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CRAIN BROS, Props. Successors to W. A. COX.

Fine line of fresh and salt meats, butter, cream and eggs.

A happy and prosperous New Year to all our Friends and Patrons.

C. Maloney & Co.,

We Wish To Extend Our Thanks

To the public for their liberal patronage during 1905. We wish all our friends a Happy New Year.

Groos Bros. Drug Store

We are Grateful,

To the Public for the liberal patronage which has been given us during the holiday season now drawing to a close. We wish all our friends and patrons a Happy New Year.

THE ED. ERICKSON COMPANY.

START THE NEW YEAR RIGHT.

Make us your mind to own your own home at the end of 1905, we have many excellent properties to offer.

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WE WISH YOU A Happy New Year.

And trust we may have the pleasure of your Shoe Trade for 1905.

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M. A. Burns,

Dry Goods Millinery and Carpets.

We wish to take this opportunity of thanking our many friends for their patronage during 1904 and wish them a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Mrs. F. V. Greenlaw, Millinery and Ladies Furnishings.

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To Our Friends and Patrons.

We wish to express our thanks for the liberal patronage accorded us during the past year, and hoping for a continuance of the same we wish one and all a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Falk & Buchan Co.

Wholesale Grocery, Flour, Feed, Fruits and Produce. Strictly wholesale.

New Year's Greeting's and Best Wishes.

We are grateful to the public for the patronage accorded us during the past year.

We wish all our friends and patrons a Happy New Year.

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With many thanks for past favors and wishing our many patrons a

Happy New Year,

Escanaba Hardware Co.,

Greetings for a happy

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THE VARIETY STORE

Wishes all its old patrons and friends a Happy New Year. We have returned to Escanaba to remain permanently and guarantee the the same low prices and careful service as in former years.

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A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL.

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1905 Will Be As As Ever.

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During 1905,

We will be found in our new location in the Buchholtz Block, 920 Ludington Street, where we shall be pleased to serve all our old patrons and new ones.

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A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

There are as usual 52 weeks in the new year and what we want is 52 bundels of laundry as well as your cleaning, dyeing and pressing on both ladies and gentlemen's garments.

Thanking you for your generous patronage we remain

Yours truly,

Escanaba Steam Laundry Co.

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Quick and Accurate Service at all times Our Motto.

And with the best goods all the time we solicit your patronage.

The Mead Drug Co.

We take great pleasure in wishing our many friends and patrons a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

The CITY DRUG STORE

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IRON PORT.
BY THE IRON PORT CO.
G. F. Mc Ewen, Mgr.

Entered at the postoffice at Escanaba, Mich., as second class matter. Subscription price, \$2.00 per year, in advance.
SATURDAY, DEC. 31, 1904.

Judges in various counties of the state are issuing orders against suppressing records of divorce suits. The practice of muffling these matters cannot too soon be abolished. The intention of laws relating to marriage and divorce was the securing publicity. Suppressed marriage licenses often enable bigamists to work their little games where publicity might balk them and people engaged to several and deceiving many fine concealment just what they want. Records were intended to serve the public, not to make deceit or crime. In suppressed divorce cases wronged parties are often kept in ignorance of what they should know, and important evidence that would aid the ends of justice is kept out. Any divorce application that is just can bear publicity. If not just, publicity is what is needed as a clarifier.

In the deplorable homicide which has just occurred in this vicinity, Delta County adds one more victim to the large number of murders which every year transpire in the United States. From the remarks which have been made on every side, color has been given to the theory that human life is becoming cheap in this country. Statistics show that there are more murders in the United States than in any country in the world and yet there are not found wanting in this community those who palliate if not excuse homicidal acts of violence of the description here spoken of on the ground that acts of injustice are sometimes done to the laboring men that in some way mitigate the most wicked of all crimes, that of murder. We confess that we are among the number of those who can find no excuse for a man's taking the law into his own hands to avenge any real or imaginary injury. For the moment you lay down the principal that man may act as judge of his own case and suspend the ordinary tribunals for the punishment of wrong-doing you have abolished government and are in the state of anarchy where there is no freedom for any one and where the strong are at the mercy of the weak. It is idle to say that the existing laws are inadequate to protect the interests of the laboring man from being taken advantage of by his employer. Acts of injustice are not confined to any particular class. So long as human nature remains as it is, their will be individual acts of injustice. It is the aim of government to reduce these to the lowest minimum. If the laboring man is to be excused for acts of violence for the reason that he has suffered wrong then others have the same right to redress grievances and every man who is not paid for the goods he sells or the service he performs may take the life of the delinquent. It would seem that the bald statement of this proposition ought alone to be sufficient to refute it with all rational minds. If defence of this theory it is claimed that laboring men are symmetrically robbed of their wages and that where the amount is small there is no adequate remedy for the reason that the sum he would have to spend to establish his rights would eat up everything he had earned. It is true that this may happen in individual cases, but so may many other wrongs. No government is perfect. Law is a matter of growth. Like the discoveries in natural sciences every year adds something to the fund of human knowledge. In the mean time, while this process of evolution is going on we must be patient. It was only a few years (c. m.

paratively speaking) that we had no lien law at all. Then the jobber who had failed could cheat the laboring man out of his wages. In 1873 the Legislature passed a law giving him a lien upon the product of his labor and now he may attach the logs or other product for his pay no matter to whom the product has been transferred. That was one step that was taken in the progress that is gradually going on to better secure and protect human rights. It is claimed that this law is not perfect our answer is, that there are many laws imperfect and in inadequate to establish human rights among those who are not laboring men and the laboring man has no more right to demand perfection in government than others. In the mean time all good citizens should not forget that in cases of this kind we are dealing with a most atrocious crime and that when a man without a reasonable cause and in self defence takes the life of another it is murder.

County Correspondence
Big Bunch of Personal and News Notes Gathered Throughout the County by 5½ Iron Port Correspondents.

BARK RIVER

Miss Louise Rosen visited this week at her home in Ontonagon. Carl Johnson spent Christmas here. The following officers of the Woodsmen will be installed Jan 6: M J Hutt, commander; Sam Mackevich, banker; J. H. Boyle, clerk; D. A. Bonno, scout; F. Olson, advisor; John Erickson, manager for three years. Miss Rose Elliott, of Harris, left Tuesday for Ishpeming, to visit relatives. Christmas exercises were held in the Mission church Monday night. Negotiations are under way for an indoor base ball game with Rapid River. Mrs. Herman Strahl and little daughter left Tuesday for a visit with relatives in Green Bay. A new bell has been put in the school houses and supplies a long felt want. The Misses Lillie and Millie Grenier, Mrs. Pelot, Mose Kurz and Joseph Cinemars, of Escanaba, visited here Monday evening. Phil Labre spent Christmas in Escanaba. Ed. Bergman made a trip to Escanaba Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Francis Derouin visited in Escanaba Thursday. M. J. Hutt is fitting up the building north of his, present butcher shop and will move his shop into it before Jan 1. Ole Anderson, visited, Escanaba Monday night. William Anderson, spent Christmas eve in Escanaba. Midnight mass at the Catholic church was very largely attended. The special music by the choir was the feature of the occasion. The effort of the choir this year eclipsed that of former occasions and program rendered reflects great credit upon the organization. Christmas exercises were held Sunday night in the Methodist and Swedish Lutheran churches. Good programs were rendered at both churches and both were well attended. Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Frecchette, of Escanaba, visited here Monday. The new launch which J. B. Frecchette ordered from Kidney & Sons of Depere will be 45 feet long and 8 feet wide. It will have a three quarter length cabin raised pilot house. Pilot house and cabin will be provided with extension berths giving sleeping accommodations. The engine will be of the Truscott type and will be 30 horse power. The launch will be able to make twelve miles per hour. The Misses Tillie and Christina Christianson of Rapid River are visiting here. The question of the purchase of a poor farm for the county will be taken up by the board of supervisors next week. The decision of the board will be watched with interest by many persons here. It is understood that the Oberg farm is still under consideration. A man from Algoma recently offered to purchase the Oberg property, but no sale has yet been made, and there is still a chance that the county may get it.

NEW STORE.
YOUNG & FILLION.
Are now located in their
NEW STORE in the
Buchholtz Building.
918 Ludington St.
Escanaba, Michigan.

J. Frecchette and family of Schaffers spent Christmas here. Miss Anna Harstad visited friends in Gladstone this week. Hilda Rood spent Saturday in Escanaba. Mrs. May Lunden, and little son returned Tuesday to Escanaba after a visit with Mrs. Ben Douglas. Miss Bertha Hakes returned Monday from Escanaba. Adolph Schultz was up from the bay shore last Friday. Mrs. John Bauß, and son Earl, of Escanaba, and Miss Margaret Douglas, of Ishpeming, visited at the home of G. W. Douglas. Joseph Douglas, of Ishpeming, will spend New Years here. Miss Ella Gallagher is spending the holidays at her home in Mariette. Mr. Groeshel, formerly night operator at Nareuta, is now located at Peshtigo.

RAPID RIVER

The K. O. T. M. M. will give a New Years ball Saturday night. The indoor base ball team is negotiating for a game with Bark River, to take place the first part of January. Miss Lottie Rabideau and Miss Mable Ackley, left Wednesday night for a visit at Green Bay. A very successful dance was given by several young ladies Monday night. A number of persons from Gladstone and Escanaba attended. Will Millar, who is a student in the law department of the University of Michigan is spending the holiday vacation here. Mrs. D. H. Ambrust of Escanaba is visiting her mother here. The diphtheria quarantine was raised this week from the home of Henry Cole. Miss Vicary, who was sick with the disease has recovered and no new cases have developed. School will start on Tuesday. Dan Cullinan is home from Northland to spend the holidays. Frank Gravelle will leave soon for the Ferris Institute at Big Rapids where he will take up a course preparatory to studying law. Mr. Wilson, the driller at the oil well, together with the crew left his week for Tennessee. The cold weather greatly interferes with the work at the oil well and no more drilling will be done until April 1st when the crew will return. Bertha and Lizzie Ruska, Arthur Luxford and Will Mißler drove to Gladstone Thursday night to attend the theatre. It is now known definitely that the Garth property has been bought by the Barker Lumber Co. and all the necessary transfers have been made. The new company intends to repair the mill in the spring and begin cutting next fall. E. M. Hill is running a camp for the Northwestern Co. and Lumber Co. Eli Trotter, of Manistique, formerly of this village, has returned and will spend the winter here. Mrs. D. C. Dillough has returned from a holiday visit at Manistique.

went to Ackley and Goodman's camp for pork and sugar. A collection amounting to \$1 65 was taken up to pay for same. The pork and sugar came to 5 cent and the rest went for rake-off. Proehl got wet in crossing the river. Mark Oliver the lawyer from Chicago arrived in camp with his camera and after taking pictures of the party returned to the Ackley and Goodman camp. After supper a great shouting was heard outside which proved to be caused by the arrival of F. Ackley, J. Columb, and Samuel Belongie, the broncho buster. The party had been shipwrecked in trying to cross the Whitefish river. The horses had balked and they were forced to unload in the middle of the river. Supper was prepared for the visitors and then the scene was enlivened with selections from the camp choir, led by Jerome. Cards furnished amusement until ten o'clock when all turned in. For five minutes everyone slept, then Wolf, Thompson, Proehl and F. Ackley arose and started another card game which lasted until midnight. Then the rough house started and there was no more sleep that night. Schultz lost a patch of skin from his nose in a scuffle and many of the others sustained bruises. The apple barrel was put out of commission by Thompson running his leg through it full length. Proehl started to crawl into his bunk but was kicked out by Schultz and took the bench and sideboard with him. Proehl was sick and Pete Hill also had a headache. Jerome was hilarious and seemed to enjoy it all. Joe Columb remained in his bunk until he found it was no use trying to sleep. He finally got up saying that the Hooligan gang was the toughest crew he had ever joined. Sam Belongie, the teamster witnessed a pretty rough house. The gang put the harness on him and drove him around until he succumbed. He was finally sent to bed in the cook camp with cabbage leaves for quilts and turnips for a pillow. He concluded that he wouldn't go to bed and said that it was too tough an outlay for him. He sat in the corner for the rest of the night with his head hung low, saying "it's awful when you haint home"—poor Sam. Hill arose at 2 a. m. and immediately discovered that one of his shoes was missing. A search was made and the missing shoe was found in the packed turkey of Thompson, who was considered the only straight man in camp. Breakfast was started at four o'clock by F. Ackley with the assistance of Paulander Jerome. When the gang was called to breakfast all that they could find was three pancakes, an ounce of meat, and some burned potatoes. Jerome was at once voted a very poor cook. Belongie after an hour and a half managed to get the team hitched up then we started for the West branch crossing on the way home. Belongie then went back for the balance of Ackley and Columb's outfit which was left in the middle of the river. A bridge had to be built to reach the goods. Wolf, Schultz, and Proehl brothers built a raft and ferried the deer across the river. The team came along at 12 o'clock and at 1:15 all started for home. On the trip home the gang was in a hurry and when the rig got stuck in the mud all got out and pushed. At Bill's creek hill the horses balked and Jerome tried to show how good a driver he was out the horses would not move. Then Belongie took the reins and the team went ahead without further trouble. When Rapid River was reached, the deer were unloaded at Darrows warehouse and one of the most enjoyable hunting trips ever known in this vicinity came to a close.

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Clean, Oliver service.
Special Attention Given to the Travelling Public
Rates by the Day or Month.
Farmers coming to Bark River will find courteous treatment and everything homelike. Rates reasonable.
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C. J. B. KITCHEN, Dentist. OFFICE, over Groos Bros. Dist. Store 1007 Ludington St.

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ROUGH BOARDS, PIECE STUFF, TIMBERS
EITHER IN PINE OR HEMLOCK.
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Comprising Shiplap, Ceiling, Flooring, Siding, Mouldings, Casings, either in Pine, Bass Hemlock or Hardwoods.
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Made in a Planing Mill always on hand at our Escanaba Yards or our mills in Wells.
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Careful attention to all your wants, large and small.
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CLAIMS AN OLD CEMETERY

Miss Mira Price, a School-Teacher of Westport, Mo., Files in a Graveyard.

Kansas City, Mo.—Miss Mira Price, a teacher in the Benton school, through her attorney has had a fence built around a little cemetery in Westport. Miss Price has had a notice posted in front of the ground warning trespassers to keep away, and has notified the city and county assessors that she is the owner of the plot where so many of Westport's early settlers were buried, and that she is ready to pay taxes thereon.

Miss Price is one of the children of Edmund Price, long since dead, who bought the ground, of which she has now taken possession, from Johnston Lykins, in 1848. The cemetery is 224 by 120 feet in size, and, according to the records, it became a burying ground merely by consent of Mr. Price, who, however, did not give the city a deed for it. A. M. Allen, one of Kansas City's pioneers, says the last burial took place there in 1860, but before that time it had become so crowded that some bodies were interred beyond the limits, members of T. J. Wornall's family being among the number.

The cemetery has been neglected for many years. The tombstones have become decayed and broken, and the whole place presents such a scene of disorder that the Price heirs decided to take charge of it. There are several children, but all have decided their interests to Miss Mira Price, the school-teacher. Miss Price bases her claim to the ground on the decision in the Shelley park case, wherein the court found that a cemetery no longer used as such might revert to the original owners.

MEN OUTNUMBER WOMEN.

The Census Bulletin Recently Issued Shows an Excess of Males in United States.

Washington.—According to a census bulletin recently made public there are more men than women in the United States, but in the cities there are more women than men. In continental United States there are 1,638,321 more males than females, or about two in each 100 people. Europe has an excess of females; every other continent, so far as known, has an excess of males.

American cities as a rule have more females than males. In the 1,561 cities, each having in 1900 at least 2,500 inhabitants, there were 201,959 more females than males, and this notwithstanding the many western cities which contained more males than females, and the enormous number of foreign born in the country, five-ninths of them male and a large proportion of them living in the cities.

Notwithstanding the great excess of males in the total population of the United States there are two periods of life at which the reported number of females is greater. One, extending from about 83 years of age to the end of life, probably is due mainly to the longer average life of women; the other, from 16 to 25, probably is apparent rather than real, and due mainly to the greater number of women who claim erroneously to belong to this age period.

FERRY FOR DOVER CHANNEL

French and British Governments Plan to Transport Railroad Trains Across the Water.

London.—Negotiations between the British and French governments for a boat service that will carry whole railroad trains across the channel between Dover and Calais are about complete, and parliament will be asked to pass the necessary bill, which there is no doubt it will do. The expenses will be borne by both the English and French governments in equal shares.

Already plans have been submitted by the Armstrongs and several other shipbuilding concerns for twin screw steamers large enough to transport trains such a distance. Hydraulic elevators will be built to permit the embarking of trains at low tide, and it is expected that the crossing of the channel will be effected in less than 90 minutes at a speed of about 14 knots.

Since the success of the American system of ferryboats two lines have been installed in Europe, one between Copenhagen and Malmo in Sweden, a distance of 23 miles, and another between Warendorf in Germany and Gjedder in Denmark, a line which has greatly increased the commercial possibilities of Germany.

The distance from Dover to Calais is less than three times the distance from Manhattan to Staten Island.

Will Wed to Win Hat.

Waterbury, Conn.—To win a new hat Gus Meyers, a cigar dealer of this place, 50 years old, has advertised for a wife. Meyers draws the line at cross-eyed women and demands that the woman he marries must appear within two weeks. If she doesn't he will lose the hat. The applicant for a kind and loving husband—a promise Meyers makes—must be able-bodied and between 30 and 50 years of age. As an afterthought Meyers adds that she must have sufficient means to provide for him a comfortable home with all of the necessities and a few of the luxuries of life.

Thoroughly Trustworthy.

The Japanese have reached high tide, and their luck is about to turn. The Chicago Tribune remarks that the information comes straight from authentic Russian sources.

Caught Many Sunkers.

Part of Mrs. Chadwick's securities turned out to be stock certificates in the Buckeye Fish company. Still, her stories about them did not sound funny to the bankers.

Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Delta, in favor of Escanaba Hardware Company, a corporation under the laws of Michigan, against the goods and chattels and real estate of John Lehr, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did on the 15th day of November, last, levy upon and take all the rights, title and interest of the said John Lehr, in and to the following described real estate, that is to say, his undivided one-half interest in and to the S. W. 1/4 of the S. W. 1/4 of Section Twenty-one (21), Township Forty (40) North, of Range Twenty-three (23) West, all in Escanaba Township, in Delta County, Michigan. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction, or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the 29th day of January, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 15th day of December, A. D. 1901.
ALEX. ROBERTS,
Sheriff in and for Delta County, Mich.
L. C. JENKINS,
Attorney for Escanaba Hardware Co.

Farm

For sale, at Rapid River, Mich., a farm of 115 acres, farm house, barns and other buildings, stock, and complete farming outfit. Fifty acres are improved. The soil is black bottom land and raises good crops. Farm buildings are in good condition. Machinery is almost new and is the latest improved kind. Stock comprises four horses, six cows, sheep and hogs. Farm is free from any mineral or oil reservation. Present owner desires change of climate on account of his health. For price and terms write to or call upon August SCHRAMM,
Rapid River, Mich.

Excursion Rates for the Holidays.

Via the Northwestern Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates to points on the Northwestern Line and Union Pacific, Colorado & Rio Grande, east of and including Cheyenne Wyo., Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, Colo., December 24, 25, 26, 30, and January 1 and 2, good returning until and including January 4, 1905. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

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Very Low Excursion Rates to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo.

Via the Northwestern Line, will be in effect from all stations January 7, 8 and 9, 1905, with favorable return limits, on account of Annual Conventions, National Live Stock and Wool Growers Associations. Two fast trains through to Colorado daily, only one night. For full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

Stockholders Meeting.

(First publication Dec. 3, 1904.)
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Escanaba, Michigan, for the election of directors will be held at the banking house in Escanaba on Tuesday, January 10, 1905, between the hours of nine a. m. and 4 p. m.

Notice.

I herewith give notice that all goods which have been left with me as security for board bills will be sold after Jan. 1, 1905, if they are not reclaimed and the bills paid.

FRANK BORDEAU, Prop.
50-4t. New Fayette House.

Notice

On and after January 1st, 1905, the banks named below will not open evenings.

Banking hours 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.
Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Bank of Escanaba,
State Savings Bank.

Do Your Trading in the Morning.

The Fair Savings Bank will give 5 per cent discount to all customers who do their buying in the morning in all departments but the grocery, from Monday on.

The continuation of the diary of the Happy Hooligan hunting club of Rapid River, which was started last week, could not be inserted this week because of the press of other work, but will be taken up again next week.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. All druggist refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c. 42-52 t

Notice.

I herewith notify the public that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mary Jolly, J. H. JOLLY.

FOR SALE, at a low price, post-office equipment, fixtures, call and lock boxes, etc., will be sold as a whole or in parts. Everything in first class condition. Inquire of JOHN SEMER, Escanaba, Mich.

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Salt pork is good if a man can stomach it. The idea behind it is that fat is the food the consumptive needs most.

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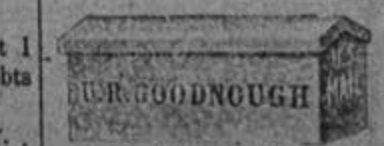
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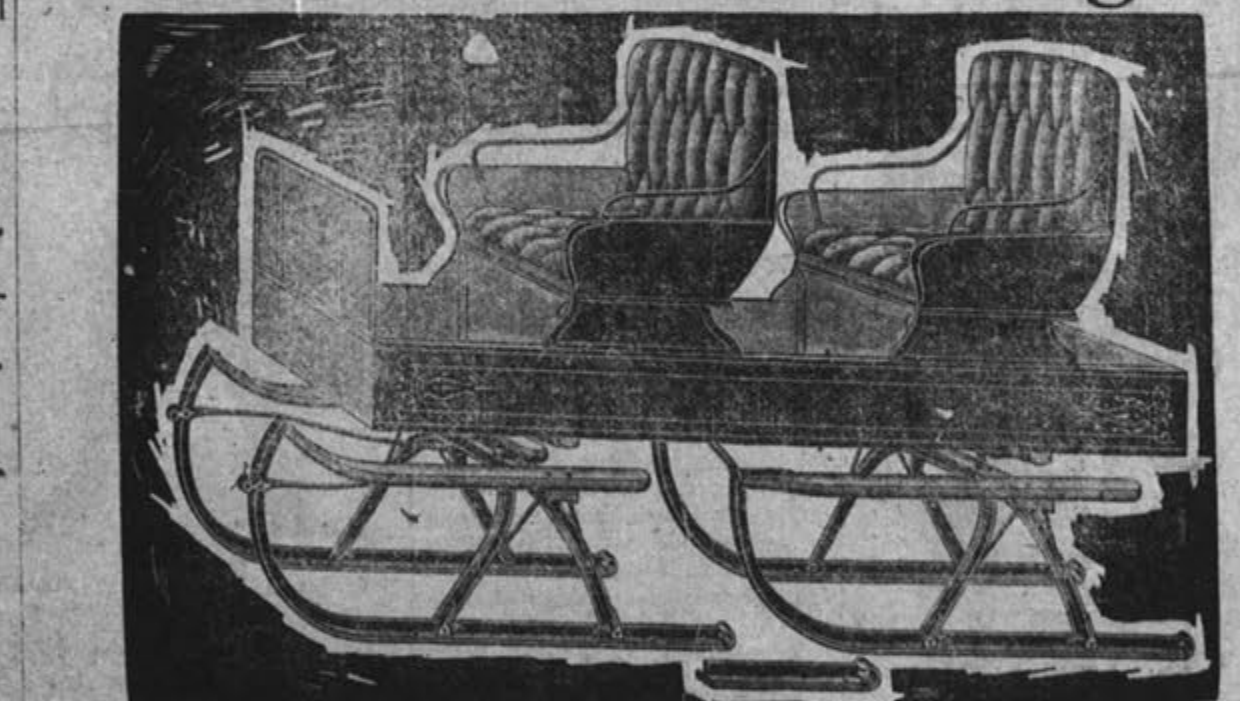
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