

## LARGE CLASS TO GRADUATE

Twenty-five Students to Receive Their Diplomas Next Thursday Evening.

### ADDRESS BY PROF. KAYE

Many Entertainments Arranged in Honor of the Class of 1905.

The commencement exercises of the graduating class of 1905 of the Escanaba High school will take place next Thursday evening at the Peterson Opera house, at which twenty-five students who have successfully completed their course will be presented with their diplomas by President Jennings of the Board of Education.

The principal feature of the occasion will be the address by Prof. J. H. B. Kaye, of Marquette, to the members of the class. Mr. Kaye's visit is looked upon as an event of great interest, he being a speaker of wide reputation, and his long experience as an educator makes whatever he has to say of more than passing importance. At present, Mr. Kaye is principal of the Northern state normal, at Marquette, the largest educational institution in the upper peninsula. The class of 1905 is the largest which has ever graduated from the Escanaba high school and consists of the following members: Horace Tracy Atkins, Hubert John Bessex, Jr., William Joseph Belland, Nancy Gertrude Blake, Sagel Eleanor Aronson, John M. Greene, Charles Ellis Good, Eunice Genevieve Greene, John Alexander Hall, Walter Louis Hessel, Clara Ellen Joegers, John Louis Loell, Clarence Emanuel Lehr, Theodora Richards McEwen, Robert Beath Mead, Harold Leroy Mead, Ethel Jane McMartin, Litta Mary Norton, Myra Halstead Nugent, Emma Gertrude Nylander, Thomas James Riley, John James Riley, Hazel Margaret Shipman, Alfa Lavidia Snyder, Myrtle May Zane.

The officers for 1905 are as follows: Thomas James Riley, president; Hazel Shipman, vice-president; Nancy Blake, secretary; Robert Beath Mead, treasurer.

Tomorrow night the Baccalaureate sermon will be delivered to the class by the Rev. P. B. Ferris, at the First Presbyterian church. Next week and the week following will see many entertainments in honor of the 1905 class. Those which we are positive of, are, the Junior excursion to Maywood on the 23rd, the Phi Alpha reception and dance in honor of the Senior class at Clark's hall, on the 27th, and the Alumni reception and dance on the 22nd.

The Iron Port wishes members of the class of 1905 the best of good luck in the career which they are to begin. At a banquet to General Passenger agent Hibbard of the D. S. S. & A., given at Marquette, Tuesday evening, Hon. Judge Stone in an address said: "I would rather be one of the young men who graduated from the Marquette high school last night than to have a million dollars." This shows what men of experience think of the opportunities of the young men of to-day.

## POPULAR LAD DIES

Death of Charles Grover Miller Causes General Sorrow.

An especially sad death occurred in this city on Monday night of this week. Charles Grover Miller, aged 13 years died at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Miller at 421 South Elm street. The lad had grown up in this city and was a youth of unusual promise making many friends and impressing everyone with his personality.

His death came as a severe shock to nearly everyone, as the serious nature of his illness was not understood. Some time ago he suffered a bowel aggravation which was removed after some difficulty, and it is thought that heart trouble was induced.

Funeral services were held at St. Joseph's church and Father Eusebius officiated. Six of his former playmates acted as pall bearers, while the pupils of the entire school marched in solemn procession. It was an impressive sight.

Improved Sleeping Car Service to Sault Ste. Marie.

Via the Northwestern and Soo Lines. Beginning Sunday, June 12th, the standard sleeping cars which have been leaving Chicago 10:30 p. m. daily, except Saturday for the "Soo," will leave Chicago daily except Saturday on No. 13 at 8:00 p. m., arriving Larch 5:25 a. m., Sault Ste. Marie 10:30 a. m. except Sunday.

The southbound service will continue as at present; that is, leaving Sault Ste. Marie 7:45 p. m. except Sunday, and arriving Chicago on No. 2, 7:28 a. m., except Monday. June 3-5.

## CHANGE IN BOARD

James S. Doherty Has Resigned Because of Contemplated Change of Residence.

At a meeting of the board of education Tuesday night, James S. Doherty, who has been a member of the board for four years, resigned. The announcement of his resignation was a surprise to nearly everyone and his absence will be a distinct loss, for his services have been of great value and his interest in public school matters has never flagged. The reason which induced Mr. Doherty to tender his resignation was that he contemplated departing from this city before long. According to a recent law, it will now be necessary to elect three members of the board at the school election which is to take place on July 10th. J. F. Carey has been chosen to fill the vacancy until the coming election when it is altogether probable that he will be elected to finish the unexpired term of Mr. Doherty.

Although President L. C. Jennings and secretary O. N. Marion have expressed no desire for a re-election, it is confidently expected that they will be chosen again, for the condition and proficiency of the public schools is at its highest standard.

Miss Ethel Buck, who is at present engaged in the public schools here, has been re-engaged, and Miss Edith Rose and Miss Sadie Silverman, both from the Northern normal school, have been engaged for next year. Miss Nora Murphy was chosen as principal of the Washington school, Miss Edith Fenton was chosen as principal of the Barr school, and Carl Kuirk, principal of the North Escanaba school. J. D. Chubb was appointed to superintend the building of the new school house at North Escanaba. In addition to these appointments James Ferguson was chosen as instructor for the commercial department, Miss Clara Fitzpatrick, instructor in mathematics, and I. W. Jayne instructor in history.

### Nahma Citizen Dies.

George M. Jerow of Nahma died late Tuesday night at the Delta County hospital where he had been taken Monday suffering from an apoplectic stroke.

Mr. Jerow was one of the best known citizens of Nahma having conducted a barber shop there for years. He is about 60 years old and leaves a wife and two sons who are in the employ of the Bay de Noc Lumber Co., at Nahma. The funeral was held at St. Anne's church Friday morning, and the deceased having been a member of the order of Maccabees, all the local membership of the Maccabees attended the services in a body.

St. Anne's cemetery was the place of interment.

## OPERATIONS RESUMED

Oil Borings at Rapid River Show Prospects of Success.

The Cream City Development Company at Rapid River, about whom various stories of disorganization and bankruptcy have been circulated has retained its vitality to a degree remarkable considering the number of reported deaths and disruptions experienced by it.

A. E. Neff, the president and a principal stock holder in the company, in a conversation with the Iron Port, disclaims the Daily Mirror's statement he (Mr. Neff) would proceed personally to reorganize the company, and regarding this article says: "There is nothing in it. The truth of the matter is that it is identically the same company and is undergoing no re-organization. The sum of the matter is that in order to proceed with the operations, the stock holders will be assessed two cents per share and we are convinced that this assessment will produce ample funds for a continuation of the work. The indications are especially bright and favorable at this time."

There seems to be a quiet optimism prevalent among the stockholders who are best informed concerning the conditions and prospects of the company, and the drilling will be watched with a great deal of interest by the entire county.

## HART BOAT BURNS

Big Passenger Steamer Totally Destroyed by Fire.

Late Thursday night the lake steamer Harriet Hart while enroute from Sheboygan to Mackinaw, caught on fire and sunk in mid-lake. The passengers, over thirty in number, were picked up by the Anchor Line of boats and according to all reports none were lost. Accounts of the catastrophe are very meagre, and the details will not be known for several hours.

Very Low Rates to Detroit, Mich.

Via the Northwestern Line. Excursion tickets with favorable return limits, on account of Knights Templar of Michigan, Grand Commandery, Conclave and State Encampment. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y. June 3-5.

## PARTIAL REPORT OF INVESTIGATION

First Part of Health Physician Breitenbach's Report

### GIVEN TO PUBLIC

Remainder Will be Given Later, of Vital Interest to Every Citizen.

The special meeting of the council Tuesday night was one in which the entire city has been vitally interested. City Health Physician O. C. Breitenbach, after having made a most complete and thorough investigation of the causes leading to Escanaba's typhoid epidemics and having prepared charts covering fully every detail of the deplorable health conditions which have existed in this city was in a position to explain and show his auditors the causes of such unfavorable health conditions and the remedies that must be applied to same. According to his report the condition as regards health, has had its growth for a number of years, and the cost in dollars and in injured reputation was shown to be very great. He explained that in order to achieve results in the battle against disease, a full and hearty co-operation must exist between both citizens and officials, and pointed out the fact that there were those who hindered the progress of the city by refusing their co-operation. He stated that the analysis of the water indicated a sewage pollution, which was more or less apparent in all the water excepting that of the artisan wells. All the water samples taken from wells about the city and from the artisan wells showed an abundance of organic matter; and as a probable cause of this it was stated that bodies are below water in two cemeteries of the city noting at the same time the fact that the sewerage of the city is not used generally.

That the great amounts of money expended by many cities to stamp out typhoid fever has been productive of unlimited good was briefly dwelt upon and Chicago's warfare against disease was an especially good example. Before the construction of the drainage canal that city was afflicted with a death rate nearly as great as that maintaining in Pittsburgh, while the latest report shows but one death from typhoid fever in seven days.

In commenting upon the argument used by many people to the effect that as there has been certain members of families who contracted the disease while other members, who have drunk the same water, have escaped any sickness, therefore water is not the source of infection, this contention is proven groundless when it is explained that the particular person's physical condition and his ability or inability to throw off the germs of disease, is not the same. Some interesting data had been secured and it was conclusively shown that this city holds a death rate higher than any other city in the country. Pittsburgh which is called by McClures magazine "The Home of Typhoid" has a death rate of 124.7 per 100,000 people which is only one-half that of Escanaba.

Not a member of the council was missing and the necessity for prompt measures seemed to be fully realized.

On account of the discovery of a small pox case on a Soo Line sleeper, which demanded Dr. Breitenbach's immediate attention the report was only half finished, and dwelt upon those facts based on statistics, covering the past few years. Another meeting of the council in the near future will be called and then the advisory and remedial portion of the report will be made public, after which stringent measures will be taken along the lines suggested.

Dr. Breitenbach's report was, up to his interruption, very clear and free from obscure technical expressions and contained sound reasoning and logical deductions. The remainder of the report will be awaited with exceeding interest by every citizen of Escanaba.

### New School Building.

As soon as school has closed for the summer vacation, Contractor J. W. Lawson will begin the construction of a new school building at North Escanaba. The present building will be reconstructed and used in connection with the new institution. The building will cost \$574,000. The need of better accommodation for the seventh ward has been apparent for some time, and the action of the board of education will be generally commended.

Very Low Rates to Denver, Colo.

Via the Northwestern Line. Tickets to be sold June 30 to July 4 inclusive, with favorable return limits, on account of International Epworth League Convention. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y. June 3-5.

## ANOTHER VICTORY

One More Scalp Attached to the Escanaba Base Ball Team's Belt Score 17 to 2.

Rapid River came, saw and were conquered on the diamond in this city last Sunday. At the best it was an ignominious defeat for the boys up the bay.

Escanaba piled up seventeen tallies and were guilty of two errors, while Rapid River made two runs and piled up seventeen errors. At for hits, Escanaba's superiority with the bat was made painfully emphatic to the visitors.

Brown of Rapid River did not arise to expectations and a total of 24 hits were made off his delivery. On the other hand McDonald showed splendid form holding the visitors down to two hits and striking out eleven men. However Brown's support was wretched, his infield making ten out of the seventeen errors, while McDonald's support was excellent excepting during the second inning when Escanaba displayed some careless ness.

A feature of the game was "Nic" Welch's home run in the first inning.

At least one hit was secured by every member of the Escanaba team, Hodson, Aubin and Flath knocking out a two-base hit each.

Rapid River's scores came in the second inning. A long drive to right field, followed by a wild return, allowed Labombard and Huxford to score their only runs. Following is the way the two teams lined up:

Escanaba	Rapid River
Flath	c. f.
Walch	Nolden
Jaegers	a. b.
McDonald	p.
Hoffman	s. a.
Lehr	t. b.
Hodson	r. f.
Aubin	c.
Lentz	l. f.
	Wells
	Cole
	Labombard
	Brown
	Boyer
	Gravel
	Huxford
	Larson
	Birch

Following is the score by innings:  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 R. H. E.  
Escanaba 3 0 3 2 6 1 0 2 0 17-2  
Rapid River 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 2-17

### Saloon Burglarized

The saloon of Nicholas Niece at 405 Ludington street, was entered Tuesday night by burglars who succeeded in making way with \$15.00. The burglary was accomplished in quite a skillful manner and the indications are that it was planned several days in advance. Some one had evidently placed their pieces of wood along the sides of the rear window and the locks were thus left open. This could have been done only from the inside. On Wednesday morning nothing unusual was noticed or discovered until the money drawer was opened and the cash found to be missing. An immediate examination followed and the rear window was found open. Although the police have been notified no clew has been obtained to the robbers identity.

### Reconstruction of Tracks Ordered

On Tuesday night the city council passed a resolution calling upon the Escanaba Electric Street Railway Company to remove all defective ties from the street-car track on Ludington street and to replace the old rails with new ones of the class demanded in the specifications adopted for the improvement of Ludington street. Hereafter on all tracks and switches which may be built in the future, rails of the weight and height designated in the specifications, must be used.

This action of the council will permit the company to go ahead with their part of the work as soon as it can be arranged.

### Completes Sentence August 20th.

A. W. Freeman, formerly manager for the Raber & Watson Cedar Co., at Menominee, and who has been serving a four year sentence in the state branch penitentiary at Marquette for embezzling the funds of the company entrusted to his charge, will be released on August 20th, his sentence having been completed.

### Very Low Excursion Rates to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, Etc.

Via the Northwestern Line, will be in effect from all stations June 13, 14, 15, 19, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29, 30 and July 1, 2 and 3, with favorable return limits, on account of International Printing Pressmen's and Assistants Union and American Surgical Association at San Francisco. Two fast trains to the Pacific Coast daily. "The Overland Limited" (electric lighted throughout,) less than three days en route. Another fast train is "The California Express" with drawing room and tourist sleeping cars. The best of everything. For rates, tickets, etc., apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y. June 03-5.

### Teachers Examination

Regular teachers examination for Delta County will be held at the high school, city of Gladstone, commencing Thursday June 15, 1905 at 8:30 a. m. This examination is open to all applicants for second and third grade certificates.

P. R. LEO, County Clerk, of School

## ELABORATE WEDDING

Marriage of Miss Clara C. Finley to James F. Corcoran Took Place Thursday Morning.

### IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY

After an Extended Wedding Tour Couple Will Reside at Crystal Falls.

On Thursday morning at nine o'clock at St. Patrick's church there occurred one of the most beautiful and elaborate church weddings that Escanaba has seen for a long time.

Miss Clara C. Finley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Finley, was married to Mr. James F. Corcoran of Crystal Falls, amidst an abundance of flowers and friends and with the benediction of hosts upon their holy vows.

Rev. Father Langan of St. Patrick's church performed the ceremony, which was very impressive.

Miss Catherine Hodson and Miss Nora Murphy attended the bride as bridesmaids and Miss Winnifred Finley, a sister of the bride, as maid of honor.

The groom was attended by Senator Michael H. Moriarty of Crystal Falls, as groomsmen and the ushers were Mr. James J. Gaffney of Crystal Falls and Mr. James Morgan of Escanaba.

The scene presented by the wedding was a particularly happy and lovely one.

The bride was beautifully gowned in white silk with old lace trimmings and a veil and wreath formed of orange blossoms.

The bridesmaids and maid of honor were attired in gowns of dotted white swiss and all carried American Beauty roses. The bridesmaids wore wreaths of roses and the maid of honor wore a wreath of lillies.

As soon as the ceremony the wedding party partook of a sumptuous wedding breakfast at the home of the bride's parents at 512 South Elm street.

Mr. and Mrs. Corcoran then left over the Northwestern road for an extended wedding trip in the East, after which they will make their home in Crystal Falls.

A host of friends of both the bride and the groom join in best wishes and congratulations for the happy couple.

## MATINEE SEATS ALL BOUGHT

Free Tickets For Today's Performance Given Away by Fair Savings Bank Dept. Store.

The patrons of the Fair Savings Bank department store have been treated to a pleasant surprise this week by receiving free tickets to today's matinee.

On Monday night was announced at the opening performance of the Jack Hoeffler Stock Company, that Herman Salinsky, with his customary enterprise, had purchased all the seats for Saturday afternoon's matinee and would bestow them upon the patrons of his store.

The tickets have been going at a rapid rate and the attendance this afternoon's promises to be large.

### Small-Pox Scare.

A negro porter on the Soo line sleeper, which was switched to the local Northwestern depot last Tuesday night, was the cause of considerable alarm in that vicinity, when it was discovered that he was afflicted with small-pox. Dr. R. S. Forsythe, the Northwestern Company's physician, was immediately summoned and after a quick examination of the patient his disease was pronounced small-pox, and steps were taken at once to insure a strict quarantine. City Health Physician Breitenbach was called away from the city hall, where he was rendering his report to the council, to superintend the proper disposal of the case. The sick man is now in the isolation hospital where he will be confined until recovered.

According to the physician there is not much danger of the disease spreading.

### Notice to Water Consumers.

Having been instructed by the management from the head office to enforce all rules regulating the payment of water taxes it is now necessary that I warn all patrons that unless all bills are paid by June 15th, the service will be cut off and one dollar charged for reinstatement after the bill is settled. The company has spent a large sum of money during the past year in improvements and for that reason have issued the order to collect at once.

The office of the company is at 710 Ludington street, and all those who are in debt to the company will save themselves and myself a lot of trouble if they will take heed of this notice.

Yours respectfully,  
W. J. HATTON, Supt.

## RECORD BREAKING GAME

Wolverine Baseball Team Battles Fourteen Innings With Manistique

The Wolverine Baseball team met Manistique at that city Sunday and the result was the longest and most exciting game of the season for that place. The Wolverines lost but claim that an unjust decision by the umpire in the fourteenth inning robbed them of victory. With the score 9 and 9, and both sides playing gilt edged ball, Manistique came to bat in the fourteenth inning. They had scored one run and two men were out, when a Manistique player, in attempting to steal a base, was caught fairly according to the claims of the members of the Wolverine team, as well as in the opinion of a great many spectators. The umpire however decided in favor of Manistique and the Wolverines left the field in disgust.

Johnson's pitching was a feature of the game and his support was excellent.

It is hoped that another game may be arranged between the Wolverines and Manistique in order that their relative strength can be more satisfactorily established.

## NO DEPUTY CORONER

That Office Held Illegal and Appointment Rendered Void by Decision of Asst. Pros. Atty.

The appointment of Henry McFall to the office of deputy county coroner has been held illegal and has therefore been rendered void by a decision submitted by Assistant Prosecuting Attorney John Cumiskey. It seems that Coroner Hutchins, believing that a deputy for the office in question was allowed by the law, made this appointment before its legality was established. Mr. Cumiskey, in declining that a county coroner did not hold the authority to appoint a deputy coroner, stated that such an office does not exist in the state of Michigan, and is not provided for in law.

## DR. A. L. LAING INJURED

Serious Accident Happens to Rapid River Physician While Horse Back Riding.

Dr. A. L. Laing of Rapid River sustained a severe compound fracture of the left ankle while horseback riding late last Friday afternoon, and as a consequence will be incapacitated for duty for probably two or three months. Dr. O. E. Youngquist was called to Rapid River at once and set the fractured bone. Dr. Laing is now resting comfortably but his recovery promises to be long and tedious.

It is not long since that H. B. Laing of Gladstone, a brother of Dr. Laing, was also seriously injured, sustaining a sprained ankle—the co-incidence between the two accidents being singular as well as unfortunate. In order for the "proverbial three" accidents to happen to the Laing family, it now remains but for Peter Laing, the other brother to fulfill his part.

The Iron Port hopes that the kind fates will relieve Peter of all obligations assumed or otherwise.

## DEATH OF VETERAN.

William F. Sterling An Engineer Who Rendered Valuable Aid to the Union During Civil War Dies.

At the home of his family at 722 Hale street, last Sunday night, William F. Sterling, one of Escanaba's most honored and respected citizens, died, after a long illness from locomotor ataxia. He was seventy-two years old and he had rendered splendid and heroic service to his country during the Civil War. As a locomotive engineer he held the trolley of the engine which carried train after train of Union troops into a hostile and deadly land. His position there was exceedingly dangerous and that he clung tenaciously to it showed the spirit and courage of a brave man.

He is survived by his wife, a son and two daughters, one of whom lives in Escanaba. The son, George A. Sterling, lives at Leroy, Minn. and Mrs. J. E. Bassingwaite, a daughter, lives at Ashland, Wis.

Mr. Sterling came to Escanaba about two years ago, from Louisville, Ky., and during his residence here has made a multitude of friends.

Interment took place at Lakeview cemetery on Wednesday afternoon, the services being conducted by Rev. James Pascoe of the First M. E. church.

### Crystal Falls vs. Escanaba.

The Crystal Falls base ball team plays in this city to-day and Sunday, and as each team is especially anxious to win, a very bitter struggle can be looked for and snap and ginger will not be wanting. It is rumored that the visiting team will be reinforced to a considerable extent and have something "up their sleeve." McDonald will probably pitch today's game for Escanaba while Nolden is expected to occupy the box for the home team on Sunday. A record breaking crowd is expected to attend.



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## SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

### MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT HOME AND ABROAD IN CONDENSED FORM.

#### THE WAR IN THE FAR EAST

**Progress of Hostilities Between Russia and Japan—Doings at Washington—Items of Interest from All Over the World.**

#### RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR.

Russia and Japan will negotiate for peace as a result of the efforts of President Roosevelt. An identical note to both belligerents urging the termination of the strife was made public at the white house, with their consent.

Russia and Japan have agreed to accept President Roosevelt's suggestion and will appoint plenipotentiaries to meet and discuss terms of peace.

Rear Admiral Train has reported to the navy department that the Russian ships at Manila have been interned.

A Vienna dispatch asserts the czar informed President Roosevelt the war must go on.

The crew of the captured battleship Orel tried to blow up the vessel and eight men were shot by Japanese captors.

The czar's naval officers at Manila say Rojstevskiy's ships were not cleared for action and guns were un-manned when Togo attacked them.

Japanese troops occupied Omoso, 75 miles east of Kirin, thus turning the Russian flank. The news startled St. Petersburg.

#### THE CHICAGO STRIKE.

A conference between the Chicago teamsters and employers again failed to end the strike and peace seems more distant than ever.

Charles Ward in an affidavit filed in the United States court at Chicago swore that William J. Baker confessed to being hired by the teamsters' union to slug nonunion men for \$4.50 each.

A negro policeman guarding a wagon in Chicago killed a bystander when a member of a group hooted at the non-union driver.

#### NORWAY-SWEDEN SPLIT.

The Norwegian storting has severed the union with Sweden, deposed King Oscar and put the council of state in charge of the government, as a result of the strife between the two countries over consuls.

King Oscar denounced Norway's secession as revolutionary and unconstitutional. Uneasiness over crisis is increased.

Russia and Germany will refuse to recognize the Norwegian government until King Oscar consents to disruption of the union.

The Norwegian tricolor has been hoisted over Akershus fort and throughout the country in place of the union flag. The substitution was attended by great ceremony at the fort.

King Oscar of Sweden is quoted as saying that he would avoid war with Norway at any cost.

The premier of Sweden announces that his government will not recognize the secession of Norway, and war may result.

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

Damage estimated at \$3,000,000 is the result of an unprecedented rise of eight feet in the Mississippi river in less than 12 hours. Hundreds of families were driven from their homes. Back of Alexandria, Mo., 100 square miles of farming country is flooded. The Egyptian levee, on the Missouri side, broke.

Plunging through the Rush street draw, an automobile carried two men and a woman to death in the Chicago river, a man and a woman being rescued.

Frank G. Bigelow, Milwaukee's defaulting banker, pleaded guilty in the United States court, was sentenced to ten years in the Leavenworth prison, and was taken at once to the penitentiary.

Ex-President Cleveland, George Westinghouse and Judge O'Brien have accepted appointments as trustees of the Equitable.

The safe in the Exchange bank of Garrison & Sargeant, at Vernon, Mich., was blown by expert cracksmen. They secured \$1,500 in money belonging to the bank and 2,000 postage stamps and \$200 deposited in the safe by the postmaster.

The heirs of Mrs. Mary J. Winthrop's estate have finally come to an agreement by which Princeton theological seminary will receive \$1,750,000.

Navy department has ordered Japanese servants off warships manuevering in Chesapeake bay, fearing spies.

Gov. Deneen and Alton S. Parker are added to the list of those under consideration for the chairmanship of the Equitable board.

A graft bomb was exploded in Milwaukee, when an alleged "go-between" of corrupt supervisors made a full confession.

The New York state superintendent of insurance has unearthed \$10,000,000 Equitable life steal.

Gen. William J. Palmer, of Colorado Springs and Andrew Carnegie have donated respectively \$100,000 and \$50,000 as a nucleus to the \$500,000 endowment fund the Colorado college is raising.

An Australian parliamentarian told English merchants they are losing to America and Germany in the world's markets because they are not up-to-date.

Agnes Myers, of Kansas City, Mo., charged with the murder of her husband, Clarence Myers, has been found guilty of murder in the first degree. This verdict means that the death penalty by hanging is to be inflicted.

Contracts for the construction of the Monona-Harrison drainage ditch, the largest of its kind in Iowa, were awarded at Onalva, Ia. The ditch will cost \$400,000 and reclaim 78,000 acres.

Ben Holt, aged 111, born in North Carolina, and the oldest man in Kentucky, is dead at Webb's Cross Roads, Russell county, Ky. His progeny numbered over 600.

John Crushia, born at Ottawa, Mich., in 1779, is dead.

Fire destroyed the factory of a casket company and several other buildings in Brooklyn; loss \$300,000.

The St. Paul railroad plans to stop all Sunday excursions and to give crews the day for rest.

Railway and financial men in New York expect mild rate legislation at the next session of congress.

Shippers have asked President Roosevelt to proceed against southern roads, charging rate combinations.

The government crop report indicates a loss in spring wheat, due largely to damage in four important states.

The Canadian government is desirous of a friendly conference with the United States on fisheries and labor laws.

All records for shooting with five-inch guns were broken on the Kentucky of New York, when only three misses were recorded out of 53 shots.

Germany's statesmen are completing the draft of a proposed commercial treaty with the United States, asking concessions from present tariff rates.

The monument erected by the Bethel Monument association to mark the place of the first conflict between federal and confederate troops in the civil war was unveiled at Bethel, Va.

The government figures on the crop report show an estimated wheat crop of 712,000,000 bushels.

Grain dealers in big cities formed a national board of trade with headquarters in Kansas City.

William Ziegler, the boy who has just inherited \$20,000,000, says he will lead an expedition to search for the North Pole when he is 21.

The war department advertises for bids for construction of Philippine railway system, embracing 1,133 miles.

Troops and Jews were in collision at Minsk, Poland, 300 miles northeast of Warsaw. Two persons were killed and 19 injured.

The will of William E. Cramer, the veteran editor of the Milwaukee Evening Wisconsin, provides bequests of over \$50,000 to various public charities of Milwaukee, all denominations being represented.

Although trade reports are still irregular and in many cities below expectations, there has been improvement in response to higher temperature and less rain.

Arthur L. Gibbon, the clerk in the Merchants' national bank of St. Paul, Minn., who pleaded guilty some days ago to misappropriation of the bank's funds, was sentenced to two years in the state prison.

Paul Morton, who retires from the secretaryship of the navy on July 1, has been elected chairman of the Equitable Life Assurance society. Alexander and Hyde have resigned as president and vice president, respectively. Mr. Hyde "divested" himself of the majority control, but retains a substantial interest in the society.

A former servant sued Mrs. Chamberlain, divorced wife of Millionaire D. S. Chamberlain, of Des Moines, Ia., for \$100,000 for defamation of character.

The Woman's Prohibition Club of America will hold its national convention in Chicago June 21 and 22.

A new grand jury in Milwaukee will continue the investigation of charges of hoodlum among city and county officials and more convictions are expected.

Railroad men say that a speed war between Chicago and New York may result in 16-hour trains.

Secretary Wilson is pushing the investigation of the charges of a leak on cotton reports. An assistant statistician has been suspended.

Assistant Secretary of State Loomis has been vindicated by the inquiry into the charges of former Minister Bowen.

President Roosevelt is ready to participate in a proposed congress regarding Morocco if all other nations do.

A 15-story hotel, to cost \$15,000,000, and to have nearly 1,000 rooms, and to rival any similar structure in the world, is planned for New York.

Patrick S. Kelleher, who was engineer of Detroit express No. 6 on the Pere Marquette railroad the night it collided with a Saginaw train at Elmdale, the collision killing several people, was found not guilty of manslaughter.

The leader of the Filipino insurrection in the Island of Samar and 39 followers have been slain.

Upon the strength of the confession of Eva Wertz, aged 14, Levi Bevard was arrested for the murder of his mother-in-law, Frances Wertz, at Newark, O.

Fred Harris, of Chicago, employed as a deputy sheriff during the strike of railway employes at Saginaw, Mich., shot and killed Henry Wieck, Jr., and wounded two other men in a fight with strike sympathizers.

Clarence Young, who attempted to rob the express car of the Northern Pacific train two miles east of Bear Mouth, Mont., May 27, has been sentenced to serve 50 years in the Deer Lodge penitentiary.

People of Norway are said to be ready to make themselves independent of Sweden and declare a local government which will dethrone King Oscar.

The Massachusetts Institute of Technology corporation decided in favor of amalgamation with Harvard university.

The New York court of appeals, by a vote of 4 to 3, sustained the verdict of murder in the first degree against Lawyer Albert T. Patrick for killing Mil-Monroe Rice.

Claud Morgan, aged 22, living five miles east of Alexandria, Ind., committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid.

In appreciation of the aid and succor given to the injured in the South Harrisburg wreck of May 11 by the people of Harrisburg, Pa., the Pennsylvania railroad has donated \$10,000 to the Harrisburg hospital.

Crown Prince Frederick William and Duchess Cecelia of Mecklenburg-Schwerin were married in the palace chapel at Berlin. From 60 to 70 members of the royal families from German and foreign states were present. Ambassador Tower represented the United States.

Submarine boat A-8 was lost off the breakwater at Plymouth, Eng. Three explosions occurred on board before she foundered. She had on board 18 officers and men, including her regular crew and men who were in training. Fourteen of the number were drowned. The others were saved.

The attorney general decides that coolies, whom it is proposed to use on the canal, are virtually peons.

Fast through train No. 3 on the Grand Trunk railroad was wrecked near Davison, Mich., by spreading rails. Thirteen persons were injured.

Louis Browning, known 15 years ago under the familiar name of "Pete" Browning, as one of the greatest ball players in America, has been committed to the asylum for the insane at Lakeland, a suburb of Louisville, Ky.

Joseph Gawronsky died in a hospital in Chicago, the victim of three bullets fired by Benjamin Miller, who told the police that he was jealous because Gawronsky paid attentions to Mrs. Miller.

The extensive mills of the Granite Lumber company at Wortendyke, N. J., were totally destroyed by fire, involving a loss, it is estimated, at \$150,000.

George Mahan, colored, on trial for the killing of his wife, has been found guilty in St. Paul, Minn., of murder in the second degree and sentenced to life imprisonment.

John Frazier, a negro, was hanged at Desarc, Ark., for the murder of Webster Southerland, a time-keeper on the Searcy & Desarc road, near here, November 5 last.

William W. Karr, the accountant of the Smithsonian Institution and disbursing agent for the government bureau under it, was arrested in Washington on the charge of embezzlement, which, according to his own confession, aggregates \$46,000.

Judge James Leathers, of the Marion county Ind., superior court, decided, in the case of the state against W.W. Lowry, indicted for smoking a cigarette, that the anti-cigarette law passed by the last legislature is constitutional, except wherein it may conflict with the interstate commerce law.

A bold address, adopted by the zemstvo congress in Moscow, takes the czar to task for failure to keep his reform pledges and demands a national assembly to decide on peace or war.

The president has finally given up his plan of calling an extra session.

A mysterious explosion of dynamite wrecked the Edgar county national bank in Paris, Ill. The bank's funds are intact.

Directors of the New York Merchants' association adopted resolutions favoring reciprocity treaties and urging the repeal of the Chinese exclusion act.

Bigelow and Goll, ex-officials of the Milwaukee national bank, were indicted on several counts at Milwaukee. The charges include embezzlement and false entries.

Prince Battenburg, with a squadron of British warships, will visit America this autumn.

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson is reported to have announced his intention of resigning from the cabinet should charges of leakage in the cotton crop report be substantiated.

Prof. Elith Thompson, of Lynn, Mass., permitted 500,000 volts of electricity, enough to kill 250 persons, to pass through his body and was unharmed.

Storms that have swept Wisconsin almost continuously for several days have caused widespread damage. In the neighborhood of Fond du Lac the loss has been especially severe, being estimated at from \$300,000 to \$500,000.

Engineer Phelps, Fireman Severin and five tramps were drowned by the collapse of a Wisconsin Central bridge near Howard, Wis., which precipitated a train in Fox creek.

George G. Glenn, for many years cashier of the Postal Telegraph company in Philadelphia, is missing, and a warrant has been sworn out, charging him with the embezzlement of \$12,000 from the company.

President Roosevelt has informed Gov. Douglas of Massachusetts that he will attend the Harvard commencement as a private citizen and that he wishes no official reception.

A Pennsylvania train covered the 468 miles from Chicago to Pittsburgh in 40 minutes, or at the rate of 14 1/2 hours from Chicago to New York.

Mrs. Belle Elsom, aged 45, the daughter of a prominent farmer, was murdered at Axtell, Neb., by her husband, George Elsom, in a fit of insanity.

In the general shooting tournament of the Indian Territory and Oklahoma Sportsmen's association at Ardmore, I. T., the world's amateur squad record was broken. Shooting from 15 yards, the squad broke 124 targets out of 125.

Barlow Granger, printer and newspaper man of Iowa, died at Des Moines at the age of 89 years. Granger at one time set type for Horace Greeley on the New York Tribune.

#### PROTEST AGAINST PEACE.

Generals in the Field Urge the Czar to Continue to Prosecute the War.

St. Petersburg, June 13.—The czar received a telegram from Guntzuling on Saturday signed by Gen. Linievitch, Kuropatkin, Kaulbars, Sakharoff and other officers protesting against making peace, and in favor of continuing the war until it should be successful.

They declared if peace be considered now the enemy, intoxicated by success, assuredly would exact conditions that would be injurious to the honor of the country. The army, which is in splendid condition, is burning with a desire to revenge the defeat of the Baltic fleet.

The generals declare the Russian position is excellently fortified, and that its losses at Mukden, having been comparatively repaired, it is able to hold its own successfully.

The dispatch concludes with the expression of the hope that in the course of the present month the army will be able to take the offensive, which will completely change the aspect of affairs, and with the declaration that the czar can have entire confidence in the force of his troops. The troops in all the camps at Guntzuling, on learning of the opening of peace negotiations, made noisy demonstrations in favor of the sentiment expressed in the generals' dispatch.

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### SIS RAPALYE

When the green shoots the grass  
And bloom the cherry tree,  
And children laugh by glittering brooks,  
Wild with the ecstasy  
Of burbling spring, with twittering bird  
And hum of honey bee—  
"Sis Rapalye," my spirit shouts,  
And she is here with me!

As laugh the children, so her laugh  
Haunts all the atmosphere—  
Her song is in the brook's refrain;  
Her glad eyes, flashing clear,  
Are in the morning dew; her speech  
Is melody so dear,  
The bluebird trills: "Sis Rapalye—  
I hear—I hear—I hear!"

Again in races, at "Recess,"  
I see her braided hair  
Toss past me as I stay to lift  
Her straw hat, fallen there;  
The school bell sounds a vibrant pang  
My heart can hardly bear—  
Yet still she hails—Sis Rapalye—  
And leads me every where!

Now I am old—yet she remains  
The selfsame child of ten—  
Gay, gallant little girl, to race  
On into Heaven then!  
Yet gallant, gay Sis Rapalye—  
In blossom time, and when  
The trees and grasses beckon her—  
Comes back to us again.

And so, however long since youth  
Whose raptures wild and free  
An old man's heart may claim no more—  
With more than memory  
I share the spring's own joy that brings  
My boyhood back to me  
With laughter, blossoms, singing birds,  
And sweet Sis Rapalye.  
—James Whitcomb Riley, in Collier's  
Weekly.

## BARTLEY'S VACATION

MR. BARTLEY stretched his long legs and yawned dismally. "Gee," he said, "but I do feel rocky this morning."

"I am afraid, dear," said Mrs. Bartley, with tender solicitude, "that you are not well."

"Well? Of course I'm not well. How can a fellow be well with this everlasting grind going on from morning till night? What I need is a vacation. If I could just get a rest for a few days I'd pick up and be all right again."

"Well," suggested Mrs. Bartley, artlessly, "why don't you take it?"

"Takes it?" echoed Bartley, with tragic intensity. "If you knew the boss you wouldn't ask that. Catch him letting a fellow have a day off! Why, he's a typical skinflint. He'd grind a chap into powder in order to extract the last spark of energy. That is the kind of man I am working for, yet you ask me why I don't take a vacation. Maybe if I was dead he'd let me off for a few days, with full



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pay, but nothing short of that would touch his stony heart."

"O, Fred, don't," she said. "It breaks my heart to hear you talk about dying. I can't stand it. You really ought to stay at home to-day."

"I know I ought," assented Bartley, "and I'm going to do it, too, no matter what comes of it. I'll telephone down that I'm sick. Perhaps if I get out in the fresh air for a few hours I'll be able to fight off this spell of sickness that I feel is imminent."

At ten o'clock Mr. Bartley telephoned to the office the news of his sudden indisposition; later he carried out the rest of his programme by repairing to the frozen lakes of Central park, where he hoped to imbibe generous doses of nature's own tonic as an antidote to the insidious poisons fermenting in his system. The next morning he got to the office ten minutes ahead of time. The head clerk saw him come and called him over to his desk.

"You've done it now, Bartley," he said. "You might as well have saved yourself the trouble of coming down to-day. You're not needed any longer."

"Who said so?"

"The boss. He told me to tell you when you came in to-day."

Bartley leaned against the desk weakly. "Is that straight?" he asked.

"Straightest thing in the world. He called me in yesterday and asked about you. You know the boss. He doesn't waste any words. 'Bartley not here to-day?' he said. I told him you were sick. 'Very well,' said he. 'When he comes to-morrow tell him that he is not needed at present and he may extend his vacation until—'

The head clerk snapped his fingers suggestively.

"I see," said Bartley.

"He added something about the 15th," said the head clerk, "but that—"

"But that," supplemented Bartley, "was only his way of letting a fellow die-by inches. What he really meant was that I've been fired."

"Yes," said the head clerk, "it looks that way. But you don't have to take my word for it. You can wait till he comes in, if you like, and ask him yourself."

"No, thank you," said Bartley. "I don't want to see him. I won't knuckle to him that much. Of course, I've got a moral and legal right to see him and demand an explanation and two weeks' salary besides, but I won't do it. I won't even give him a chance to fire me formally. I'll resign before he gets around to it."

Bartley wrote his letter of resignation that morning on hotel stationery. When he went home for luncheon he considerably refrained from appraising his wife of his conversation with the head clerk and his subsequent communication to the firm.

"No use to worry her," he said. "I'll make her believe I'm simply stretching my vacation out a few days longer."

Mrs. Bartley, upon receipt of that cheering news, effervesced with gratitude to the tyrannical head of the house.

"O, isn't he just too lovely!" she said. "I always knew you'd find him a dear if you went at him the right way."

The next day Bartley received an acceptance of his resignation, to take effect at once, and immediately he began to look for another position. For a week he answered advertisements and interviewed prospective employers, but as one attempt after another proved futile, his step lost its wonted elasticity and his voice its cheerfulness of tone. Mrs. Bartley observed those evidences of physical deterioration with wifely concern.

"I'm afraid, Fred," she said, "that you are not enjoying your vacation as you should. Really, I think you ought to try and brace up for my sake, after all the trouble I took to get it for you."

"After all the trouble you took?" repeated Bartley. "You?"

"Yes, me. I didn't intend to tell you, but I can't keep it any longer. I got that vacation for you. I went down and saw the manager."

"You saw—the manager?" Bartley gurgled, helplessly. "When?"

"That first day you staid home and went skating. I talked to him quite plainly. I told him you were working yourself to death and that it was all his fault. He didn't act a bit mean. I had expected to be scared half to death, but I wasn't. He only wanted to know if you had sent me down there to tell him that. Of course, I told him you hadn't. I said you would rather die a thousand times over than ask for a vacation. 'Mr. Bartley,' I said, 'is a slave to his work. When he is absent from his desk one day you may know that he has a mighty good reason for staying away.'"

"Great heavens!" groaned Bartley. "What did he say?"

"He said he had often noticed that himself. O, he was just as nice as could be all the way through. He promised to let you off till the 15th—"

"The 15th!" Bartley put in. "Confound that head clerk!"

"Yes, why, what's the matter? Isn't that long enough? Also, he agreed, out of respect for my wishes, not to mention my name to a living soul in connection with the affair. You see, you are so funny about some things, and I thought you might not like—so that is the reason I want you to quit moping. You owe it to me to brace up, for you can't deny that it was I who fixed you down at the office."

"O, yes," he said, limply. "you fixed me all right."—N. Y. Press.

**TRIALS OF A GEOLOGIST.**

His Precious Specimens Surreptitiously Disposed Of by a Conscienceless Carrier.

Prof. W. C. Hayes, of the geological survey, was talking in Washington about the trials of geologists, states the Buffalo Enquirer.

"Did you ever hear of the geologist in New Hampshire?" he asked. "Well, there was a geologist who spent a long hot summer day in Croydon gathering specimens of the very odd New Hampshire rock formation to be found there, and late in the afternoon he hired a boy to carry the heavy bag back to Newport for him. The boy exhibited to a friend that night a half-dollar and the friend said enviously: 'Where did you get that?' 'I made it,' was the answer. 'How did you make it?' 'You know that there man that was working all day with a little hammer hereabouts, chipping off pieces of rock and putting them into a leather bag?' 'Yes.' 'Well, he asked me to carry his bag for him to the Newport hotel, and he gave me 50 cents for the job.' 'Well, it was worth it. Must have been pretty heavy, carryin' all them rocks four miles.' 'Do you think I carried them rocks all the way?' he said. 'No, sir, I emptied the bag before startin', and just filled it outside the hotel.'"

**Untidily Dressed Nurses.**

There is no doubt that a proportion of nurses, whose training is unimpeachable, do not dress as trimly as they might when they are out-of-doors. If unqualified persons dishonor the uniform by appropriating it without right, those who are entitled to the uniform should honor it by wearing it becomingly.—London Hospital.

**Stubborn.**

"Self-opinionated! Well, I should say he is. I never met anyone so dogmatic."

"Is that so?"

"Yes; why, he's positively bull-dogmatic."—Philadelphia Ledger.

**Attaining the Ideal**

By MRS. VANCE CHENEY.

Just a little more more right seeing, and we should have him now, this ideal man.

He rests in embryo in the soul of every man, and a bit more intelligence would make him apparent.

It is a matter of mind and brain cells, and these, the physicist proves to us, may be made to order.

If the ideal man were suddenly to appear, what would he be like? Very like some man or men whom most of us have known; men who stand as prophets of what the race is to become.

He would be sound of body, because, viewing himself, his associates, his duties and his privileges from the viewpoint of splendid manhood, his positive and impersonal zeal for the true, the beautiful and the good must translate itself into strong muscles, good red blood and lithe limbs.

He would be of imposing stature, because, erect of soul, true to the authority of his own heart, his words would ring true and his acts betray unhampered allegiance to an ideal of conduct and to an appreciation of the abundance, beauty and glory of God's good earth. He would be in bondage to nothing; tied neither to time, place nor appetite, he would be just an intelligent ruler in the kingdom of his own being.

No seams will be found in his face, for his conscience will be seamless. No more would there be hollows in his cheeks, for there will be no holes in his honor.

Time will soften and illumine this ideal man, not mar and scar his countenance, for he will lift his manhood to the height that takes the prize" without the methods of the fox, the tiger or the bear.

His nerves would be strong and his digestion perfect, for nerves and organs will surely not master the man of all round intelligence.

He would be regal and gracious in manner, with the mood to fit the occasion and with no desire to "strike back," "namby pamby, goody good." No, just a king, a strong, healthy product of absolute decency, the crowning touch of the evolution of intelligence and good will; a man with the occipital areas so well developed and with a heart so large that his very presence radiates benevolence, good will and power.

"A physical, mental and spiritual giant," you say. Yes, but such must be the ideal man, for though he may have evolved from the quadruped, he has within him the possibilities of a god, and the work and privilege of life is to make these apparent.

**Brains vs. Brawn**

By C. W. POST,  
of Battle Creek, Mich.

A workman carries some boards to the building and a horse hauls some more. Which "creates" and to which should the building partly belong, both work and both execute, but neither originate or create any wealth whatever. Both are paid an agreed, understood and full equivalent for their services. The horse his oats, hay and water, and the workman his money. The man who sells the brick for the house creates nothing, yet the bricks are necessary to picture forth the original mental creation. The man who sells physical labor creates nothing, yet labor is necessary to the material building. The brick seller, lumber merchant, glass maker and workman who sells his labor all belong to the same class of sellers of material needed, but none of them are creators of that building. Physical labor is not a creator. Mind is the only creator.

When the workman chooses to cease selling his labor to execute the designs of another and starts to originating designs himself and hiring others to execute them, he abandons the arms of sellers of labor and becomes a creator of wealth by first giving birth to ideas and then buying brick, lumber, labor, glass and iron, and combining them to picture forth in material his original mind child, his creation. Let all men get these points clear and save contests on the point of incontestible ownership of property.

**What Is Involved in Telling the Strict Truth**

By REV. SAMUEL SCHULMAN,  
Rabbi Temple Beth-el, New York.

REALLY clever people don't have to lie. Shrewd people think that they can get through this world by lying; but wise, not to speak of good, people find that the best and safest way to get along is to tell the truth.

Truth is the statement of facts to the best of one's knowledge with no intention to deceive, communicated to the person who has a right to it, and will make no insane or criminal use of it, and who will not be injured by it in a criminal way on the part of him who tells it. We have no right to call a mere statement of facts a lie.

The idea of truth is a more subtle, more moral phenomenon than either stupid literalists or cynical pessimists suppose. What would happen if we were compelled to shout out facts without regard to time, place, person or consequences, if we were to be converted into mere phonographic machines that would set forth impressions of each other as we pass? Why, there is but one word to describe such a scene, and that is anarchy. If there were such a compelling power we would no longer live in a world of reasoning humanity. It is man's privilege to choose to think and to look to consequences. Truth telling means sincere communication of thought by man to his fellow man, in accordance with intent of man's happiness and man's virtue. It is not necessary to tell the truth to all people and in all circumstances. One must not go about proclaiming facts because they are the truth.

It is one thing not to tell a lie and it is quite another thing gratuitously to communicate what is true. If people went out of the way to tell each other what they truly think of each other such a tendency would not make for the peace or happiness of social intercourse. Silence is often indispensable, but leaving aside this somewhat facetious aspect of the question, deeming it the necessary exception to the universal obligation of truth telling, as suggested by the definition, and noting the petty conventional lies, such as "Not at home," which deceive no one and are the oil which lubricates the machinery of our somewhat necessarily artificial lives in civilization, we do not hesitate to say that if people got into the habit of telling the truth oftener than they do it would make life better and easier all around. I believe that more people tell the truth than is easily assumed by cynics; still there is room for improvement of this virtue, which one might be tempted to say is specially characteristic of an age of business. I think the more we progress industrially and commercially the more the virtue of truth will be emphasized.

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**Hints About Books**

WHOLESALE FICTION AND HISTORY GIVE GIRLS IDEAS

Pleasure and Knowledge from Novels—Good Plan for History Study—Most of Us Shockingly Ignorant of Things That Lie About Us—Business Girl Should Read Mature Books—How to Deal with Each Book to Make Reading It Profitable.

BY MARGARET E. SANGSTER.  
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The first question that arises when considering what our girls shall read, is what is their motive in reading. Do they read simply for diversion, for the recreation and pastime which are legitimate, or do they read for mental enrichment and information? If the first is the object in view, the answer is easy. For amusement and pleasure, girls, like everybody else, must seek the story tellers of the world, and lose the cares of reality in the romances that make them forget the daily grind. The day for condemning novels by wholesale has forever passed. It is only a narrow and prejudiced person who frowns upon fiction as foolish and hurtful and who insists that all one's reading must be along lines of hard and fast actuality.

Taste for novel reading in unimaginative persons is sometimes dormant. They have had so little time to read that they have left fiction out of the reckoning. But they are in the minority. The love for a good story is as old as the human race. In every age and clime, in every literature, under every sky, we find people ready to listen entranced to the man who can please them by a delightful story. Children and grown people alike fall under the spell of the story-teller. If therefore our girls wish to read novels let them do so. They have a wide range of choice, and let it be noted that many novelists exact close attention from their readers and weave into their narratives a great deal of history, philosophy and accurate description. The stories for example of Lafcadio Hearn are penetrated and infused with the atmosphere of Japan, and no one can fail to learn a great deal about that wonderful empire and the wonderful people who inhabit it, if she reads the picturesque books of this lamented writer.

Equally, a girl who would like to know something of the life of India may learn a great deal about it by reading "Kim," that masterpiece of Rudyard Kipling, or any book on India by Flora Annie Steele, or a little unobtrusive book entitled "The Bishop's Conversion," the author of which was long a missionary in that land of mystery and romance. Oriental civilizations are in the strongest contrast to our own, and one may learn much more about them in the pages of novels than in graver histories. Boys read with great delight and profit the long list of historical fiction which is generally known as the "Henty Books." A girl with little time to study might read these books with much profit. Girls as well as boys should read "Froissart's Chronicles" and thus come into touch with the chivalric days of the past. The novels of Mrs. Oliphant, of Charlotte Bronte, George Eliot and Jane Austen are good reading for girls and do more than merely offer entertainment.

If girls desire more serious reading, and wish to take up any definite historic period, the best way is to let their reading focus itself about a single central and conspicuous figure. Take for instance Queen Elizabeth. In studying her era, one finds her surrounded by a group of great statesmen and by another group of writers who are still influencing and coloring English literature. Very profitable reading may be done by a circle of girls who meet at stated intervals, and take up the different phases of life under some great ruler or other personage of distinction.

If Elizabeth be chosen, one girl may select the ordinary household life of that day, and let her reading turn toward the various ways in which it contrasts with our present day life. Another may take Sir Walter Raleigh, another Philip of Spain, still another Mary Queen of Scots. Shakespeare and Chaucer will fall into the reading of those who study those days of historic England which led up to the England of to-day.

A very wide and interesting field for inquiry is presented to those who wish to read about our own country. All the story of this continent from its discovery by Columbus to the present day is filled with graphic and dramatic incidents which are full of excitement, movement and charm. Every library has shelves filled with fascinating literature, relating to some part of the history of this new world. Let a girl take, if she wishes, the history of her own state, and whether she live in Massachusetts or Kentucky, Connecticut, New York or Tennessee, she will find an immense amount of profitable reading about the people and the progress of that peculiar locality. Most of us are shockingly ignorant of the things that lie about us. Few of us know very much about our own great country. In a house filled with books and occupied by intelligent people, you shall easily find nobody able to give a list of the successive presidents of this nation from Washington to Roosevelt. Girls cannot do better than to read American history.

A girl who is at business all day, and who has only her evenings in which to read, must necessarily be selective. If she attempts to read in a haphazard way, she is taking a book at random, and she loses the full benefit of it. For every one of us, it is a good thing to have some outside interest, entirely

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different from the daily routine of the street that takes us into the world, broadens our horizon and gives us freer thoughts. I knew a girl whose life was a transition from drudgery. It was her great aim, and then to read Ruskin and Tolstoy. "What do you get from those books," I asked. "Oh," she said, "I get the angels of God. Girls should be satisfied to live on a low plane, and want noble ideals, and these are in the books of great writers. One has to stand behind a counter, measure tape and ribbon, it is nothing for you to read books about birds and the plants and the rocks, the stars and the sea."

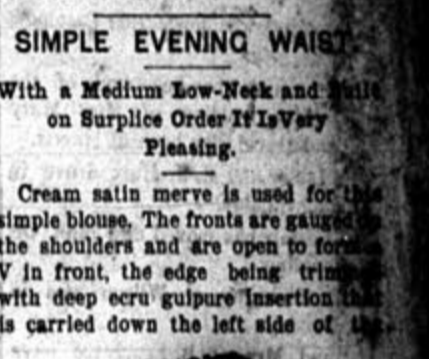
Mrs. Browning says: "We get good by being ungenerous even to our book." Outside of earnest and vigorous study, the books that we go to in our intimate hours should not be chosen in a spirit of bargaining. Books like friends; when we take them best, they give us their best in return. Some of us spend so much time in talking and deciding what books to read that we end by reading none at all.

A certain degree of courtesy should be extended to every book. Read the page, make the acquaintance of the author, always notice the name of the publisher. If the volume be one like, enter in a blank book its name, the date at which you began and finished it, and copy any sentences or passages that were especially pleasing to you. The girl who reads in this careful way will be a good talker, will write a good letter, and will never suffer from the loneliness of solitude. She who loves books need never fear an attack of the blues, and will not deteriorate mentally, and lose what she gained in the days when she went to school.

**SIMPLE EVENING WAIST**

With a Medium Low-Neck and Full on Surplice Order If Is Very Pleasing.

Cream satin merris is used for this simple blouse. The fronts are gauged to the shoulders and are open to form a V in front, the edge being trimmed with deep ecru guipure insertion that is carried down the left side of the



**WILD FLOWER BEAUTY.**

Everyone Can Add This to Her Home and the Gathering and Arrangement Is Most Interesting.

Not every one has a flower garden, but every one who spends even a part of the summer in the country has the freedom of the roadsides, pastures, meadow and woods; the wild gardens which belong to every man and woman, where every one is free to gather and no one to forbid. Of course it is by courtesy and custom that this freedom extends to the fields and woods and perhaps the unacknowledged obligation enhances the privilege of obtaining the long, narrow roadside flower beds and looking for rarer and more effective things along fences and hedges, and in shadowed and solitary places.

If one has acquired the habit of wild flower gathering, and the knowledge of what to gather and how to bring her gleanings safely home, and the still further knowledge of the best decorative effect to be gotten from them, she has reached a possibility of great satisfaction and every-day happiness.—Candace Wheeler, in the May Atlantic

**Grayish Hair.**

Sage tea is very good for hair that is turning prematurely gray. Make a strong brew with the pressed leaves or better still, make a sage extract. Get four ounces of the dried leaves and put in a pint of alcohol and a pint of rainwater. Let stand for a week, straining occasionally. Then mix with water. Retain the leaves and with them get two quarts of water, and with them get a quart of alcohol. The extract will be a quart of water and a quart of alcohol. Apply with brush and rub well into the scalp. —The Gal Vest.



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FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 1905.

**County Correspondence**

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**BARK RIVER**

Mrs. Sam Mackevich made a trip to Escanaba last Saturday.

Mrs. William Cleary, of Florence, is visiting with her daughter, J. H. Boyle.

... Bergman was at the Bay shore ...

... Brackett, of Norway spent ... at Bay Shore.

... LeRoux, the new section for ... has moved his family into the ... house.

... like Bond, of Escanaba spent ... here.

... Mrs. Joseph Fillion is visiting at the ... of her father John Bonno.

... Will Hakes, of Sun Prairie, Wis., is ... at the home of A. A. Hakes.

... Hakes and Clarence Hakes accompanied Bert Hakes to Sun Prairie and will visit there for a short time.

... Peter Lacount has moved his family over to Alecto.

... Moose Kurs was here Monday.

... Miss Silverman, of Escanaba spent Friday at the home of Mrs. Mackevich.

... Eli Douglas was down from Escanaba Sunday.

... Announcement has been made of the approaching wedding of Miss Mary Kane and David Flynn both of Harris.

... Geo. Lake and M. J. Hutt drove to Spaulding Sunday.

... Mr. Leclair has moved into John Olson's building.

... A. E. Kleicamp, of Wilson was in town Monday.

... Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Frechette have moved to their summer home at Bay shore.

... Peter Legg, county school commissioner, was here last week looking over the schools.

... Eugene Gagnon, of Schaffer is attending the convention of the Catholic Order of Foresters at Detroit.

... A. J. Belton made a trip to Schaffer Monday.

There was no base ball game here Sunday. The Schaffer first team came over to play but as the game had been arranged with Schaffer's second team Manager Dr. Boyd refused to let the local boys play. It was somewhat of a disappointment to the spectators and to the players themselves but was the right thing to do under the circumstances. The local team will play at Powers Sunday.

The celebration of the Fourth at Bark River promises to be one of the biggest events in the history of the village. All kinds of amusements and games will be on the program and if the weather is good the occasion will undoubtedly be a complete success.

**GLADSTONE**

Mr. Tom Whybrew the hustling drayman has bought out Andrew Erickson his only opposition. Mr. Whybrew now has a clear field in his line of business.

W. L. Marble Jr. and Chas. Lightfoot spent a few days at Round Lake this week. They report the fishing good.

Miss Agnes Gleason went to Calumet the first of the week to attend the funeral of her aunt.

Mr. Elmer Beach chief clerk at Marble's Safety Axe Co., for the past five years will soon resign his position in order to form a partnership with Chas. D. Symonds of Nadeau, Wis.

The new firm will do a Law, Insurance and real estate business with offices in the McWilliams building over Hoyt's new grocery store. Mr. Symonds is a graduate of Michigan Law school and has been practicing at Nadeau, for the past year.

Mr. Frank Becker was drowned near Mason's dock at 10:30 Wednesday morning Becker was taking a small row boat out to a schooner to bring some men ashore. Instead of rowing he stood up in the stern and pushed with one oar, a sudden lurch of the boat caused him to lose his balance and throw him in the water. He sank immediately and did not come to the surface again. The body was recovered soon after. Becker was a young man and single with no relatives in this country.

Next Sunday afternoon at just 2:30 at the South Gladstone ball park in this city, will occur, possibly, a tragedy, but more likely a comedy of errors. The invisible Gladstone Nationals will cross bats with the famous Rapid River sluggers. It will be for blood. The rivalry that existed last year, has not been forgotten by either side.

will do their best to get the advantage of the other by winning the first game of this year's series. Rapid River has strengthened her team considerably by getting outside players this year and claim to have the best team in the country. Although Gladstone has not been saying much, neither have they been sleeping, and when Rapid River lines up against them Sunday afternoon they will find they have to work for all they get. The Gladstone line-up will be the same as last Sunday. The boys expect to appear in their new uniforms. It costs money to buy uniforms and run a good ball team, so everybody turn out and help the boys along.

Mrs. Jack Stephenson returned Saturday evening from Sidnaw where she attended the wedding of her niece Miss Mable Curtland.

Miss Edna Packard, of Negaunee, spent a few days with her friend, Miss Marguerite Slining.

Mr. Herbert Farrell, formerly of Gladstone, but now of Marquette, passed through here Saturday morning on his way home from college.

The Congregational and Methodist churches held their Children Day exercises last Sunday. The exercises were rendered in excellent style which showed much care and drill on the part of the teachers and was highly appreciated by large audiences.

Mayor Mason entertained a large crowd in front of Powell's Drug store Monday afternoon, explaining the advantage of an electric automobile over those using gasoline for power. The explanation lasted about an hour and a half and was given in very forceful language and made a lasting impression on the crowd.

Misses Margaret Slining, Edna Packard, Ina Ingalls and Messrs. Byron and Charley Slining took an automobile trip to Escanaba last Saturday. After spending the day in Escanaba the return trip was made in one hour. The distance from West Gladstone to 14th street was made in ten minutes. Byron claimed the record.

Mr. and Mrs. Kurker left Monday to visit relatives in Wisconsin.

The Board of Review was in session during the first of the week. Next week the Board of Equalization will be in session and everybody will have a chance to kick.

**Gladstone Beats Blue Ribbons**

In a highly interesting and closely contested game Gladstone beat the Blue Ribbons of Escanaba by the close score of 6 to 5. Although there were no sensational plays pulled off the score was sufficiently close to keep the fans interested and guessing from start to finish. Up to the fifth inning it was nip and tuck with honors about even and the score standing 2 to 2. In the first of the fifth Gladstone let the ropelip and the balloon went up, the Blue Ribbons landing three runs before it came down. But Gladstone was not to be denied and in the sixth they landed on pitcher Flath for three hits, which coupled with errors and two sacrifices brought in three runs again tying the score. In the seventh Gladstone landed another which proved to be the winning run as neither side scored after that. The row in the second inning which threatened to break up the game was the only disagreeable feature. Blaney, of Escanaba, was at the bat and had three strikes called on him the third being a pass ball and a fine opportunity to make first but Blaney claimed it was but the second strike and didn't leave the plate. He was called out by Umpire Call and Escanaba kicked hard but it was no use.

The feature of the game was the fielding of Tebear and Hunter and the work of pitcher Wahl of Gladstone, Wahl getting seven strikeouts. A. Bellaire caught a very good game. There were a few pass balls but they were wide and hard to get. For the Blue Ribbons there were no particular stars, all playing a good clean and gentlemanly game. Gladstone has material for a good fast team as the fielding was first class but they will need to improve considerable in their batting to beat any of the first teams in the district. Gladstone line-up was as follows: A. Bellaire, C; Wahl P. Davis, first base; Habberman, second base; P. Bellaire, third base; Procter, short stop; Tebear, right field; Hunter center field; Cannon, left field.

**NAHMA**

Mr. Geo. J. Farnsworth is back from his trip to Chicago.

Mrs. F. W. Good and Mrs. Chas. P. Payne leave for Escanaba next Friday to visit Mrs. John Lindsay and to be in attendance at the graduating exercises of her son Charles, June 22.

To-day is the first June day we have really had.

Mr. and Mrs. John Roche have a new son, born last week.

Mr. J. H. Jolly and friend took a fishing trip last week.

**Ayer's**

Sometimes the hair is not properly nourished. It suffers for food, starves. Then it falls out, turns prematurely gray. Ayer's Hair Vigor is a

**Hair Vigor**

hair food. It feeds, nourishes. The hair stops falling, grows long and heavy, and all dandruff disappears.

"My hair was coming out terribly. I was almost afraid to comb it. But Ayer's Hair Vigor promptly stopped the falling, and also restored the natural color."  
Mrs. E. G. WARD, Lansing, N. J.

Prepared by J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass.

**Poor Hair**

Mrs. H. H. Carney, Mrs. W. E. Barlow and daughter Helen, and Mr. Ed Enking went to Garden Wednesday in Chas. Livermores launch, rather tough sailing.

Mr. Ed. Enking was a caller Wednesday.

Mr. Chas. A. Doty visited Nahma Thursday.

Mr. Wm. Irving arrived at Nahma Tuesday to assist Mr. T. B. Davis in the office of the Bay de Noc Co.

The Bay de Noc Co. are doing a large amount of repairing about their property here at Nahma.

Mrs. A. G. Curtis has gone to Escanaba.

Mr. G. M. Jerrow, who was taken to the Escanaba hospital for treatment last Monday died there on Tuesday night. The surviving family have the heartfelt sympathy of the whole community.

**GOOD RACES**

Large Crowds Witness First Matinee Race Meet of the Season.

The first matinee race meet of the season was held Thursday afternoon under the auspices of the Gentlemen's Riding and driving Club, and were a pronounced success. A large crowd was assembled to see the event and the weather was ideal. The races were of a close exciting nature which rendered the meet very enjoyable.

Following were the entries and time of heats:

- FREE FOR ALL
  - Doc Middleton, 1 2 2 1 1
  - Pan Olio 2 1 1 2 1
  - Time by heats 111-1114-112-1124
- CLASS A.
  - Santiago 2 4 4 4
  - Green 0 1 3 2
  - Daisy H. 1 2 1 1
  - Bourbon Boy 4 3 2 3
  - Time by heats 111-1114-113-1144
- CLASS B.
  - Black Queen 4 4 4
  - John H. 1 1 1
  - Little Mac 3 3 3
  - Clip 2 2 1
- COLT CLASS
  - Solemma 1 2 1
  - Glen S. 2 1 2
  - Time of heats 120-121-121.

**Methyl or Wood Alcohol**

The December Bulletin of Michigan Dairy and Food Department calls attention to the injurious effects of wood alcohol used in preparation of extracts, etc. It is much cheaper than grain alcohol but very poisonous. The report says: There is hardly a month in which one does not read or hear of a case of blindness or death resulting from the use of essence of lemon or Jamaica ginger. More than fifty deaths from such use have been reported during the past eight years, and these are but a small portion of the injurious effects.

Another very important sequence of drinking wood alcohol is a sudden development of amblyopia, which frequently ends in total blindness. During the last eight years thirty-six cases of amblyopia following the use of wood alcohol in some form have been reported. Twenty-two of these cases followed a debauch during which wood alcohol was drunk; fourteen were caused by drinking essence of Jamaica ginger or lemon, and eight resulted from the inhalation of wood alcohol fumes while shellacking a large vat or closed room for several days. The last mentioned cases are interesting, because they show how dangerous this drug is when taken for a period of days, even in very small quantities. This no doubt, due to a cumulative action, because the drug is excreted from the system so very slowly.

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- No. 13 " Croup.
- No. 14 " The Skin.
- No. 15 " Rheumatism.
- No. 16 " Malaria.
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If you are ever going to California, this summer is the time to go. The rates are unusually low. Only \$62.50 Chicago to San Francisco, Los Angeles Sacramento or Santa Barbara and return, May 1, 2, 3, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 29, 30, 31 and June 1 also August 6, 7, 3, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14. Double berth in tourist sleeping car, Chicago to California \$7. Through tourist cars for California leaves Union Passenger Station, Chicago, 10:25 p. m. daily. Route—Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, Union Pacific and Southern Pacific Line. F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, 1245 Railway Exchange, Chicago.

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For further information enquire at the Stephenson dock.

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# LIVE CITY NEWS ITEMS.

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.

Mrs. C. H. Long arrived here Monday from Chicago and will visit for a month. The many friends of Ray S. Meisner, will be interested to know that he has enlisted at the Escanaba recruiting station and has been sent to Boston, Mass., to enter the electrical department of the artillery service there.

W. L. McEwen, who has been spending the last three years in New Mexico arrived this week and expects to remain here permanently. Harold Estough of Gladstone, who has also been in New Mexico, accompanied him.

FOR SALE—Ladies Bicycle in good condition, can be had cheap for cash. Inquire at this office.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. McKillican and son left for Chicago, to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gallup.

Dr. L. M. Power left for Lansing Monday to take the medical examination before the state board of examiners.

Miss Stella Lemieux returned to her home in Quinnesec Monday morning, after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Lemieux.

WANTED—To correspond with middle aged men capable of filling position as commissary clerks for boarding camps. Address T. S. BERTRAND, 105 North Water street, Chicago, Ill. May 27-28.

Arrangements are being made by the members of the Progress club of this city to run an excursion to Menominee on June 25th to attend the annual mid summer festival. The steamer Harriet Hart has been chartered.

David Kratzke of Milwaukee well known in Delta county, was an Escanaba visitor Sunday.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Lots 7 and 8 at the corner of Fifth and Fannie streets, across from the Delta county hospital. Will be sold cheap, for less than value. Apply to Mrs. A. LATHROP, Lathrop, Mich., box 20. May 27-4-t.

Miss Mayme McCauley of Chicago, is enjoying a visit with relatives here.

W. H. Stonehouse one of Escanaba's students at the University of Michigan arrived home Tuesday for the summer vacation.

Mrs. Albert Peterson and Mrs. Eli Fountaine of Ford River were callers in the city Tuesday.

C. B. Driscoll has been in Negaunee this week attending the sessions of the board of review.

WANTED—Position by experienced nurse. Inquire of Mary B. Champ, P. O. Address Escanaba, Mich.

W. Weldon Pascoe, who has been attending the University of Michigan is home for the summer vacation.

Miss M. Fredrickson is recovering slowly from typhoid fever.

"A Trip Through Ireland" consisting of stereopticon views, moving pictures and illustrated songs, will be produced next Monday by the Fox River Entertainment Co., for the benefit of St. Patrick's church. The entertainment promises to be unusually good and ought to be well patronized.

A full set of teeth for \$10.00 at Dr. Winn's.

George F. McEwen of the Iron Port, has been in Lower Michigan this week. He expects to return today.

Edward Joegers has moved to this city from Gladstone and will reside here in the future.

If you have trouble with your eyes or with your glasses see G. H. Cook. A specialty made of difficult cases. Calls and examinations free. Office and residence 322 S. Campbell street. tf.

F. L. Browne, of the Hawarden Inn at Gladstone, visited Escanaba Wednesday.

James Connahan, who has been connected with the Cleary Clothing Company during the past two years, is considering an offer to join a vaudeville troupe which leaves Chicago next August for a tour of the country.

WANTED—First-class experienced camp cooks to correspond with T. S. Bertrand, 105 North Water street, Chicago, Ill.

Gold crowns and bridge teeth \$5.00 each at Dr. Winn's.

The Rev. F. F. Greene, of St. Stephen's Episcopal church, returned Wednesday evening from Marquette where he had been attending the annual convention of the Episcopal ministers of this diocese.

George M. Mashek left Tuesday evening for Chicago on business. On account of the serious illness of his father, Miss Theresa Lutz was called to Chicago this week.

Andrew Noll came up from Chilton, Wis., this week to call on friends.

D. A. Oliver left Wednesday for Detroit, where he will attend the annual convocation of grand commander of the Masonic lodge.

J. A. McShane, of Oshkosh, was an Escanaba visitor this week.

Born, Sunday June 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson, a daughter.

Miss Pearl Turner, who attended the University of Michigan during the past term, arrived here Thursday to spend the summer vacation with her parents.

W. H. Stonehouse, of Chicago, was in the city last Sunday.

C. D. Ritzwoller, formerly manager of the United States Coopers Plant at this city, but now located in Peoria, Ill., was here the early part of the week.

The Iron Port is glad to announce that Fred Raymonds powerful melodrama "Old Arkansas" will be presented to the Escanaba public on Monday June 21st. The merits of this play are too well known to need comment.

First pub. May 19. Last pub. June 21.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court of the County of Delta in Chancery, vs. William W. Longhurst, Plaintiff, and Mary Loughurst, Defendant.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file, of Mary Loughurst the Complainant that she has made due inquiry to ascertain the place of residence of the said Defendant Wm. W. Longhurst and it is unable to ascertain the same. On motion of C. D. McEwen, solicitor for the complainant, it is ordered that the said non resident defendant William W. Longhurst cause his appearance to be entered in this cause within five months from the date of this order; and in case of his appearance he cause his answer to the Complainant's Bill of Complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said Solicitor for the Complainant, within twenty days after service on said non-resident defendant of a copy of said bill and notice of this order; and that in default thereof, said bill be taken as confessed by said non-resident Defendant.

And it is further ordered, That within twenty days the complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in the Iron Port a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County, and that such publication to be continued therein at least once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that she cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident Defendant at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for his appearance.

C. D. McEwen, J. W. Stone, Solicitor for Complainant. Circuit Judge, Escanaba Michigan.

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## TIME TABLE.

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Mondays & Wednesdays at 7:30 A. M.

Thursdays & Saturdays at 2:00 P. M.

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Steamers leave Detroit, daily at 10:30 P. M. arrive at Cleveland at 5:30 A. M. Daylight trips every day except Monday during July and August.

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ANDREW B. SPINNEY, M. D., P. O. Box City Sanitarium, Reed City, Mich.

## Arnold Plant for Sale

The brewery, formerly owned and operated by Ed. Arnold, a former resident of this city, who went into bankruptcy a short time ago, will be sold by trustees. The following is taken from the Mining Journal concerning the affair: "Permission for the disposal of the plant of the Arnold Brewing company by private sale has been in the United States district court. The sale is to be made by Trustee W. E. Davidson. No time limit has been fixed but the sale must be confirmed by the court. It is believed that by this method of handling the business results more satisfactory can be obtained, as the trustee will be able to secure a better price for the plant. The brewery and accompanying property will be transferred to the purchaser free and clear of all mortgages and liens, thus giving the future owner a clear field in which to operate. At the same time creditors who hold mortgages will have claims on money instead of the plant. Further than this, the court has authorized the payment of a reasonable commission to any person other than the trustee who shall succeed in bringing about a satisfactory sale of the property. In this way it is believed the work will be facilitated to a considerable extent. Besides

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at Escanaba, in the State of Michigan, at the close of business, May 20, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	\$ 907,540.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	154.85
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	25,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	400.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	70,000.00
Banking house, furniture, fixtures	8,000.00
Other real estate owned	30,681.21
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	3,800.00
Due from State Banks and Bankers	734.27
Due from approved reserve agents	128,612.98
Checks and other cash items	1,771.90
Notes of other National Banks	4,000.00
Fractional paper currency, tickets, and cents	164.41
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	\$62,539.95
Legal-tender notes	5,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	1,250.00
TOTAL	\$1,250,280.12

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus fund	14,500.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	5,822.75
National bank notes outstanding	25,000.00
Due to other National Banks	1,708.36
Due to State Banks and Bankers	849.95
Individual deposits subject to check	430,161.86
Demand certificates of deposit	671,281.70
Certified checks	652.00
TOTAL	\$1,250,280.12

State of Michigan, County of Delta, ss: I, Leslie French, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LESIE FRENCH, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of June, 1905.

H. H. Allen, Notary Public.

Correct Attest: F. H. VANCE, C. C. ROYCE, D. McVIEHIE, Directors.

## Ann Arbor Car Ferris.

Commencing Monday April 17th the Ann Arbor car ferris will operate between Frankfort and Menominee as follows: Leaving Frankfort Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9:30 A. M. and arriving at Menominee at 5:30 P. M. Returning, leaving Menominee 11:30 P. M. arriving at Frankfort Tuesday, Thursday Saturday at 7:30 A. M. Between Frankfort and Manistique, leaving Frankfort Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 9:30 A. M. arriving at Manistique 6:30 P. M. Leave Manistique at 9:00 P. M. and arrive at Frankfort Wednesday, Friday and Sunday at 6:00 A. M. making close connections with the Ann Arbor trains for all points south and east.

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Happily the upper peninsula has some enthusiastic "cranks."

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On this subject he is an enthusiastic "crank" and what he says is substantially backed up by facts and figures.

In an interview recently Mr. MacPherran said: The Southern farmer gets good prices for his berries and garden truck because he supplies the central markets before the local producer has put in his crops the Northern farmer gets good prices for his berries and garden truck because he can supply the central markets after the local producer's crops have been exhausted, and there are no better berries and vegetables on earth than those grown in the North, where the season is some shorter than that of the central regions and where everything matures rapidly. Granted that the growing season of

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Then go to California, where both health and opportunity await your coming.

## The Chicago, Union Pacific and North-Western Line

is the most direct route to the Pacific Coast, and there are two fast through trains daily via this line, over the famous double-track railway between Chicago and the Missouri River.

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"The farmer who is struggling along under a mortgage or rented land in Illinois, Iowa and surrounding states can do no better than to migrate to Northern Michigan. A farm of 160 acres in any one of these states will buy one five to fifteen times that size in the North Country.

The farmer who can sell his farm for a good round sum can buy one for himself and every member of his family then put enough money into bank to keep him the rest of his life. The young man who is ambitious to build

up an independence for himself can do so on this northern land. "Anything that grows out of doors can be produced with profit. All root crops do especially well, and berries can be raised that excel those of states to the south by fifty per cent.

Peas have been grown for the seedsmen of Detroit and Chicago and are much sought after because of their size and flavor. No better potatoes are grown in the United States or Canada than are produced near the shores of Lake Superior. With proper seed, field corn can be successfully raised, and all the grains do surprisingly well.

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# IN THE METROPOLIS

## STRANGE SCENES AT FUNERAL OF McMANUS.

### SAVAGE CODE OF HONOR

The Record of One New York Family—Assessing the Tax-Dodger—Lenox and Bar Harbor Gain.

NEW YORK.—The funeral of "Eat-'em-Up-Jack" McManus was one of those strange scenes that can be witnessed in New York, and in few places beside, I should hope. There were the "mourner"—sincere enough, the wife and child, grimly sincere the "gang" who owned him as their deputy leader and mightiest champion. There were even the enemy, not visibly mourning, present as a public duty of respect to fallen foe, protected by the law of truce and the duty of decorum in the presence of Death the Leveller.

Fiercer soul than "Eat-'em-Up-Jack's" never dwelt in human bosom. Not tall, but burly, he had lungs like a blacksmith's bellows. His face was short and broad, the cruel corners of the mouth drawn down and set. So far as he had a profession, he was a pugilist; he was a terrific "bouncer" in a law-abiding, when he got occasional employment. For the rest—why ask? What does a gang leader do in the intervals when he is not "doing up" some one by request of congenitally engaged in repeating a primary?

McManus was deputy leader of the Paul Kelly gang, about which I wrote a week or two ago. Paul Kelly is a little, sinuous Italian, not half McManus' size; but in gangdom, as elsewhere, brains count, and discipline is severe. The gang was, and is now more than ever, at war with the Monk Eastman gang and with the Pell Street gang. What brutal "beat in McManus' head with a short iron bar" is for the courts to say, but that the deed grew out of gang rivalry and will meet a grim gang vengeance no man on the East side doubts.

### The Rule of the Gang.

IT IS hard to make a stranger to New York understand what the city's few remaining gangs mean to it. They seem impossible, but they are to be taken seriously. When Monk Eastman and one or two of his men were in trouble with the New Jersey courts for merely "beating up" a man honestly for an honest price paid by the man's enemies, the Tammany senator from Eastman's district went to the Jersey courtroom to take oath of Eastman's "respectable" character. Eastman is now in Sing Sing. The biggest pitched battle of the gangs in years occurred one midnight at the Kellys and Eastmans were returning from the Devery district, where they had been repeating in a primary fight in the interest of the Tammany "regular" against the picturesque "Big Bill."

These men are the legitimate successors of the "gas house gang, in which Richard Croker rose to power by the weight of his fists, and of many another. There are fewer gangs now, they are confined in smaller quarters of the city and even in the East side the bolder political leaders like Tim Sullivan essay to keep them within bounds; but their strange ways of private vengeance and their savage code of honor which forbids every man to go to the law for vengeance were grimly shown by the armed and confronted ranks at McManus' funeral and by the bloodthirsty oaths that were taken upon his coffin.

### Marriage and Divorce.

WALK due north from the Paul Kelly's fort, in a tenement block so foul in sin and disease that it is to be razed for a public park and you presently come to a broader way, Second avenue, lined with tall tenements and occasionally by stately old houses dating back to the time when this was New York's most fashionable street. Before some of the doors burn the two great gas lamps that show where a mayor of New York once lived. Presently at the right is the old Remsen mansion, now altered almost out of recognition by the additions that have been made to it for the uses of the Cafe Boulevard, a favorite Hungarian restaurant with a gypsy band, where strangers come to see life in the metropolis. The old hall and parlor of the mansion and its winding stair remain little changed. This you may call the northern outpost of the lower East side.

Diagonally across the avenue to the northwest, and but a step away, is the fashionable Church of St. Mark, where the Stuyvesants and Remsens, Livingston, Ketchicans and other Ketchikaner worthies have for generations worshipped and where the most fashionable wed-

ding of the month is celebrated, that of Miss Helen White Stevens and Gilliat Ghequiere Schroeder. The Whites are of the old order. Among these older families, whose names are less often printed, but who pride themselves upon their quieter dignity, you hear little of divorces or of flaunting extravaganzas. If any republic can have an aristocracy these people come rather nearer it than the often advertised "400."

Take a family of the latter type now much talked of by reason of an alliance with the high British aristocracy. The Dodges of New York own a scion, W. Phelps Dodge, who has just married in England after divorcing his first wife, an English circus rider. This young man in his youth at Yale got into trouble by advertising his marriage with an actress whom he hoped to coerce into having him by this original method. The girl's family hunted down the fraud and Dodge's boy friends, whom he had accused falsely of inserting the advertisement as a joke made the country too hot for him. Now in England he writes to Vanity Fair about the "loud-voiced, dingy-looking" Yankee ladies that travel in Europe—and that are there appreciated. Then there is Flora Bigelow Dodge, who married Charles Stuart Dodge, and got a Dakota decree to marry Hon. Lionel Quest. She is the daughter of John Bigelow, of Gramercy Park—American diplomat and friend of Dana and Tilden—and the sister of Poulitney Bigelow, the writer. Poulitney Bigelow himself married a Jaffray, one of the famous "handsome Jaffrays" of New York, and though four children were born to them, Mrs. Bigelow got a divorce from him. Here are three divorces within a pretty small family range. Nor is the record unusual.

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## Locusts Appear.

Lansing.—A dispatch from Janesville, Wis., says swarms of 17-year locusts have appeared all through southern Wisconsin. This swarm is known as brood No. 5, and has been under observation for a number of years. It is due to appear this year in eastern Iowa, northern Illinois, southern Wisconsin, northwestern Indiana, a small part of Pennsylvania and in the following counties in Michigan: Berrien, Branch, Cass, Hillsdale, Oakland, St. Joseph and Wayne, according to Prof. R. H. Pettit of the M. A. C.

## Gets Legacy of \$75,000.

Benton Harbor.—For 20 years Louis Thomas, a painter of this city, has struggled hard to support his family and rear ten children. The battle against poverty was bitter at times, but finally the wolf was forever driven from the door by a letter just received from his sister in New York informing him that there was held to his credit in a New York bank \$75,000 in cash as a legacy from his grandfather. The money has been accumulating interest for 12 years.

## Michigan Odd Fellows.

Lansing.—Secretary H. N. Wilder, of the grand lodge of Odd Fellows, has just completed the report for the year. It shows a net gain in membership for the order of 2,825, the total membership being 44,100 in Michigan. The total receipts of the lodge during the year were \$331,612.15, and of that amount \$292,200 was paid in dues. The Rebekah lodges have a total membership of 21,857, a gain of 938 during the year.

## Now Rest in Detroit.

Detroit.—After reposing in a cemetery vault in New York city for many years, the remains of Stevens Thompson Mason, first governor of the state of Michigan, were interred with appropriate ceremonies in a stone-lined grave in Capitol Square park in this city, where stood the state capitol when Gov. Mason was the chief executive of Michigan.

## Has Resigned.

Kalamazoo.—Alfred Day of Detroit, general secretary of the State Sunday School association, has resigned, to take effect July 1, having received the appointment as general secretary of the New York association. Mr. Day has been general secretary of the state association five years and led hundreds of institutes.

## News Briefly Stated.

- Niles.—Three large ice houses at Barron lake, four miles east of here, were destroyed by fire. The loss is \$13,000, with \$4,000 insurance.
- Grand Rapids.—Alfred D. Haynes, aged 29, a clerk in John D. Mabley's clothing store, dropped dead on the street, while hurrying home from work.
- Copemish.—The partially burned body of a man was found in Marilla township, several miles north of Kaleva. Nothing could be found to identify him except a Maccabee pin.
- Detroit.—In saving the life of a little Polish girl who was gathering lumps of coal in the railway tracks, William Stegbauer, aged 51, lost his own life by being crushed between Michigan Central cars at West Detroit.
- Grand Rapids.—In a new schedule adopted by the council committee on ordinances the city tax for saloons is raised from \$10.50 to \$15. This will increase the city's income from saloons alone approximately \$30,000 a year.

Lansing.—The following Michigan postoffices will become domestic money order offices on July 1: Anchorville, Cedarville, Collins, Hubbard Lake, Lincoln Lake and Vogel Center.

Manistiquette.—Two hunters found the skeleton of Daniel Twigg, a lumberman who has been missing since last fall. The skeleton was identified by letters in the pocket of the coat.

Jackson.—Thomas McGrath, who shot and killed a hotelkeeper in his place of business on Randolph street, Detroit, a few years ago, and was sentenced to a life term in Jackson prison, escaped from that institution.

Escanaba.—The discovery of oil within a mile of Rapid-river, Delta county, has brought about great excitement.

Owosso.—Clarence Brubaker, of Ashley, has commenced a \$10,000 damage suit against Druggist Lorenzo Chambers, of Ashley, charging that Chambers sold him laudanum for port wine.

Lansing.—While leading a vicious cow to pasture the animal suddenly charged upon Mrs. J. E. Sweet, knocked her down, broke her collarbone and inflicted other injuries.

Lansing.—Rural mail-carriers report that considerable damage was done to the crops by heavy rains. The corn, which is just beginning to sprout out above the earth, was badly washed out in some places, while in others the water has simply settled on the fields, where it will remain for several days. In either case the corn so affected is ruined.

Kalamazoo.—Mrs. Myron Gill of schoolcraft, collapsed in a dentist's chair after eight teeth were removed and died under chloroform.

Detroit.—While hobbling across the track near the county house at Eloise, Benjamin Reebeck, a paralytic, was struck by the electric car and died.

Ovid.—Levi Markham was seized with paralysis while milking a cow at his farm in Middlebury township, and died in a few minutes.

Traverse City.—Benny Rakoonen, charged with forging a check for \$9.50, was sentenced to the reform school until 17 years of age.

# COOKING FOR THE SICK.

## Physicians Employ Women to Prepare Special Foods for Their Patients.

There was a knock on the door of the reception room of a physician who rents his office in a fashionable house and an invitation to "come in." It was out of office hours, but a reporter was waiting for a talk with the doctor, relates the Washington Star. A well-dressed, cheerful-looking woman came in, followed by a boy with a covered basket filled with patent stoppered bottles. The bottles were filled with various colored fluids, some of them transparent and some of them not. The doctor took them to the light and examined each critically.

"Seldom have to find any fault with your work, Mrs. —," he said, "but I'm afraid to send out the barley water you brought me yesterday. Let the boy take it back. I am afraid you did not use the pure pearl barley. Instructions must be followed strictly, you know, or we shall be compelled to part. Five more bottles of raw beef extract to-morrow, please."

When the woman had gone the doctor said: "That woman, and many others like her, make a comfortable living with comparative ease. You understand, of course, that a great many people come from outside points to consult specialists of one kind or another in my profession. For instance, take my own case as a specialist in stomach diseases, of which there are 40 or more, each requiring radically different treatment. Nervous prostration almost invariably results from some form of stomach trouble, and we have to remove the cause before we can restore the nerves.

"A patient comes to me and I see at a glance that it would be out of the question for him to take his meals at a hotel table. In fact, I must cut off solids altogether and feed him with medically prepared juices of meat and such things.

"Physicians know the women who can prepare the foods they want, and send for them just as they do for trained nurses whom they regard as most advisable for any particular patient. The diet woman gets her instructions. She must buy only the best beef or mutton for juice from the raw meat. She must use only so much salt to the grain, so much of the yolk of an egg, and must take such precautions as are specified by the physician. She must not make barley water from ordinary barley, but from the best pearl barley. Everything must be cooked just so long and strained. The patient's supply of food is ample in its variety, but it must be prepared in a manner to suit his particular case.

"The prepared food is brought in quart bottles, with patent stoppers. The physician examines them very carefully before they are sent to the patient, and bottles sent back are not paid for. A woman who persists in disobeying orders is dropped. But there are a number of women who are only too ready to prepare the food precisely as the physician insists on having it, and these are women who earn good money.

"The patient? Oh, well, a specialist cannot follow a man around his hotel to see that he does not disobey orders. If one of my patients indulges in forbidden food he cannot hide it from me. If a man convalescent from rheumatism drinks beer, or a man suffering from mental delusions takes opiates or treats in paths that are forbidden there is no use trying to hide it from his doctor. Such men or women would better save their money and go their course."

## Legend of the Ostrich.

Among the Arabs there is a curious legend to account for the ostrich's residence in the desert. "On a certain day appointed," so the story runs, "all created beings met together to decide upon their respective order and precedence. All went smoothly until the ostrich, pleading its inability to fly, disowned the birds and claimed to take rank with the mammals. These, however, would have nothing to say to a creature clothed not with fur but with feathers, while the birds, when the ostrich went dejectedly back, repudiated it also as a traitor to its race. But the ostrich was equal to the occasion, and declared that being neither mammal nor bird it must be an angel. At this all the other animals indignantly rushed upon the ostrich and drove it before them into the desert, where it has lived in solitude ever since, with no one to contradict it."—Chicago Daily News.

## Beautifying American Cities.

The time is rapidly approaching when the excuse can no longer be offered that American cities are raw and lacking in the essentials of good streets, fire protection, etc. Some American cities are far too old, too rich and too well equipped with all essentials to have any excuse left for their sordid disregard of beauty. They have begun to draft plans for comprehensive beautification is a sign that civic pride is not wholly wanting. The people are beginning to realize that their cities are here to stay and that the utility of beauty should not be neglected. When they are finally convinced that judicious beautification is profitable, in dollars and cents, which is the lesson taught by the French, they will speedily transform their ugly municipalities. But, somehow, they are slow in learning the lesson.—Washington Post.

## Impossible.

Cholly-Dye, know, I agree with Miltner Ingeriboll. I think Eve with a myth.

Chauncey—Nonthenthe, old chappiel How could she be a Mith when she wath Adamth wife?—Cleveland Leader.

OWEN LANGDON.



# BRITISH PASTIMES

## YOUTHS OF THE ISLES ARE "ROUGH AND READY."

Some of the so-called Gentile Academies Pretty Rough—"Scuttling Matches" Nothing More Than Battles with Stones—"Prisoners' Bars" and Hockey Popular Diversions—Football Never Brutal.

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The good people of Lancashire and Yorkshire have pretty tough constitutions. It shows in their pioneer achievements in the arts, sciences, inventions, and all-round doggedness that make material progress. As lads they learned to "rough it" long before they reached their teens. Two lumps, swaggering along the streets in all the glory of their first breeches, were very unlikely to pass each other without the bigger one either chaffing or challenging the other. "Tha waddles (the "wad" pronounced like bad) loike a owd duck 'i them breeches thi mother made thee eat o' thi dad's owd duds!" Any peg serves for a rough-and-ready test of a youngster's grit (courage and endurance are there symbolized as grit, short for granite, as here the symbol is sand). The usual result is a match at brag, or a round of fisticuffs, in which the smaller fellow makes or loses a reputation.

From the example above it must not be inferred that the challenger belongs to "the lower orders." I must confess that "gentle" youngsters who were schooled in select "Academies" and "Seminaries for the Sons of Gentlemen," used to glory in their proficiency in the argot of the slums, which they discreetly tried to veil from their deluded mentors in the home and school.

I have a vivid recollection of a strapping I earned from my venerable, if not venerated, dominie, who was passing during one of the usual exchanges of salutations, provoked by a ragged urchin with a huge bundle of firewood for sale, whose most proper fury I had kindled. Something of this sort was going on when I was marched away by the ear, a fortunate escape from the licking I would most likely have had, for which my public strapping and lecturing in school was probably a bargain exchange.

Without being ambitious to pose as a hero, the average small boy, in those days and parts, soon found it would pay him to be able to "stick up for himself." The schooling was rough, but so is the way of the world, and youngsters are not the only victims to inelegant fashions. A black eye on a small boy's face is perhaps less ornamental than a court plaster patch or a surfeit of rouge on the face of a would-be beauty, yet I have known the time when the wearer of that greeny-blue eyemark was, while it lasted, the pride and glory of our school.

These ultra elegant "Academies" were sprinkled over the genteel suburbs of the great cities, usually presided over by reverend divines who had failed as pulpiters. Gentle mothers were assured that no vulgarity, no roughness of speech or play, could possibly penetrate the borders of scholastic paradise. They believed it. We never disturbed that sweet faith, save by accident.

It was the custom for these schools to "scuttle" each other. We scorned each other in the bullying fashion of the European nations, and scuttling matches were our mode of war. In some mysterious way, unfathomed by us of the rank and file, our big fellows managed to find, provoke, or invent the necessary casus belli with a neighboring school, and for weeks the coming fray monopolized our souls, leaving but a sorry fraction of mind for lesson drudgery.

The secrecy was deliciously inspiring. We met in the dark and exhibited our latest weapons, always home-made, and thrilling were our emotions if one of the captains praised our newest device. We made death-dealing slings of leather and cord; tied three-cornered stones, of every size up to that of an egg, in our pocket handkerchiefs; and cut sturdy oak branches into long-reaching bludgeons. No knives, daggers or pistols were thought of, much less resorted to. These fights took place in the dusk. We were on our mettle in hand-cannonade of stone ammunition, which was over in about five minutes, and then the grand charge and hand-to-hand conflict, usually ending after a hot 15 minutes, by which time we resolved ourselves on both sides into a working Red Cross committee, which included the duties of making each other as presentable as schoolboys usually are when they enter the drawing-room after the two evening hours of "play."

Obviously, with these grand battles before his eager eye, the seven-yearling David took early lessons in the fine virtue of fortitude. We took them because we could not help it, they came whether we wanted them or not.

Suppose you become one of our glorious school company. We quickly get your birthday from you on promise of a pleasing celebration. When the happy morning comes, your heart flutters in wonder as the boys gallop up to greet you, each the boys gallop up to greet you, each bearing a gift—which proves to be a hearty tug at your hair for each of your years, say nine years, and 30 boys, 270 attempts to pull as many locks out of your scalp. Some are merciful, and a dominant spirit of fairplay prevents real injury. In some cases thumps are given on the shoulders, instead of tugs.

# THE PORTLAND FAIR.

## POINTS OF INTEREST AT LEWIS AND CLARK EXPOSITION.

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# RAILWAY RATE LEGISLATION.

## Biennial Convention of Conductors Ask Congress Not to Pass Adverse Railroad Law.

At the biennial convention of the Order of Railway Conductors recently held at Portland, Oregon, resolutions were unanimously adopted voicing their sentiments as to the effect of proposed railway rate legislation on the 1,300,000 railroad employes, whom they in part represented. These resolutions "indorse the attitude of President Roosevelt in condemning secret rebates and other illegalities, and commend the attitude of the heads of American Railways, who, with practical unanimity, have joined with the President on this question." They then respectfully point out to Congress the "inadvisability of legislation vesting in the hands of a commission power over railway rates, now lawfully in the United States than in any other country," because such regulation would "result in litigation and confusion and inevitably tend to an enforced reduction in rates, irrespective of the question of the ability of the railroads to stand the reduction, especially in view of the increased cost of their supplies and materials." They further protested against such power being given to the present Inter-State Commission because "the proposed legislation is not in harmony with our idea of American jurisprudence, inasmuch as it contemplates that a single body shall have the right to investigate, indict, try, condemn and then enforce its decisions at the cost of the carriers, pending appeal, which is manifestly inequitable."

The conductors base their demand for only such legislation if any, as would "secure and insure justice and equity and preserve equal rights to all parties concerned" on the ground that the low cost of transportation "is the result of the efficiency of American railway management and operation which have built up the country through constant improvement and development of territory, while at the same time recognition has been given to the value of intelligence among employes in contrast to foreign methods, where high freight rates and lowest wages to employes obtain."

In pressing their claim against legislation adverse to their interests, they point out the fact that "the freight rates of this country average only two per cent. of the cost of articles to the consumer, thus making the freight rate so insignificant a factor in the selling price that numerous standard articles are sold at the same price in all parts of the country."

## TALES OF THE TOTS.

"Say, papa," queried little Harold, looking up from his book, "do they plant bird seed when they want to raise sparrow grass?"  
Little Elsie's father was a very homesy man. One day, after looking at him steadily for some time, Elsie said:  
"Mamma, didn't they have any good-looking men in stock when you went shopping for a husband?"

"The Bible says there will be no marrying in Heaven," said small Harry. "I wonder if that is true?"  
"Of course it is," replied his little sister. "How could the women marry when there are no men in the place?"

Small Bobby had just returned from an afternoon children's party.  
"What kind of refreshments did you have?" asked his mother.  
"Liquid," answered Bobby.  
"Liquid?" she exclaimed, in surprise.  
"Yes, ma'am," replied the son of his father, "Us boys all ran away from the girls and went swimming."

Two little girls became involved in a quarrel, the other day, which culminated in physical violence. One of the mothers took her little daughter to task very severely. Wishing to emphasize the enormity of her offense, the mother said: "It's the devil who tells you to do such naughty things." The little girl replied between sobs: "He may have told me to pull her hair, but I thought of kicking her shins all by myself."

## THE LITERARY FIELD.

Mrs. Ogden Goelet has had made at an enormous expense an edition de luxe of the manuscript of "Hyperion." The edition is limited to one copy and that copy will be placed in her library.

Miss Ethel Bret Harle, daughter of the famous writer of early California life, will devote herself to concert work because her father's estate at his death was too small to support his family.

A London publisher received the manuscript of a novel written, from beginning to end, in verse. Curious, he read it and found it not at all a bad story; so good, indeed, that he is willing to print it if the author will translate it into English prose.

A. E. Houseman, professor of Latin in the University college, London, is a writer of verses which have won praise from able critics. He consistently refuses to accept pay for his work. An American magazine recently printed fragments from a book he printed and sent him a check, which was returned with thanks.

Maria Corelli seems to find something amiss at home. She has noticed that "among the English upper classes there has been growing of late years a disregard for all that is truly sincere and honorable, and a callous frivolity to take its place." She further laments the disappearance of the sterling virtue of mental and moral stability and weight which were once the Englishman's pride.

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At the conference of the Managers of the New York Central Lines, held in New York June 6th, all lines being represented by their General Managers and Passenger officials, it was decided, beginning with the regular summer change, Sunday, June 18th, to quicken the speed of the "Twentieth Century Limited" so as to make the time between New York and Chicago eighteen hours instead of twenty hours, the New York Central Lines having made the twenty-hour time during the past three years, and having also made the run between New York and Chicago in twenty hours with their "Exposition Flyer" for the one hundred and eighty days having held the world's record for a thousand mile train in twenty hours.

The proposed schedule of eighteen hours is simply the extension of the time of the "Empire State Express" through from Buffalo to Chicago, the time having been made for fourteen years between New York and Buffalo. On this new schedule, the train will leave Chicago at 2:30 p. m., arriving Grand Central Station, New York, at 9:30 next morning, and returning, will leave New York 3:30 p. m., reaching Chicago 8:30 a. m. following day. At the same time, the "Lake Shore Limited" will be quickened up an hour and will make the time from Chicago to New York in 23 hours instead of 24, leaving Chicago 5:30 p. m. by the Lake Shore and arriving New York 5:30 p. m. by the New York Central.

The "Southwestern Limited" train, No. 11, which now leaves Grand Central Station at 1:00 p. m., will, beginning June 18th, leave at 2:04 p. m., saving an hour to an hour and a half on the present journey to St. Louis and Cincinnati.

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**New Inspection Rules.**  
By virtue of an act of congress approved on March 3, 1906, and which will take effect on July 1, the local board of United States steamboat inspectors will be invested with added powers, which will enable it to exhibit greater authority in conducting inspections on boats in the passenger service. In past years, when enforcing rule No. 4489 of the laws governing the steamboat inspection service, which gives it the right to make an examination of any steamer arriving or departing from port, if an omission was discovered in compliance with the law or it was found that repairs were necessary to make the vessel safe, the members of the board were only able to notify the master of the craft, in writing. If the master deemed the requirements unnecessary he was at liberty to require a re-examination by the supervising inspector. According to the new law, however, the inspectors are at liberty to make a condemnation of any portion of the equipment of the boat which, in their opinion does not meet with the requirements of the law and to insist upon that equipment being destroyed in their sight. If any delays or evasions on the part of the captain are discovered, the inspectors can tie up the boat, an act which up to this time was only in the power of the district collector of customs.

The revised and amended laws relating to steamboat inspection, of which a copy has recently been received at the local office of the steamboat inspectors, is explicit in regard to the added duties and authority of the officials, inasmuch as there has been considerable dalliance and evasion of the law in the past. It states positively that whenever any local or supervising inspector ascertains to his satisfaction that a vessel is being navigated without complying with the terms of the vessel's certificate of inspection regarding the number and class of licensed officers and crew or the number and kind of life saving or fire fighting apparatus or without maintaining in efficient condition its lifeboats, firepumps, firehose and life-preservers, or that for any other reason the vessel can not be operated with safety to life, the inspector shall order the owner or master of the craft to correct such unlawful conditions and may require that the boat shall at once cease navigating. In case the orders are not at once complied with, the inspector shall immediately revoke the vessel's certificate of inspection and no certificate shall be again issued until the required provisions are complied with.

**Ore Train Goes Into the River.**  
An extra ore train in charge of Conductor Michael Reed was wrecked Sunday morning between Saunders and Pentoga. There were thirteen cars of ore in the train and as they were passing around a curve, where the track is close to the Brule river, a broken rail became displaced and dished six cars of ore and the caboose. The cars rolled down the bank, two going into the river, four lying along the bank, and the caboose, bottom side up, against the wire fence. Brakemen Smith and Al Peters were in the caboose, but escaped with slight injuries. Smith's left foot and Peter's left shoulder were slightly bruised. Conductor Reed was on the engine and escaped being rolled down the bank with the brakemen.

**Officials Not Competent to Judge.**  
The officials of the city of Gladstone will not be allowed to tear down a building that has been erected in that city by W. J. Micks which it is claimed is not fire proof and was erected in violation of the ordinances of that city, according to a decision that has been handed down by Judge John W. Stone. The decision confirms every point of the ordinance designating certain fire limits in that city, within which only buildings constructed of fireproof materials may be constructed but it is held by the court that the officials of the city are not competent to decide whether or not the structure violates the ordinance and a decision, on that point must be obtained before the building is torn down.

On this point Judge Stone says: I shall not resort to any mathematical calculation, as suggested by counsel for defendants, to determine whether the house or building in question is a wooden structure or not. That is not the question here. The question is, should defendants be restrained from razing this building. I am satisfied that it does not comply with the terms of the ordinance. Neither do I determine, on this record, that it is a nuisance. That question is not properly before the court. The defendants will be left to all their legal remedies, but will by the decree of the court be restrained from razing, tearing down or destroying this building, until the same shall have been by judicial judgment or decree, declared a public nuisance. The decree will further provide that in the meantime the complainant will be restrained from putting into or upon said building any wooden material whatever.

**Ann Arbor Railroad Steamers.**  
The Ann Arbor Railroad Steamers are now operating on regular schedule across Lake Michigan leaving Menominee 11:30 p. m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday and Manistique at 9 p. m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, arriving at Frankford the following morning connecting with Ann Arbor Railroad train for all points in Lower Peninsula.

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**Will Bore for Coal and Oil**  
A company is being organized at the Soo for the purpose of making explorations for coal, gas and oil which is believed exist in Chippewa county. It is known that there is a coal formation in Bruce township says the Soo Times. When explorations were being made this spring coal was discovered on the surface and a considerable quantity of it was used for fuel and burned excellently. Now drills have been secured and the work of learning the extent of the deposits will be started. It is stated that the indications are that oil will also be found, at any rate the men back of the project are confident that success will reward their efforts.

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