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light New Cases Reported in Sigatow Family in Bay de Noc.

261 PERSONS VAGCINATED.

Sigatow Claims to Have Contracted the Disease at Rapid River Some Five Weeks Ago-Two Dangerously Ill.

Dr. Harry Long spent Saturday and Sunday in Bay de Noc township for the purpose of vaccinating the residents as a guard against smallpox, which disease now prevails at Martin Bay in that town. Notice had been given by Supervisor Geo. Peterson, requiring those who had not been successfully vaccinated within five years to appear at the school houses of their respective districts at a specified time for the purpose of vaccination, and during the two days 261 availed themselves of the opportunity. Practically speaking, this included the entire populace.

The Sigatow family, in which the dread disease exists, has been quarantined, and George Hartwick, a neighbor, is now guarding the premses with strict order to permit no one to enter or leave the infected louse. George Sigatow, the father, s recovering, and will go through ife badly pitted. Dr. Chas. H. Long risited the house on Tuesday, and ipon his return to the city Wedneslay told a reporter of The Iron Port hat there is not a spot upon the person of the afflicted man that is not covered with red blotches, showng that Sigatow had a severe at-ack. The family consists of a wife ind seven children, and every memper of it has small pox. Mrs. Siga- along the right-of-way. The in-Il, being unable, at the time of Dr. old one, and unfit for use, and at- at the meeting Monday night. ong's visit, to raise their heads rom their pillows. The other chilnes have just commenced to break

Dr. Long was driven to the Sigaw home, twelve miles from Stonngton, by Supervisor Peterson, and om the father obtained the followng informacion concerning his catch." About five or six weeks ago ligatow was at Rapid River, and aving an acquaintance with August chram of that place paid him a isit at his home. Mr. Schram was ick at the time, but knew not his rouble, having had no physician in ttendance upon him. Schram, howver, told Sigatow that he did conider it safe for him to remain in his resence, yet notwithstanding, the wo took supper together, and had hook hands upon meeting earlier in he day. Fourteen days after this ccurrence Sigatow was taken ill, rash entire covering his body, nd he avers that he contracted the isease from Schram.

The township authorities of Masonille, in which township Rapid River located, profess ignorance of the xistence of small-pox in their donain within the time specified by igatow. Supervisor Darling was reatly surprised when informed of igatow's statements, and forthwith et about to investigate. It appears hat about nine weeks ago, Minnie, daughter of August Schram, left shool abruptly, and when the prinipal inquired as to the cause of her bsence it was announced that she as confined to her home with the hicken-pox. The girl was quite adly broken out with a rash, and, is said, the disease left her considrably pitted. Miss Minnie returnd to her studies two weeks ago. During her illness other children of he family attended school, and no vil effects resulted from their asso ation with the other scholars.

The statement made by Sigatow hat it was from August Schram hat he contracted the small-pox is rtainly erroneous, for that gentlean was a victim of the disease a mber of years ago in Germany, purchase of the mine. fore coming to this country.

assenger Train Strikes Hand car. Passenger train No. 10, between s city and Watersmeet, struck a dcar near the latter place Tues-, seriously injuring one of the tion hands. Engineer Caven of city saw the car ahead, but sup-

he reached that spot. The section men, however, were slow, and while endeavoring to get the car out of the way of the approaching train the collision occurred. The train stopped, and the injured man was picked up and taken to a hospital.

# WORKED SKIN GAME.

Escanabans Get the Worst of It in Arizona Mining Deal.

Some months ago an oily tongued individual of the elongated type insinuated his august presence among a number of representative business men of this city, and succeeded in selling considerable stock in an Arizona gold mine, yet to be developed. Samples were produced, and to the solicited the outlook for accumulating a fortune through a small investment appeared bright, indeed. The fellow departed from Escanaba with a goodly pile of the coin of the realm, and nothing was heard from the investment until last week, when the local shareholders received a letter from the company, which stated that the property was in litigation, and requesting the signing of the stock over to a director that be might fight the case in the courts. This was done. It now develops that the mine is rich with gold, and that the litigation scheme was a hoax, intended to rob general shareholders of their stock for the enrichment of a few.

### LETTER MAIL SCATTERED.

Defective Pouch Causes an Accident at Wells.

William E. Martin, the government postoffice inspector who was sent here to investigate a case at Wells, exhonerates local employes from all blame. At Wells there is a mail catching device on the Northwestern road, and a few nights ago as passenger train No. 2 caught at the pouch the leather bag was mutilated and the mail, including several registered packages, was scattered tached the blame to no one in partic ular. The Wells postoffice supplies ren, aged two, four, six, eight, ten all stations on the Escanaba & Lake nd fourteen, are in various stages Superior railroad and consequently I the disease. The two younger a large mail goes out from there, which fact, together with the addition ones that No. 2 is a fast train and the pouch a poor one, accounts for the accident. No mail was lost, for when the train arrived in Escanaba the matter was immediately reported to the Wells postmaster.

# FELT FOOTWEAR.

Sales Indicate that Felt Shoes Will Be Largely Worn this Winter.

This cold weather should make you think of warm footwear. Felt shoes are being largely worn by both men and women this season, as is indicated by the number of sales of these articles made by Rathfon & Young during the past week. This firm is selling felt shoes for men, with rubber soles that are guaran-\$2.00 per pair. Men's all felt shoes \$1.50. Big line of ladies' felt slippers with or without fur trimming, with very flexible leather soles at \$1.00 per pair. The finest line of men's slippers ever shown in Escanaba at prices from 75c to 5.00. These are Rathfon & Young's prices-others may charge more.

# THE DEAL IS OFF.

Option Given on Sheridan Expires Without Expected Result.

Several weeks ago an option was given on the Sheridan mine, owned by Escanaba parties and located near Iron River, and it was expected that its sale to Ohio parties would be made, but the option expired on November 1st without any action being taken to that end. A heavy stockholder in the company told a representative of The Iron Port on of which is submitted. It includes Tuesday that the deal was evidently one 100 horsepower engine erected off, as nothing had been heard from on foundation at a cost of \$2,000 the Toledo parties who were here one 100 horsepower boiler erected some weeks ago negotiating for the \$1,800; one 60 K. W. alternator \$1,-

# Will Lumber in Arkansas.

A tract of 81,000 acres of timber land in Arkansas has been purchased by the Garth Lumber company. A monster sawmill, with a capacity of 60,000,000 feet per day, is to be erected at Malvern, Ark. It is estimated that there is sufficient timber ed, of course, it would be rein the tract to operate the mill for present only, and as the city's growth ved from the track by the time the next thirty years.

Expert Examines Lighting Plant and Submits an Interesting Report.

Would Relegate the Arc System to the Scrap Pile and Reconstruct It on More Modern Plan, the Cost of Which Is Estimated at About \$10.000.—Gas Plant Should be Entirely Rebuilt, Says Expert.

The Board of Public Works, of which Sam B. Rathfon is president, held a meeting Monday evening to consider the provoking question of improving the city's lighting plant, the inadequacy of which has caused no inconsiderable woriment to that body of late. The board bas for some time appreciated the fact that something must be done that the plant might be made adequate to the demand upon it, but just what that something should be has been a difficult problem to solve. The question has confronted the board at every session of late, and, finally, in order to act intelligently in the matter, it was deemed advisable to employ an expert electrical engineer to make an investigation and render a report. This has been done. C. H. Evans, than whom there is no better informed electrical engineer in the west, personally visited Escanaba on the 27th of October and made a careful examination of the physical condition of the lighting station and distributing system, submitting the ow and a girl of twelve are very spector found that the pouch was an conclusions arrived at to the board

> By way of introductory, Mr. Evans says the electric building-57x46 feet-is in excellent repair, and sufficiently large for present needs. The boiler house-38x36 feet-would have to be enlarged to install the necessary boilers. Continuing the report we use Mr. Evans' language, as follows: "The electric plant is, as is generally known, too small to give uniform and regular service, and the city streets are entirely without light during the first few hours of every evening. The character of street arcs is such that it would be good business to relegate them all to the scrap pile, and put in the enclosed type of alternating series of arc lamps. The highest electric load indicated at the switch-board from the alternating current lines is 125 ampers; add to this a line loss of at least 5 per cent, a loss of 10 per cent at the generator, 3 per cent loss for teed not to break at \$2.50; if they belt slippage, and 5 horsepower adshould break or crack from any cause ditional for running the shaft, and whatsoever, you can get another pair | we have at the engine 2381 horsewithout cost. That is fair, isn't it? power required to pull the alterna-Men's felt shoes with extra high top, ting current load. In addition we leather soles and rubber heels only have 69 street arcs to carry, which; under the existing conditions will require 70 horsepower additional, or a total of 308} horsepower to carry the entire electric load. It is quite apparent that your engine capacity is short 92 6-10 horsepower if operated under 95 pounds boiler pressure, the maximum pressure allowed on your tubular boilers. The conditions demand at least a 100 horsepower engine, one 100 horsepower boiler, and a 60 K. W. alternator at the station. In most first-class well regulated plants a relay of engines and boilers are installed for emergency cases, but with care one can avoid the expenditure with only

slight probability of outages." Mr. Evans has made a conservative estimate of the cost of the additions required to the electric property, all 700; seventy enclosed arc lamps with regulators and transformers \$2,100; poles and lines \$1,000; marble switchboard and are panel using present instruments \$300; friction clutch pulley, belting, etc., \$280; addition to boiler house \$380, making a total

This, however provides for the

of \$9,569:00.

the future than in the past the Board of Public Works very wisely contemplates providing therefor, believing it good business to do so. Mr. Rathfon will go before the common council at its semi-monthly session next Tuesday evening, and ask for an appropriation sufficiently large to carry out the work of improvement on a somewhat more extensive scale than incorporated in the report of the expert, which is, as we have stated, for present needs only. The board deems it advisable to abandon the two old boilers now in use, retaining the Sterling boiler, and add three new ones of 150 horsepower each to the battery; and besides this to install another engine of 250 horsepower. This would add several thousand dollars to the expense, but it would undoubtedly be economy in the end, and a city of Escanaba's proportions, and constant growth, must look well to the future.

THE GAS PLANT. While making his investigation of the lighting plant, Mr. Evans also

took occasion to examine our gas manufactory and of it he says: "The gas department of the city is much behind the times, and entirely out of place in a city like Escanaba. The character of the gas is such that good service is impossible, and the use of oil gas is such an affliction on your citizens that you can never sell but a limited amount, and then only when necessity compels. Your system of distributing mains are so restricted that comparatively few can be supplied with gas of any kind. An entire rebuilding of your gas plant is" an urgent necessity, and this I would recommend: That a complete coal gas plant of 100,000 cubic feet capacity be erected as soon as possible. I would further recombenefits that similar cities enjoy of gas at reasonable prices for cooking,

lighting and heating purposes.' Mr. Evans estimates the cost of reconstructing the gas plant as folloss: Buildings \$6,000; gas meter in steel tank 100,000 cubic feet \$12,-000; benches \$4,000; exhauster \$620; which together with condensers, foundations, valves, eight miles of mains laid, etc., brings the estimated cost up to \$64,990. While the gas question is important, it is not the intention of the Board of Public Works to touch upon this muchneeded improvement at the present

# THE PROBATE COURT.

Mary Coan's Estate Valued at \$18. 600.-Other Cases Disposed of.

The estate of the late Mary Coan was probated on Monday. It is valued at \$18,600 and consists of real estate and personal property, including cash in bank.

Edward Disco has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late Joseph Beaudreau of Garden.

The court has granted permission to Sam Stonhouse, executor, to dispose of property of Susan Stonhouse,

# FOXY SNEAK THIEF.

Well-Known Woman Appropriates Goods at The Fair Store.

The number of sneak thieves, or fast assuming metropolitan proportions, and of course we must assume metropolitan airs. Last Saturday

to her home sent a child back with he garment, instructing the little be to get the money she had paid for it. The matter was referred to the clerk of that department, when it was ascertained that no such sale had been made. The management politely told the child to have her mother call for the money on Monday, but as yet she hasn't called."

### RECOMMENDS VACCINATION State Board of Health Makes Wise Suggestions.

The state board of health recently issued a circular, on the subject of vaccination to the health officers of the various cities and townships of the state, and inasmuch as small pox is prevalent in several localities in this peninsula the information therein contained may prove of value.

The circular urges that local boards of health publicly recommend general vaccination of every person who has not had small-pox within a few years, or who has not been successfully vaccinated within the past five

A person cannot be compelled by the health officer to be vaccinated; but if the health officer has good reason to believe that a person has been exposed to small-pox, he can isolate that person if he refuses to be vaccinated; this is required by the health officer, by Act 137, Laws

In order to prevent the breaking Ba up of schools, school boards may very properly (under the first sentence of section 4682, complied Laws 1897) require of pupils certificates of successful vaccination within the past five years, or evidence of revaccina- Na tion with virus known to be effective; and teachers may be instructed to compare the certificates with the Es lists of pupils to learn whether or not all have complied and if not to report the facts to the local health officer. Railroad officials, proprietors. of mills, lumber camps and mines, and merchants and other employers of laborers may properly require certificates of successful vaccination, been prevented.

# ROBBED MALONEY'S STORE.

Sneak Thieves Tap a Till and Get Twenty-Eight Dollars.

Sneak thieves entered the flour and feed store of Chas. Maloney & Co. during the noon hour one day this week, while Mr. Maloney was at dinner and the clerk was engaged at the rear end of the store, and tapped the till for \$28. Mr. Maloney expresses the opinion that the cash drawer had been left slightly open, thus preventing the combination from locking. There is no clue to mend that several miles, at least the perpetrators. Among the cash eight, of gas mains of proper size be in the drawer was a geepsake in the laid that your citizens may have the shape of a Canadian four-dollar bill, which had been in the till for eight

# OVERCOME BY GAS.

Family of Frank Riley Has Narrow Escape on Monday.

Escaping gas came near resulting fatally to the family of F. E. Riley Monday night. A fresh fire had been kindled in the coal stove that evening, and when the family retired for the night the heater was securely closed. Through a defective joint of stovepipe gas escaped, completely filling the house and nearly suffocating the occupants. The alarm of pending disaster was given by one can alone determine. Eminent exof the children.

# DEATH OF JOHN HUNT.

Former Resident of Escanaba Dies in Milwaukee on Sunday.

Many of the older residents of Escanaba will remember John Hunt, who conducted a meat market in this city about twelve years ago, and will regret to learn of his death, which occurred in Milwaukee last Sunday. Mr. Hunt had been almost totally blind for three years, and had gone to Milwaukee from his home in Neenah, Wisconsin, for medical treatment.

# UP TO HIS OLD TRICKS.

Frank Sinkler, Counterfeiter, Victimizes Saloonkeeper.

Frank Sinkler, who, about four years ago, was sentenced to imprisonshoplifters, in Escanaba seem to be ment for a term of eighteen months on the increase. This probably for making counterfeit money near comes from the fact that the city is Rapid River, has turned up again; victimized a bartender on a forged check. He was arrested, and upon night a well-known woman of the being arraigned before a magistrate city sneaked a knitted skirt from he pleaded guilty and was bound promises to be even more rapid in The Fair Store, and after taking it over to the circuit court.

Apportionment of Primary School Money Largest in History of State.

THE GASH IS NOW READY.

Delta County Receives \$13,942 for Distribution Among the Several Cities and Townships. 6,-917 School Children.

The semi-annual apportionment of the primary school funds of the state has been completed by the superintendent of public instruction, and is the largest in the history of the state, being \$2 per capita. There are 720,624 children included in the apportionment, and the amount apportioned is \$1,441,248.00. Delta county has 6,972 children in the list, and consequently receives \$13,942, which will be distributed among the several cities and towns.

The distribution of the money in this county will be made as follows, the first column representing the number of children and the second column the amount:

the the distribution	11001274000
aldwin Township 245	\$ 430
ark River Township 372	744
y de Noc Township 118	236
scanaba Township 221	445
irbanks Township 86	179
ord River Township 420	840
arden Township 402	804
aple Ridge Township . 163	326
asonville Township 705	1410
ahma Township 293	580
c Bay Township 91	182
ells Township 199	398
canaba City2860	5720
adstone City 826	1655

# TOPPAN POISONING CASE.

Celebrated Case of Circumstantial Evidence in Modern Times.

Miss Jennie Toppan, a professional nurse, is now arrested and in iail at Barnstable, Mass., charged with the as a guarantee that their operations | murder of eight persons by poisonmay not be interrupted by outbreaks ing. The names of her alleged vicof small-pox, which ought to have tims are Mrs. H. O. Brigham, Mrs. Sarab E. Conners, Mr. and Mrs. Alden P. Davis, Mrs. Harry Gordon, Mrs. Mary E. Gibbs, Mrs. Edna J. Bannister and Mr. O. H. Brigham.

In five years, according to the accusations, her career has been followed by a trail of deaths in two families alone of eight persons. Twelve more persons intimately associated with her passed away mysteriously making twenty in all.

The woman, whose chief detight and recreation are held to have been murder, is not a creature reared in the slums. She grew up in a bright, healthy atmosphere of a Christian home. What was ber motive? People do not generally take human life in cold blood without some strong motive.

In one of the cases (that of Mr. Beedle who suffered the most exquisite torture) the patient appealed to the physician to ascertain the cause of his agony. The doctor gave Miss Toppan a stern glance and said to her: "These medicines and these only must be given to this man exactly as I direct." Mr. Beedle rapidly re-

Whether all these deaths can be attributed to mere coincidence or to the inaccuracy of the compounding and administering the medicines or to cold calculating and deliberate murder, the trial which will follow perts in poisoning cases are now at work making chemical analysis in some of the cases. If on the other hand, it can be shown that carelessness in compounding and administering the medicines were the causes, great and culpable negligence if not crime has been the means of taking off these people and responsibility of some kind should attach in any event.

It is of the highest importance that the strictest accuracy should be exhibited in compounding all medicines. It has been the constant aim at Coburn's drug Store to fill prescriptions precisely as they are written, with as much care and accuracy as if the medicine were for one in their own family.

# Connect With Escanaba Road.

The Escanaba Street Bailway company-or rather a crew of workmen in its employ-is busyily engaged constructing a track connecting the line with that of the Escanaba & this time at Marinette, where he Lake Superior road at the point where the roads cross in Wells township. Considerable grading has been necessary, and Manager Moore has used an electric car in the work with very satisfactory results.

# Social and Personal

- tains the following social item con- O'Brien will take place at St. Joseph's Ackley and Jos. Savoje of Rapid cerning our former townsman, G. M. church in this city on Tuesday, No River; attended the Elks' social West. 'One of the most delightful vember 26th. social events was the theatre party last Saturday evening to "David and J. Tolan hunted deer near Swan Harum"- at Powers' theatre. The zy this week. That they were suc | delightfully entertained Thursday most pleasant part of the evening's cessful can be testified to by the evening, the occasion being a social entertainment was the trip to and | writer from the city, where the party, numbering 24, were the guests of home in Green Bay Tuesday, after Mr. G. M. West, superintendent of spending a week visiting her cousin, the Chicago Heights Terminal. Mr. Mrs E. Hofmann of Wolcott street. West's private car was attached to the 6:25 C. T. T. train. The host consin, has been in Escanaba the had decorated the car with ferns and roses, and everything was at its best. Mrs. Lambdon of Chicago, who was the guest of Miss Elliott, sang several selections, and the clear sweet tones of her beautiful voice charmed her hearers. Miss Elliott gave several recitations in her inimitable way, provoking much merriment. Returning, the car was attached to the 11:30 train; a delicious lunch was served, and the party, entertained by recitations and songs, the time was all too short to please the guests. At parting three rousing cheers were given for Mr. and Mrs. West and for Miss Elliott who arranged the party."

Dr. Chas. H. Long left, Wednesday night, for Chicago, where he will enter the Chicago Polyechnic for a post graduate course, and expects to be absent from the city about a month. He will prepare himself more thoroughly for surgical work. Dr. Long graduated from McGill University, Montreal, in 1888, and after taking a course of newing acquaintances. Mr. Poterstudy in Chicago, came to Escanaba son has recently returned from a

in 1900. Next Saturday evening, under the auspices of the North Star Society, a masquerade dance will be given at North Star hall. Four prizes will be offered as follows: One for the best lady costume, one for the best gent costume, one for the most comical lady costume and one for the most

comical gent costume. Herbert McColley, who has been ill at the county hospital for some weeks past, will leave tomorrow night for his home in Deleware, accompanied by his mother, who came

west a week ago to nurse her son. Mrs. Wm. McKeever, Sr., entertained the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church Thursday afternoon. Luncheon was served.

Mr. Eugene Cass and Miss Lottie Caswell, both of Rapid River, were joined in wedlock by Justice Emil

Glaser Monday evening. John Monday, one of the Garth

Lumber company's old and reliable employes, visited his parents at Oshkosh this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Fogarty attended the funeral of the late John Hunt at Neenah, Wisconsin, on Wednesday.

Miss Nettie Wagner returned to her home in Marquette on Tuesday, after visiting relatives in this city. Mrs. L. Johnson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Graverock,

of Ishpeming this week. Ed. Gunville and Jos. Fleming are in the woods with an Ishpeming party hunting deer.

Rev. Fr. Buchholtz, located at Munising, visited his parents here

this week. Mrs. A. S. Warn inspected the Iron Mountain W. R. C. on Tuesday.

The Misses Linsley spent a portion of the week in Chicago. Archie Connors of Rapid River was in the city Tuesday.

That the Conductors' ball on Thanksgiving day. Thacksgiving Eve. will be largely attended goes without saying. Railial trains. The price of admission to chair. the dance will be one dollar. Already hundreds of tickets have been disposed of. The dancing hall will be handsomely decerated for the oc-casion, and the music will be the

best obtainable. Manning will be gratified to learn Saturday night. that he is greatly improved in Judd Yelland, of the law firm of health. He contemplates going to Cummiskey & Yelland, has been con-Iron River on Thanksgiving, there fined to his home by illness the past to attend the dedication of a new week.

Catholic church. F. E. Carter, of the Postal Tele- Young Ladies' Circle of the Methograph company, spent the first of dist church Wednesday afternoon. the week at Hancock in the interest | Mr. ank Mrs. Antoine Deloria of of his company. John J. Sourwine Garden were guests of friends in this jerked lightning at the Postal station city Thursday.

during his absence. Thes. F. Follis, formerly of this L. C. Valentine of 714 Jennie street city, now a resident of Sault Ste., last Saturday. Marie, is recovering from typhoid " The Eastern Star will give a shirt fever, which disease has kept him waist party at Masonio hall next

housed up for several weeks past. Tuesday evening

Messrs. Otto Troude, R Roberts

'Miss Maud Lucia returned to her Miss Ellen Field of Depere, Wis-

past week visiting her brothers.

spent a week with friends. William Coan of Ashland spent Monday in Escanaba, having busi- coffee, was served at 11 o'clock.

ness in the probate court. W. E. Barlow, store-keeper for the Bay de Noquet company at Nahma, was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Bartley, formerly of this city, is now teaching school in Chicago.

T. B. White transacted business at DeLoughary Saturday.

Miss Anna Powers spent the week at Minneapolis. J. M. Hartnett was at Green Bay

on Monday. J. P. Cleary is at Rhinelander to-

P. N. Peterson, formerly a resicorrespondent for "Hemlandet," a Swedish paper published in Chicago, has been in Escanaba this week rethere was married to Miss Elma Nelson. They make their home in

George Beath and Henry Valen- Green Bay friends. tine have been in quest of deer in the Whitefish valley this week. The Iron Port has no evidence that they | cago. were successful.

Dennis St. John went to Houghton Monday afternoon, there to stand trial for arson. He was accompanied at Stephenson this week. by his attorney, Geo. Gallup.

Miss Sadie Thatcher pleasantly entertained a number of young friends last evening. 'Twas a masquerade dancing party.

Miss Caroline Grenier returned visited her friend, Miss Louise Lavigne, on Tuesday.

Tom Mathews has been confined to his home a portion of the week with inflammation of the bowels.

Mrs. Harlin of Ayer street has entertained Mrs. Thos. Touhey of Channing this week.

Rev. Fr. Langan was at Marquette Tuesday, in the interest of his con-

The W. C. T. U. will meet a Mrs Robert McCourt Monday afternoon

Judge Nelson Clifton of Chicago was an Escanaba visitor on Monday. Miss Margaret Hirn is home from

visit in Milwaukee. Herman Salinsky spent the week n Chicago

Ex-Mayor Solomon Greenhoot returned yesterday morning from New York, and other points in the east. off at Chicago for a brief visit with ding reception was held in Perron' Mrs. Sam Greenhoot, and he reports | hall in the evening. her in excellent health.

W. J. Drake of 607 Fannie street, on

Her lady friends very agreeably Wednesday evening was a very surprised Mrs. Casper Bartley Monway men from all over the peninsula day afternoon. They presented their

The masquerade ball at Peterson's cordia band, was well attended, and ing last.

proved a pleasant social gathering. The Star society of Bark River in Escanaba a portion of the week. pleasantly entertained its members The many friends of Rev. Fr. and friends with a dancing party last the Soo this week.

Mrs. R. C. May entertained the

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs.

The Chicago Heights Signal con- of Milwaukee and Miss Katherine Jos. Heldman of Gladstone; and J. J Thursday evening.

> Escanaba Lodge, No. 354, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, session. The lodge rooms at the corner of Ludington street and Dousman avenue were filled to overflowing by members of the order, their families and invited guests, and all joyably at cards and in social con-Mrs. Austin L. Paul returned on | vided music, and elicited the praise der of arrests will be made in the Monday from Green Bay, where she of those in attendance. Luncheon, near future. The number of cases of

> > other people, has a birthday anni- as long ago as twenty years. versary. This event bobbed up Thursday, and his friends took advantage of the opportunity to tender him a "surprise" at his home on Sarah street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McPherson entertained the Cinch Club Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Besnah won the prizes. The next meeting of the Club will be held at the home of A. G. Crose next Wednesday evening.

Clarence J. Gagnon and Edith E. Olmsted, both of Sac Bay; Conrad dent of this city, now a traveling | Dalgord and Sarah Arnold, both of Fayette; August Berglund and Emma J. Anderson both of Gladstone have been licensed to wed.

Arthur Connelly of Iron Mountain bas taken a position as chief clerk trip to the old country, and while for the St. Paul company at North Escanaba.

> Miss Lottie Donovan and Miss Lily Fish have returned from a visit with

> E. F. Van Valkenburg and wife returned Sunday from a visit in Chi The ladies of the W. R. C. wil

give a ball New Year's Eve. Miss Emma Vassaw visited friends

the Elks' social session that evening. It in all cases. Others from outside who were preshome from Ishpeming, where sheet and A. Z. Sourwine of Powers; and Henry J. Van Zalinger of Muskegon.

D. E. Glavin, J. M. Hartnett, S. Gallery, J. S. Doberty, John Cor the Knights of Columbus at Green Bay last Sunday.

Miss Lura Roblee was "surprised five of her young friends bounded in ment. In the meanwhile Chas. Olm-

themselves at home for the evening. Mr. W. M. Finch and Miss Gertrude Boprie of Perkins will be united in marriage at that place next Wednesday. Following the ceremony a

the bride's father, Donald Boprie. Mr. Fred Kositzke and Miss Mabel Thompson, of this city, were married on Monday, Rev. Fr. Langan While on his way home he stopped performing the ceremony. A wed-

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lemmer gave Miss Mabel Orake of this city and a social dance in honor of Mr. and James E. Weaver of Green Bay will Mrs. John Lemmer of Winona, be united in marriage at the home of Minn., who are their guests. Re-

the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. | freshments were served at midnight. The eard party given by the Womau's Relief Corps at G. A. R. hall

pleasant affair. Henry S. Van Zalingen of Muswill come to Es: anaba free on spec- hostess with a handsome rocking kegan was the guest of his sister, Mrs. O. B. Fuller, this week.

Jno. Oberg and Miss Christina

C. W. Vaughn of Toledo has been Archie Campbell was a visitor at

# Successful Church Fair.

The church fair at Wells this week was a pronounced success, and the ladies of the new undenominational church netted a soug sum, which will be expended in the interest of that place. The Perronville mill the society. A large number from this city were in attendance Tourslay and Friday evenings. The in of lumber during the season. erior of the edifice was handsomely ecorated for the occasion.

# An Ornamental Fuel Saver.

Burton's Fuel Economizer is being The nuptials of Mr. Frank Harvey Archie Bellaire, N. LaPine and H increases the heat in the room Monday evening.

where the stove is located, and beats one or two additional rooms without additional stoves or labor. It soon saves its cost, \$4.50 or \$5.00, by the reduced amount of fuel used. It is substituted for the second length of stovepipe above the stove, or used in any room through which the stove pipe passes. Furnished by alt hardware dealers, manufactured by ESCANABA W. J. Burton & Co., 168-170 W. Larned Street, Detroit.

# TRESPASS AGENTS AT WORK

Mr. Parmelee of Lansing Confers With Inspectors Operating Here.

C. E. Parmelee of Lansing, state trespass agent, was in the city on Tuesday, and bad a conference with the men employed in inspecting state present spent the evening most en- lands of this county. To him was submitted reports of work thus far versation. The Tolan family pro- done, and it is intimated that a numconsisting of turkey, ham sand- trespass in Delta county is large, wiches, salads, ice-cream, cake and and it is proposed to make violators remunerate the state for all timber Once each year, at exactly the taken from its lands. In some insame time, Ed. Smith, not unlike stances lands were trespassed upon

### Diphtheria in the Seventh.

Miss Carrie Tyrrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tyrrell of Stephenson avenue, is confined to ber home by diphtheria, but her condition is not considered dangerous by the attending physician, Dr. H. B. Reynolds. Every precaution has been taken to prevent a spread of the

Another case of diphtheria has been reported to the health officer, being at 416 South Jennie street; Peter Gidlund, a young man eighteen years of age, is the patient. These are the only two cases reported since October, during which month there were three cases.

# Notice to the Public.

In view of the fact that small-pox is increasing in this peniusula I would recommend that all persons who have not been successfully vaccinated within the past five years be vaccinated forthwith. Vaccination is a reliable preventive of small-pox, and if every person in Escanaba is vaccinated and all not successfully vaccinated within the past five years, revaccinated, there need be no fear of an epidemic in this city. This is an | he could very comfortably sit down Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lahaie came important matter, and while the in the embers' glow during the cold in from Perronville Thursday after- health officer cannot order vaccina- weather he can't quit the logging noon and were in attendance upon tion, he most urgently recommends habit.

Andrew Nelson, M. D., Health Officer.

Has Not Received Appointment. At a recent session of the county board of supervisors that body rec-W. Brennan, Wm. Manley, P. J. ommended to State Warden Morse that Frank Foster of the Sixth ward coran, Tim Dunn and Thos. Atkinson | this city be appointed deputy game were initiated into the mysteries of warden for Delta county, at the same time fixing a salary of that official at \$600 per year, provided the state warden acted favorably upon at her home on Dousman avenue the recommendation, but as yet that Wednesday evening, when twenty- worthy has not made the appointupon her unceremoniously and made sted of Garden continues to act in that capacity.

# The Board of Education,

At a session of the Board of Education Tuesday evening Mrs. John J. reception will be held at the home of Dunn and Miss Mashek were engaged as teachers, and will be assigned to duty upon the completion of the addition to the Barr school building.

After allowing bills to the amount of \$493, bids were opened for the construction of a standpipe in the Barr building. E. Olson was the only bidder, and the contract was not awarded.

A petition, asking that the bible be read in the schools, was tabled.

# Confederate Soldier in Jail.

George Fugill, who served in the confederate army under Stonewall Jackson, was picked up at the corner of First and Jennie streets in a state of intoxication Tuesday afternoon, and taken to the police station, where he now is. Fugill is about 60 years of age, and has been employed hall last night, given by the Con. Johnson were marfied Saturday even- as a cook by the Ford River Lumber company for ten years. The man was bordering on delirium tremens when found, and his appearance indicated that he had been pummeled by some one.

# Shingle Mill Shuts Down.

The Perronville Shingle mill shut down for the season on Tuesday, and the weavers have gone to Faunus to operate John Corcoran's mill at manufactured thirteen million shingles, and sawed six million feet

Held No Meeting. Owing to the inclement weather ist Monday night the annual meetng of the Delta County Agrizultural society, called for that time, was sual waste of beat up the chimney without a quorum. A call for the cated. and force it to radiate into the room, meeting has been issued for next John Moran raffled one of his draft

General Municipal Gossip Gathered Here, There and Elsewhere.

VIGINITY.

The Iron Port Reporters' Weekly Grist of Information, Gathered in Their Daily Rounds of the City -- General Notes.

The recommendation of Maj. Boynton, commander of the great camp of Maccabees of Michigan, that a sum be raised by popular subscription among the Maccabees to help will engage in other business in the defaulting finance keeper Thompson elty. out of his difficulty, should meet with discouragement from every Maccabee. Thompson deliberately used money belonging to the order ing out an inducement to others to follow in his footsteps. There are hundreds of equally good men holding similar positions of trust in cooperative insurance societies, and the example might prove disastrous. The major exhibits poor judgement.

The county officers, especially the treasurer and clerk, greatly feel the need of a new county map. The present map, made many years ago, besides being incomplete in many particulars is badly mutilated, and fails to fill a long felt want. Then, too, maps of Escanaba and Gladstone, showing the several additions and platted portions, would be a convenience. The Gladstone map now in use by the county treasurer for reference, was made early in the history of that city, and shows none of the additions thereto.

Clifford Barron of Escanaba tp., will employ twenty men in the woods near Watson this winter, getting out logs for The I. Stephenson company. Mr. Barron has logged for this company every winter for the past twenty six years, and although

The president of the Board of Publie Works, while going home the other night, walked off the sidewalk and sustained slight injury. He is more enthustiastic over the street lighting question than ever.

A letter box has been placed at the corner of Ludington and Maple streets for the convenience of residents of that locality. Heretofore it has been necessary to go three blocks to mail a letter.

Col. G. T. Burns' new residence on Charlotte street is rapidly nearing completion, and will be an ornament to the Fourth ward. "Now for the bird," says the genial colonel.

The Soo Line has just finished relaying 120 miles of road with 80pound steel. This completes the work of relaying steel between Minneapolis and Gladstone-

Nick Tinnes and John Lemmer have rented the store building at the corner of Ludington and Elmore streets and will open a saloon therein in a few days. F. Johnson, who came to Escan-

aba some weeks ago and leased the Sherman House, has surrendered his lease, and the house is closed for the present. During the sixteen months ending

Nov. 1, the Soo has added 159 miles to its trackage and 700 freight cars and eight locomotives to its equip-John Alger, of the Escanaba Wood-

enware company, has a steam loader and a crew of men at Russell Spur loading logs for shipment to this Mann Brothers' tug, Temple

Emery, lost a raft of logs near Ford River last Sunday. The logs were recovered. Tim Murphy, in his new play, "A

Capitol Comedy," attracted a fairsized audience to The Peterson Tuesday night. At a meeting of the A. O. H. last Sunday fifteen new members were

initiated into the order. The football boys have devoted considerable time this week to expla-

using how it happened. The N. Ludington Company of fenominee will put in 40,000,000 feet of logs this wieter.

The Retail Clerks' Union held a meeting at Sullivan's hall Thursday

Jens Akerson, a Swede, suicided at Marinette last week, while intoxiCause and Cure." Sunday School 12 p. m. Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:30. Service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Thieves entered the Christie resideuce, now in course of construction

night, Alderdan A. J. Valentine

held the lucky number. Mr. Moran

First Presbylerian church service

by the pastor at 10:30 p. m. Sub-

ect/worning service, "The Ultimate

Test." Evening. "Despondency, Its

has gone to Arisona for his health,

on Elmore street, Sunday night and took two kits of tools therefrom. John Lawson also lost a chest of tools from his shop the other night. The ladies of the Presbyterian

church will bold a sale of fancy articles, and serve a torkey supper, on the 21st.

Frank Peltier has bought Wm. Firkus' barber shop. Mr. Firkus

### Small-Pox at Calumet.

Swedetown, a suburb of Calumet, is practically quarantined on account of the breaking out of smallto the extent of \$60,000, and while pox there. Every house in the place we may have pity for him, in view has been searched for any signs of of his past good record, to make the disease. Twenty-three patients good his shortage would be but hold. | are now confined in the county pest



BARK RIVER, MICH.

M. J. HUTT, Proprietor.

Best of Accommodations at Reasonable Rates

The house is new and comfortably furnished throughout, and every effort will be made to make all guests at home. Stop at the Transit house.

# LEGAL NOTICES.

First publication Oct 26, last Nov 30.

STATE OF MICHIGAN — Twenty-fifth Judicil Circuit, in Chancery. Nancy J. Swartz, complainant vs. August Swartz, d fendant

Sait pending in the circuit court for the County of Delta, in Chan ery, at the City of Escanaba, in said county, onethe 16th day of October, 1901.

In this cause ft appearing that defendant, August Swartz, is not a resident of the state, but resides at Niagara, Marinette County, Wisconsia, therefore, on motion of Cummiskey & Yelland, solicitors for complainant, it is ordered that defendant enter his appearance in said cause on or before four months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be purished in the "Iron Port" a newspaper published and circulated in said county, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

JOHN W. STONE. JOHN W. STONE. Circuit Judge CUMMISKEY & YEALLAND, Solicitors for Complainant.

First publication Nov. 2, last Nov. 23.

DROBATE ORDER OF HEARING—State
of Michigan, County of Delta, as.

Ata session of the Probate court for the county
of Delta, holden at the Probate office, la the city of
Escansba, on Wednesday, the thirstein day of October, in the year one thousand nips hundred and one.
Probate. In the matter of the estate of Frank E. Benware,

ercased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Peter Laing, Administrator, praying that he be authorized to sell the real estate, of and deceased, described in said petition at private sale for the purpose of paying the debts of said deceased.

There spen it a Ordered, that Monday, the twenty-fifth day of November, A. D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, he assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the mext of kin and heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Escanaba, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted:

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

T. B. Whitte,

Sept. 14

Judge of Probate.

First publication Nov. 9, 1901, last Nov. 30 ORDER OF HEARING, FOR GENERAL PURPOSES-State of Michigan, Ucunty of

Delta, ss.

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

Present, Honorable Thomas B White, Judge of Probate

In the matter of the estate of William McLood, becased.

On reading and filling the final report and account of Magns Mc Leod, a brother, praying that the court idjudicate and decranine who are the lawful heirs mittled to inherit the real estate of said deceased. Thereupon it is, ordered, that Monday the second day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said

horses at Jerry Driscoll's Monday

chigan-Beaumont Shareholders Are Guaranteed a Gusher or No Pay.

NINETY DAYS THE LIMIT SET

Secretary Jennings is Now in Texas Perfecting Final Arrangements and Disposition of Stock will Soon Begin.

pany, recently organized in this city. expects to commence the sale of stock soon after Mr Jennings returns from Texas, where he now is perfecting final arrangements. To stock in the enterprise there is no new presses of modern make and dechance for loss, as is the case in a majority of schemes of this charaguaranteed a "gusher" by the people with whom it has entered into contract. All money received from the sale of stock in the Michigan-Beaumont will be deposited in a local bank with the express understanding that if within ninety days from the signing of the coatract with the Texas people a "gusher" is not produced every cent will be promptly refunded. But if, on the other hand. a successful oil well is developed, the money will be retained by the company and certificates of stock issued

This proposition is certainly a fair one. It is not the intention of know good printing when they see it the Michigan Beaumont company, appreciate our efforts to provide at the head of which is Senator O. B. that very thing The Iron Port com-Fuller, to make money out of the sale of stock, but to produce oil for what there may be in it, and divide the profits among the shareholders. The plan should inspire confidence among those who are seeking invest-

# Got Twenty-Seven Deer.

John Keenan, of this city, and Frank | ed within a short time.

G. eene of Gladstone. Another party of three from Daggett came down the day previous with seven deer.

Ed. Voght was in the woods this week, and packed a goodly chunk of venison eight miles to the railroad. Attorney "Jim" Clancy got seventy pounds of venison at an expense of \$20. But "look at all the fun he had."

Chas. Ehnerd, E. W. Wickert, Richard Roth, John Richter and Conrad Eiffer spent ten days in the vicinity of Metropolitan, returning Report Says the Lad Fired on Tuesday. The wind was from the wrong quarter and they got less than a deer apiece.

# NEW MACHINERY.

The Michigan-Beaumont Oil Com- The Iron Port Company Installs Three New Fast Presses.

The rapidly increasing business in the jobbing department of The Iron Port company's printery made it necessary to improve its facilities, those who may desire to purchase and it has recently installed three sign, discarding slow and less capable ones. The list is headed by a cter, inasmuch as the company is four-roller Pony Potter, the only machine of its kind in the upper peninsula, the speed of which is guaranteed by that most responsible concern, Barnhart Bros. & Spindler of Chicago to be 2,800 impressions per hour. With possibly two exceptions this is the fastest printing press in this section of the country, and is in every way an up-to-date machine. Second in the list is a quarto Gordon, the George P. brass side-arm, and the third press is an eighth medium of the same pattern. These together with other equally modern facilities, places The Iron Port in the front rank of print shops of the upper peninsula, and our customers who pany, let it be said incidently, employes union men only in its jobbing department, and union help in the printing business means something in the way of efficiency.

### LEMERE IS IMPROVING.

LeMere, the man who was brought to this city from Powers last week A party of nine hunters came down with the small-pox, is improving the Escauaba & Lake Superior road rapidly, and no fear of a fatal result yesterday bringing with them are entertained. In fact the patient, twenty-seven deer, bagged within who is in the pest house near the property of the Soo Line. the week. In the party were James poor farm, is not confined to his bed, Greene. Austin Paul. Ed. Clark, and in all probability will be releas-

Fifteen-Year-Old Boy Mistakes Mim for Deer and Shoots Him Down.

DEATH COMES SOON AFTER.

Charge of Buckshot Into Britz' Body-Telegraphic Message Brings the Sad News.

A telegraphic message was received here late yesterday afternoon announcing the accidental shooting

of Matt Britz, near his home at Lathrop. First a message came asking that a physician be despatched to Lathrop with all possible speed to attend Matt Britz, who had been mistaken for a deer and shot down.

An hour later came the information that the wounded man was dead, and instead of a physician an undertaker went to the scene of the accident.

The details of the unfortunate affair are wanting, but it is said that Britz' body received a full charge of buckshot from the weapon in the hands of a fifteen-year-old boy whose name is not given.

The deceased had been a resident of this county for many years, and was highly respected by all who knew him.

# CLADSTONE WINS GASE.

Judge Stone Decides Against the Pioneer Fuel Company.

The Pioneer Fuel company has instituted proceedings in replevin against the city of Gladstone to recover coal on the dock which had been levied upon for taxes for the year 1899, the company claiming that it had no coal at Gladstone during the year mentioned; that it was the

tried at the last term of the circuit afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

court to compel the company to pay 1900 taxes, has been decided in favor of the city by Judge Stone, and an appeal has been taken.

payablein a few days, and litigation will probably follow in the same

# NO CALL FOR SESSION.

Like Several Laws Passed, but Expense Would Be Great.

Gov. Bliss says he has no intention of calling a special session of the legislature and he does not know where the rumor that he was to do so originated.

He said: "I do not at the present time see any necessity for a special session. Although there are a few bills I would like to have seen gone through, they are not of sufficient importance to justify such an ex pense to the state and unless some unforeseen circumstance arises there will be no special session.

"I have had numerous requests to convene the legislature and they came from different parts of the state. There is a sentiment in favor of the Normal school and the Ward-Lowry bills which I vetoed for reasons that seemed good to me. The advocates of these bills want an extra session. I vetoed the Normal school bill on the grounds that the extra school was not needed, the present schools not being filled to their capacity."

### BROKE HIS NOSE.

Brakeman on Northwestern Road Receives Injuries on Thursday.

By the sudden and unexpected stopping of an ore train on the Northwestern road on Thursday, Joseph Baumier was thrown against a caboose window with considerable force, smashing the glass, breaking his nose and otherwise disfiguring his face. He is at the county hos-

COR SALE-Choice Poland China and Berkshire pigs; splendid breeding stock, also Buff Leghorn and Hamberg chickens, non-setters. Don't go away from home and pay fancy prices when you can buy wellbred stock at home of H. W. Cole, Rapid River, Mich.

The 1901 taxes will be due and Michigan Oil and Improvement Company Makes a Startling Discovery.

LIVE ASPHALT REPORTED

The Find is Made by C. C. Phelps on the Black Property, Eight Miles From the Village of Rapid River.

Report comes from C C. Phelps of Green Bay, who is one of the principals in the Michigan Oil and Improvement company, now operating on the Black property eight miles from Rapid River, aspbalt beds have been discovered at that place, while in search of oil. The asphalt is reported by Prof. F. Ruschaupt to be 'good and live asphalt," the first bed of its kind to be discovered in the United States. The bed was first discovered by C. C. Phelps who submitted samples to M. D. Kelly of Milwaukee. Prof. Ruschaup analyzed the samples and on his report the company bases its claim.

The Michigan Oil & Improvement company has bought the leases to 5,000 or more acres of land in the vicinity of the find and now has its own machinery and a force of men on the spot and busily at work. It is expected that the find will prove more valuable and startling than were the original finds of oil in the

Pennsylvania and Texas oil regions. The company which has been incorporated under the name of the Michigan Oil and Improvement company is composed of the following men: President, F. C. Eschweiler; vice-president, Henry Barkhausen, Green Bay; secretary and treasurer, C. C. Phelps, Creen Bay; general manager, Perry G. Hibbard, Rapid River. Among the stockholders are: Isaac Stephenson, Sepator Henry Hagemeister and James McGee.

# KALAMAZOO WINS.

Ishpeming Will Line Up Against Kazoos for State Championship.

The case of the city of Gladstone | The Woman's Club will meet at | According to the Detroit papers against the Pioneer Fuel company, the home of Mrs. S. H. Selden this the lower peninsula high school football championship was decided last | throughout the peninsula.

Saturday, when the Kalamazoo team defeated the Manistee eleven in a score of 23 to 0. It appears that these teams downed everything they went against during the season and they met to decide which should go against the Ishpeming eleven in the contest for the state championship.

# BAEHRISCH IS FAILING.

The Ex-Alderman's Days Are Rapidly Drawing to a Close.

Information was received in this city yesterday that Ex-Alderman Gus. E. Bachrisch; who is at the Newberry asylum in a demented condition, is dangerously ill, and that he would, in all probability, soon pass away. Mrs. Bachrisch left immediately after receiving the sad intelligence, for Newberry and is with her husband at this writing.

## INJUNCTION ISSUED.

To Restrain Distribution of Certain Assets Until Case Can be Heard.

Upon the application of Mrs. Thos. Greene an injunction was issued out of the Circuit Court on Thursday restraining the distribution of certain assets of the Susan Stonbouse estate until certain matters can be heard and disposed of. . The executor, Samuel Stonhouse, sought, through the Probate Court, to sell certain property, and consequently the

# A Pleasant Party.

The Lady Maccabees of Rapid River gave a pleasant progressive pedro party at Maccabee hall Thursday evening, upon which there was an attendance of about fifty. Mrs. Schaffer and Mr. Cavile won the first prizes, and Miss Capitola Kniskern and Chas. Blumstrom the consolation prizes. Refreshments were

### Case Continued.

The case of Dennis St. John of this city, who is charged with arson in Houghton county, is called for Monday next. A leading local attorney expresses the opinion that the case will not come to trial at all.

# Football Today.

The Negaunee football team will meet the Gladstone eleven on the latter's grounds this afternoon.

Bartley Breen, a pioneer of Meno-



# **GREAT SALE OF FURS AND FUR GARMENTS**

# ED. ERICKSON'S BIG BUSY STORE,

# WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1901.

On this date one of the largest Fur houses of this country will have on exhibition at our store a complete line of

FURS, FUR TRIMMINGS

.....FUR GARMENTS

We invite the ladies of Escanaba and vicinity to call and inspect the beautiful creations of this season's fashions.

# GOODS SOLD FROM STOCK

OR MEASURES TAKEN FOR

This will be your last opportunity this season to view a line of this kind.



Was never so attractive as at the present time. We are showing the largest line of LADIES' MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S CLOAKS ever before seen in this city. Prices have been set for this one day only.

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# and Personal

cerning our former townsman, G. M. West. "One of the most delightful vember 26th. social events was the theatre party | Messrs. Otto Troude, R. Roberts last Saturday evening to "David and J. Tolan hunted deer near Swan Harum" at Powers' theatre. The zy this week. That they were sucmost pleasant part of the evening's cessful can be testified to by the entertainment was the trip to and | writer. from the city, where the party, numbering 24, were the guests of Mr. G. M. West, superintendent of spending a week visiting her cousin, the Chicago Heights Terminal. Mr. West's private car was attached to the 6:25 C. T. T. train. The host had decorated the car with ferns and past week visiting her brothers. roses, and everything was at its best. Mrs. Lambdon of Chicago, who was the guest of Miss Elliott, sang several selections, and the clear sweet tones of her beautiful voice charmed her hearers. Miss Elliott gave several recitations in her inimitable way, provoking much merriment. Returning, the car was attached to the 11:30 train; a delicious lunch was served, and the party, this city, is now teaching school in entertained by recitations and songs, Chicago. the time was all too short to please the guests. At parting three rousing cheers were given for Mr. and Mrs. West and for Miss Elliott who arranged the party."

Dr. Chas: H. Long left, Wednesday night, for Chicago, where he will enter the Chicago Polyechnic for a post graduate course, and expects to be absent from the city about a month. He will prepare himself more thoroughly for surgical work. Dr. Long graduated from McGill University, Montreal, in 1888, and after taking a course of study in Chicago, came to Escanaba in 1900.

Next Saturday evening, under the auspices of the North Star Society, a masquerade dance will be given at North Star hall. Four prizes will be offered as follows: One for the best lady costume, one for the best gent costume, one for the most comical lady costume and one for the most comical gent costume.

Herbert McColley, who has been ill at the county bospital for some weeks past, will leave tomorrow night for his home in Deleware, accompanied by his mother, who came west a week ago to nurse ber son.

Mrs. Wm. McKeever, Sr., entertained the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church Thursday afternoon.' Luncheon was served.

Mr. Eugene Cass and Miss Lottie Caswell, both of Rapid River, were joined in wedlock by Justice Emil Glaser Monday evening.

John Monday, one of the Garth Lumber company's old and reliable employes, visited his parents at Osh-

kosh this week. Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Fogarty attended the funeral of the late John Hunt at Neenah, Wisconsin, on Wed-

Miss Nettie Wagner returned to her home in Marquette on Tuesday, after visiting relatives in this city. Mrs. L. Johnson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Graverock,

of Ishpeming this week Ed. Gunville and Jos. Fleming are in the woods with an Ishpeming party hunting deer.

Rev. Fr. Buchholtz, located at Munising, visited his parents here this week.

Mrs. A. S. Warn inspected the Iron Mountain W. R. C. on Tuesday. The Misses Linsley spent a portion of the week in Chicago.

Archie Connors of Rapid River was in the city Tuesday.

That the Conductors' ball on Thanksgiving day. Thanksgiving Eve. will be largely attended goes without saying. Railway men from all over the peninsula will come to Es:ayaba free on special trains. The price of admission to the dance will be one dellar. Already hundreds of tickets have been disposed of. The dancing hall will be handsomely decorated for the occasion, and the music will be the best obtainable.

The many friends of Rev. Fr. Manning will be gratified to learn Saturday night. that he is greatly improved in health. He contemplates going to Cummiskey & Yelland, has been con-Iron River on Thanksgiving, there fined to his home by illness the past to attend the dedication of a new

Catholic church. graph company, spent the first of dist church Wednesday afternoon. the week at Hancock in the interest of his company. John J. Sourwine Garden were guests of friends in this jerked lightning at the Postal station city Thursday. during his absence.

city, now a resident of Sault Ste., Marie, is recovering from typhoid

housed up for several weeks past.

tains the following social item con- O'Brien will take place at St. Joseph's Ackley and Jos. Savoie of Rapid church in this city on Tuesday, No

Miss Maud Lucia returned to her bome in Green Bay Tuesday, after Mrs E. Hofmann of Wolcott street. Miss Ellen Field of Depere, Wis-

consie, has been in Escanaba the

Monday from Green Bay, where she spent a week with friends. William Coan of Ashland spent

Monday in Escanaba, having business in the probate court. W. E. Barlow, store-keeper for the Bay de Noquet company at Nahma,

was in the city Saturday. Mrs. Frank Bartley, formerly of

T. B. White transacted business

at DeLoughary Saturday. Miss Anna Powers spent the week at Minneapolis.

J. M. Hartnett was at Green Bay on Monday.

J. P. Cleary is at Rhinelander to-

has been in Escanaba this week renewing acquaintances. Mr. Peterson has recently returned from a trip to the old country, and while for the St. Paul company at North there was married to Miss Elma Escanaba. Nelson. They make their home in

George Beath and Henry Valentine have been in quest of deer in the Whitefish valley this week. The Iron Port has no evidence that they were successful.

Dennis St. John went to Houghton Monday afternoon, there to stand trial for arson. He was accompanied at Stephenson this week. by his attorney, Geo. Gallup.

Miss Sadie Thatcher pleasantly entertained a number of young friends last evening. Twas a masquerade dancing party.

Miss Caroline Grenier returned home from Ishpeming, where she visited her friend, Miss Louise Lavigne, on Tuesday.

Tom Mathews has been confined to his home a portion of the week with inflammation of the bowels.

Mrs. Harlin of Aver street has entertained Mrs. Thos. Touhev of Channing this week.

Rev. Fr. Langan was at Marquette Tuesday, in the intest of his congregation. The W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs.

Robert McCourt Monday afternoon

Judge Nelson Clifton of Chicago was an Escanaba visitor on Monday. Miss Margaret Hirn is home from a visit in Milwaukee.

Herman Salinsky spent the week n Chicago

Ex-Mayor Solomon Greenhoot returned yesterday morning from New While on his way home he stopped Mrs. Sam Greenhoot, and he reports | hall in the evening. ber in excellent health.

be united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Drake of 607 Fannie street, on

Her lady friends very agreeably surprised Mrs. Casper Bartley Monday afternoon. They presented their hostess with a handsome rocking

The masquerade ball at Peterson's hall last night, given by the Concordia band, was well attended, and ling last.

proved a pleasant social gathering. The Star society of Bark River in Escanaba a portion of the week. pleasantly entertained its members and friends with a dancing party last

Judd Yelland, of the law firm of

Mrs. R. C. May entertained the F. E. Carter, of the Postal Tele- Young Ladies' Circle of the Metho-

Mr. ank Mrs. Autoine Deloria of

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. F. Follis, formerly of this L. C. Valentine of 714 Jennie street last Saturday,

The Eastern Star will give a shirt waist party at Masonic hall next usual waste of heat up the chimney Tuesday evening.

The Chicago Heights Signal con- of Milwaukee and Miss Katherine Jos. Heldman of Gladstone; and J. J. River; attended the Elks' social Thursday evening.

Escanaba Lodge, No. 354, Benevoent and Protective Order of Elks, delightfully entertained Thursday evening; the occasion being a socia session. The lodge rooms at the corner of Ludington street and Dousman avenue were filled to overflowing by members of the order, their families and invited guests, and all present spent the evening most enjoyably at cards and in social conversation. The Tolan family pro-Mrs. Austin L. Paul returned on | vided music, and elicited the praise of those in attendance. Luncheon, consisting of turkey, ham sandwiches, salads, ice-cream, cake and coffee, was served at 11 o'clock.

> Once each year, at exactly the same time, Ed. Smith, not unlike other people, has a birthday anniversary. This event bobbed up Thursday, and his friends took advantage of the opportunity to tender him a "surprise" at his home on Sarah street.

> Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McPherson entertained the Cinch Club Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Besnah won the prizes. The next meeting of the Club will be held at the home of A. G. Crose next Wednesday evening.

Clarence J. Gagnon and Edith E. P. N. Peterson, formerly a resi- Olmsted, both of Sac Bay; Conrad dent of this city, now a traveling | Dalgord and Sarah Arnold, both of correspondent for "Hemlandet," a Fayette; August Berglund and Swedish paper published in Chicago, Emma J. Anderson both of Gladstone have been licensed to wed.

Arthur Connelly of Iron Mountain has taken a position as chief clerk

Miss Lottie Donovan and Miss Lily Fish have returned from a visit with Green Bay friends.

E. F. Van Valkenburg and wife returned Sunday from a visit in Chi The ladies of the W. R. C. will

give a ball New Year's Eve. Miss Emma Vassaw visited friends

in from Perronville Thursday afterthe Elks' social session that evening. Others from outside who were present are Chas. Juttner, Geo. Prince and A. Z. Sourwine & Powers; and Henry J. Van Zalinger of Muskegon.

D. E. Glavin, J. M. Hartnett, S. W. Brennan, Wm. Manley, P. J. Gallery, J. S. Doberty, John Cor coran, Tim Dunn and Thos. Atkinson were initiated into the mysteries of the Knights of Columbus at Green Bay last Sunday.

Miss Lura Roblee was "surprised" at her bome on Dousman avenue Wednesday evening, when twentyfive of her young triends bounded in upon her unceremoniously and made themselves at home for the evening. that capacity.

Mr. W. M Finch and Miss Gertrude Boprie of Perkins will be united in marriage at that place next Wednesday. Following the ceremony a reception will be held at the home of the bride's father, Donald Boprie.

Thompson, of this city, were mar-York, and other points in the east. ried on Monday, Rev. Fr. Langan performing the ceremony. A wedoff at Chicago for a brief visit with ding reception was held in Perron's

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lemmer gave Miss Mabel Orake of this city and a social dance in honor of Mr. and James E. Weaver of Green Bay will Mrs. John Lemmer of Winona, Minn., who are their guests. Refreshments were served at midnight.

The card party given by the Woman's Relief Corps at G. A. R. hall Wednesday evening was a very pleasant affair.

Henry S. Van Zalingen of Muskegan was the guest of his sister, Mrs. O. B. Fuller, this week.

Jno. Oberg and Miss Christina Johnson were married Saturday even-

C. W. Vaughn of Toledo has been Archie Campbell was a visitor at the Soo this week.

# Successful Church Fair.

The chupch fair at Wells this week ladies of the new undenominational the weavers have gone to Faunus this city were in attendance Toursday and Friday evenings. The interior of the edifice was handsomely lecorated for the occasion.

# An Ornamental Fuel Saver.

Burton's Fuel Economizer is being universally adopted to prevent the and force it to radiate into the room. The naptials of Mr. Frank Harvey | Archie Bellaire, N. LaPine and It increases the heat in the room Mouday evening.

where the stove is located, and beats one or two additional rooms without additional stoves or labor. It soon saves its cost, \$4.50 or \$5.00, by the reduced amount of fuel used. It is substituted for the second length of stovepipe above the stove, or used in any room through which the stove pipe passes. Furnished by all hardware dealers, manufactured by W. J. Burton & Co., 168-170 W. Larned Street, Detroit.

# TRESPASS AGENTS AT WORK

Mr. Parmelee of Lansing Confers With Inspectors Operating Here.

C. E. Parmelee of Lansing, state trespass agent, was in the city or Tuesday, and bad a conference with the men employed in inspecting state lands of this county. To him was submitted reports of work thus far done, and it is intimated that a number of arrests will be made in the near future. The number of cases of trespass in Delta county is large, and it is proposed to make violators remunerate the state for all timber taken from its lands. In some instances lands were trespassed upon as long ago as twenty years.

### Diphtheria in the Seventh.

Miss Carrie Tyrrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tyrrell of Stephenson avenue, is confined to her home by diphtheria, but her condition is not considered dangerous by the attending physician, Dr. H. B. Reynolds. Every precaution has been taken to prevent a spread of the

Another case of diphtheria has been reported to the health officer, being at 416 South Jennie street. Peter Gidlund, a young man eighteen years of age, is the patient. These are the only two cases reported since October, during which month there were three cases.

# Notice to the Public.

In view of the fact that small-pox is increasing in this peninsula I would recommend that all persons who have not been successfully vaccinated within the past five years be vaccinated forthwith. Vaccination is a reliable preventive of small-pox, and if every person in Escanaba is vaccinated and all not successfully vaccinated within the past five years, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lahaie came important matter, and while the health officer cannot order vaccinanoon and were in attendance upon tion, he most urgently recommends habit. it in all cases.

ANDREW NELSON, M. D., Health Officer.

Has Not Received Appointment. At a recent session of the county board of supervisors that body recommended to State Warden Morse that Frank Foster of the Sixth ward this city be appointed deputy game warden for Delta county, at the same time fixing a salary of that official at \$600 per year, provided the state warden acted favorably upon the recommendation, but as yet that worthy has not made the appointment. In the meanwhile Chas. Olmsted of Garden continues to act in

# The Board of Education,

At a session of the Board of Education Tuesday evening Mrs. John J. Dunn and Miss Mashek were engaged as teachers, and will be assigned Mr. Fred Kositzke and Miss Mabel to duty upon the completion of the addition to the Barr school building.

> After allowing bills to the amount of \$493, bids were opened for the construction of a standpipe in the Barr building. E. Olson was the only bidder, and the contract was not awarded.

A petition, asking that the bible be read in the schools, was tabled.

# Confederate Soldier in Jail.

George Fugill, who served in the confederate army under Stonewall Jackson, was picked up at the corner of First and Jennie streets in a state of intoxication Tuesday afternoon, and taken to the police station, where he now is. Fugill is about 60 years of age, and has been employed as a cook by the Ford River Lumber company for ten years. The man was bordering on delirium tremens when found, and his appearance indicated that he had been pummeled by some one.

# Shingle Mill Shuts Down.

The Perronville Shingle mill shut was a pronounced success, and the down for the season on Tuesday, and church netted a song sum, which to operate John Corcoran's mill at will be expended in the interest of that place. The Perronville mill the society. A large number from manufactured thirteen million shingles, and sawed six million feet of lumber during the season.

# Held No Meeting.

Dwing to the inclement weather last Monday night the annual meeting of the Delta County Agricultural society, called for that time, was without a quorum. A call for the cated.

General Municipal Gossip Gathered Here, There and Elsewhere.

**ESCANABA** VIGINITY. AND

The Iron Port Reporters' Weekly Grist of Information, Gathered in Their Daily Rounds of the City-General Notes.

The recommendation of Maj. Boynton, commander of the great camp of Maccabees of Michigan, that a sum be raised by popular subscription among the Maccabees to help defaulting finance keeper Thompson out of his difficulty, should meet with discouragement from every Maccabee. Thompson deliberately used money belonging to the order to the extent of \$60,000, and while we may have pity for him, in view of his past good record, to make good his shortage would be but holding out an inducement to others to follow in his footsteps. There are hundreds of equally good men holding similar positions of trust in cooperative insurance societies, and the example might prove disastrous. The major exhibits poor judgement.

The county officers, especially the treasurer and clerk, greatly feel the need of a new county map. The present map, made many years ago, besides being incomplete in many particulars is badly mutilated, and fails to fill a long felt want. Then, too, maps of Escanaba and Gladstone, showing the several additions and platted portions, would be a convenience. The Gladstone map now in use by the county treasurer for reference; was made early in the history of that city, and shows none of the additions thereto.

Clifford Barcon of Escanaba tp. will employ twenty men in the woods near Watson this winter, getting out logs for The I. Stephenson company. Mr. Barron has logged for this company every winter for the revaccinated, there need be no fear of past twenty six years, and although an epidemic in this city. This is an he could very comfortably sit down in the embers' glow during the cold weather he can't quit the logging

The president of the Board of Public Works, while going home the other night, walked off the sidewalk and sustained slight injury. He is more enthustiastic over the street lighting question than ever.

A letter box has been placed at the corner of Ludington and Maple streets for the convenience of residents of that locality. Heretofore it has been necessary to go three blocks to mail a letter.

Col. G. T. Burns' new residence on Charlotte street is rapidly nearing completion, and will be an ornament to the Fourth ward. "Now for the bird, "says the genial colonel.

The Soo Line has just finished relaying 120 miles of road with 80pound steel. This completes the work of relaying steel between Minneapolis and Gladstone.

Nick Tinnes and John Lemmer have rented the store building at the corner of Ludington and Elmore streets and will open a saloon therein in a few days.

F. Johnson, who came to Escanaba some weeks ago and leased the Sherman House, has surrendered his lease, and the house is closed for the During the sixteen months ending

Nov. 1, the Soo has added 159 miles to its trackage and 700 freight cars and eight locomotives to its equip-John Alger, of the Escanaba Wood-

enware company, has a steam loader and a crew of men at Russell Spur loading logs for shipment to this Mann Brothers' tug, Temple Emery, lost a raft of logs near Ford

recovered. Tim Murphy, in his new play, "A Capitol Comedy," attracted a fairsized audience to The Peterson Tues-

River last Sunday. The logs were

day night. At a meeting of the A. O. H. last Sunday fifteen new members were

initiated into the order. The football boys have devoted considerable time this week to explaining how it happened.

The N. Ludington Company of Menominee will put in 40,000,000 feet of logs this winter. The Retail Clerks' Union held a

meeting at Sullivan's hall Thursday

Jens Akerson, a Swede, suicided at Marinette last week, while intoxi-

night, Alderman A. J. Valentine beld the lucky number. Mr. Moran

has gone to Arizona for his health, First Presbyterian church service by the pastor at 10:30 p. m. Subect morning service, "The Ultimate Test." Evening, "Despondency, Its Cause and Cure. ' Sunday School 12 p. m. Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:30, Service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Thieves entered the Christie restdence, now in course of construction on Elmore street, Sunday night and took two kits of tools therefrom. John Lawson also lost a chest of tools from his shop the other night.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold a sale of fancy articles, and serve a turkey supper, on

Frank Peltier has bought Wm. Firkus' barber shop. Mr. Firkus will engage in other business in the

## Small-Pox at Calumet.

Swedetown, a suburb of Calumet. is practically quarantined on account of the breaking out of smallpox there. Every bouse in the place has been searched for any signs of the disease. Twenty-three patients are now confined in the county pest



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LEGAL NOTICES.

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First publication Oct 26, last Nov 30.

STATE OF MICHIGAN — Twenty-fifth Judicial Circuit, in Chancery. Nancy J. Swartz, complainant vs. August Swartz, d fendant
Suit pending in the circuit court for the County of Delta, in Chan cry, at the City of Escanaba, in said county, on the 16th day of October, 1901.

In this cause it appearing that defendant, August Swartz, it mut a resident of the state, but resident Niagara, Marinette County, Wisconsin, therefore, on motion of Cummiskey & Yelland, solicitors for complainant, it is ordered that defendant enter his appearance in said cause on or before four month from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be published and circulated in said county, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

Cummiskey & Yealland, Circuit Judge Solicitors for Complainant.

First publication Nov. 2, las' Nov. 23.

PROBATE ORDER OF HEARING—State
of Michigan, County of Delta, as.
At a session of the Probate court for the county
of Delta, holden at the Probate office in the city o
facanaba, on Wednesday, the thirtieth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.
Present, Henerable Thomas B. White, Judge of Probate, In the matter of the estate of Frank E. Benware,

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Peter Laing, Administrator, praying that he be authorized to sell the real estate, of said deceased, described in said petition at private sale for the purpose of paying the debts of said deceased.

Therespon it is Ordered, that Monday, the twenty-fifth day of November, A. D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the next of kin and heirs at law of said eccased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Escanaba, and show cause, if any there he, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted:

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

T. B. Whith,

Sept. 14

Judge of Probate.

First publication Nov 9, 1901, last Nov. 30. ORDER OF HEARING, FOR GENERAL PURPOSES-State of Michigan, County of Deita, 48.

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

B. White. Indee of

Probate, In the matter of the estate of William McLeod, deceased.

On reading and filing the final report and account of Magna McLeod, a brother, praying that the court adjudicate and determine who are the lawrel heira entitled to inhere the real estate of said deceased.

Theraupon it is ordered, that Monday the second day of December next, at sen o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said 'deceased, and all other persons interested in said cetate, are required.

John Moran raffled one of his draft horses at Jerry Driscoll's Monday

# **HE PLAN IS FAIR**

lichigan-Beaumont Shareholders Are Guaranteed a Gusher or No Pay.

VINETY DAYS THE LIMIT SET

Secretary Jennings is Now in Texas Perfecting Final Arrangements and Disposition of Stock will Soon Begin.

The Michigan-Beaumont Oil Company, recently organized in this city, expects to commence the sale of stock soon after Mr Jennings returns from Texas, where he now is perfecting final arrangements. To those who may desire to purchase stock in the enterprise there is no chance for loss, as is the case in a majority of schemes of this character, inasmuch as the company is guaranteed a "gusher" by the people with whom it has entered into contract. All money received from the sale of stock in the Michigan-Beaumont will be deposited in a local bank with the express understanding that if within ninety days from the signing of the coatract with the Texas people a "gusher" is not produced every cent will be promptly refunded. But if, on the other hand. a successful oil well is developed, the money will be retained by the company and certificates of stock issued therefor.

This proposition is certainly a fair one. It is not the intention of the Michigan Beaumont company, at the head of which is Senator O. B. Fuller, to make money out of the sale of stock, but to produce oil for what there may be in it, and divide the profits among the shareholders. The plan should inspire confidence among those who are seeking investment.

# Got Twenty-Seven Deer.

A party of nine hunters came down the Escanaba & Lake Superior road Greene, Austin Paul, Ed. Clark, and in all probability will be rel John Keenan, of this city, and Frank | ed within a short time.

Greene of Gladstone. Another party of three from Daggett came down the day previous with seven deer.

Ed. Voght was in the woods this week, and packed a goodly chunk of venison eight miles to the railroad. Attorney "Jim" Clancy got seventy pounds of venison at an ex-

pense of \$20. But "look at all the

fun he had. Chas. Ehnerd, E. W. Wickert, Richard Roth, John Richter and Conrad Eiller spent ten days in the vicinity of Metropolitan, returning on Tuesday. The wind was from the wrong quarter and they got less than

### NEW MACHINERY.

a deer apiece.

The Iron Port Company Installs Three New Fast Presses.

The rapidly increasing business in the jobbing department of The Iron Port company's printery made it of Matt Britz, near his home at necessary to improve its facilities, Lathrop. First a message came askand it has recently installed three new presses of modern make and design, discarding slow and less capable ones. The list is headed by a four-roller Pony Potter, the only machine of its kind in the upper peninsula, the speed of which is guaranteed by that most responsible concern, Barnhart Bros. & Spindler of Chicago to be 2,800 impressions per hour. With possibly two exceptions this is the fastest printing press in this section of the country, and is in every way an up-to-date machine. Second in the list is a quarto Gordon, the George P. brass side-arm, and the third press is an eighth medium of the same pattern. These together with other equally modern facilities, places The Iron Port in the front rank of print shops of the upper peninsula, and our customers who know good printing when they see it appreciate our efforts to provide that very thing The Iron Port company, let it be said incidently, employes union men only in its jobbing department, and union help in the printing business means something in the way of efficiency.

### LEMERE IS IMPROVING.

LeMere, the man who was brought to this city from Powers last week with the small-pox, is improving rapidly, and no fears of a fatal result yesterday bringing with them are entertained. In fact the patient, twenty-seven deer, bagged within who is in the pest house near the the week. In the narty were James | poor farm, is not confined to his bed,

Fitteen-Year-Old Boy Mistakes Him for Deer and Shoots Him Down.

# DEATH COMES SOON AFTER.

Report Says the Lad Fired Charge of Buckshot Into Britz' Body-Telegraphic Message Brings the Sad News.

A telegraphic message was received here late yesterday afternoon announcing the accidental shooting ing that a physician be despatched to Lathrop with all possible speed to attend Matt Britz, who had been mistaken for a deer and shot down.

An hour later came the information that the wounded man was dead, and instead of a physician an undertaker went to the scene of the accident.

The details of the unfortunate affair are wanting, but it is said that Britz' body received a full charge of buckshot from the weapon in the hands of a fifteen-year-old boy whose name is not given.

The deceased had been a resident of this county for many years, and was highly respected by all who knew him.

## CLADSTONE WINS GASE.

Judge Stone Decides Against the Pioneer Fuel Company.

The Pioneer Fuel company has iustituted proceedings in replevin against the city of Gladstone to recover coal on the dock which had been levied upon for taxes for the year 1899, the company claiming that it had no coal at Gladstone during the year mentioned; that it was the property ofthe Soo Line.

The case of the city of Gladstone tried at the last term of the circuit afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

court to compel the company to pay 1000 taxes, has been decided in favor of the city by Judge Stone, and an appeal has been taken.

The 1901 taxes will be due and payable in a few days, and litigation will probably follow in the same

# NO CALL FOR SESSION.

Like Several Laws Passed, but Expense Would Be Great.

Gov. Bliss says he has no intention of calling a special session of the legislature and he does not know where the rumor that he was to do so originated.

He said: "I do not at the present time see any necessity for a special session. Although there are a few bills I would like to have seen gone through, they are not of sufficient importance to justify such an ex pense to the state and unless some unforeseen circumstance arises there will be no special session.

"I have had numerous requests to convene the legislature and they came from different parts of the state. There is a sentiment in favor of the Normal school and the Ward-Lowry bills which I vetoed for reasons that seemed good to me. The advocates of these bills want an extra session. I vetoed the Normal school bill on the grounds that the extra school was not needed, the present schools not being filled to their capacity."

# BROKE HIS NOSE.

Brakeman on Northwestern Road Receives Injuries on Thursday.

By the sudden and unexpected stopping of an ore train on the Northwestern road on Thursday, Joseph Baumier was thrown against a caboose window with considerable force, smashing the glass, breaking his nose and otherwise disfiguring his face. He is at the county hos-

COR SALE-Choice Poland China and Berkshire pigs; splendid breeding stock, also Buff Leghorn and Hamberg chickens, non-setters. Don't go away from bome and pay fancy prices when you can buy wellbred stock at home of H. W. Cole, Rapid River, Mich.

The Woman's Club will meet at ainst the Pioneer Fuel company, the home of Mrs. S. H. Selden this

Michigan Oil and Improvement Company Makes a Startling Discovery.

# LIVE ASPHALT REPORTED.

The Find is Made by C. C. Phelps on the Black Property, Eight Miles From the Village of Rapid River.

Report comes from C C. Phelps of Green Bay, who is one of the principals in the Michigan Oil and Improvement company, now operating on the Black property eight miles from Rapid River, aspbalt beds have been discovered at that place, while in search of oil. The asphalt is reported by Prof. F. Ruschaupt to be "good and live asphalt," the first bed of its kind to be discovered in the United States. The bed was first discovered by C. C. Phelps who submitted samples to M. D. Kelly of Milwankee. Prof. Ruschaup analyzed the samples and on his report the company bases its claim.

The Michigan Oil & Improvement company has bought the leases to 5,000 or more acres of land in the vicinity of the find and pow has its own machinery and a force of men on the spot and busily at work. It is expected that the find will prove more valuable and startling than were the original finds of oil in the

Pennsylvania and Texas oil regions. The company which has been incorporated under the name of the Michigan Oil and Improvement company is composed of the following men: President, F. C. Eschweiler; vice-president, Henry Barkhausen, Green Bay; secretary and treasurer, C. C. Phelps, Creen Bay; general manager, Perry G. Hibbard, Rapid River. Among the stockholders are: Isaac Stephenson, Senator Henry Hagemeister and James McGee.

# KALAMAZOO WINS.

Ishpeming Will Line Up Against Kazoos for State Championship.

According to the Detroit papers the lower peninsula high school foot- minee, is dead. He was well known ball championship was decided last | throughout the peninsula.

Saturday, when the Kalamazoo team defeated the Munistee eleven in a score of 23 to 0. It appears that these teams downed everything they went against during the season and they met to decide which should go against the Ishpeming eleven in the contest for the state championship.

# BAEHRISCH IS FAILING.

The Ex-Alderman's Days Are Rapidly Drawing to a Close.

Information was received in this city yesterday that Ex-Alderman Gus. E. Baehrisch, who is at the Newberry asylum in a demented condition, is dangerously ill, and that he would, in all probability, soon pass away. Mrs. Baehrisch left ,immediately after receiving the sad intelligence, for Newberry and is with her husband at this writing.

## INJUNCTION ISSUED.

To Restrain Distribution of Certain Assets Until Case Can be Heard.

Upon the application of Mrs. Thos. Greene an injunction was issued out of the Circuit Court on Thursday restraining the distribution of certain assets of the Susan Stonhouse estate until certain matters can be heard and disposed of. The executor, Samuel Stonhouse, sought, through the Probate Court, to sell certain property, and consequently the

### A Pleasant Party.

The Lady Maccabees of Rapid River gave a pleasant progressive pedro party at Maccabee hall Thursday evening, upon which there was an attendance of about fifty. Mrs. Schaffer and Mr. Cavile won the first prizes, and Miss Capitola Kniskern and Chas. Blumstrom the consolation prizes. Refreshments were

### Case Continued.

The case of Dennis St. John of this city, who is charged with arson in Houghton county, is called for Monday next. A leading local attorney expresses the opinion that the case will not come to trial at all.

# Football Today.

The Negaunee football team will meet the Gladstone eleven on the latter's grounds this afternoon.

Bartley Breen, a pioneer of Meno-



# GREAT SALE OF **FURS AND FUR GARMENTS**

# ED. ERICKSON'S BIG BUSY STORE,

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# The Iron Port

BY THE IRON PORT COMPANY.

SATURDAY, NOV. 16, 1901

### THE LIGHTING PROBLEM.

Additions and improvements must be made to the city's lighting plant forthwith or the same must be sold to parties who will make it adequate to the demands upon it. Tais is a settled question; there is no alternative. The machinery now in use is incapable of performing the work required of it, and as a result street lighting is abandoned throughout the city until a late hour in the evening, and applications for at least three hundred incandescent lamps have been refused. About \$15,000 will be necessary to improve the plant and make it efficient, and while the blow may kill dad it must be struck. The common council will be waited upon by the Board of Publie Works next Tuesday night, and it is reasonably certain that an appropriation will be made so that the work may be commenced forthwith. At least several months will elapse before the improvements can possibly be finished, and there is no time to lose. There has already been delinquency in the matter.

While the estimate of Mr. Evan the expert electrical engineer who examined the lighting department of the city, says about \$10,000 will put the lighting plant in condition for the present needs, would it be wise to expend this amount simply to accommodate those who would become patrons immediately upon the completion of the improvements, and then in five years, or such a matter, find that another \$10,000 or \$15,000 was required to meet the demand? The Board of Public Works thinks not, and having arrived at this con clusion will ask the common council to appropriate \$15,000 for the purpose indicated. This will be sufficient, it is thought, to put the plant in condition to supply the demand made upon it by consumers for many years to come. It is the proper thing to do; the city has long enough adhered at a reasonable cost are discovered the "penny wise and pound foolish"

made with a view to providing for the wants of a city at least half again as large as is Escanaba today. Of the gas plant what can be said? According to Mr. Evans' report, it should be relegated to the scrap pile. The mode of manufacturing gas is expensive, the naptha from which it is made costing over 7 cents per gallon, and even then the gas is of poor quality. It is estimated that \$69,000 would be required to re construct this plant, and place it in con dition to furnish a good coal gas at a reasonable price, with a profit to the city. But notwithstanding the urgent need of more modern facilities and better gas, it is impossible to attempt this work now, and we shall be obliged to get along, for a time at least, with the present poor

# MAJ. BOYNTON IS RIGHT.

Maj. Boynton, "the father of the Maccabees," whose finance keeper is a confessed defaulter to the amount of \$60,000, has always opposed the accumulation of a large surplus fund for investment, and be is right. It is not in accordance with the objects and purposes of such organizations. It would simply be turning them into cold business corporations, masquerading under the cloak of fraternity, and no reserve fund, no matter how large, will be a protection. The larger the accumulation the greater the danger. The officials who are called upon, from time to time, to manipulate the affairs of these great orders, no matter bow honest they may be, are not qualified, by education or experience, to invest large sums of money, running into the millions, in safe securities. The recent loss sustained by the endowment rank of the Knights of Pythias to the extent of half a million of dollars of its surplus, through the inefficiency, if not dishonesty, of its officials, ought to convince the most obtuse mind that large accumulations for investment in fraternal beneficiary orders is a menace instead of a benefit, and weakens instead of strengthens.

Unless vast new stores of coal which can be mined and transported

method. Our future growth prom- br ath, the expense of crossing the ises to be healthy, and improvements Atlantic in the fastest steamphips of whatsoever character should be is likely to soar to lofty figures. The number of coal consuming vessels, naval and mercantile, is increasing rapidly every year, and the demand for fuel for such craft is steadily expanding. Coal fields which can be worked to advantage for the supply of steamships do not contain inexbaustible tressuries of carbon. The biggest and fleetist boats on the sea burn five hundred tons or more each day. Long before this century ends the fuel problem may become per

# UPPER PENINSULA PRESS.

Sentiment in favor of State Sena tor O. B. Fuller, of Delta county, for the republican nomination for lieutenant governor is growing so rapidly that it is acquiring the proportions of a very healthy boom. The Republican is pleased to note this growing sentiment and we hope it will result in landing O. B. in the presiding officer's chair in the state senate. He is in every way qualified for the office, both by natural ability and by experience gained in the various sessions of the legislature during the past eight years. If Mr. Fuller stays in the race, and there is no reason why he should not, he will not have to do much guessing about the votes of the Alger county delegation, for he has none but friends up in this ne.k-o'-the-woods.-Munising Republican.

Senator O. B. Fuller can be Michigan's next lieutenant-governor if he wants the honor. There appears to be much Fuller sentiment in every portion of the state.-Manistique

Frank L. Mead, the well-known Escanaba lawyer, was in the city Monday and today. Mr. Mead is one of the most prominent of the republican candidates in this district. -Menominee Leader.

Hon. O. B. Fuller of Escanaba, is a candidate for Lieut. Governor. He is in every way qualified, and should receive the nomination. Mr. Fuller has had considerable legislative experience, and is a first-class republican. He is the present state ynx which can never feel fatigue. senator from this district and is a This is the kind of campaign orators splendid gentleman. We second his nomination.-Menominee Herald.

ere this generation draws its last fortune to found a home for unfor- governor, what are to become of isto establish a public library,

tunate women in Chicago, is now Frank D. Mead's aspirations for the homeless and penniless barself. Charity is a noble thing, but the old saw

# BIBLE READING IN SCHOOLS.

The Board of Education acted wisely in tabling the petition, requesting that a chapter of the bible be read at each morning session of the public schools, presented at its meeting Tuesday night. The public schools of this commonwealth long since discontinued this practice, and its resuscitation here would be in direct contradiction to the expressed opinions of the best educators of the land. It is not the intent or purpose of the public schools to provide spiritual training, more than through example set by the every day life of the teacher, and while the question of reading the oible occasionally bobs up, there is no unanimous sentiment in its favor.

The formation of true and noble characters in the young is all important and the intent of the peti tioners should not be underestimated, but there are other institutions than the public schools, and other equally effective methods, of bringing about this much desired end.

The upper peninsula Normal at Marquette has heretofore offered many advantages, but the latest inducement extended to those having in contemplation the attendance upon an institution of this kind is a game reserve. According to The Mining Journal, the other morning S. W. Shaull took his bleycle and rifle and went out on the fair grounds road, going into the woods back of the Normal school. He had not been came within range and was killed the Commoner. with one shot.

Ex-Senator Pettigrew must bave been on the wrong side of the Wall street market; he has let out a yelp in favor of government ownership of railroads, which he declares to be It is safe to assert that the company oppressors of the people.

Surgeons are doing wonderful things. In France they have supplied a patient with an artificial lar-

A colored woman who gave all her for the nomination for lieutenant

congressional nomination? Surely Delta county cannot ask for both that it "begins at home" is not yet places on the ticket, and as Mr. Fuller can to have a united support there seems to be no other way than for Mr. Mead to wait awhile.

> "We can best prove our thankfulness to the Almighty by the way on which this earth at this time each of us does his duty to his fellow-men" -President Roosevelt's Thanksgiving proclamation.

> Notwithstanding the carpings of the doubtful and the finical, football seems to maintain more firmly than ever this year its hold on public favor as a stirring, wholesome and manly sport.

This was an off year and no important national issues were involved in the few elections held, but the results as a whole are entirely satis- Smallest Button Photos factory to the republicans.

Several of the peninsula press are

evidently after Congressman Shelden's scalp. But then all the republican newspaper men cannot be While the merry war between

English and American tobacconists is kept up so briskly, let us help along the industry by consuming local weeds.

Hon. W. E. Parnall of Calumet will not oppose Carlos Shelden for the congressional nomination by be coming a candidate himself.

While erecting a public building at Helena, Mont., a rich gold mine was discovered. This is published as a pointer for Mr. Lawson.

Mr. Bryan can now undertake the task of explaining the Nebraska and there fifteen minutes before a deer other election returns to readers of Manager McCue would do well to

> pattern after Chicago and give his operators a telephonic elocutionary A bread war is on in New York.

> with the most dough will win. Mme. Sarab Bernhardt goes about

> in an automobile to protect herself

against being run over by one. While the beef supply is falling off deals we can make. Our prices in the far west, the venison supply should tickle your pocket. is plentiful, in this peninsula.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie still believes that when in doubt the proper thing

# The Wixson Gallery

Opposite the Catholic School, Escanaba,

Is the place to get Finest Pic-tures at lowest prices. All the newest styles from the

# To the Largest Portraits.

Matts, Frames and other Pic ture Goods.

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THE ARTISTS

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# **WE CARRY THE BEST GROCERIES**

to be found in this section. Every cent expended here will prove to be well spent.

Quality is the mainstay of our business. We never let that deteriorate. Prices may vary with the market's fluctuations, but our customers get the benefit of the best

# JOHN GROSS,

Cor. Charlotte and Hale Sts

# THE CLOTHING TRADE CENTERS HERE.

The only one price and exclusive clothing store for men, youths and children in the city. Our whole attention is given to the one line of business, therefore our success and your benefit. We do not carry the trash or low grade merchandise. Our lowest priced suits for men are \$10.00, but at that price we can give you the snappy, military form-fitting sacks in fancy cassimere, colors brown, green and olive. Remember at \$10.00 a suit with suspenders.



Sack Suits double or sile gle breasted square and round corners, made of extra fine woolens, prices:

\$10, 12,13.50 14, 15, 16, 18 and 20. Every suit

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The Surtout and the Paletot Frock Overcoats. Most makers fall short of success on these "We garments. think you will say ours are perfection. Gray Vicinnas at

\$15,18 and 20.



Evening dress, full dress clothes must be perfect or they are all wrong. There's no middle ground. Ours are perfect in every detail. Prices,

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Yoke Overcoats. Fashion says the Yoke Overcoat is to be more than ever the proper thing for very stylish dressers. We have 'em in all pat-

\$10, 12, 15, 18, 20 and 22.



FUR COATS: Raccoons, \$35.00 to 80.00; Black and Brown Bear at \$20; Goat, \$10.00 to 15.00. Canvass Jackets sheep lined to edge, also sleeves sheep lined, prices from \$1.00, 1.50, 2.60, 3.50, 4.00, 5.00, 8.00 and 8.50. Sweaters, Men's and Boys', 75c to 3.5o. A full line of Cardigan Jackets from \$1.50 to 4.00, single and double breasted. Men's Underwear: We are sole agents for the celebrated A. C. Staley Western made Underwear and Black Jersey Shirts, 1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00, 2.25 and 2.50. We have Gloves, Mittens, German Hose, Caps, Russian Vests, Canvass Leggings and Children's Toques, at all prices. Great Values in Boys' Clothing: Boys' 3-piece Suits at 2.50 up to 7.00. Boys' Norfolk Suits, swell little garments, from 2.50 up. Boys' Reefers and Overcoats from 2.00 up.

RATHFON BROTHERS,

SELLERS OF GOOD CLOTHES.

Masonic Block, Escanaba, Michigan.

At Least From Some Sources During the Political Marvest.

**GONGRESSIONAL SITUATION.** 

Mr. Newitt Takes Sensible View Approaching Campaign in This District, and Opines Shelden Will Succeed Himself.

Mr. Newitt, editor of the Ishpemsional situation as follows:

of the turbulency of the past. Of as they do. course there are different ways of looking at this. It is always a great satisfaction to win in the face of opposition, although it is sometimes expensive and takes far more money to make the fight than is represented by the salary attached to the office. These bitter struggles are deplorable from a party standpoint, too, and it might be the nice thing to give Mr. Shelden another term on his merits, nominating him by acclamation, and letting him have every honor there is to be gained from the position. He would then have credit for having won out against great odds as well as having concluded his political career amidst a great peace. That Mr. Shelden has friends outside of Houghton is certain, and with his own county for him he will be a hard man to beat. We say this knowing it to be true. There may be some who would wish to see him overthrown but the conditions suggested it will take time, money and much labor to unborse him, and these things are apt to be scarce next fall. Talk is just as cheap as ever, and there is being considerable of this advanced from sources which cut very little ice in the political harvest. The rest of the district will wait the decision from Houghton county before it commences laying plans for the coming elections. As has been said, Houghton is paying a pretty fair tax and is entitled to something occasionally. It is a great republican stronghold, worth more than many states in this respect, and is entitled to consideration on that account. We will wait for the news from that section before putting final charges in our cannon."

# HE'S A BOOZE FIGHTER.

Jerome, the Man Without Hands, Gets Into Trouble Here.

A man by the name of Jerome, who had the misfortune to lose both of his hands while in the employ of the at The Fair, from which place he ap-Reading railroad, and who made a tour of this city in quest of alms, got into trouble at the Sinclaire house, near the Northwestern passenger depot, on Monday. He refused to liquidate his indebtedness for board | The Fair can testify. and his overcoat was held. The police was called and Jerome settled. The man is highly educated, speaking four different languages fluently, and boozes in as many more.

# A Disagreeable Passenger.

A North Escanaban, who had imibed too freely of the brown beverstreet car for bome last Saturday ternoon, but falled to reach his stination through that agency. e was scarcely able to stand alone,

right and lauded on the employe, and a tussel ensued, in which the intoxicated individual got the worst of it, and walked home besides.

### IT KEEPS THEM OUT.

Marquette's Plan to License Transient Merchants'a Good One,

home merchants from outside competition as far as that is possible under the law, and of compelling the "fly-by-night" dealers to contribute to the support of the municipality from which they derive business, is one that might be followed by Escanaba with decided advantage to local business men.

The plan in question is one providing Iron Ore, sums up the congres- ed for in an ordinance "licensing the the latter's grounds last Saturday retailing and merchandising of afternoon to decide the champion-"If Hon. Carlos D. Shelden is a goods, wares and merchandise," and ship of the upper peninsula. The candidate for further congressional while there has not yet been occasion day was well-suited for the game, honors it is a pretty sure thing that to enforce it, as far as it relates to and both elevens were full of conhe will have the united support of his taxing outside traders, it has had fidence. Escanaba's team weighed own county in the nominating con- the effect of causing the transients four pounds to the man heavier than vention. If he finds some other man to steer clear of the city. Many Ishpeming, yet notwithstanding this in the choice of the republicans of attempts to get a license fee from significant fact the Hematite lads his county he will not be in the field, transient traders bave failed in landed a signal victory, defeating but if he insists that he is in the race numerous cities of the state through the Sandy City chaps by a score of it can be safely figured as a sure faults and irregularities in the in-11 to 0. There were, however, some thing that his old friends are with struments which have been approved telling advantages in favor of the him, and Houghton will be as vigor- by the corporate councils. In the victors, such as familiarity with the ous as in the past in its effort to land case of the Marquette ordinance, it gridiron and a sympathetic backing. bim. Houghton is nothing if not was drawn after exhaustive investi- The game was strong and well loyal and a unit. It comes to con- gation, with the result that it is held fought, and there is no complaint ventions as one man, and leaves by attorneys to be legal bocause of heard from the home players of any nothing undoze to win its point. It its universality, since its provisions unbecoming conduct on the part of does not always succeed, but that apply alike to local and outside bus- their opponents, or unfair decisions does not lessen its future solidity of iness men, and to the fact that it by the officials. The game, neveraction. It is a very harmonious does not come in conflict with the in- theless, was seriously interfered with body, and just now it is a most im- terstate commerce law. This has at one time, when Olmsted ran into portant one, controlling a large num- been done by inflicting a license up the throng which crowded the sideber of votes, and 'tis votes that win. on all merchants. Local merchants lines. There was some cat-hauling There are those in his own county are to pay a \$25 license fee for the between the coaches, and one of Ishas well as in others who argue that first year in business and \$5 a year peming's high school faculty threat-Mr. Shelden should be nominated for each year thereafter. In case the ened to "paste" an Escanaban "in once without a fight. Thus far his merchant pays personal taxes for the jaw," and so wrathy did he selection has been marked by much the support of the government, the finally become over being remon opposition and no little feeling. It license fee is to be deducted. This is strated with as to his privileges that is said that were he to be given an a roundabout way of making the he unceremoniously poked the other other term without the former traveling "sale" concern pay a li- in the face. For a few moments inwrangling that he would be satisfied | cense without making any discrim- | dications pointed to a field fight, but and would retire at the end of his ination against it. If the moving- the offender was hurried away by next term. It is said that this would van man stays right along and pays his own pupils, amid the unfavorable be really a mark of honor which has taxes like the other merchants in criticisms of the assemblage. not thus far been achieved by reason | town he can get his rebate the same

# THE BEST ADVERTISING.

Abandon Window Work.

The efficacy of newspaper advertising is becoming more and more ing's goal. After advancing fifteen apparent. One by one old methods of advertising are being done away with and new-papers substituted in their place. The theatre managers of Milwaukee have testified to their faith in the newspaper by abolishing all window display work and confining their announcements to the city papers. A newspaper of general circulation is more valuable in an advertising way than any other medium. More people can be reached at less expense than in any other

# INSPECTING OIL LANDS.

Ira C. Jennings Goes to Texas in Interest of Local Company.

Ira C. Jennings, secretary of the Michigan-Beaumont Oil company, recently organized in this city with a capitalization of \$250,000, has been in Beaumont, Texas, this week looking after the company's interests. The Michigan-Beaumont people are negotiating for the purchase of additional lands in the neighborhood of Spindle Top Heights, where it already has a small tract. Mr. Smith, of Beaumont, who is a large shareholder in the local organization, will return to Escanaba with Mr. Jen-

# **GUILTY OF PETTY LARCENY**

Young Gibson Goes Wrong and Is Serving a Term in Jail.

W. C. Gibson was arrested on Saturday last charged with petty larceny, and upon being arraigned in Justice Glaser's court pleaded guilty and was sentenced to sixty days in the county jail. Gibson is a young man who recently found employment propriated a number of articles of considerable value to his own use. It is said that Gibson is quite an accomplished shop-lifter, a fact to which Rathfon Brothers as well as

# NEARING COMPLETION.

Extension of Escanaba Road Will Be Ready in Another Week.

Escanaba & Lake Superior railroad, from Northland into the timber, will be ready for use in another week. ge that smelleth of the hop, boarded Shelden Atkins, who has been engaged on the work in the engineering corps, came down from North-land the first of the week, and says about seventy-five men have been the insisted on riding on the plat-rm. When forced into the car by job to lay the remaining four miles e conductor he swung out with his of steel.

Ishpeming Pigskin Manipulators Outclass the Escanaba Highs.

Marquette's scheme of protecting RESULT OF CAME IS II TO O.

The Playing Throughout Was Clean, Decisions Were Fair and There is No Cause for Complaint Over Contest.

Escanaba and Ishpeming met on

Ishpeming won the toss and Escanaba kicked to Gill on the twentyfive-yard line. The ball was advanced fifteen yards. It went to Escan-Milwaukee Theatre Managers aba on downs in the center of the field. After two attempts without gains Escanaba punted thirty-five yards to Bell, fifteen from Ishpemyards on downs Ishpeming lost the ball on a fumble. On the third down Escanaba failed to make five yards on her thirty-five-yard line. Steady advances of from one to five yards were made and finally Bell broke literally, stone by stone, to the east. through the line and ran thirty-five yards. In the next down Bell took another spurt, going through the left tackle on a trick play, landing the pigskin for a touchdown. Tislov failed to kick goal. Time of play, twelve minutes. Ishpeming, 5; Escanaba, 0.

On the next kickoff, Bell got the ball on the fifteen-yard-line and advanced fifteen yards. Ishpeming lost the ball on a fumble. Escanaba was held for downs and the fullback punted to Ishpeming's five-yard line. Bell again caught the ball, but made no material advance. Ishpeming ad vanced steadily on downs until the center of the field was reached Here Escanaba got the ball on a fumble. Fred Olmsted got through the left tackle for twenty yards. After some hard line bucking Ishpeming got the ball on a fumble. On the third down with six yards to gain Ishpeming punted forty yards, Escanaba getting the ball. Olmsted went around the left end for ten yards. Steady advances were again made until the visitors bad reached Ishpeming's fifteen-yard line, when the ball went to Ishpeming on downs. Soon after that Bell yards. Each team had the ball once Ishpeming in possession of the pig-

yard line. Some of the prettiest line bucking on that gridiron this season took place in the second half. Ishpeming kicked to Escanaba's ten-yard line, Tyrrell getting the ball. He advanced fifteen yards before he was downed. The visitors played desperately, making steady gains until Ishpeming had them six yards to gain and one more down. A punt was tried and Ishpeming got the ball on her thirty-five-yard line. Just be-The thirteen-mile extension of the fore the ball went to the home team Olmsted did some very clever work, making several gains of from three to six yards. Ishpeming held the ball during the remainder of the game, making steady plunges through the center and tackles until the visi-tors' goal was reached and another touchdown scored.

# Languishes in the Coop.

fficer Fred Dereausieur emerged like a top.

from the city jail, where he had been since Saturday, Monday morning, and appeared before Justice Glaser charged with having committed an assault upon the person of Noe Daust, of Thomas street. The prisoner was found guilty, and was given twenty days in the county

### NEW ORCHESTRA.

Hughes Brothers-Will Remain in Escanaba During Winter.

The Hughes Brothers' orchestra, one of the best in the upper peninsula, is in the city, and expects to remain here during the winter. The Hughes brothers will furnish first-class music for dances, parties, banquets and all occasions, at reasonable rates. They have been playing for the past six years for all kind of musical occasions and are reliable and competent musicians. They have always furnished loveliest music, and it has been no trouble for toes, when we had hoped our exthem to learn. They have been taught by the most competent masters in music, and never hire any outsiders to play with them unless they can find a person who plays their part perfectly. They have been taking music as a study for the past ten years, and have had a professor to teach them for the past five years. So it can be seen they have tional burden saddled upon us. The taken more than seven or eight terms, and it is said that they are professors. They are young but they don't take a back seat for any of the older ones, they can teach them. They are all around musicians, each of them playing three leading instruments. Their residence should give them the first show.

# TO MOVE MANSION.

Michigan Millionaire Will Transplant Palatial Home in East.

It is stated by a close friend of J. M. Longyear that the well-known capitalist and mine owner, probably shape, or the way we do our comthe wealthiest man in the upper peninsula, contemplates the removal of his palatial home overlooking Lake ing county. We're here to stay. Superior at Marquette. One of the causes given for Mr. Longyear's determination is that he considers that he is discriminated against in the matter of taxation. The Longyear mansion was built ten years ago at cost, including the beautifying of the grounds, of \$500,000. The house is of native sandstone and the in-

terior finishing is one of grandeur. The Longyears were bitterly opposed to the building of the Marquette and southeasten railroad along and the ball went back to Ishpeming the lake in front of their property. Now that the road has been built it is the alleged plan to move the house

# INGREASED WAGES.

Railroad Employes Demand and Get an Increase of Pay.

Thousands of employes of the Chicago & Northwestern railway system will reap the benefits of an increase in wages. The raise in wages directly affects the conductors, brake- band, but the result of her efforts men and baggagemen of the system, means a monthly expenditure by the company of hundreds of thousands of dollars. The percentage of in- lose. After much deliberation it crease has not yet been made public, but officials are authority for the statement that the amount will average about \$10 a month. The ad- from being relieved of so great a vance is the result of demands made responsibility, off galloped one of the by the employes' organization and was obtained through a meeting of representatives of the men and the

# WILL MEET IN ESCANABA.

Upper Peninsula Undertakers to Convene Here Next June.

The executive committee of the Upper Peninsula Undertakers' Association has agreed upon Escanaba as the place for holding the annual went down the field for a run of forty | meeting next June. The committee consists of J. R. McLean of Mariafter that, but time was called with nette, Mr. Swanson of Gladstone and M. T. Lyons of this city. It is exskin and on Escanaba's thirty-five- pected that about fifty members will be in attendance upon the meeting.

# DER DEUTCHER GLUB.

Articles of Association Are Filed With the Register of Deeds.

Der Deutcher Club, the objects and aims of which are benevolence, charity and sociability; has been organized in this city for a term of thirty years. The incorporators are Richard Hoyler, Chas. Grunert, Nick Niece, Richard Roth, Emil Noe, N. A. Bink, Paul Jaeger, John Schmidt, Henry Thomy, Sylvester Denter, Jos. Drush and John Lehr.

# In Good Shape Once More.

The Escanaba street railway power station is once more in excellent trim. All cars were run last Sunday by the emergency engine, and the arger one was re-babbitted where it burned out a week previous. At Under the guidance of a police 4 o'clock it was started up and run

The journey adown life's turbulent stream of time is not always one of unbroken peace, happiness, joy and free theatre tickets to the editor. Far be it from so. A brief Italic period ago the faber-manipulator of this great moral educator and family journal reveled in the sweet consciousness that he was IT, but the proposition by an old pay-in-advance subscriber to reduce him to a lowercase NIT strews thorns instead of roses in his pathway. Old subscriber is a veritable brute; and we frankly confess that affection for him and his two round American dollars has departed from us forever. He calls us down for treading upon his pressions of opinion would augur for the public good. But 'twas ever thus. The most popular jay editor, as well as the most popular country preacher, is the one who keeps out of his neighbor's corn-patch. Such, however, must necessarily be a hypocrite, and we've enough to answer for now without having this addipreacher can do as he pleases about it; that's his business. Every man endowed with brains, even tho' they be limited, must have opinions, ideas and convictions of his own, and should not hesitate to give expression to them in a proper and prudent manner when occasion requires, and we have signed for the season. Policy controls altogether to many people, and makes cowards of lots of men. We have a controller that can give policy cards and spades and then win in a jog, and .f old subscriber don't admire our style, mon, ordinary every-day corn-treading he'll have to move into an adjoin-

Two Maple street ladies made an unsuccessful attempt to dress a deer the other day, and one who happened to peep in upon them witnessed an after being in the forests about thirty-five minutes, and rather than apply for assistance the two other halves of the families proposed to do the job of skinning themselves. They operated in theory for some time, and one of them being of an artistic turn of mind prepared a handsome colored diagram of a deer, indicating by a X where the dissecting should be done after the skinning had been accomplished. Grasping a butcher's knife with a death-like grip one of the ladies bravely made at his buckship, but theorizing proved less puzzling than doing and she soon dropped into a convenient chair with along-drawn and meaning sigh. Her side partner then took a were practically the same. A council of war was held; something had to be done, and there was no time to was decided by an unanimous vote to secure aid from an Oak street neighbor, and with girlish glee would-be female butchers for the man. He came; he conquered, and

in appreciation of his valuable services he is now living like a lord'on the saddle while the ladies are content with brisket.

# SLIGHTLY INGORRECT.

How the Carnegie Library Matter Stands Up to 1:30 Today.

Thomas F. Cole has promised to assist the Escanaba people in securing a Carnegie library,-Iron Moun-

Yes, in this way. When approached on the subject, Mr. Cole sald he would bring the matter to Mr. Carnegie's attention and thought that the library-establisher would consider it favorably. Our business people were solicited by Miss Etta McCarthy, but she received no encouragement from that source and the matter was dropped. Therefore, notice is hereby given to Mr. Cole and other persons who are likely to bestow favors upon us, that we don't want their dough.

# LARGE STOCK OF STAVES.

Plant in Escanaba Has Four Millions Waiting for Advance.

The plant of the Northwestern Cooperage & Lumber company in this city is manufacturing 38,090 staves per day, giving employment to thirty-five hands. The entire production of the plant since it commenced operations some months ago, aggregating over four million staves, is still in the yard awaiting sale at a better price than is now offered. Twelve car-loads of logs are arriving at the yards daily, coming from off the Whitefish valley branch of the Soo road. The company has sufficient stock on hand to operate the mill until the first of next May without touching the new

### A Peculiar Querry.

Treasurer G. T. Burns has a problem to solve over which he is likely to need assistance. He received, on Tuesday, a letter from an eastern man who wants information, as fol-

"What are the taxes on 40 lots in some addition near Gladstone."

This is not intended as a prize puzzle, but if any reader of The Iron interesting spectacle. The husbands Port can figure it out he will be suitof the women had sent in the venison ably rewarded by leaving the answer on our sanctum door mat.

# Schooner Taylor Wrecked.

The schooner Emily Taylor was wrecked at Zeizer bay, twenty miles north of Menominee, Saturday evening, and Captain Charles Stone, his wife, two children, and the crew of two sailors spent a perilous night on the wreck before they were rescued by fishermen. The schooner is owned by Captain Stone and bails from Gladstone. She had loaded wood at Arthur bay for Green Bay city, and was caught in the blow.

# Removal Notice.

Mr. Flagstadt, the merchant tailor, has removed from the corner of Ludington and Elmore streets, to-Charlotte street, off Ludington, and invites his old friends and patrons. and many new ones to call upon him and inspect his new line of winter

Ex-Mayor Gallup will doubtless peruse Mr. Evans' report on the physical condition of the city's lighting plant with much interest, particularly that portion of it which alludes to relegating a portion of it to the scrap pile.

# DR.PRICE'S Gream Baking Powder

Each time the United States Government has officially tested the baking powders the report has shown Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder to be of superlative leavening strength, free from alum, absolutely pure and wholesome.

This is gratifying, for Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is depended upon by millions of people to raise their daily bread.

PRICE BAKING POWDER CO.,

NOTE.—These Government inquiries also developed the fact that there are many mixtures upon the market made in imitation of baking powder, but containing alum or other caustic acid, whose use in food is dangerous.

If the opinion of the Upper Peninsula press is to prevail then the nomination of Senator Fuller, of Delta, for Lieut-Governor is as good as made. It is the sop usually thrown at this section of the state while the statesmen of the lower peninsula are busy in securing the places of profit for themselves, larving the voters of less certainly eradicated in the Hawalithis section to furnish the certain an Islands, says the New York Sun's majorities. Faller is a man of much legislative experience, of ability and withal a man of strong personal following, who can open his mouth and convince his hearers that his soul is his own on any and all occasions. It is to be regretted that we cannot have a man of his ilk in Con- tive race, which alone, in the opinion gress, instead of a stool pigeon .-Negaunee Herald.

Married at the Methodist parsonage, Menominee, by Rev. E. W. Frazee, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 13th, Mr. Louis LaPointe of Escanaba and Miss Jennie Newland of Maricette. Mr. LaPointe is one of the trusted engineers on the Northwestern Railway Co, and the bride is the sister of Mrs. J. H. Evers of

tained a party of friends Thursday ously in control, and many afflicted perafternoon at progressive pedro.

Dr. W. W. Walker, who some years ago opened the Emergency hospital at the corner of Campbell street and Wells avenue, and afterwards went to North Crandon, Wisconsin, leaving some of our people in the lurch, has shown up at Manistique, where he has opened an office.

There were 430 hunters licenses issued in Delta county up to last night at six o'clock.

Maynard & Barabe have leased the second floor of the building they now occupy, their increasing business demanding additional room.

Mrs. J. P. Symons entertained a number of lady friends at drive whist Thursday afternoon.

Wilfred Belanger of this city is down with diphtheria at Marinette. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stevenson have returned from a hunting trip, on which they secured six deer.

Canadian Societies, of which E. M. smoke the same pipe, eat from the St. Jacques is general secretary, has the largest membership of any union in the association, and its membership is constantly increasing.

The street railway company has this week built a large fuel shed to the rear of its power house.

A letter box has been placed at the corner of Ludington and Maple streets for the convenience of residents of that locality. Heretofore it has been necessary to go three blocks to mail a letter.

Jens Akerson, a Swede, suicided at Marinette last week, while intoxi-

# LOST IN NEW YORK.

This Unique and Popular Drama to Be Seen Here Next Week.

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Disease Being Eradicated by Gradual Extinction of Natives.

DECREASE IN NUMBER OF CASES.

Scientific Treatment Has Had Little Effect-More Stringent Rules For Lepers of Molokai-Destre Expressed That the United States Take the

Leprosy is being slowly but none the Honolulu correspondent. Five years ago there were over 1,300 inmates at the leper settlement on the island of Molokai. When the annual visit was made a few days ago, there were barely 900. This is due not so much to any scientific treatment of the disease as to the gradual extinction of the naof Superintendent Reynolds of the settlement, will cause the complete eradication of leprosy there.

Last year there were an even hundred lepers sent to the island, while only fifty have been sent during the first nine months of the present year. In the biennial period ending December, 1900, directly after the islands had been annexed, over 500 were taken to the settlement. This was due not to any increase in the disease, but to the fact that the question was taken Mr. and Mrs. Steve Connors enter- out of the hands of the party previsons who had remained in Honolulu through political influence were hurridedly bundled off to the place of segregation.

A stockade has been built on the island, and, though the lepers are allowed to look upon visitors, it is at a distance of ten feet and through a high picket fence. The scene at this stockade, or corral, is a most pathetic one. The visitors to the island are led to it through a double row of guards, and behind another fence some distance away the lepers are compelled to remain. All day they look longingly at their relatives without even having the privilege of a hand clasp. It is this display of affection which physicians in Hawaii hold responsible for the spread of the disease to such an alarming extent in the past.

The disease is thought to have been brought to the islands by a Chinaman thirty years ago, and as soon as it once reached the natives the disease spread with great rapidity. The Hawailans are much given to an outward display of affection, and it is still no uncommon sight to see even old men The local union of the French kiss and embrace on the streets. They same dish and in other ways lead to a direct inoculation of the disease. The same reasons are given by the physiclans for the great increase in tuberculosis among the natives.

Every accommodation is provided for the lepers at Molokai. They have their own homes, a school for boys and one for girls and seven churches for the little town of 900 people. Besides the lepers there about a hundred persons at the settlement, teachers, ministers and nurses. They have a town hall, where entertainments are given, and

Leprosy is not held to be a hereditary disease, and children born of leper parents in Molokai are allowed to leave. It is seldom that the parents consent to this, however, and their children are kept by their side until they, too, become contaminated. It was formerly the custom to allow wives to accompany their husbands to the island settlement, but this practice is now being discouraged, and only in rare instances is this permitted.

Of the 900 lepers on the Island of Molokai all but fifty are native Hawaiians. There are only fifteen whites and thirty Chinese. Expert physicians who had made a lifelong study of leprosy in Japan, France and China have been in the Hawaiian Islands studying the conditions, but have found no suitable remedy for the disease that is effective. experiments upon the disease, and there is a general feeling that the United States should now take up the study of the disease with the purpose of effecting a permanent cure.

The principal object of the International Automobile club, which is to be the most select of its kind in the world home of automobilists from every country, is to create a vast autodrome in luxurious cabin and a special storage place for his autocar, and there will also be a large repairing shop, having communication with the track by means of a tunnel, says The Autocar.

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runs, and, in fact, everything will be

provided for the convenience of mem-

Autodrome For Paris,

To Assist Immigrants to Canada. G. W. Ross, premier of the province of Ontario, who has just returned to Montreal from a two months' trip to England, has concluded arrangements for a scheme of assisted immigration, says the New York Times. The deal is made with the Elder Dempster com-pany and will, it is understood, come into effect next spring. The plan will first be tried with farm laborers, who are scarce in the province, and a number will be brought over who will contract to remain in the province and pay back their passage money within a specified time. The province will pay the shipping company.

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And he dodges through the briefs and gos-ing through the bogs,
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he fires at the chipmunk and brings down at night, with aching shoulders, he slinks

homeward with his gun a deeply set conviction that it weighs at least a ton-There's a farmer with a bill

For a cow that's cold and still, But no matter, for the hunter from the city calls -Chicago Record-Herald.



'Here, sir! What do you mean by talking behind my back?" "Honest, I wuzn't, lady. It wuz be hind Willie Smith's barn."-New York

Not the Grammatical Kind. "What is a conjunction?" asked the

teacher. "That which joins together," was the "Give an illustration," said the teach

The up to date miss hesitated and blushed. "The marriage service," she said

last.-Chicago Post.

The Pain of It. Mrs. Phoxy-I'd like to be a man just for awhile.

Mr. Phoxy-What for? Mrs. Phoxy-I'd like to experience the feeling of buying my wife a new gown.

Mr. Phoxy-You could easily imagine that feeling; you've been to the dentist. -Philadelphia Press.

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Popperly-Mix a little condolence with your congratulations, old man. There's been two arrivals. Hopperly—Twins? Popperly—Oh, no. The baby and my

wife's mother.-Catholic Standard and

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# LEGAL NOT.CES.

First Publication Nov. 16 19-1. Last Dec. 7, 150.

PROBATE ORDER FOR HEARING FINAL
ACCOUNT. State of Miangan, County
Delta, 38. Probate Court for Said County.

At a saion of the probate court for the county of
Delta, olden at the Probate office in the city of Es
canaba, on Friday, the fifteenth day of November,
in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

Present, Hon. Thomas B. White, judge of probate. In the matter of the estate of August Nelson,

In the matter of the estate of August Nelson, deceased.

On reading and filing report and account of Andrew Johnston, Administrator of the estate of said deceased.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the ninth day of December, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the haring of said report and account, and that the heirs a law of said report and account, and that the heirs a law of said deceased and all ther persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Escanaba, Anchigan, and show cause, if any there be, wy he prayer of the petitioner should not be confirmed.

And it is further ordered, the said Administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said seport and account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this ord to be published in The Iran Port, a newspaper proted and circulating in said county of Dajta for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.)

T. H. Whitz, Judge of Probate.

PROBATE NOTICE FOR HEARING CLAIMS BEFORE COURT.—State of Michigan

n, County of Delta, so.

Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the robuse tours for the County of Delta, made on the eventh day of November, A. D. 1901, six months om that date were allowed for creditors to present eir Claims against the estate of Joseph Boudreau te of said County, decessed, and that all credits is ate of said County, decessed, and that all credito a of said decessed are required to present their claim o said Probate Court, at the Probate office in the jty of Escanaba, for examination and allowance or our before the twelfth, day of May, A. D. 1900 and that such claims will be heard before as lourt, on Monday, the thirl day of March, k. D. 1900, and on Tuesday, the thirteenth cay of May, A. D. 1902, at ten o'clock in the fore-tions of each of those days.

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	Session, Oct. 14, 1901,	Claimed	Allowed
Bill No.		llars Cts.	Dollars Cts
	Charles F. Murray, bounty,	15 00	\$ 15 00
2	Mr. T. Illust management higher	3 ZU	3 20
3	R E MoLean "	2 10	2 10
4	Frank L. Trombley, constable fees	18 50	18 50
5	J. F. Oliver, coal	7 00	7 00
8	Gladstone Delta, printing	4 20	4 20
7	Iron Port Co. "	80 48	79 68
8	Iron Port Co, " "	61 63	Section 1997
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9	Gladstone Tribune	8 00	8 00
10	J. A. McGuire, justice fees	8 00	rejected
11	Marc Pepin, wood	12 50	12 50
12	M. D. Chatterton, law books		New Address of the Author of the
13	Wesley Miller, bounty	8 00	3 00
14	Alex Roberts, sheriff fees	42 80	42 80
15	F. M. Olmsted, board of prisoners and fees	311 90	311 90
. 16	Maynard & Barabe, mdse	30 38	COLUMN STATE CONTRACT
17	Greenhoot Bros., "	1 25	1 25
18	Sourwine & Hartnett "	5 25	5 25
19	Ed. Erickson "	12 64	referred to
10	Da. Bileana	5	Supt. of poor
00	D. A. Oliver, mdse	40 00	40 00
20	McDonough & Rogers, livery, etc	20 00	20 00
21	P. & H. B. Laing, mdse		Referred to
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23	Gregory, Mayer & Thom, supplies	13 00	Number of the Control
24	Callagahan & Co., law books	IIII 07.289/E	
25	Doubleday Bros & Co, supplies etc	26 00	
26	Richmond, Backus & Co., "	20 50	The state of the s
27	Delta Hardware Co., mdze	28 65	CON-2011 THE STORY AND STORY
28	Norton Bros., plumbing	8 90	ACCURAGE AND ADDRESS OF THE PARTY OF THE PAR
29	Escanaba Water Works Co., water tax	50 98	50 98
30	Peter Peterson, dep. sheriff fees	5.24	5 24
31	" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	49 73	49 73
100000000000000000000000000000000000000	Fred Huber, justice fees.	50 93	50 93
33		10 60	10 60
33			45 50
84	John Cummiskey, expenses to Lansing	45 50	
35	D. C. McIntyre, filing election returns	4 40	4 40
36	Henry Olmsted, stenographer's fees	10 00	10 00
37	C. H. Long, medical services		referred to
			upt, of Poor
38	J. W. Lawson, freight, etc	86 37	76 37
39	City Lighting Plant, gas	4 30	4 30
40	D. A. Oliver, mdse	72 25	72 25
41	H. B. Reynolds, medical services	35 00	35 00
42	Escanaba Iron Works, labor	1.25	1 25
Service Control	Henry McFall, coroner's fees	33 10	33 10
43		12 50	12 50
44	Isaac Stevens, services for indigent insane	17/12/18/E/19/E/E/E	
45	L. S. Leighton & Son labor	162 00	Rejected
46	J. S. Craig, services	5 16	5 16
47	Louis Trombly, bounty	9 00	9 00
48	Jos H. Jolly, "	5 00	5 00
49	Narcisse Dubor, "	5 00	5 00
50	John Dube, constable fees	10 80	10 30
51	A. H. Powell, drug	1 25	1 25
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57	S. Goldstein, mdse	2 25	2 25
58	H. W. Blackwell, mdse		70
59	C. H. Scott & Son, "	8 00	8 00
60	D. Narracong, services as supt	289 00	
61	Emil Glaser, drawing jury	2 00	2 00
62	J. Donovan, " "	2 00	2 90
63	A. P. Smith, stationary and postage	10 70	10 70
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engage City	Ihling Bros. & Everard, supplies	50 25	50 25
65	I A Warren labor	3 15	3 15
66	L. A. Hanson, labor	40 30	40 30
67	Finch Telephone Co., rental	43 90	40 30
68	Escanaba Journal, printing		
69	T. B. White, postage, etc	13 35	13 35
70	J. Donovan, justice fees	15 45	15 45
71	Chas, Olmsted, expenses as game warden	20 75	20 75
72	Escanaba Mirror, printing, etc	28 50	27 30
78	E. Olson, mdse	63 12	63 12
74	John Polesky, services	15 00	15 00
75	Bay de Noquet Co., supplies	8 63	8 63
76	W. J. Laird, medical services	156 00	156 00
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78	E. B. Patterson, medical services	25 00	25 00
79	Clark Williams, services	28 00	28 00
80	Geo. T. Burns, express, etc	19'70	19 70
81	Escanaba Journal, printing	10 50	10 10
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82	Gladstone Delta, printing	50 00	50 00
83	W. A. Samuel, medical services		
84	John Lamotte, mdse	2 00	ORIGINAL REPORTS AND
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97	M. J. Hutt, com. work	3 00	8 00
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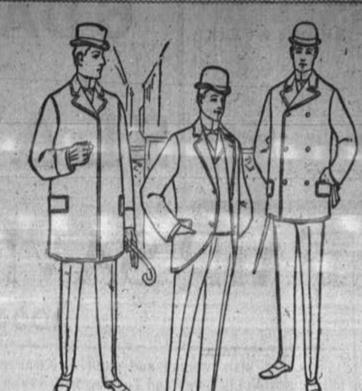
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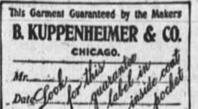
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# "SEE HERE, YOUNG MAN---

I bought this Tomato Catsup from you and it is absolutely worthless."
"Can't help that, sir!"

"Exactly, but I didn't guarantee the Catsup—couldn't—it's one of the cheap brands. I advised you to buy

FERNDELL TOMATO CATSUP.

Its always pure and right and it's backed by one of the biggest houses in this land. Cests only a few cents more, but it's one hundred per cent better."

It always has the same garden flavor, perfectly seasoned, and temptingly appetizing. Ferndell Tomato Catsup makes tough

meat taste juicy.
Change it for Ferndell—Certainly! Gladly!
Thanks!
Pint Bottles, 25c each.

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2½ per cent of our entire sales for these 6 days charity. . . . .

# FAIR SAVINGS BANK DEP'T STORE

1004-1006 Ludington Street, Escanaba, Mich.

Every man, woman and child in Escanaba and vicinity well knows that at the holiday season The Fair Savings Bank Store is turned into a perfect paradise of beauty in Holiday Goods and Toys for both young and old. Counters and shelves are always loaded with beautiful goods of all kinds from which old Santa Claus can fill his sack. Now to have room for all this (and you know it takes a great deal of space we must dispose of an immense lot of merchandise. Our holiday goods are now on the way here and our buyer is now in the east looking up novelties for this purpose. We therefore are compelled to dispose of at least \$10,000.00 worth of goods at once. No matter how much the loss may be we must have the space now. Starting Saturday morning, Nov. 16th and continuing until the following Friday (6 days) we will

# SLAUGHTER THE PRICES

On all kinds of goods in every department. If you want bargains now is the time for them. Just look over the prices given below. These are only a few of the examples but remember every piece of goods or article will be cut in price. Again as a Thanksgiving offering we will give 2 1-2 per cent. of our entire sales for this 6 days to be divided among the churches of the city to be used for charitable purposes. The price cutter goes into every department for this sale, and the knife will cut deep. Prices will be simply slaughtered, we must sell, \$10.000 worth of goods in 6 days, the profit goes to charity. Everybody respond.

Prices will be slaughtered in this department. Every inch of space we can make will be needed. Holiday goods are coming now and we must have tables and counters empty to place them on sale. Thousands of dollars worth of goods must be sold in this 6 days. The best bargains you have ever seen in the city will be offered.

# Dress Goods.

Every piece reduced in price. Here are examples.

One table full of dress goods ranging in price from I5c to 45c a yd., they 

Another table of dress goods all double fold, we must have the table, some of these goods sold up to 58e a yd., slaughter sale

choice.....

One table at front of store with all the latest dress goods, all new and in every new shade, all wool Venetians, French cheviots and homespuns also granite cloths and fancy dress goods. We 

All our French flannels in both figured and plain also fancy striped 

Extra heavy Meltons and Kerseys (20 ounces to the yd.) 54 in. wide in Oxford gray and all mixed shades, regular I.19 and I.45 goods for rainy day and pedestrian skirts, slaughter sale price per yd........

These are only examples of the big reductions, we are making for this sale, every piece of goods marked down, and then 2 1-2 per cent. of our sales will be given to charity.

# Blankets.

Prices slaughtered, we must have the room.

Extra large 1 I-4 heavy fleece blankets in grey, white or tan, also 

Extra large 1 I-4 English twill fleece blankets, weigh 4 3-4 lbs. to the pair, very soft, sold at 1.45 and 1.69 a pr., for this 1 10 

About I00 pairs of large, heavy wool blankets in both grey and white these blankets are slightly soiled from handling, they sold at 3.45, 3.95 and 4.45 a pair, they must go, choice 2.95



# Linens.

Buy your stock of linens at this sale as linens will be much higher later. Large size check towels, fringed,.... 2c Pure white Huck towels, fringed .... 4c Large Turkish towels, fringed ..... 4c Pure white Marseiles towels, fringed. 4c Extra large Turkish towels, 22x45.. 9c

10 pieces of bleached and unbleached table linen to close out, these are 66 and 72 inches wide and pure 

Children's school hardkerchiefs, at this sale each.....

# Ribbons for Holiday Fancy Work.

The best all silk taffera ribbon in all colors and black, will be

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Choice of our entire stock of ladies' leather belts, no matter what the price has been, each ......

Children's heaver fleece lined underwear in all sizes for boys 

# SHOE DEPARTMENT.

# Shoe Bargains for this Sale are Bigger than Ever

We believe that our present stock not only beats all others in this locality, but also all which we have shown in the past, Come and see the sharp price reductions, and remember that our shoes are good wearers, guaranteed to give you satisfaction and service or we give you a new pair.



FREE! A large bottle of Whittemore's Gilt Edge shoe dressing free with every pair of men's and wonen's fine shoes. The sole right of sale for Queen Quality, the famous shoe for women, all styles, for O this sale......

Do you remember how cold it was last winter? Better take the hint and get a pair of our felt shoes, 1.19 TO 3.00 and at all the between prices. Women's fur trimmed felt .95 Men's Rubbers........50c Women's Rubbers. ..... 39c Women's eight button 10 overgaiters...... Your boys or girls hard on shoes? We have some shoes

that will stand almost any amount of wear. Buy a pair of Azo waterproof sole shoes, they will stay with them till they wear themselves out rather than the shoes. A six page noiseless slate free with every pair of

Children's Rubbers ......25 

And remember 2 I-2 per cent. of the gross sales go to charity etc.

Here we throw the profit to the winds, wa simply must have room, no matter what the loss, our loss is your gain. Be wise and buy your winter supply now, every-thing reduced in price. Here are ex-

Lot 3049-Men's Kersey brown ulsters former price 6.50, for this 3.75

Lot 2202-Men's fine Oxford grey overcost, a fine piece of goods, tailored in the latest fashion with plaid wool lining, a \$10.00 bargain, slaughter sale 7.50

Lot 1722-Men's black Chinchilla overcoat, a fashionable single breasted fly front coat, first class in every way, sold regular at 9.50, slaughter sale 6.95

fine blue Chinchilla reefer with high storm collar, former price 7.00 slaughter sale price ...... 4.50

A limited quantity of fine all wool Derby ribbed underwear, regular price 1.00 each, they must go, slaughter sale 50

About 150 men's fine wool sweaters, different kinds, of which we Men's canvas gloves with leather finger tips, 2 pairs at 25

Then 2 I-2 per cent of our entire sales for this 6 days will be given to charity.



# GROCERIES.

Fancy sun dried apples, lb .6 I-2 Good can peas, pr. can .....9 Fancy 4 crown raisins, lb ... 8 I-2 Pure leaf lard, bulk, lb ...... 10 Fancy cream cheese, lb. .... 13 Malta Vita, the new breakfast food, per package. ..... 14 Savoy clean currants in I lb.

You know we are always cheapest in groceries and still for 6 days 2 I-2 per cent. of our sales will be given to charity.



Everybody knows the fine reputation our cloak department has. There is no concern in the northern peninsula that carries the grand assortment of up-to-date cloaks and jackets that is shown at the Fair Savings Bank. Every new style and fad is shown here and everything is new and up-to-date. We now give you the first cut-price sale of the season, every garment will be cut in price, we must have room. We will slaughter the prices on Jackets and Furs for this 6 days and must sell \$2,000 worth of cloaks and jackets. The prices will do it. Here are examples. Every garment will be marked at cut price.

About 25 jackets left from last season, choice of them 2.95



15 of those fine Kersey box coats left, lined with satin, 27 in. long, 4.45

Our fine 27 inch latest style, half fitting box coats, in tan, brown, gray, blue, red or black, sold all season at \$10.00 each and were bargains, all lined with satin storm or coat colars, slaughter 6.95

Our fine Kersey box coats, the \$12.00 ones, and they cannot be matched at the price, all new and about 20 different styles, all reduced to... 8.95

Oxford grey, new markets, all wool homespun Cneviot, Kitchener yoke 158 in. long, now reduced to.. 1

Every coat, jacket and cape is marked down. Don't wait until the last for they will sell quickly and this sale is for 6 days only. We do just as we advertise, 2 I-2 per cent. of our sales this week goes to charity.

# FURS.

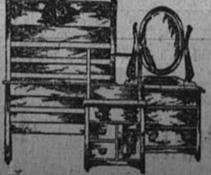
All fur Scarfs Collarettes, and Jackets.

Furs of all kinds will have the price slaughtered. The greatest sale we have ever held. It will be talked of for months.

Be One of the First.



You can buy fine fashionable milliney at this sale, at almost your own prices. We must sweep this department clean to have reduced for this sale to ....... 2.95



# Furniture Dept.

Solid oak, high back, cane seat and brace arm dining room chairs, per 6.75

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