MURDER AT

Wm. Warren a Blacksmith Struck Gerhardt Stulken Two Fatal Blows.

MEN WERE DRINKING.

Warren is Held By Coroners Jury. to Await Trial on the Charge of Manslaughter.

William T. Warren, a blacksmith employed by the Hermansviile Land & Lumber Co., of Hermansville, last Monday night in an angry passion struck Gerhardt Stulken, another man who had been employed by the company and killed him almost instantly.

The act was com nitted in the boarding house of the lumber company and was witnessed by two or three other men who happened to be there at the time.

The men, it is claimed, had been drinking in a saloon of the village and opathic Hospital of the University. from there went to the boarding house, where they roomed. A dispute arose and the blacksmith struck the other man felling him to the floor. The man lay there stunned and in a short time was dead.

The incident has created the greatest excitement in the little village and is the talk of that part of the county, as Mr. Warren has lived there a long time and was well-known in that locality. He has the reputation of being one of the strongest men and best fighters in that section and did not know the power that lay behind his fist.

Warren was at once put under arrest The coroners jury have found sufficient evidence to hold him on the charge of manslaughter. He is broken in spirit | Seventh ward, Charles Erickson. and says he had no motive for striking Stulken other than to punish him for calling abusive names. He said "I thought I had struck him two light blows and I was terribly surprised to Frank N. Hood. learn that he had died.

Republican City Convention.

A republican convention for the City of Escanaba, Delta County, Michigan, will be held at the City Council Chamber, in the City Hall, on Mary street and Wells avenue, in said city, on Thursday, the twenty-fourth day of March, 1904, at eight o'clock in the evening for the purpose of nominating candidates for city officera as follows: Mayor, City Clerk, City Treasurer and Justice of the Peace and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said convention. The basis of representation is one delegate, for each one hundred votes, or majority thereof cast at the election for governor in 1902 each ward being entitled to at least one delegate, as follows: First ward, three; second ward, two; third wrrd, four; fourth ward, three; fifth ward, three; sixth ward, three; seventh ward, one.

Primary elections for the purpose of choosing delegates to said convention, and also candidates for supervisor, alderman and constable for each ward, for the year, will be held in the several wards of said city, on Wednesday, the twenty-third day of March, 1904, between the hours of four and eight p.m., at the several voting places in each

Dated, Escanaba, Mich., March 1,

JUDD YELLAND,

Chairman Republican City Committee. Hot Fire.

A hot fire occured in the Northwestern yards Wednesday night about seven Fully 400 men were in the procession. o'clock. A small building used as an oil house and store room caught fire and burned. The room contained a lot of oily waste and burned rapidly. Many of the yard men stored their midnight lunch pails in the place and there was a lively scramble to save them when the fire broke out. The fire was accidentally set by the torch of a conductor while filling it with oil.

Michigan Scholarsnips for Women.

The treasurer of the University of Michigan has received from the treasused to help specially meritorious women students in securing their education.

To Whom It May Concern:

I am running a strictly Union shop. None but Union men are employed by me, and I pay Union scale. Suits to order \$18.00 up. Pants \$5.00 up. Label on every garment.

WM. MASON, the tailor. 602 Ludington street.

WANTED-Any time before the 1st of May, a house with not less than four rooms below and three above, also con-The Iron Port office.

PHYSICIAN ARRESTED.

Dr. Gustav Wilson of Ann Arbor Brought to this City Under Arrest.

Dr. Gustav Wilson, assistant physician in the University hospital in Ann Arbor, was arrested in that city by under sheriff Perrow and trought to Escanaba Saturday night. He is charged with perjured evidence in obtaining a divorce from his wife, Sigrid E. Wilson. Mrs. Wilson it is claimed returned

from Sweden to find that a decree of divorce had been granted her husband without her knowledge, Wilson is said Hon. John Power Retained to Assist to have obtained the divorce by swearing that his wife deserted him. Mrs. Wilson claims that she went to Sweden with the consent and approval of her husband.

Dr. Wilson has been released upon \$1000 bail and will be examined before Judge Glaser as soon as certain witnesses atrive from Chicago. He denies the charges preferred against him and says all will be cleared when the examination takes place. He has retained Attorneys Gallup and Ryall to defend him.

Dr. Wilson is said to bear an excelnow lives. He graduated from the medical department a year ago and has since been connected with the Home-

It was in this city that he and his wife were married on July 31, 1898.

JURORS DRAWN

For April Term of Circuit Court Which Opens April 18.

The following list of jurors has been of court which opens April 18.

CITY OF ESCANABA. First ward, Ivan G. English; Second ward, Wallace W. Barr; Third ward, Theodore Sheedlo; Fourth ward, Clar-

CITY OF GLADSTONE. First ward, Joseph Poulin; Second ward, William J. Micks; Third ward, Thomas K .McDonough; Fourth ward,

Brampton township. - Paul White,

John Latimer. Bark River .- John Carlson, Gus Ol-

Escanaba township.-Joseph Beauchamp, Sr., Joseph Barron. Fairbanks.-Frank Devet, James

Ford River.-Alexander Johnson. Martin Jepson. Garden-Peter Reis

Maple Ridge.-Frank Trombly. Masonville-Dexter C. Dillabough. Nahma-Thomas B. Davis. Sac Bay-Rupert D. Green. Wells-William H. Hodgkins.

WEARING OF THE GREEN.

Shamrook Was Much in Evidence on Thursday.

in this city. The shamrock was very much in evidence and the sons and holiday attire.

At 8 o'clock the different Irish soand after attending high mass, formed a line of parade. The city band led the procession and played various patriotic selections. Following came St. Patrick's Marching club and next the Young Ireland Marching club. The

HORRIBLE DEATH.

Fireman Striken With Appoplexy Fell Across Fire Hole.

Chas. Blakely, night fireman for the Mashek Chemical Co., expired at the Delta County hospital on Friday of last CLEVELAND-CLIFFS IRON Co., Gladweek. The circumstances attending his death are of a most horrifying character. Blakely's unconscious form was discovered Friday morning lying across urer of the Michigan Federation of the fire hole in the fire room. His Women's Clubs, a check for \$3000 to be trousers were burned off from the bottom to the knee and his legs were burned almost to the bone. Dr.F.ench was called and diagnosed the case as a stroke of appoylexy. Blakely never regained conscionsness and died shortly after being removed to the hospital. Blakely was 50 years of age and formerly lived in the Soo.

Victim Of Thypoid.

John Lausor, proprietor of the Green Ribbon saloon died Thursday morning at his home after a short illness from typhoid fever. The deceased was 28 taining bath room and closets, more pears of age and has been a resident of this city for nine years. He is survived by a wife and has two sisters and a fath-

Dead From Car Door,

Us.

Unanimously Decided Tuesday N. to Prosecute Water Co.

WILL BEGIN AT ONCE.

City Attorney Yelland in Proparing Evidence.

The city council took definite steps Tuesday night toward bringing suit against the Escanaba Water Co. The special investigating committee composed of Mayor Sourwine and aldermen Tolan, Jensen, and Palmer reported that the Water Co. had not kept its promise with the city with regard to a places hereinafter designated in each new intake and recommended that suit of the several wards of said city, on lent reputation at Ann Arbor where he be brought. This the council decided to do, unanimously adopting the resolution offered by the committee and which afternoon, or as soon thereafter as reads as follows:

the city of Escanaba that the said com- electing delegates to the republican mittee be and is hereby authorized and city convention, to be held in said city, directed to cause suit to be brought on Thursday, the twenty-fourth day of against said water company for the March, 1904, at eight o'clock p. m., and following purposes:

now in use by the company to be re- constable in each ward of said city, to moved and the use thereof to be per- be voted for at the annual city elecmanently discontinued and to cause a tion, to be held on Monday, the fourth proper intake pipe to be constructed day of April, 1904. Said primary elecfram to serve during the April term from the power house of said company, tion will be held in the following places, to a place of sufficient depth of water viz. First ward voting place, City satisfactory to a majority of the com- engine house, on Thomas street and

ence R. Williams; Fifth ward, Walter tants with a sufficient supply of pure ing place, City hall on Mary street and Duff; Sixth ward, Duncan P. McRae; water at all times for domestic purand Wells avenue; fourth ward voting poses and to supply the city with ade- place, hose house on South Charlotte quate fire protection.

laid and constructed from the power sixth ward voting place, city building house to such points in said city as a on South Sarah street; seventh ward majority of the committee shall deem voting place, city building on Schleis-Baldwin township.—Frank Strasser. it necessary to furnish said city with inger avenue.

caused and is hereby authorized to em- apportioned as follows, to-wit: First ploy Hon. John Power to assist the city ward, three delegates; second ward, attorney in preparing, commencing and two delegates; third ward, four deleprosecuting said cause to a final termination. The said John Power shall act fifth ward, three delegates; sixth ward, in conjunction with and as counsel to three delegates; seventh ward, one the city attorney of said city in the delegate. commencement and prosecution of said cause."

Phil McKenna.

The Ishpeming Iron Ore has the following to say regarding Phil McKenna a former resident of this city:

Phil J. McKenna, who used to be in the newspaper business at Escanaba, attorney. He has studied hard and his daughters of old Ireland were out in pronouncing it the greatest copper camp on earth. Mr. McKenna is the same genial gentleman, and is entirely cieties gathered at St. Patrick's hall out of politics, concluding there is nothing to be gained in that line.

Blds Wanted.

Proposale will be received until April 1st, 1904, from responsible parties, to load at the stump, and deliver on cars Ancient Order of Hibernians and St. at our several locations, the 18,500 cords Patrick's society were also in line. of wood which is our monthly require- All citizens and strangers are cordially naces. Prospective bidders can visit of the church. our locations, and examine the conditions, and specifications will be furnished setting forth the terms of such a contract on application. Only capable parties need apply, and an adequate bond will be required.

Our teams and outfit can be bought on an appraised valuation. Apply to stone or Marquette, Mich. Gladstone, Mich., Feb. 23rd, 1904.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during our /recent sad bereavemt.

MR. AND MRS. FRANK PROVO AND FAMILY.

WANTED, to purchase or rent a cottage with four or five rooms, located in the first, second or fourth ward. Anvone having such a cottage will please call at the office of BERG BROS. Co., 606 Ludington street.

WANTED-Position by young man as bookkeeper. Had three years experie, am also stenographer. First class crence. Address The Iron Port

DROPPED DEAD.

Baggageman on C. & N. W. Ry. Fell

J. H. Gamble, a well known baggageman on the Northwestern read, fell dead from the door of his car last Sauxday afternoon at Brampton, Mich.

Tell heavily upon the depot platical heavily u th was probably instan-ed by heart failure. form al

futile. Des on the next The body was carrie My at peming and was returned

train to this city.

Coroner McFall viewed the bo. the train and it was then taken to Gree. Bay of which city Mr. Gamble was a resident. He was about 45 years of age and has been baggageman on this division for eighteen years. He leaves wife and daughter.

Republican Primary Election-

Notice is hereby given that the primary election of the republican electors of the City of Escanaba, Delta County, Michigan, will be held in the Wednesday, the twenty-third day of March, 1904, from four o'clock in the may be, until eight o'clock in the even-Resolved by the common council of ing of said day, for the purpose of to place in nomination candidates for First.—To cause the said reservoir one supervisor, one alderman and one Said intake pipe to be of sufficient place, basement of public library on size to furnish said city and the inhabi- South Cambell street; third ward votstreet; fifth ward voting place, city Second.-To cause other mains to be building on Thomas and Oak streets;

Bay de Noc.—Christ Bonefield, An- adequate fire protection. Be it further The number of delegates to be elect-Resolved that said committee be ed to the city convention is nineteen, gates; fourth ward, three delegates;

Dated, Escanaba, Mich., March 1, 1904.

JUDD YELLAND, Chairman Republican City Committee.

Farm For Sale.

For sale, at Rapid River, Mich., a farm of 115 acres, farm house, barns and other buildings, stock, and comis now in Chicago winning fame as an plete farming outfit. Fifty acres are improved. The soil is black bottom business has grown so he has just taken land and raises good crops. Farm in a partner and enlarged his office buildings are in good condition. Maroom. A few years ago he invested chinery is almost new and is the latest some of his surplus money in Calumet improved kind. Stock comprises four & Arizona, being one of the original horses, six cows, sheep and hogs. Farm The St. Patrick's day celebration on shareholders. This has made him a is free from any mineral or oil reser-Thursday was one of the best ever held neat little fortune. He has stock in vation. Present owner desires change in this city. The shamrock was very all the Bonanza Circle group and keeps of climate on account of his health. closely in touch with the Bisbee field, For price and terms write to or call August SCHRAMM, upon Rapid River, Mich.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Morning service at 10:30. Sunday school at 12 m. Junior League at 3. Epworth Great Central Guard-post." Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. ment for our three Charcoal Blast Fur- invited to be present at the services

JAMES M. KERRIDGE, Pastor.

Christian Science.

Christian Science services are held every Sunday morning at 10:30 in the front room over the Wixson photograph be enforced, had to admit that Alder-gallery, corner of Elmore and Wells man Smith was right, and the street No. 13 arrives from Chicago 5:25 a m. streets. Side entrance on Elmore street. Subject for Sunday "Sub- an injunction against appropriating stance." All are welcome to these ser- three feet of the sidewalk for building

First Presbyterian Church.

Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p.m. to Phoebe lodge, No. 179, Daughters of Sunday school and Bible classes at 11;45 Rebekah, I. O. O. F., the choir, the a. m. Service on Wednesday evening but I have demonstrated the fact that

DR. URQUHART, Pastor.

The North-Western Line Russia-Japan Atlas.

A Russo-Japanese War Atlas has been issued by the Chicago & North-Western R'y. Three fine colored maps, each 14x20, bound in convenient form for reference. The Eastern situation shown in detail, with tables showing relative military and naval strength and financial resources of Russia and

Japan.
Copy malled to any address on receipt of ten (ten) cents in postage, by H. C. Chevney, Gen. Agt., C. & N. W. R'y. 99 Wisconsin St., Milwaukee, Wis.

HE IS NOT A

WRITES STRONG LETTER

Claims That He Has Never Had the Co-operation of the Majority of the Council.

* effort on To the Editor: As there is an apparen " the the part of City Attorney Year others, who have plaved politics an

year, to play a little more just before . election, by trying to belittle my efforts in the interest of the city, I desire to say through the column of your paper that I will not be a candidate for reelection this spring, and he cannot hide the unenviable record of the majority for which he stands, behind my candidacy. I do not desire any further political favors in this direction, neither of presiding over a body of men, who would meet in advance and secretly organize "to prevent the mayor from accomplishing anything." I accepted the office in the hope that I migh assist in establishing some of the reforms which this city has so long needed, and not with any intention to perpetuate myself in office. I have done my duty as I have been permitted to do it and am willing to stand on my own record. He tries to leave the impression that any-Dousman avenue; second ward voting thing I may have done was through the "courtesy" of the majority, yet the records show that my name is included in the motion constituting each committee on which I served.

I served on the Ordinance committee through "courtesy," and signed a report with that committee recomending that the street railway franchise be leftto a vote of the people and which was and one alderman to fill vacancy. not done, but taken up and passed immediately.

I served by "courtesy" on the special committee appointed to investigate the Lighting Plant and I think that committee discharged its duties to the satisfaction of all, considering the amount of records and evidence it was enabled to obtain. This is the only authentic report ever mrde of that plant, and the people can now see where their money is going.

I served, and am still serving through "courtesy" on the special committee now investigating the water works, but have not consulted the city attorney on this subject, because everything he has advised me so far, from a legal standpoint, has been wrong, which no doubt accounts for his irritation and induced him to hand a type written "interview," in which he claims nothing can be done along this line without the aid of the city attorney. If this is the case, and he is so earnestly interested now, even at this late date, may I ask why he did not begin suit against this company two years ago? He was City attorney during the last administration as well as this, and this water question has been before the people for seventeen years. !!!!

This city attorney advised the council last May that it was perfectly legal to appropriate two thousand five hundred dollars more of the peoples money to the library, on top of what had already been League at 6:30. Evening service at appropriated, which I vetoed and which 7:30. Morning theme, "Forgive Us as the court sustained. He is the man who We Forgive." Evening theme, "The wrote the street railway franchise, against which he has since secured an injunction, and which he is now trying to annul.

Last year he drew up paving resolutions and ordinances by the yard, which were printed in the preceedings and paid for by the city, and after assuring the council and all the people who had come there to protest against their enforcement, that it was law and could paving was then dropped. He secured purposes, and then went into court and admitted his case away.

I have never attempted to "play polities" at any time during the year, nor sought to assume credit for anything, illegal appropriations of the public funds, at any time or for any purpose, can and ought to be stopped, whether 'the ma-jority of the council is willing that the Mayor should "accomplish anything"

No mayor can expect to accomplish very much if there is a deliberate attempt by an adverse majority to prevent him, but there are still some things, which this majority dare not oppose, and from the fact that they are now trying to steal thunder, is evidence conclusive that they cannot justify their attitude in any other manner.

JOHN J. SOURWING,

NUMBER 19

OPENING NEW MINES.

Cleveland Cliffs Company Exploring Valuable Leads.

The mines being opened up by the Cleveland-Cliffs Co. on the new iron range northwest of the Escanaba & Lake Superior road, promise to be profitable, and to mean much in the development of that part of the country. It will be another year before the work of mining iron ore is actively com-menced and before the range is well opened up. The Escanaba & Lake Suparior road will not be extended to this new mine location until 1905.

The company has a large crew of men at work sinking a shaft there. Expert mining engineers who have made surveys there agree that the indications are that a valuable deposit of a high grade of iron ore lies several hundred feet from the surface. The shaft and shaft house to be built this summer will be the most modern. The Cleveland-Cliffs Co. is spending a forune to sink the shaft and conduct ex-

tions and what promises to be the plora. ore range in the country will great iro. be opened up.

- City Election. Notice of Annua. City Clerk's office, Esc. naba, Mich.,

March 16th, 1904. Notice is hereby given that in accord dance with act number 215 of the pubwould I accept as a gift, the privilege lie acts of the State of Michigan, the annual City Election of the City of Escanaba will be held on Monday, the 4th day of April 1904, for the purpose of electing the following City and Ward officers, to wit:

Mayor, City Clerk, City Treasurer, and one Justice of the Peace to fill vacancy, and one Justice of the Peace for full term.

The following officers are to be elected in the several wards of the city: 1st ward, one alderman, one super-

visor and one constable for full terms. 2nd ward, one alderman, one supervisor and one constable for full terms. 3rd ward, one alderman, one supervisor and one constable for full terms. 4th ward, one alderman, one supervisor and one constable, for full terms. 5th ward, one alderman, one supervisor and one constable for full terms.

6th ward, one alderman, one supervisor and one constable for full terms. 7th ward, one alderman, one su visor and one constable for full terms. Said Election will be held in the following named places in each ward, vis: 1st ward, City's building on Dousman

2nd ward, Carnagie Public Library building on Campbell street.

3rd ward, City Hall building on Mary 4th ward, City's building on Charlotte

5th ward, City's building on North Oak street. 6th ward, City's building on South

Sarah street. 7th ward, City's building on Stephenson avenue.

The Polls for said Election will be open at 7 o'clock in forenoon of said day and continue open until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time they will be finally closed.

HUGH J. ROBERTSON, City Clerk.

Uniforms Received.

The Escanaba City Band has received the new uniforms ordered a short time ago. They are of dark blue trimmed with gold. On the front of each cap is the name "Escanaba" in 29t letters. The uniforms were first worn by the members of the band in the St. Patrick's day parade and they made a very fine appearance indeed.

I wish to announce that I will continue the jewelry business formerly conducted by my husband and all accounts will be paid and collected by me. Thanking you for your past patronage and hoping you will continue same,

I am yours truly, MRS. PAUL HOHLFELDT.

C. & N. W. Time Table.

tain, Watersmeet and Ashland. No. 5. arrives from Chicago at 8:40 a. m. No, 60 leaves at 8:15 a. m. for Metropolitan. No. 16 leaves at 11:00 a. m. for Meno-

minee, Green Bay, Milwaukee and No. 17. leaves at 1:50 p. m. for Negau-

nee, Ishpeming, Marquette and Copper No 21 arrives from Metropolitan at 6:10

p. m. No. 6 leaves at 7:35 p. m. for Menominee Marinette and way points.

No. 2 leave at 9:05 for Green Bay, Milwaukee and Chicago.

No. 11 passenger arrives from Hurley at 10:00 p. m.

Who wantsit? Small building with 25 ft. lot on Ludington street. Centrally located. \$1250 will buy it. Easy terms., Address A. H. P., 609 Mat-thews Bldg., Milwaukee, Wis. 12-4t

WANTED:-First class camp cooks and commissary clerks to work on boarding cars. A tdress, T. S. BERTRAND. Mayor. Mayfair, Chicago, Ill.

All the News of the Past Seven of which \$50,000 goes to the consump-Days Condensed.

HOME AND FOREIGN ITEMS

News of the Industrial Field, Personal and Political Items, Happenings at Home and Abroad.

THE NEWS FROM ALL THE WORLD

CONGRESS AT WORK.

Daily Proceedings of the Senate and House Briefly Told.

The army appropriation bill, carrying \$77,620,842, was reported in the senate on the 4th and the naval bill was further considered. In the house that he had been married 47 times. the conference report on the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was adopted and the Indian appropriation bill was discussed.

Report of the conference committee on the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was agreed to in the senate on the 5th. Further consideration was given to the naval bill. In the house the Indian appropriation bill was passed, and the post office bill was reported.

The senate on the 7th passed the naval appropriation bill and took up the army bill. In the house the post office appropriation bill was discussed and resolutions were passed for investigation of the so-called beef trust and the cause of the present high price of white paper used in printing newspa-

The senate spent almost the entire time on the 8th discussing committee amendments to the army bill concerning provisional troops in the Philippines and the consolidation of the adjutant general's office with the record and pension office. The fortification appropriation bill (\$7,632,192) was reported. In the house 32 claims bills were passed.

DOMESTIC.

Mrs. Gustave Stanson, of Elgin, Ill., shot her husband three times and set fire to her home. The husband is fatally wounded, a son is fatally burned and the womar is dead.

Railroads have organized the Michigan Land association with the object of colonizing the upper peninsula.

The joint conference of miners and coal operators at Indianapolis adjourned without agreement on a scale, and a strike is likely.

President Smith, of the Mormon church, told senators that congress has no right to pry into his private affairs, and that he is willing to answer only to the Utah courts. He testified that there are 897 polygamous families in Utah.

One priest and two servants were killed and two other priests were severely injured at a fire which destroyed. St. Patrick's Roman Catholic church and the adjoining rectory in Long Island City.

In Washington Justice Pritchard overruled the motion of Samuel A. sentenced him to two years in the Moundeville penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$10,000.

Arthur L. Kemper, president of a has been indicted on the charge of em- | mind. bezzling \$35,000.

August Edmund Wachter, the aged father of Congressman Frank C. Wachter, fell from a third-story window of Six men were drowned and four others injured as a result of the collapse of a bridge spanning Yellow creek, near Irondale, O., on the Cleveland &

Three more bodies were recovered from the wreck of the DaNington hotel in New York, making the total number fus. of fatalities 20.

Pittsburg railroad.

man Overstreet, of the committee on road guards or garrisons.

Commissioners appointed to investigate conditions in Indian territory urge drastic action by congress to further Russian reverses.

check so-called grafting of officials. Three trainmen were killed in a collision between freight trains on the Missouri Pacific road four miles from Tokio.

Jefferson City, Mo. Mark Dunn, convicted of the murder of a farmer named Fenton and gentenced to be hanged March 11, escaped place, from jail at St. Joseph, Mich.

The Kansas City court of appeals has decided that grain speculative trading on the board of trade is gambling and or damage. therefore illegal. >

coal mines of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio of his daughter's nineteenth birthday, and western Pennsylvania will be decided by a vote of the miners on March 15.

President Smith, of the Mormon thurch, in concluding his testimony be-fore the senate investigating committee n the Smoot case said that he had 42

Mrs. Chris Heinhold confessed to a coner's jury that she killed her husan at her home near Mikado, Mich. William Lynn and Oliver Hoagland, who pleaded guilty at Lincoln, Ill., to

bribery at elections, were sentenced each to three months in jail and to disfranhisement for ten years. The Milwaukee common council has ssed an anti-spitting ordinance, makng the offense punishable by a fine of five dollars or ten days' imprisonment.

George P. Hossey, a "voodoo" doctor convicted at Philadelphia of murder for selling poison to women who wished to dispose of their husbands, has been sennced to be hanged. More than 2,000 laborers employed on

uildings in the course of construction in New York went on strike.

The Lyceum and Auditorium theaters New York, bequeaths \$200,000 to charity. tives' home in Denver.

John Bright, George Jackson and William Robinson, of Lincoln, Ill., have been disfranchised for ten years for bribery in elections.

Mormon secrets were revealed in the Smoot hearing in Washington, Apostle Lyman admitting he had three wives and declaring the Utah senator never protested. The Missouri Pacific railroad now con-

trols the Wabash, according to the annual statement of the former line to the tockholders. Mrs. Joseph Withington and her

daughter were drowned in attempting to St. Lonis, Mo. James H. Shippie, 32 years of age when arraigned in court at Elizabeth,

Sale of season tickets to the exposition has commenced at St. Louis, the price of the ticket being \$25.

N. J., on a charge of bigamy, admitted

Six trainmen were killed and three fatally injured in a collision between trains on the Alabama Great Southern

railway near Kewance, Miss. Springfield, O., was guarded by six companies of militia, following a night of race rioting, caused by a negro lynching. A mob invaded the colored district, fired volleys of shots through the houses and burned an entire block.

Andrew Carnegie in a lecture in New York said distribution of wealth was a sacred trust upon millionaires.

Eight hundred delegates sailed from New York to attend the world's Sunday school convention at Jerusalem.

The Miles block at Oto, Ia., in which was located the opera house and occupied United States to the Panama canal. by six mercantile firms and three other buildings were destroyed by fire.

Dr. Andrew S. Draper, president of Illinois university, has been elected commissioner of education for the state of New York.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

The Henry Siegel corporation is be-Siegel-Cooper stores under one management.

The Porto Rican house has unanimously passed a bill the purpose of the United States flag. Negotiations in the Panama canal

government was about to hand \$10,-000,000 over to Panama, because Attorney General Knox has found that Attorney Cromwell cannot give a clear title to the property.

Wichita, Kan., has been renominated by the republicans.

Jacob Romeis, who served the Tenth 1889, died at his home in Toledo.

FOREIGN.

The Japanese fleet is reported to have bombarded Port Arthur at intervals on February 29, March 1 and 2.

Japanese sailors landed at Tengchow and reported a battle between one Japanese and one Russian warship off the Groff, one of the recently convicted Miaotau Islands, south of Port Arthur. defendants in the post office trial and Both vessels were sunk; all the Russians were lost. Junks saved 200 Jap-

Russian people fear that the czar is going insane because of the war, and in his eighty-seventh year. private banking concern at Chicago, the czarina is also in a sad state of

> Sixty United States marines have been sent to guard American owned ister to Panama. gold mines north of Ping-Yang, Kerea. Russians believe a decisive engagearmy has been concentrated in the far

Field Marshal Waldersee of the German army is dead.

The French court of cassation after three days' hearing ordered revision of the case of former Capt. Alfred Drey-

Russia is sending four army corps, Hundreds of technical violations of including 174,527 men, 67,860 hornes, postal laws by congressmen and sena- and 496 guns; to crush the Japanese tors were revealed in a report of Chair- army. This force does not include fail-

Vienna and St. Petersburg are prepared for a Polish uprising, which is considered probable in the event of

The Japanese army, 100,000 strong, is concentrating at Ping-Yang. A vig surprise for Russians is predicted at

The Russians are removing everything from Newchwang with the erident determination of abandoning the

Vladivostock town and fortifications were bombarded 55 minutes by the Japanese fleet. Russians deny loss of lite

A retired German army officer at Ber-The question of a strike in the soft | lin, facing ruin, gave a banquet in honor placed poison in the last bumper of champagne, and all five members of

The Japanese fleet appeared off Vladvostok and shelled the city and two Japanese cruisers were reported to President Smith, in Smoot Inquiry, have been sunk. Belief was enterained in London that the Russian quadron was outside Vladivostok haror, and that the Japanese ships had

cut it off from a return. China is said to be ready to defy Russia and to send a great army to the frontier to maintain neutrality, fear-

ing designs of powers. Japanese troops continued to advance in morthern Korea, the Russians being forced back. The mikado's army at Pingyang numbers about 100,-

The Japanese are reported to have engaged the Russian Vladivostok squadron In the open sea and to have sunk or captured the entire fleet of four warships. It is also reported that in an engagement between Japanese and Russians at a point 100 miles from Vladivostok the Russians were defeated.

King Alfonso has signed decrees ratiin Elmira, N. Y., were destroyed by fire. | fying arbitration treaties between Spain The will of Sarah Schermerhorn, of and Great Britain and Spain and France.

LATER,

The senate on the 10th passed a number of bills relating to Alaska, but failed to act on the measure authorizing the election of a delegate in congress from that territory. A bill was passed increasing to \$100 the pensions of ex-soldiers and sailors who have become totally blind on account of service. In the house Mr. Finley (S. C.) announced the death of his colleague, George William Croft, and resolutions of sympathy and regret were adopted and adjournment was taken.

A mob seeking to break into the jail at Murphysboro, Ill., to lynch a neford Meramec river in a buggy west of gro prisoner was foiled by the sheriff. President Roosevelt has requested military and naval officials of the government to refrain from discussion of

> the war between Russia and Japan. President Roosevelt was fixed the salaries of the isthmian canal commissioners at \$12,000.

Witnesses in the Smoot hearing before the senate committee in Washington said that the Mormon church ruled Utah politics. Mrs. Rebecca Mayo, aged 90, the last

but one surviving widow of a revolutionary war soldier, died at Newbern, Va. Russia has warned China that the presence of Chinese troops north of the great wall will be held a breach of neu-

Congressman George W. Croft, of Aiken, S. C., died in Washington of blood poisoning, which resulted from a splinter run in his thumb six weeks ago.

Attorney General Knox has informed members of the senate that there will be no hitch in perfecting the title of the

Four unidentified men were burned to death in a box car containing gasoline, which caught fire ten miles from Harrisburg, Pa.

Estimates place the flood damage in the Wyoming region at \$2,500,000, and in the towns between Pittsburg and Sunbury at \$6,500,000. The worst rain and wind storm in

damage

Senor Alvarez, vice president of Uruguay, is dead.

The Japanese squadron attacked Port which is to prevent the desecration of Arthur twice, following an onslaught in the night with a bombardment by 14 warships during the day. The Rusmatters have been halted just as the sians replied. Admiral Kamimura, reporting on the bombardment of Viadivostok on March 6, intimates that the Russian squadron is still inside.

The army appropriation bill was passed in the senate on the 9th and a commercial Congressman Victor Murdock, of treaty with Abyssinia was favorably reported. In the house members indicted by the Bristow postal report hurled epithets of "liar," "coward" and "scoun-Ohlo district in congress from 1884 to drel" at the author. A bill was passed to extend the exemption from head tax to citizens of Newfoundland entering the United States.

Gen. Henry Boynton, who won distinction in the civil war, died at Augusta,

Me., aged 73 years. Loren Harmer, former bishop of Mormon church, testified before the senate committee that he had been imprisoned in the penitentiary for unlawful cohabitation at the instance of Reed Smoot. Erastus Low Palmer, the famous sculp-

tor, died at his home in Albany, N. Y., The president has directed the transfer of John Barrett, the present minister to the Argentine republic, to be mia-

Owing to the race war in Springfield, O., ten companies of Ohlo militia were his home at Baltimore and was killed. ment will not take place until their on guard and martial law practically

prevailed. Archbishop Machray, primate of all Canada, died at Winnipeg of pneumonia, aged 73 years.

Dr. I. P. Wilson, past grand high priest dropped dead of heart disease at Bur- the court's decision. Ington.

Three persons were fatally injured and seven others severely hurt in a railway collision in Chicago. The Kansas republican state conven-

tion instructed its delegates to Chicago for Roosevelt and nominated Editor E. W. Hoch, of Marion, for governor.

The French steamer Cambodge was wrecked off the coast of Cochin-China and a hundred persons were said to have perished. The republican territorial conven-

ion at Tuscon, Arizona, elected delegates to the Chicago convention and instructed for Roosevelt.

One of the worst dust storms in years swept over the central part of Kansas, greatly damaging wheat.

Japanese forces were reported to have crossed the Ya'u and advanced into Manchuria, capturing Fenhuancheng and having a big army seventy miles east of Newchwang. The Russians were intrenched at Lia-Yang and Hal-Chen, where a battle was imminent. Small engagements had been fought, in which the Russians were repulsed with loss.

MORMONS VIOLATE LAW.

Forced to Admit Polygamy In Practiced.

Washington, March 5 .- President Joeph F. Smith, of the Mormon church, was called to the stand by Senator Hoar at the opening of Friday's proceedings before the senate committee on privieges and elections in the investigation of protests against Senator Reed Smoot, of Utah. Senator Hoar desired information on the subject of the rights of women in the church and whether they hold any priestly authority.

Mr. Smith said the women are regarded as the equals of the men in all matters of voting, but that in holding "priestly authority" women are not regarded on the same plane. He explained that the women have a charitable association known as the "Woman's Relief Society," in which they have authority to perform certain prescribed duties. This authority is confined to the relieving of distress, but women are not ordained high priests, apostles or elders.

Washington, March 7.-President Smith, of the Mormon church, on the stand in the Smoot inquiry in the senate admitted the laws were being violated in Utah, but intimated it was not for congress to interfere. He said he was amenable only to the state laws

Washington, March 8 .- President Smith, of the Mormon church, told the senate investigating committee in the Smoot case that he has 42 children, 11 or 12 of which-he is unable to remember exactly-have been born since the manifesto of 1890. The evidence of Mrs. Clara Kennedy at the hearing showed that she became a polygamous wife in

Washington, March 9.- The senate committee on priviliges and elections on Tuesday in the investigation of the protests against Senator Reed Smoot, of Utah, brought out a variety of testimony, of which the most sensational was that given by Francis M. Lyman, president of the Twelve Apostles of the Mormon church, and the man chosen to be the successor of President Smith. His admissions were similar to those previously made by Mr. Smith pertaining to the church government. Other witnesses heard on Tuesday were Mrs. Kennedy, her mother, Mrs. Matthews, and Charles

Merrill, the son of Apostle Merrill. Washington, March 10 .- The seventh day of the hearings in the Senator Smoot case was opened before the elections Wednesday by Attorney Tayler, for the prosecution, recalling lowing strain:-President Joseph F. Smith, of the Mormon church, to the stand. Smith was questioned as to the interview he gave to a representative of the gard to the church and the number of correctly in regard to Mr. Smoot and had urged his election.

COURT GRANTS REVISION.

Drevfus Case to Be Reopened-Sufficient Showing Held to Have Been Made.

Paris, March 7 .- The criminal branch of the court of cassation Saturday granted the appeal of Alfred Dreyfus for a revision of his trial at Rennes.

The court held that a sufficient showing had been made to warrant a reopening of the case and ordered a supple-



CAPT, ALFRED DREYFUS, mentary investigation for the purpose of establishing all the doubtful points which have been the bases for the pres-

ent application to reopen the case. The decision is another marked sucress for Dreyfus, although it is not yet final, owing to the extended supplemenof the Iowa Royal Arch Grand chapter, tary investigation which must follow

Sacrifices Life for a Child.

Portland, Ore., March 10 .- In a heroic attempt to rescue Oza Brown, a little girl who had fallen into the Willamette river from a steamer, Sumner Smith, the 21-year-old son of W. K. Smith, one of the most prominent capitalists of this city, Tuesday night sacrificed his own life. The little girl was saved, but Smith was drowned.

Valden, Miss., March 9 .- News reached here that in a fight between Aaron Stewart and son on one side and W. W. Hill and two sons on the other, the Stewarts shot and killed W. W. Hill and his son, John Hill, and seriously wounded Hunter Hill.

Fatal Fight of Neighbors.

Massacres Reported.

Rome, March 9.-The Agenzia Libera Tuesday reports that a number of Chiese and Japanese have been massacred in the Vladivostok district. The Japanese government is said to have entered a protest against the acts.

Not Quite a Kich.

and went to live at Emporia. After her marriage her parents sold their farm and moved to Wichita, where they hought a small hotel and made good returns. One day the daughter and her husband came for a visit. They remained two days, then another, and made no movement toward home. Finally the father-landlord called his son-in-law to his side and said: "What a pity, John, that you and Mary didn't come to visit us at the farm. We were not keeping hotel then and it wouldn't have cost you a cent to have staid as long as you wanted to."—Wichita Eagle.

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If you can convince a man who thinks he is a martyr that he is only a chump, not much more is necessary.—Punch. AGRICULTURE IN WESTERN CANADA.

Its Grain Fields, Ranching Lands,

Dairying Resources. The Editor of the Wisconsin Agriculturist, who was one of a party of editors of agricultural papers, took a senate committee on privileges and trip through Canada during the past spring, writes to his paper in the fol-

The reason of his visiting Canada was to satisfy himself that the reports coming to his paper regarding the wonderful resources of that country press in 1902, giving statistics in re- were accurate. In view of the wonderful settlement that was going on polygamists in Utah. Mr. Smith had there, many from this country crossing said the entire interview consisted of the line in search of permanent homes, statistics and that in that statement and in view of what he had heard in he had said nothing for the purpose of regard to conditions of soil, water, clisupporting the candidacy of Reed mate, topography, fuel, grasses, rain-Smoot for the United States senates fall, markets, etc., and also the influ-Upon hearing the interview read, Mr. ence which these have had on the presing formed in New York, with \$10,750,- 13 years swept over San Francisco and Smith admitted he had been quoted ent and future agriculture, he deemed it necessary to make an extended trip through all of the above territory.

In speaking of the Province of Manitoba, he says:-"The Province of Manitoba comprises within its limits the far-famed "grain-growing valleys of the Assiniboine and Red Rivers. Although "called the Prairie Province of Can-"ada, Manitoba has large areas of for-"ests, numerous rivers and vast water 'expansions.

"The soil is a rich, deep, mould, or "loam, resting on a deep clay sub-soil. "It is well adapted to wheat growing, "giving a bountiful yield of the finest "quality, known the world over as "No. 1 hard wheat. During the past "ten years the growth of wheat and other grains has steadily increased, "until now the production, by 35,000 "farmers, reaches 100,000,000 bushels. "Of the 23,000,000 arable acres in Mani-"toba, probably not one-half of it is "occupied. Cultivated grasses yield "about two tons per acre, and native "grasses a ton and a half.

"There can be no question but that "dairying will become a great indus-"try throughout the north-west, and 'especially cheese making, as the cli-"mate is favorable and similar to that "of Ontario.

"Crops grown are wheat, barley, 'oats, flax, rye, peas, corn, for fodder, "brome, potatoes, roots, etc. The soil "Is very fertile, and moisture ample. "The climate is good, and the growing 'season, while not quite so long as in "Wisconsin, matures crops as the sun "shines much longer, rising about four "o'clock and shines until about nine "at night. One can easily read a newspaper at 10 p. m. The long days make frowth fast, and push crops to ma-"turity ahead of frost.

"The ranching, the wheat growing, "and the mixed farming belts all cross "over Assiniboia. The yield and the 'quality of wheat raised along the main 'line of the Canada Pacific Railway, at "such places as Indian Head and its "allied districts, have become famous. "Its possibilities are shown by the "average of tests made at the experi-"mental farm in 1902, when eleven va-"rieties of the most suitable wheat, "sown on April the 19th, were cut in "130 days; and yielded 4,314 pounds "of straw, and 43 bushels and 2 pounds "of grain per acre. Its mixed farming "area is excellent, its range cattle, "horses and sheep are the equals of any 'seen in the north-west, and its tree-'less portion is underlaid with coal "The town of Medicine Hat is heated "and illuminated with natural gas. "There are abundant deposits of brick, "pottery and fire clays."

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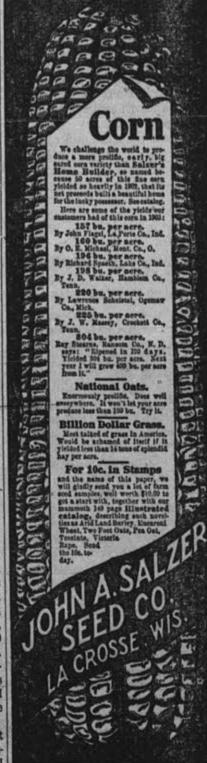


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QUITE TOO SWEEPING.

There was once a woman so woefully That she swept her whole family into the

She lectured on tidiness, day after day, Till the children ran off to the neighbor's And, sometimes, the 'lord of the manor

would roam
From his beautiful house which was
never a home. Twas a splendid expression of beauty

But it did not possess home's one requisite, heart.

But this woman worked on with her brush and her broom, With her servants she battled through room after room; She waxed and she polished her beautiful

Till her friends hardly ventured inside of her doors. Her carpets so velvety one would refuse To walk on, until he had dusted his

Her chairs all so tidled, without and within,
That to sit on them seemed little less

Her children had toys which they never could spread O'er immaculate floors; nor could cookies

than a sin.

Be eaten where crumbs might be scattered about. For her house was like "wax-work" within and without.

Of dust, just the least little innocent bit Would bring on something akin to a fit; And a tidy or picture a trifle awry Could never escape her most diligent eye,

Her children grew up and they hurried away As soon as they could, scarcely caring to

stay Where brooms were a-whisking; they sighed for a nest, Still neat, but inviting a spirit of rest.

And the day when the last of her little ones left, And the home of their smiles was forever bereft.

She said, while for dust she still searched up and down: "They know I'm the finest housekeeper

-Nixon Waterman, in Good Housekeep-

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A STORY OF YOUNG ILLINOIS

By Mary Hartwell Catherwood

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CHAPTER II.-CONTINUED.

'No. But he would rob her of the last piece and leave her to starve. He got much that belonged to her people." "Have you put Peggy's money where he cannot find it?"

"It's in a safe place." "Has he ever made any attempt to

carry her off?" "Me no let him make attempt. Me watch."

"As a relative, he might prove that he had a right to guardianship if he were a fit person."

What a white man want he can take from an Indian!"

"No, Shickshack, you stand your ground and fight him. If he troubles you again in this community count on me for all the help I can give. Every decent man in New Salem would take your part."

Shickshack's face relaxed from sternness to satisfaction.

"Such men as you and the young chief Yates and the chief Lorimer make an Indian want to live with white nen."

The tavern directly across the street and its windows open to let in the soft spring night air. At intervals a chorus of bullfrogs came faintly across the dark from where the Sangamon, swelling with freshets, rose frothing yeastily toward its brim. As Peggy hopped on her crutch around the tavern she could see a white fog floating over Rock creek in the valley, like fairy linen spread to bleach by starlight. One of Rutledge's deer-hounds loped up from the stable down the slope to bay at her, and recognizing the intruder, drew back at once with a greyhound's sensitive apology.

Near the east side of the house stood a log hand-mill, one end being firmly planted in the ground, the other hollowed by burning and scraping. The pestle, hanging from a long pole weighted like a well-sweep, was a knot of hard wood spiked with nails, and had a crossbar handle. In this primitive mortar parched corn could be readily pounded to meal. A deerskin was stretched and fastened snugly over the top to keep grains in when the mill was in use, and litter out when it stood idle. Peggy caught hold of the sweep and lifted herself to a seat on the hand-mill. She could see, through a, deep embrasure of logs, the Rutledge family at home. The tavern windows were movable sashes, with the tough oiled paper like transparent skin laid firmly upon them. Part of a tree smouldered crimson without flame in the white clay chimney. Shickshack's wife never allowed more than one candle lighted in his house. Mrs. Rutledge drew tallow tapers out of candle molds and filled a sixbranched candelabrum of old English gilver. It stood on a table surrounded by the children at their tasks, and the father, reading a paper, brought in the weekly mail. The younger girls were sewing; Ann sat at the flax wheel.

"The Rutledge girls can't say I'm tagging anybody now, because I'm not taging," breathed Peggy. "But goody! I can watch them through the window!"

The most desirable thing in the world was to be levely. She looked at Ann Rutledge, to whom hearts were ment seemed impossible to Ann. There

happiness. Unconscious that any out- in a tearing race toward Beardstown. sider watched her, she lifted them

"I'll never be like her," whispered Peggy. "I'm a peg-legged Spaniard, little for my age, and ugly. I can't spin. I can't sew. Sally says squaw Shickshack has to cut them out, and we piece them together as well as we can. He's done it ever since we left deer. The rain now began to peit. his people and have had no Indian women to help us. I can't read like knit I could make stockings for Antywine and Shickshack. They are the only men in New Salem that have to keep on wearing neips wrapped around their ankles for stockings."

She set her teeth together so the grating was a audible. Something stirred behind her, like one of the hounds creeping near, but she paid no attention to it. A blanket dropped over her head.

Peggy fought it with both hands, bearing the crutch that had laid across ber knees roll to the ground. This was the last sound she heard. Screaming in the muffling folds, she felt herself dragged off the hand-mill and carried away.

CHAPTER III.

Ann Rutledge heard through the open wifidow Peggy's muffled cry and struggle, and ran to the door. By starlight it was barely possible to see a shadow fleeing from the hand-mill; but Antywine La Chance, in pursuit of it, passed across the bar of light, a lithe, long-bodied and long-limbed shape, his uncovered blond hair flying back from a face cut like the high-bred features of a French noble. He bounded by the hand-mill and crossed

a fence at the foot of the garden. When Antywine thought he was about to overtake the object down the ravine, a scamper of horse's hoofs sounded through the valley. Peggy's captor had left a horse ready for flight. Instead of making southeastward for the Rock creek bridge and the road to Springfield, he rounded the bluff and the village, and was evidently striking toward Beardstown. The western continuation of New Salem street, stretching across the prairies until it met and curved with bluffs along the Sangamon, was the route to Beardstown, which stood at the junction of the Sangamon with the Illinois.

Light-footed as a deer, scarcely pausing to think, Antywine with inherited instinct turned east toward the river, BUT TWO HORSES INSTEAD OF ONE though it was the direction opposite that in which Peggy was carried. A boat could be found at the mill. The river was high and running swiftly. current he might reach the bluff road as soon as a horse floundering across the mud of the prairies would be able to reach it. What he would then do afoot he did not attempt to foresee. There was a small settlement at the mouth of Rock creek called Wolf. Oxen were more plentiful than horses in Wolf, as New Salem; yet Antywine had one passing flash of determination to go there and demand a horse. But

breathless with haste, he plus through naked woods and down terraced bank of the Sangamon, slimnot on dead leaves in his descent, stra ear, to the mill.

The boat was tied above the dam. pushed out before he thought of condam, half covered by swelling we and roaring across the width of Sangamon. Antywine was never reets alive than when his feet were plaid or in a boat. He came of a line of 8 enageurs who had threaded Cana and rapids time out of mind. Although out later years had been spent in Brmal ville, off great stream courses, his oyed born dexterity was too much a are of him to be forgotten. There wa but time for thought. He swooped c the curve poised in the stern of cous boat, laughing aloud at the sl which nearly swamped him. The llars ran without direction, making by partly submerged trees while he blall's with his hands. Antywine stuckfree. an oar for a rudder, and turneds.,

craft into the racing current. Thio. baling with one hand and steering the other, he got under way, and soon able to sit on the bench, fit racing force which spun him along, cold, Antywine?" Branches and logs menaced his dim

The shores were black. Froth spots like white money appeared and disap- him draw it around his shoulders, as London letter writer to the "Napeared around him with phosphoric which he did.

course.

swiftness. Not many miles down was the fork of the Sangamon, where the stream turned toward the Illinois. Beards- much anxiety and exertion. town, by prairie and river-bluff route, Frost was out of the ground, and a to Sieur Abe Lincoln, 'Antywine, he is hurried rider. The scalloped bank, and Shickshack have not." escending and descending in serated cliff and hollow, seeming to swim past Antywine, finally curved away from a wider current; and he made for shore said Peggy, after considering. "I want take that! I have five daughters, but through drift. He drew the boat out, you to be like a woman." and left it beached above the rising

There was no sound abroad in all that void darkness except the Sangamon's low note and the intermittent cry of frogs. He thought of sloughs on the Beardstown road and of hungry wolves infesting the night. Star- ride the horses you think will run light had become lost in thickening over you, and they not see you in the | 10 was building up his vast fortune he mist, and as Antywine pushed on he dark. They chase the man to Beardsfelt the sting of rain in the face. He town." tried to distinguish a track which ought to darken the pallid turf near this place, and set out in the direction of Beardstown.

He heard at his left the suction of do when we get home." horse feet in mud. It came nearer, "It is that woman that make a squaw does he want?" "Well," said the mer-and he braced himself to spring at the of me," said Antywine. "Since my chant, "he wants your situation, and and he braced himself to spring at the bridle, if he had been so fortunate an

times turned golden in moments of up from a slough, and swept past him

"Shickshack and Sieur Abe," thought and smiled at darkness through the Antywine. He shouted after them, open window. The passes of her but they did not hear him. There was hands as she spun and the sweetness so little travel at that season he felt of life expressed in her face brought sure these riders were in pursuit of a sob up Peggy's throat.

Peggy, and comforted, he followed Peggy, and comforted, he followed lightly on, keeping to the spongy dead when we are but out of the house grass by the roadside.

The humid forest stretching from the bank of the Sangamon still darkened clothes are good enough for me, and his way with skeleton trees. He passed an empty cabin which he had seen once before when hunting

Though he had lived so long among women to help us. I can't read like English-speaking people at Belleville Ann Rutledge does. If I could even that their language had become in a measure his own, Antywine never found himself able to part with buckskins. The hunting shirt was sometimes exchanged for one of linsoy, but | Antywine?" buckskin breeches, molding his supple limbs down to his moccasins, he always wore, making them himself, as thing that belong to you is ugly." his father had done before him. Indifferent to weather, he stepped on through darkness and was within hand's reach of an unsteady object before he saw it.

> Antywine gave a laughing shout to scare a wolf and followed it by an exclamation. He lifted the toppling fig- felt that they were just discovering ure in his arms and ran back with it to the empty cabin.

Peggy had a blanket around her, but partially stunned. The puncheons or split logs which floored the cabin sagged inward as if a sill had rotted



PLUNGED UP FROM A SLOUGH AND SWEPT PAST HIM IN A TEAR-ING RACE TOWARD BEARDSTOWN.

at the farther side, and the chimney was a ruin upon its own hearth. Perhaps wolves or wild hogs made this place a lair. Antywine had not his Wealthy Women Brought Patients tinder box with him. It was impossible to get a light. The fallen door he dragged aside from its opening and made a seat for Peggy.

"Stay here, sweetheart," spoke Antywine, using an English word which he did not quite understand, but translated in his own mind as "little one."

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> "No," he answered, with a Canadian's indifference. But Peggy gave at Newcastle, then a mercantile clerk him a corner of the blanket and bade in London, he began to make his mark

> The rain beat upon shingles and spouted from the cabin eaves. There spouted from the cabin eaves. There tary on his American tours in 1879. He was snugness in being housed after so is now the keenest member of the na-

"We wait here." The boy laughed was nearly 40 miles from New Salem. | quietly to himself. "Shickshack say bottomless trail would delay the most nothing but a squaw.' But I find you,

"Did he call you a squaw?"

"Me, yes; he call me that." "You are fike a woman, Antywine,"

"Tonnerre! Why?" "Because you are like one." Antywine turned this illogical reason in his mind.

"How can we go home, Antywine?" "We wait," he replied, "until Shickshack and Sieur Abe come back. They

"Are you sure?" "I think so."

Peggy's mind at once turned back to New Salem. "I wonder what Sally will cant had made another plea for work.

supple body. Her deep blue eyes some- two norses instead of one, plunged or the stick -ball -but her evil eye, chant never saw the past nexts.

and the beard on her chin-saints! | am crawl all over! It is not healt'y to be scare all the time! I wear a charm against ber. When she take Shickshack I think I will go to my father's peop' in Canada. But if I do she will have nobody but you when she is enrage. And see what is done to you sweetheart!"

Peggy busied herself in silence and threw an object from her which bounded among the chimney ruins.

"I am not going to be a peg-leg any more," she announced. "I'll not strap that wooden leg to my knee again." "But you not able to walk," said Antywine. "I carry you," he added, in

afterthought. "Shickshack will take me on the horse when he comes. It's so ugly. Don't you think a peg-leg is ugly,

"I have not consider," he responded; adding, with French grace, "not any-"My mouth," suggested Peggy. "It

will not shut." "It is like the wild plum," said Antywine, "when the white bud is just break through."

Though they had been housemates almost a year, Peggy and Antywine each other. The tall, silent lad had once in a while yentured on some kind-Peggy had a blanket around her, but ness to the gifl. There was between she was wet and cold and seemed them the whimstral sympathy of companions in misery.

"And I am so little," continued Peggy, after a silence. "People think I am only ten years old. Ann Rutledge is large and beautiful."

"Mam'selle Ann Rutledge," responded Antywine, "is too large to be carry. You are not too large to be carry." "But I want to be," insisted Peggy.

"Me, I think you will grow," conceded Antywine, indulgently. "Do you think I will always be

lame?" "I not know, The doctor in Belleville cannot say."

from me."

"Shickshack think, and me, I think you.'

"I never contradicted her when she told him it was a fall; but she knows article that we possess, every qualiwhen she struck me and how it hurt. ty and companionship that we hold Don't tell him, Antywine. Shickshack in dear and high regard, has been subis so good.".

"She not fool me," said Antywine, "I think now I will give you my charm to keep off evil."

"What is it?" He took her hand in the darkness and laid a small image on the palm. She knew it was something which their religion taught them to venerate.

[To Be Continued.]

to Penniless Medic to Be Treated for Nothing.

"In my six months of small-town practice I learned many other things, have created. and none more puzzling than a certain aspect of the charity of the rich," says azine. "A number of the women there these to me (often in their carriages) and get me to treat them for nothing. others to help as well as my own liv-I ing to make, and I confess my spirit reatch belled sometimes when these prosperous and well-fed philanthropists patstrength and knowledge to their proteges. I remember one case in particular, when I was called up on a bitter not speak a word of English and followed him two miles through the snow, where I worked without help or | themselves in deeds, convenience of any kind till ten the next morning, to go home utterly spent; and the consciousness of havter by the picture of the lady patroness from placid sleep to congratulate herself on her good deed. I was humane, but I was also human. She might at least have paid me!"

Couldn't Spare That.

In his early days Mr. Tim Healy, M. P., was a clerk. First a railway clerk tion." Mr. Parnell gave him his chance by taking him as private secretionalist party, and has had a seat in parliament since 1880. Mr. Healy married a daughter of Mr. T. D. Sullivan, the poet of the Irish parliamentary party. It is a tale that is told that when leaving his father-in-law's house for the honeymoon he absent-mindedly picked up Mr. Sullivan's umbrella. "No, no, Tim," shouted T. D., "don't only one umbrella!"-London Tit-Bits

A Sufficient Hint. Sir Ernest Cassel, the London merchant prince, who gave \$1,000,000 toward the campaign against consump tion, has a dry humor, but only occasionally gives rein to it in business hours. At one period of the time when was annoyed several times by a boy who wanted a place in his office. "Did you see that boy, who was just inhere?" asked Sir Ernest of his office boy one day ufter the persistent appli-"I saw him," said the boy. "What



DESPONDENCY AND HOPE

DESPONDENCY. Depressed, sad, weary! Tired of this aching strife! When will the clouds scatter, or when will this life cease?

Tired, oh, so tired, of all that we here call Oh for a bed in Mother Earth to rest in peace!

HOPE. But why strike a note so mournful when the world has its share of woe?

Let us sing a song of gladness to cheer others in the strife; For the song we sing, the look we bear, as we journey to and fro. May help or hurt a brother in the fight

for eternal life. Let's live in the eternal sunshine; let's rest in the Father's love, Let us lend a helping hand to those who falter by the way;

And we'll see the silvery lining in the clouds that hang above, And the joy we'd bring to other hearts will come to ours each day.
-Rev. Edwin H. Burgess, in N. Y. Ob-

THE TEST OF ENDURANCE.

Character's Severest Test Is Bearing Without Faltering the Common Ills of Our Daily Life.

with its coaches full of drowsy passen- into it. Up to that vivid, memorable gers, stops for a few moments at a hour, he had made it his chief busiwayside station, the dim outline of ness to inflict suffering on others make some strong, faithful machinist may be seen going from coach to coach, took as his proud badge that despised striking each wheel in turn a ringing word which Calvary had made forever blow with his hammer. They little giorious, the word "endurance." think, who ride there, says the Sunday School Times, that, as each gong-"The doctor in Belleville put that like clang breaks on the silent air of to the severest test, see if it can bear peg-leg on my knee. Sometimes I the murky night, it tells the story of think if I try to use my leg, Antywine, endurance, for better or for worseit will grow stronger. But I have to endurance of the burden and the frichop yet when Sally takes my crutch tion and the heat and the mighty toil of the rails. Hundreds of lives depend upon a man's applying that test God Renews the Morning of Youth in too, she have bring that lameness on with patience and care to every wheel.

All thing's that we really value are things that have been tested. Every mitted to some far-reaching, crucible experience which has shown us where weary land," a refuge from the burden worth lies.

And the connection between the two between the worth and the testing -is closer than we often think. The turning of the earth on its axis and ing is the season of my implicit trust, the falling of its smallest apple are perfectly implicit because not yet not more intimate than are these days founded on experience. I trust Thee of soul proof and life testing in all at midday because I feel Thy help; I

CHARITABLE RICH, POOR M. D. the dear things that we love. All life seems to sum itself up in two deep and rich experiences, which are not two, but rather twofold-enhave borne, and what we have built;

There is nothing that men prize more highly than things tested and the author of "The Autobiography of proved. The builder wants timbers a Woman Doctor" in Everybody's Mag- that are toughest and hardest, which face. My God, give me back my wind and rough weather in the open youth; I can regain it in Thee. Let a few prices to show what with devoted much time to the poor, and of forest and field, the sun in summer one of their good offices was to bring or the heat of the kiln, have made into morning's glow; let my heart ba compactest in fiber and grain. The lit with Thine eternal youth. mason wants bricks that have felt the I was desperately poor myself, having hottest fire in the curing, and the stone that has known volcanic heat.

as easily of men as they can of things, but they do it as well as they can. And O Thou on whose bloom time breathes. ted themselves for presenting my time, since they cannot pass upon 'thought and quality at first hand, as they can upon stratum and fiber and mass and weight, they take what seems to them winter night by an Italian who could a fair equivalent, and judge of knowl- in the ocean of that love in which edge and worth as they register themselves in reputation or as they coin shadew of turning," that the pulses

Yet, in spite of all this, we can go our confusion and shame and loss, a high" shall rise within me. Then ing saved a life was made a trifle bit- rule that is human and faulty and crude shall creation break forth into gladat best. Do not let us make the mis- ness, as in the day when "the morn-1 who had donated my services waking take of supposing that God looks at ing stars sang together and all the vealing question that He will ask will see the glory of life when Thy mornbe, not so much what we have accom- ing is in my soul.-George Matheson. plished, but rather how much have we endured.

Not that we should despise the world's effort to fill its positions with men whose worth has issued in weilknown name and work. We know its shall receive the crown of life.—James value too well. We know that, de- 1, 12. spite the confusions of a deranged world, the good man is to be found back of the good name; that a great building points to an accomplished builder, a beautiful picture to a gifted artist. Achievement does express life and beauty and worth. But there is another life and deeper beauty and nobler worth that cannot be uttered. Do not let our interest in the arena of achievement crowd down our interest in God's greater arena of endurance. Says Paul Laurence Dunbar:

'Tis true enough that the laurel crown Twines but for the victor's brow, For many a hero has lain him down With naught but the cypress bough There are gallant men in the losing fight, And as gallant deeds are done As ever graced the captured height

Or the battle grandly won." We need, then, the warning of this For who is it that we most delight to honor? Is it not the daring explorer, the brilliant engineer, the mighty builder, the ingenious inventor, the gallant officer, the gifted singer, artist both of heart and intellect, I think we of litterateur-all of them victors in vis- should acknowledge more fully the ible btatles? Let us honor them. noble not to do so. But let us also have and holier spirit.-W. H. D. Adams. an eye on the men who walk obscurely in their rear, it may be in povercy and pala, who in reality may be as far ather marry her she has been worse if I ever see him again he will get it." above them as the heavens are above

the man whose soul is growing bea tiful and great before God-great to the highest sense of an, and made great by the greatness of endurance.

There is a level on which we may all meet without advantage, and strive as one, where no accident of race or time or mind or body favors the one or shuts out the other. That level is the arena of endurance.

The greatness of Moses, among other things, lay in his rejecting the opportunity of achievement, as men then rated it, and sharing with his own people their hard lot of servitude. The amous words: "He refused to be called the son of Pharsoh's daughter (and allthe fame and leadership that went along with it), choosing rather to share ii!treatment with the people of God," set the high glory of endurance vividly

over against the tinsel glitter of fame. When Paul turned about, the new life into which he was called embraced many things within its scope. For one thing, epistles were to be written of transforming and worldmoving power, and the center of civilization was to be shifted from Asia to Europe, and all this the achievement of one God-filled and Gog-guided man. But the highest honor that was set before him that day was the glory of endurance-"I will show him how many things he must suffer for way

name's sake." Endurance was the very soul of his message to the Corinthian Christians, for that is the meaning of those greatwords of his: "Far be it from me to klory, save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ." And it is this divining word that divides, as no other can, his When the night-bound railway train, life from his life after he took Christ others endure; but from thenceforth he

It was a deep saying of Horace Bushnell that, "if you would put character without faltering the common ills and hindrances of our daily life,"

LIFE FOREVER YOUNG.

the Heart of Age-Lesson of Implicit Trust.

It is in the morning of life, O Lord, that I see Thy glory; in the midday I see Thy helpfulness. Thou art then to me "the shadow of a great rock in a and the heat. In the evening I see Thy faithfulness; I behold the retrospect of all that Thou hast done and, lo, it is all very good. But the morntrust Thee at even because I trace Thy plan; but I trust Thee at morning without any reason save the morning's glow in my heart. I trust Thee as the durance and achievement; what we lark trusts the morning air into which what we have suffered, and what we I trust Thee by an instinct of my it soars and through which it sings. being. I trust Thee without experience before trial, irrespective of argument, in defiance of difficulty; there is no vision but the brightness of Thy the shadows of my life be rekindled

Thou hast promised us eternal life -and what is that? Not merely life forever, but life forever young. Men cannot, however, determine this Thine eternal life can make me a child again, a child without childishness, not, who art "the same yesterday and to-day and forever," bathe me in those fountains of the morning whence Thou hast the dew of Thy youth. Bathe me there is "no variableness nor the least of this heart may be renewed. Then shall I have "the bright and morning terribly astray, and follow too far, to star" and "the dayspring from on . achievements as we do. The all-re- sons of God shouted for joy;" I shall

RELIGIOUS TRUTHS.

Blessed is the man that endureth temptation, for when he is tried he

If you wish to appear agreeable in society, you must consent to be taught many things which you already know. -Tallyrand.

Think of good that you may avoid thinking of evil. The mind of man cannot for one moment remain in a state of inactivity.-St. Ephraim.

Life is the only real counselor. Wisdom unfiltered through personal experience does not become a part of the moral tissues .- Edith Wharton.

Jesus found so many aimless lives! They were not motionless. No human life is that. But there was no meaning in their motion. This aimlessness is wretchedness. Hence the invigorating joy of the command: "Go work to-day in My vineyard."-George A. Gordon.

If we always bore in mind this soemn truth, that life is but the vestibule of the everlasting temple, the first stage of a progress that shall know no limit, the novitlate or apprenticeship high importance of the trust, and en-They have endured. It would be ig- deavor to fulfill its duties in a purer

The Supreme Thing.

Love should be the supreme thing, beause it is going to last; because in the was no angle in the lines of her tall, thus to intercept Peggy's captor." But man a loup-garou. I not mind the fist The hint was sufficient, for the soaring eagle above nature of things it is eternal; ife .- Drum-

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GRAND JURY CALLED.

At last a grand jury has been called at the Soo to investigate the charges that have been made men." against certain of the city officials. It has been said that the Soo has been in the hands of a lot of grafters and this the jury will no doubt determine.

The calling of the jury is a very commendable thing on the part of Judge Steere and Prosecuting Attorney Cormick. If corruption exists it should be known and the offenders punished. If it does not exist then the result of the jury will silence the rumors that have been affoat for many months.

It goes without saying that Senator Alger is of capital. a very popular man at the Soo for he recently introduced a joint resolution in the senate providing for an appropriation of \$25,000 for the celebration of the semi-centennial of the Sault canal at Sault St. Marie July 12. Of this amount \$10, 000 is set aside for a monolith and memorial tables, which the secretary of commerce is authorized to have erected; a similar sum is for a historical and statistical volume relating to the canal and \$5,000 is added to defray the expenses of the commission of five senators and ten congressmen to represent congress at the celebration, which is to be held upon the public reserve adjoining the canal.

The following from the Houghton Mining Gazette is worthy of consideration now that the spring elections are approaching: "No good citizen will so far forget his duty to his commonwealth ing the first upper peninsula town to blossom out and to himself as to neglect his political oblication. The very foundation of our success as a re- city have joined and push Hearst's candidacy to public and the very foundation of the success of the front. It is reported that clubs will soon be our municipal government depends upon the in- formed in other cities in this vicinity. As yet Mr. terest and attention which every good citizen takes | Hearst's advance agents have not reached Escain his municipality and his state and his country." naba.

DEATH OF MISS PROVO.

Sickness.

Miss Birdie Provo died at the home

of her parents, 206 Wolcott street, last

Monday morning after a three days'

Illness from typhoid fever. Miss Pro-

vo's death has caused universal regret,

Killed By Falling Limb.

The funeral of Rodney St. Aubin, a

Flat Rock farmer, was held last Satur-

day from St. Anne's church. St. Au-

bin came to his death by being struck

by the falling limb of a large tree which

but twenty-two years of age.

the deceased was a member.

The New York Evening Post, under the capion."The Unthinkable Hearst," scores the "cheek and check-book" campaign of W. R. Hearst for Delay Has Been Dangerous in Esthe Democratic nomination for the presidency in a manner which must have made Willie's ears ring. It refers to the Congressional Record for January Do the right thing at the right time. 8, 1897, for details of a record which, it declares, would be hung like a millstone about Hearst's neck if he should ever come before the voters of the country. The Post winds up its reference to the Plenty of evidence to prove this, Hearst candidacy as follows: "An agitator we can endure; an honest radical we can respect; a fana- tired, says: "I grew so bad with backtic we can tolerate but a low voluptuary trying sche that I could not stoop to bring to sting his jaded senses to a fresh thrill by turn- any strain on the muscles of the loins ing from private to public corruption, is a new horror in American politics. To set the heel of lieve the trouble, but I could not even contempt upon it must be the impulse of all honest | check it until I took a thorough course

The supreme court has declared the Northern Securities Co. idegal, being in violation of the Sherman law and a trust in restraint of commerce. appeared and up to date there has been The decision settles the controversy as to the power of congress over inter-state commerce and the persons and corporations engaged in inter- into Mead's drug store and ask what state commerce. Thanks to the ability of Attor- his customers report ney Gen. Knox and the fearlessness of President Rosevelt the court of last resort has defined the authority of congress and made it possible for the people to protect themselves against combinations

The Menominee city council will soon consider the proposition of adopting some kind of a system to abate the tramp nuisance. It is proposed to have the tramps work out their fines on the streets. This plan would certainly bring about the desired result. Should Escanaba become likewise afflicted such a plan might be considered here.

The young-bandit idea has received a temporary setback in Chicago and incidentally a number of the criminal mysteries of the past few years have been cleared up by the supplementary confession of Marx. The verdict and the sentence were just-the car barn bandits are given more time than they gave any of their victims.

, The Soo enjoys the peculiar distinction of bewith a Hearst club. Leading democrats in that

BLOCKED DEAL.

with Price Schedule.

The efforts that have been made by the ore sellers to get together and fix prices on ore for the coming year have all flashed in the pan, the independent operators balking at the price which the Steel corporation and a couple of large consuming interests tried to have art held that a sufficient showadopted. The restriction of output to een made to warrant a reopen-14,000,000 tons was another feature e case and ordered a supplethat didn't take with the independants. Corrigan, McKinney & Co., are credited with being the main spoke in the opposition wheel and it was finally determined that nothing could be done. The opposition of the Corrigan-McKinney people was due principally to the fact that they felt that they could go it alone to better advantage than they

the output the lower will be their general fixed charges and with these con ditions present the concluded to sell all the ore that they can at a less price. This position on the part of the Corrigan-McKinney interests will probably mean a good deal to Crystal Falls as it means that there will be no restriction of output on the mines that are at work here.-Drill, Crystal Falls.

riages followed the remains from the church to the cemetary.

Died With a Green Back.

This was rather a peculiar case for the man had the Green Back in his pocket. That was not all he had either, for among other papers was found a rece pt for his premium on his policy in

The Forty-hour devotion services, which was held in St. Patrick's church last Tuesday, Wednesday and closing with solemn High mass at nine o'clock Thursday morning, was well attended. Among the priests from out of town who were in attendance were Rev. Fr. Clery, of Menominee; Fr. Barth. of Stephenson; Fr. Corcoran, of Schaffer; Fr. Buchholtz, of Munising; Fr. At-field, of Hancock; Fr. Glazer, of Spauld-ing, and Fr. Languer, of Negaunee.

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Walter J. Power, son of Hon. John Power of this city, has been elected to the office of mayor in Hibbing, Minn., where he is engaged in the practice of law. Mr. Power's many friends in this city extend congraculations.

First Publication Feb. 13, to March 19, 1901. STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for he County of Delta, in Chancery. Dora Mitchell, complainant, vs. Samuel Mit-

hell, defendant. Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Delta in Casacery, at the City of Escanaba in ald County, on the third day of February, A.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file, that the defendant, Samuel Mitchell, redien e annot be foan I an I that the sal I defen I sat has departed from his list known place of restience, and after deligent search and end dry his resilence cannot be ascertained and it cannot be ascertained in what state or country the deendant resiles.

On motion of C. D. McEwen, comphinant's solicitor, it is ordered that the sail defendant, amuel Mitchell, cause his appearance to be entered herein, within 5 mouths from the date of this order and in case of his appearance that he cause his answer to the complainant's bill of compliant to be file i, and a copy thereof to be served on sall complainant's soll ftor, within twenty days after service on him of a copy of sald bill and notice of this order; and that in default thereof, sail bill be taken as confessed by

And it is Further Ordered, That within twenty tays the sald complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in The Iron Port, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in sold County, and that such publication be con um 1 herein at lease once in each week for six wooks in succession, or that she cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said defendant at least twenty days before the time above presribed for his appearance.

J. W. STONE. Circuit Judge. C. D. MCEWEN, Solicitor for Complainant, Escanaba, Mich.

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crushed his skull. Foot Amputated.

amputated at the hospital Tuesday. prevent blood poisoning.

Honorably Discharged.

Willie Smith, the one legged cripple, who in conjunction with Frank Smith the half breed barber, was arrested on a charge of larceny from the person of one Frank Barbeau, had his preliminary examination before Judge Glaser on Thursday and was honorably dis-

Frank Smith has himself comfessed that he stole \$100 from the man. Willie ance Company, which he had just paid. Smith had the misfortune of being in When the matter was called to the atbad company and because of the bar-

The complaining witness, Barbeau, got somewhat mixed in his testimony and seemed to have but a slight recollection of what happened the day he lost his money. The robbery took place in Bergeon's saloon on the 7th of March. Bordeau claims to have lost \$255 alto-

Judge Glaser in dismissing the case Judge Glaser in dismissing the case against Willie Smith gave him a lecture in regard to keeping bad company and hanging around saloons and intimated that he should find employment and keep away from evil associations. He also gave the complainant a severe represented for going into a saloon and drinking and displaying a large sum of

Frank Smith, the actual perputrator of the crime, has waived his preliminary examination and is now in jail awaiting the disposition of his case in the circuit court on April 18th.

NOT THIS YEAR.

Occurred Monday After Three Days | Escanaba Will Not Get a Government | Corrigan-McKinney Would Not Aggee

The bill which was recently presented to Congress providing for government buildings in Escanaba and other cities met with defeat. The subject of a public building which would accomfor she had a host of friends and was a modate the postoffice, weather bureau very popular young lady. She was and other government offices has been agitated for some time past in this The funeral services were held from city and was placed before the Legisthe home on Wednesday and were conlature by Congressman H. O. Young. ducted by Rev. Jas. M. Kerridge of The matter will probably not be dropped and an effort will be made to obtain the Methodist church of which church

the building next year.

Funeral of Paul Hohlfeldt. The funeral of Paul Hohlfeldt, whose sudden death occurred on Friday of last week, took place Monday morning in Stevenson mine are such that the greater output the less the charges. With their Crystal Falls mines the greater the content of the consuming interests. The funeral of Paul Hohlfeldt, whose packed by the many friends of the deceased and numerous floral offerings tes ified to the esteem in which he was Thos. Fair, aged 70, had his foot held. The tuneral ceremonies were very impressive, eight priests in addi-Mr. Fair severely wrenched his foot tion to those of this city were in atseveral months ago and as it failed to tendance. Mass was said for the dead improve amputation was necessary to by Rev. F. Henry Buchholtz, and Father Barth of Stephenson delivered the funeral address. A long line of car riages followed the remains from the

rece pt for his premium on his policy in the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurbad company and because of the bar-tention of the managers, C. W. Pickell ber's having given him the sum of \$15 & Bro., in the Chamber of Commerce, he was suspected of implicity in the Detroit, Mich., they stated that allarceny. a short time, a postmortem dividend would be paid with the face of the policy. This is what strikes us as

Election Inspectors.

The city council has secured the fol-lowing men to act as election inspectors on election day: Louis Rose, first ward;

showing last summer, met last evening to plan the summer campaign. Tom Cass will manage the team again and with their past experience and with practically the same team this summer they should play very fast ball.

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

BIG BUNCH OF PERSONAL AND GENERAL NEWS NOTES, GATHFRED BY THE IRON PORT'S CO-RESPONDENTS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY. .

BRAMPTON.

John Dwyer is slek with la grippe. Mrs. Joseph Richards returned here Thursday. home from Gladstone Saturday where she has been visiting.

Miss Estella Dabn returned home Saturday from Escanaba where she attended teachers' examination.

W. E. Deverell departed Sunday night for Willmar Minnesota where he will locate. His family will fol-

J. G. Gingrass of Rapid River was "the guest of W. M. Conger on Wednesday, he came overland on his snow shoes.

Mrs. Frank Richard and daughter, Miss Virginia, went to Vulcan, Mich , last Friday for a few days' visit with nesday. relatives and friends.

postmaster bere and will depart for attend ber. the west in a few days.

bridge over Days river on the Sibole, Tuesday for his home in Tuscon Ariz. Woodruff and Narracong road west where he was called by the serious of here nearly completed and when illness of his father. completed it will be a great help to that part of the township.

A. J. Voelker, the new station agent here, spent Sunday at his home in Norway, Mich. Daniel Perry, the agent at Winde station, attended to the business of the C. & N. W. in the adsence of Mr. Voelker.

ISABELLA.

Louis Coolaw sold his farm to Mr. Paine.

Mr. A. Abraham made a business trip to Escanaba.

The young people are talking of of having an Easter Ball.

Miss Agusta Nepper has been confined to the house with a bad cold.

C. C. Besett returned to his home after a three months visit at Wauke | Monday with their new horse. gan Ill.

camp this week.

Our school was closed two days last week ou account of our teacher attending the teackers' examination. |

Van Winkle's camps, left for Idaho and British Columbia the first of the

moved to the desired location. The Mr. Frank Hartman, foreman of trail left by the moving operations resembled that of a small cyclone, telephond poles and windows were oroken and other damage done.

THREE NEW WELLS

Will Be Put in Operation in Rapid River Oil Fields.

state treasurer's office who is interested in the oil company at Rapid River, inflamed you have a rumbling sound or stated in Marinette last week that three imperfect hearing, and when it is ennew oil wells will be sunk there this tirely closed Deafness is the result, and spring. The Standard Oil company is said to have leased 60,000 acres of land and this tube restored to its normal in that vicinity. In the one well where oil was found there is a good flow and forever; nine cases out of ten are it is expected to yield a profitable caused by catarrh, which is nothing but revenue. Oil was struck first at 700 an inflamed condition of the mucous feet and later a larger flow at 1,200 surfaces.

Chas. Peterson is confined to his home by iliness this week.

Homeseekers' Excursions to the Northwest, West and Southwest, and Colonist Low Rates West,

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets at greatly reduced rates are on sale to the territory indicated above. Standard and Tourist Sleeping Cars, Free Reclining Chair Cars and "The Best of Everything." For dates of sale and full particulars apply to Agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

For Piles. Sample mailed free. One application gives relief.

The conjuged use of Humphreys' Wich Hazel Oil per-manently gres Piles or Hem-orrhoids—Eternal or Internal, Blind Cr Beding, Itching or Burning, Figures and Fistulas.
Relief immedite—cure certain. Three Sizes, 250... c. aud 81.00. Sold by Druggists, or F it prid on receipt of price. Humphreys' Medicinso., Cor. William and John Sts., New York.

MERCANOUS DESTRUCTION

tion from overwik and other causes. Humphys' Homeopathic Specific N 28, in use over 40 years, the hy successful remedy. \$1 petal, or special package for series cases, \$3.

Book by Draggista, or send prophy receiptor prices. Humphys' Mid. Co. Villagada Sta, R. Y.

Electricians

WELLS.

Martin Hayes of Northland was in Wells on Tuesday.

Gus Ulvald and family drove to North-Western Line. to Ford River on Tuesday.

Mrs. H.H Phelps returned Tuesfrom a visit with friends in Menom-

Miss Delma Lytle who has been visiting Mrs. Ernest Stoffs has returned to her home in North Star

F. W. Barnes, agent for the E. & L. S. road at Wells has resigned his position and left for Chicago on Wed-

Mrs. F.E. Farley is very sick at W. E. Deverell has tendered to present. Her sister Mrs. A.C. Stuart the government his resignation as of Menominee arrived Wednesday to

O. A. Kates who is employed by the W. H. Wellsteed has the new I Stephenson Co. at Cornell left on

RAPID RIVER.

Mrs. George Fenaldson is on the

Mr. J. Jacobson bas moved to Masonville, Mich.

Mr. Culnan and son William are home from the woods.

Cora Carmody spent Saturday last at St. Jacques visiting relatives.

Mrs. H. Boyer can bardly handle

all the sewing she has in for Easter. Lelage and Roy Dausey are back in school again, having been in the

woods all winter. Mr. and Mrs. Schiska, and daught-

er Mary, drove over to Gladstone

Miss Alice Ambrust left last Sun-Mrs. John Wester and Mrs. Wm. day for Hibbling, Minn., where she Nuquist made a trip to I. Boniface's will remain for an indefinite length of time with Mrs. Robert Murray:

> Six teams were hitched to A. Caswell's Garth cottage and the building

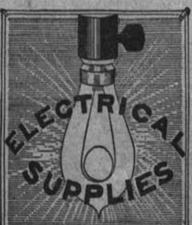
Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure Deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed con-W. E. Duke of Milwaukee, of the dition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets unless the inflamation can be taken out condition, hearing will be destroyed

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.



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Will be in effect from all points on the Chicago & North-western Rallway for the occasions named below:

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San Francisco, May 3d to 8th, Retail Grocers' National Association. Atlantic City, N. J., July 13-15, Nobles

of the Mystic Shrine. San Francisco, Sept. 5th to 9th, Trien-

nial Conclave Knights Templar. A.C. Wells of Menominee visited San Francisco, Sept. 19th to 25th, Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. For information as to rates, dates of sale, etc., of these or other occasions, call upon the Ticket Agent of the



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Until Wednesday, March 23, 1904, at 9 O'clock a. m.

\$40,000 Worth of Clothing. Hats and Furnishing Goods to be sold at 33 per cent. Less Than Manufacturers' Cost.

L. A. ERICKSON. ESCANABA'S GREATEST CLOTHIER AND FURNISHER

1109 Ludington Street, Escanaba, Mich.

Entire Stock placed in the hands of THE CHICAGO SALVAGE CO,, of Chicago, and will be sold by them in ten days at L. A. ERICKSON'S CLOTHING STORE, 1109 Ludington St., Escanaba, Mich. The entire stock is now being re-marked and rearranged. The building is now closed, and will remain closed until

Wednesday, March 23, at 9 a. m.

when the entire stock will be placed on sale for positively ten days only at 1109 LUDINGTON STREET.

L. A. ERICKSON'S CLOTHING STORE. 1109 Ludington Street, ESCANABA, MICH.

The entire stock of L. A. Erickson's Clothing store has been placed in the hands of the Chicago Salvage Co., the world's bargain givers, to be sold by them in ten days at the L. A. Erickson Overcoats of Imported Carr's XXX Melton and Standard Ker-Store Stand, Escanaba, Mich. The stock consists of \$40,000.00 worth of High Grade Clothing, Furnishing Goods and Hats, and will be sold at 33 per cent. less than the actual cost to manufacture in ten days.

A Stupendous Undertaking

to sell this entire stock in ten days, but the prices we have placed on this high grade stock of merchandise will move them out rapidly. The Chicago Salvage Co. is the largest institution of its kind in the world, operating forty-eight separate stores, and large warehouses and auction sales rooms in Chicago. Below we quote a few prices to show what extraordinary bargains will be offered.

The World's Greatest Clothing Sale

L. A. ERICKSON'S STAND, ESCANABA, MICH. WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23, '04 AT 9 O'CLOCK A. M.

The opening will be a gala day. Bring the children—there will be music all day. It will pay you to come 100 miles to visit this sale. Never again will you have such a golden opportunity to dress in such rich raiment at such trifling cost.

The Sensation of the Day. The Wonder of the Hour.

Here will be the most mighty avalanche of majestic bargains in Men's and Young Men's High Style Ultr: Fashionable Fall and Winter Suits and Overcoats ever brought together by any firm in Delta county, equaling in quality and variety the combined stocks of all retail clothing houses in Escanaba. We hereby guarantee to sell precisely as we advertise, and every price we quote below is strictly bona fide and every quotation absolutely correct. It may be hard to believe that a big concern would sacrifice such an immense stock to be sold at 33 per cent less than their actual cost to manufacture, but it is the Gospel truth, and we merely ask you to come and test our statements. This tremendous sale positively begins

Wednesday, March 23 at 9 a. m.

At L. A. Erickson's Stand, 1709 Ludington Street, and Closes in Ten Days.

As this sale will last only ten days, everything will go rapidly. This is the first sale of this kind that has ever occured in Escanaba, and it may never occur again, and in order to prove to you what tremendous sacrifices must be made we mention a few of the extraordinary bargains that will be offered. And bear in mind that there are 1,000 different articles we cannot mention here. We advise you to save this and bring it with you so that there is no mistake, that you get exactly the goods mentioned in this document. Remember no post-ponement; this great retiring from business sale will close in ten days. Just think of the following proposition, and remember that all goods herein priced can be brought back at any time during this sale.

Men's Fine Overcoats in English Ulster Cloths, also kerseys, meltons

This coat is positively worth \$15.00 or money back.

Men's Overcoats in English covert cloths, vicunas and Irish frieze

Mark the Date

and

Mark it Well,

Wednesday

March 23, 1904.

Worth \$18 and the peer of any coat offered in Escanaba for \$20 or your

Men's Fine Suits and Overcoats

This enables you to pick and choose a suit, overcoat or ulster from fully 20 distinct lots, \$18, \$20 and \$22 qualities. This suit comes in those soft, fluffy vicunas and chevoits, so soft and pleasant to the touch, also in fancy worsted and wire twist tweeds, silk finish trimmings. The overcoats show up in those bandsome pilot heavers, so popular with young men. handsome pilot beavers, so popular with young men.

seys.—Positively and actually worth \$20 in any \$7.98 wholesale house in the U.S.

Another high-grade coat is that swell Newmarket effect, slash pockets, 45 inches long, in five different shades, sole silk and some satin lined—Equal to custom made and worth some satin lined—Equal to custom made and worth

At \$8.98 each you are free to choose a Suit or Overcoat worth \$22.50 to \$25 and 20 lots of as finely mide and as elegantly finished Suits and Overcoats as the most fastidious dresser could desire; fine home and foreign suitings and overcoating of style and tone, and a great variety of effects, tailored, into garments of faultless fashion—Kersey, Melton Whipcord overcoats; black, blue, brown, tan and drab, diagoaal, chevoits, vicuna, home spun, tweed and cassimere suits, single and double breasted... \$8.98

Overcoats at \$12.98 and \$14.85 represent the world's celebrated looms and the world's most skilled tailors. They equal and are guaranteed to excel any \$40 tailor made to order garment in the world, or we cheerfully refund your

ing this sale.

Men's Fine Suits in Cheviots and Scotch Plaids\$4.98 Worth \$13.50 or your Money refunded during this sale. Men's splendid Suits in velour finished cassimere, all sizes...............5.85

This Suit is worth \$15 or your money back. This suit positively is worth 16.50 Men,s Extra Fine Dress Suits in all the latest styles and shades, heavy silk and satin lined, equal to the finest \$40 tailor made to order suit; (don't fail to see this suit)12.48

Men's Finer Dress Pants (worth 3.50 or your money refunded) at......98c Positively worth 5.00, 6.00 and \$7.00 or money refunded 1000 pairs Boys' Knee Pants, worth \$1.00 at......9c

Thirty distinct effects in Boys' Ultra Fashionable Knee Pants, Suits in all the swellest of novelty and and staple styles, reefer jackets, overcoats Boss' Suits and Overcoats, worth \$3, at..... 1000 pairs of Boy's Knee Pants, worth \$1.50, at.....

Men's Best Quality, re-inforced, unlaundered Shirts, worth \$1, at..... Good Heavy Work Shirts, worth \$1, at....

150 dozen Shirts, celebrated brands, negligee and stiff bosom, worth from \$1.50 to \$2.50, all go at....

Men's Hats, the latest Dunlap and Knox shapes, worth \$3.50 and none less than \$1.50, at..... A few hundred Boys' Hats and Caps, worth \$1, at.....

Men's Handkerchiefs, worth 35c, at..... Odd Coats, Odd Vests and Mackintoshes at your own price. 1000 pairs Overalls, worth 75c, at

1000 other articles too numerous to mention, among them many for the ladies.

Let Nothing

keep you away.

The hour is set

the date you

know.

SALE POSITIVELY BEGINS

Wednesday March 23 at 9 a.m.

CHICAGO SALVAGE CO., Geo. W. Mc Gill, Manager. L. A. Erickson's Stand. Escanaba, Mich-

We hereby agree to refund the money on all goods priced above if not satisfactory to the purchaser.

N. B. — Railroad fare paid to purchasers of \$20 or more within a radius of 20 miles. Excursion rates on all roads.

Before you enter see the name, Chicago Salvage Co.

SAMPLE Shoe Sale

1100-1102 Ludington St. City Clock Building, Escanaba, Mich.

Wednesday, March 24.

Thursday.

March 17.

until

We have recently purchased the entire Sample line of Shoes from one of the foremost eastern Shoe Manufacturing firms at about 60 cents on the dollar of their regular wholesale price. We now place the entire line on sale at 60 cents on the dollar of their regular retail price. This lot comprises only several pairs of all kinds of Men's, Ladies', Boy's Misses and Children's Shoes, of course there are not all sizes of every kind but if you find your size you have a chance to buy a pair of \$2 shoes for \$1.20, a pair of 2.50 shoes for 1.45, a pair of 3.00 shoes for 1.85 or a pair of 3.50 shoes for 2.20. Many pairs of Boy's and Girl's shoes worth 1,50 to 1.75 for 95 cents per pair.

To complete the assortment of sizes we have also selected several hundred pairs of shoes from our regular stock and placed them on sale with the sample line at the equally low prices, thus offering two combined stocks of shoes comprising Men's, Women's, Boys' and Girls', and Children's footwear, suitable for all kinds of wear at the lowest prices this or any other store ever offered, and right in the heart of the season, when you must buy your spring footwear you have a chance to save 40 cents on every dollar, a saving certainly worth taking advantage of. Don't you think so?

With every pair of Men's Shoes at \$3.50 or up, acomplete shoe polishing outfit, contains one bottle shoe cleauer, one box shoe polish, one felt dauber and one felt polisher.

4.00 mens shoes.

One lot of men's shoes made of Box Calf, Velour Calf, Vici kid and Patent enamel for per pr......2.40

Finest Vici kid or Havana calf celebrated Florsheim 4.65 make per pair...........4.65

soles, best work shoe 1.50 worth up to \$1.50 27c

Men's genuine Kangaroo calf extra heavy stock, double One assorted lot of rubbers

Men's carpet slippers 29c

\$2.50 men's shoes

One lot men's shoes Colt skin, Kangaroo calf, Vici kid, straight and swing lasts pr. pair

Men's genuine satin calf dress shoes plain or tipped toe new last, worth \$2.001 00

or Milwaukee oil grain working shoes, single or 1 17 double sole pr. pair.....

Free

With every pair Queen Quality Ladies' Shoes a very useful Souvenir from our second floor Souvenir Department.

\$2.50 ladies shoes

Genuine Dongolas upper flexible sole, patent or stock tip

Ladies' Dongola shoes, all solid stock, heavy or 1.20 light soles pr. pair.....1.20

A large lot of bargain shoesand slippers on our bargain counter.

Men's genuine Kangaroo calf | Sole right of sale for Queen Quality, the famous shoe for women always.....



\$2.00 ladies' shoes

Genuine Kangaroo Calf shoes intended for heavy wear a very solid shoe per pair

Ladies' carpet slippers 25c

sizes 2 to 5½ per

pair.....

With every pair of Ladies' Shoes at \$2.50 and \$2.85 a 25c bottle of Whittemore's GILT EDGE SHOE POLISH,

ree

with every pair of Men's or Ladies 2.00 shoes, choice of a bottle EAS\BRIGHT liquid polish or a box EASYBRIGHT paste polish.

Boys' Shoes 1.25 Youths' Shoes \$1 Boys' Shoes 1.00 One lot boys' satin calf shoes,

One lot boys' shoes, sizes 10 to 13, genuine Box Calf pr. pair.....

Leather, Box Calf-uppers, worth \$2.50, per

One lot of boys' shoes, Patent One lot boys shoes extra fine

sizes 6 to 10% pr. pair 98c Child's rubber boots

Youth's rubber boots, sizes Boys' extra heavy rubber 11 to 2, per

boots sizes 3 to 6 pr. pair..... LOT ONE--

Misses genuine Dongola shoes, Misses genuine Box Calf shoes, One assorted lot of Misses Patent tip, sizes 105 sizes 12% to 2, a splendid shoes, different kinds worth

shoe for school wear, pr. pair.....

up to 1.50, per \

High Grade shoes, worth up to \$2.25 pr.

Free-

with every pair of Men's 2.50 and 3,00 shoes a 25 cent bottle of WHITTEMORE'S combination liquid and paste shoe polish.

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DRIVERS.

Genuine KangarooCalfdriver 10 inch top long double sole, per

Genuine Kang. Calf driv-er 16 inch top long double sole, per

Wright's hand made cruisers and drivers. Wright Wrongs No Man.



CRUISERS.

Genuine Milwaukee oil grain cruisers 12 inch top single sole, per

Genuine kangaroo calf cruiser 12 inch oil grain top. single sole, per 3.25

Wright's hand made cruisers and drivers. Wright Wrongs no Man.

Free-

less Slate with wood slate pencil.

Children's Shoes.

Children's Dongola Shoes. patent tip, wedge heel sizes: 3 to 5½ per pair.....47

Children' moccasins

One lot Childrens' soft sole shoes, all colors per pair.....



Children's Storm Rubbers sizes 6 to 10% per

One assorted lot of childrens' shoes of all kinds

One Assorted Lot of Chil ren's Shoes, Red and blag sizes 3 to 5%, per

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Many Minor Municipal Matters Gathered From Various Sources.

ESCANABA AND VICINITY

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

Miss Bessie Hutt is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

Miss Mary Coffey is visiting friends

in Chicago this week. Judd Lowrey of Menominee was it the city Thursday on business.

Born to Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Lemire, Wednesday morning, a baby girl.

Dwelling houses are scarce in this city—a sure evidence of prosperity. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scop are the happy parents of a baby girl, born last

Albert Hass of Menominee arrived in Wells this week. He will be employed in bridge work.

Miss Melvina Terrian of Schaffer and George Deloughary of Harris visited with friends here Sunday.

Mrs, M. J. Ryan has returned from Manitowoc where she attended the fu neral of her brother, Chas. Kelly.

A large number of children's books have been ordered for the library. The demand for this class of books has always exceeded the supply.

Mrs. Wm. Connors of Marinette spent Sunday and Monday in this city the guest of her daughters, Mrs. E. O'Leary and Mrs. F. Genessee.

J. S. Doherty, who has been very ill at the Delta County hospital for the past three weeks, has recovered sufficiently to be taken to his home.

Marriage licences have recently been issued to Chas. Memi and Anna Koukkar of Gladstone, and Maurice Phinney and Clara M. Schields of Escanaba

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neinauber mourn the loss of their ten-months-old daugh-The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church Sunday afternoon.

C. Jack Ward, who has been conductfon Bros. Co.'s department store re- evening. turned to his home in Chicago on Wed-

Miss Doris Silverman, of the Fair Savings Bank Department store returned this week from New York where she selected a large stock of spring Steam Laundry.

Born, March 12th to Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Loftus at Evderlin, N. D., a daugh- in Sault Ste. Marie yesterday. Congratulations are extended from their many friends in this city and Gladstone.

The new Swedish traveling library recently installed at the Public library is being well patronized. It is quite likely that German and French libraries will also be procured.

Arthur S. Holmes, until recently manager of the Hadden Rodee Co.'s office in this city, is reported very sick from typhoid fever at Jackson. No hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Miss Lilliam Geyer of Chicago has accepted a position with the millinery department of the Fair Savings Bank Dept. store. She was formerly floor died Wednesday evening. The child

J. C. Dionne, city editor of the Daily Mirror has severed his connection with that paper to take a place on the staff about twenty-one persons, seventeen of the Marinette Eagle Star. During girls and but four boys. This is one of his stay in this city Mr. Dionne has the largest classes that have ever grad-made many friends. Mr. John E. Nor- uated from our high school. ton of Milwaukee is his successor.

H. Geelmuydon, the new trimmer at the Fair Savings Bank Dept. store, has turned out a very attractive Easter window. The window displays of Es-canaba merchants do justice to a much larger city. No better talent in window trimming is to be had anywhere than here in this city.

If your blood is thin and impure, you are miserable all the time. It is pure, rich blood that invigorates, strengthens, refreshes. You certainly know

the medicine that brings good health to the home, the only medicine tested and tried for 60 years. Adoctor's medicine.

The walking sick, what a crowd of them there are: Persons who are thin and weak but not sick enough to go to bed.

"Chronic cases" that's what the doctors call them, which in common English means-long sickness.

. To stop the continued loss of flesh they need Scott's Emulsion. For the feeling of weakness they need Scott's Emulsion.

It makes new flesh and gives new life to the weak system.

Scott's Emulsion gets thin and weak persons out of the rut. It makes new, rich blood, strengthens the nerves and gives appetite for ordinary food.

Scott's Emulsion can be taken as long as sickness lasts and do good all the

There's new strength and flesh in every dose.



We will be glad to send you a few doses free.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists,

409 Pearl St., N. Y. 50c. and \$1, all druggists.

Louis Johnson returned Saturday from trip to Denmark. E. A. Tiffany made a business trip to

Iron Mountain this week. T.E. Powell of the Chicago Newspaper

Union, was in town Thursday. The two-months-old child of Ira Nel-

Mrs. E. J. Ellenwood, who has typho'd fever, was taken to the County hospi-

The Journal has moved into the building formerly occupied by the Model

Attorneys John Cummiskey and C. D. McEwen transacted legal business

David Kratze, formerly a Gladstone merchant, has embarked in business in Milwaukee. He is manager of the National Tanning and Fur Co.

Owing to the illness of Prof. Jolliffe track work and spring athletics in the High school have as yet taken no start. Another week or so ought to see them

The Royal Club is the name of a new social club formed by a number of Escanaba ladies. The first meeting was held at the home of Mrs. W. S. Lord. 400 Charlotte street.

The infant child of August Chartaund, overseer of the Delta County poor farm, walker in the millinery department at was born Wednesday morning and Marshall Field's retail store in Chicago. lived but a few hours.

The graduating class of 1904 of the Escanaba High school will number

Young Man Injured.

Geo. Delon, a young man employed at the I. Stephenson Co.'s mill at Wells, suffered a severe accident last Saturday night. As he was passing the ed-ger a piece of plank flew out and a truck him in the leg inflicting a deep cut and making a hole clear through his leg. He is now at his home at 523 S. uth

Notice of Registration.

City Clerk's office, March 16th, 1904. Notice is hereby given that the Board of Registration of the City of Escanaba, Mich., will be in session on Saturday, the 2nd day of April, 1904, at the following places, to wit:
1st ward, City's building on Dousman

2nd ward, Carnagie Public Library building on Campbell street. 3rd ward, City Hall building on Mary

4th ward, City's building on Campbell 5th ward, City's building on North

6th ward, City's building on South Sarah street. 7th ward, City's building on Stephen-

For the purpose of correcting and completing the lists of the qualified voters of the city. The several Boards will be in session from eight o'clock in the forenoon until eight o'clock in the fternoon of the said day.

if you have not already done so, and see for yourselves that we carry the largest and most complete stock of Groceries in the city. There are few articles which we do not carry and we make it our business to keep everything for which there is any demand. We invite you to call and submit your wishes, or if not convenient to call, advise us by 'phone and your order will receive prompt attention.

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PORT ARTHUR IS SHELLED AGAIN

Bombarded by Japanese Squadron of Fourteen Ships-Result Unknown-Japs Cross the Yalu River.

has received the following message from flank and perhaps in the rear and on Viceroy Alexieff, dated Mukden, March their line of communication. It is be-10: "The commandant of the fortress lieved that Tuesday's attack upon Port | the town, but no damage resulted, as at Port Arthur reports that about one Arthur and Talien-Wan was adversion, most of the 200 lyddite shells failed to o'clock this morning the outlines of ves- perhaps to cover the expeditious land sels, apparently torpedo boats, were seen movement of the Japanese forces, who at sea, within the area swept by our were propably landed from transports searchlights. Our batteries opened fire at some point west of the Yalu river. upon these vessels. Our torpedo boats put out to sea at 2:40 a. m., and at about four o'clock met the enemy west of the Liao Tishin lighthouse. After firing several shots the enemy retired to the south in the direction of Shandun. Our torpedo boats returned to the harbor at six from the mouth of the Yalu river, is reo'clock. Later torpedo boats were again sent to sea to reconnoiter. They returned in half an hour, having learned Telegraph, the Japanese advanced from that an enemy's squadron was approaching. At eight o'clock the Japanese opened fire upon our cruisers and the fortress. The enemy had 14 ships, and fired the entire time from behind Liao Newchwang. The Russians, with 35,000 Tishin."

Thursday morning the Japanese squadron opened fire on the Russian fleet and forts. He does not say when the attack ceased. He neither admits nor denies damage to the Russian ships. His message leaves the impression that at eight o'clock the Japanese attack ing to prevent the Japanese from selzing was still in progress.

Port Arthur Prepares for Siege.

the Russians are withdrawing all superfluous troops from Port Arthur to plains of Italy, having descended from Russians, but cost the enemy 200,000 Harbin and Kirin, owing to the short- the Alps as from the clouds. Its effect roubles (\$100,000) in ammunition. Most ness of provisions at Port Arthur. It throughout the east will be stupendous. is stated that explosives are being The other newspapers prefer to wait for shells. placed in houses at Dalny in preparation for the Japanese occupation of this news. that town, which is regarded as inevitable in the near future.

Russians at Newchwang are prepared to block the river and scuttle the gunboat Sivoutch in the event of the Japanese advancing on the town. Probably in that event the Russians will withdraw, as It is doubted despite the 30,-000 troops there, whether they would be able to withstand a resolute attack.

Spirit of Russian Troops Broken. It is reported that starvation, cold and harsh treatment by their officers have broken the spirit of the Russian troops, who are largely recruits. Many who have arrived at Newchwang from the country around are dying of frost bite. The Russian losses from cold and sickness along the Yalu river are sald to be 2,000.

Japs Land 200,000 Men. London, March 11.-The Nagasaki correspondent of the Daily Express asserts that 200,000 troops have been shipped from Japan, and that a portion

of the second army corps is now on its way to Korea. Russians Retreat.

Tokio, March 11 .- Russian and Japanese mounted scouts met north of Ping-Yang Wednesday. After a brief engagement the Russians retreated. No casuallties are reported on either side.

Japs Cross the Yalu. Washington, March 10 .- The government here has received advices by cable from Chefoo, opposite Port Arthur, to the effect that Japanese land forces have appeared at Fung-Wang-Chang and at Tashan. No details are furnished. The first-named place is about 45 miles north of Antung, in Manchuria, and the latter is a few miles inland from the mouth of the Yalu river, according to the cal-culations of the naval officers here. They believe that this movement has

St. Petersburg, March 11 .- The czar placed the Japanese on the Russian

An Important Move.

London, March 10 .- The news from Washington of the appearance of Japanese forces at Fung-Wang-Chang, about 45 miles northwest of Antung, in Manchuria, and Tashan, a few miles inland garded as most important. According to the Tientsin correspondent of the Daily the Yalu river, captured Fung-Wang-Chang, and drove out the Russians in the vicinity to the Ta-Ku-Ling eastern pass, and are in force 70 miles east of men, are entrenched strongly at Liaorank and Hai-Chong, where lighting is Viceroy Alexieff does not give de- imminent. Some small engagements altails. He says that at eight o'clock ready have been fought, the Russians retiring with losses.

Will Have Stupendous Effect. The Daily Telegraph, commenting on

the reports, says that if the news of this strange and marvelous collapse of Russian power on land is true, there is noth-Mukden and the railroad. There has been nothing to compare with this move, p. m. and the enemy retired in the direc-Tientsin, March 11.-It is reported the paper continues, since Napoleon tion of Askold island. staggered Europe by appearing in the authoritative details before accepting

> Battle Reported. Bombarded Dainy and Port Arthur. Tokio, March 10 .- Japanese warships remained tranquil.

bombarded the forts at Talien-Wan (Port Dainy) on the night of March S and then attacked Port Arthur.

Target for Japanese Guns. Vladivostock, March 7 .- A fleet of five Japanese battleships and two cruisers appeared off this place at 1:25 o'clock Sunday afternoon and bombarded the town and shore batteries for 55 minutes. The fleet approached from the direction of Askold island, at the east entrance to Ussuri bay and about 32 miles southeast of Vladivostock. Entering Ussuri bay the enemy formed in line of battle, but did not approach to a closer range than a mile and one-third. They directed their fire against the shore batteries and

Russians Remain Silent.

The Russian batteries, commanded by Gens. Veronetz and Artamonoff, did not reply, awaiting a closer approach of the enemy. The Japanese fire ceased at 2; 20



Japanese Naval Hero, Commanding Fleet in Yellow Sea.

The attack resulted in no loss to the of the projectiles were six and 12-inch

The population of Vladivostock was warned of the presence on the horizon of the presence of a hostile fleet and the prospect of attack during the day, but it

COURSE OF THE JAPANESE FLEET IN ITS ATTACK ON VLAD-IVOSTOK-ON ASKOLD ISLAND MANY TROOPS ARE SAID TO HAVE LANDED.



Gen. Boynton Dead.

Augusta, Me., March 10 .- Gen. Henry Boynton, of Maine, an officer who won distinction in the civil war, died here be found is the body of John Street, one are shown to be broken by the health de-Wednesday of heart disease. He was 73 of the best known trappers of the north-partment report for the past week, years of age. Gen. Boynton took a prom-inent part in rescuing Kansas from bor-der ruffians and pro-slavery in 1856.

Dust Storm Damages Wheat.

myed that wheat will be hadly damaged. Lown a Cistance of 3,000 feet.

Buried Beneath Sliding Snow. Helena, Mont., March 8.-Buried under 50 feet of snow where it may never and general death records for a decade be found is the body of John Street, one are shown to be broken by the health dewest. Street and several companions which recorded 1,800 deaths, 460 of were at Mount Cleveland, south of the which were attributed to pneumonia. International boundary, when suddenly the snow beneath them began to slide. There was a frightful roar and an in-Abilene, Kan., March 10.-One of the stant later Street fell from the sight of Dixon, a negro who killed a policemen.

Death Record Broken,

New York, March 8 .- All pneumonia

Mob Avenges a Murder.

Springfield, O., March 8.-Richard worst dust storms in many years swept of crusted snow on which they had been night by a mob and shot to death in the day. The wind was terrific. It is bestanding had fallen, dropping straight jail yard. His body was hung to a tree STORM ON THE COAST.

San Francisco and Other Points Suffer Damage from Wind and Rain.

San Francisco, March 11.-A severe storm of wind and rain prevails over the Pacific coast. Telegraph wires everywhere are prostrated. The barometer here fell to 29.23, the lowest on record. The wind reached a velocity of 46 miles an hour. Some damage has been done in this city, and shipping in the harbor has been considerably injured. The United States schooner Ernest is ashore on Goat island. An abundance of rain in southern California is anticipated. The storm extended from San Diego

to Vancouver island, and it is feared that many marine disasters have occurred along the coast. A train of passenger cars at Alameda Mole, across the bay from this city, was blown from the track, so flerce was the gale there. The train consisted of an engine, baggage car and three passenger coaches. All were blown over on their sides. No one was inpjured. The steeple of St. Paul's church, one of the handsomest in this city, was snapped off and many buildings under construction were badly damaged. A seven-story brick building almost completed at the corner of Bush and Polk streets, was hopelessly wrecked. At the Cliff house on the beach near the entrance to San Francisco bay tremendous waves dashed against the rocky shore and sent masses of spray over the huge baths, a steel frame building 50 feet high. Numerous small craft on the bay were blown ashore and the damago to shipping on San Francisco bay will amount to many thousands of dollars. Reports from the interior show that the storm extended over practically the entire state. In the southern portion, where the season has been dry, the rain will greatly benefit crops of all kinds.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., March 11.-Estimates of the flood damage in the Wyoming region run from \$1,000,000 to \$2,-500,000, and in the towns between Pittsburg and Sunbury at \$6,500,000.

Houghton, Mich., March 11 .- A furlous wind and snowstorm raged here for nearly 24 hours, tieing up the steam and electric roads almost completely. At three a. m. Thursday a freight train left east-bound with three engines. The freight was stalled about six miles from town, blocking the incoming passenger trains. The morning passenger from Calumet, due at Houghton at nine o'clock, was in the snow banks at Swedetown, three miles out of Hancock, all day with two engines. She was released in the evening by the rotary, which has left to go to the relief of the blockaded trains east of here.

ASK LINCOLN'S AID.

President for Equal Rights on Pullman Cars.

Chicago, March 11.-Negroes are preparing an appeal to be delivered to Robert T. Lincoln, president of the Pullman the whites in sleeping cars throughout the south. They are likewise planning to ask managers of the dining car service on southern roads to allow similar rights. The special cause for this appeal is the approaching general conference of the African Methodist Episcopal church, to be held in Chicago in May. The rights are requested for negro delegates traveling from the south.

This action was decided on by a subcommittee meeting Thursday afternoon in Quinn chapel. At present in all states south of the Ohio river separate cars are provided for negro passengers, who are not permitted in the coaches where the whites ride. Neither are they allowed in the railway station restaurants. Large numbers of southern delegates are expected to attend, and the various railways had planned to provide special sleeping and dining cars for their accommodation. This will not be satisfac-

STILL IN FARMERS' HANDS.

Enormous Amount of Wheat, Corn and Oats Not Placed on Market.

Washington, March 11 .- The March report of the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture shows the amount of wheat remaining in farmers' hands on March 1 to have been about 132,600,000 bushels, or 20.8 per cent, of last year's crop, as compared with 24.5 per cent. of the crop of 1902 on hand March I, 1903, and 23.2 per cent, of the crop of 190% on hand on March 1, 1902.

The corn in farmers' hands is estimated at about 839,000,000 bushels, or 37.4 per cent. of last year's crop, against 41.6 per cent. of the crop of 1902 on hand on March 1, 1903, and 29.2 per cent. of the crop of 1901 on hand on March 1, 1902.

Of oats there are reported to be about 273,700,000 bushels, or 34.9 per cent. of last year's crop still in farmers' hands, as compared with 36.9 per cent. of the crop of 1902 on hand on March 1, 1903. and 30.6 per cent. of the crop of 1901 on hand on March 1, 1902.

Mother and Daughter Killed.

Steubenville, O., March 11 .- Mrs. J. C. Fleming and her daughter, Lottie, were instantly killed Thursday by a west-bound Panhandle passenger train at Hanlins station. They were crossing the tracks, to take an accommodation train, when they were run down by the express coming in the opposite direction.

No Hitch in Title.

Washington, March 11 .- Attorney General Knox informed members of the senate that there will be no hitch in perfecting the title of the United States to the Panama canal.

MOB APPLIES TORCH.

Whites Attack Negro Quarters in Springfield, O.—Buildings Burned -Troops Ordered Out.

Springfield, O., March 10.-On Sun-day Police Sergeant Collis was killed and Mamie Corbin wounded by Richard Dickerson (colored). Monday night Dickerson was lynched. Tuesday night "five colored joints" on the levee, in which desperadoes such as Dickerson reveled, were burned. Notwithstanding the presence of ten companies of troops and Gov, Herrick offering the mayor and sheriff the full military power of the state, open warnings were given Wednesday that the trouble would never cease until all the "colored joints" at which there had previously been so much trouble were "cleaned out."

Mayor Bowlus held a conference just before noon with city and county officials and prominent citizens at which it war decided to close all colored resorts. Threats had been made that "Honky Tonk hall," the Atlas hotel and the Elliott and the Montgomery saloons would be the next to be burned, and all of these places at noon were ordered closed and their owners and other leaders to leave the city at once. The colored proprietors readily assented. The colored people were Post.

"How's the new organist?" asked one of the parishioners.

"Oh, he flirts beautifully," replied the soprano of the church quartet.—Chicago seeking protection Wednesday. Even with all these places, where negro men and women congregated for drinking and all sorts of gambling, closed, there is still apprehension of further trou-

TO SETTLE WAGE QUESTION

Offer of Operators to Be Submitted to Vote of Miners-President Mitchell's Attitude.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 8 .- The United Mine Workers in national convention voted Monday to refer the final decision as to accepting the wage offer of the operators to the locals. The vote of the locals will be cast on March 15, and the result will be counted at the national headquarters in this city March 17.

The voting on the proposition will be done by the miners of Indiana, Illinois, Ohio, western Pennsylvania, Maryland, Michigan, western Kentucky, Iowa, central Pennsylvania and West Virginia. These are the districts whose scale expires April 1. President Mitchell in his circular to the miners referred to and authorized in the resolutions will strongly urge the acceptance of the proposition. It was rumored here Monday that if his advice is not taken he will tender his resignation as president of the organization. After adopting the report the miners' convention adjourned sine die.

CATTLE ARE SUFFERING.

Negroes to Appeal to Son of Martyred | Conditions Among Animals in South Dakota Reported as Most Deplorable.

Belle Fourche, S. D., March 10 .- Conditions among range cattle in this region are almost beyond belief. Not since 1886 company, asking for equal rights with has there been so much suffering, and if March continues with any severity, the percentage of loss will almost equal that of the memorable winter of 17 years ago. The greatest suffering has been caused by the lack of water. The animals spent hours at a time along the water courses and various pools licking the ice in a frantic endeavor to relieve their parched bodies. Places are frequently found where the ice is drenched with the blood of the animals from their lacerated tongues. Every day is adding its quota to the number of carcasses over the plains, and it is impossible to form any estimate of the probable loss. Thousands have drifted into this vicinity from North Dakota and Montana, and feeble efforts are being made to find food enough to sustain them until spring. Sheep have generally wintered well.

SCORES PERISH IN WRECK.

Steamer Goes Down in Storm Off Coast of Cochin-China and 100 Persons Are Drowned.

London, March 10 .- A special dispatch from Paris announces that the French steamer Cambodge (of 2,355 tons, which left Rangoon February 17 for Cochin-China and European ports), has been wrecked in a storm off the coast of Cochin-China. The dispatch adds that it is believed a hundred persons perished in the wreck.

Blown to Pieces.

Minneapolis Minn., March 10 .- Elmer E. Wilson, a log-driver, was instantly killed Wednesday morning by the explosion of 20 sticks of dynamite which he was thawing. He had been blowing piles out of the river and had gone into a shanty to prepare the explosive, when his fellow-workmen heard a terrific detonation and saw the building dissolve into small fragments. The shanty was detached and no other structures were

Count von Waldersee Dead. Hanover, Prussia, March 7.-Field Marshal Count von Waldersee died at eight o'clock Saturday evening. He had been alling for a long time.

Six Trainmen Drowned.

Cleveland, O., March 7 .- Six men were drowned and four others injured as a result of the collapse of a bridge spanning Yellow creek, near Irondale on the Cleveland & Pittsburg railroad. Saturday. Ten men were on two locomotives that attempted to cross the bridge close together.

A Big Corporation. New York, March 7.—The Henry legel corporation is being formed. with \$10,750,000 capital, to control and

perate all Siegel-Cooper stores under

AND THEN HE RANG OFF.

Thought He Had a Sure Case on the Young Lady, But She Switched Him Finally.

The manager of the big store stood stock-still outside the little boxlike chamber which held the telephone of the establish-ment, for he was a very startled manager, indeed. Within the chamber he could hear Miss Jones, the typist, speaking; and this, says the Chicago Journal, is a scrap of the conversation the scandalized man overheard:

"I love you deer and coly you! I'm

"I love you dear, and only you! I'm weeping my heart away! Yes, my darling, speak to me once more! I love you, dear —I love you so!"

The young woman rang off and stepped out of the cabinet to confront the angry

manager.

"Miss Jones," he said, "that telephone has been fixed where it is for the purpose of convenience in conducting business, and not for lovemaking in office hours. I am surprised at you. Don't let it occur acain!"

The young woman froze him with a "I was ordering some new music from the publishers for No. 3 department," she explained, icily.

And then the manager felt that this was a cold world, indeed.

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NLY 2 CHANCES March 1st and 15th.

TEXAS, \$10 ONE WAY; \$15-ROUND TRIP FROM ST. LOUIS AND KANSAS CITY, - \$15 From Chicago, \$25; From Des Moines, \$19.75 From Clacionani, \$25.60; From Indianapolis, \$26.85 GEO. MORTON

ST. LOUIS, MO.

College Professor's Sword Was Diawn Without Danger to Anyone's Outicle.

Prof. E. G. Dexter, of the University of Illinois, whose interesting investigations have proved football to be a harmless game, is popular on account of his geniality, says the New York Tribune.

After a certain football victory Prof. Dexter entertained one night a group of students at his residence.

A magnificent sword hung over the fire-place of the library, and during a space of silence Prof. Dexter took down this sword and brandished it impressively.

"Never will I forget," he exclaimed, "the day I drew this blade for the first time."

"Where did you draw it, sir?" a freshman asked, respectfully.

"At a raffle," said Prof. Dexter.

A Physician's Advice.

A Physician's Advice,

Yorktown, Ark., March 7th.—Dodd's Ridney Pills must not be confounded with the ordinary patent medicine. They are a new discovery, a specific for all diseases if the Kidneys and have been accepted by physicians only after careful tests in extreme cases. Dr. Leland Williamson, of this place, heartily endorses Dodd's Kidney Pills "as a remedy for the various forms of the diseases of the Kidneys, pains in the back, soreness in the region of the Kidneys, foul-smelling urine and cloudy or thickened condition of the urine, discharges of pus or corruption, Gout, Rheumalism, Inflammation and Congestion of the Kidneys and all kindred complaints." Continuing, he says:

the Kidneys and all kindred complaints."
Continuing, he says;
"I could mention many cases in which I have prescribed Dodd's Kidney Pills with success. For instance, Mr. Robert Weeks, farmer, malaria haematuria or swamp fever three times, kidneys weakened, continual pain and soreness in back, which made him very nervous, had a little fever and sometimes chilly. Urine changeable, but generally very high-colored, an old chronic case who had taken much medicine with little effect. After taking Dodd's Kidney Pills about six weeks, he was entirely cured and had gained fifteen pounds in weight. The last time I saw him, he was the picture of perfect manhood."

Club Wag—"Well, good night, admiral."
Warrior—There's a stupid joke. 'Admiral!' Can't you see my spurs!" Wag—
"Oh, I thought they were your twin screws."—Punch.

Moravian Barley and Speltz, two great cereals, makes growing and fattening hogs and cattle possible in Dak., Mont., Ida., Coio., yes everywhere, and add to above Salzer's Billion Dollar Grass, Teosinte, which produces 80 tons of green fodder per acre, Salzer's Earliest Cane; Salzer's 60 Day Oats and a hundred of other rare farm seeds that they offer.

JUST CUT THIS OUT AND RETURN IT with 10e in stamps to the John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., and get their big catalog and lots of farm seed sam-ples. [K. L.]

"De man dat thinks he knows it all," said Uncle Eben, "is kep' busy wonderin' how so many foolish people kin prosper."

—Washington Star.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infalli-ble medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W. Samuel, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.

A propensity to hope and joy is real riches; one to fear and sorrow, real poverty.—Hume.

Stops the Cough and works off the cold. Laxative Brome Quinine Tablets. Price 25 cents

A woman is never too good to be true.— Chicago Daily news.

June Tint Butter Color makes top of the market butter.

They who live on fashion die of folly.-Chicago Tribune.



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Eastern Department Hartford, Conn.









He Found Fault. "He criticised me for almost noth-

The friends sought to comfort her,

but she was not to be soothed. Between her sobs she told how her husband had

expressed very unfavorable opinions

"But you said he criticised you for almost nothing," argued the sympa-

"So he did." Here she gave way to a fresh outburst of sobs. "He-he said

At the War Game. "The hostile colonel was two hours

"Yes, but considering the jag he had last night that's not to be won-

"He's likely to find him if cashier

"Nonsense! With his influential relatives the army board will consider the delay a well-planned tactical man

SIZING IT UP.

It's a pretty careful speaker who isn't

forced to discount his first statements

"Oh, Annie!" exclaimed four-year-old Elmer, "there's a hole in my stock-

"Are you sure it's that big?" asked

"Well," replied the little fellow, after looking at it again, "it's as big as 90 cents, anyway."-Cincinnati Enquirer.

Music.

The ears of sordid men, When eggs are dear they'd rather hear

A Way Out.

Wife-Darling, we dined at the

Squatson's just one week ago to night.

Do you realize that we must make our

Wife-Why, they never would for-

Husband-Good! Then we won't

CAN'T AFFORD IT.

Cook-I wonder what would happen f tradesmen allers told the truth?

Housemaid-Why, there soon would-

n't be no tradesmen, of course .-- Ally

Too True.

Yes, "asters by the brookside Make asters in the brook," But cook books in the kitchen

Don't always make a cook, -N. O. Times-Democrat.

can be removed now.

the tinants mad.

eat that hay.

food.-Chicago American.

asked the teacher.

finallyl.-Chicago Post.

Heating a Flat. Landlord-Most of those restrictions which I put into operation last fall

Janitor-Sure. I never cud see

phat good they did except to kape a.l

Landlord-That was the idea. By

in the steam pipes.-N. Y. Weekly.

Clever Scheme.

Days of the Week.

Sloper.

give us-I'm sure they would never

No more the songbird doth delight

The cackle of the hen. Washington Star,

Husband - Suppose

Wouldn't they like it?

more than ten per cent.

his sister.

dinner call?

ask us again.

go.-Brooklyn Life.

ing as big as a silver dollar!"

ing!" moaned the wife.

of her new ball gown.

I was wearing it."-Judge.

euver!"-Simplicissimus.

late in marching!"

dered at !"

ed for it."

EXTREME MEASURES.



Mother-if I catch you chasing those hens again I'll wash your face every day next week!-Puck.

Sonny Gosling-C. O. D. The angels brought me C. O. D., Pa says, and made him pay All charges for the trip, just like

A cart or bale of hay; And then before they'd leave me, too, They made him promise that
He'd buy me clothes and caps and things
And milk to make me fat,
And lots of other things besides,

And scales to have me weighed-And pa declares the bargain was The worst he ever made.
-N. Y. Herald.

Touching Music.

Miss Yallerby-Dat Percy Mokington kin play de mos' intoxicatin' an' heabenly music on his banjo. Oh, my'

Clarence Coonley (sneeringly)-Huh! I guess rag-time am about dat niggah'a

Miss Yallerby (warmly) -- "T is, eh? Yo' jes ought ter heah dat man gib an imertation ob a spring chicken a-sizzlin' on de pan, er a hungry pickaninny eatin' a wateh-millyun! Talk about yo' real music!-Puck.

HER MUSICAL EAR.



"Have you a good ear for music?" asked a caller of four-year-old Ethel, who was seated at a piano.

"Course I have," replied the little miss. "Why, only this morning I heard a man two blocks away playing a tune on a grind organ."-Cincinnati Enquirer.

Another Libel on the Sex. "Laura," said Mr. Ferguson, "do you suppose your mother would like to go with us to the concert to-morrow

"I am sure she would."-"You might call her up by telephone and ask her. . . . Now, Ruggles," he said to the friend that had called in, we'll have a smoke. It takes two women half an hour to finish a talk over a telephone."-Chicago Tribune.

HE KNEW.



Edith-Did you speak to papa? Edward-No use to try; I wouldn't find him in. Edith-Why not?

Edward-He owes me \$10.-Chicago

True Devotion.

"What sized letter do you want me to use for the inscription?" asked the marble cutter.

"Oh, use the largest possible," replied the widow, "Poor John was awfully nearsighted,"-Cincinnati En-

Pushed Down. Mr. Chellus-I thought you said I hald the first place in your heart?

Future Ability. "We've got a fine new talking ma-Miss Gidday-So you do, but the thine up at our house." first place, of course, is down at the bottom. The latest tenant is always "That so? Run by a spring?" "No, by air. It's a girl baby." -- Cisat the top.-Philadelphia Press.

HOW TWO BEAUTIFUL WOMEN ESCAPED DREAD CATARRH BY USE OF PE-RU-NA.

Catarrh Robs Women of Health and Beauty. Perruma Makes Women Healthy and Beautiful.

Miss Amanda Johnson, Fairchild, Wis., writes:



Miss Flora Hauser, 1033 S. New Jersey street, Indianapolis, Ind.,

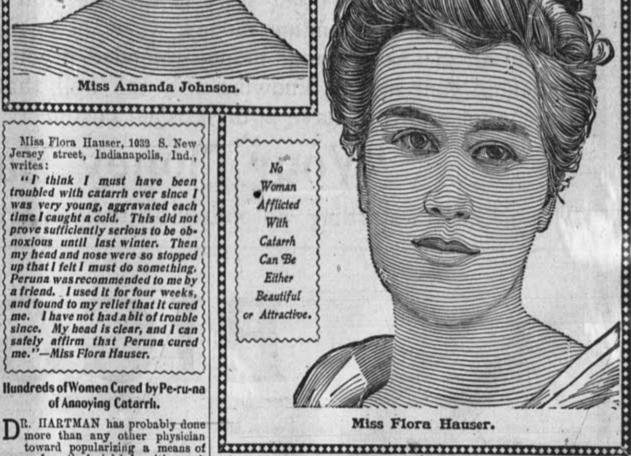
"I think I must have been troubled with catarrh ever since I was very young, aggravated each time I caught a cold. This did not prove sufficiently serious to be obnoxious until last winter. Then my head and nose were so stopped up that I felt I must do something. Peruna was recommended to me by a friend. I used it for four weeks, and found to my relief that it cured me. I have not had a bit of trouble since. My head is clear, and I can safely affirm that Peruna cured me."—Miss Flora Hauser.

Hundreds of Women Cured by Pe-ru-na of Annoying Catarri.

DR. HARTMAN has probably done more than any other physician toward popularizing a means of escape from the facial deformities, such as watery eyes, twisted nose, offensive breath, dry cracked lips, due to the ravaging effects of catarrh.

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Feel well tomorrow

Many a girl has regained her faded has fastened itself in some part of the

Peruna produces clean mucous mem- lining the different organs of the body. Thus it will cure catarrh wherever located.

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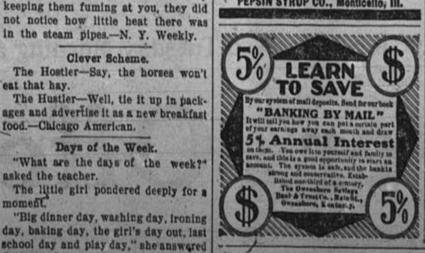
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