. Hodson is attending a Chicago dental college.

A. Z. Sourwine of Powers was in town Tuesday.

F. H. Van Cleve was at Menominee Tuesday.

Menominee Leader: "George Lemieux goes to Escanaba this week to accept of an important position with the Delta Hardware company. He will take his family to Escanaba and they will reside with a brother, James Lemieux, until a suitable residence can be found. George is a good hardware man and he will have little difficulty in making himself useful and indispensable in his new position."

Miss Hazel Fisher entertained a party of young friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher of Hale street, Saturday evening.

Miss Leola McDonald of Ayer street, has been confined to her home this week by injuries received from a fall upon the sidewalk.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Erickson returned, on Sunday, from Chicago, where they attended the Erickson-Gabrielsen nuptials.

Rev. F. F. W. Greene of St. Stephen's Episcopal church held services in the school house at Rock last Friday evening.

George English returned from Sturgeon Bay, Wisconsin, Sunday, leaving his work there on account of illness.

Mrs. Wesley Wells, after a pleasant visit with friends in Iowa, has returned to her home in Wells.

Fred Kaufmann spent the week in Escanaba. He conducts a branch sale stable at Ishpeming.

Chas. W. Lightfoot of Gladstone circled around among his Escanaba friends on Monday.

Attorney W. P. Hibbard of Rapid River transacted business in Escanaba on Monday.

Allen John spent Sunday at Marinette, returning here Monday morning.

Geo. Demit, one of Rapid River's solid men, was in the city on Monday.

Miss Gertrude Selden has spent the week with Stambaugh relatives.

Mr. Hodges will spend some weeks at the Battle Creek Sanitarium.

John Jackson has opened a tailor shop over Ed. Erickson's store.

H. W. Cole of Rapid River attended the county fair this week.

J. D. Downing, representing the Madison Medicine company of Madison, Wis., was in the city on Monday. As a result of his visit The Iron Port will contain an advertisement for his company during the ensuing three years.

Archie Campbell was a recent visitor to Sault Ste. Marie, and he speaks nothing but words of praise for the enterprising and progressive spirit of her citizens. He predicts a great future for the Soo.

Mr. R. Carey May has severed his connection with The Iron Port, and is temporarily employed by The Journal.

Andrew Anderson of Marinette, has accepted a position in the mechanical department of The Iron Port.

Miss Alice Valentine is teaching school at Northland, a new town on the Escanaba railroad.

Mrs. Alice Moore returned Sunday morning from an extended visit with relatives in Chicago.

Miss Jo. Longley, who is teaching at Rock, is at home to attend the teachers' institute.

Mrs. F. V. Greenlaw transacted business in Chicago the first of the week.

Peter Snyder of Gladstone tarried in town a few hours on Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Norton, Sunday last, a daughter.

Mrs. Joseph Wickert is at Mt. Clemens.

Miss Florence Gagnon and Andrew Olson both of this city were united in marriage on Wednesday of this week, and are spending a few days with the groom's parents in Ford River.

Thos. Provost and Malvina Seymour of Schaffer were married at the Sacred Heart Church at that place on Monday.

Bred Lavigne, an Escanaba boy, is now manager of the Nelson House at Ishpeming.

Mrs. T. L. Geizer returned from Chicago yesterday morning.

Mrs. Will Irwin is at home from a visit with Wisconsin friends.

John B. Wilson of Marquette, deputy factory inspector for the upper peninsula, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Hartnett and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cobern attended the Provost-Seymour wedding at Schaffer Monday.

County Treasurer George T. Burns attended the fair at Garden this week.

Robert Burns of Menominee is now employed by O. B. Fuller at Ford River "measuring the cut" of the mills at that place.

Ed. Hodson is attending a Chicago dental college.

A. Z. Sourwine of Powers was in town Tuesday.

F. H. Van Cleve was at Menominee Tuesday.

Menominee Leader: "George Lemieux goes to Escanaba this week to accept of an important position with the Delta Hardware company. He will take his family to Escanaba and they will reside with a brother, James Lemieux, until a suitable residence can be found. George is a good hardware man and he will have little difficulty in making himself useful and indispensable in his new position."

Miss Hazel Fisher entertained a party of young friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher of Hale street, Saturday evening.

Miss Leola McDonald of Ayer street, has been confined to her home this week by injuries received from a fall upon the sidewalk.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Erickson returned, on Sunday, from Chicago, where they attended the Erickson-Gabrielsen nuptials.

Rev. F. F. W. Greene of St. Stephen's Episcopal church held services in the school house at Rock last Friday evening.

George English returned from Sturgeon Bay, Wisconsin, Sunday, leaving his work there on account of illness.

Mrs. Wesley Wells, after a pleasant visit with friends in Iowa, has returned to her home in Wells.

Fred Kaufmann spent the week in Escanaba. He conducts a branch sale stable at Ishpeming.

Chas. W. Lightfoot of Gladstone circled around among his Escanaba friends on Monday.

Attorney W. P. Hibbard of Rapid River transacted business in Escanaba on Monday.

Allen John spent Sunday at Marinette, returning here Monday morning.

Geo. Demit, one of Rapid River's solid men, was in the city on Monday.

Miss Gertrude Selden has spent the week with Stambaugh relatives.

Mr. Hodges will spend some weeks at the Battle Creek Sanitarium.

John Jackson has opened a tailor shop over Ed. Erickson's store.

H. W. Cole of Rapid River attended the county fair this week.

J. D. Downing, representing the Madison Medicine company of Madison, Wis., was in the city on Monday. As a result of his visit The Iron Port will contain an advertisement for his company during the ensuing three years.

## AMONG CHURCHES

### The Methodist Episcopal Has Paid Off the Last of Its Indebtedness.

### BAPTISTS GAIN STRENGTH.

### The Harvest Home Services at the Presbyterian Church Interfered with by Rain—Other Church News in Brief.

Last Saturday the Methodist Episcopal church of this city paid off the last of its indebtedness and begins the conference year with a small balance on the right side of the ledger. Two years ago when Rev. Mr. Kerridge accepted his pastorate there was a considerable debt hanging over the church, but during the intervening time over \$2,500 has been paid, and the entire indebtedness wiped out. The ladies have been earnest workers in this cause. Their recent church fair netted nearly \$300, and this was turned into the treasury. Improvements, aggregating \$700 have recently been made to the interior of the edifice.

Notwithstanding the Harvest services at the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning were held amid a downpour of rain, which lasted from early morning until noon, they were quite generally attended by members of the Sunday school and many of the congregation. The interior of the church was elaborately decorated, fruits and vegetables being displayed in abundance about the altar, while the fragrance of blooming flowers filled the air. The artistic arrangement produced a very pretty effect. There was special music and the entire service proved instructive and helpful to all.

The interior of the Baptist church, at the corner of Sarah and Ayer streets, has been remodeled, newly papered, painted and carpeted, handsome pulpit furniture put in, and now presents an altogether inviting appearance. Rev. W. H. Johnson, denominational missionary in the upper peninsula and a resident of this city, has filled the place of pastor the past ten months, and during that period the membership of this church has increased from 23 to 40, and about \$1,000 has been raised for improvements. A new furnace will be placed in the basement of the church this month.

The board of church extension of the Methodist church announces that its general fund is overdrawn nearly \$25,000 and that it has made donations, which, if paid, would make the fund overdrawn nearly \$105,000, and that the board must have a great increase in collections or it will be greatly embarrassed.

The fall meeting of the Lake Superior Presbytery was held at Calumet this week and was attended by Rev. Alex. Urquhart and wife, and A. J. Haggitt and wife of this city. The meeting was opened with devotional services and a sermon by Rev. Urquhart.

At the Methodist church tomorrow Pastor Kerridge will speak on the following themes: Morning, "Peace the Gift of God's Love," evening, "Are the Rules of the Church to Hard to Keep?"

Rev. W. H. Johnson will attend the annual state convention of the Baptist church, to be held at Grand Rapids on October 16-17-18, at which time he will make an exhaustive report on his missionary work in the upper peninsula.

Rev. Alex. Urquhart of the Presbyterian church, and Rev. W. H. Johnson of the Baptist church, will exchange pulpits tomorrow.

A "Measure Social" was held in the basement of St. Stephen's church Thursday evening.

### MAKES A GOOD DEAL.

### Eric Anderson Buys Building on Site of Proposed City Hall.

The building occupying the site of the proposed hall has been sold to Eric Anderson, the consideration being \$300. Mr. Anderson is moving the building to the corner of Ludington and Maple streets, and it will be occupied by Holmgren & Anderson, the flour and feed dealers, as soon as ready. The structure is 30x70 feet, two stories high, and is considered one of the very best frame buildings in the city.

### CONTRACT AWARDED.

### J. W. Lawson Gets Job of Building City Hall For \$28,590.

The common council convened on Thursday evening and awarded contracts for the construction of the proposed new city hall building and the laying of sewers in the alleys heretofore named in The Iron Port. For the city building John W. Lawson captured the contract, his bid being \$28,590 as against \$29,007, that of Mr. Lindsay. The building will be of sandstone to the second floor, and the contract calls for completion by August 1, 1902. Work will be inaugurated immediately.

Timothy Killian was awarded the contract for constructing sewers, his bid being \$1,315.80. John H. Moran bid \$1,740 and Norton Brothers \$2,164.

holidays, and also 1,000 copies of each issue of The Iron Port, which are sent broadcast throughout Delta county. Watch for the Fair's "ad."

### A CARNEGIE LIBRARY.

### Miss Etta McCarthy Endeavors to Get One For Escanaba.

Miss Etta McCarthy, appreciating—as most of us do—that a public library in this city would prove of inestimable value to our young people, has set about to interest Mr. Carnegie in Escanaba's need in this direction. She has taken the matter up with one of Mr. Carnegie's most intimate friends, who gives assurance that concerted action on the part of citizens would probably meet with the desired result.

Early last spring J. M. Hartnett, then mayor, had some correspondence with Mr. Carnegie regarding the building of a library here, and then, as well as now, nothing but encouragement was had.

### ATTEMPTED ROBBERY.

### Unknown Man Goes Through Safe of the Blue Ribbon Saloon.

An attempt to rob the Blue Ribbon saloon, owned by Johnson & Miller, was made Monday night. An unknown man entered the saloon by a side door and took a box of nickels from the safe, but he miscalculated the weight of the coin and in bringing it forth dropped the box. This attracted the attention of the bartender, who was busy at the time. The fellow escaped, but without realizing anything from his efforts.

### RACES NEXT WEEK.

### Postponed Fair Races to Come Off at Early Date.

It is likely that the races which were to have taken place at the county fair will be pulled off next week. The horsemen are "spoiling" for a trial of speed, and a meeting will be held Monday night to decide upon a day for the races.

### Olson Gets Contract.

At a meeting of the Board of Education, held Tuesday evening, bids for heating apparatus for the new addition to the Bar school building were opened. E. Olson being the lowest bidder was awarded the contract, the price being \$1,575.85.

### Struck by Lightning.

The Parkinson Cedar company's store at Hardwood was struck by lightning last Friday night, and slightly damaged. Supt. Warren, who lives in this city, received a severe shock, but was otherwise uninjured.

### New Grocery Store.

Sam Pouliot has opened a small grocery and notion store at the corner of Fannie and Ayer streets.

The funeral of the late Mrs. John Coan will be held from St. Joseph's church tomorrow morning.

## THE CITY IN BRIEF

### Many Minor Matters More or Less Interesting.

### THE WEEK'S ROUND UP.

### Interesting Paragraphs Concerning the Happenings of the Past Week in Escanaba and Adjacent Territory.

The police took in a supposedly one-armed man, found on Ludington street Saturday afternoon in a beastly state of intoxication. When taken to the city bastille investigation revealed the fact that the left arm was strapped closely to the body under his shirt, and the man, who is passed middle age, had evidently been working the inability to work racket. No charges were preferred against him, however, and he was ordered out of town on Sunday.

The former manager of the Raber & Watson cedar firm of Menominee, Mr. A. V. Freeman, has been arrested for embezzling a sum amounting from \$15,000 to \$20,000. Freeman, who is well known in Escanaba, where he transacted considerable business for his firm, was distrusted of crookedness last spring and discharged. Recent investigation, however, revealed the fact that Freeman had embezzled, and he was arrested in Chicago and returned to Menominee.

Mrs. John Coan died at her home at the corner of Ludington and Elmore streets, Thursday night, after an illness of only a short time. She had, however, been suffering from Bright's disease for a long time, and according to the attending physician, death resulted therefrom. Up to the hour of going to press no arrangements have been made for the funeral.

W. J. Hatton, superintendent of the water works, owns land in Wyoming, near the newly discovered oil fields. He had inquiries as to his price per acre, but refuses to dispose of the property at this time.

Make assimilation perfect, healthy blood, firm muscles, strong nerves. Quickens the brain, makes and keeps you well. Great medicine, Rocky Mountain Tea. 35c. Sourwine & Hartnett.

The street cars should make better connections at the down-town siding. A five minutes' wait at that point is not an unusual thing.

Mrs. Joseph Hess has erected two dwelling houses at the corner of Hale and Jennie streets, at a cost of about \$3,000.

Get your picture enlarged for 8c, worth \$3.50. Samples shown at the Leading Variety Store.

The foundation for Col. G. T. Burns' new residence is finished.

# Stand by the Standard!

Price's Cream Baking Powder is everywhere the acknowledged standard, the powder of the highest reputation, greatest strength, and absolutely pure. It renders the food more healthful and palatable, and using it exclusively you are assured against alum and other dangerous chemicals from which the low-grade powders are made.

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NOTE.—Alum baking powders are low priced, as they cost but three cents a pound to make. But alum leaves in the bread or cake glibber salts, sulphuric acid and hydrate of alumina—all injurious, the last two poisonous.

# OPERATION ON M'KINLEY

### Dr. Shrady's Views on the Celebrated Case.

## SAYS DOCTORS ERRED FROM FIRST

Editor of the New York Medical Record Accuses the Staff of Surgeons Attending the Late President. Claims the Case Was Fatal from the Start.

Dr. George F. Shrady boldly and freely criticizes the surgeons who attended Mr. McKinley. Dr. Shrady writes editorially on "The Revelations of the Autopsy" in the current issue of the New York Medical Record.

Probably no more severe criticism of brother physicians ever appeared in a medical journal, although it is written "only for the purpose of getting at the truth and learning perhaps a useful lesson."

Dr. Shrady is eminent in his profession and is one of the physicians who attended General Grant in his last illness. He is editor of the New York Medical Record, which medical men throughout the country regard as an authority on medicine and surgery.

Thus Dr. Shrady writes: "The revelations of the autopsy on the body of President McKinley are deeply significant from many pathological and surgical points. While the report of the physicians is meant to be merely a preliminary one, the main facts thus far presented are sufficiently explicit to participate in all essential particulars the fuller account which is promised later.

"Taken in connection with the clinical history of the case and the extremely optimistic views of some of the consultants the discovery of certain of the lesions named is both a surprise and a disappointment. It is a pity indeed that such an evident failure in diagnosis should have been so conspicuously demonstrated to the general public. It has proved, in fact, the lost opportunity for an entirely contrary exhibition of judgment, skill and tact.

"In reconciling the findings after death with the symptoms during life there are many relations between causes and effects which, although hidden before, are now very painfully apparent. We may comfort ourselves by saying that under the circumstances events were uncontrollable and results unavoidable, but the public, alas! view the real situation in a very matter of fact way. The operation of suturing the stomach wounds was timely, proper and, so far as it went, brilliant. Medical men the world over were proud to hear that it had been done so promptly and so well upon a person of such importance.

"But now, in the light of the autopsy, we know that the operation, carefully conducted as it was, was necessarily an incomplete one.

"This is speaking of the procedure from a strictly surgical standpoint irrespective of the ultimate doom of the patient in any event. Time was precious, and prolonged search for the ball was impossible; consequently the condition and course of the wound beyond the stomach could not be positively ascertained at the time. The surgeons satisfied themselves, therefore, that it was safe to leave this terminal wound to itself and close up the abdomen. They used their best judgment under trying conditions; but, unfortunately, that judgment was in error.

"Then came the bulletins and interviews so eagerly read by an anxious nation. It was stated at first that the stomach wounds were the only causes for anxiety, that the ball having lodged in the muscles of the back would become safely encysted and that septic peritonitis from possible leakage of the stomach contents was the only thing to be feared.

"When the latter danger was over, there came the surprising intelligence that the patient would certainly recover. This in the face of a continued high temperature and rapid pulse! Then it was announced that all the wounds had healed perfectly and the only real danger was centered in a weak heart. Hardly had this bulletin been issued when it was announced that the external wound was found to be infected, necessitating the removal of some stitches. Still it was said that the distinguished patient was doing excellently well—in fact, even better than before.

"Next was the report of an attack of indigestion claimed to be due to food given too soon, and last of all and without warning came the appalling accounts of his rapid collapse and surprisingly quick death.

"Worst of all, however, were the actual facts of the autopsy, which seemed to prove to the public that the doctors had been wrong in their conception of the case from the beginning to the end. Sadly enough, not one of the principal lesions gave any evidence of its existence during life. The good condition of the wound behind the stomach, of which all the surgeons were so pronouncedly confident, was an illusion and a snare.

"What was considered to be a most insignificant factor became the most important of all. Instead of the terminal track of the bullet being healed and the ball encysted it was found at the autopsy to be gangrenous throughout. Thus a most startling error of diagnosis was flauntingly accentuated.

"The practical surgeon very properly asks himself why the condition and the direction of the track behind the stomach were not discovered at the time the parts were exposed during the operation.

"That the problem was not solved

then and there was certainly not due to any want of forethought on the part of the operator, whose skill in his line no one can question. The only answer must be that such a thorough examination of the parts was impossible at the time. Still it seems hard to explain why all the gentlemen on the case were so satisfied with the real nature of a wound that they obviously knew nothing about.

"The Medical Record was exceedingly anxious on this point and earnestly called attention to the possibility of there being a wound of the pancreas or kidney or both. Unfortunately, as the sequel too well shows, we were right in at least one particular. Another matter is that which referred to the desirability of an X ray examination to locate the ball. The Record urged this as of the greatest importance, and yet, with the apparatus at hand, it was repeatedly and publicly stated that such an examination was not at all necessary. In fact, it seemed safer to guess than to be sure.

"What comment suggests itself in this connection when even at the autopsy, so far as can be ascertained at present, it was not considered worth the trouble to search for the ball beyond a certain point? What excuse must be offered to the public for the utter inability to find the bullet even in the dead body?

"All these matters may, however, be properly explained when the fuller account of the postmortem is given to the medical and lay public.

"Many different theories have been offered by the medical attendants concerning the cause of gangrene of the bullet track. By some the condition is charged to a poisoned bullet, by others to the leakage of pancreatic juice into the bullet sinus and by still others to mere lack of recuperative energy in the tissues involved.

"On these points, however, the professional is willing to suspend judgment pending the completion and publication of the official reports of the postmortem examiners. Viewing the strictly surgical aspects of the case in the light of the antipathical demonstrations, certain points of treatment might naturally suggest themselves.

"Every one knows that such an injury as existed in the president's case is uniformly fatal. The most favorable result that could have been expected was the healing of the wound and the possible establishment of a fistula—in this case a permanent, narrow duct opening on the surface of the body. This would certainly be infinitely better even as a tentative measure than accidentally leaving a leaking kidney or pancreas in a closed cavity to work such mischief as was manifested in the gangrenous condition of the surrounding tissues in the case in question.

"Allowing that the bullet had actually lodged in the muscles of the back, also that the muscle was within easy reach, it would be following a good surgical rule to establish drainage by the most direct route posteriorly. This course, however, could not be followed, as the bullet, on account of the unfortunate conditions already noted, was not accurately located.

"Under the circumstances, therefore, and taking everything into consideration, it is comforting to note that all was done for the distinguished patient that was possible. In fact, as was repeatedly stated by the operator, 'the case was a fatal one from the start.'

"In thus remarking upon the public aspect of the case it is only for the purpose of getting at the truth and learning, perhaps, a useful lesson. In the same spirit we can afford to view the strictly professional side. To err is human, but wisdom comes from experience.

"It is safe to say that under like circumstances in future the gentlemen concerned would act somewhat differently. We sincerely trust that they at least would not then be asked to explain why they allowed a lost ball to be buried with the victim's body."

## PREDICTS TRADE DIVISION.

### America and England Will Share Iron and Steel, Says Gates.

"The next three years will see that big boom of contention, the steel and iron trade, amicably divided between America and England, but Anglo-American competition in other lines will grow more strenuous, and the result cannot be foretold," said John W. Gates, the steel magnate, the other day at Chicago to a reporter of the New York World.

"American and British steel and iron manufacturers," he continued, "will agree on a uniform scale of prices, believing there is enough money in the business for both. The alarm occasioned Great Britain by American manufacturers at the present time, however, has not been exaggerated."

### The Minor Prophets.

For every warm day that we have from now on till Christmas there will be some one to say it is the Indian summer, says the Boston Transcript. That short and blissful season is indeed a movable feast, according to individual unofficial calendars.

### Fall on the Lakes.

The fearless sailor takes His life in hand and sails Out on the blue, far stretching lakes, And angry gales Come down with all the might they can From north lands where wind feeds are bred And rush upon the sailor man, Strong limbed and brown, As if some ancient grudge had led Them in their search to hunt him down.

The moon shines cold upon the lakes, And, drifting, far Out where the heavy billow breaks, A hat is curv'd of a spout Beside a woman's knee a child Who bears the mad shrieks of the wild North wind sends up a little prayer For him whose ancient foe at last Have won and wait to cast A white face up somewhere.

—A. K. Rice in Chicago Record-Herald.

# WHIRLPOOLS IN THE SUN

### New Step to Be Taken in Astronomical Investigation.

## CHIEF WORK BY MISS KLUMPKA.

Garrett P. Serviss Tells How the Woman Astronomer Will Try to Ascertain by Photography Whether Spiral Shaped Nebulae That Glow in the Skies Are Subject to Visible Whirling Motions.

Something entirely new is about to be undertaken in astronomy, and the brilliant American girl astronomer, Dorothea Klumpke, is to perform the most important part of the new work, says Professor Garrett P. Serviss in the New York Journal. If successful, it will afford us a wonderful glimpse into the mechanism of the universe. It is no less than an attempt to ascertain the aid of photographs whether the great spiral shaped nebulae that glow here and there among the stars are subject to a visible whirling motion.

The forms of these strange objects indicate that they resemble in their nature vast whirlpools composed of incandescent gases, mingled perhaps with meteoric bodies and started in gyration by means of forces and influences not clearly comprehensible to us. But hitherto there has been no direct evidence of motion in these nebulae. So far as any visible change is concerned they might be as motionless as frost figures upon a window pane.

Telescopic observation alone does not suffice to reveal their movements, because they are so immense and the length of an observation is so brief that there is not time enough for the effects of the probable motion to reveal itself to the eye. Moreover, on account of the faint and hazy outlines of the nebulae, no drawings of them made by hand can be rendered sufficiently accurate to serve the purpose. But now that astronomical photography has reached a high degree of perfection all this is changed, and it is hoped that by comparing such photographs taken at intervals the whirling of the nebulae will be rendered evident to our senses.

The interest of this experiment lies in the fact that there is some reason to think that the spiral nebulae represent a primordial condition of the substance out of which the stars, worlds and suns composing the universe have been formed. Our solar system may once have glowed softly in the depths of space in the form of a rather small spiral nebula before its gleaming atoms had been whirled and compacted into sun and planets. Thus in studying the spiral nebulae we are like the botanist who is able to see locked up in the shell of an acorn the germ of the undeveloped oak.

By learning what laws control the motion and contraction of such nebulae we shall approach toward a solution of the old and always interesting question of how the world began. But the fact should not be lost sight of that the spiral nebulae now visible in the heavens enormously exceed in extent the entire solar system.

It is probable that such nebulae as the large one in Canes Venatici or the still mightier one in Andromeda contain enough matter to form hundreds if not thousands of solar systems. In their case a gigantic sun like Arcturus, exceeding our sun thousands of times in size and radiant capacity, may be in process of formation. And we are at liberty to suppose that around such giant suns giant worlds will revolve when the process of the ages has brought them into existence.

In short, the aim of the new step that Miss Klumpke is to take in astronomical investigation is to clear up some of the mystery that now surrounds those objects in the heavens which give in their appearance every indication that they stand for the most ancient form of cosmical order emerging out of primeval chaos.

If the method proves as effective as is hoped, we may not have to wait very long for results, because fortunately very excellent photographs of the chief representatives of the spiral nebulae began to be made by Dr. Isaac Roberts in England ten or twelve years ago, and his series of photographs has been continued at more or less frequent intervals during all the intervening time.

Miss Klumpke's first work will consist of a most careful measurement and comparison of these accumulated photographs of Dr. Roberts, upon which, as already explained, the results of any change of form undergone by the respective nebulae must be recorded, provided that those changes have been rapid enough to reveal themselves in the course of a decade.

Possibly as photography improves it will become easy to detect motions in the nebulae of a far more complex form than has yet been suspected. Certainly astronomy has never presented more important or more fascinating problems than it does today, and the means of attacking these problems have never been more abundant or more full of promise.

### A Tomato Trust.

The farmers who are engaged in growing tomatoes in the vicinity of Elwood, Ind., will form a combine against the canning factories next season, says the New York Times. A meeting has been called for Saturday, Nov. 9, to discuss the proposition and determine the prices they should have for their product. The system of docking will also come up for attention. The tomato growers say that the canners have united against them and in self defense they must organize. A similar attempt was made in the spring, but it was found to be an inopportune time to push the project.

# Real Estate Bargains

One house and lot, corner Georgia and Ayer streets; price, \$1850  
One house and lot, No. 815 Ayer street; price, 1750  
One house and lot, No. 407 Georgia street; price, 1500  
One house and two lots, corner Michigan and Tilden avenues; price, 3700  
One house and two lots on South Mary street; price, 1800  
Same house with one lot; price, 2500  
Two houses and two lots in Nor. Escanaba; prices \$600 and \$1200 respectively.

Two houses and two lots on So. Sarah street; prices \$950 and \$2100, respectively.  
One house and lot, corner Cleveland Ave. and Ayer St.; price \$300  
One 7-room house and lot on No. Charlotte street; price, 1550  
One house and lot, No. 517 Cleveland avenue; price, 900  
One house and lot, No. 315 So. Charlotte street; price, 2000

One house and lot, corner Fannie and Hale streets; price, 1200  
One house and lot on Ludington street; price, 3200  
One 8-room house on So. Fannie street; price, 1600  
One 8-room house on Elm street; price, 1225  
Two lots on Maple street; each 275

One lot, corner Mary and Langley streets; price, 1000  
Two lots on Wells avenue; respectively, \$600 and \$950.  
Three lots on Cleveland avenue; each, 275  
One corner lot on Elm St.; price 300  
Five lots on So. Fannie St.—inside lots, \$375 each; corner lots, \$400 each.  
Three lots on Ludington street; price, each, 1000  
Two lots on So. Jennie St.; price respectively, \$375 and \$400.  
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Eighty acres of fine timbered land in Baldwin Township, one mile from C. & N. W. Ry. main line. A bargain at, 1000  
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HAROLD W. BANKS, M. D. Physician and Surgeon. Office 814 Ludington St., Residence 508 S. Georgia St. Hours: 10 to 11 a. m. and 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 p. m.

Andrew Nelson, M. D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office and residence 110 Ludington St., over city drug store. Hours: 10:00 to 12:00 a. m., 2:00 to 4:00 p. m. and 7:00 to 9:00 p. m. Residence North Mary street.

Teachers' Examination. The regular teachers' examination for the county of Delta will be held at the council rooms in the city of Gladstone on October 17th, at 8:30 a. m. This examination is open to all applicants for second and third grade certificates. P. R. LEOX, Commissioner of Schools.

The Barbers' Union will give a dance on the night of October 7th.



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One lot of Men's Working Shoes, all solid, at..... **1.00**

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We carry the largest line of Men's Cruisers and River Shoes in the city

### Hats! Caps!

We can sell you a Hat at 50c or higher. Our fall line is now in and it is a complete stock from start to finish. Our hat stock is all new and we are showing nothing but the best of styles.

Our Cap stock is right, showing a very good cap for 25c, from that price to \$1.50. Extra good values, all new goods, and made by the best cap makers.

### Men's Shirts

In Shirts we carry a very large line, made by the best shirt makers. Both in flannel and dress shirts.

In fancy shirts we carry all the best known brands, such as Wilson Bros., Manhattan, Monarch and Elgin. Quality the best and at the right price.

### Men's Gloves.

Our stock of Men's Gloves, both working and dress gloves is the most complete in the city. We have them in abundance and at prices to suit all pocketbooks.



### Men's Overcoats.

There are several new things in this line this season and we are showing them. They come in all lengths and colors and cloths. Let us show you ours and you will see the best line in the city. Prices range from

**\$4.50 to 25.00.**

We also carry a full line of Men's Fur Coats that are right up-to-date.

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### Men's Suits.

This season we are showing something very nice in the Men's Suit line and those that have bought or seen them say it is the best line ever shown in the city. Our suits range in price from

**\$6.50 to 22.50.**

We are showing a line at \$10.00 that has not been sold at such a price before. All the newest goods that are out for fall and a very large line. The makes consist of such as The Stein-Bloch Co., The David Adler & Sons Clothing Co., and B. Kuppenheim & Co. We stand by these goods and the makers stand by us. So you run no chance.



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### Boys' Suits and Reefers.

Boys' 3-piece Suits, ages from 3 to 9, prices from **\$1.25 up.**

Nice new patterns like out and a large line to select from.

Boys' Suits, sizes from 9 to 16, in all the latest patterns and cloths. Prices range on this lot from

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Boys' Reefer Coats, ages run from 3 to 16, nice heavy warm goods such as your boy will want for winter at the very lowest prices. We start them at \$2.25.



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1 lot Men's Wool Hose, for..... **.10**

1 Lot Men's Wool Hose, Two pair for 25c..... **.15**

1 Lot Men's Wool Hose, for..... **.20**  
Three pairs for 50c.

We are showing the largest line of Men's Hose and best values in the city for..... **.25**

### Underwear.

1 Lot Men's ribbed fancy blue stripes at..... **.40**

One Lot Extra Heavy Wool Fleece at..... **.50**

1 Lot Natural Wool, extra value, sizes 34 to 50, for..... **.75**

1 Lot Sanitary all-wool, for..... **1.00**

1 Lot Elastic Ribbed, a very nice shade of blue, for..... **1.00**

1 Lot Camel's Hair, the celebrated Clastenburg, best made, for..... **1.00**

We carry a full line of the well known Luzerne Underwear, prices ranging from **1.00 to 2.00**

Also the well known Ypsilanti Underwear in Union Suits. You can make no mistake by buying your winter Underwear from us we have the largest stock in the city and are selling at lowest figures.

### Men's Working Pants.

Men's Working Pants, ranging in price from..... **.75 to 2.50**

A very large line of union made goods and are the best. We warrant these goods to be the best on the market and have made extra effort to give our customers very good values. We also carry the Carhart brand of Overalls and Jackets. You can find no better as they are not made.

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# OPERATION ON M'KINLEY

## Dr. Shrad's Views on the Celebrated Case.

### SAYS DOCTORS ERRED FROM FIRST

Editor of the New York Medical Record Accuses the Staff of Surgeons Attending the Late President. Claims the Case Was Fatal From the Start.

Dr. George F. Shrad boldly and freely criticizes the surgeons who attended Mr. McKinley. Dr. Shrad writes editorially on "The Revelations of the Autopsy" in the current issue of the New York Medical Record.

Probably no more severe criticism of brother physicians ever appeared in a medical journal, although it is written "only for the purpose of getting at the truth and learning perhaps a useful lesson."

Dr. Shrad is eminent in his profession and is one of the physicians who attended General Grant in his last illness. He is editor of the New York Medical Record, which medical men throughout the country regard as an authority on medicine and surgery.

Thus Dr. Shrad writes: "The revelations of the autopsy on the body of President McKinley are deeply significant from many pathological and surgical points. While the report of the physicians is meant to be merely a preliminary one, the main facts thus far presented are sufficiently explicit to anticipate in all essential particulars the fuller account which is promised later.

"Taken in connection with the clinical history of the case and the extremely optimistic views of some of the consultants the discovery of certain of the lesions named is both a surprise and a disappointment. It is a pity indeed that such an evident failure in diagnosis should have been so conspicuously demonstrated to the general public. It has proved, in fact, the lost opportunity for an entirely contrary exhibition of judgment, skill and tact.

"In reconciling the findings after death with the symptoms during life there are many relations between causes and effects which, although hidden before, are now very painfully apparent. We may comfort ourselves by saying that under the circumstances events were uncontrollable and results unavoidable, but the public, alas! view the real situation in a very matter of fact way. The operation of suturing the stomach wounds was timely, proper and, so far as it went, brilliant. Medical men the world over were proud to hear that it had been done so promptly and so well upon a person of such importance.

"But now, in the light of the autopsy, we know that the operation, carefully conducted as it was, was necessarily an incomplete one.

"This is speaking of the procedure from a strictly surgical standpoint irrespective of the ultimate doom of the patient in any event. Time was precious, and prolonged search for the ball was impossible; consequently the condition and course of the wound beyond the stomach could not be positively ascertained at the time. The surgeons satisfied themselves, therefore, that it was safe to leave this terminal wound to itself and close up the abdomen. They used their best judgment under trying conditions; but, unfortunately, that judgment was in error.

"Then came the bulletins and interviews so eagerly read by an anxious nation. It was stated at first that the stomach wounds were the only causes for anxiety, that the ball having lodged in the muscles of the back would become safely encysted and that septic peritonitis from possible leakage of the stomach contents was the only thing to be feared.

"When the latter danger was over, there came the surprising intelligence that the patient would certainly recover. This in the face of a continued high temperature and rapid pulse! Then it was announced that all the wounds had healed perfectly and the only real danger was centered in a weak heart. Hardly had this bulletin been issued when it was announced that the external wound was found to be infected, necessitating the removal of some stitches. Still it was said that the distinguished patient was doing excellently well—in fact, even better than before.

"Next was the report of an attack of indigestion claimed to be due to food given too soon, and last of all and without warning came the appalling accounts of his rapid collapse and surprisingly quick death.

"Worst of all, however, were the actual facts of the autopsy, which seemed to prove to the public that the doctors had been wrong in their conception of the case from the beginning to the end. Sadly enough, not one of the principal lesions gave any evidence of its existence during life. The good condition of the wound behind the stomach, of which all the surgeons were so pronouncedly confident, was an illusion and a snare.

"What was considered to be a most insignificant factor became the most important of all. Instead of the terminal track of the bullet being healed and the ball encysted it was found at the autopsy to be gangrenous throughout. Thus a most startling error of diagnosis was flauntingly accentuated.

"The practical surgeon very properly asks himself why the condition and the direction of the track behind the stomach were not discovered at the time the parts were exposed during the operation.

"What the problem was not solved

then and there was certainly not due to any want of forethought on the part of the operator, whose skill in his line no one can question. The only answer must be that such a thorough examination of the parts was impossible at the time. Still it seems hard to explain why all the gentlemen on the case were so satisfied with the real nature of a wound that they obviously knew nothing about.

"The Medical Record was exceedingly anxious on this point and earnestly called attention to the possibility of there being a wound of the pancreas or kidney or both. Unfortunately, as the sequel too well shows, we were right in at least one particular. Another matter is that which referred to the desirability of an X ray examination to locate the ball. The Record urged this as of the greatest importance, and yet, with the apparatus at hand, it was repeatedly and publicly stated that such an examination was not at all necessary. In fact, it seemed safer to guess than to be sure.

"What comment suggests itself in this connection when even at the autopsy, so far as can be ascertained at present, it was not considered worth the trouble to search for the ball beyond a certain point? What excuse must be offered to the public for the utter inability to find the bullet even in the dead body?

"All these matters may, however, be properly explained when the fuller account of the postmortem is given to the medical and lay public.

"Many different theories have been offered by the medical attendants concerning the cause of gangrene of the bullet track. By some the condition is charged to a poisoned bullet, by others to the leakage of pancreatic juice into the bullet sinus and by still others to mere lack of recuperative energy in the tissues involved.

"On these points, however, the professional is willing to suspend judgment pending the completion and publication of the official reports of the postmortem examiners. Viewing the strictly surgical aspects of the case in the light of the autopsical demonstrations, certain points of treatment might naturally suggest themselves.

"Every one knows that such an injury as existed in the president's case is uniformly fatal. The most favorable result that could have been expected was the healing of the wound and the possible establishment of a fistula—in this case a permanent, narrow duct opening on the surface of the body. This would certainly be infinitely better even as a tentative measure, than accidentally leaving a leaking kidney or pancreas in a closed cavity to work such mischief, as was manifested in the gangrenous condition of the surrounding tissues in the case in question.

"Allowing that the bullet had actually lodged in the muscles of the back, also that the muscle was within easy reach, it would be following a good surgical rule to establish drainage by the most direct route posteriorly. This course, however, could not be followed, as the bullet, on account of the unfortunate conditions already noted, was not accurately located.

"Under the circumstances, therefore, and taking everything into consideration, it is comforting to note that all was done for the distinguished patient that was possible. In fact, as was repeatedly stated by the operator, 'the case was a fatal one from the start.'

"In thus remarking upon the public aspect of the case it is only for the purpose of getting at the truth and learning, perhaps, a useful lesson. In the same spirit we can afford to view the strictly professional side. To err is human, but wisdom comes from experience.

"It is safe to say that under like circumstances in future the gentlemen concerned would act somewhat differently. We sincerely trust that they at least would not then be asked to explain why they allowed a lost ball to be buried with the victim's body."

### PREDICTS TRADE DIVISION.

America and England Will Share Iron and Steel, Says Gates.

"The next three years will see that big bone of contention, the steel and iron trade, amicably divided between America and England, but Anglo-American competition in other lines will grow more strenuous, and the result cannot be foretold," said John W. Gates, the steel magnate, the other day at Chicago to a reporter of the New York World.

"American and British steel and iron manufacturers," he continued, "will agree on a uniform scale of prices, believing there is enough money in the business for both. The alarm occasioned Great Britain by American manufacturers at the present time, however, has not been exaggerated."

### The Minor Prophets.

For every warm day that we have from now on till Christmas there will be some one to say it is the Indian summer, says the Boston Transcript. That short and blissful season is indeed a movable feast, according to individual unofficial calendars.

### Fall on the Lakes.

The fearless sailor takes His life in hand and sails Out on the lake, far stretching lakes, And angry gales Come down with all the might they can From north lands where wind sands are blown And rush upon the sailor man, Strong limbed and brown, As if some ancient grudge had led Them in their search to bust him down.

The moon shines cold upon the lakes, And, drifting, far Out where the heavy billow breaks, A hat is comrade of a spy! Beside a woman's knee a child Who hears the mad shrieks of the wild North wind sends up a little prayer For him whose ancient love at last Here was and well to ease A white face up somewhere.

—A. E. King in Chicago Record-Herald.

# WHIRLPOOLS IN THE SUN

## New Step to Be Taken in Astronomical Investigation.

### CHIEF WORK BY MIES KLUMPKA.

Garrett P. Serviss Tells How the Woman Astronomer Will Try to Ascertain by Photography Whether Spiral Shaped Nebulae That Glow in the Stars Are Subject to Visible Whirling Motions.

Something entirely new is about to be undertaken in astronomy, and the brilliant American girl astronomer, Dorothea Klumpke, is to perform the most important part of the new work, says Professor Garrett P. Serviss in the New York Journal. If successful, it will afford us a wonderful glimpse into the mechanism of the universe. It is no less than an attempt to ascertain by the aid of photographs whether the great spiral shaped nebulae that glow here and there among the stars are subject to a visible whirling motion.

The forms of these strange objects indicate that they resemble in their nature vast whirlpools composed of incandescent gases, mingled perhaps with meteoric bodies and started in gyration by means of forces and influences not clearly comprehensible to us. But hitherto there has been no direct evidence of motion in these nebulae. So far as any visible change is concerned they might be as motionless as frost figures upon a window pane.

Telescopic observation alone does not suffice to reveal their movements, because they are so immense and the length of an observation is so brief that there is not time enough for the effects of the probable motion to reveal itself to the eye. Moreover, on account of the faint and hazy outlines of the nebulae, no drawings of them made by hand can be rendered sufficiently accurate to serve the purpose. But now that astronomical photography has reached a high degree of perfection all this is changed, and it is hoped that by comparing such photographs taken at intervals the whirling of the nebulae will be rendered evident to our senses.

The interest of this experiment lies in the fact that there is some reason to think that the spiral nebulae represent a primordial condition of the substance out of which the stars, worlds and suns composing the universe have been formed. Our solar system may once have glowed softly in the depths of space in the form of a rather small spiral nebula before its gleaming atoms had been whirled and compacted into sun and planets. Thus in studying the spiral nebulae we are like the botanist who is able to see locked up in the shell of an acorn the germ of the undeveloped oak.

By learning what laws control the motion and contraction of such nebulae we shall approach toward a solution of the old and always interesting question of how the world began. But the fact should not be lost sight of that the spiral nebulae now visible in the heavens enormously exceed in extent the entire solar system.

It is probable that such nebulae as the large one in Cassiopeia or the still mightier one in Andromeda contain enough matter to form hundreds of thousands of solar systems. In their case a gigantic sun like Arcturus, exceeding our sun thousands of times in size and radiant capacity, may be in process of formation. And we are at liberty to suppose that around such giant suns giant worlds will revolve when the process of the ages has brought them into existence.

In short, the aim of the new step that Miss Klumpke is to take in astronomical investigation is to clear up some of the mystery that now surrounds those objects in the heavens which give in their appearance every indication that they stand for the most ancient form of cosmical order emerging out of primeval chaos.

If the method proves as effective as is hoped, we may not have to wait very long for results, because fortunately very excellent photographs of the chief representatives of the spiral nebulae began to be made by Dr. Isaac Roberts in England ten or twelve years ago, and his series of photographs has been continued at more or less frequent intervals during all the intervening time.

Miss Klumpke's first work will consist of a most careful measurement and comparison of these accumulated photographs of Dr. Roberts, upon which, as already explained, the results of any change of form undergone by the respective nebulae must be recorded, provided that those changes have been rapid enough to reveal themselves in the course of a decade.

Possibly as photography improves it will become easy to detect motions in the nebulae of a far more complex form than has yet been suspected. Certainly astronomy has never presented more important or more fascinating problems than it does today, and the means of attacking these problems have never been more abundant or more full of promise.

### A Tomato Trust.

The farmers who are engaged in growing tomatoes in the vicinity of Elwood, Ind., will form a combine against the canning factories next season, says the New York Times. A meeting has been called for Saturday, Nov. 9, to discuss the proposition and determine the prices they should have for their product. The system of docking will also come up for attention. The tomato growers say that the canners have united against them and in self defense they must organize. A similar attempt was made in the spring, but it was found to be an inopportune time to push the project.

# Real Estate Bargains

One house and lot, corner Georgia and Ayer streets; price, \$1850

One house and lot, No. 815 Ayer street; price, 1750

One house and lot, No. 407 Georgia street; price, 1500

One house and two lots, corner Michigan and Tilden avenues; price, 3100

One house and two lots on South Mary street; price, 1800

Same house with one lot; price 2500

Two houses and two lots in Nor. Escanaba; prices \$800 and \$1200 respectively.

Two houses and two lots on So. Sarah street; prices \$950 and \$2100, respectively.

One house and lot, corner Cleveland Ave. and Ayer St.; price 1300

One 7-room house and lot on No. Charlotte street; price, 1550

One house and lot, No. 517 Cleveland avenue; price, 900

One house and lot, No. 315 So. Charlotte street; price, 2000

One house and lot, corner Fannie and Hale streets; price, 1200

One house and lot on Ludington street; price, 3200

One 8-room house on So. Fannie street; price, 1600

One 8-room house on Elm street; price, 1225

Two lots on Maple street; each 275

One lot, corner Mary and Langley streets; price, 1000

Two lots on Wells avenue; respectively, \$600 and \$950.

Three lots on Cleveland avenue; each, 275

One corner lot on Elm St.; price 300

Five lots on So. Fannie St.—inside lots, \$375 each; corner lots, \$400 each.

Three lots on Ludington street; price, each, 1000

Two lots on So. Jennie St.; price respectively, \$375 and \$400.

Two lots, corner Hale St. and Cleveland avenue; price, respectively, \$700 and \$850.

Eighty acres of fine timbered land in Baldwin Township, one mile from C. & N. W. Ry. main line. A bargain at, 1000

160 acres land in Baldwin Township, 25 acres cleared, good house and barn, farming implements, one span of draft horses, one cow, ten tons hay, 150 bushels oats; good roads; one mile from railroad track. Price, 2000

Now is the time to buy before the looked-for boom strikes Escanaba. Every one of the above pieces of property is offered at rock-bottom prices, and on easy terms.

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FOR SALE—4½ acre farm in the Danforth settlement, only five miles from the C. & N. W. depot Escanaba, ten acres under cultivation; fifty bearing apple trees, and the balance of the acreage good timber land. There is a 1½ story, ten room house, plenty of barn room and other outbuildings. Will sell with farm implements or not as desired.

Another farm of forty acres, three miles northwest; three acres improved and containing a house, barn and good spring of flowing water. Apply to

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### Teachers' Examination.

The regular teachers' examination for the county of Delta will be held at the council rooms in the city of Gladstone on October 17th, at 8:30 a. m. This examination is open to all applicants for second and third grade certificates. P. R. LEAG, Commissioner of Schools.

### The Barbers' Union will give a

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We can sell you a Hat at 50c or higher. Our fall line is now in and it is a complete stock from start to finish. Our hat stock is all new and we are showing nothing but the best of styles.

Our Cap stock is right, showing a very good cap for 25c, from that price to \$1.50. Extra good values, all new goods, and made by the best cap makers.

### Men's Shirts

In Shirts we carry a very large line, made by the best shirt makers. Both in flannel and dress shirts.

In fancy shirts we carry all the best known brands, such as Wilson Bros., Manhattan, Monarch and Elgin. Quality the best and at the right price.

### Men's Gloves.

Our stock of Men's Gloves, both working and dress gloves is the most complete in the city. We have them in abundance and at prices to suit all pocketbooks.



### Men's Overcoats.

There are several new things in this line this season and we are showing them. They come in all lengths and colors and cloths. Let us show you ours and you will see the best line in the city. Prices range from

**\$4.50 to 25.00.**

We also carry a full line of Men's Fur Coats that are right up-to-date.

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### Men's Suits.

This season we are showing something very nice in the Men's Suit line and those that have bought or seen them say it is the best line ever shown in the city. Our suits range in price from

**\$6.50 to 22.50.**

We are showing a line at \$10.00 that has not been sold at such a price before. All the newest goods that are out for fall and a very large line. The makes consist of such as The Stein-Bloch Co., The David Adler & Sons Clothing Co., and B. Kuppenheim & Co. We stand by these goods and the makers stand by us. So you run no chance.



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### Boys' Suits and Reefers.

Boys' 3-piece Suits, ages from 3 to 9, prices from **\$1.25 up.**

Nice new patterns like out and a large line to select from.

Boys' Suits, sizes from 9 to 16, in all the latest patterns and cloths. Prices range on this lot from

**\$1.00 to 8.00.**

Boys' Reefer Coats, ages run from 3 to 16, nice heavy warm goods such as your boy will want for winter at the very lowest prices. We start them at \$2.25.



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### Hose.

- 1 lot Men's Wool Hose, for..... **.10**
  - 1 Lot Men's Wool Hose, Two pair for 25c. .... **.15**
  - 1 Lot Men's Wool Hose, for..... **.20**
  - Three pairs for 50c. .... **.25**
- We are showing the largest line of Men's Hose and best values in the city for..... **.25**

### Underwear.

- 1 Lot Men's ribbed fancy blue stripe at..... **.40**
  - One Lot Extra Heavy Wool Fleece at..... **.50**
  - 1 Lot Natural Wool, extra value, sizes 34 to 50, for..... **.75**
  - 1 Lot Sanitary all-wool, for..... **1.00**
  - 1 Lot Elastic Ribbed, a very nice shade of blue, for..... **1.00**
  - 1 Lot Camel's Hair, the celebrated Clastenbury, best made, for..... **1.00**
- We carry a full line of the well known Luzerne Underwear, prices ranging from **1.00 to 2.00**

Also the well known Ypsilanti Underwear in Union Suits. You can make no mistake by buying your winter Underwear from us we have the largest stock in the city and are selling at lowest figures.

### Men's Working Pants.

Men's Working Pants, ranging in price from..... **.75 to 2.50**

A very large line of union made goods and are the best. We warrant these goods to be the best on the market and have made extra effort to give our customers very good values. We also carry the Carhart brand of Overalls and Jackets. You can find no better as they are not made.

# L. A. ERICKSON,

1109 LUDINGTON STREET, ESCANABA, MICH.

THE  
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# 6 DAYS BARGAIN SHEET

OF

## THE FAIR SAVINGS BANK DEPT STORE

WE  
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1004-1006 Ludington St., Escanaba, Mich.

This Bargain Sheet will be published every week from now until the holidays and will contain special bargain offerings for 6 days, starting every Saturday morning and ending the following Friday evening. If you do not get this list regularly every week please notify The Fair Savings Bank and we will see that you get it. Even though you do not trade with us it is just as well to be posted on the right prices. **Sale Commences Saturday, Oct. 5th.**

**DON'T FAIL TO SEE OUR ELECTRIC SEAL FUR SCARFS WITH SIX MARTEN TAILS FOR 95c EACH.**

5 pound package of Kalsomine	<b>29c</b>
Finger Brushes	<b>2c</b>
Peruna, \$1.00 bottle for	<b>79c</b>
Lydia Pinkham's Vegetable Compound \$1.00 bottle for	<b>79c</b>
Pure Cod Liver Oil, \$1.00 bottle for	<b>79c</b>
Castoria, "Fletcher's" genuine	<b>28c</b>
Swamp Root, Dr. Kilmer's 50c bottle	<b>39c</b>
One Minute Cough Cure 25c bottle	<b>19c</b>
Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery or favorite prescription, \$1.00 bottle	<b>79c</b>
Syrup of Figs, "California," 50c bottle	<b>39c</b>



Do not fail to see our fall and winter millinery. The stock is now open for your inspection.

### Clothing Department.

Men's McMillan Suits, heavy double breasted, fancy wool lining, your choice for.....	<b>8.50</b>
Men's Fancy Oxford Overcoats, the very latest, the new English style, your choice.....	<b>10.00</b>
Men's Beaver Overcoats in black and blue for.....	<b>4.50</b>
Young Men's Overcoats in fancy plaids and in different designs, the Lord Kitchner coat, sizes from 16 to 20, prices.....	<b>8.50 TO 11.50</b>
Men's Blue Flannel Overshirts, single or double breasted your choice.....	<b>.95</b>
Men's fancy light colored mule skin Overshirts, your choice.....	<b>.87</b>
Men's Jersey double breasted Overshirts in black, brown and blue, your choice.....	<b>.45</b>
Men's fleece lined Underwear, the 45c kind, your choice.....	<b>.38</b>
Men's Wool Sweater, all sizes and all colors, your choice.....	<b>.87</b>
Men's fancy striped all-wool Sweaters, all colors and all sizes, your choice.....	<b>1.25</b>
Boys' fancy wool striped Sweaters, your choice.....	<b>.75</b>
Little gent's all-wool striped Sweaters, sizes from 18 to 24, your choice.....	<b>.65</b>
Men's flesh color Underwear, the \$1.00 kind, your choice for.....	<b>.87</b>
Men's Flannel Night Shirts, each.....	<b>.69</b>
One lot of Men's Teck Ties, dark colors, for.....	<b>.15</b>
Men's Heavy Woolen Sox, per pair.....	<b>.19</b>
Men's Buffalo Flannel Shirts, in all checks, your choice.....	<b>.95</b>

### Furniture Department.

3 piece Bedroom suit 20x24 bevel plate mirror.....	<b>14.75</b>
Hardwood Beds, full size.....	<b>2.40</b>
Bedroom Tables, size 18x24 with a drawer and nicely finished.....	<b>1.50</b>
Open Washstands with a drawer and shelf.....	<b>1.95</b>
Child's Cribs, 2 feet 6 inches x 4 feet 6 inches each.....	<b>1.95</b>
W. Wire Cots, 2 feet 6 inches x 6 feet each.....	<b>1.75</b>
Excelsior Mattresses, 2 feet 6 inches x 6 feet each.....	<b>1.25</b>
Good Feather Pillows, 3 pounds each per pair.....	<b>1.25</b>
Fine down Cushions, size 20x20 each.....	<b>.85</b>
6 feet Extension Tables each.....	<b>5.50</b>
Solid oak 6 ft. Extension Tables 42x42-in. top, rope legs.....	<b>8.25</b>
Oak Parlor Tables, 24x24 inch top each.....	<b>1.95</b>
Quarter sawed Oak, highly polished Parlor Tables, top 24x24, each.....	<b>3.75</b>
Room Moulding, Imitation oak, Georgia pine or Mahogany per foot.....	<b>.2</b>
Good quality Floor Oilcloth per yd.....	<b>.28</b>
Best Quality Stove patterns 1 1-2 yd. square each.....	<b>.85</b>

### Grocery Department.

Savoy Tomatoes, best in the world.....	<b>13</b>	Chicago Coffee, package.....	<b>10</b>
Savoy Corn.....	<b>11</b>	Hoard's Creamery Butter.....	<b>23</b>
Savoy Baked Beans 3 lb. cans.....	<b>15</b>	Standard Soda Crackers.....	<b>6</b>
A fancy table Peach.....	<b>15</b>	Mixed Candy.....	<b>5</b>
Savoy's best Soap, 8 for.....	<b>25</b>	A good Smoking Tobacco.....	<b>17</b>
Best package Matches.....	<b>10</b>	Savoy best Java and Mocha coffee in 2 lb cans, for this sale only, per can.....	<b>63</b>
Baking Powder, a good one, per lb.....	<b>10</b>	Best potatoes, in 5 bushel lots, per bushel.....	<b>65</b>

### Our Cloak Department.

The Swellest in Upper Michigan.

Our Cloak and Fur department is now in full blast. Goods never get old here, they are sold too quickly for that. Our styles are right and our prices lower than you can buy them for elsewhere. A call will quickly convince you of this. Just look at these prices.

Ladies' new style 27-in. Box Coats, same as cut, made of fine all-wool kersey and lined with twilled satin, a perfect garment and the best coat on earth for	<b>\$5.00</b>
Children's new style, long automobiles over 200 styles of them, the most perfect assortment ever shown in Escanaba, prices from	<b>2.95</b> up to <b>18.00</b>

Colors brown, black, red, castor, grey and tan.

Another shipment received today of those long 42 inch Automobiles for ladies, fine Kersey cloth, all strapped seams, man'tored, in brown, castor or black. You cannot match these coats elsewhere for less than

**10.00**

Get one while there is choice. Price

**10.00**

### Shoe Department.

Diamond.—Women's genuine Dongola shoes, heavy welt sole stock tip or pat. tip, best shoe ever offered for the money price..... **1.25**

Yukon Chief—Men's all solid Milwaukee oil grain Shoes slugged tap soles, large eyelets with rawhide laces, you can lace 'em in an instant, special for this sale..... **1.18**

Top Notch—We place this Shoe on sale as a special leader for a school shoe. It is made to resist the wear a school boy gives the shoes.

Youths', 12 to 2.....	<b>1.25</b>
Boys' 2 1-2 to 5.....	<b>1.35</b>
Misses School Shoes, made of the best box calf, the best medium weight rainy day shoe for girls ever made.	<b>98c</b>
Sizes 7 to 8 1-2.....	<b>1.28</b>
Sizes 13 to 2.....	<b>1.38</b>
Children's Rubbers.....	<b>.25c</b>
Misses' Rubbers.....	<b>35c</b>

### Dry Goods Department.

Ladies' Fleece lined Swiss Ribbed Underwear in oeru or natural gray, splendid heavy weight and full sizes, each.....	<b>.25</b>
Children's natural grey heavy wool fleeced Underwear in all sizes from 16 to 34, for either boys or girls, 6 days at.....	<b>.22</b>
One lot of ladies' all-wool Camel's hair Underwear to close out. We have not all sizes in this. We also put in this lot about fifty dozen fine natural gray all-wool ribbed Underwear.	<b>.69</b>

These are all \$1.00 goods, for 6 days each.....

We have hundreds of other bargains in our dry goods department which space will not permit us to mention. Come and see them.

10 feet roll of Crepe paper any color	<b>5c</b>
Box of Writing paper, assorted shades	<b>10c</b>
24 sheets of Shelf paper, any color	<b>2c</b>
9 inch-Root Scrub Brush	<b>5c</b>
Guaranteed hand made Axes double bit	<b>95c</b>
Japanned Crumb tray and	<b>8c</b>
"Always Cool" stove cover lifter	<b>8c</b>
4 rows stitched Broom with always ready Dust pan	<b>25c</b>
6 piece decorated Chamber set	<b>\$1.85</b>
Tea pot, wire table Mats	<b>4c</b>
100 Envelopes, full size, for	<b>10c</b>
1281 Webster's Dictionary	<b>95c</b>
Hood's Sarsaparilla, \$1.00 bottle	<b>79c</b>



Our Millinery Parlors are now open for the season. We invite you to visit this department. Correct styles are shown here. Stylish dressers buy their hats here.