PRAISE FOR UPPER PENINSULA

G. A. King Says Agricultural Opportunities Are Great.

PLEASED WITH COUNTRY

Good Openings are Offered For Young Farmers With Little Capi-. tal but Brains and Energy.

Union stockyards by Halliwell & Baum, up data on its agricultural and stockraising possibilities, talked very encouragingly to The Mining Journal on what he conceives to be the future of the district along these lines of development.

He professed himself much pleased and surprised with what he has observed different parts of the upper penin-sula, and summing up gave it as his belief that there is no sufficent reason why this reagion should not develop a rich and diversified agricultural and stock raising industry.

Mr. King came through to Marquette by way of Menominee county and the intervening, territory. He will spend some days 'yet on the upper peninsula, and will go as far as Chippewa county.

He does not expect to get up into the been obtained. Incidentally he is picking up all information he can secure regarding desirable lands, and upper pena fair enflux of this class of settlers. I have been very favorably impressed with what I have seen and heard since I began my upper peninsula trip. This region, like every other, has large areas of poor and unproductive lands, but I to support a very laage agricultural population. Lands can be purchased, I understand for \$8, \$10, and \$12 an acre.

This is wondetfully cheap particularly in view of the advantageous terms the companies offer. The opening offered by this region for young farmers becomes evident when its proximity to the markets, as well as the excellent home market, is considered along with the prevailing high prices for farming lands in the settled and developed regions."

BELIEVES IN DIVERSIFIED FARMING.

"What line of farming do you think could most profitably and effectively be taken up here?" Mr. King was asked.

"In my opinion", came the reply, "the upper peninsula of the future the farmer who will deviop the country and Cornet Soloist in Tolan's Orchestra makes money, will devote himself to the place. This is not a one-crop country.

For instance, it would be foolish to try and make a wheat country of it, but virile and fruitfull soil that in the hands of an intelligent farmer will yield rich returnes from carefully diversified and well-cared for crops.

"This country needs the young American farmer, the sons of families in Iowa church by Mrs. Stuart Adamand sisters, Indiana and Illinois. They are young men who have had a practical farm ed- Rose Kitchen are both graduates from ucation and who are now ready to strike the Toronto conservatory of music and Saturday at his home in North Esca-out for themselves. They must have are accomplished planists. Miss naba after a long illness. He was 52 out for themselves. They must have cheap lands for they haven't much money. Their capital is practical knowledge and grit. Such young men should find the upper peninsula in many respects an ideal field. The upper peninsula would find them the best kind of Morning service at 10.30. Sunday farmers to develop its virgin agricul-tural resources. They would bring brains and energy to their work and make garden spots in this fruitfull country. I don't think you have been getting the right kind of people onto the soil in this region. The foreigners accomplish something, and make good livings, perchance from the land, but their efforts are invariably to a considerable extent unintelligent. They will never make the country, at least not for a long period of years."

Mr. King expressed the opinion that stockraising expermints would finally demonstrate that money can be made

in this industry in the upper peninsuls.

He said that the land bore all the ear marks of being a good grasing country.

He said that he thought stock might be wintered here. Then there was the other possible method of handling the

LIGHTNING PLAYS HAVOG.

Causes Damage in the Home of Joe Schwalbach.

During the severe storm Sunday morning the home of Joseph Schwalbach at 526 south Jennie street was struck by lightning and considerable damage done. Although Mrs. Schwal-bach and four children were in the kitchen at the time the house was struck, fortunately none of them were injured although their escape was a REPORT NOT FINISHED

The lightning entered the south wall of the house, tore off siding, lath, and plastering as it plowed its way through | Opinion at Present is About Evenly the house. Large holes were torn in the walls and every article in the path of the bolt wrecked.

Mrs. Schwalbach though at first unable to move on account of fright G. A. King, representing the Chica-go Livestock World, published at the gathered her children about her and ran out into the yard where she fell in a who is in the upper peninsula looking faint, recovering consciousness after several minutes.

The bolt of lightning after wrecking the Schwalbach home leaped to the ajoining house occupied by Chas Haglund. Little damage was done here however and the evidences of the bolt are two small holes in the wall where the lightning entered and dissapeared.

The Schwalbach home was filled with smoke after the bolt entered but no blaze was started.

GETS GOOD PROMOTION.

Weather Observer Geo B. Wurtz is Given Station at Louisville Ky.

Geo. B. Wurtz, local manager of the U. S. weather bureau in this city has been promoted and will soon leave to copper country, but will endeavor to take charge of the weather station at visit all region, where any particular Louisville, Kentucky. The promotion success in farming or stock raising has came as somewhat of a surprise to Mr. Wurtz, who although he expressed his desire for a change some time ago, hardly expected to be given so good a insula crops and products. "I should field. Mr. Wurtz has lived in Escanasay"said Mr. King, "that this region ba for the past six years, coming here offers excellent opportunities for young from Pierre South Dakota. During the and enterprising farmers and stock time of his residence here he and his raisers, and I think that time will see wife have made many friends who will greatly regret their departure.

Mr. Wurtz will be succeeded by Mr. William P. Stewart of Columbia Mo.

RETIRES FROM FIRM.

can see that it also has some excellent A. J. Young Will Hereafter Give all lion Shoe Compeny.

> A. J. Young who for one year has been a member of the Thatcher Young Insurance Agency; has retired from that firm and will devote all his time to the Young & Fillion shoe company.

> Mr. C. M. Thatcher will continue the insurance agency under his own hame by which the agency was known previ-ous to the partnership with Mr. Young Mr. Young during the time he was in the insurance business still retained his interest in the Young & Fillion shoe

Mrs. W. H. Holmes Appears as

Carl J. Tolan who recently returned cultivation of a variety of crops, in which produce will have an important formed a new orchestra and will furnish formed a new orchestra and will furnish the music at the performances that will down, during a heavy fog, by a big appear this season at Peterson's opera house. One of the features of the new it is as I can readily see, a country that orginization is the presence of Mrs. W. possesses in its best farming lands a H. Holmes as cornet soloist,

Concert Arranged.

What promises to be a most enjoyable concert has been arranged for next Tuesday evening in the Presbyterian the Misses Kitchen. Miss Elsie and

Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12,m, Epworth league at 6.30, Evening service at 7.30. Morning theme, 'The Marrow and Summit of Christian Life." Evening theme, "The Ministry of Love." Wednesday evening devotional meeting at 7:30. All citizens and strangers are cordially invited to be present at the services of the church.

Gave Pleasant Party.

Miss Gertrude Erickson entertained a large number of friends at an informal dancing party at Clark's Hall Monday evening in honor of Miss Mae Uehren of Aurora, Ill. The party was a very pleasant one and a most enjoyable even-ing was spent. Miss Uehren returned to her home Wednesday after a two week's visit with Miss Erickson.

Splintered Poles.

During a storm last week, a number

COMMITTEE

AT WORK

Ascertaining What Sentiment is Regarding Paving of Ludington St.

Divided on Subject of the Improvement.

As the time approaches when it will be necessary to make the annual appropriation budget for the next year the interest that is centering about the improvement of Ludington street is increasing. During the past week the business men and property owners on Ludington street have been visited by a special committee composed of W. W. Oliver, Patrick Fogarty Solomon Greenhoot, John Semer and Herman Salinsky.

These men were appointed at the mass metting held on Friday evening of last week and their work is to ascertain just what the sentiment among the property. owners is regarding the paving of the street. The committee has not yet completed its work and are unable to Furniture and Fixtures of Hadden give out what the final result of their canvas will be. As it now stands the sentiment along the street seems evenly divided regarding the paving of the street next year. Some of the property owners say they cannot stand the exdominating sentiment, regarding the material to be used is for The brick pavement. This can be put in for 1.96 located in the following cities. per square yard. Other kinds of pavement have been suggested and will be noted in the report of the special committee and made known at the next mass meeting.

Protests have been made to the special committee by some of the property owners because of the failure of the city to collect all of the old assessment levied at the time Ludington street was first paved.

soils of goodly extent. It has enough His Time to interests of Young & Fil- thought that at this meeting the mat. \$15 for freight and drayage in each in- of the prarie schooner in the city on ter will be settled.

VOYAGES RETURN

After Circling Lake Michigan Cruising Party Returns Home.

The yacht Onaway and her crew of daring voyages returned last Saturday after completing the circuit of Lake NEW ORCHESTRA FORM D visited nearly every port of importance for short visits. Though their experiences were for the most part pleasant, the boys had several narrow escapes from accidents. A squall off Michigan City nearly capsized the boat and in the Chicago river they were nearly run steamer. The boys however feel satisfied with their cruise which has been one of the longest ever taken by a party from this port.

DIED FROM OLD ILLNESS

Charles Anderson, Old Resident of This City Died Last Saturday.

Charles Anderson, a brother of Erick Anderson street commissioner died last

Fred Anderson of this city. The fun-eral services were held Sunday from the chapel at J. B. Wilkinson's undertaking parlors, Rev. Phillip Thelander conducting the services.

Work Interrupted.

The paving operations which were started last week on Stephenson avenue has been stopped and work, commenced on Sarah street. The cause of the interruption of the work first started is because the Street Railway company cannot move their poles at once. This will be necessary before paving operations be continued there.

First Presbyterian Church.

Dr. Urquhart, pastor, Services at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school and bible classes at: 11:45 a. m. Services on Wednesday evening at

THE HOLY CITY.

Will Appear at Opera House on Sept. I.

Announcement of a performance of "The Holy City", interests theatre goers to an uncommon degree. The great Biblical drama and the sumptuous production given it, the strength of the acting company, the music and grand spectacle with which the play abounds, furnishes dramatic satisfaction and scenic pleasure so complete and grateful that managers Gorden and Bennett's enterprise is a leading feature in all colums containing theatrical news. Seldom has a play been so immedi-

atly noted, because seldom has one play so many points of value. The theatre goers who appreciates entertainment in the proportion given for following thought, will, in the thrillingly told story of the Apostle John, find reflection, dramatic study and future enjoyment, rarely combined. The theatre goer who is more pleased with the brilliant spectacle and wonderful stage effects, has his wish gratified by lavish preparation and almost unprecedented execution. In his application for a performance of "The Holy.City", Manager Peterson sought one of the most important theatrical offerings of this season. The play will appear at the opera house on Thursday evening Sept 1.

WILL SELL ASSETS

Rodee Will be Sold at Different Places.

The assets of the bankrupt Hadden Rodee company will be sold at private sales at the different points where the company had offices. The assets to be pense while others are anxious to have sold include office fixtures, typewriters, the improvements made. The pre- chairs, telegraph instruments and other properties contained in different branch offices of the Hadden Rodee company

> Wisconsin-Beloit, Fond du Lac, Green Bay, Janesville, Manitowoc, Sheboygan, Waukesha, Oshkosh and Stoughton.

> Michigan Calumet, Escanaba, Hancock and Houghton.

> Illinois-Freeport and Belvidere. It is estimated in the petition for permission to make the sale that the assets

in each one of these offices are valued As soon as the committee has its re- from \$250 to \$350. To ship these to port couplete, it is likely that another Milwaukee for a general sale would stance. Hence it was ordered that private sales be held at each one of the points named. The time of the sales has not yet been determined.

MICHIGAN IS SECOND

Salt Production Amounted to 22.6 east.

Per Cent of Output. The production of salt in Michigan in Michigan in their little craft. Six the calendar year 1903 was 4,297,542 weeks ago the three young men. J. H. barrels, or 22.6 per cent of the totol Stonehouse, Bert Cotton and Fred Gamache bade their friends goodbye leading state in the output of that commodity is New York, which produced 8,170,648 barrels, or 43.1 per cent of on the lake at many places stopping the total. Ohio produced about 2,500,-000 barrels and Kansas 1,500,000 barrels, other states trailing along with a very small output The Michigan output fell off about 1,500,000 barrels from the preceeding year, for which the geological survey offers no explanation.

ALMOST A SHUT-OUT

Escanaba Brewing Co. Defeated Garden Bay II to I.. The Escanaba Brewing Co.'s baseball

team went to Garden Bay last Sunday and-defeated the Garden team by a score of 11 to 1. On account of the rain the game was not called until 4 o'clock and only lasted for six innings. Corbett and Peterson were the battery for Escanaba and their work was of a high order. Drisco and Cousineau formed the Garden battery.

The batting of the Escanaba team was one of the features of the game. Two base hits were secured by Walch, Flath and Arnsen.

I. S. Co. Wins.

from that place was defeated by the I. Stephenson Co's. team by a score of 16 to 11. Gladstone was out classed in nearly all departments of the game and were unable to hit back effectively. The I. S. Co's team became carless in the last inning owing to the great lead they had already made and allowed Gladstone to make seven scores.

Woodhams in Town.

Mr. Woodhams, the instructor of athlets in the Escanaba High school arrived in town last-week and is preparing to get the foot ball team in line for a hard and successful season. Mr. Widdens is a hard and enthusiastic worker and with the football material on hand Escanaba should have another championship team.

READY FOR LABOR DAY

Twenty Four Unions Will Participate in the Celebration.

Specches Will be Delivered an Atheletlo Contests Held at South Park.

Final arragements for the celebration

of Labor Day Sept. 5. has been made by the Trades and Labor council and Candidates Should File Names Beeverything points to a first class demonstration on that day. Representations from each of the twenty four unions in this city will be in the parade in the the city hall. Two trustees for a term morning and each union will try to of three years are to be elected. Mr. make as good a showing as possible. Jas. Doherty and Dr. Youngquist are Trades and Labor council has been elected marshal of the day. The parade will start promptly at nine o'clock and be a candidate this year. Mr. H. W. a special place has been arranged for Read of the Pittsburg & Lake Superior each union. The city band will lead the procession and the line of march All candidates should file their names will be east on Wells avenue to Tilden avenue to Ludington street to Mary street and then to South Park. At the park an address of welcome will be read by Mayor Valentine and the address of

Atheletic games also be held at the park. The days celebration will conclude with a grand ball at the opera house in the evening.

the day will be delivered by Hon. John

Power.

ARRIVED ON THURSDAY

Farmer Came From New York in Prarie Schooner.

John Fraser and family who started July 5 for Wells arrived in this city Thursday after making the entire trip gallery and has traveled extensively. with a team of horses and a covered wagon. Some time ago Mr. Fraser became in communication with the I. Stephenson Co. and finally came here Firms of L. A. Erickson and Ed. Erickto locate upon land owned by that company after taking this novel means to mass meeting will be called and it is cost \$60 for packing, \$10 for cartage transport his family. The appearance Thursday excited considerable interest. Upon one side of the wagon was painted "All the way from Westfield New York to Wells, Mich." Mr. Fraser had a good word to say for the roads in the upper peninsula and declared them as good if not better than those in the

VACANCY FILLED

Joseph J. Martin Appointed Alder man From Seventh.

Upon the recomendation of Alderman Charles Pariseau of the Seventh ward the vacancy caused by the removal of Alderman Graham from that ward was filled by the appointment of Joseph J.

Mr. Martin is engaged in the grocery business at North Escanaba anti is well known in the city. At one time he was manager of the grocery department at

the Fair Savings Bank store. He will take his seat in the council at the next regular meeting.

MINISTERS PROTESTED.

Clergy of Iron Mountain Instrumental in Stopping Sunday Baseball.

There will be no more Sunday baseball at Iron Mountain. The ministers started a crusade against Sunday games early in the season, ane they have won the day. The Iron Mountain and Crystal Falls leams were sheduled to play at Iron Mountain last Sunday in the sixth of county treasurer. Mr. Darling is supgame of their series for championship of the range, but the authorities prohibited it. The contest was accordingly throughout the county. He was a candidtransferred to Crystal Falls, but was At Gladstone last Sunday the team not played on account of wet weather. last year and came within a few votes

ROBBED CHURCH.

Church Entered and Poor Box, Rifled.

The church at Wells was broken into last week and the poor box robbed of

New Captain Here. ..

Capt E. Houser of Janesville, Wis. arrived on Friday of last week to take charge of the local work in this city.
Capt. Houser fills the vacancy made by the transfer of Capt. Brown to Marby the transfer of Capt. Brown to Marby the transfer of Capt. Brown to Marby the remarks of the company of the remarks o

CONFESSED TO THEFT.

John Horrigan Given 30 Days For Stealing Fruit From Cars.

As the result of an investigation which has been carried on for several weeks by officer McCarthy in an attempt to capture the thieves who have been stealing from box cars, John Her-rigan and three other young men were arrested and brought before Judge Glaser Thursday morning. Horrigan con-BIG PARADE ARRANGED ressed to having taken fruit from a Northwestern car on July 2. The other young men made strong denial of being implicated in the matter. The sentence of 30 days in the county jail was passed upon Horrigan and as nothing could be proven against the other young men they were realsed.

SCHOOL ELECTION.

fore Sept 2.

The annual school election will be held in this city on Tuesday Sept. 6 at Gustav W. Falstrom, secretary of the the men whose terms expire next month Mr. Doherty is a candidate for reelection while Dr. Younguuist will not

> with the secretary not later than Sept. 2. The polls on election day will be open from 9:00 a, m. to 8:00 p. m.

FROM CAPTAIN JACK.

Writes Artical For Iron Port on Crack Rifle Shooting.

In another part of this paper appears an article contributed by Captain Jack O'Connell and entitled "How I became a crack shot." Captain Jack is widely known as a crack shot and his ideas on the subject prove quite interesting. Although totaly deaf he can do almost anything that human hands can do with a rifle. His present address is Rapid River. He conducts a shooting

THE ED. ERICKSON CO.

son Consolidate. A consolidation of the dry goods business of Ed. Erickson and the clothing business of L. A. Erickson has taken place, the new name of the consolidation being the Ed. Erickson company.

An addition to the store of Ed. Erickson has been built and is now nearly completed. This will be occupied by the clothing department. John Erickson is also a partner in the new firm.

TO EMPLOY INSPECTOR

Street Commissioner Authorized to Hire Competent Man to Inpsect Street Work.

The common council at its meeting Tuesday evening authorized the Street committee to hire a competent inspector for the street work that is going on. Martin at the last meeting of the The duty of this special officer will be to see that the work is done right and that the city gets value received for its

GAME WAS CLOSE.

Schaffer Defested by Richter's by a Score of 2 to 1.

The Richters went to Schaffer last Sunday and defeated the team by a score of 2 to 1. The game was a very interesting one and very few errors were made by either side. Flath and Anderson formed the battery for the Richters, and Demars and King for the Schaffer team.

In Race for Treasurer.

Ered E. Darling of Rapid River has announced his candidacy for the office ervisor of Masonville township and is well known and universally liked ate for the unexpired term of the office of securing the appointment.

Mr. Darling has many friends who will lend their influence to his candid-

Got Thirty Days.

Frank Thompson who was arrested its contents, which are supposed to have last Saturday with the theft of a watch amounted to \$3 or \$4. The robber left from Walter Burton, was sentenced by his bagger in the church, and from Judge Glaser to 30 days in the county several pers found in his grip the police have learned the name of the incessful attempt to sell the watch to truder. Nothing, however, is known as to his present whereabouts. | jeweller and finally disposed of it to a saloonkeeper on Thomas street. Burton could not tell just where he was robbed of the watch.

other possible method of handling the industry, shipping the cattle in the spring and sending them to market after they had grazed all aummer and were in prime condition. Northern beef, Mr. King asserted, is obtainable, and northern grasses are peculiarly and northern grasses are p

All the News of the Past Seven 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

DOMESTIC.

Over half the members of the Statesboro, Ga., guards, one of the two companies that were guards over the prisoners who were lynched there, have asked for their discharges. Several criticize Capt. Hitch, their commander,

The G. A. R. convention in Boston heard read a letter from President Roosevelt, who expressed veneration for the veterans of the civil war and drew a lesson of inspiration from their deeds. Commander-in-Chief Black made the annual address.

An automobile containing three men and a woman plunged into the Chicago river through the open draw at Rush street, ah of the yictims of the accident being rescued.

Four people were killed and 27 injured in a collision between a Great Western passenger train and three street cars at Austin, a suburb of Chicago. Three trainmen and three street rallway employes were arrested.

Mrs. Mary E. Fuller, wife of Chief Jus-tice Fuller, of the United States supreme court, died suddenly of heart disease at her summer home in Sorento, Me.

The population of Michigan, as shown by the state census, taken in June, is 2,-530,016, an increase of 109,034, or 41/2 per cent., since 1900. There are 589.746 families in the state, with an average membership of 4.29 persons.

Gen. Wilmon W. Blackmar, of Massachusetts, was elected commander-inchief of the Grand Army of the Republic by acclamation at the closing session of the national encampment in Boston, and Denver, Col., was selected as the place for the encampment of 1905.

Earthquakes have caused serious damages to several villages in the island of Samon (in the Greek archipelago 45 Knights of Pythias, in succession to miles west of Smyrna). Some of the inhabitants were killed.

Valentine Hengel, a mail carrier, dfed at Winona, Minn., after an illness of one week as a result of having a tooth pulled, New York, September 14, 15 and 16. causing blood poisoning.

World's fair officials say they have discovered a loophole in the appropriation act and may open the exposition on Sunday.

Jacob Hussman, an aeronaut, was Falls, Minn. He had made a balloon aschute fell into the middle of the lake. He became entangled in the weeds and was drowned.

Antonio Mannino, the kidnaped Brooklyn boy, was found near his home, after having been accompanied part of the way by the man who had held him prisoner.

A fierce riot for food, the strikers bat- foo, August 12. tling for meat, took place at the Chicago stock yards. Fifty shots were fired, rifles being used, and the mob of 4,000 was dispersed.

Alfred A. Knapp, by his own confession the slayer of five women, was electrocuted in the penitentiary at Columbus. O., for the murder of his wife, Hannah Goddard Knapp. Knapp was 42 years old and had spent 22 years of his life in | fleet. Both warships were damaged. various prisons, most of his offenses being against women and children.

A tornado of small proportions, but of exreme fury, swept down upon the residence portion of North St. Louis, Mo., resulting in the death of two persons, injury to probably 50 and damage to property estimated at \$100,000. A woman was killed and 10 persons inured at Venice, Ill.

A cloudburst at Globe, Ariz., has resulted in several deaths and the destruction of much property.

May wheat has just broken all records for the last six years in Chicago, when it touched \$1.13%

There is consternation over the death of fish in the lakes around Albert, Minn., and no one can explain the cause. They seem to suffocate, although there is a good stage of water. Tons of fish are dead along the shores.

William Montgomery, vice president and general manager of the Georgia Cotton Mill company, shot and killed himself at his office in Atlanta, Ga. No cause for the act has been given.

Michael Callahan and John Markham, of Van Horne, were killed by a train at a grade crossing near Blairstown, Ia.

Fires are raging in the great forests of Washington and British Columbia, doing incalculable damage.

Fish Rock Camp, owned by Isaac Seligman, of New York, located on Up- and 21 or disarm. per Saranac lake, and said to have been estimated at \$75,000.

John Parker, a prominent farmer living near Grinnell, Ia., was shot and killed Friday by George Mitchell, a shotgup, following an altercation in ity, which Mitchell was badly beaten up.

M. C. Bennett, of Des Moines, Ia., eas drowned in the Mississippi river at St. Louis, having leaped into the tream to escape from the workhouse.

Charles Warren Spalding, the Chica-po ex-banker, was given his freedom (for seven years in jail and prison.

Weekly trade reviews indicate a lects uncertainty as to the condition

of crops.

Members of the Fourth troop of cavalry of the regular army killed one state militiaman and wounded three in a fight at Athens, O.

Acting on an opinion from Corporaion Counsel Tolman, the Chicago poice ordered the packers to quit housng workers in their plants.

Nels O. Cassen was accidentally killed by being thrown from his carriage when returning to his home, three miles south of Yorkville, III. Mr. Cassen was the largest land owner in the county, his wealth being estimated up to \$1,000,000.

Fifteen cases of dynamite exploded on the depot platform at Minden, Mo .. killing Engineer Rody and Mrs. Ed Brooks, wife of the station agent.

Death to 15 persons, injury to scores and destruction to property both private and public, estimated in round numbers at \$3,000,000, rode on a tornado which swept through St. Paul, Minneapolis and other Minnesota cities.

The Cripple Creek mob resumed deportation of miners and their sympathizers. Victims were herded together and marched out of town under a heavily armed guard. The move is justified by the charge that a plot has been discovered.

One man was shot to death and five others wounded when stock yards workers in Chicago fired from a Lake Shore train on a crowd of strike sym-

Secretary of the Treasury Shaw declares the St. Louis exposition cannot be kept open on Sundays.

Since the opening day, April 31, 7,-566,878 admissions to the world's fair have been recorded. Edward A. Hershey, warden of the Ohio penitentiary, died suddenly of

hemorrhage of the stomach. PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

James R. Williams, of Carmi, was renominated for congress by the democratic convention of the Twenty-fourth Illinois district.

Thomas E. Watson, of Georgia, the people's party candidate for president, and Thomas H. Tibbles, of Nebraska, the candidate for vice president, were formally notified of their nomination at Cooper Union, New York city. Both ac-Alexander Agassiz, the celebrated sci-

entist of Cambridge, Mass., was elected tion. president of the International Zoological congress, in session at Berne, Switz-Charles E. Shively, of Richmond, Ind.,

was elected supreme chancellor of the Tracy R. Bangs, of Grand Forks, N. D.

The thirtieth annual convention of be held at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, people of the localities. President Roosevelt has gone to

Oyster Bay for a month's rest.

FOREIGN.

A battle of huge proportions raged around Port Arthur August 14 and 15, drowned in Lake Alice, near Fergus and was resumed August 17. The Japanese, it is reported, sacrificed 20,000 men, cension and on coming down in a para- but gained important advantages in the matter of position.

capital of Paraguay, for 40 hours. Extent of damage is unknown.

Japan has officially notified Great Britain that she does not propose to give up the Russian torpedo boat destroyer Ryeshitelni, captured in the harbor of Che-

Minister Squier, at Havana, cables the state department that Carlos Ortiz has been appointed secretary of state and justice of Cuba.

The Russian cruisers Rossia and Gromobol have returned to Vladivostok. The official report says 138 men were killed and 321 wounded on the two cruisers in the battle with the Japanese

Japan announces her intention of selzing the Rusisan ships now being repaired at Shanghai, and has sent a squadron presumably to carry out this plan. China also has ordered her war vessels hurriedly to the scene.

Eighty-three horsemen sent by the Moorish pretender, Bu Hamara, to Chief Amada, of the Beni Buzzagora tribe, to ask his daughter in marriage, were treacherously murdered by the chief.

A Russian gunboat of the Otvajni type struck a mine and sank off Laoti promontory, the exteme southern point of the Kwangtung peninsula on which Port

Arthur is situated. The American minister, Mr. Bowen, in quested Venezuela to remove Mr. Car- rick. nock, the receiver appointed to take charge of the property of the New York and Bermudas Asphalt company, and to return the asphalt lake to the American

The Port Arthur squadron has been ordered by St. Petersburg to engage Admiral Togo in a death struggle or else destroy the ships when the fort-

ress's doom is sealed. Paraguay revolutionists captured the minister of war and issued an ultima-

tum to the government. The Chinese taotal ordered Russian if they could be secured. ships to leave Shanghai on August 20

Sir Thomas Lipton announces that

the most beautiful and expensive camp he will build the Shamrock IV. and in the Adirondacks, has been destoryed will challenge again for the Ameriby fire of unknown origin. The loss is ca cup. The new yacht will be built his life at Navesink Highlands, N. Y., on the Clyde. The Japanese government Issued a

public statement justifying the seizure of the Russian destroyer at Chefoo. It renter. Mitchell shot Parker with a declares Russia has violated neutral-

> After a severe engagement with the protected cruisers Chitose and Tsushima, the greybounds of the Japanese navy, the fleet Russian cruiser Novik has been vanquished. In a sinking condition she was run ashore in Korakovsk harbor on the island of Sakha-

The Japanese have swept the Rus-

The Russian consul general at Shanghal flatly refuses to disarm the Askold and the Russian torpedo boat destroyer Grozovel or to order them to leave the harbor

Three persons killed and scores injured in one week is the deadly record of the automobile in France, and publie indignation is growing.

The great powers are alarmed by the Shanghai crisis and United States warships are ordered to preserve China's abutrality at that port. Many nations may be involved in the war,

Turkey has repudiated verbal pledges made to Minister Leishmann granting equal privileges to American chizens. Fresh complications are feared.

A Japanese destroyer strived at Shanghai with the fleet outside. A United States destroyer anchored between the Japanese warship and a Russian cruiser. China has appealed to the United States to enforce neutrality,

LATER.

Russian guns silenced Japanese artillery 'after seven hours bombardment; Chefoo reports give details of almost continuous battle around Port Arthur; Japanese repulsed at Green hill.

Foreign consuls at Shanghai refused to enforce neutrality; work of repairing Russian cruiser stopped 48 hours; United States refused to interfere; Japan insisted on right to capture ships in harbor.

Korsakovsk, a city on the Russian sland of Sakhalien, was bombarded by a Vapanese warship. Five government buildings and 11 houses were de-

stroyed. The West Madison street carnival in Chicago was opened formally and thousands of people took part in the fes-

tivities. Court decided for the teachers in their suit against the Chicago board of education for \$45 each, the amount cut from each teacher's salary in the last six months of 1900, holding that the school board had no right to make the reduction without sufficient notice.

Negro assailant of a little girl was shot to death and his body publicly burned by a mob at Cedartown, Ga. Judge Lacombe in New York signed an order, on agreement of counsel, dismissing the suits against the United States Shipbuilding company and Charles M. Schwab, ending all litiga-

Mrs. Cordelia Botkin was convicted a second time in San Francisco of killing Mrs. J. P. Dunning with poisoned candy sent in the mall, and sentenced to life imprisonment.

Republican national committee plans to send to different sections of the country speakers who are experts in the American Bankers' association will the particular things which interest the

President Castro, of Venezuela, declined to surrender the seized asphalt property at the request of Minister Bowen, saying the United States should await a court decision.

M. L. Turner, president of the Western national bank, of Oklahoma City, secured the \$3,000,000 new Philippine bonds, his bid being 101.41.

The Pennsylvania railroad made a sweeping reduction in time of machin-Insurgents bombarded Asuncion, the lists, men to get two days each a week. Paraguay rebels captured another town, and secured a quantity of arms and ammunition.

> The British gunboat Columbine was wrecked on a rock off Newfoundland.

MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

Bishop McCabe, of the Methodist church, declares the time has arrived for the whole Christian world to compel Turkey to grant religious liberty to the Armenians, and says he would favor the use of war ships if necessary.

Managers of the world's fair are planning to open the exposition Sundays. A cophole is said to have been discovered in the congressional act, and the change in policy may take place soon.

The St. Louis Exposition company has forwarded to the United States treasury a check for \$500,000, making \$1,908,149 of the government loan of \$4,600,000 refunded.

Many prominent men and organizations indorse the proposal of the National Business league for a constitutional amendment lengthening the presidential term to six years.

The 650 Porto Rican school teachers who have spent several weeks in summer schools at Harvard and Cornell, sailed for home on the United States the name of the United States, has re- army transports Summer and Kilpat-

A merchant of Hayti was arrested in New York for being implicated in a conspiracy to naturalize residents of the black republic who have never been in

Representatives of the St. Louis world's fair ice water concession turned over to the treasury of the exposition 165.000 pennies as the exposition's share of the company's receipts.

Inquiries of the immigration officers in New York showed that places could be found for nearly 100,000 servant girls

While attempting to milk a cow Roy Gibbons, ten years old, son of William Gibbons, of Vincennes, Ind., was attacked and fatally gored by the animal. Dr. J. S. Coman, of Harlem, sacrified n attempting to save a woman from

First term convicts in New York state orison are to wear sults of dark gray of military cut without stripes after Oc-

German educator teaches a horse to find the square root of numbers and solve arithmetical problems in the abence of his master, Reports from various states show that 1,382,167 tube of butter and 2,681,987

cases of eggs are in cold storage. dark Twain is made beneficiary of LOCATION OF PORT ARTHUR FORTS AND RELATIVE POSITION OF THE JAPANESE



wing, now in the Pigeon Bay district, is of the town.

The advanced position taken by the | closing in on the works guarding that Japanese center column against Port Ar- region. The principal of these forts is thur is indicated in the map. This is a Etseshan, one of the strongest in the little south of Palingchang, or Pali- whole circle of fortifications. The force chwang, which is about two miles from that landed in Pigeon Bay is supposed to the fortifications. The left wing of No- be in possession of Lang mountain, the gi's forces, to the eastward, commands Lianti hills and White Wolf hill, souththe forts from Takushan, while the west west of Port Arthur, and within range

IS DRIVEN UPON THE BEACH

JAP WARSHIPS VANQUISH RUS-SIAN CRUISER NOVIK.

Latter Is Beached in a Sinking Condition-Siege of Port Arthur-Sit-* uation at Shanghai.

Tokio, Aug. 22.-After a severe engagement with the protected cruisers Chitose and Tsushima, the greyhounds of the Japanese navy, the fleet Russian cruiser Novik has been vanquished. The fight occurred Sunday. After it the Novik, in a sinking condition, was run ashore in Korakovsk harbor on the island of Sakhalin.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 23 .- A dispatch from Chefoo, dated August 22, says that according to Chinese reports the Japanese Sunday bombarded Port Arthur from six o'clock in the morning untilone o'clock in the afternoon, pouring in a heavy fire, but that the Russians succeeded in silencing the Japanese batteries. The Japanese fleet was not engaged, having put further out to sea.

Jap Reinforcements. Chefoo, Aug. 23.-It is asserted in reliable quarters at Port Arthur that the Japanese have received reinforcements

of 30,000 men from the north. The steamer Victoria, which arrived here Monday evening from Newchwang. reports hearing spasmodically heavy 12 or more torpedo boat destroyers firing at Louisa and Pigeon bays re- and four gunboats to be surrendered spectively northwest and west of Port Arthur between ten o'clock Sunday night and one in the morning. She saw searchlights playing freely and skyrockets signaling at one o'clock Monday morning. The ship was too far away to hear or see anything further.

Fierce Conflict Rages. Chefoo, Aug. 22.-The first detailed news of the general assault on Port Arthur indicates that a tremendous conflict is raging and that victory is hanging in the balance. Chinese who left Port Arthur Sunday and arrived here to-day state that the Japanese by making desperate charges which were reinforced by an artillery fire from Shushiyen and Louisa bay swept from the north into Pigeon bay territory and drove the Russians back from the main forts. The ground being comparatively flat in this vicinity, the Japanese were unable to hold it in the face of the Russian artillery fire and they retired north an eighth of a mile beyond the scene of fire.

Fort Captured.

The Chinese declare that the Japanese captured one important fort located on the Itzshan hills, midway between the western coast and the railway on a line drawn approximately from a point midway between Pigeon and Louisa bays. The fighting resulting in Askold and the Russian torpedo boat the capture of this fort was very severe. The position was first subjected to a bombardment for over 48 hours. Then the Japanese infantry assaulted it and compelled the Russians to retire.

Japanese in turn to retire. Chefoo, Aug. 19 .- A battle of huge proportions raged around Port Arthur | them.

The Russian artillery then directed a

heavy fire on the spot, compelling the

Formal Decree Filed.

Trenton, N. J., Aug. 19.-Judge Bradford, in the United States circuit court Thursday, filed the formal decree of injunction in the suit recently decided by him, in which Edward H. complainants and the Northern Securities company and the Northern Pa; this city. cific Railway company were defend decided that be would grant a preiminary injunction and Thursday's formal decree is in consequence

August 14 and 15, and was resumed August 17. The Japanese, it is reported, sacrificed 20,000 men, but gained important advantages in the matter of position. The above news was brought here on junks, one of which, having on board three Russians concealed in the baggage of Chinese to escape from the Japanese, left Port Arthur Wednesday night and was blown rapidly to Chefoo by a gale. The main force of the attack was directed against the left wing, and resulted in the capture of Pigeon bay positions and some of the forts at Liastieshan. At Palunchang the Japanese hastily mounted guns, which did excellent service in aiding the storming of the right wing, where the Japanese are said to have captured two forts of minor value, mounting eight four-inch guns, two siege guns and six quick-firing guns.

Surrender Demanded. On the night of the 15th the battle lulled somewhat when the Japanese sent the terms of surrender to Lieut. Gen. Stoessel. The terms provided that the garrison should march out with the honors of war and join Gen. Kuropatkin; that all civilians be brought to a place designated by the Japanese admiral; that the Russian warships in the harbor numbering seven, namely, the battleships Retvizan, Sevastopol, Pobleda, Peresviet, Poltava, the armored cruiser Bayan, and the protected cruiser Pallada, and to the Japanese.

Stoessel Refuses. " Gen. Stoessel's treatment of Maj. Vomoka, the Japanese messenger, was courteous, but his reply was prompt and characteristic. The Japanese major then asked for a three days' truce in which to bury the dead. This was refused.

Excitement at Shanghai. Shanghai, Aug. 22.-Shanghai was thrown into a fever of excitement Sunday afternoon by the arrival of a Japanese torpedo boat, which was sighted coming in from the south at half past four o'clock. She passed the Woosung at full speed and started up the river Ju for Shanghai. The United States torpedo boat destroyer Chauncey slipped her cable and followed the Japanese destroyer. The Japanese boat was cleared for action. She anchored off the Cosmopolitan dock, where the Russian cruiser Askold is undergoing repairs. The Chauncey came to an-

the Japanese destroyer. Refuses to Disarm or Leave. There are at present no Chinese men of war in this port, but the taotal has telegraphed that a Chinese cruiser be sent immediately. The Russian consul general here flatly refuses to disarm the destroyer Grozovol or to order them to leave the harbor.

chor practically between the dock and

The Taotai has notified American Consul Goodnow, who is dean of the consular body, that China cannot protect the foreign settlements. He contends that Russia ignores the orders issued by China and that China has not the means of making her obey

San Francisco, Aug. 23 .- Mrs. Cordella Botkin was sentenced Monday by Superior Judge Carroll Cook to life imprisonment in the state prison at San Quentin for the murder of Mrs. Harriman and Winslow S. Pierce were John P. Dunning, in Dover, Del., by means of poisoned candy mailed from

Given Life Imprisonment.

Wealthy Philadelphian Dead. Philadelphia, Aug. 23.-John Lowber Welsh, one of the wealthlest and most ent citizens of Philadelphia died Monday at his home here.

Force of Habit.

ang that he had forgotten all about

Little Mixed.

would make any money. I see their always going out on strikes."—Bre

Not Quite Cured.

Waiter-Roast beef or cured ham, air?
"Bring me some beef. The last cured ham I ordered here was only convalescent."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Shouting Their Praises.

Friarpoint, Miss., Aug. 22 (Special),—Cured of Bladder and Kidney Trouble after 26 years of suffering, Rev. H. H. Hatch, of this place, is telling the public the good news and shouting the praises of the remedy that cured him—Dodd's Kidney Pills. Rev. Mr. Hatch says:

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In the important matter of the arrange-

In the important matter of the arrange-ment of its bones, the swordfish shows a great improvement on the shad.—Boston Globe.

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

BACKACHE AND DIZZINESS.

The pessimist always bites the spots on the apple first.—Chicago Tribune.

Most of the Allments Peculiar to the Female Sex are Due to Catarrh of Pelvie Organs.



99 Eleventh Street, Milwaukee, Wis. "A short time ago I found my con-dition very serious, I had headaches, pains in the back, and frequent dizzy spells which grew worse every month. I tried two remedies before Peruna, and was discouraged when I took the first dose, but my courage soon returned. In less than two months my health was restored,"—Mrs. M. Brickner.

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If you have catarrh write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give

you his valuable advice grass.

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The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

Has Minerals and Geological Speci-mens That Tell History of World from the Beginning - Valuable Pottery and Arrows.

Among the largest private collections within its range anywhere in the country is said to be that of Frank Howland, of Little Rock, Ark. It is mainly in the line of Indian relies, miners and geolog-ical specimens. Some of the rarest minerals are to be found in this collection, on which Mr. Howland has been engaged for 30 years.

To enumerate the varieties would be to make a list columns long, but among the mest noticeable are the large specimens of amethyst in various shades of purple, agate in stripes and bands in rose color, green, yellow and brown, crystals in various sizes and as clear as diamonds.

Chief among the crystals is a perfect cross of Hot Springs diamonds, which is mounted on black velvet in a gold frame and is one of Mr. Howland's most cherished possessions.

There are opals from Mexico, pearls from Arkansas, brilliantly colored stones from the islands of the sea, while the collection of minerals and ores is made up of specimens from all parts of the world that range in size from diamonds no larger than a needle's eye to massive pieces weighing 120 pounds.

There are in the collection specimens of clay with the diamonds imbedded, quartz with yellow gold showing in pockets, curious formations of a combination of metals and stones and a few crystals, inside which an imprisoned drop of vater can be seen following the motion of

There are thousands of specimens of the rare and interesting kind, each with its own peculiar beauty and interest.

The Indian relics comprise wearing apparel, beaded work and leather goods, and a large collection of pottery, every piece of which is valuable because genuine, most of it being obtained by Mr. Howland himself or under his super-

The latest addition to this collection is a bowl which he recently unearthed from a mound and which was found in the skeleton hand of an Indian who ages ago had been buried under the sand mound. The skeleton was in a sitting posture when discovered. A string of wampum beads was also found in this

Among the most valuable pieces in the pottery collection is a head bowl, which design is quite rare. There are also several pieces in the simal design and one large bowl.

Arrowheads to be hundred may be seen in this into esting place, with different styles of some weapons.

Mr. Howland his also in his possession some valuable pieces of carved ivory from Japan and China, a large tortoise shell, the sword of a swordfish, the saw of a sawfish, coals, sea urchins, starfish, sea fans and beautifully tinted shells.

The collection of prehistoric specimens is large and interesting and tells in broken chapters the story of vegetation in the carboniferous age.

Impressions of ferns in the later sandstone and clay deposits are interesting and his collection of petrified wood is one of the finest anywhere, as it should be, Mr. Howland being the discoverer of this

rovel curiosity. Mr. Howland is an authority on such specimens as make his large collection and has furnished some valuable papers

'or leading publications in this line. In addition to this unusually handsome and valuable collection he has collections of stamps, coins, etc., while Mrs. 'lowland has a unique collection of dogs, single and in families, which occupy places on a case of shelves in the parlor.

FRICTION PRODUCES HEAT.

Wonderful Invention of a Missouri Negro May Revolutionize Warming Systems of the World.

The wonderful invention of a negro in St. Joseph, Mo., may revolutionize the heating systems of the world. The invention is that of Charles S. L. Baker and it has been demonstrated that it will produce enough heat to warm the largest building in this city in the coldest weather without the use of coal or wood. The heat is produced by friction. Baker's invention consists of a steel tube surrounded by a jacket and inside of the tube a wooden roller out into four triangular sections and arranged about a steel shaft. The water chamber outside of the tube is ten inches in diameter. A two-horse power motor is now used to operate the machine and tests have shown that at a speed of 700 revolutions it will heat 900 gallons of water to a temperature of 160 degrees in 55 minutes. At the rate of 700 revolutions steam is produced in five minutes from the instant the machine is started, and during the next 45 minutes steam is made at the rate of a pound a minute. From that time on there is a gain of ten pounds of steam every three minutes. It has been shown that the machine will produce the wounderful gain of 200 pounds of steam an hour, 2,000 pounds in ten hours. The apparatus is used to heat the First National bank building.

Bees Make a Record.

One of the best harvests of honey ever recorded in Berks county, Pa., was made recently by the veteran beckeeper, John Dieffenbach, who is considered one of the best bee culturists in the country. From four colonies of bees he extracted a quarter ton of honey. The bees are known as Italian bees,

Advice to King Edward. Instead of traveling incognito as the duke of Lancaster, says the Chicago Daily News. King Edward should take for repairs on an automobile that cost his trip as Charlie Schwab if he really him \$600 has decided to give it up and wants a nice, quite time.

Goshen, Ind., Man Declares Monster Had Jaws as Large as the Head of a Barrel.

George Defrees, a painter of Goshen, Ind., is not a toper, and his reputation for truth and veracity in the neighborhood where he resides is excellent. Therefore when he tells the story of a monstrous fish he saw in Wolf lake the story may be accepted without doubt. Mr. Defrees is a former sailor, and there is little chance of his eyes deceiving him.

He was fishing on Wolf lake, northeast of the city, and had a fine catch of blue gills and bass. These he had hanging over the edge of the boat in a sack. Imagine his borror and amaze ment when the water began to roll, and from the depths of the lake he saw rising through the clear water a monstrous fish, with jaws as large as the head of a barrel. The animal or fish shoved its head several inches out of the water and selzed the bag of fish. Its sharp teeth cut through the bag like a knife. Mr. Defrees has half of the sack to show how it was bitten in two by the sea monster.

Mr. Defrees says that he has seen similar fish in the ocean, but cannot remember what they are called. He says he would like to catch this member of the "whale" tribe, but would prefer to do it from something other than a small rowboat. He describes the fish as being fully ten feet in circumference and six feet long. It had a large head and very big mouth.

There are several places in Wolf lake where bottom cannot be found, and it may be that in the great depths this monster king of the tribe makes

BRING JAP PAPER PLANT.

Experiments to Be Made by Agricultural Department in Growing Shrub in This Country.

The cultivation of paper plants in Japan is a very important industry. As is well known, Japanese paper of various kinds is in demand throughthe world. Recently American and European manufacturers have been giving some attention to the possibility of producing from Japanese paper pulp some of the numberless useful articles and toys similar to those in vogue in the island empire. To that end, Japanese paper shrubs are to be planted in America and in the countries of southern Europe.

The United States department of agriculture, which recently sent experts to secure seeds of the mitsumata plants, is to make extensive experiments in growing this particularly valuable variety. It is believed that this shrub will thrive in Florida, Louisiana, in irrigated parts of Texas and the Colorado desert, and in some sections of the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys in California.

The yield of the mitsumata paper plant in Japan frequently amounts to 2,000 pounds of raw bark to the acre The crude pulp is readily sold at 32 sen (16 cents) the pound. The seed alone is sometimes quoted at three yen (\$1.50) the gallon. As many as

24,000 shrubs are grown on an acre. SNAKE FOR MISS ALICE.

President's Daughter Makes Pet of a Two-Foot Reptile-Wears It as an Ornament.

A grass snake about two feet long and as big around as a led pencil is Miss Alice Roosevelt's latest pet. She sometimes wears it as an ornament and is making deperate efforts to have soclety take the snake up as a fad. So far she has not met with much success, even though she has impressed all of her friends with the fact that the snake

The president's daughter found her new pet hanging from a gas bracket in a bird and pet animal store. "Isn't that just grand?" she exclaimed. "Let me have it."

She fondled the snake lovingly, wound it around her beck and shoulders and left, greatly delighted with her find. The next time she went automobile riding Miss Roosevelt wore her snake coiled around her neck and it remained there quite contentedly. The snake's skin shines with a jewellike brilliancy and the living ornament was mistaken by most people who noticed it for a green chain.

THIS FISH STORY IS TRUE.

More Than 10,000 Finny Creatures Caught in a Day in Spring River, Kan.

Over 10,000 fish were caught below the dam on Spring river in one day recently near Baxter Springs, Kan. C. L. Smith, of the Baxter News, and O. C. Rummel, of the city council, eaught over 1,000 after supper. Most of the of the telephone. fish were young carp and quite small, but very good to eat. The river in places was perfectly black with them and fishermen dipped them up in buckets and dipnets. Next day the river was lined with men, women and children, who seemed to get all the fish they could carry ome in a little while.

Those fish probably come from stocked ponds, which have been overflowed by the high waters. There are three varieties of carp and a few bass, perch and crapple, but all are small. About 15 years ago just such a run of fish came here, but they were all jack salmon. weighing from a pound to a pound and a half. About 2,000 were caught in one day below the dam; but they never appeared again in such quantities.

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THE MOVEMENT TOWARD HONESTY

William Allen White analyzes some of the opposition to the re election of President Rossevelt in an article on the Postal Frauds in the September McClure's Roosevelt's "unreasonable" in dealing with crimes against the state, his prosecution of theives and law-breakers, has organized against him dishonest forces in high circles and in low circles. The appearance of one honest man in a group of thieves produces the instant crystallization of the group.

Mr. White finds a homely and practical meaning in Roosevelt's action in the postoffice business namely, that when a thief steals from the Ameri can government, if there is a law to punish him he must prepare for trial and if guilty go to jail. That is why Roosevelt is regarded as an unsafe man in certain business circles, where business methods and traditions license acts which, scraped off the veneer of high finace, are mere stealing.

The encouraging conclusion is reached by Mr. White that "the movement toward common, old- has recently been planted in a fortification at the fashioned honesty seems to be a general movement. It seems to be springing from the people and to be making itself manifest through men like Roosevelt and Bristow and Folk and Jerome and the Chicago crowd headed by "Billy" Kent, and hundreds of lesser lights known to the people of every community; this movement is using the party system to its ends with much practical skill; it being possible to riddle and sink them before and also the movement toward political decency they could get close enough to make their guns is clearly growing strong in the great newspapers and magazines of the country.

In this weeks issue we are unable to announce positively the candidacy of Ira C. Jennings for the office of Judge of Probate. Mr. Jennings has, we suspect, been a receptive candidate for a month or so but having been actively and pressingly engaged in the practice of his profession and in cases demanding more than the ordinary attention, he has had little opportunity to make known his wishes to his many friends throughout the county, Nor would this seem to be necessary. Mr. Jennings is so well and favorably known that he needs no introduction to the voters, and it is doubtful whether anything he could do or say would increase the good opinion of him so universially held. Mr. Jennings has held the office of can do until it grapples with a good strong test. Prosecuting Attorney of this county for three It is now a demonstrated fact that St. Louis can her brother, Wm. Cardinal in Rapid terms. In this official position he discharged his entertain the biggest World's Fair the Earth will River this week. duties with fidelity to the public, rather in a judical manner, than in the manner of an advocate in, and not be overstrained in entertaining and Being more anxious that justice should prevail transporting the millions. All this, too, without than to receive a forencic triumph, he was unifor- extortion, except in the matter of house rents and has been out of office he has been an active worker and fakirs.-Word and Words. for his party. He is, doubtless the best speaker in his party in this part of the state, and he has always been ready to lend his voice to the support of Republican principles whenever he was needed. Personally Mr. Jennings is exceedingly popular and would strengthen the county ticket should he that are credited to Mr. Reinger would still make receive the nomination. His qualifications for a judical position where the exercise of uniform courtesy and legal knowledge are in daily demand are universally conceded.

A. P. Smith the present County Clerk is a candidate for re-election. Mr. Smith has had a wide experience in clerical and municipal affairs and has made a faithful and exceedingly efficient county clerk. Having the advantages of a legal ination for judge of probate of Delta county. He education and clerical experience to commence with he has discharged the duties of county clerk | the councils of the party in the city and county. with exceptional skill and fidelity to the public. Marquette Mining Journal.

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

BIG BUNCH OF PERSONAL AND GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

GATHERED BY THE IRON PORT'S CORRESPONDENTS

for the animal.

In the matter of accuracy it would be difficult to day evening proved to be a home the school house. The new building for New York is improving the or ame a man with such high qualifications within the county. He is also uniformaly courteous and obliging in the discharge of his duties. We understand that there is no opposition to Mr. Smith at he convention and we predict that there will be few exceptions well taken and acted. very little at the polls,

That Fred M. Warner is not the railroad candidate for governor is conclusively shown by his actions while secretary of state. As secretary of state he is a member of the board of auditors which body must authorize the bills for extraordinary state expenses. During the past year the attorney-general has been fighting to make the railroads pay more taxes than they are willing to do, and more than a majority of the tax commis- at Gladstone. sioners say they ought to do. To carry on his fight, the attorney-general has had to go to the board of auditors to have his bills allowed for the hire of outside attorneys, experts, etc., and the railroad people and their friends have been holding up these bills as an unnecessary expense. Nevertheless Warner has voted steadily to let Attorney-General Blair go on with his fight against the ransportation companies. Would that indicate that he is tied up to the railroads or to the tax Kitchen. commission as at present constituted?"

The largest gun in America, if not in the world entrance to the harbor of New York. It carries a siderable rivalry among the young solid shot weighing nearly 2,100 pounds for a distance of sixteen miles. At target practice this monster gun has repeatedly been able to hit objects at that distance and the ships of a hostile power would therefore have little chance to get into the port of New York in the event of a war, effective. This is one of the most effective ways in which to maintain perpetual peace in the world.

"I have nothing to take back, I have nothing to withdraw of the things that I have said against the methods that I have pursued to advance his candidacy. It was a plain and deliberate attempt | ing his 20 days vacation which are to deceive the party. The New York party was allowed him every year. vague and purposely, so, because the advocates of Judge Parker were trying to secure votes from among the people who would have opposed his views had they known them. * * * The nomination was secured, therefore, by crooked and indefensible methods." William Jennings Bryan, in "The Commoner."

A City, like an individual, never knows what it ever see, with a lot of national conventions thrown mely successful. During the time that Mr. Jennings possibly some temporary and imported frauds

> In a recent communication Joseph Reinger ad vices his friends in this city to believe only one per cent of what they read in the newspapers concerning his case. One per cent of the misdeads quite a story.

Frank A. Reed of Detroit, a graduate of the Ferris institute at Big Rapids is said to be working to carry out the plans made some time ago to organize all Ferris students into campaign clubs. There are about 14,000 in the state.

Ira C. Jennings is out for the Republican nomis an attorney at Escanaba and stands high in Johnson and master Perry.

was a large one and showed its ap- the contract to build itspreciation of the play by frequent applause. The parts were with a Miss Emily Calaban as "Polly" was unusually good. Mrs. Hamilton in role of an old maid took her part well and her fright at the snakes which made her forget her love affair with the Irishman seemed very natural. Will Miller executed the part of leading man with credit.

Miss Nellie Mercer will return to her home in Chicago next Tuesday.

A number of Rapid River people attended the ball game last Sunday

Fred Darling and Chas. Hamilton went up to camp last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of Chicago who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Greer at Garth left this week for

River attended the concert given Thursday night in Gladstone by Mrs. Start Adam and sisters, the Misses

Alex Caswell has recently purchased named "Chicago Nell," what he will gone about a month. name the other borse in the team has not been decided. There is conmen of this town and Gladstone for the honor. The names of Will, Archie Mose and Abe are under considera-

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith and family of Escanaba drove to Rapid River last Sunday.

The disses Mercer spent Sunday with Mrs. J. Miller at Masonville.

Miss Elizabeth Hrusha left Wed- of Escanaba. nesday for a visit at Sturgeon Bay,

George Jerome of Hoisington, Kansas is visiting relatives in town. Mr. Jerome is government meat inspector for Kansas and is now enjoy-

J. J. Gagner of Gladstone and a party of oil men from Milwaukee visited the oil well Tuesday.

The work on the addition to John Barrows store will commence as soon as Mr. Hill has the cheese factory

William Cardinal has taken up homestead of 160 acres on the Whitefish river. He will build a house on the land and begin to improve it.

Mrs. Nora Dausey of Nahma visited

Geo. Gravelle has decided to retire from business and offers his stock for

A reward is offered by William Carmody for a lost horse. The horse was brown, weighed 1300, was branded with "H" on one shoulder. and had a black mane and tail. Jerry Gerue of Nahma visited in

town Wednesday. Mr. Gerue is employed as cook for the Bay de Noc Co. and is now enjoying his vacation. He returns to work next week.

Mr. Sarasin of Perkins was in town Wednesday. Last week he fractured one of his ribbs in a base ball game.

Rose Wilson of Sturgeon Bay is visiting friends in Rapid River.

Geo. Hamilton of Stambaugh is visiting at the home of his father-inlaw, Mr. L. A. Dausey.

Miss Eleanor Hibbord returned Monday from an extended visit with friends in Duluth. She was accompanied home by her sister Mrs. H.

A labor day celebration is being planned by the Shingle Weavers union.

Mrs. Chas Kirk gave birth on Sunday last to a pretty baby girl. Mother and child are doing well.

A number of young people from Rapid River attended the fancy dress party in Gladstone last night.

BARK RIVER.

Phil Labre made a trip to Schaffer Wednesday.

A baseball game was played last Sunday between the Ford River Switch boys team and the Bark River Juniors. The score was 14 to 29 in favor of the Bark River boys. A return game will be played to-

A most enjoyable surprise party

was given Monday evening in H. F. Gasman's new ware-house, in honor of Mrs. P. Breen before her return to her home in Texas. A very large crowd attended and the evening was pleasantly spent in dancing. Refreshments were served during

furnished the music. Mr. Bordeau of Schaffer is erect-

talent production of considerable together with barns and sheds will nerit The audience which attended cost over \$2000. Joseph Auger has the hospitals and keep in touch with

> Miss Sophie Stern of Escanaba visited at the home of Mrs. Wm. Loffler this week.

F. W. Arnson of Escanaba was in town Tuesday.

Aley Savoie of Bay Shore transacted business in town Wednesday.

A. C. Knechtel of Menominee was in Bark River this week inspecting out lumber at the Harstad mill. He was accompanied by his daughter

Miss Clara Finley of Escanaba visited friends here Tuesday.

Pearl and Ella Rood returned Tuesday from a two weeks visit in Glad-

Mrs. Ole Harstad is ill at Norway where she went a short time ago for a visit. Last Sunday Mr. Harstad and Miss Hilda Rood went to Nor-A number of people from Rapid way where Miss Rood will remain with Mrs. Harstad.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wademan and children left Tuesday for Reed City, Before returning Mr. Wademan will proceed to New York where he will ployed by the county road commisstwo new teams. One horse he has spend a week. The family will be

Hite Barr of Escanaba stopped in Bark River on his way to Perronville on Wednesday.

Mrs. Tim Derouin and son and Mrs. Dan Costigoney visited in Escanaba

on Wednesday. J. B. Frechette spent, Wednesday in Bark River.

E. J. Bergman is building an ad dition to his home.

Frank Kessler recently purchased a new team of horses from Kurz Bros.

Geo. Marchand made a trip to Esanaba Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oberg and children visited at the home of John Oberg this week. Mr. Oberg is a tailor from Chicago.

The Woodmen are planning on a celebration for Labor Day. A picnic is talked of, also a grand ball in the

Mrs. M. J. Hutt spent Wednesday with Escanaba friends.

Miss Lillian Frechette will go to St. Joseph's Academy next week to resume her studies.

O. G. Groeschel of Kewaskum, Wis. is filling Mr. Wademan's position as station agent during his absence.

was injured last week is recovering. Owing to the deep cut the horse may have to remain in the stable for sev-

Dr. Boyce who left two weeks ago bar for Jas. Susardi & Co.

portunity while in the city; to visit the most improved and latest methods in his profession. He will probably visit at his old home near Toronto

before returning. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Wery on August 21 a ten pound boy.

Chas. Schee is putting up a new building on his farm.

The ware house of H. F. Gasman is now about completed. The building is covered with sheat iron.

Sam Mackevich returned Tuesday from Chicago where he has been for several days on business. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Mackevich and the baby who have been visiting at South Bend Ind.

ROCK.

R. S. Bridges was badly burt Wednesday afternoon in a wrestling contest, he had his left leg badly bruised by the other man falling on

John Larson has returned from Brampton where he has been em-

Nick Bink of Escanaba was a business caller here this week.

Tim Curran of Lathrop, highway commissioner of this township was in town Wednesday.

Geo. Brotherton has been surveying here this week, a crew of men.

R. C. Miller of Lathrop called on friends here this week.

There will be a grand dance here, Saturday night in Bridges hall given by Frank Trombly and Frank For-

John Larson left Thursday for Bark River, to work for John Gas-

Our base ball cranks can hardly wait for the big game Sunday, between the Bleomer Girls and Old Men of Rock and defiance.

Miss Nellie Flynn of Escapaba is a visitor here this veek.

DEFIANCE.

The Defiance and lock. Bloomer girls and Old Men w contest for honors at base ball Sul

The mill closed dow! for the season Wednesday, after very successful season's cut. Chris Warch is repairing and

Joseph Frechette's horse which painting the interior of his saloon. Nick Bink of Escanaba passed

through here on his way to Lathrop Wednesday D. Moyott of Negaunee is tending

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RAPID RIVER

THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY. .

town Wednesday. The Tug Torrent from Green Bay has been in this vicinity picking up pulp wood. The tug will take a raft of about 6000 cords to Kewaunee,

The Ladies Aid will give an ice cream social today in the K. O. T.

S. Buchman has returned from ments were served and an enjoyable evening spent in dancing.

Sunday. The cow is pale red with F. J. Sheedlo of Escanaba was in white spots. A cow belonging to Tim Cullman also strayed away last Sunday. Mr. Hill has spent the greater part of three days searching

> Walter Hessel of Escanaba spent Wednesday in town.

The Modern Voodmen gave a return surprise party Wednesday evening in the Maccabee hall in bonor of the Royal Neighbors. Refresh

The base ball game which will take Ed. Hill has been looking for a place tomorrow between the home sented at the opera house last Saturing a new residence by the side of

team and the Richters of Escanaba will undoubtedly attract a large crowd of spectators. Rapid River defeated the Richters last Sunday by one run and tomorrow the Richters will try and turn the tables.

Joseph Savoie and Andrew Erickson are at Mt. Clemens recuperating their health.

The marriage of Miss Emily Francis and Mr. Rube Boyer, two well known young people of Rapid River took cow that strayed from his place last place Tuesday at the home of the bride. Archie Forrest was best man and Miss Linda Boyer, bridesmaid. Judge Sinnitt performed the ceremony and the ease and grace with which the Judge handled this ceremony, which was the first that he has performed, lead many of his friends to believe that he rehearsed his part several time before the

marriage took place. Arthur Huxford went to Sturgeon Bay this week for a short visit. Chas. Birch is filling his position at Sin- the evening. Douglas' orchestra

The Borderland which was pre-

EIVE CITY

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.

Rev. G. J. Childs, rector of Holy Trinity church at Iron Mountain during the past four or five years, has received a call from the church at Lakota, North Dakota, with assurance of a comfortable increase in salary. Mr. Childs now now has the call under advisement. Several years ago Mr. Childs was rector of the Episcopal church at Glad-

The new catalog of Green Bay Busiress College is the finest the school ever issued. It gives full and complete information concerning one of the best Business Colleges in the country. Its facilities are unsurpassed. Its courses are modern and practical. Send for free

The new residence of Mike Considine on the corner of Sarah and First street will be completed in about two weeks It is modern in every particular and will cost about \$3500. J. W. Lawson is the builder.

The city band orchestra played at Niagara Wisconsin on Wednesday night and at Quinnesec on Thursday night. Messrs. Morgan, Holmes, Zane and Sullivan were the players who made the trip.

Miss Lyla Rogers returned to her home at Ishpeming, last Saturday after an extended visit with friends in this city. She was accompanied by Miss Nan Blake who will visit with her for a few

Marie Louise, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs W. P. Belanger died last Sunday at the home of the parents at 1321 Ludington street. The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church on Mon-

Dr. and Mrs. Louis Treiber who have been located at Foster City left for Milwaukee last Saturday where Dr. Treiber will locate. Mrs. Treiber was formerly Miss Clara Kibby of this city. nn W. Lawson has the contract for ding a new house for Thomas Campbell It will be located on Birch street between Wells avenue and Hale street. It will cost about \$1600.

A party composed of H. C. Barr, T. F. W. Barr, and F. Falk and brother of Falk & Buchan, left today for Stonington where they will camp for a few

FARM FOR SALE-80 acre farm in Danforth settlement, with cr without inventory. Thirty acres clear and timber for a house. CHARLES SEALANDER

"Jaffa" a Soo horse took a race record of 2:121 and "Joe Gales" another Soo horse recently finished second to the winner at Saginaw in 2:121.

Brigadeer W. F. Jenkins of the Salvation Army corps of Minneapolis was in the city Thursday to inspect the work of the local army.

Mrs. Herman Salinsky and children returned from Marinette Monday, where they have been visiting relatives for the past two weeks.

Attorney Edward Yockey of Milwaukee was in the city this week visiting his parents and renewing old aquaint-

A business men's association was or-ganized in Negaunee this week. It starts out with forty nine charter mem-

Joseph McGillis is building a fine new residence for Wm. Manley at the corher of Maple street and Wells avenue.

Mrs. Frank Gautier of Cornell was in Escanaba Tuesday. She leaves today for a week's visit in Minneapolis.

Will Kratze and E. F. Van Valkenourg, returned Monday from a fishing

rip in trout streams near Munising. Bada Smith of Marquette who has en visiting at the home of Mrs. Frank

Kergan returned home Tuesday. Miss Margaret Killian returned Monlay from Marinette, where she has

en visiting for a few days. J. H. Chambers returned to his home n Minneapolis Monday after a visit

ith friends in this city. Mrs. George Holtby left Monday for

months visit with her parents at

Mrs. Jos. Reando and Miss Laura ando visited friends in Dunbar this

Frank Barr and James Frost made a ng trip to Days river last week. Miss Eva Slaughter went to Green y Monday for a short visit.

House to rent cheap. Inquire 1219 ourth St., Mrs. French. Harry Block returned Monday from a

ks outing at Garden. Wm. Vassaw visited relatives at arden Bay this week.

Mr. Hubert Meyer and Miss Lena oltes were married at St. Joseph'

church Wednesday, Miss Josie Walch was bridesmaid and Mr. Bickler best having disposed of five McCormack binders the past week.

There was a dance given at Town performed the ceremony.

Hall on Thursday and a large growd

Verticle writing must go, as far as the Marquette schools are concerned. The board formally passed a resolution to that effect at the conclusion of the public meeting last week. A number of people outside the board members were in attendance, and the sentiments expressed were strongly against the ver-tical hand. The old slants or Spenser-ian hand will be reintroduced beginning with the fall term.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fisk of Oshkosh were in the city Monday, Mr. Fisk returned home the samelevening and Mrs. Fisk will remain for a visit with her mother Mrs. Godell.

Mrs. J. Cunningham and Miss Lillian May returned to Burlington Wis., after a three week's visit in Escanaba and

Miss Selma and Clara Kaufman left Wednesday for a two week's visit with relatives in Wrightstown Wis.

John Finnegan a former druggist of this city visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Finnegan.

Mrs. Rhinebolt of West Superior is visititing Miss Henrietta Egglesfield.

Miss Jessie Densmore of Gladstone will teach at Ford River this year. Miss Beatrice Mc Dougall left for her home at Northland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Artauy of Nadeau were in the city Sunday.

John F. Ryan made a business trip to Negaunee last Saturday. Joseph Embs and Ed. Lauser visited

at the Soo this week. Miss Murray of Negaunee is visiting

friends in this city. Rev. Fr. Barth of Stephenson was in the city Thursday

Horace Atkins is attending the World's Fair.

Mr. E. M. Dougherty spent Sunday in

Allen Tyrall spent Satuday in Negau-

M. R. Horricks and J. W. Lawson left Tuesday for Watersmeet where Mr. Lawson has a school house under construction. Mr. Horricks will do the lathing work in the building.

Harry Allyn left last night for Chicago where he will join the Knights Tamplar of that city in a trip to San Francisco to attend the 29th triennial conclave of the order.

Mrs. C. D. McEwen and daughter Dora left Friday on the steamer Harriet Hart for a visit with relatives in Detroit and other points.

The Danish Brotherhood will give a picnic at Stonington tomorrow. The ba visited with Mrs. Whitney Tues-Duluth will make trips each hour during the afternoon.

The Hunt Stock company is giving good satisfaction. They will appear tonight and tomorrow night.

Mrs. Wm. Ferkus and son returned Tuesday from a two week's visit in

Mr. and Mrs. I. Kratze left Wednesday for their annual trip to the eastern

Mrs. David Yokum and son of Gladstone were in Escanaba Thursday. Herman Salinsky left Taursday for a

two weeks business trip in the east. Mrs. Theodore Farrell and her mother left Friday morning for Chicago.

C. A. Clark of Gladstone visited in Escanaba on Thursday.

Dr. J. C. Brooks of Rapid River was in the city Wednesday. Frank Barr left Wednesday for

Buffalo on an ore boat. Ed. Anthony left yesterday for a few days visit in Ishpeming.

J. C. Kirkpatrick made a trip to Marquette Thursday.

GARDEN.

Miss Edith Knutson is in town visiting her frieuds.

rafting 2,000,000 ft. of hemlock which will be towed to Van's mill to be cut for Chicago parties.

The North Star society gave an excursion from Escanaba last Sunday and brought quite a large crowd, The Richter ball team came over and played a six inning game with the

Gardens winning py a score of 10 to1. Mr. John Jaquette and Miss Hattie Burns were married this morning. Both are well known having always

lived here. We wish them success. Miss Lillie Tebo of Green Bay has returned to teach school at Vans

Miss Alice Ansell of Norway is

visiting her parents. Herman Winters reports that bus-

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Hall on Thursday and a large crowd of young people attended.

Mr. John Attenburg and family are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John The Young People's club gave a

dance at Lemire's hall last Friday

Bond Van Winkle reports great luck on his fishing trip, he and a falend baving caught 104 speckled

beauties in Carr Creek. Disco & Bodreau are busily engaged putting in a local telephone spstem for the village. Van's Harbor will also be in it.

Mrs. Kessler of Escanaba and daughter are visiting Mrs. John

We hear that Dr. Winn of this place is on the road to recovery after a siege of typhoid fever. Nick Walch of the Escanaba Brew-

past two days on buisness. The Blue Ribbons of Manistique cross bats with Garden 2nd. Nine next Sunday.

ing Co. has been in town for the

PERKINS.

Dan Sarasin is under medical care in Escanaba on account of a fractured rib received in the ball game with Maple Ridge two weeks ago.

The dance Saturday night was well attended by people from neighboring towns and all report a good

Miss Mary Hines arrived from De Pere Tuesday to visit with relatives and friends. A daughter was born to Mr and

Mrs. John Strasser Tuesday Aug. The coffee social at Mrs. Guster

son's Saturday night was well atten ed by Escanaba rnd Perkin's

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brousie drove to Gladstone Tuesday.

Mrs. Bessie Winde who for the past week has been visiting relatives and friends in Rapid River has returned home.

The Perkins ball team will give a dance Saturday Sept. 3rd. Mrs. Hess, Mrs. James Finch, and

the Misses Emma, and Loretta Mc-Randle and Addie Hilliar of Escana-

GLADSTONE

A fancy dress party was given at the Gladstone opera house last night. Miss Rose Doran will have the

principalship of the Perkins schools this year. C. U. Woolpert the former principal will have charge of the schools at Wells.

Burial Klingsburg made a trip to Nahma, St. Jacques and Isabella on Wednesday.

Miss Mary M. Davis who taught the second grade at the central building last year will not teach in Gladstone this year, having accepted a position in the Minneapolis schools. Mr. and Mrs. H. Shafnit of Muscatine, Iowa are visiting at the home of W. L. Marble.

ISABELLA.

Lightning struck Mr. Clellan's residence at two o'clock last Sunday but did little damage.

Miss Bessie Sporer of Nanma has been visiting Fernie Butler for the

C. Moderson employed on the steamer Hawgood was visiting fam-Wm. Bonifas is busily engaged ily and friends last Monday.

Arthur Owen the music teacher of Manistique makes his regular trip here Wednesdays. Burial Klingenburg of Gladstone

was a caller Wednesday. He may teach at St. Jacques this fall.

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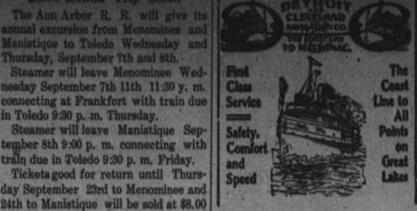
The writer has given exhibitions in every quarter of the globe, and has fled it would jump in the air I stuck to the from the arena pursued by the applause target until I could throw up my rifle, of millions of peop

The fact that, "he who would preserve a sound mind in a somd body," must devote some time to the sports of the field, has now become very gener-ally recognized; so much so, indeed, that "Muscular Christianity" now commands the respect of the community, and boating, skating, riding, fishing and shooting are no longer regarded as the occupations of those alone who are unable or unwilling to engage in what some are pleased to term more useful employments. In this country our young men are in almost every instance self-taught, so far as all that relates to from me. the use of the rifle is concerned. When a boy first asks permission to use a gun it will be found that, most all women forbid the use of what they consider such a dangerous weapon, but are willing that he should use a pistol, which is a far more dangerous plaything, both for the boy himself and those around him. The question is often asked me-"how did I become such a crack shot?" "Practice my boy, and not so much of that as you may be led to believe." Years ago after gazing I would go back to my first love-the in open mouthed wonder at the astonishing feats of the world renouwned "Dr. Carver," I concluded that the art was entirely beyond me:-that it was a gift of natupe-nothing could be more absurd. However, after some hard

aim and fire without a thought, almost certain to hit it. Next, I got some little paper boxes and on windy days I would tie one on the end of a thread and let it swing and bob around in the wind, those boxec lasted me a long time as they are a very uncertain mark in a stiff breeze, but I stuck to 'em until I shot 'em all up, then I got more and more, until I could hit 'em anywhere in an instant. Then my "chum" and I collected all the old tin cans in the neighborhood and my chum would "toss 'em up' about twenty feet in the air he would stand about the same distance Deafness is caused by an inflamed con-

I would try to hit it as it started to decend. (No living man and nothing but practice can tell, how, when, and where to aim). The first tin can lasted me two whole days, and then when I became a little more skeptical regarding my and this tube restored to its normal abilities, I would go back to my little condition, hearing will be destroyed "plumb-bob" a while-in time I could forever; nine cases out of ten are put a bullet through tin cans as fast as caused by catarrh, which is nothing but my chum could toss them. Small ob- an inflamed condition of the mucous jects, such as blocks of wood, etc., came next, and when I missed too o'ten "plumb-bob" shoot it up a 'ew rounds and again go back where I left off.

Afterwhat seemed an age, even such small objects as marbles, and pennies came into the game. I am willing to confess they lasted quite a while, but thinking, I threw away all the old fogy I got the trick down pat, when I had doctrines about rifle shooting that I almost given up. I We all have "off-



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ever knew and "went to work on my days", but when mine came around in-own book," to find out if a kid without stead of getting disgusted with myself any special qualifications couldn't learn or my rifle, or both, I became more dea few things, and knock the theories of termined to overcome every obstacle, my advisors "cold and stiff." I traded and kept everlastingly at it". But now my "Plobert potmetal" excuse of a when I look back, I think it's dead easy front sights-(they have the appear- mined to find out if it could be doneplugging away at that "plumb-bob" until I could hit it at any given point as become a wonderfully expert shot in a t swung back and forth quite often; suprisingly short time. then I increased the distance from 32 feet a little at a time up to 60 feet. I did not waste time trying to find out "how close" I came to it. I simply

rifle and bought a reliable "Twenty- Twas indeed many moons before I paint often the first week, but I kept | hit 1031 wooden balls without a miss.

two" callber rifle, took off the factory could toss up a brick myself-cut it in sights and put on a set of Lyman Com- two and also hit both pieces before bination rear and "ivory bead" front they touched the ground, but I deterance of a "ring" or "hoop" when aim- it could-and I mastered all by paying ing) and with which almost instantan- close attention to all the small details. eous aim may be taken. I paid 25 cents and didn't commit the folly of trying for a carpenters iron "plumb-bob" filed the difficult shots until I had entirely it down nice and round. I then at- mastered the easy ones. Now I can hit tached 6 feet of wire to it and hung it three tin cans thrown at once, and up so as to swing -and after painting it sometimes four and five, and other white I was ready for business. I small objects are knocked out of sight frankly own up that I didn't have to as they can be thrown. I have lately

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le say the street was run Long before a house was do With a tinkle, tankle, tinkle Ere the vesper stars did twinkle, Or the night dews 'gan to sprinkle Thirsty grasses sweet, Upward from the velvet meadows, Homeward through the growing shadows, Came the cattle's feet. And the path where they would wander. Winding here and wheeling yender— That is now the street.

That was years .go, they say,
But it runs the same to-dayBy the clanging smithy sweeping.
Past the gray church pillars creeping,
Widening like a white pool sleeping
Round the hitching poles
Where the suppressed dickers

Where the sunburned farmers dicker And old Bess and Dapple whicker To their truant foals— Thence it passes downward swerving Toward the whisp'ring willows curving Where the river rolls.

Changes come but slowly here-One may see, this very year,
As of old, a grandame riding,
To the stile her sorrel guiding,
In her level basket hiding In her level basket mding
Homely golden store,
And her newly-starched sunbonnet
Has a small blue figure on it,
As had those of yore;
Quaint is she, but wholly human,
Like a sweet, old-fashioned woman, Back in fifty-four.

More than carcless eye may meet
Visits in this quiet street—
Here are dreams in open daytime,
Visions out of vanished playtime,
Youth and joy and budding Maytime,
We had fancied done:
Yonder shouting barefoot lusty,
Paddling down the readway dusty

Paddling down the roadway dusty,
Little thinks of one Far away, who drops his trouble, And, in dreams, the barefoot's double, Shares his foolish fun.

Aye, a-many ghosts go flown This dim street of Haunted Town— Hearts that far a-field were roaming Hither turn them in the gloaming, Like the white-winged pigeons homing, Now no more to stray; And if longing could unravel Knitted life, and pligrims travel

Paths of yesterday.

We, too, o'er the faded meadows,
Homeward through the lonely shadows,
Glad would wend our way.

-William Hervey Woods, in Youth's

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CHAPTER XXV. SCOUNDRELS AND COMPANY.

I did think it over, with the result "H'm! Your education's being negthat when I sauntered up to the book- lected. How about you, Number stall at St. Pancras on the following Seven?" morning, the button-hole of my tweed jacket was made gay by a spring of quite at home at it, and I know London red geranium.

Number Two looked approvingly at it, as he gave me "Good-morning," and to settle the other preliminaries." Hubbock's little eyes leered meaningly at mine as he complimented me obsequiously on "the lovely flower" I was

A handsome tip to the guard having secured a first-class carriage to sions fixed, and the time and place of ourselves, Number Two came to the point as soon as the train was beginning to move out of the station.

"My friends," he said, "I have been through the accounts to-day, and I'm whipped up the horses as we apsorry to say there is a big falling off in proached the gray walls of Holloway subscriptions. The loss of that £5,000 prison. My instructions were to pass may have done us harm in the way of the main entrance at a slow trot, and shaking public confidence, but on the to pull up sharp when I heard Number other hand if we had succeeded in our Two tap twice at the carriage window. attempt upon Lord Cranthorpe's house, Outside the entrance a man was standor if I had not falled in my jubilee ing. His attitude was that of a scheme, or Hubbock in his Ishmael lounger, but the queer way in which club programme, I believe that our he looked up and down the road, every finances would have been as floudishing now and then, belied the indolent air as ever. But we haven't much time to he had assumed, and as we trundled spare this morning, and the immedi- towards him, he started, took a step ate question before us is, 'How are we forward, and then, as if recollecting to retrieve our position?" One big himself, stopped short, and stood stiff blow at the authorities will turn the and still like a well-trained setter at tide in our favor again and bring the sight of a bird. I felt that the man's coin in. But this time we mustn't fail, eyes were upon me and upon the carand it seems to me that the only way riage, and raised my whip to lash the to insure success is to back more horses. He saw the action and snapped horses than one. I have a plan for out the word, "Now," like an officer bringing off four different 'events' on giving the word of command, and the the same evening. One or more may next instant we were level with the fall through, but if we have four run-entrance. Jerking my right rein vioning, we are bound to get home with lently, I switched the horses round at at least one. If we should be so lucky right angles, whipping them up mercias to bring off two or three, we shall lessly meanwhile, and dashed into the have all the more reason to congratu- prison yard at a gallop. late ourselves, for every extra score will mean extra coin in the way of hind us, Hall, followed by Hubbock, subscriptions. But if only one out of |capt out, but, almost as their feet the lot proves a winner, we shall at louched ground, the black shadows on least feel, and shall make the public either side swarmed suddenly into feel, that we have done something for men, who had seized and secured the our money. Here's my scheme. I have four conspirators before the echoing enough dynamite still in hand to effect clang of the closing gates had died four big explosions. There is enough away. really for twice that number, but I want the explosion to be the sort of I had waited so long had come.
thing to set all London raitling, and I "What does this mean, Number Sevpropose to double the quantity of the stuff. The next question is, 'What ber Two as I got down from the box. shall we blow up?' Well, my idea is that we have a go at New Scotland a spy upon you all along, and that I yard and three of the prisons, Holio- told the governor of the goal why we way, Newgate and Pentonville. I propose doing the business in this way. The infernal machines will be rather heavy, and not at all convenient things to open." so cart about London; so I vote that we engage a private brougham for the mistook you for a gentleman." evening. One of us will have to be driver, and each of the other four will have to be answerable for an infernal machine, and for placing it where it car do the greatest amount of damage | dence. They tell me that what I know to the building which has been as- against the conspirators is but dust signed to him. I'll take New Scot-land yard myself, as the most danger-dar of crime of which the syndicate ous, and you can settle it among your- has been guilty, and that, in effecting selves who shall be driver and who the arrest of Number Two, I have shall take the other places. The driver been instrumental in bringing to jus-

the infernal machine, at the most con-TORTURING PAIN. venient spot, and picking him up again, after the thing has been placed

and the fuse ignited. By that means

the neighborhood some time before

the explosion occurs. Then we drive

on to Pentonville to do ditto there.

Thence to Newgate, and after that to

Scotland yard. There will be no cab-

man to come forward with evidence

about their fares and where they got

in and out. I think the risks will be

fairly distributed. Perhaps the driver's

procure the carriage, and unless he

can contrive to steal it, there is al-

ways the chance of the police getting

wind of the way the thing has been

done, in which case his identity will

be the clew they'll have to work upon,

and he will be the first man they'll

look for. Well, are you 'on' for my

scheme or 'off?' Please yourselves.

Hubbock's with me, I know, but what

The other three assenting, Number

Two went on: "That's all right. Now

I SAUNTERED UP TO THE BOOK-STALL.

the next question is not, 'Who killed

Cock Robin?' but, 'Who'll drive the

cab?" I'd rather it were one of you

three, for I want Hubbock to undertake

Too well, don't you, Hubbock?-the

inside as well as the out. Can you

"I'd rather not, unless I must," was

"I don't suppose it will be a case of

'needs must,' though it will be 'the

devil driving," laughed Number Two.

"What about you, Number Six? Can

"No, I can't drive at all," responded

"I'll drive," I replied, promptly; "I'm

"Capital. That will do, then. Now

The details of these "other prelim-

inaries" may be spared the reader.

Before the train reached Southend

everything was settled-the day, or

rather night, for the series of explo-

It was nearing 11 o'clock as, with

all my. villainous crew inside, I

As the ponderous gates swung to be-

The psychological moment for which

en?" hissed the now handcuffed Num-

"It means," I said, "that I have been

were coming here to-night, and ar-

ranged with him that the waving of my

whip should be the signal for the gates

"My God!" he said, quietly, "and I

The case has not come on for trial

yet, as the police are completing their

investigations and their chain of evi-

(THE END.)

will pick the four of us up at points tice one of the greatest criminals of

emplete he will crive to Holloway.

All the same, I do not feel very proue copping the first man with the box of my share in the matter.

we can settle on, and when the circle's modern times.

of Holloway's pills, by which I mean

drive, Number Four?"

you handle the ribbons?"

the councillor addressed.

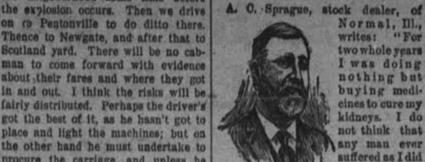
the reply.

well."

meeting.

do you other three say?"

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An attempt is being made in Vienna, Austria, to persuade servants to pay 20 cents a month toward an old-age insurance; but after three years of work the sum needed to start the enterprise has not been secured.

In the Rhodesian Government Gazette is published a proclamation prohibiting the practice of sorcery throughout the territory, including the throwing of bones, the use of charms, any manner of | WILL NOT MAKE SPEECHES. conjuration and trial by ordeal.

War is once more being waged in England on tvy and on elder bushes near cathedrals and other fine buildings. The ivy is accused of being a "destructive boa-constrictor weed," while the elder is condemned because its roots have a naughty habit of forcing themselves into masonry chinks.

Two Mohammedan criminals at Olmutz were in consternation the other day Holloway prison. He knows it well. on hearing that, like all other prisoners, they would have to have their mustaches shaved off. They pleaded that that would be an indelible disgrace, and that their wives would leave them. They were finally allowed to keep them.

While S. F. Cody, the inventor of manlifting kites, was practicing the other day with a flight of kites at the Crystal palace, Sydenham, lightning struck the topmost kite and, passing down the cable, fused it near the ground and released the kites. Fortunately they had no human burden at the time.

SHORT AND SENSIBLE.

Fame is dearly bought at the expense of conscience.

The man who trusts God is not suspicious of his neighbors. The man who profits by his own mis-

takes counts clear gains. One of a young man's gravest errors is to mistake foolishness for courage. What's the use of having a million dollars if your stomach won't help you

The man who does not care what people think about him is seldom worth thinking about.

If Heaven were reached only by the accomplishment of great things it would be a very lonesome place.

One trouble about moving is that you always find so many things you didn't know you had and do not want.

Ever notice how quickly time flies when you are trying to make up your mind to begin a particularly hard job? Some men quote the sciptural phrase, 'Charity begins at home," as an excuse for loving themselves above their fel-

AS EASY.

The food of childhood often decides whether one is to grow up well nourished and healthy or weak and sickly from improper food.

Needs Only a Little Thinking.

It's just as easy to be one as the other, provided we get a proper start. A wise physician like the Denver

Doctor who knew about food, can accomplish wonders, provided the patient is willing to help and will eat only proper food.

Speaking of this case the Mother said her little four-year-old boy was suffering from a peculiar derangement of the stomach, liver and kidneys and his feet became to swollen he couldn't take a G. V. Hawley, of Norwalk, O., a brakestep. 'We called a Doctor who said man on the passenger train, jumped at once we must be very careful as to 'and was crushed to death between a only cause of his sickness. Sugar especially, he forbid.

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FATAL RIOT AT ZEIGLER.

One Man Killed and Seven Injured in Clash Between Federal Guards and Strikers.

Zeigler, Ill., Aug. 23 .- A riot broke out in Joseph Leiter's mining camp shortly before noon Monday between strikers and the armed federal guards. One man was shot and instantly killed and seven were badly wounded.

Intense excitement prevads and details of the affair are meager. A fierce battle now is raging between the strikers and the men who are guarding the Leiter plant. Hundreds of men on both sides are armed and a further clash is expected at any moment. The strikers threaten to storm the

stockades erected by Leiter's men, and if this is done nothing can prevent a bloody conflict, in which no doubt the nonunion men would become involved as well as the strikers. Bitter feeling prevails in the camp

because of the importation of colored miners, and the white miners among the strikers have sworn to rid the neighborhood of them.

The trouble at Zeigler began about July 7, when a dispute arose between the union miners employed in that town and Joseph Leiter, who is sole proprietor of both mine and village. Early in July, Joseph Leiter asked the miners to sign a scale of prices at which future work would be done. The men declined, saying that the machinery with which the work was to be done would not handle enough coal to enable them to earn the union scale of wages. Thereupon Mr. Leiter ordered the miners to quit the place, giving them three days to leave. About 300 miners and carpenters were then employed. Leiter then began importing miners and trouble has been brewing ever since.

A Friend Announces That Judge Parker Will Not Take the Stump in His Own Behalf.

Esopus, N. Y., Aug. 23.-It was made plain at Rosemount that there is no certainty of Judge Parker making any speeches in the west, in connection with his St. Louis trip, or at any other time or place. The principle on which Judge Parker will act in the matter was learned from an intimate associate of the judge, who said:

"Judge Parker has no faith in the utility of speechmaking for its own sake, and will make no speeches anywhere for the mere purpose of appearing in any given locality. He believes a stumping tour by a presidential candidate to be improper, and he will undertake no such tour. The only condition upon which he will make any speech, anywhere, will be the fact that he has some definite thing to say, and that he is convinced by his own reason that some given time and place best suits the saying of it there and then. You may say with the utmost confidence that under no other conditions will Judge Parker make any speech anywhere."

THREE PERSONS DROWNED.

Attempt to Rescue Hat Lost from Sailboat Causes Fatal Accident Off Boston.

Boston, Aug. 23 .- By the capsizing of a small catboat off Boston light Monday afternoon three persons lost their lives. The drowned, all of whom lived in Cambridge, were:

Carl Lindquist, 39 years old. Mary Ancorson, 19 years old, a stepdaughter of Lindquist.

Ralph Jacobson, 15 years old. The Gloucester fishing schooner William H. Cross rescued Harriet Ancorson, of Cambridge, and Carl Umbert,

of Quincy.

The party was sailing about in the harbor in the catboat Viscen when a hat blew overboard. Umbert, who was steering the Viscen, maneuvered the boat until the hat was within reach. All of the party then rushed to the leeward side of the boat, the rail went under water, and at the same instant

a sudden squall capsized the craft. The fishing schooner went to the rescue, but was able to save only two of the party.

OHIO RAILROAD WRECK.

Passenger and Freight Trains Come Together with Fatal Results at Massillon.

Massillon, O., Aug. 23.-A fast Wabash passenger train collided with a Baltimore & Ohio freight train at the crossing of the two roads here Monday. The freight train plowed into the second coach of the passenger train. his diet, as improper food was the car and a freight house. Mrs. Alice Elmensdorf, of Chicago, a passenger, was slightly injured about the head.

Mob Burns a Negro. Cedartown, Ga., Aug. 23.—After being positively identified by Levia Reeves, the 13-year old daughter of a well-known farmer, as the negro who had assaulted her, Jim Glover was shot to death Monday night near the girl's home and then dragged into this town and burned on the public square.

Damage by Hailstones.

Fergus Falis, Minn., Aug. 19 .- A seere hallstorm passed over the towns of Pelican, Maplewood and Lidaya. The storm was not wide, but swept over a ong stretch of territory. Farmers report the loss of everything that was growing, including grain, corn and gar-

Given High Honor.

Berne, Switzerland, Aug. 13.—Alexander Agassiz, the celebrated scienlat of Cambridge, Mass., was elected president of the International Zoo-ogical congress, now in session here.



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Cities in The State Having Over 10,000 Population.

The official figures of the recent con-sus give a basis for some interesting compilations. Below is given the pop-ulation of all the cities in the state of more than 10,000 inhabitants and their lation according to the census of 1900. There are 23 in number. The column at the right shows the standing of each city with regarding to number of inhabitants in 1900. Considering the gain in per cent but very few have made a better showing than Escanaba.

Kalamazoo shows the greatest gain in per cent and Menominee the great-

Muskegon's male population shows a majority of one over the number of fe-male inhabitants.

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	Port Huron		19,157 8
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13	West Bay City	12,997	13,119 1
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Coming Wedding.

Announcements have been issued for more frequent. the wedding of Miss Katherine Evelyn Beeckler to Charles Emory Snyder of Wells. The wedding will take place at the home of the bride's uncle J. H. Hillyer at 502 South Mary street on September 7. Miss Lulu Harring will act as bridesmaid and Chas. Molin of Wells as groomsman.

Contest is Close.

The billard contest between Jack Mayville and Carl Seaholm the one armed expert now stands 194 to 191 in Miss Lee Kue, Who Runs a Ranch Seaholm's favor. Two out of three games already played have been won by Mayville but the score still remains in favor of the one armed man.

Escanaba Shut Out.

The Nebraska Indians defeated the Escanaba team by a score of 10 to 0 most errorless game. The Indians secured 13 hits off McDonnell while Facanaba got but 4 off Snow.

Wanted Elswhere.

William Vanderstine who is wanted by the Escanaba authorities for passing worthless checks upon the merchants here is also wanted at Menomlnee where he passed a worthless check and stole two bicycles

Will Play Spalding.

The Spalding baseball team strengthened by players from Norway and Crystal Falls will play Escanaba at South Park grounds tomorrow, A close game is expected.;

Captain James McCauley who has been in charge of the Godfrey has accepted a position on the steamer Hope of the Mitchell fleet.

Mrs. C. E. Tracy member of the faculty of the Ripon college, has returned to her home this week after a visit with Mrs S. H. Selden in this city. Mrs. Tracy is the mother of Dr. J. H. Tracy first mayor of Escanaba and a well known physician who practiced here years ago. She is 86 years of age.

WHY DUTCH SHOT WOMEN.

Betired East Indian Officer Explains Killing of Noncombatants in North Sumatra.

An interesting explanation of the killing of large numbers of women and children in the recent fighting between the Dutch "expeditions and the natives in north Sumatra is given by Col. . F. C. Van Bylevelt, a retired officer of the Dutch East India army, who recently arrived at New York city. Col. Bylewelt has had 30 years of active service in the Dutch East Indies. He said:

"The Alas natives are well armed, but their rifles do not carry as far as those of our troops, and in order to overcome this disadvantage their leaders place women and children in front of their fighting line. As a rule, our troops withhold their fire as long as possible. but they dare not run the risk of being overwhelmed by a sudden rush of the natives from behind their living wall. and are often forced to fire regardless of the women and children. Although their arms are inferior to ours, a few of their volleys delivered at short range, and followed by a general attack, would soon overpower our usually small forces and bring about the failure of the whole expedition, which is undetaken for the purpose of bringing about a better condition of the natives at large. Regrettable as it is, experience has shown that it is utterly impossible to induce the natives to abandon their cowardly tactics of hiding behind their women and children."

HORSE WITH A MIND.

WONDERFUL GERMAN STALLION AMAZES SCIENTIFIC MEN.

Understands Principles of Arithmetic and Is Able to Solve Problems— Committee of Specialists
May Examine Equine.

Wilhelm von Osten, of Berlin, who has for a long time made investigations of the intelligence of animals, has reached results in educating an Orloff stallion that causes amazement among scien-tific men and psychologists. Some of these who have tested the mental powers of the animal are Dr. Studt, the Prussian minister of education; Prof. George Schweinfurther, the famous African traveler; Prof. Karl Stumpf, of the Berlin university; Herr Schillings, the naturalist, and Ludwig Heck, director of the Berlin zoological gardens.

The horse, besides adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing sums, does examples involving several of those operations, finds square numbers and not only simply repeats what is taught, but solves fresh problems put to him by examiners in the absence of his master, showing a grasp of the principles of arithmetic. The stallion also forms little sentences, remembers them nextday and discriminates 12 colors and shades, giving their corresponding names. The animal distinguishes musical tones, indicating where they are situated on the chromatic scale, and picks out discords, designating which one to omit to restore harmony. He communicates by a system of hoofbeats, representing the alphabet.

Prof. Schillings has taken much interest in displaying the horse's accomplishments to other scientists. Dr. Studt says Herr von Osten would have been burned as a wizard in the earlier ages of the world. When the exercises are prolonged the horse becomes nervous, inattentive and mistakes become

Prof. von Osten affirms that the horse is as well educated as a boy who has gone to school for the same number of years, and the professor desires that a commission of specialists be selected to take the horse under observation for four weeks. This probably will be done with the view of determining whether the conventional idea that animal instinct and human intelligence are essentially different, is true.

CHINESÉ CATTLE QUEEN.

in Arizona, Lives a Most Unique Life.

Miss Lee Kue, the Chinese cattle queen of Arizona, has taken up temporary quarters in the Chinese district of San Francisco. Miss Lee Kue is a peaceable and refined cowgirl.

She is on her way to China as an escort played an ai- to the ashes of her father, who died sev- these figures do not represent the total eral years ago, and must, according to custom, be buried in the Flowery kingdom. While Lee Kue is thousands of clings to some of its traditions. There- wheat. fore her father's last wish will be religlously carried out.

Since she was 15 Lee Kue has had full charge of her father's ranch, which brings an annual income of \$10,000. Every detail of its working was managed by her. With a large staff of admiring cowboys she superintended the branding and the rounding up and she rode with her own herds into Phoenix.

Her life contrasted almost grotesquely with that of her sisters here and in China. While they seldom saw even the little corners of the world in which they lived, all Arizona was Lee Kue's to wander omr. Her sisters covered their faces from the sight of men. Lee Kue goes forth among the sterner sex of her own land and of America, jokes with them, quarrels with them, and bargains with them shrewdly.

Farming and horticulture are open books to this Chinese girl of 20. Most of the markets in Phoenix are provided with fruit and vegetables from her ranch. When the cattle were not occupying all her attention she would rise before dawn and drive a four-horse wagon loaded with produce into town.

Lee Kue is small and trim. Except for the frank, fearless look in her oblique eyes there is nothing in her appearance to distinguish her from the conventional Chinese girls.

MOUSE CAUSES A PANIC.

Is Thrown on a Philadelphia Trolley Car by a Mischievous Boy and Women Become Hysterical.

A small mouse caused consternation on a Philadelphia trolley car the o her day. It was shortly after six o'clock when the unwelcome passenger was thrown aboard the car by a mischlevous youngster. One woman promptly fainted, while a dozen other women sprang to the seats, their skirts held

For a moment the little animal was master of the situation, and, from a position in the center of the car floor, surveyed the scene with apparent composure. The most hysterical of the women gave vent to their feelings in screams, which aroused the valor of the more chivalrous among the men. These came nobly to the rescue and made a dash for the interloper.

Then came a clash. An inoffensive Italian laborer was hurled ruthlessiy to the floor in the excitement and he wanted to fight. It required the united efforts of conductor and motorman to restore peace. During the melee the mouse escaped.

Certainly Need It.

The New York woman who went away and forgot where she left \$200,000 worth of jewels should take a course in memory

SHORTAGE IN SERVANTS.

Immigration Officials Declare Places Could Be Found for 100,000

It has developed that places readily could be found for nearly 100,000 ser-vant girls in the United States if the latter could be secured. The demand comes not only from this city, but from the west as well, whence the clamor for domestic help is as insistent as in this city and vicinity.

Chicago is on the list of applican and inquiries from there indicate that the scarcity of help in that city is as bad as in New York.

This remarkable shortage in the supply of household maids was developed by the inquiries by an industrial organization into the proportion of fe-male immigrants arriving at New York within the last six months.

The authorities on Ellis island could place 40,000 domestic servants in positions within a radius of 20 miles of the metropolis within three hours after their arrival. More than as many more could be placed in the west.

"The only trouble is we haven't the 40,000," said an official of the immigration bureau. "Never before in the history of this bureau has there been such a great demand for domestic help. It is a notable illustration of the good times that prevail. When times are poor domestic servants are among the first to suffer. Emigration from the British files is a disappointment so far as the numbers are concerned. The British government is doing all in its power to discourage emigration. A few years ago Great Britain was doing all in her power to encourage emigration. My estimate of 40,000 homes wanting servants is a low one, but it is based on actual knowledge and first-class informa-

BIG SHORTAGE IN WHEAT. Yield for Year Said to Fall Off 58,-000,000 Bushels in Three

Western States.

Grain men and millers to the number of more than 300 have reported that the aggregate yield of wheat in Kansas, Nebraska and Oklahoma will fall 58,000,000 bushels below last year's. The Kansas reports alone show a falling off of 36,000,000 bushels from last year, due to the excessive rains during and after harvest.

Reports from every county show that the area actually harvested in Kansas was 658,000 acres less than the area reported as in good condition by the state board of agriculture in June. This represents total destruction by flood and protracted rains. The remainder has been damaged so that the yield was only 131/2 bushels per

The loss in Okiahoma from rain was 3,000,000 bushels and in Nebraska 5,-000,000 to 7,000,000 bushels. Even damage by rain, for much of the wheat harvested and threshed was injured so that it will go as "rejected" at a big years ahead of her own race, she still discount from the price for good

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CITY ON PERPETUAL MOVE

People in Butte, Mont., Live in Three Shifts and Turn the Night Into Day.

Butte, Mont., is the nearest approach to perpetual motion that has yet been discovered. Day and night the mines and smelters are working full blast, without a pause between shifts. When one whistle blows 100 others follow suit. When a shift comes on another shift goes off. They pass in the change house, where the overalls and jumpers of the mines are changed for street dress. There is no intermission. There is no delay. The miner's day is divided into three sectionseight hours of work, eight hours of recreation and eight hours of sleep. As a consequence there is always or shift on the street seeking amusement. The different shifts fill the theaters, concert halls and the saloons throughout the 24 hours. There is one concert hall in Butte which has not closed its doors for 27 years, day or night, rain or shine. Never in all that period has the place been absolutely empty for the space of a minute. Everyone of these miners makes at least \$3.50 a day, and he spends it like a millionaire. There is always work "something doing." The crowd is as dense at ten o'clock at night as at ten o'clock in the morning. The city of For Piles. Butte is never asleep.

Nose Pulling a New Remedy. Nose pulling is not necessarily an obectionable and hostile proceeding. It has recently been shown by Dr. Panyrek, of Prague, says the London Lancet, to be an effective method of treating loss of consciousness. "Rhythmical and very energetic" movements of the nose upward and downward repeated several times will, says the Bohemian physician, revive asphywlated persons in one or two minutes.

A Harvard professor says the moon is full of flowers. The unscientific reader will understand now that those objects on the surface of the moon that looks like craters of extinct volcanoes, when viewed through a telescope, are in reality full blown roses of an unusualy large

Flowers Instead of Craters.

Object of Great Britain.

Great Britain has not annexed the sland of Aves. It has just landed a force there to pick wild flowers.

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Arrested for Saving Money Andrew Repetto, of Genoa, Italy, who lately returned from California, where he spent 14 years, was arrested simply because it was found that he had in his possession \$10,000 which he claims he saved in America. Investigation by the

authorities resulted in his release. Not Pleasant, Certainly. The Paris Gualois says that the greatest insult one can offer to a native of Indo, China, is to cut off his head. When you come to think of it calmly, remarks the Washington Post, you can hardly blame the native under the circum-

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