

# THE IRON PORT.

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## COMMITTED SUICIDE

Chas. Ehlers, an Employee of the Wm. Mueller Co. at Labranché Took Carbolic Acid.

## WAS TIRED OF LIVING

Left Touching Letter to Friends Explaining Reasons For Taking His Own Life.

Charles Ehlers, an employee of the Wm. Mueller company at Labranché, committed suicide on Friday of last week by taking carbolic acid.

Ehler's body was found last Saturday morning in his room at the hotel at Labranché and on the floor at his feet was found a bottle containing carbolic acid.

A letter which the dead man left was found in his room and told his reasons for taking his own life.

Ehler suffered from a cancer of the ear and this was the probable cause of his act. He also lost a sum of money on a trip which he made to his home at Powers and it is believed that this had something to do with his despondent condition.

"May God forgive me for this act," wrote Ehler in the letter which he left. He also expressed a hope that his wife and family would be cared for. He said that he felt that he was in the way and better off dead than living. He also dwelt upon the fact that he had a cancer and intimated that his companions shunned him for this reason.

Ehler was about sixty years of age and leaves a wife and family at Powers. He had been employed for some time as a farmer for the Mueller company at Labranché.

Much to the surprise of many people no inquest was held over the body but a son of the dead man together with Ralph Prince of Powers came to Labranché and took the body to Powers.

## Game With Green Bay

A game between the Escanaba and Green Bay base ball teams will take place at South Park this afternoon.

Green Bay has a fast team and as Escanaba will be reinforced by both Henry and Fred Olmstead and William Matt, who have been playing at Appleton, the game should prove an interesting one.

## ORDINANCE AMENDED

Property Owners Who Build Sidewalks Must Pay for Filling and Grading

Property owners who build sidewalks must now pay for grading and filling that may be necessary in connection with the laying of the walk. By adopting an amendment to one of the sidewalk ordinances, the city Council on Tuesday evening has clearly defined that all filling and grading shall be done at the expense of the property owner and not at the city's expense.

The city charter was somewhat vague on that point and states that the grade for sidewalks shall be prepared by the city.

## Practice Game To-Day

There will be a practice game of foot ball this afternoon at the South Park base ball grounds between the first and second elevens of the high school. There is considerable rivalry this year for places on the first team and many members of the second team are working hard to secure places in the first team.

## WHEELSMAN KILLED

Harry Smith Fell Into Hold of Alfred P. Mitchell Sunday Morning

Harry Smith, wheelsman of the Str. Alfred P. Mitchell was killed by falling into the hold of that vessel at the North-Western ore dock Sunday morning.

No one saw the accident but the dead body of the young man was found at the bottom of the boat, a few minutes after it was discovered that he was missing.

## Shooting Club

The Escanaba Gun Club has been organized with Dr. John Groos as president and plans are being made to get a team in readiness to compete with the teams in other cities.

Other officers of the club are: E. P. Bolger, captain; L. I. Hetrick, secretary and Sylvester Denter, treasurer. There is plenty of good material in Escanaba for a fine gun club and it is hoped that all our local sportsmen will aid the movement as much as possible.

## POPULAR COUPLE WED

J. H. Lahae and Miss Angline Desilets Married Tuesday Morning.

A very pretty wedding took place Tuesday morning at eight o'clock at St. Anne's church, in which Miss Angeline Desilets and Mr. J. Hector Lahae were principals.

Rev. Fr. Mesnard, pastor of St. Anne's church performed the ceremony in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives of the bride and groom.

The bride was attended by Miss Katherine Klinger and Mr. Victor Lahae, a brother of the groom acted as groomsman.

The bride was beautifully gowned in white silk and carried a bridal bouquet of white carnations.

The bridesmaids were white silk and wore pink carnations.

After the ceremony at the church, the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents where an elaborate wedding breakfast was served, only the relatives and a few close friends of the contracting parties being present. The dining room at the home was decorated with ferns and cut flowers and presented a very pretty appearance.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Desilets of 211 South Elmwood street and has been employed as saleslady by the Ed. Erickson company for nearly a year.

The groom is an estimable young man and is employed at the Northwestern freight office.

Many beautiful and useful presents were given to the young couple by their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lahae left Tuesday morning on the eleven o'clock train over the Northwestern road for Milwaukee on a short wedding trip and will be at home to their many friends after October twentieth at 121 Hale street.

The Iron Port joins with their many friends in wishing them a happy and prosperous journey through life.

## Old Mill Stops Forever

After thirty years of continuous service, the Reuben Merriman sawmill, one of the best known on the Menominee River, has stopped work for the last time. The plant will be dismantled at once and the machinery sold. The mill was erected in late '70s. It was built for cutting white pine, and during its existence its output average 115,000 feet a day. The mill has two hand saws and carriages.

## LOOK UP STONE

Street Committee of City Council Will Investigate Stone Question

The street committee of the city council will make an examination of the different kinds of stone produced by the quarries in this section of the country and the prices charged.

The city has a considerable amount of paving to do with crushed stone and the council is desirous of getting the best possible rate. It is understood that there are some new quarries opening up in Door County and there will doubtless be looked into by the committee.

## The Era of the Young

The present is certainly the "Era of the Young." The world has seen the "stone age," "the dark age," "the age of iron," and now comes the "Age of youth." On all sides we see the comparatively young forging to the front, and forcing themselves into places where a few years ago it was thought could alone be filled by their elders; in fact, it is an open question whether a young man is not "of age" at 18. He is able to cope with the world at that age as his grandfather was at 21. The stage may be taken in point. Recently one of New York's principal theatres was occupied by a play in which the leading role was played by a child, Little Hazel Shannon. The press and the public were loud in praise of her wonderful ability. This clever little girl will be seen in Harry Shannon's powerful comedy "The Banker's Child" surrounded by a strong company of players. Special scenery is used to properly mount the play, and adds to the beauty of the surroundings.

At Peterson's opera house one night only, Tuesday Sept. 25.

## Stevenson-Harkins

Friends of John Stevenson and Miss Ida G. Harkins former young people of this city have received announcements of their wedding which took place at Chicago on Thursday of this week. Mr. Stevenson who until recently was employed in the general offices of the Northwestern road in this city now holds a fine position in Chicago.

Both bride and groom have many friends in this city who extend congratulations.

Mrs. Ole Erickson spent several days at Milwaukee this week.

## NEW CONVENTION IS CALLED

Vacancy in Office of Sheriff and Place on Republican Ticket to be Filled by Convention.

## TO BE HELD OCTOBER 8

Republican County Committee Met Thursday and Decided That Convention Should be Held.

The selection of a candidate for sheriff to fill the vacancy in that office caused by the death of Sheriff Richard Perow, and a candidate on the Republican county ticket for the full term of two years will be made by the Republicans in this county in a convention on October 8th.

That the question should be settled in this way was decided upon at a special meeting of the Republican County Committee held Thursday at the court house in this city.

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## WANT NEW STREET

Property Owners on Georgia Street Ask for New Paving.

A petition from property owners on Georgia street asking for a new paving on that street was presented to the city council Tuesday evening. The petition asks for a roadway 10 feet to be paved with a crushed stone foundation and granite dressing.

On account of the numerous requests for new streets which the council has been forced to decline, there is no prospect of Georgia being paved this year or next and no appropriation for it has been included in the annual appropriation bill adopted by the council on Tuesday night.

## My Friend From Arkansas

It will be a bit strange if the beautiful comedy drama "My Friend From Arkansas" presented by Robert Sherman's excellent company of players does not become as popular as "Way Down East." The play has proven decidedly interesting and it is a pleasure to note that the public taste in affairs of the theatre are again turning to good wholesome plays that tell coherent stories as does "My Friend From Arkansas." The above play will be seen at the Peterson opera house tonight. Prices 25, 35, and 50 cents.

## RAPID VS. STURGEON BAY

Base Ball Game at Rapid River Promises to be Good One

The base ball team season at Rapid River will be closed Sunday, when the strong Sturgeon Bay team will go up against the Rapid River team at the latter place. The game promises to be one of the best of the season as both teams are reported in fine condition, and it is expected that a bunch of base-ball enthusiasts from Escanaba and Gladstone will be present.

Escanaba was quite anxious to bring the Rapid River here this Sunday to decide the real championship of this district. But the game with Sturgeon Bay had already been arranged for by Rapid River, and it was to late to change dates. As several Rapid River players expect to leave next week for school, the team will probably disband, and the chances for a championship game are slim.

## Junk Brought \$177.32

The city fire department sold old junk last month to the amount of \$177.32. The chief item was an old fire engine which brought \$116.

## AARON T. BLISS DEAD

Wellknown Ex-Governor of Michigan Died in Milwaukee.

Ex-Governor Aaron Thomas Bliss of Michigan died at the Sacred Heart sanatorium in Milwaukee at four o'clock Sunday morning.

Death was due to a stroke of apoplexy and was not unexpected. About a year ago Mr. Bliss was stricken with paralysis and his heart has been steadily failing since.

Ex-Governor Bliss was born in Madison county, N. Y. May 22, 1837. He was a man of great public spirit, and ranked high as a Mason. He was also a Macabee and a Forester.

He had held the offices of supervisor, alderman, state senator and congressman, and was governor of Michigan two terms, from 1900 to 1904.

His death came as a shock to his friends throughout the state.

## Tried to Board Train

While attempting to steal a ride on a moving freight train on the Northwestern road near Brampton, Michael Bertos, a Polish woodsman was thrown under the wheels of the train and his right leg crushed. He was removed to the Delta County hospital and the limb amputated. The patient's condition is favorable and he will recover.

## CONVENTION WAS SUCCESS

Fifty Delegates Present at Convention of Modern Brotherhood of America Held in this City

A total of 50 delegates attended the convention of the Modern Brotherhood of America held in this city Tuesday evening.

The sessions of the convention were held in the Odd Fellows hall and all the arrangements carried out successfully.

The banquet on Tuesday evening was attended by all the visiting delegates together with the members of the local lodge and proved a very enjoyable feature of the convention.

## House Full of Stolen Goods

Through the pluck of a servant girl, says the Herald-Leader, the fact has been discovered that for three years systematic looting has been going on in Menominee. In the person of Mrs. Martin Oleson, upon whom circumstances fasten the guilt, the police have found an interesting kleptomaniac, a person who through brain trouble was changed from a woman of irreproachable character to a thief without sense of property or criminal responsibility. The woman was discovered at night at the home of A. W. Bloom on State street by the servant girl, Clara Johnson. She then had upon her person five jars of preserved fruit. A search warrant was issued, and in addition to finding linen stolen last winter from the kitchen of the Bloom house, the police discovered closets literally full of clothing of the finest cloth and most fashionably cut. A number of articles of jewelry were also discovered, and in the bottom of a trunk were found certificates of deposit for \$1,700 on the Stephenson National bank of Marinette. Eight of Menominee's most prominent women subsequently invaded the home and identified articles stolen. Four automobiles were lined up in front of the Oleson home during the search. There were discovered waists, dresses and underclothes of every description. Fashionable cloaks were in the closets, and fine lingerie in the trunks. A miscellaneous assortment of jewelry, among it a handsome ring belonging to Mrs. Frank Spies, was discovered.

## Want Granite Dressing

Property owners on Charlotte street have petitioned the Council to change the plan for the paving of that street so that the top dressing of the street will be granite instead of crushed stone. They chose automobile as the largest sized sport possible and Wednesday telephoned D. F. Poyer of Menominee for a car. Mr. Poyer left about two o'clock, returning about 3 with Mr. and Mrs. Miller. They stopped there but a short time and then came on to Escanaba, thence to Ford River, where they will make their honeymoon.

## Filed Protest

The property owners from North Escanaba appeared before the council on Tuesday evening and filed protest with regard to the condition of paving Hartnett street and Stephenson Avenue. Hartnett street was paved last year and has proven to be a failure. The property owners from North Escanaba are very anxious to have something done to improve the condition of the streets and have asked that some action be taken by the council to put those two streets in condition at once. Atty. A. W. Norblad represented the North Escanaba property owners in presenting their case to the council.

It is likely that some steps will be taken by the council to improve the two streets as they are two very important avenues into the city.

## Congregational Church of Wells

The pastor of the Congregational church will preach his last two sermons from that pulpit next Sunday morning and evening. The subject, for the morning, "The Church seen in the Divine Life," evening, "Three Crosses." The Cross of Iniquity, The Cross of Trust, The Cross of Power.

The pastor hopes to meet many friends at these services.

R. BERTRAND,  
Pastor.

A marriage license was issued to Elmer Laplante and Edith Bekken both of this city.

Arthur Peterson of C. Peterson & Sons, has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Miss Ella Anderson, Miss Mary Olson and Mrs. C. J. Dahlberg left Wednesday night for Chicago.

## GASOLINE LAUNCH BURNS

## ANNUAL BUDGET

City's Appropriation Bill For Next Season Adopted Tuesday Evening

The annual appropriation bill for the city as presented by the finance committee of the City Council on Tuesday evening has been adopted by that body.

The bill calls for an expenditure of approximately \$90,000 which is in addition to the sum of \$48,000 which will be raised by taxation for the support of the city schools.

The appropriations for the city's portion of the expense for the streets that will be paved next year are included in the budget and because of numerous requests for new streets that were asked for, many streets have been left out and must wait another year before the paving can be put in.

Following are the funds for which appropriations have been made:

GENERAL FUNDS	



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## SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

### MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT HOME TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

### LATE FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Interesting Items of News Gathered from All Parts of the Globe and Outlined in the Briefest Manner Possible.

#### THE CUBAN REVOLT.

After a protracted conference with Secretary of War Taft, Acting Secretary of State Bacon and Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte, President Roosevelt addressed an important communication to Cuba and arranged to send Secretary Taft and Bacon to that island to make thorough investigation of conditions there and lend their influence to restore peace.

Secretary Taft and Assistant Secretary of State Robert Bacon left Washington over the Atlantic coast line for Tampa, Fla., to embark on a naval vessel there for Havana, in accordance with the instructions of President Roosevelt, to ascertain the exact political situation.

The government is making final strenuous efforts to restore peace in Cuba and thus avoid any kind of American intervention. The object of these endeavors, it is stated, is that it may be able to say by the time Secretary of War Taft and Acting Secretary of State Bacon arrive that peace already has been secured, and that therefore there is no need for the American government's intervention either to restore peace or insure permanent tranquillity.

Lively interest is manifested in Paris over President Roosevelt's decision to send Secretary of War Taft and Acting Secretary of State Bacon to Cuba, and many of the newspapers jump to the conclusion that this will sound the knell of Cuban independence.

The extra session of the Cuban congress called by President Palma completed at one sitting the business for which it was summoned, namely, the granting to President Palma of the fullest power not already constitutionally possessed by the executive for carrying on the war, including the right to appropriate any public funds for war purposes.

The sailors landed from the cruiser Denver at Havana have been ordered to return immediately to the vessel, save for a small guard for the American legation. The landing was not made under instructions from Washington.

Recruits rush to the Cuban revolutionists as the result of President Palma's threat of a policy of aggression.

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

Orders were issued calling out all the men employed by the Vandalia Coal company, in Indiana. The action was taken by the district officials of the United Mine Workers of America, and was the result of the failure to adjust differences growing out of the discharge of three men at Vandalia mine, No. 5, near Linton, Ind.

Former Gov. Aaron Thomas Bliss, of Michigan, died at St. Louis Hospital, Milwaukee, of apoplexy.

It is generally understood that one of the principal objects of Finance Minister Limantour's trip to Europe is to bring about the acquisition of the Mexican Central railroad by the Mexican government.

A terrible dynamite accident happened at a railroad camp 18 miles from Kenora, Man. Three men were blown to pieces, fragments of their bodies being picked up 40 feet away.

The big steel steamer Crescent City, with the whaleback No. 18 in tow, went aground about two miles above Washburn, Wis., within 500 feet of the shore.

A cloudburst in the northwestern part of Dakota county and the eastern part of Dixon county, Nebraska, rushed down the valley of Elk creek, sweeping away hundreds of tons of hay, drowning hogs caught in pens, flooding cellars, washing away railroad tracks and doing other damage, all of which is conservatively estimated at \$100,000.

In a pistol duel at Helena, Mont., Chief of Police Flannery shot and killed T. P. Purdie, a traveling painter of Kansas City, and was himself shot in the leg.

Frederick E. Rosebuck, a well-to-do produce merchant of Brooklyn, was placed under arrest there on the charges of grand larceny, preferred in Kansas.

Capt. James G. Cheyne died at Milwaukee. He was 80 years of age and for over 50 years was a master on the Great Lakes.

At Washington Joseph Paoleucchi, a shoemaker, 32 years old, shot and killed Lucy Kedge, 17 years old, and then attempted to take his own life.

Officials of the Canadian Pacific railway say 12 persons were killed and 12 injured in the wreck near Chelmsford.

Ibrahim Pasha, for many years master of ceremonies at the Yildiz palace, is dead. He was highly esteemed at Constantinople.

By defeating the St. Paul team, the Chicago lacrosse club won the Carling cup, emblematic of the western lacrosse championship.

Winnipeg is in the grip of one of the most extensive building strikes ever experienced.

The International & Great Northern extra freight train from St. Louis was derailed at Price's Switch, 16 miles north of Palestine, Tex. One of the cars carried a half car of matches and these were ignited and flames spread to 14 cars of the 23 derailed.

A monument to George Washington was unveiled in Budapest, Hungary, and the entire population from morning until night gave itself up to enthusiasm over the unveiling on monarchical territory of a monument to the first president of the United States. The Stars and Stripes and the Hungarian colors intertwined were to be seen everywhere.

Capt. Roald Amundsen, the discoverer of the northwest passage, reached Seattle on the steamship Saratoga from Nome.

President Diaz opened the autumn session of the Mexican congress in the presence of senators and deputies and a brilliant audience.

Father James H. Brady, assistant rector of St. John's cathedral, Milwaukee, died at St. Mary's hospital of acute diabetes, after an illness of about three weeks.

While standing near the third-base foul line watching the baseball game Kuno Schilling, of Milwaukee, was struck on the back of the neck by a swiftly batted ball and died immediately.

With a panic threatening in a crowd estimated at 50,000 people, surging about the stand erected in the capital grounds frantic to secure a glimpse of Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, the president's daughter, the exercises arranged for the dedication of the McKinley monument were suddenly terminated after the statue of the martyred president had been hurriedly unveiled by Mrs. Longworth.

An anti-Jewish outbreak is likely to occur at Warsaw. Fugitives have called on Herr Drayzen, a member of the Austrian legislature, requesting him to inform the European press that a massacre of Jews is preparing for the Jewish New Year.

Christ Burmester, who disappeared from Burlington, Ia., 51 years ago at the age of 17 years, and who has not been heard from by his family, returned a wealthy man. His family had supposed him to be dead.

Several persons were killed and property valued at thousands of dollars was damaged or destroyed in a terrific storm and cloudburst that broke over Zacatecas, Mexico.

David Ross, secretary of the Illinois state bureau of labor, received a telegram announcing the death at his castle near Edinburgh, Scotland, of J. C. Simpson, formerly of Mount Olive, Ill. Mr. Simpson was president of the Consolidated Coal company.

Four masked men attempted to hold up passenger train No. 311 on the Rock Island road one and one-half miles north of Peoria, Ill., and but for the presence of mind of Conductor Robert Murray, who disarmed one of the men after being struck on the head, the passengers would have been robbed.

While driving from Sagamore Hill to Oyster Bay, Miss Ethel Roosevelt, daughter of the president, was thrown out of her buggy, her horse becoming frightened at an automobile. She was not hurt.

Four persons were killed, two fatally injured and a number hurt in a tornado which prevailed between Elk Creek and Tecumseh, Neb.

Two men were drowned in the moratorium races on the Hudson river. They were Mr. Ferry and Oberon, who were on the motorboat Vesuvius. Oberon was drowned in an attempt to save Ferry.

The grand circuit judges announced the expulsion of A. L. Thomas for withdrawing his horse, Main Sheet, without permission from the chamber of commerce stakes.

C. M. Daniels, of the New York A. C., holder of many amateur swimming records, lowered his own, and the world's record of 220 yards at St. Louis. The New Yorker set the mark at 2:12.25.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: "Volume of trade continues beyond precedent for the period, the end of the vacation season restoring normal forces in most occupations, and there are no important labor struggles to handicap progress. Autumn distribution is very heavy, traders as a rule preparing for needs well into the future, while mercantile collections are quite as prompt as could be expected in view of the tight money market."

Congressman Robert W. Bonney was renominated by the First Colorado district Republican convention.

The Wyoming Democratic state convention adopted resolutions endorsing W. J. Bryan "the triumphant candidate in 1908."

Mrs. E. H. Pavitt, wife of a farmer, was beaten to death at her home in Springfield township, Pa., with a hatchet in the hands of an unknown assailant, during the absence of her husband.

Rivalry between the battleships Louisiana and Connecticut as to which shall take the president to Panama may be settled by sending both.

At Kielce, Russia, 150 privates of the Fifth Infantry regiment became suddenly ill as the result it is believed of having eaten poisoned meat. One of the soldiers died.

A suit involving damages of \$6,000,000 which the United Fruit company is named as the defendant and which is based upon the alleged violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, was filed in the United States circuit court in New York.

Philip B. Stewart, of Colorado Springs, was nominated for governor of Colorado by the Republicans.

Thirty Bulgarians are reported to have been killed at Ismailova in a conflict with Greeks and armed Turkish peasants.

Lieut. Gen. Corbin declares the present system of athletic exercises promotes the performance of championship feats by a few, but does not aid in building up the organization as a whole.

Publis Printer Stillings sustained the action of Acting Foreman Ashton, who suspended A. J. Tanner, a bookbinder, on the charge of insubordination and fixed the suspension period at 30 days.

The Corinthian soccer football team of England, which has been touring the United States, lost its final game in this country when it was defeated by the Fall River (Mass.) team 3 to 0.

Ben Jordan and Carl Brown, both under 20 years of age, confessed that they derailed a St. Louis & San Francisco fast passenger train near Kosoma, I. T., July 29, when the fireman was killed and the engineer badly hurt.

Swiftwater Bill Gates, the Alaska miner, who has gained national fame as a spendthrift, filed a petition to be declared a bankrupt in the federal court at Seattle.

William J. Bryan has accepted an invitation to speak in Memphis the morning of September 25.

Earth tremors continue in various localities in the interior of Ecuador. There were three heavy shocks at Latacunga, capital of the province of Leon.

Four stowaways on the stranded transport Sheridan attempted to swim ashore. One was drowned, but the other three succeeded in landing.

Steve Adams was spirited away from the penitentiary at Boise, Idaho, and taken to Wallace, where a charge of murder has been made against him. Samaci Kingston and Seldon Moran, both of Frankfort, and Leonard Shade of Monkton, Ont., injured in the rail-way collision near Sudbury, died, making the total deaths 15.

Lieut. Gen. Henry C. Corbin has recommended to the war department the retention of the grade of Lieutenant general and bestowal of this grade upon all corps commanders.

Further earthquake shocks have been experienced between the provinces of Santiago and Maule. They are attributed to the Chilean volcano, which is in full eruption.

State Senator Franklin Pierce Mays, ex-Representative Willard, L. Jones and George Sorenson stand convicted in the Blue mountain land fraud case at Portland, Ore.

Fire destroyed the entire business district of Tiburon, Cal. Only the utmost efforts of members of the Twenty-second United States Infantry and the state fire department saved the residence portion. Two hundred people are homeless.

The reply of William J. Bryan to the statement of Roger Sullivan, of Chicago, was given out at Lincoln, Neb. Mr. Bryan said that he would not lower the discussion with Mr. Sullivan to one of personal controversy.

Mrs. Herman Oerlich, widow of the administrator of the Fair estates, is undecided whether or not to contest her husband's will, according to a statement made by James W. Gerard, Mrs. Oerlich's attorney.

Entering the southland for the first time in two years, William Jennings Bryan received a welcome at Louisville, Ky., which in warmth and spontaneity has not been surpassed by any of the greetings given him since his return from his tour of the world.

Quarantine officers refused landing at San Francisco to 48 persons on the steamer Siberia, which just arrived from the Orient, who had unmistakable evidence of trachoma. Of these 27 were Japanese and 15 Hindus.

The schoolhouse at Three Lakes, Mich., was struck by lightning and completely wrecked. School was in session, but none of the pupils was killed. Several were made unconscious.

A certificate of incorporation of the Commercial Cable company of Cuba was filed with the secretary of state of New York. It is organized to operate telegraphic communication between New York and Havana by way of Florida and Key West.

If Speaker Cannon depends on Gompers to knock him out, he can remain in public life as long as he likes." This was the comment of United States Senator Albert J. Hopkins, of Illinois.

Mayor Lannon received a telegram from W. J. Bryan accepting an invitation to speak at Little Rock, Ark., on his southern trip. Mr. Bryan will relate Little Rock Wednesday afternoon, September 26.

The grand jury at Pittsburg returned the true bill against Augustus Hartje, John S. Welshons and Clifford Hoce, charging them with conspiracy to defame the character of Mrs. Mary Scott Hartje.

President Roosevelt has completed the first draft of his next annual message to Congress. It is his intention to put the finishing touches on this document before he takes his trip to Panama in November.

William Randolph Hearst was nominated for governor of New York by the Independence League convention; full state ticket is also put up.

The authorities of Plock, Poland, fearing an outbreak similar to the one at Siedlce, surrounded the Jewish quarter and searched every house and all the inhabitants.

Judge B. T. Haines ordered the release from Lansing, Kan., penitentiary of Al Harpster, who is serving a life sentence for the murder of John Julian at Ponca City, Okla. The dying confession of Byron Cole clears Harpster.

#### The Age of Machinery.

We live in the age of machinery. The thinking, directing mind becomes daily of more account, while mere brawn falls correspondingly in value from day to day. That eccentric philosopher, Elbert Hubbard, says in one of his essays, "where a machine will do better work than the human hand, we prefer to let the machine do the work."

It has been but a few years since the cotton gin, the spinning Jenny and the power loom displaced the hand picker, the spinning wheel and the hand loom; since the reaper and binder, the rake and tedder, the mowing machine took the place of the old cradle, scythe, pitchfork and hand rake; since the friction match superseded the flint and tinder; since the modern paint factory replaced the slab and muller, the paint pot and paddle.

In every case where machinery has been introduced to replace hand labor, the laborers have resisted the change; and as the weavers, the sempstresses and the farm laborers protested against new-fangled looms, sewing machines and agricultural implements, so in recent times composers have protested against type-setting machines, glass blowers against bottle blowing machines, and painters against ready mixed paints. And as in the case of these short-sighted classes of to-day, the protest will be vain. It is a protest against civilization, against the common weal, against their own welfare.

The history of all mechanical improvements shows that workmen are the first to be benefited by them. The invention of the sewing machine, instead of throwing thousands of women out of employment, increased the demand to such an extent that thousands of women have been employed, at better wages, for shorter hours and easier work where hundreds before worked in laborious misery to eke out a pitiful existence. It was so with spinning and weaving machinery, with agricultural implements—in fact, it is so with every notable improvement. The multiplication of books in the last decade is a direct result of the invention of the typewriter and fast presses.

The mixed paint industry, in which carefully designed paints for house painting are prepared on a large scale by special machinery, is another improvement of the same type. The cheapness and general excellence of these products has so stimulated the consumption of paint that the demand for the services of painters has correspondingly multiplied. Before the advent of these goods a well-painted house was noticeable from its rarity, whereas to-day an ill-painted house is conspicuous.

Hindsight is always better than foresight, and most of us who deplore the short-sightedness of our ancestors would do well to see that we do not in turn furnish "terrible examples" to our posterity.

#### Cure for Whooping Cough.

Irwin, Pa.—The "mine cure" for whooping cough among small children is attracting attention in this section, where the disease is almost epidemic. In one case a Jeannette father daily takes his ten-month-old baby girl down into the Penn mine. He remains half an hour, comes to the surface for the same space of time, and again goes down and remains another half hour. This will be repeated daily for two weeks. The child has a severe case, and from a fit of coughing goes into spasms. A Pittsburgh physician recommended the "mine cure" as the only profitable relief,

Enter the southland for the first time in two years, William Jennings Bryan received a welcome at Louisville, Ky., which in warmth and spontaneity has not been surpassed by any of the greetings given him since his return from his tour of the world.

"There is too much chinning in this piece. The author is behind the times, and seems to forget that what we want nowadays is hair raising situations and detective.

"In the hands of a skillful playwright a detective would have been put upon the track of Hamlet's uncle, and the old man would have been hunted down in a manner that would have lifted the audience out of their cowlings.

"The moral of the piece is not good. The scene where Hamlet sasses his mother is a bad example to the rising generation.

"Our advice to the author is more action, more love-making, and plenty of specialties. The crazy girl scene should be cut out altogether and a rattling good song and dance substituted."

Pension Head Works Saving.

Washington—Commissioner of Pensions Warner has worked economies in the service which have saved the government \$20,346 during the last fiscal year. He has reduced the expenses of the bureau \$92,552, has cut the expenses of special examiners \$60,398, of examining surgeons \$30,000, has made a saving in salaries and clerk hire at agencies of \$7,242, in rents and contingent expenses of agencies, \$8,654, and in the examination of pension agents has saved \$2,500.

Daughter of Confederacy Dead.

St. Louis—Mrs. Marion Wallace Vall, daughter of the confederacy and civil war nurse, is dead. She was banished from St. Louis by Gen. Leighton for releasing confederates during her work in the prisons.

Manchuria at Honolulu.

Honolulu—The steamer Manchuria came into this harbor Monday. Capt. Metcalfe thinks that the vessel will be repaired here in ten days so that she will be able to go to San Francisco under her own steam.

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Ely's Cream Balm is quickly absorbed. Gives Relief at Once. It cleanses, soothes and protects the diseased membrane. It cures Catarrh and drives away a Cold in the Head quickly. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Full size 50 cts.



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SATURDAY, SEPT. 22, 1906

### Republican State Ticket

Governor Fred M. Warner, Farmington.

Lieutenant Governor Patrick M. Kelly, Wayne.

Secretary of State George A. Prescott, Tawas City.

Treasurer Frank P. Glazier, Chelsea.

Auditor General Dr. James B. Bradley, Eaton Rapids.

Land Commissioner William H. Rose, Bath.

Attorney General John E. Bird, Adrian.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Luther L. Wright, Ironwood.

Member State Board of Education Dexter M. Ferry, Jr., Detroit.

### Delta County Republican Ticket

For Representative Hon Ole Erickson.

For Sheriff

For County Treasurer Charles J. Seiner.

For Prosecuting Attorney Judd Yelland.

For County Clerk Alfred P. Smith, For Register of Deeds Charles W. Malloch.

For Coroners L. O. Kirstine, Harry Hutchings.

For Circuit Court Commissioners A. H. Ryall, G. R. Empson.

For County Surveyor D. A. Brotherton.

Whether or not the Michigan Central railroad subscribed anything to assist in the election of Governor Warner to years ago is a question that is being discussed in democrat campaign circles. It will be remembered that the Michigan Central railroad, according to the democrat campaign statements of two years ago, was to be greatly benefited by the election of the republican state candidates. In

stead or being benefited, however the attorney of the Michigan Central has declared that Governor Warner had greatly wronged that road. Its state tax burden has been greatly increased; reductions of rates of fare on its state travel lines have been compelled, and a new suit has been started by the state for six million dollars back taxes which will be collected if possible. If the Michigan Central railroad paid anything to bring into existence a state administration that has been so merciless in its enforcement of just requirements it is not strange that it should regard itself as having been greatly wronged.

Governor Warner publicly declared a few days ago that he is quite willing to defend the policy of the present administration in the matter of its support of the state's educational institutions. As a matter of facts the increase in the cost of the University and Agricultural college and the State Normal schools has not equaled the proportion of their growth in number of students and in the advanced character of the work they are providing. Their cost to Michigan is far less than the provision made by other states for educational institutions that return much less than this state receives in direct value for its investments. Governor Warner made it quite plain that he had very little sympathy with any effort to make political capital through attacks on Michigan's educational institutions.

**Notice**  
First publ. Sept. 18, last publ. Oct. 15, 1906.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. Twenty Fifth Judicial Circuit in Chancery.

Theodore Bittner, Plaintiff in Chancery, vs. Delta, In Chancery.

Richard Roth & Henry Koss, Defendants.

In this cause it appearing that defendant Henry Koss is not a resident of this state, but is a resident of the state of Wisconsin, therefore on motion of Yelland & Norblad, solicitors for complainant it is ordered that defendant enter his appearance in said cause on or before five months from the date of this order and that within twenty days, the complainant cause this order to be published in the Iron Port, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

Dated Sept. 15th 1906.

J. W. STRODE, Circuit Judge.

Yelland & Norblad, Solicitors for Complainant.

Business address, Escanaba, Mich.

Sept. 18, 1906.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

### STATE SAVINGS BANK

At Escanaba, Michigan

At the close of business, Sept. 18, 1906, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

#### RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$196,577.11
Bonds, mortgages and securities	31,638.00
Premiums paid on bonds	1,125.00
Overdrafts	11,411.00
Banking house	1,125.00
Furniture and fixtures	572.22
Items in transit	5,042.00
Due from banks in reserve cities	1,000.00
U. S. and National Bank Currency	9,000.00
Gold coin	250.00
Silver coins	113.80
Nickels and cents	10,962.50
Checks, cash items	574.74
Total	\$290,614.95

#### LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	4,000.00
Surplus fund	1,000.00
Undivided profits, net	1,031.50
Commercial deposits	68,127.00
Saving deposits	50,250.00
Saving certificates	10,140.00
Total	\$290,614.95

State of Michigan, County of Delta, SS.

L. E. P. Sutherland, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. P. SUTHERLAND, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Sept. 1906. My commission expires Dec. 27th 1906.

E. O. PEPPER,  
Notary Public.

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## County Correspondence

### BARK RIVER

Mrs. S. G. Nelson of Gladstone visited with friends here Tuesday.

Arthur Swill has recovered from a dislocation of the shoulder joint.

Father Stahl made a trip up the Felch branch on mission work this week.

The grist mill started this week. Indications point to a small crop of grain this year.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Christianson at Eelie Junction this week.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Doutre of Schaffner died last week from inflammation of the lungs.

The Rev. Malmquist of Menominee, was chosen by the Swedish Lutheran church as their pastor.

Mr. Chas. Swan of Escanaba, is busy with a crew of men in repainting the buildings of J. B. Frechette.

E. J. Bergman and J. H. Boyle returned last Friday from a trip to the Wisconsin state fair at Milwaukee.

The farmers report a good crop of apples this year. This section of the county is gaining a good reputation for growing some of the finest apples in the state.

The stone crushing machine has been at work steadily at the quarry on the Schaffer road and has already made a big hole in the hill where the crusher is located. This will greatly reduce the grade at the hill and make the road better.

### LABRANCHE ITEMS

Frank Mastersdorf of Faunus was in town Monday.

E. M. Ritchie made a trip to Escanaba this week.

Louis Labranche was in Escanaba one day this week.

Geo. Rivers and family have returned to Labranche.

Mr. Neil Blaney made a trip to Escanaba Monday night.

Chas. Strey left yesterday for Chicago to visit his parents over Sunday.

Geo. Oakes made a trip to Daggett Wednesday to consult Dr. Landshoer.

Everett Stelbins was exercising his muscle on our end of a cradle a couple of days this week.

Mrs. B. D. Stebbins and daughter Mrs. Frank Konkel of Faunus called on friends here Tuesday.

### Very Low Rates to Memphis, Tenn.

Via the Northwestern line. Excursion rates will be sold October 15 to 18, inclusive, with favorable return limits on account of Brotherhood of St. Andrew Protestant Episcopal church. Apply to agents Chicago and Northwestern Ry.

### FOSTER CITY

Mr. O. B. Pegg and wife left last Saturday for a few days visit at Green Bay.

Some of the Foster City boys took in the dance at Hardwood last Saturday evening.

Mr. James McMahon of Foster City visited with his folks at Hardwood last Sunday afternoon.

Miss Hattie Marcotte of Hylas transacted business here Tuesday afternoon and returned home the same day.

Miss O'Connor school teacher at Hardwood, spent Sunday with her sister at Foster City returning home Monday morning.

O. B. Pegg returned Tuesday from Green Bay, while there he saw Mr. John Peshek and reports that he is getting along very nicely and will soon recover.

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Mrs. L. Pierce returned last Saturday from a few weeks visit with friends in Minneapolis and St. Paul. Mrs. Price reports a very pleasant trip.

Frank Sturdivant attended the dance at Metropolitan Saturday night. The music at the dance was furnished by the Metropolitan band and a good time is reported.

Ten of the Foster City boys have organized a brass band on a small scale with Albin Olson of Metropolitan as leader. Mr. Olson is also leader of the Metropolitan band. From all reports the band is making good progress and it is hoped that within a short time they will be able to play a time or two. The movement for band here should be given as much encouragement and support as possible.

### GARDEN

Mr. Louis Van Winkle is back at Vans Harbor. He will remain here for some weeks, closing up outstanding business matters.

Andrew Peterson shed the light of his jolly countenance upon his Garden friends, the 15th. Andrew reports business booming at Fayette.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dotsch have returned from their "Outside" trip, looking ten years younger, from their vacation. They report having had an enjoyable time. Still, "there is no place like Garden."

Pros. Atty. Judd Yeland was in town Saturday. Mr. Yeland came over to attend the bastardy case of Edna Hazen vs. Art. Caters, which came off before Justice Boardsley on that date. Caters was bound over for trial at the October term of circuit court.

Henry Dotsch, an old resident of Garden, who has been attending a law school in Kentucky for the last two years, is visiting his many friends in the village. Mr. Dotsch has not decided yet where he will locate. Why not hang out your "shingle" in Garden, Henry?

The fair held under the auspices of the Catholic church of this village last week was a decided success. The society netted the sum of \$842.81 which in view of the bad weather, is not so bad. The fair was opened on the evening of the 12th, by the Rev. Fr. Corcoran of Manistique, who delivered the most eloquent address ever heard in Garden. The diamond ring contest, for "the most popular young lady" between Miss Edith Trucky and Miss Sarah McPhee, was won by Miss Trucky. Our popular State street barber, Steve Brough, can now treat his stomach to a square meal, as he was lucky enough to win the ham. And our Water street friend, Finley McCashen, need not go hungry for a spell, as in the final "round-up" Saturday night, he corralled the barrel of flour. Take it all around the fair was a success, and everybody had a jolly good time. Dancing was indulged in, the first three nights. The music was furnished by Squires' Thompson Orchestra.

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### LATHROP

Mr. Rheume was an Escanaba caller this week.

Pearl Kleiber of Maple Ridge, was here Saturday.

George Ayers transacted business at Escanaba this week.

E. B. Fosterling is busy erecting the M. E. church at Turin.

George Millar went to Negauke on business Monday last.

Mr. Wright of Marinette, was a busness caller here Monday.

Miss Clara Gunderson called at Little Lake one day last week.

James Kennelly of Escanaba, was here on business during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Fosterling spent several days at Escanaba during last week.

Johnie Murray of Little Lake spent Sunday here. Johnie comes quite frequently, I wonder why.

### BRAMPTON

Mrs. Olson of Gladstone, visited at Mrs. Osseen Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Latimer of Kipling called here Tuesday.

Miss Pressard of Osier, came here Tuesday to visit relatives.

W. H. Wellsteed of Gladstone was here Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanberg are entertaining friends from Escanaba.

W. H. H. Wellsteed called at Escanaba and Gladstone Monday.

Mr. Clark representing Kurz Bros. of Escanaba, was here Tuesday.

Miss Mary Manley of Escanaba visited with friends here Tuesday.

G. R. Empson and wife and friends of Gladstone were here Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Finch of Escanaba came up Tuesday to visit at the home of Mrs. Dwyer.

Mr. Charlebois of the Richter Brewery Co. of Escanaba, passed through here Thursday.

Mrs. Stanley Tyrell and Mr. and Mrs. Tyrell of Escanaba visited at the home of Mrs. McAdow.

Miss Delta Forrest of Maple Ridge, visited with the Misses Dwyer Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Jim Grills and sister Mae of Kipling, visited their sister Miss E. Grills at her school here.

Mrs. F. Richard returned home Monday from Escanaba accompanied by her mother Mrs. Doutney of Escanaba.

Miss Lizzie Dwyer and Liva Sears, and gentlemen friends from Escanaba visited at the home of Mrs. Dwyer Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Silbore are the proud parents of twins, a boy and a girl born Wednesday. Dr. Pennoch of Gladstone was in attendance.

Very Low Rates to Buffalo N. Y.

Via the Northwestern line. Exemption tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip October 10 to 12, inclusive, with favorable return limits, on account of International Christian Convention. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Ry.

### PERKINS GLEANINGS

Dan Lane of Lathrop, was in our town last Monday.

Messers. Ed. Deloria and Silas Keller drove to Rapid River last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and the Misses Empson and friend of Gladstone called at Perkins Wednesday p.m.

A number of young folks of this city attended a hand car ride to Osier last Sunday evening.

Mr. Chas. Hicks who has been away the past year, has returned and is welcomed by his many friends.

Miss Mildred Whitney came home Saturday morning, returning to her school on Sunday afternoon.

A large wedding dance is to be given at Sovie's Opera house on September 28th. Everyone cordially invited to attend.

M. John Grandchamp of Rapid River, came up after his sister Saturday morning to spend Saturday and Sunday with his parents at home.

Thursday morning while feeding his horses, Mr. Jim Lanchour was kicked in the face by one of his horses, wounding him seriously.

Very Low Rates to New Orleans

Via the Northwestern line. Excursion tickets will be sold October 11 to 14, inclusive, with favorable return limits on account of K. P. Supreme Lodge. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Ry.

### RAPID RIVER

Ed. Soules and wife spent Monday in Escanaba.

Miss Anna Bachman visited in Escanaba Monday.

Attorney William Miller went to Escanaba Monday on business.

The Misses Callahan have returned from a visit at Florence, Wis.

Bur Buchman went to Escanaba Wednesday evening to spend a day or so.

H. J. Kruger and S. J. Viets were up from Gladstone Wednesday evening.

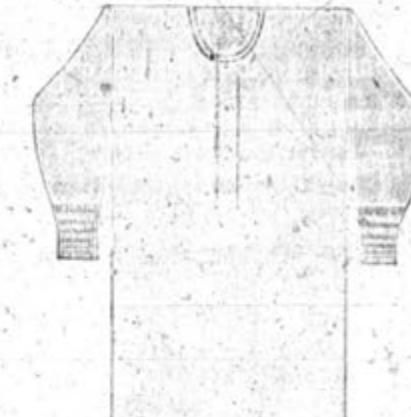
Mrs. A. P. Waldo is seriously ill at home with an attack of rheumatism.

Archie Connors, who has been spending several days here, returned to the Soo Tuesday.

The school rooms have been crowded to such an extent that there is some talk of employing another teacher.

William Cullinan has resigned his position with the Jerry Madden Shingle Company, and will start to school Monday. Ed. Gravelle will take his place in the store.

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### SCHAFFER

Mrs. Ed. Dofort's baby is very ill with measles.

Miss Pearl Dupre is on the sick list this week.

Mr. Louis Tesch and wife were Escanaba visitors Tuesday.

Miss Hilma Hawkenson was an Escanaba visitor this week.

Little Genivieve Keny who was quite sick last week is now much better.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Christensen are the proud parents of a baby boy born Sunday.

Mrs. A. Laviolette is having her house moved this week farther back from the road.

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# PEACE TERMS REJECTED BY INSURGENT LEADERS

**Rebels Frankly Admit They Are Not Satisfied With Conditions Laid Down by Government Officials at Havana.**

Havana.—The prospect of establishing peace in Cuba without American intervention looks almost hopeless. The rebel leaders everywhere are displaying stubbornness and frankly say they can not accept the peace terms offered by the government. The passive attitude of the government, under the threat of American annexation, has greatly strengthened the military position of the insurgents. Annexation by America is more than ever the cry of the commercial interests of Havana.

At a meeting of rebel leaders held in the town hall of Beliceal it was decided after a number of violent speeches had been delivered not to accept the peace propositions of the government.

A member of the cabinet who declines to have his name used said that out American intervention he saw no possible way for peace with intervention only remedy.

"Too many cooks are spoiling the broth," said the cabinet members. "Everybody who wants to is getting passes and going out to visit the insurgents. In my opinion there will be no peace until the Americans intervene."

All accounts agree that there easily are 3,000 insurgents a few miles south-east of Havana and rumors are in circulation that they will enter the city

leaders, who hitherto have had every reason for anticipating arrest, are circulating openly in Havana again and even conferring with members of the government with regard to peace, and that such insurgents in the field as have been consulted, while they express themselves as agreeable to settling matters peacefully, at the same time assume an independent attitude which can not be said to bode particularly well for a prompt settlement of existing difficulties.

In the meanwhile Cienfuegos is in a state of siege, communication by telegraph being severed not only in the direction of Havana, but to Santiago as well. It is known that Cienfuegos had not been attacked up to midnight Sunday, but what has transpired since that time is not known here.

#### British Interests Suffering.

The announcement from Washington that American vessels of war will protect British, as well as American interests is taken as applying especially to Cienfuegos, where the English-owned Cuban Central railroad has been obliged to suspend operations and has suffered considerable damage to its property. The Western railroad, also a British enterprise, is not suffering special damage except in the vicinity of Havana.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 15.—President Roosevelt Friday night addressed

demands their presence there illustrates the alarm with which the government views the situation in Cuba. It was for the purpose of preparing to meet the worst that President Roosevelt, who has been keeping his hand at the helm in the Cuban matter, called Secretary of War Taft from his vacation, and summoned Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte and Acting Secretary of State Bacon to Oyster Bay for a conference.

#### Will Hasten Peace.

Washington.—The president's decision to send Secretary Taft and Assistant Secretary of State Bacon to Cuba was not unexpected, although official and diplomatic circles recognize in it a move calculated to hasten the solution of the problem.

The real object of Secretary Taft's mission to Cuba, of course, cannot be explained by anyone in Washington. In official circles, however, the belief is expressed that President Roosevelt

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#### Duties of Emissaries.

It is believed that it will be for Secretary Taft and Acting Secretary Bacon to determine for themselves whether, in their opinion, the best interests of the island are represented by the revolutionary forces or whether, in the interest of order and public weal and the future welfare of Cuba, the Palma government should be sustained. Of course, this is merely the expression of belief in Washington.

While it is not the purpose of the United States government, for the present at least, to do anything which could actually be construed as intervening in Cuba, it is nevertheless, regarded as a fact that the action of the government in sending a force of marines to Havana will be used by the Palma partisans to impress the insurgents with the belief that President Palma has both the moral and physical support of the United States.

#### To Protect American Interests.

The statement is emphasized by officials here that the landing of marines from United States warships will be merely for the purpose of affording protection to American lives and property when it becomes apparent, as it did to Commander Colwell of the cruiser Denver, that the Cuban government is unable to afford the required protection. While

This was its obvious and clear cut intent of a letter diplomatically addressed to Señor Quesada, the Cuban minister, who is now in Lisbon, but which, the president in the body of the letter states, really is intended for the Cuban government and the Cuban people. In accordance with this specific purpose the president says has directed the letter's "immediate publication."

President Roosevelt declares in this letter that the present Cuban government, by its own acts and admissions has proven itself incapable of maintaining order throughout the island. It has failed to protect the lives and property either of its own citizens or foreign residents of the islands.

This condition of anarchy, the president insists, must end. The present civil war must cease and arrangements be made for an immediate and permanent peace.

#### Taft Goes to Havana.

In order that arrangements for such peace may be made the president is sending Secretary of War Taft and Assistant Secretary of State Bacon to Havana. It will be their duty to see that the necessary arrangements are carried out.

To meet any unexpected crisis that may arise before peace can be restored President Roosevelt has arranged for the immediate dispatch to Havana of six cruisers and 2,000 marines. Most of them, it is expected, will be in Havana by Monday or Tuesday.

The decision to have a force of 2,000 fighting men ready to set foot on Cuban soil at any time the situation

California Town Destroyed.  
Tiburon, Cal., Sept. 14.—Fire Thursday destroyed the entire business district. Only the utmost efforts of members of the Twenty-second United States infantry and the state fire tug saved the residence portion. Two hundred people are homeless.

Earthquakes in Sicily.  
Palermo.—For several days slight earthquake shocks have been felt here and in several other parts of Sicily. At Travia, several houses were badly damaged, the inhabitants being panic stricken.

Injured in Hotel Fire.  
Ottawa, Ont.—The Gilmour hotel on Bank street was destroyed by fire late Friday night. Many of the guests jumped from windows and were seriously injured.

#### THE NEW RADIUM SILKS.

They Are of the Most Exquisite Tones and Fine Texture.

Radium silk has finally "arrived." Somewhat slow have we been to take up this soft, exquisitely toned material which has had such vogue in Paris for the last few months. The best gowned among our women have already learned the charm for dainty, dressy costumes, but the fall and winter promises for it a regular furore.

Surely, there are few fabrics that can better stand popular favor. There is a delicacy, luster and wonderful color to the radium silks that make them peculiarly satisfying to a refined taste.

Akin to the best foulards and the liberty gauzes is it, with the best qualities of both. Heavier and finer weaves than the latter, it has all its graceful clinging, with greater durability, while the softness and simple patterns of the former are enhanced by a high sheen, caused by being woven of organzine so fine that the single thread is barely visible.

But the chief beauty of the radium silks is their opalescent coloring, so indescribably lovely. A pink will have the soft blush of the heart of a shell; the tint of the sky shining through a fleeting cloud on a sunny day is seen in the blues, while the lavenders, greens, yellows, even the darker colors, have all the soft undertone that gives them a beautiful iridescent effect.

With all its softness of texture, this silk does not wrinkle easily. This peculiarly adapts it for the elaborate gowns for afternoon and evening wear, for which it is chiefly, indeed, one might say, exclusively, used.

For ordinary everyday purposes the radium silk, lovely as it is, would scarcely prove satisfactory, even in the darker tones; but, made up over a material that takes the strain—a taffeta, for instance—it is very desirable. It cleans as well as crepe de chine, and may even be washed, with great care, in a pure soapuds. This latter process, however, is not advised, as the material is apt to pull with rubbing.

Whatever the lasting qualities of this silk—after all, that is largely dependent on the wearer herself—its beauty is undeniable. Whether in the exquisite pastel tints for evening, shell or rose pink, maize, blue or turquoise, faint pinkish lavenders, sea green or champagne or in the deeper toned dove and silver grays, French and navy blue, a bright dark heliotrope, soft yellow, browns and taufs, or warm, rich olive—a shade, by the way, that promises to be very good this fall—the plain radium silks have a charm of coloring rarely seen.

#### SEEN IN THE SHOPS.

A white leather bag with handle across the top and mounted in brass trimmings.

A beautiful set of crystal tumblers, quite high, were decorated nearly the full length with fern leaves cut quite deep.

A very handsome driving whip had handle of clouded ivory tipped on the end with gold.

An antiseptic drinking cup, folded so close one can carry it in the pocket.

Instead of the ordinary leather box for coat hangers, there are suede ones which form a bag the size of the hanger and will pack much more easily.

An attractive invalid tray was of mahogany with silver railing and handles at each end. There was a hot-water plate heater and separate silver plate. A covered silver bowl, a silver egg cup stand with pepper and salt; a tete-a-tete set of pottery overlaid with silver.

A small horseshoe-shaped pin set around the top with a row of amethysts and a row of small diamonds all around; at the bottom a gold bow-knot set with tiny diamonds.

A heart-shaped brooch, consisting of a large opal surrounded by a row of diamonds.

A white belt of sheer linen lawn laid in folds near either edge and dots, the large ones in the center, embroidered with a large oval nickel buckle. It launders finely.

A champagne-colored kid belt lined with silk and ornamented with a design in cut steel. The buckle was of metal covered with kid studded with steel nail heads.

#### Apples a la Reine.

Boil a cup of rice and steam tender and light. While boiling peel and core six tart apples. Put in a buttered pan in the oven, sprinkle with sugar; add a little water and bake until a delicate crispy brown. When the rice is done turn into a shallow glass dish, carefully lift out the apples and arrange on the rice, and set aside to chill. When quite cold pour over them a sauce of whipped cream flavored and sweetened.

#### "Hercules" Bobbs Up Everywhere.

There is an unusual amount of hercules braid apparent in the trimmings of costumes of all materials, including silk, mousseline, voile, nets, woolen goods and velvet, and the newest idea is its introduction as a border for parasols. The latter are further, trimmed with soutache braid, and sometimes insets of lace or embroidery are also used in connection with the braid.



## WOMAN AND HOME

### CROWDING OUT MEN

#### ARE THE WAGE-EARNING WOMEN DOING THIS?

**Educated of the Young, Woman's Peculiar Sphere—Few Men Patient or Unselfish Enough to Compete with Her as Teachers—The Woman Doctor Has Widening Opportunities Without Encroaching Upon Her Brother Physician—The Lazy Man Has No Right to Complain If Displaced by an Industrial Woman—Women Bring Finer Atmosphere Into Business Life.**

BY MARGARET E. SANGSTER. Copyright, 1906, by Joseph B. Bowles.

Women and men are not natural enemies; they are not set over against one another in opposing camps. On the contrary, their interests meet and mingle, and such a thing as conflict and antagonism based on the score of sex is supremely absurd.

Yet we constantly hear the assertion made that women should not enter certain professional vocations, lest their presence should crowd out men who have secured the right of way, and by tradition and training are established in their callings. The same objection has been urged times without number against women in business, the feeling being that there is an unfairness to men in the ease and facility with which women slip into positions hitherto filled by their fathers and brothers.

As everybody knows, there are lines of work peculiarly adapted to woman's quick wit, quick sympathy and mental culture. Very few men choose teaching as a profession. Thousands of women turn to the education of the young as their proper sphere. Our public schools enlist an army of splendidly endowed and fully equipped young women who fulfill every requirement from the high school to the kindergarten, throughout all grades including not only the most difficult and abstruse scientific and intellectual studies, but as well the domestic and manual training that are now insisted upon as necessary.

Here and there one finds a man or two engaged in special work and the superintendent and principals are usually men, but this is not because women have crowded men out, but because men have never monopolized this avenue. They have not sought nor cared for it. Very unfairly, whenever they do enter this particular field, they ask and receive larger salaries than women for precisely the same work. Where a woman thankfully accepts from \$800 to \$1,200 a year for her services as principal of a school, a man doing perhaps less work receives from \$1,500 to \$1,800 as an annual salary. It might perhaps be thought, and it may be partially true, that the possibility of getting good work for less money here acts as a factor in the employment of woman rather than of men, but the truth is that the average man prefers to put his talents to almost any other use than that of teaching. He is not sufficiently patient, sufficiently unselfish to like this day by day task of guiding, and sufficiently fond of children to rear the next generation in the way it should go. There is no reason to regret the numerical superiority of women as leaders in the schoolroom.

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Women certainly have not perceptibly crowded men in the professions of law and medicine, and a woman in the pulpit is a novelty and so exceptional that she is usually explained or accounted for by some special pleading.

Thus far, the woman lawyer has not appeared as counsel for great corporations, nor does she reap the magnificent harvest of gold and fame according to the successful lawyer of the other sex. Admitted to the bar in many states, she generally confines her practice within narrow limits and often finds her peculiar work in a sort of ethical and humanitarian lance-breaking for the poor and oppressed who are defrauded of their rights. The woman lawyer has not as yet been taken so seriously anywhere that she is a competitor to be feared or reckoned with by brother lawyers.

As for the woman doctor, it remains to be seen what the next 20 years may show in her case. She is at present a favorite in many towns and in large cities she is consulted on equal terms by medical men and has an increasing vogue as a specialist in diseases of women and children. Her returns when she is successful are large, and in hospital work particularly among women and children, she has widening opportunities. There is, however, this reservation, many people declare that they would never trust a woman to perform a surgical operation on themselves or on anyone dear to them. In the field of foreign missions, the woman doctor daily performs surgical operations of the utmost difficulty and delicacy and in large percentage her treatment is successful.

Oriental customs do not suffer women to be treated by men, and therefore this woman doctor in the far east has the field to herself. Here at home, while she is more and more trusted, yet there is no immediate danger that she will crowd the men out. We may continue to send our sons to medical colleges, quite sure that when they have served the long preliminary apprenticeship exacted by the state, they will not find women debarred them from treating any number of well-paying patients. The fact is that even when most successful, the woman doctor in America is only picking up the crumbs that fall from the man doctor's table. She has the entree to the woman's wards of insane asylums and to the post as physician in woman's colleges, in babies' hospitals, and so on. But she does not crowd men out, nor, to do her justice, has she the faintest wish to do so.

Of course, there are indoor occupations which are the province of women, and at certain counters of the department stores they are found to be in their element. But they are never at the counters where large bales of goods are lifted and handled, they do not sell cloth and silk, nor serve in the departments of rugs, carpets and floor coverings.

One would expect women to crowd men out in book stores, because books are delightful to handle and women are the largest number of readers and possibly of buyers in this line. Yet one seldom finds women employed to an alarming extent in book shops. Almost always men serve in the capacity of clerks behind book counters. The exception is only in department stores.

On the whole, since women are not likely to become appreciable antagonists in the occupations that demand original investigation, executive ability and great physical strength, it does not seem that there is any reason to dread their entrance in the business world. They bring to it a finer conscience, an element of integrity and a moral atmosphere that are worth much to those whom they meet. In the last analysis, the world is better because women contribute to it something in its larger scope and interest of what they have always given to the home. The modern world is complex. We shall never return to the old simplicities. We need a great deal more money than we once did. We cannot get on in these days of quick travel and swift communication with the old slow method of the stage coach and the sailing vessel.

The work to be done is multiplied a thousandfold and everybody must take a hand. The situation resolves itself into one of convenience. If each fits into the right place, in the right temper, there will be no irritation and no excuse for a lazy man to complain that an industrious woman has crowded him out. Brains and conscience will solve our problems.

#### MODEL FOR DRESSY WAIST.

Made of Soft Silk and Trimmed With Dainty Lace Ruffles.

Soft silk is used for this pretty waist. It forms a sort of bolero gathered at the top to a yoke trimmed with little lace ruffles, which apparently continue over the tops of the sleeves. It is bordered with a drapery of the silk, which is also trimmed with the lace ruffles.

The gimpie is of Irish lace, bordered with a shaped band of the silk, which



Of Soft Silk.

is ornamented with motifs of lace, in which are mingled threads of gold, and edged with the lace ruffles.

The white corset is ornamented with gold buttons, bordered with narrow ribbon, and slashed open over Irish lace. The cravat is also of ribbon.

The puffed sleeves are finished at the elbow with bands of the material, trimmed with the ribbon and edged with lace.

## Wheat in Western Canada

A Good Crop of Excellent Quality Has Been Raised This Year.

The grain crops estimates from the Canadian West make a range of from \$7,000,000 to \$15,000,000 bushels, and an accurate statement will be somewhere between these figures—probably not far from \$9,000,000 bushels. This year a larger acreage was sown, estimated at an increase of from 18 to 20 per cent., and had the average yield of last year been maintained, the aggregate would assuredly have gone considerably beyond the 100,000,000 bushel mark. The exceptionally large influx of settlers was responsible to a considerable extent for much of the increased area, and there can be no doubt, is also responsible for a part of the decreased average yield. The first crop raised by the new settler—often unacquainted with the conditions of western agriculture—is not usually prolific, and 1905-06 placed a very large number of amateur farmers behind the stumps of the plow; but they will learn, and learn fast, and with another season or two will help to raise the average instead of depressing it.

Of the estimates to hand, that of the Northwest Grain Dealers' association is the lowest: Wheat, 87,293,000 bushels; oats, 75,725,600 bushels, and barley, 16,980,600 bushels. The Winnipeg Free Press sent out five special correspondents, who returned

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	56,882,233
	52,655,125
	12,384,547

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### Education in Sweden.

Nowhere else, unless in America, is education so universal as in Sweden. Every child must go to school between the ages of seven and 14, unless the parents can show that they are being privately educated. There are about twelve thousand common schools in Sweden, even the thinly populated districts having "ambulatory schools," held in various parts of the district. When this is the case the school term is reduced to about half the ordinary duration.—The Craftsman.

### "Rip Van Winkle."

"Rip Van Winkle" was first produced about 1829. Joseph Jefferson first appeared in a version of the Washington Irving story of Charles Burke at the Walnut Street theater, Philadelphia, in 1849. Mr. Burke played Rip, and Mr. Jefferson Seth. The play of "Rip Van Winkle" now acted by Mr. Thomas Jefferson was written by Dion Boucicault, and was produced at the London Adelphi, September 4, 1865.

### Low Rates to the Northwest.

Every day until Oct. 31st the Great Northern Railway will sell one way Colonists' Tickets from Chicago at the following low rates:

Seattle, Portland and Western Washington, \$3.00. Spokane, \$3.50. Equally low rates to Montana, Idaho, Oregon and British Columbia.

For further information address MAX BASS, General Immigration Agent, 220 So. Clark St., Chicago, Ill.

### He Wasn't Wise.

He—No, Mr. Wyse, I'm afraid I must refuse you. You would have no consideration for the feelings of my mother.

Hi—Why, what makes you think so?

Her—Why did you hang your hat over the keyhole before you proposed to me?

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the combined amounts, together with that received from dairying and other sources, are bound to make financial conditions very easy in the Canadian West until the next harvest matures.

In the last week of August a tour of inspection was made along the line of railway in the wheat area by the Northwest Grain Dealers' association and a number of American grain experts. What they saw convinced them that not only was the crop a good average one, but the quality of the grain grown was admittedly of the best quality, and more than one of the visitors stated that although the yield might have been larger, the quality could hardly have been improved. Speaking on this point, Mr. J. F. Whalley, the well-known wheat man of Minneapolis, said:

"The quality of the crop is excellent, and I think the average will be No. 1 Northern. I was up with the grain men two years ago, and I am very much struck with the improvement that has taken place in these two years. The growth is certainly marvelous; there is not a better country in the world than the Canadian Northwest."

All of which goes to show that a wheat crop of nearly if not fully 90,000,000 bushels may be safely counted

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### BISMARCK HATED MONUMENTS.

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### Tank Wasn't Filled.

"I want to see your tank," said the waterworks man at the kitchen door.

"Then you'll have to come around after midnight," answered Mrs. Mosh, savagely. "He's never home at this time of day."—Cleveland Leader.

### RICHES AND INDEPENDENCE.

"And now," said the friend of other days, "you are rich and independent."

"Well," answered Mr. Cumrox, "I am rich all right. But when mother and the girls are around, I don't feel like chancing on being 'too independent.'

### Saved Many from Drowning.

Five hundred persons saved from drowning in 48 years was the record achievement of Christian Lancer, a Danish lighthouse keeper, who has just died at Harburg, Jutland, aged 83.

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General debility is a term that covers a multitude of cases where there is no acute disease, yet the patient continues to lose strength and the doctor's medicines have no apparent effect. This is the decline that leads to death if means are not found to check it. In a great majority of cases Dr. Williams

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## LOCAL NEWS

M. Buchman of Rapid River was in the city Sunday.

D. F. Poyer of Menominee was in the city on business Monday.

Mrs. Ole Erickson is visiting friends at Milwaukee this week.

Carl Stecker of Hancock, was in the city on business Tuesday.

The Daily Mirror has installed a new newspaper press this week.

Lewis Van Winkle of Van's Harbor, was in the city the first of the week.

To RENT—Five large rooms at 518 South Elmore Street. 9-22-1t.

Fr. Sigismund, pastor of Sacred heart church, Calumet, visited in the city week.

John Boyle was fined \$5 and costs Monday morning for disturbing the peace.

F. W. Good superintendent of Bay de Noe Co. of Nahma was here Friday on business.

E. S. Wright was in Marquette Saturday in the interests of the National Cash Register Co.

The Jewish New Year which came on Thursday and Friday was observed by orthodox Jews in this city.

Wm. H. Marquette of Hardwood, Mich. who has been in Escanaba a week on business, returned Saturday.

Chas. C. Metcalf left this morning for a week's visit with friends and relatives at Newberry and Munising.

Mr. and Mrs. Cezaire Gagne of Gladstone were in the city Tuesday morning attending the Desilets-Laharie nuptials.

Miss Ethel Rough of Marquette, daughter of Sheriff Rough of Marquette county, is visiting friends in Escanaba.

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William Robarge who has been employed for three years as clerk in the grocery store of E. M. St. Jacques will leave the city on Monday to accept a position as manager of a general store for Isadore Cyr at Coalwood, Mich. Mr. Robarge has many friends in the city who are sorry to see him leave.

The Escanaba students who it is positively known will be entered in the University of Michigan this year are:

Fred Stegath, Fred Erickson, John Greene, Harry Stonehouse, Joel Robinson, Edward Headstrom, William Emb, John Loell, Mr. and Mrs. John Tyrell, Robert Mead, Merrill Winegar, Edith Huggett, Pearl Turner, Elsie Atkins, Nancy Blake, Blanch Fenton, Herbert Pascoe, Benjamin Kratzke, William Defnet, John Riley, Walter Hessel, John Loeffler, John Barth, Charles Good, Torval Strom, Michael Lyons, Clarence Lehr, John Corcoran, Horace Atkins, and Helen Mead.

Robert Atkins who was among the Escanaba students at the university last year was graduated, Alex Robertson and Miss Laura Slaughter will enter other institutions and Harold Mead will not return to school this year.

## LOCAL NEWS

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Mrs. C. D. McEwen left last Saturday for Fargo, N. Dak. to visit for several weeks with her son Irving McEwen at that place.

Mrs. Russel and daughter, Miss Lillian Russel, leave tomorrow evening to visit for several weeks with relatives at Carbondale, Pa.

Miss Arabella Genge returned last Saturday to her home at Chicago after a several weeks visit in Escanaba at the home of J. G. Leitch.

Fred Stegath who has been employed during the summer in Putman's drug store at Manistique has been at home for several days visiting with his parents before returning to Ann Arbor.

Marriage licenses were issued to Louis Larson of Marinette and Anna Gusa of Ford River, and to Carl Hemburg and Anna Norberg both of Escanaba.

Mrs. H. P. Meisner left Monday morning for Hoquiam, Wash., to join her husband who is located there. She was accompanied by Mrs. Eugene Gaudette who will return to her home at Tacoma, Wash.

Thomas McDonnell of this city, a brakeman on the Northwestern road

was injured at Florence by being thrown from the top of a box car. The bones of the left ankle are broken and the heels of both feet are crushed.

A party of ladies picnicked at the beach near the chemical plant Wednesday afternoon. Among those present were: Mrs. Ted Turner, Mrs. J. Groos, Mrs. H. Bessex, Mrs. Q. R. Hessel, Mrs. A. J. Young, Mrs. Albert Forrest and Mrs. Omer Curtis.

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## SCHAFFER

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Mrs. Louis Tesh will go to Milwaukee Saturday to attend a wedding of a friend and visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. Seifert.

Mr. Herman and Fred Hawkenson have returned from Minneapolis Minn., where the attended the State Fair held there and also visited relatives.

The 16 months old boy of Baptiste Doutre died Thursday night of last week of inflammation of the lungs and was buried Saturday. A little girl 4 years old of the same family is now very ill with the same disease.

## Farms for Sale.

We are offering farms from 40 to 320 acres for sale near Menominee on good stone road. These are excellent sugar and dairy farms, being a clay loam soil and most of them having living water.

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E. C. Norton was a visitor at Ne-gaunce Sunday.

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Daniel Wells went to Chicago the first of the week.