

THE IRON PORT.

THIRTY-SIXTH YEAR

ESCANABA, MICHIGAN, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1906

NUMBER 51

RECORD OF FATALITIES

List of Dead and Injured in Hunting Season Just Closed

73 WERE KILLED

Number Killed in Michigan and Wisconsin Greater Than Last Year. Number of Injured is Less

Seventy-three deaths and seventy persons injured, some of them so seriously that death may result, is the record of fatalities for the hunting season throughout the county.

Michigan and Wisconsin went ahead of the record for last year in deaths, twenty-eight being reported this season, against twenty-six for the previous one, but in the number of persons injured this year's record falls far below that of the previous one, having only twenty serious accidents which did not result in death.

The larger part of the deaths were the result of accidental discharges of shot guns, many of them occurring while the owners were cleaning the weapons. In many of these cases the victims were children.

The deaths in this state for the season follow: Anthony Amels, Mount Clemens, found shot to death after going hunting. William Bronson, Holland, aged fifteen, pulled gun towards him with muzzle. Bert Cook, Newberry, mistaken for deer. John Dollen, aged nine, Detroit, shot self while hunting. August Eistead, Dearborn, killed by companion. Frank Eronberger, aged sixteen, killed by companion. Lee Hall, Ionia, mistaken for deer. John Kendricks, aged fifteen, shot by companion. Albert Lavigne, Lake Linden, shot self by accident. Mr. Lane, Calumet, killed by accidental discharge of gun. W. W. Leech, Sault Ste. Marie, accidental discharge of gun. Lydia Luebke, aged fifteen, killed by accidental discharge of brother's rifle. Julius Smith, aged seventeen, accidental discharge of gun. Orlando Scott, Allegan, accidental discharge of gun. Joseph Smovak, Marquette, accidental discharge of gun.

Following is a list of the Michigan hunters seriously injured: Chester Anderson, shot by companion Willard Carlson, Muskegon, shot by companion. Manley Evans, Standish, mistaken for deer. George Bowman, West Branch, shot in foot while examining gun. — Moore, aged six, Ann Arbor, accidentally shot by her father. Howard Phillips, Detroit, wounded by companion. Joseph Seidel, Menominee, hand shot off while dragging gun by muzzle. Moxie Suckus, aged fifteen, Ecorse, wounded by accidental discharge of gun.

CHRISTMAS TROUBLES

Patrons of Post Office Should Weigh All Parcels

In sending Christmas gifts through the mail be sure to have weighed all parcels so that proper postage can be affixed to avoid delay in transmission. This is the advice the postoffice officials give. In years past there has been considerable trouble in this respect. People have wondered why a package did not reach its destination in a reasonable time. This is usually because insufficient postage has been affixed.

The rush at Christmas time is heavy. All offices have matter piled up ceiling high. So if you would have your mail receive prompt attention, be sure there is enough postage on the parcel, have address marked plainly and get into the mail as soon as possible.

Christmas Dinners

Captain Haynes and the members of the local Salvation Army corps are preparing to send Christmas dinners to all the needy whom they can locate in the city of Escanaba. The army would also like to have all those who know of needy families send in the names. The Army is anxious to help all who would appreciate a good Christmas dinner and any assistance in securing names will be appreciated.

Captain Haynes and the members of the local corps will be around soliciting and hope that everybody will do their best in donating money or groceries of any kind and vegetables also, so they can put up well filled baskets.

The Bark River flour mill will close for the season on Dec. 15th 1906.

TEN YEAR SENTENCE

Michael Sheridan Sentenced in Marquette County Circuit Court

Michael Sheridan, the man who killed Victor Erickson at Northland was arraigned in the Marquette county circuit court Tuesday morning. He pleaded guilty to the charge of manslaughter but not to the charge of murder.

The court accepted the plea of guilty of manslaughter on the evidence produced, which was slight. The maximum sentence for manslaughter in this state is fifteen years, and the minimum seven. The court recommended a maximum of ten years in the case of Sheridan. The killing of Erickson occurred near Northland, in Wells tow ship, on the night of Nov. 5, on the eve of election day. A number of men from Fitzgerald's lumber camp went to Northland to celebrate, and filled up on bad whiskey. A drunken row was started which culminated in the manslaughter, Michael Sheridan killing a Finnish lumberman by the name of Victor Erickson. Sheridan made a confession of his guilt to Prosecuting Attorney Bell on the Saturday following his arrest by Sheriff Rough, on Thursday. He confessed that he was the guilty man and that the deed was done late, on the return of the men from their spree at Northland. The quarrel, as the confession ran, was precipitated by Erickson striking the prisoner repeatedly, after taking a ten dollar bill from him. Sheridan secured a shot gun and, after putting two shells in the chambers, went to Erickson's shack and emptied both barrels into the man's stomach. All the shot entered Erickson's body in a space not over three inches in diameter.

LIGHTING PLANT NEEDS \$16,800

New Machinery Needed to Increase Capacity to Meet Growing Demand

BOARD MAKES REPORT

New Equipment Will Double Capacity For Incandescent Lights and Give Fifty More Arc Lights

According to a report submitted to the City Council Tuesday evening by the Board of Public Works the sum of \$16,800 is needed to increase the capacity of the plant to meet the growing demands. The new equipment asked for will enable the plant to furnish 6,000 additional incandescent lights and fifty additional arc lights. The present capacity of the plant for incandescent lights is 6,000 lights and with the new equipment the plant will have double the present capacity.

\$5,000 of the sum asked for is for a dynamo, \$4,500 for a Corliss engine, \$1,300 for a condenser, \$800 for a belt, \$2,600 for 50 enclosed street arc lights, \$1,000 for steam piping, \$1,300 for erecting and \$300 for freight.

It will take six months after an order has gone in before the equipment could be delivered.

The request of the Board of Public Works was referred to a special committee composed of Aldermen St. Jacques, Vought and McCarthy.

READ THE LABEL

Some of the Alum Baking Powders Offered by Grocers.

The laws of most states require all baking powders made from alum to show that fact on their labels. In this state this practice is not followed.

The following list of baking powders containing alum is made up from the official reports of the Food Commissioners, or from the report of the U. S. Agricultural Department at Washington, or other equally reliable authority.

Baking Powders Containing Alum
CALUMET.....Contains Alum
Calumet Baking Powder Co., Chicago
L. C. Contain Alum
K. C. Contain Alum
PALACE.....Contains Alum
Palace Baking Powder Co., St. Paul
CAMEO.....Contains Alum
Cameo Baking Powder Co., Chicago
BON TON
HOTEL.....Contain Alum
Grant Chemical Co. Chicago
ATLAS.....Contains Alum
Reid Murdoch & Co., Chicago
CHAPMAN'S
CHICAGO YEAST.....Contain Alum
Chapman & Smith Co., Chicago
SUPERIOR.....Contains Alum
Superior Baking Powder Co., St. Paul

Children—read the Fair ad.

MANY DEER SLAUGHTERED

Thousands of Deer Shipped Across the Straits from U. P.

FIGURES ARE STARTLING

Extinction of Game Sure to Come If Killing Keeps Up at This Rate

Will MacIntosh, traveling auditor of the Western Express company, has completed a very interesting table, showing the number of deer carcasses expressed on all routes and those sent by freight across the straits. Seventeen hundred carcasses were shipped across the straits to lower Michigan by express and 4,700 were sent by freight. There were about 2,500 carcasses, besides, which went to upper peninsula points.

These figures are startling. The increase in the annual slaughter is immense. The lower Michigan hunters swarm the woods of the upper peninsula, and no game in a country getting to be so well settled can long exist when such a tremendous number is killed in a season of only twenty days. As one hunter says: "It's time for the sportsmen to sit up and think. By nature the upper peninsula hunting grounds belong to upper peninsula sportsmen."

Mr. MacIntosh's figures, of necessity, do not include the hundreds of carcasses brought to upper peninsula towns by wagons. Hundreds of deer were also smuggled out of the upper peninsula over the St. Paul and Northwestern lines.

When one thinks of the limited territory and of the thousands and thousands of deer that are annually killed, a great apprehension must arise of the early thinning, if not extinction, of this species, which gives more pleasure to more sportsmen, than any other native of the wild.



Scene from 'THE FAST MAIL' at Peterson Opera House, Sunday and Monday, December 9 and 10

CAN'T REBATE CHURCHES

Proposed Ordinance Exempting Churches From Paving Assessments Declared Illegal by City Attorney

According to an opinion given by City Attorney I. C. Jennings at the meeting of the City Council Tuesday evening the proposed ordinance, exempting church property from street paving assessments is illegal and the City Council has no authority to exempt the churches from their share of special assessments.

Following the city attorney's statement the ordinance was withdrawn.

Investigation Started

The question of who was responsible for the failure of the three new bridges, recently built by the city across Butcher's creek to stand the first heavy rain that came, has been started by the city council. The matter has been placed in the hands of the street committee and City Attorney I. C. Jennings.

See Santa Claus Today

Santa Claus will arrive at the Fair Savings Bank today. A wireless message received by the store states that he will come in on the two o'clock train over the Northwestern road and invites all children to come and meet him.

Presents will be distributed upon his arrival at the store and then Santa will take up his residence at the store until Christmas comes.

FIRE CAUSED DAMAGE

Office of Dr. C. J. Kitchen and Portion of Groos Drug Store Burned

A fire of unknown origin caused considerable damage to the dental office of Dr. C. J. Kitchen and to the rear of the Groos building at 1007 Ludington street early Wednesday morning. Dr. Kitchen's loss is estimated at \$1200, partially covered by insurance and the damage to the building owned by Groos Bros. is estimated at \$700, covered by insurance.

The fire was discovered by Dr. Kitchen after it was well started and praise is due the fire department for their effective work in extinguishing the blaze.

The work of repairing the building and the refurnishing of the office quarters of Dr. Kitchen will be undertaken at once.

AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Joseph Cousineau Died Wednesday From Tuberculosis

Joseph Cousineau, for several years employed as a brakeman on the Northwestern road, died Wednesday morning after a several months illness from tuberculosis.

Mr. Cousineau was thirty-eight years of age and leaves a wife and four children.

He was a member of the Catholic Order of Foresters, the Institute Jacques Cartier and the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen.

Funeral services were held from St. Anne's church yesterday morning.

CONSIDER VOTING MACHINES

Question of Adoption of New Form of Voting Under Consideration by City Council

MACHINE ON EXHIBITION

Special Rate Offered on Machines Provided They are Purchased by County Board Also.

The question of purchasing voting machines to be placed in each of the voting precincts of the city is now under consideration by the members of the city council.

A voting machine has been on exhibition for several days at the city hall and on Tuesday evening a representative of the firm selling the machines made a proposition to the council offering seven machines, one for each ward in the city for \$365 each. The company guarantees to keep the machines in repair for a period of five years.

A better price than this can be secured provided the county board of supervisors will purchase machines for the voting precincts in the county and the council has decided to confer with the county board before taking action. A committee, composed of Aldermen St. Jacques, Folio and Beck, was appointed to take charge of the matter and find out what the county board is willing to do.

PICTURES ARE EXCELLENT

Moving Picture Show Said to be one of the Best in the Country

A fine entertainment is promised Escanaba people on Thursday evening December 13th, when the Howe Life-orama Company appears at the Peterson opera house. The moving pictures shown by this company are said to be of the best in the county and reports from cities where the entertainments has been given tell of exceedingly pleased audiences.

Manager Peterson especially recommends the show as being of exceptional merit.

The New Fast Mail

Lincoln J. Carter's always pleasant comedy drama, "The New Fast Mail" will make its appearance again at the Peterson opera house Sunday and Monday Dec 9 and 10.

All lovers of good melodrama are familiar with the lines of this story which never seems to grow old or monotonous. Every year local managers write Mr. Carter for a return date as they know it is a play that entertains and besides their box office receipts are always satisfactory whenever they know "The Fast Mail" is coming. The production this season is absolutely new and very minute as to detail.

Dr. W. J. Laird of Nahma was in the city Monday.

WHEELSMAN IS DROWNED

Albert Wilson Fell From Bridge at No. 3 Ore Dock

WAS INTOXICATED

Stunned by Striking Against Timbers. He Drowns in Shallow Water

Albert Wilson, wheelsman on the steamer Republic, was drowned shortly after 9 o'clock Tuesday night in less than four feet of water at No. 3 ore dock.

No one witnessed the accident but it is known that Wilson was intoxicated when he started for his boat and it is supposed that he fell from the bridge of the ore dock and was rendered senseless by striking against the timbers of the dock, being thus unable to help himself out of the shallow water. His absence from the boat was discovered about 10:30 and a search followed which resulted in the finding of the body.

In attempting to return to the Republic Wilson first boarded another boat at No. 3 dock by mistake. J. Dupies, the chief engineer, accompanied the intoxicated man as far as the end of the dock and directed him to No. 1 dock. It is thought that Wilson attempted to return to the boat at No. 3 dock when he fell from the bridge.

Wilson was 37 years of age and leaves a family and several children at Cleveland, where the body was shipped for burial.

ASKS FOR DAMAGES

Bertha Hunt Makes Claim for \$650 for Injury Due to Defective Sidewalk

A claim for \$600 damages and \$50 to cover medical services, was presented to the city council on Tuesday evening by Bertha Hunt for injuries alleged by her to have been received because of a defective walk on Oct. 12. Miss Hunt claims that she sprained her left hand in a fall she received while passing over a defective walk.

Death Took Twins

The nine-months-old twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Jacobson, of Ford River, died last Saturday night. One child passed away about 8 o'clock and the death of the other followed at 10 o'clock. Whooping cough complicated with pneumonia was the cause. Funeral services were held at the home on Tuesday morning, Rev. Lund of the Swedish Lutheran church officiating.

SUBMIT NEW PLAT

Map of Bittner's First Addition Presented to Council

Another new addition to the city has been submitted to the City Council for approval. This addition will be known as Bittner's First Addition to the City of Escanaba and is located just south of the plant of the Escanaba Brewing Company.

The map of the addition was presented to the council on Tuesday evening and the matter was referred to the street committee.

Toyland at Kratze's

That Kratze Bros. are preparing for the Christmas trade in earnest, can be readily seen by a glance at their stores which with special holiday decorations are taking on a particularly attractive appearance. The "annex" as last year will be the toy center and with the unpacking of Christmas goods and the erection of shelving the place is a veritable toyland.

Kratze Bros.' big twelve page Christmas circular will be issued the first of the week and will contain the special holiday offerings on all lines of their goods.

LOCATES IN ESCANABA

Prof. Quivron of Menominee Comes To This City

Prof. Edward Quivron of Menominee, formerly director of the Calumet and Hecla band and other prominent musical organizations has decided to locate in Escanaba. Prof. Quivron's decision to locate here will give an impetus to the movement here for a military band. Prof. Quivron will also open a school of music.

Stores Open Evenings

From now on until Christmas the stores will keep open evenings instead of closing at eight o'clock.

INSANE MAN CAUGHT

Paul Reno Who Escaped From Newberry Captured by Deputy Marc Pepin and Axel Peterson

Paul Reno, who escaped three times from the Newberry asylum for the insane was captured Tuesday night by Deputy Sheriff Marc Pepin and Axel Peterson in a lumber camp near Cornell.

Reno's presence at the camp was learned by the officials and disguising themselves as woodsmen Deputy Pepin and Axel Peterson made a trip to the camp. After remaining there a short time they approached Reno and after a short struggle overpowered him. He was brought to the county jail and the officials of the asylum notified of his capture.

Reno made his last escape from the asylum six weeks ago. He was being given open air exercise by the attendants when he broke away. Although several attempts have been made to recapture him he succeeded in eluding the officers each time.

Notice

Notice is hereby given, that the tax roll for the City of Escanaba for the year 1906 is now in my hands for collection. The taxes therein levied can be paid at my office at any time before the 10th day of January 1907 without any charge for collection. Four per cent collection fee will be charged upon all taxes remaining unpaid upon said 10th day of January.

Office hours 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. at C. Maloney's & Co.'s Flour and Feed store, 1203 Ludington street.

Dated at Escanaba this 3rd day of December 1906.

CHAS. MALONEY,

City Treasurer.

TIME TO ACT

Don't Wait for Fatal Stages of Kidney Illness. Profit by Escanaba People's Experiences.

Occasional attacks of backache, irregular urination, headaches and dizzy spells are common early symptoms of kidney disorders. It's an error to neglect these ills. The attacks may pass off for a time, but return with greater intensity. If there are symptoms of dropsy—puffy swellings below the eyes, bloating of limbs or ankles, or any other part of the body, don't delay a minute. Begin taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and keep up the treatment until the kidneys are well, when your old time vigor will return. Cures in Escanaba prove the effectiveness of this great kidney remedy.

William Anderson, painter, of 1222 Wells Ave. Escanaba, Mich., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills cured me of a bad case of kidney complaint and backache from which I had suffered for a long time. I thought it was turpentine and lead used in painting that affected me. The terrible pains through my back often extended to my shoulders. I had dull headaches, my eyes pained and watered and my limbs became swollen. I finally began using Doan's Kidney Pills and after taking three boxes the swelling left my limbs, I have none of the pains in my back, headaches do not bother me and my eyes do not pain and water, and I am still in the painting business. It was my kidneys that were sick and Doan's Kidney Pills produced the whole results I have mentioned. I am very glad to recommend them to others."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

SEASON NEAR CLOSE

Maywood Stops Running and Lotus will Tie Up in Few Days

The extreme weather conditions have hastened the close of navigation in this port which is expected to take place very soon. The steamer Maywood has stopped her trips to Big Bay points and it is expected that the Lotus will tie up within a few days.

The Soo Line boats are on their way to Escanaba and after their arrival the freight season will be closed.

WOOD'S HOTEL OPEN

E. E. Wood Opens New Hotel at 117 South Tilden Avenue

E. E. Wood, formerly manager of the Sherman house has opened a new hotel at 117 South Tilden avenue. Mr. Wood has remodelled and refurnished the interior of the building and is prepared to offer first class quarters to transient guests and regular boarders.

Supt. Knox, of the Vane Harbor, Land and Lumber company, of Vane Harbor, was in the city Monday.

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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.

Two big tobacco stemmeries at Princeton, Ky., were destroyed by fires set by an armed and masked mob of 300 men. It is believed that opposition to the tobacco trust caused the deed.

Three persons were killed and several injured in a wreck on the Rutland railroad, near Vergennes, Vt.

Queen Alexandra's sixty-second birthday was celebrated at Sandringham palace and greetings were received from all parts of the world.

Mark Hassler, widely known throughout the country as a musical director and composer, died at his home in Philadelphia.

The bank of Kiowa, at Kiowa, I. T., closed its doors on account of slow collections and inability to realize on its assets.

Chief of Police Chopote of Kazan, Russia, was shot and killed while leaving a theater. The assassin was arrested.

James M. Wright, founder of the Ray County (Mo.) Republican, and a pioneer newspaper man and publisher in that state, died of heart failure at Lawton, Okla.

The second sea-going turbine steamship to be built in this country, was launched at Chester, Pa. The steamer was built for the Metropolitan Steamship company and will ply between New York and Boston.

James Joyner was killed and several persons were injured in a wreck on the Coal Belt electric railway at Donahue, Ill.

A magnificent monument to Count Julius Andrássy was unveiled in Budapest in the presence of Emperor Francis Joseph.

The two hundred and sixtieth anniversary of the independence of Portugal from Spanish domination has been celebrated by the signature of a treaty between the two countries eliminating their respective frontiers.

Chairman Shonts, on his return from Panama, announced that President Roosevelt won the people of the isthmus entirely; contradicted reports of labor troubles and denied daughter's engagement.

Statistics showed that Illinois pays more than one-fifth of the internal revenue received by the government; the largest amount of any state in the union.

More than one-third of the nation's wealth was represented at the funeral of Samuel Spencer, railroad president, who was killed in a wreck.

Gov. Magoon notified Cuban congressmen elected a year ago that their seats are vacant and a new election is to be held. The moderates are displeased and predict a new revolt.

The late John Hay, secretary of state, was honored by Philadelphia Jews by the unveiling of a memorial window in the Temple Keneseth Israel.

The car shortage throughout the United States will be investigated by the Interstate commerce commission. Carloads of coal were seized at Cimmaron, Kan., and North Yakima, Wash.

Frank E. Hyde, formerly of Hartford, Conn., died at Paris Sunday. Mr. Hyde was one of the most prominent American lawyers in Paris. He was a member of the firm of Hyde & Harper.

Charles Wightman became lost in the woods while hunting near Florence, Mich., last Thursday, and Sunday his dead body was found. He is believed to have perished from fear and exposure.

The war department has called on Maj. Penrose, of the Twenty-fifth regiment at Fort Reno, for an explanation of the statement alleged to have been made by him in a newspaper interview to the effect that the dismissed battalion of that regiment was the best battalion in the United States.

Mrs. Rose Handfield entered the office of John D. Rockefeller's secretary in New York and threatened to kill Mr. Rockefeller unless she were paid \$1,000,000. A check was given her on which payment was stopped and she was then arrested and held for examination as to her sanity.

The government land office at Lawton, Okla., has begun receiving bids for half a million acres of land in the Kiowa, Comanche and Apache reservations in Oklahoma, carrying out an act of congress opening the land to settlement.

William Voight, the Berlin cobbler who made Europe roar with laughter by donning a captain's uniform and robbing the town hall of Koepenick, was sentenced to four years' imprisonment for his joke.

The public ownership commission of the National Civic Federation, after an exhaustive investigation, both in Europe and America, is understood to be unanimously opposed to public ownership.

The Guggenheim brothers, copper magnates, have pocketed a loss of \$1,500,000 rather than complete the purchase of 100,000 shares in the Nipissing mines, on which they obtained an option on October 31.

Otto Young, multimillionaire, former Chicago merchant prince and philanthropist, died at his summer home at Lake Geneva after an illness, arising from a complication of diseases, of but two weeks. He left a fortune estimated at from \$17,000,000 to \$35,000,000.

Three banks conducted by C. V. Chandler at Macomb, Colchester and Bardolph, Ill., closed for lack of ready cash.

Michael Cusack, who founded the Gaelic Athletic association in 1884 for encouraging Irish games and which now has hundreds of branches, died in Whitworth hospital, Dublin, at the age of 59. He was a famous teacher.

Congress will be asked by the bureau of navigation of the navy department to make an appropriation for official entertainments on board naval vessels when sent to foreign shores.

Two women were seriously injured in a battle on New York's East side over a rise of the price of meat.

William E. Tillotson, aged 64 years, a woolen manufacturer, and one of the wealthiest men in Pittsfield, Mass., died following a stroke of apoplexy. He was unmarried and was a large property owner in Chicago.

Col. Theodore Ewert, who was assistant adjutant general under Gen. Jasper N. Reece, died in the soldiers' home in Quincy, Ill.

Sir Edward J. Reed, formerly chief constructor of the British navy, is dead. He was born in 1830.

A rubber combine has been formed in Montreal, known as the Canadian Consolidated Rubber company, with a capital of \$5,000,000.

Admiral Touchard's French squadron sailed for Tangier, Morocco, to see that order is maintained there.

Ten of the most desperate prisoners in the county jail at Long Island City escaped from that institution and are still at large.

At the Track and Field day meet of the Olympic club, San Francisco, a world's record in putting the 12-pound shot was broken by Ralph Rose, who put it 55 feet, 6 1/2 inches.

A sensation which may end in a prison term for Cornelius P. Shea was sprung in the trial of union teamsters in Chicago, when Albert Young, former president of the Teamsters' International brotherhood, and three other defendants pleaded guilty.

Thomas McCarthy, a clerk in a Newcastle, Pa., hotel, and his brother, Michael McCarthy, of Wampum, a suburb, have received word that an uncle, Timothy McCarthy, has died in Australia, leaving them the sole heirs to a fortune of \$3,000,000.

The president has announced the appointment of John A. McElhenny of Louisville to fill the vacancy on the civil service commission caused by the promotion of A. W. Cooley, to be assistant attorney general.

Receiver Wilson, of the wrecked Aetna bank, of Butte, Mont., received a check from Augustus Heintze for \$100,000. Mr. Heintze formerly was president of the bank, but withdrew in 1902.

Foiled in an attempt to hold up the Bank of Bendena, at Bendena, Kan., Jesse L. Harris, a farm hand, of Westport, Mo., fired a shot into his brain which caused instant death.

Chief of Police Dinan was indicted and a new bill was returned against Abe Ruef in San Francisco's vice graft investigation.

Orville K. Sherman, aged 17, grandnephew of Gen. William Tecumseh Sherman, was arrested at St. Louis with Esther Benson, 16 years old, his betrothed, as they stepped from the Chicago & Alton train, having eloped from Maquon, Ill., the home of the girl.

American residents in London, Paris, Vienna, Berlin, Mexico City and other foreign cities, celebrated Thanksgiving day with banquets and receptions.

Seventy-three persons were killed and 70 injured during the hunting season, Wisconsin and Michigan leading in fatalities.

Senor Moret y Prendergast formed a new cabinet for Spain with Perez Caballero as minister of foreign affairs.

Jennie Yeamans, popular as a singer and actress a decade ago, died after a long illness in New York from tuberculosis.

One fireman was killed and a dozen were severely beaten in a desperate row between firemen in the stoke hole of the Mallory line steamer San Jacinto as the vessel was rounding Cape Hatteras en route from Galveston.

A fire in the heart of the business district of Peoria, Ill., did \$84,000 damage, covered by \$120,000 insurance.

The government's grip tightened about the men who are said to have stolen public lands worth millions. Inquiry opened in Salt Lake City by the interstate commerce commission involved high officials and the land department at Washington.

Charles H. Chamberlin, senior councillor of the Wisconsin grand council of the United Commercial Travelers, died suddenly of paralysis at La Crosse, Wis.

It is rumored that the Australian government will prosecute the Australian representatives of the American oil combine under the anti-trust act.

The members-elect of the Hawaiian legislature will ask the United States to raise their pay to \$1,000 a session.

Vincent Spliner and wife and two children, of Eastern Wells county, North Dakota, lost their way while driving home from a neighbor's, and Mr. Spliner and one child were frozen to death.

William Fisher, an inventor of steam contrivances in use in every civilized country on the globe, is dead at Marshalltown, Ia.

Ten thousand dollars' worth of jewelry was stolen from two boarders in a fashionable boarding house at 33 Twenty-second street, New York.

Brig. Gen. George W. Baird, U. S. A., retired, is dead at Asheville, N. C. Gen. Baird was born in Connecticut in December, 1839. He served in the civil war and on the western frontier, participating with gallantry in several Indian campaigns.

Eugene Motz, Chilian consul to Mexico City, has received an official notice from his government to the effect that the report circulated last August at the time of the disastrous earthquake saying that Juan Fernandez island had sunk into the ocean was untrue.

So far as can be ascertained, 24 persons were killed, 96 were seriously wounded and several hundred were slightly injured as a result of the explosion of the Roburit factory near Annen, Germany.

The cathedral of the Sacred Heart, the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Ryan, was dedicated at Richmond, Va.

The interstate commerce commission recommends to President Roosevelt that the public coal lands be withdrawn permanently from entry and developed under government control, thereby breaking up the coal monopoly and producing a revenue which it is estimated, would pay the expenses of the government.

Ethel Smith, 15 years old, defended her home against a man who broke into the house at Thornton, R. I., shooting and killing him. She was arrested, but the chief of police kept her in his own home, giving her a Thanksgiving dinner.

Sweet Marie, noted trotting mare, was bought for \$14,000 by a Philadelphia banker at auction sale in New York.

Engineer O'Brien was found dead by the fireman in the cab of a west-bound Rock Island passenger train which was running 50 miles an hour.

O'Brien's skull was crushed, supposedly by some projecting timber.

Billy Melloy won welter-weight boxing title in a 12-round fight with Joe Walcott at Chelsea, Mass.

Secretary Wilson's annual report shows the value of farm crops is increasing enormously with the progress in the science of agriculture.

Mayor Elisha Dyer, of Providence, R. I., former governor of Rhode Island, died of heart disease.

Seven soldiers were killed and an officer and six men were wounded in an encounter in New Dutch Guinea between a detachment of Dutch troops and a strong band of Alforos.

One man was killed, two seriously injured and a score of wedding guests, including women, slightly hurt early yesterday morning in a riot following a Polish feast in Chicago.

Mayor Schmitz, of San Francisco, was put under arrest at Truckee, Cal., on a charge of extortion found by the grand jury.

It is reported that the federal grand jury at Salt Lake City has voted several indictments in the coal land fraud case.

Many persons were killed by the blowing up of a Roburit factory near Witten, Westphalia.

The grand jury at St. Louis returned two indictments against the Waters-Pierce Oil company, said to be a branch of the Standard, for receiving rebates from railroads.

Six men were killed and 35 injured in a fire in a Salvation Army hotel at St. Louis.

A desperate but unsuccessful effort was made to blow open the safe and vault of the Mendon, O., bank, in which more than \$75,000 was deposited. The detonation aroused the citizens and the three masked men fled, followed by posss.

Philadelphia police charged Bridget Carey with poisoning her husband, her two children and two tenants, all within a few months, for their insurance.

La Patrie, Le Baudy's dirigible war balloon, which has been formally accepted by the French government, made its first ascension under the auspices of the Aerosfat division of the army. The flight lasted an hour and a half.

The steamship J. H. Jones went down in the storm on the Georgian bay and the crew of 13 and at least 16 passengers are believed to have been drowned. Bodies and wreckage washed ashore confirm the belief that the vessel was lost.

Capt. Amundsen, the arctic explorer, who recently went through the northwest passage, was presented with the gold medal of the Norwegian Geographical society.

Senator Benjamin R. Tillman, of South Carolina, in a Chicago address, predicted a race war and told his audience the negro question is the most serious and dangerous issue of the day.

A record of 132 persons killed and 2,271 others injured by elevated and surface traction lines in Chicago since January 1 gave impetus to the crusade against the overcrowding of cars inaugurated by the city council.

LIKE A FAIRY TALE.

The Story of Postum Cereal in Words and Pictures.

The growth of the Postum Cereal Co. is like a fairy tale, but it is true, every word of it.

"The Door Unbolted" is the title of a charming little booklet just issued by the Company which tells, and illustrates, the story of this remarkable growth. It takes the reader from the little white barn in which the business was started Jan. 1, 1895, through the palatial offices and great factory buildings of the "White City" that comprise Postumville, Battle Creek, Mich.

The little white barn, so carefully preserved, is a most interesting building, for it represents the humble beginning of one of the country's greatest manufacturing enterprises of today, an enterprise that has grown from this little barn to a whole city of factory buildings within but little more than ten years.

No less interesting is the quaint official home of the Postum Cereal Co. The general office building of Mr. Post and his associates is a reproduction of the Shakespeare house at Stratford-on-Avon, and upon the house and its furnishings has been expended vast sums of money, until the rooms are more like the drawing rooms of the mansions of our multi-millionaires than like offices.

That Mr. Post has believed thoroughly in the idea of giving to his employees attractive and healthful work rooms is proven not only by the general office building of the Company and its furnishings, but by his factories as well, and of all of these things this beautiful little booklet tells the interesting story. It will be sent to anyone on request.

Japan's Empress Popular.

It is doubtful if any royal consort is more loved by her people than is the empress of Japan. Educated according to feudal ideas and skilled in all the accomplishments befitting one of her social eminence, her majesty strongly favors the broadness of the new education for women and from her private purse gives large sums toward the maintenance of women's schools and universities. During the war with Russia the empress visited the hospitals many times and every day passed hours making bandages. The effect of these bandages upon the wounded soldiers has been of deep interest to medical and scientific men, for the soldiers honored by them seemed to rally under a peculiar mental influence. All other bandages were destroyed after their first use; those made by the empress were sterilized and used again for the simple reason of their effect on the recovery of the soldiers.

TEN YEARS OF PAIN.

Unable to Do Even Housework Because of Kidney Troubles.

Mrs. Margaret Emmerich, of Clinton street, Napoleon, O., says: "For fifteen years I was a great sufferer from kidney troubles. My back pained me terribly. Every turn or move caused sharp shooting pains. My eyesight was poor, dark spots appeared before me, and I had dizzy spells. For ten years I could not do housework, and for two years did not get out of the house. The kidney secretions were irregular, and doctors were not helping me. Doan's Kidney Pills brought me quick relief, and finally cured me. They saved my life."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Uses of Masks.

"Among the North American Indians the origin of the use of masks lay," says a writer, "in the desire to conceal the emotions. Thus should two warriors meet in combat, the mask conceals any expression, whether of sympathy, fear or other emotion. For instance, the knowledge that fear was depicted on one's face and that his antagonist knew it would very possibly insure the defeat of the one whose feelings were betrayed to the other."

Keep in Good Health.

There are many thousands of people all over the world who can attribute their good health to taking one of two Brandreth's Pills every night. These pills cleanse the stomach and bowels, stimulate the kidneys and liver and purify the blood. They are the same fine laxative tonic pills your grandparents used, and being purely vegetable they are adapted to children and old people, as well as those in the vigor of manhood and womanhood. Brandreth's Pills have been in use for over a century and are for sale everywhere, plain or sugar-coated.

Cost of the Taj Mahal.

The Taj Mahal, at Agra, would cost ten millions if built to-day. It was begun in 1629, and finished in 1648.

National Pure Food and Drugs Act. The Garfield Remedies meet with the highest requirements of the new Law. Take Garfield Tea for constipation.

According to the theories of the pessimist it is folly to circulate them.

Lewis' Single Dipped straight 5c. You pay 10c for cigars not so good. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

Lots of men pray for things they wouldn't be willing to work for.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, soothes the gums, reduces inflammation, cures colic, and cures the bowels.

A man without a wife is a balloon without an anchor.

SHORT SESSION BEGUN

OPENING DAY GIVEN UP TO PRELIMINARIES BY CONGRESS.

THROUGH IN GALLERIES

Senate Receives the President's Appointments but Waits for Message Before Confirming Them.

Washington.—The fifty-ninth congress began its last session at noon Monday. It took the senate 15 minutes to arrange its preliminaries and the house an hour. The senate received from President Roosevelt a long list of appointments for its confirmation, and in an executive session of 19 minutes decided, as the nominations had been received before the body had been organized formally, to make no confirmations until the president's annual message had been received and the session fairly started.

Senators Penrose of Pennsylvania and Foraker of Ohio came forward with resolutions of inquiry regarding the discharge of the negro troops of the twenty-fifth infantry. One was addressed to the president and the other to the secretary of war. After the ripple of surprise had passed and Vice President Fairbanks had suggested that it was unusual to transact any business until the president's message had been received, the resolutions "went over" by unanimous consent. Senator Dupont of Delaware took the oath of office.

The opening of the two houses was witnessed by an animated throng which filled the galleries to their capacity. Hundreds went away disappointed in not gaining admission to witness the session of either senate or house.

Seven cabinet changes and one appointment to the supreme court bench were sent to the senate by President Roosevelt, but they were not confirmed immediately in accordance with general customs concerning such important nominations. Heretofore, the committees have been polled on the floor of the senate in executive session on cabinet appointments and, out of courtesy to the president, immediately confirmed. The reason advanced for the change in the program is that no message of any character had been received from the president, and therefore it would not be proper to transact business.

The important nominations follow: Secretary of the Treasury—George B. Cortelyou. Attorney General—Charles J. Bonaparte. Postmaster General—George L. Von Meyer. Secretary of the Navy—Victor H. Metcalf. Secretary of the Interior—James R. Garfield. Secretary of Commerce and Labor—Oscar S. Strauss. Associate Justice of Supreme Court—William H. Moody. Civil Service Commissioner—John Avery McElhenny, Louisiana. Interstate Commerce Commissioners—Edgar E. Clark, Iowa; James S. Harlan, Illinois; Judson C. Clements, Georgia.

IDAHO MINE LEADERS LOSE.

The Supreme Court Decides Against Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone.

Washington.—The supreme court of the United States Monday decided the habeas corpus cases of Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone, the representatives of the Western Federation of Miners, who are now held in prison in Idaho on the charge of complicity in the murder of former Gov. Steunenberg, adversely to the men. The opinion was by Justice Harlan. The effect of the decision will be to continue to hold the men in confinement for trial in Idaho.

JAPAN SENDING SOLDIERS.

Those Going to Hawaii Picked for Military Experience.

Honolulu.—Indications are cropping out that the Japanese who have been arriving here for some time past, as well as those who have been granted passports and who will arrive in the future, are picked men with military experience.

New Mexico Official Indicted.

Santa Fe, N. M.—The federal grand jury has returned indictments for perjury and subornation of perjury against Dr. J. H. Sloan Terry, superintendent of insurance in connection with coal land entries in Santa Fe and Sandoval counties.

Rate on Beet Pulp Reduced.

Madison, Wis.—The Wisconsin state railroad rate commission Monday reduced the rate on beet pulp 20 percent. Numerous hearings had been held on the matter.

To Assume Regency of Persia.

Teheran, Persia.—The report that Mohammed Ali Mirza, the heir apparent and governor of Azerbaijan, has been summoned from Tabriz to Teheran to assume the regency during the illness of his father, the shah, is confirmed.

Spanish Cabinet Again Resigns.

Madrid.—The cabinet has again resigned. It is understood that the trouble arose from the dispute among the military members, taken over the stand assumed by General Weyler.

GAINED 34 POUNDS

Persistent Anemia Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills After Other Remedies Had Failed.

"When I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills," says Mrs. Nathaniel Field, of St. Albans, Somerset county, Maine, "I was the palest, most bloodless person you could imagine. My tongue and gums were colorless and my fingers and ears were like wax. I had two doctors and they pronounced my trouble anemia. I had spells of vomiting, could not eat, in fact, did not dare to, I had such distress after eating. My stomach was filled with gas which caused me awful agony. The backache I suffered was at times almost unbearable and the least exertion made my heart beat so fast that I could hardly breathe. But the worst of all was the splitting neuralgia headache which never left me for seven weeks. About this time I had had several numb spells. My limbs would be cold and without any feeling and the most deadly sensations would come over me."

"Nothing had helped me until I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, in fact, I had grown worse every day. After I had taken the pills a short time I could see that they were benefiting me and one morning I awoke entirely free from pain. The distress after eating disappeared and in three weeks I could eat anything I wanted and suffer no inconvenience. I also slept soundly. I have taken several boxes of the pills and have gained in weight from 120 to 154 pounds and am perfectly well now."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure anemia because they actually make new blood. For rheumatism, indigestion, nervous headaches and many forms of weakness they are recommended even if ordinary medicines have failed. They are sold by all druggists, or will be sent postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

MAKES BEAUTY

Among the ladies no other medicine has ever had so strong a following, because, excepting pure air and exercise, it is the source of more beautiful complexions than any other agency, as

Lane's Family Medicine

the tonic-laxative. It puts pure blood in the veins, and no woman can be healthy when the rich, red blood of health courses in her veins. Sold by all dealers at 25c. and 50c.

SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature
Smallwood
REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

A Positive CURE FOR CATARRH

Ely's Cream Balm

is quickly absorbed. Gives Relief at Once. It cleanses, soothes, heals 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. at Druggists or by mail; Trial size 10 cts. by mail.

Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

Wrong Method of Teaching.

Consul Paul Nash, of Venice, writes: "Hundreds of well-educated Americans annually pass through Venice and, although probably nine-tenths of them have had several years of instruction in a European language, not one-tenth are capable of speaking a dozen connected words of anything but English. Even college graduates, fresh from prize-winning in French or German, are generally unable to speak either language, although capable of writing an excellent thesis on their history, philology, syntax and literature. This is the result of teaching French and German in much the same way that Latin and Greek are taught."

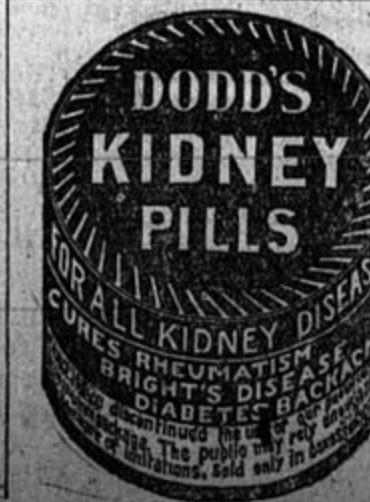
Autos in German Army.

The German Volunteer Army Corps is provided with 37 automobiles in charge of uniformed drivers, which carry staff officers to and fro. In the maneuvers last month the speed and convenience of the machines were highly praised by the tacticians who watched the developments of the mimic campaign.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

CURES ALL KIDNEY DISEASES

BRONCHITIS, RHEUMATISM, DIABETES, GRAVEL, BILIOUSNESS, NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE, HEADACHE, INDIGESTION, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE URINARY SYSTEM.



TERRIBLE REVENGE CHARGED AGAINST JEALOUS HUSBAND

Angered by Wife's Friendship for Crippled Man,
J. H. Crutchfield Is Accused of At-
tempting to Maim Her.

TRAGEDY HAS SHOCKED ATLANTA, GA.

Both Principals Belonged to the Best Society of the Southern City
—Mrs. Crutchfield Long Considered One of the Most
Beautiful Women of That Section—Public
Sentiment Entirely With Her.

Atlanta.—"Revenge!" This is said to have been J. H. Crutchfield's one word when he fired the two shots, says the New York World.

His wife fell, and he dropped the revolver to the porch. Both shots had hit, but if he intended, as they charge, to cripple both legs "to match that man," he was but partly successful. The right leg has been amputated above the knee.

"That man" knew his wife, and "that man" had lost his legs in a railway accident. Further than that it was nothing. No one dare say a word against Mrs. Crutchfield. She has always been a favorite in Atlanta society—handsome, clever, vivacious.

The Crutchfields have long been among the best known people in Atlanta, Ga. It had to be so, because Mrs. Crutchfield was considered the handsomest young matron in Atlanta, and southern gallantry still exists. She came from Columbia, S. C., and there she married young Crutchfield 14 years ago.

He was a rising young cotton oil broker then; to-day he is accounted well-to-do. Mrs. Crutchfield did not come of a wealthy family—in fact, her face was all the fortune she brought her husband, but that was enough. There has never been a better dressed young matron in all the south than young Mrs. Crutchfield. She had a figure and complexion to set off her beauty, too, and the beautiful clothes bought by her devoted husband. It was dinner and dance and drive all the time.

"There goes the handsome Mrs. Crutchfield!" could be heard in Atlanta any day.

Made Crutchfield Jealous.

The chivalrous southerners liked to hear her called that, because she really was. But Crutchfield resented this compliment to his beautiful wife. He didn't like the drives and the dinners and the dances. He had an idea that his wife should stay at home more and look out for Loudette and Paul, their two little boys. Mrs. Crutchfield could not see things in his light.

They quarreled; they separated. Then Atlanta society learned for the first time that everything in the Crutchfield home was not as it should

have been. There were divorce proceedings. The moment the news was printed, Mrs. Crutchfield called at all the newspaper offices in Atlanta and said:

"You have published an account of my divorce proceedings. It was all right and—all wrong. We have made up. There is nothing in these charges—nothing."

Under the law there is what is known as a peace warrant. Crutch-

field was brought to court upon one. He was charged with striking his handsome wife.

"I did it because of a letter," he swore. "I took it from her bosom myself. It was from a man in this town. I did strike her. I struck her several times. I dragged her out on the veranda, and I pitched her out into the yard. I thought I had killed her. And that is the only time I ever struck her."

The case was dismissed. Mr. and Mrs. Crutchfield left the courtroom arm-in-arm, apparently the happiest of couples. For months they lived together in seeming mutual regard. They were seen out together often, as devoted as two young lovers might well be. Then like a thunderbolt out of a clear sky came a second suit for divorce. This is still pending.

Enter "The Man."

Mrs. Crutchfield took her two little sons and went to live at No. 300 South Pryor street, Atlanta. It was then that "the man" entered their lives. He was a splendid specimen of manhood—tall, good-looking, athletic, debonaire. He was clever and entertaining and the handsome young Mrs. Crutchfield was plainly interested—more than that, not at all.

Then came the accident. This friend of the family was a railroad man. He fell between the cars and both his legs had to be amputated to save his life. Mrs. Crutchfield was deeply moved by his misfortune and she tried to help him as he lay in the hospital, doomed to be a cripple for life.

And that aroused the husband to his fury. Mrs. Crutchfield had been to see "Zaza" at the matinee. Her husband had come to her new home to wait for her. He had to wait two hours. Then Mrs. Crutchfield said a merry "Good-night" to some of her friends who had been to the theater with her and ran up the stoop.

"Is that you, Sallie?" asked Crutchfield.

"Yes," answered his wife, without a thought of what was to come.

There was a shot; then another. The handsome young wife fell prone and unconscious. Two bullets from

both limbs. But by a merciful misadventure both bullets hit the same limb.

The 11-year-old boy, Loudette, heard the shots. He started down to the door to let his mother in. He had just opened it when the first shot was fired. He jumped on the back of his father as the second bullet was sent on its errand of vengeance and fought with him to keep him from firing again.

Crutchfield started to get away. The boy clung to him.

"Don't you shoot again!" screamed little Loudette, trying to get between the revolver and his mother.

The boy couldn't save his mother's limb, but he did save her life by spilling his father's aim. Crutchfield ran down the steps.

"If you follow me I'll fix you, too!" he yelled, in his rage.

"I was afraid," said the boy, as he tells it now, "and I ran back to my mother. I saw him hit her once before and I tried to stop him this time."

Crutchfield was arrested at once and hurried to the police station.

Detective Lockhart says he declared: "It was an accident. I had the gun in my hand and she grabbed at it. In the scuffle it went off and shot her in the leg. It is a repeating Winchester, and the explosion of one cartridge loaded it again and this caused the second shot."

"I went to my home to look for the man who had ruined it. I did not mean to shoot Sallie, and I hope she will get well."

Over at the hospital Mrs. Crutchfield said: "It was not an accident, and if they don't lock him up he will finish the job if he ever meets me again."

Gave Crutchfield Privileges.

And here is the strange part of the whole proceeding: Crutchfield was not treated like the ordinary criminal. In fact, he had the liberty of the city. He was not locked in a cell, but was permitted to engage a special policeman at his own expense to accompany him about town, "buying" for his friends in the clubs and cafes, and at-



Struck Her Several Times.

tending to his own business as a cotton oil broker.

Meanwhile the wife that he had maimed was fighting for her life at the Grady hospital. Gangrene had set in. Her life hung in the balance. The surgeons shook their heads. It was a toss-up whether the wounded woman would live or die.

Public sentiment was with the wife. So Crutchfield's privileges were curtailed and he was sent to jail—the "Tower." But even here he was not locked in a cell, and there is likelihood of a police investigation as to why he was not.

Instead, Crutchfield was assigned to a sunny room. He has fitted it up as a combination library and sitting-room—this man who had his awful vengeance. There his stenographers report to him every day. He dictates his letters and cleans up his day's business, and after that he reads and smokes at ease. He has been allowed a big graphophone, and he has 100 odd records of the latest songs and marches.

"I Had Rather Be on the Outside Looking In Than on the Inside Looking Out" is the favorite tune with Crutchfield, and the other prisoners along his corridor enjoy it as much as does he.

"Rather suggestive, eh?" is the salutation given to callers when they enter while this song is being played, and he usually switches to another tune, "A-Lookin' Out."

Plays Suggestive Tune.

The latest of his collection has just arrived. It is from "The Spring Chicken" and is entitled "They Sold Me a Lemon in the Garden of Love, Where They Told Me the Peaches Grew."

The climax came the other day when the surgeons said that Mrs. Crutchfield would get well, and that her husband could apply for bail. He at once decided to celebrate.

"Call up the best caterer in town," he ordered of his jailers. "Have a 'possum supper, and plenty of ale and cider."

They had it in the jail all right. The news of the feast to come was published in the afternoon papers, and two women admirers of the man who had his "vengeance" sent big frosted cakes as an addition to the repast.

When supper time came a large table was brought into Crutchfield's room and the prisoner-guests and several outsiders fled in for the fun and feasting. The man who had his vengeance did the honors.

Dr. O. H. Snyder, charged with selling liquor on Sunday, was the first guest to arrive.

He was followed by Ernest Naylor, charged with being a participant in

the riot on that eventful Saturday night in Atlanta when 16 negroes were killed. J. F. Clemmons, held on the same charge, followed.

Night Jailer Walter Johnson came next, to give an official tone to the party. John Dorsey, "the best trusty in Georgia," in charge of the jail laundry, next in importance, took his place. Three Ohio business men, two from Dayton and one from Springfield, who had made business appointments with Crutchfield before he was arrested, arrived in Atlanta that day, and hearing

of his plight, called at his jail room, attended to the business under consideration and remained to enjoy the supper with their host.



Shot to Maim Her.

One "Turned Down" Plate.

Crutchfield made the ninth member of the party, and insisted on "turning down" an empty plate.

Whether this was a tribute to his wife or some visitor who did not arrive is not known.

While the revelry was at its height Mrs. Crutchfield was moaning on her couch in the hospital. She will soon be out now, crippled for life. Crutchfield was asked if he had not intended to cripple her in exactly the way he did.

"No," said he, "I didn't. I never said that, but I do know a friend who has lost both his legs. You just call up the hospital where they took him and see if she didn't go there and nurse him when he was hurt."

And that is where this case of latter-day revenge stands now. There will be two trials—a criminal one for felonious assault and another for divorce. Much that will startle will be brought out then.

But, no matter who wins or loses, all Atlanta is saying, "What a vengeance!"

SURELY WAS A MEAN MAN.

In Presence of Hospitable Friends He Bought and Drank Alone.

"The meanest man I ever knew lived down in Texas and I worked for him," said the old-time reporter. "He owned the paper and he was a banker, besides. On top of that he had real estate strung around town till reporters on the opposition didn't know when they were trespassing and when they weren't."

"One afternoon, as we boys were starting out to gather up the day's troubles and had dropped into a friend's place to take the taste out of our mouths the city editor and the managing editor came in right after us and we all lined up. There had been one round and everybody was trying to tell his best story and wondering who would buy next when there was a gasp from 'Officer' Herick, who 'did' police, and we followed his eyes to the front door. Who should be coming in all alone but the old man himself—and him a deacon! Nobody had ever heard of him being in a saloon before and it didn't seem to bode much good."

The m. e. was the first man to get his breath, as was right, seeing his position, him being closer to the old man than any of us, and he sang out tolerably cheerfully:

"How do you do, Mr. Campbell. We were just about to take something. Will you join us?"

"The old man sidled up to the bar without saying a word, much to our astonishment, though you could see he wasn't used to it."

"I believe I'll take a little beer, boys," he said, and we nearly fell over. What an unbending!

"Well, we all took what we wanted and the old man sipped his beer and smacked his lips. There was more conversation while the bar man polished the rosewood, and finally the old man spoke up again, smacking his lips, and says:

"That beer tasted pretty good. I believe I'll have another."

"And with that he laid a nickel very carefully on the bar and gave it a little push. One lone, torn nickel. We glanced at each other out of the tails of our eyes and said nothing. The 'old man' drank his beer slowly. We? Why, we looked on."

Started on Lowest Rung.

Oren Root, a nephew of the secretary of state, while scarcely over 30 years of age, was recently appointed vice-president of the Metropolitan Street-Railroad Company of New York. Root started at the bottom of the ladder. He began with a construction gang as a laborer and later, before going into the offices of the company, he acted as motorman and for several months rang up fares.

From the State Capital

Information and Gossip Furnished by Special Correspondent at Lansing.

Lansing.—The school question is certain to be one of the greater matters of struggle in the next legislature.

Not only are there local disputes as to the proper form of the school board, disputes which have divided boards and citizens of Grand Rapids, Port Huron and other cities as well as Detroit, but there is likely to be legislation of a general character introduced which will focus these local battles in the legislature. The State Teachers' association, in its meeting in Battle Creek, received a report from Prof. A. S. Whitney, of Ann Arbor, a member of the famous family of educators, and the chairman of the legislative committee. One of the bills favorably reported by the committee is regarded as certain of introduction—a uniform law for the office of superintendent of schools. Another bill is a general law for the organization of school boards. The superintendent's bill would bring all the superintendents of the state into the relation with their board which exists in Buffalo and other cities. He shall nominate all teachers, and may for cause suspend teachers, after consideration by the board, though the board may by a three-fourths vote revoke the suspension or reemploy any teacher not nominated by the superintendent.

The superintendent shall also select text books, determine course of study, classify and control promotions, supervise all teachers, see to the faithful fulfillment of all contracts with teachers and perform such other duties as the board may assign to him. The boards of education are obliged by this bill to employ a superintendent. They may also, at their discretion, appoint a business director, who shall have the same control over janitors and property that the superintendent shall have over teachers and schools. These officers are to be elected for terms of five years each, and may be dismissed by a vote of four-fifths of the entire board. The second bill provides that all cities in the state shall have school boards of five members elected at large, for terms of five years, the terms to be arranged in such a way that only one inspector shall be elected each year. Cities of 10,000 or more shall have the option of a board of seven members, elected to regular terms of six years, arranged in such a way that there shall be two or three inspectors elected every two years. This voting on only one or two members will focus the attention of the electorate on those who offer themselves for the position, and anyone securing a petition of 100 voters shall have his name printed on the nonpartisan alphabetical ballot. Any citizen paying school taxes or the parent or guardian of a pupil in school is qualified to vote. The association also recommended the passage of a minimum salary law fixing \$40 a month as the lowest salary that can be paid.

Parole Law Works Well.

Secretary Murray, of the state pardon board has prepared the report of the board for the year ending with this month, and also for the whole period during which the indeterminate sentence law has been in effect, about one and a half years. In the year, 364 convicts have been released, of which 257 were placed on parole, and seven pardoned. In the period since the indeterminate law became effective 503 convicts have been released on parole. All but 13 were males. The number now on parole, reporting regularly, is 273; the number having served the entire period of parole and received absolute discharge is 143. Three died while on parole. There have been 84 violations of parole, corresponding to 16.7 per cent of the number released. Of the 84, 85 were returned to the institution where they had served time and 38 are at large. Of the whole number of violations 25 were by reason of the convicts' committing felonies.

Major Vernou Regains Health.

Letters have been received here from Maj. A. C. Vernou, formerly inspector of the Michigan National Guards for the war department, and at one time military instructor at the Agricultural college. He resigned from active service six months ago on account of ill health, but he is now in excellent health at Naples, Italy.

No Thanksgiving Pardons.

There were no Thanksgiving pardons or pardons, which a few years ago were quite the rage. The state pardon board ordered no releases. The application of John T. Hoffman, former Wayne county coroner, for commutation of sentence or pardon will not be taken up before the next meeting at Jackson prison.

Institution Needs More Money.

The State Tuberculosis sanitarium will probably be ready to receive patients in the spring but then only a limited number. Despite the energetic campaign waged by physicians all over the state, health officers and others interested in the protection of the public against the scourge, the legislature's appropriation was small and the incoming legislature will be appealed to for a sufficient grant to enable the trustees to build a sanitarium somewhat in keeping with the importance of its mission.

Convict Labor Question.

The Michigan State Federation of Labor, through action taken by the executive committee at a meeting held in this city, will concentrate its efforts for the adoption of the Manzmann bill, introduced in the legislature of 1905, as a solution of the convict labor problem. The executive committee has empowered Vice President Samuel T. Penna, of Detroit, to take charge of the bill and will send a circular letter to every subordinate lodge in the jurisdiction, asking support, both moral and financial. A lobby will be on hand to push the bill, and it will have all the backing which the federation can give it. The Manzmann bill consolidates the boards of control of all the penal institutions of the state into a "board of prison industries of Michigan." This body is empowered to attend to the disposition and distribution of all prison products, and is especially charged with the duty of keeping all such products out of the open market, where they are in competition with the products of free labor. The whole contract labor system is specifically abolished, as soon as existing contracts expire. Prisoners are divided into three classes—the corrigible, who are allowed special privileges and preferred labor; the incorrigible, but industrious, of whom there is hope of reformation, and the wholly incorrigible. The prisoners are to be employed wholly on state account, in manufacturing supplies for state institutions, work on public buildings or grounds, at agricultural pursuits, or at crushing stone for roads, the stone to be furnished free to the various governmental bodies of the state. Prisoners of the first class, the corrigible, may be employed at work which will afford industrial training, so far as possible under the constitutional amendment prohibiting the teaching of trades. They are also to be compensated for their labor, not to exceed 10 per cent of the total value of the product. Only hand and foot power machinery may be used. Infractions of rules are punishable by fines, to be deducted from the compensation. They may use the money while inmates of the prison, with the approval of the officials, for appliances and books necessary for their education, or for the support of their dependent families, and the balance standing to their credit will be paid them upon discharge. Second and third grade convicts are given harder and less pleasant employment. The executive committee also went on record as favoring a constitutional convention elected on a non-partisan basis. All unions will be requested to exert their influence to this end.

Calls Daugherty's Election Void.

The election of Samuel J. Daugherty, of Caro, to the legislature is held void by a decision of Attorney General Bird. Daugherty is sheriff of Tuscola county and the attorney general held that his case is governed by section six of article four of the constitution, disqualifying a county officer for such an election. This, however, does not operate to elect the person receiving the minority of the votes. The attorney general does not go so far as to say that a special election must be held, but this is believed to be the only course open. The question was raised by Clare T. Purdy, of Gagetown, Daugherty's Democratic opponent. Daugherty is just finishing his first four-year term as sheriff. Railroad Commissioner Atwood and he are the closest of friends. Purdy made his campaign largely upon the charge that Daugherty was ineligible and on the night of the election it was reported that he had won. Later returns showed Daugherty to have had a plurality of 900.

Father Made Small Son Drunk.

Willie Sweet, aged nine years, who claims that his father gave him hard cider and made him drunk, mounted a hack in front of the Hotel Downey and drove the horses at a rapid pace through the city. In turning a corner he struck a watering trough for horses, wrecking the hack and causing damage of about \$300. The chief of police, who had the boy arrested, says he was drunk when brought to headquarters, and the boy's father is said to have admitted giving the lad cider, but insists he has a right to give him what he pleases. The case will be thoroughly investigated by the prosecuting attorney.

Burrows Indorses Donovan.

James B. Donovan has been recommended by Senator Burrows for appointment as register of the land office at Marquette to succeed Thomas Scranden, who has resigned. Donovan has been chief clerk of the office for several years.

Michigan Corporations.

The following corporations filed articles of incorporation: The Hammond Estate company, Detroit, \$400,000; Lake Superior & Platteville Mining company, Platteville, Wis., and Crystal Falls, \$100,000. The Marquette County Telephone company, Ishpeming, increased its capital stock from \$50,000 to \$100,000, and the American Carving & Manufacturing company, Grand Rapids, from \$40,000 to \$50,000. The Leszczynski, Clark company, of Palms, capital \$3,000.



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Governor Warner has chosen the better part in refusing to permit himself to be made a candidate for United States senator. His record as governor thus far has made him deservedly popular in all sections of the state and it is not strange that any honor the people of Michigan could possibly give him should be suggested. But the completion of the term to which Governor Warner was recently elected, by a gain of fifty percent over his vote of two years ago, will leave him yet a very young man and with an old acquaintance and an increased popularity which will make any future honor he may see of probable easy attainment.

Peculiar Form of Torture.

Among African tribes it is customary to torture prisoners of war. One of the legs of the prisoner is pushed through a hole in a heavy log and is driven through to hold it in place.

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Many Fish in Lake Erie.

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Bank Has Prospered.

The People's bank of Milan, was started in 1866 with a capital of \$140,000 and now possesses a paid up capital of half a million!

Patience Out of Place.

"Patience," said Uncle Eben, "is a good thing, but dar ain't no use of sittin' aroun' an' tryin' to let it take de place of a day's work."

Not Much Comparison.

The land area of the United States is 3,800,947,200 acres. The area of Great Britain and Ireland is 77,871,000 acres.

Notice

First pub. Nov. 21, last pub. Dec. 29, 1906.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Delta in Chancery.
(Sole pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Delta in Chancery, at the City of Escanaba in said County.)
Moses St. Louis, Plaintiff.
vs.
Defendant.
In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file, that the defendant Moses St. Louis is not a resident of this state but resides at the City of Duluth in the State of Minnesota.
On motion of C. D. McEwen complainant's solicitor it is ordered that the said defendant Moses St. Louis cause his appearance within four (4) months from the date of this order and in case of his appearance that he cause his answer to the complainant's bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said complainant's solicitor within twenty days after service on him of a copy of said bill and notice of this order; and that in default thereof, said bill be taken as confessed by the said non resident defendant.
And it is further ordered, that within twenty days (20) the said 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 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.
J. W. STONE, Circuit Judge.

C. D. McEwen, Solicitor for Complainant.

Notice

First pub. Nov. 21st 1906, last pub. Jan. 7 1907.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, Twenty-Fifth Judicial Circuit, In Chancery.
Amanda Schou, Plaintiff.
vs.
Bjorne Schou, Defendant.
In this cause it appearing that defendant, Bjorne Schou is not a resident of this state but 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 four 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 circulating in said County, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.
A. H. RYALL, Circuit Court Commissioner
YELLAND & NORBLAD, Delta County, Mich. Solicitors for Complainant.

Notice

First pub. Dec. 8, 1906 last pub. Jan. 19 1907.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Delta, In Chancery.
Kate Louscher, Plaintiff.
vs.
William Louscher, Defendant.
In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file that the defendant William Louscher is not a resident of the State of Michigan but resides at Deer River in the State of Minnesota.
On motion of C. D. McEwen complainant's solicitor it is ordered that the said defendant William Louscher cause his appearance to be entered hereon, within four months from the date of this order and in case of his appearance that he cause his answer to the complainant's bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said complainant's solicitor within twenty days after service on him of a copy of said bill and notice of this order; and that in default thereof, said bill be taken as confessed by the said non resident defendant.
And it is further ordered, that within twenty days the said 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 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.
J. W. STONE, Circuit Judge.
C. D. McEwen, Solicitor for complainant.

Chancery Sale

First pub. Dec. 8, 1906, last pub. Jan. 19, 1907.
In pursuance and by virtue of an order and decree of the circuit court for the County of Delta in chancery, in the State of Michigan, made and dated on the 30th day of October, A. D. 1906, in a certain cause therein pending wherein Peter Matthews is complainant, and Ota E. Youngquist and S. Wilhelmina Youngquist are defendants.
Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the City of Escanaba, Delta County, Michigan, (said court house being the place for holding the circuit court for said county) on Tuesday, the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the following de-

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Dated December 4, A. D. 1906.
G. RAYMOND EMPSON, Circuit Court Commissioner in and for Delta County, Michigan.
I. C. JENNINGS and S. M. MATTHEWS, Solicitors for Complainant.
Business address: Escanaba, Michigan.

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Much of Australia Unexplored.
Australia contains more unexplored territory in proportion to its size than any other continent.

Guests Have Only One Chance.
The Swiss hotels serve table d'hôte with military precision. When a course once passes it is gone forever.

Hope of New South Wales.
There is far more hope of wealth, progress and population in manufactures than in all the blessed agricultural "backbone of the country."—Sydney Bulletin.

Busy New York Post Office.
Receipts of the New York post office are far ahead of those of any other office in the world, for the same extent of territory. At the present rate, for this year, they will be about \$17,000,000.

Ingenious French Swindlers.
There are under arrest in Paris eight men who formed a society for swindling accident insurance companies. All were insured in different companies and took turns at being knocked down and injured by carriages, carts and street cars. Two or three members of the society were always present, so that they might give evidence of the reality of the accident. The men have confessed that they each made \$6,000 out of the companies during the last two years.

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From	Arrives	Depart	To
Chicago	5:20 a. m.	5:28 a. m.	North
		6:00 a. m.	Sooy
		6:40 a. m.	Ashland
		8:15 a. m.	Pelch
Chicago	8:30 a. m.		
North	10:35 a. m.	11:00 a. m.	Chicago
Chicago	1:20 p. m.	1:35 p. m.	North
Pelch	6:10 p. m.	7:05 p. m.	Marquette
Sooy	8:20 p. m.		
North	8:25 p. m.	9:00 p. m.	Chicago
Ashland	10:00 p. m.		

First (and final) carry passengers as follows:
Ishpeming 9:00 a. m. + 7:00 a. m. Ishpeming
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County Correspondence

BARK RIVER

City Treasurer Chas Maloney of Escanaba, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mackevich returned Wednesday from a trip to Negaunee.

Carl Hugo, formerly operator for the Northwestern road at Naranta has been transferred to Bark River station, F. A. Wademan being given the position of car dispatcher at Escanaba. The change is a promotion for both men.

Ole Harstad left Monday for Indiana to attend a convention of Culvert Manufacturers. The Bark River Bridge and Culvert company has already done some manufacturing and prospects for a growing industry in this line are bright.

Miss Lyda Frechette was on the sick list for several days this week.

A baby girl was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Eli Depas of Heath's mill.

The Thanksgiving party on Thursday evening of last week was a fine success. A large number attended and the Bark River dancing club cleared a neat sum which they will apply on the purchase price of the piano recently installed in the hall.

Special Thanksgiving exercises were held at the schools last week. A special Christmas program will soon be prepared by the pupils.

Dr. Gillespie made his regular trip here this week.

Mose Kurz of Escanaba transacted business here Wednesday.

BRAMPTON

Mrs. Fred Lueke of Escanaba, was seen here Tuesday.

W. H. H. Wellsted and Mr. Olaf Osseen called at Rapid River Thursday.

Mrs. John Williamson of Gladstone, was a pleasant caller at the home of Mrs. A. M. McGraw, Thanksgiving.

Miss Kate Kelly and Miss Corcoran of Escanaba, were guests at the home of Mrs. Dwyer, Saturday and Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Eagle, a baby boy, Friday Nov. 30.

Mr. John Brunett and Mr. Marsaw made a business trip to Escanaba Friday.

Mr. Wahls and Mr. Hogan of Gladstone, were here Sunday on business.

Miss Margaret Dwyer was in Escanaba Saturday.

Mr. C. E. Fenton of Escanaba, called here Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin DeGross dined at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Tyrell Thanksgiving.

Mr. Dan Duboy of the National Grocery Co. of Escanaba, transacted business here Friday.

Mrs. John Hall of Perkins, visited here Thursday evening.

Mrs. A. Reece has been on the sick list a few days this week.

Mr. Bert Chappatt and Mr. Joe Moequin have been at Lathrop this week building a camp.

Mr. Dan Tyrell was at his home in Escanaba Monday.

Will Bennett of Escanaba, passed through here Tuesday.

Mr. A. Joelker and John Dwyer were at Perkins Wednesday.

Mrs. John Gustafson and children of Perkins visited here Saturday on their way to Gladstone.

LATHROP

Nicholas Britz made a business trip to Green Bay last week.

Mrs. Levy, of Munising, stopped here several hours on her way to Escanaba. Her sister Mrs. Gubalt, of Turin, accompanied her to Escanaba.

J. H. Finlay, of Turin, was here Tuesday on his way to Negaunee.

Clara Gunderson is visiting friends at Escanaba at this writing.

Those who attended the Trainmen Hall at Escanaba Thanksgiving eve are Frank and Katie Curran, George Millar, Johnnie Britz, Dan Laine, Mary Koskey, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Forsterling, Charles Molloy and Billy Mulet. All report a good time. Some returned on the early morning train and the remainder came on the same day in the afternoon.

A wedding is to take place here in the near future. Ask W. probably he knows.

Trains and traffic are delayed here on account of a snow storm and blizzard. It has been snowing hard here for 24 hours, drifts are 4 and 5 feet in depth.

Timber contractors have begun their winter hauling. The banking grounds here have a large amount of timber ready for shipment which was hauled during the week. It is expected that a lot of timber will be gotten out before Christmas. E. B. Forsterling has taken the contract for all the loading the coming winter. He has started loading today and will load from 5 to 6 cars a day if cars come in every day from time to time.

A masquerade ball will be given in Lathrop by the M. B. on New Year's eve. Everyone is cordially invited. A good old time is expected.

Mr. Magnuson was at Escanaba for a day last week.

Jim Curran is home for the winter.

Rosie Hubert, of Escanaba, visited friends here several days last week.

Charley Koskey was at Escanaba last week.

Mr. C. Mann, of Perkins, is in Lathrop for the winter.

GARDEN

Born to Mr. and Mrs. McNally, on Thanksgiving day, a son. Congratulations. Next?

Our Postmaster, Mr. Deloria, has moved into the residence formerly occupied by his father, Antoine Deloria, in the rear of the postoffice where he will be found hereafter by anyone wishing his services after business hours.

Miss Kittie Ansell who is teaching school at Perkins, was home on a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ansell, Thanksgiving week.

The young folks of the village gave an enjoyable dance and party Thanksgiving evening. There was a full attendance, good music and a good time.

Mr. Samuel Ferguson, a prominent farmer of Swea City, Iowa, is visiting with relatives in Garden. He is stopping at the home of his niece, Mrs. Theodore Hazen. The old gentleman expresses himself as very much pleased with what he has seen of the U. P.

Mr. Alton Olmsted returned home on the 29th from a two weeks trip to Iowa. Mr. Olmsted is not decided as yet, but may remove with his family in the spring to Swea City and accept an offer to take charge of and manage his mother's farm in that locality, in which he owns a fifth interest.

The local court of the Catholic Order of Foresters elected officers for the ensuing year at a meeting held at their hall on Thursday evening December 6.

The residents of Water street in this village enjoyed a lively time for a few moments Friday evening. During the absence of Mr. and Mrs. William Gauthier at a neighbor, one of the children while searching in the book case for a book, set fire to some curtains with a match. The children ran out into the street screaming fire! All except Henry, a boy ten years of age, who promptly organized himself into a voluntary fire department of one, and tore down the curtains and put out the fire. He ran out into the street where the rest by this time had aroused the neighbors and the fire department and told them "For the Lord's sake shut your mouths, the fire is all out." But for the little fellow's presence of mind, the damage would certainly have been seri-

ous, if the house had not burned entirely. The insurance company should see to it that Henry's stocking is well filled Christmas.

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LOCAL NEWS

Supt. Davis of the Escanaba schools was in Negaunee Saturday and Sunday on business.

Postoffice Inspector Cookson of the 10th district was in the city Thursday. The month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Golden died Monday night at the home of the family at 319 South Georgia street.

Peter Laux, of Fayette transacted business in this city on Wednesday.

James Bonifas, of Garden, was in the city Thursday.

On last Saturday morning one would have heard inquiries all over the county regarding the non appearance of the Iron Port. People do not usually know the value of a possession until they have to do without it. The Iron Port's printing press had an accident which took several days to remedy. Those who have learned the value of the Iron Port, as one of the necessities of life are now urging their neighbors to subscribe.

Miss Mary Barron will leave in a few days for Montreal where she will spend the winter.

C. H. Rutledge of the Anti-saloon league delivered an address on the work of the league at the First Presbyterian church last Sunday morning.

Chester E. Pearson, the two-days-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Pearson, died Sunday night at the home of the family at 429 South Norris street. The funeral was held from the Swedish Lutheran church on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kaufman of Calumet, who were called to attend the funeral of Mrs. George Loof, mother of Mrs. Kaufman, returned home Monday.

Twenty-five members of the Ahmed Temple Nobles of the Mystic Shrine went to attend the semi-annual business and memorial session of that order at Marquette on Tuesday.

Alderman Samuel Stille of the First Ward will resign as a member of the City Council because of the fact that he has moved from the First to the Second Ward.

Peter Supry, a pioneer, resident of Gladstone, and a veteran of the civil war died at his home in Gladstone on Wednesday afternoon.

H. J. Reil of the Escanaba Woodmenware Co. and N. W. Berry of the Stevenson Jewelry company received degrees at the meeting of the Shriners held at Marquette Wednesday.

Coughing

"There's nothing so bad for a cough as coughing." Coughing is like scratching a wound; so long as it is done, it will not heal. When tempted to cough, draw a long breath through the nostrils; hold it until it warms the air cells. The nitrogen thus refined, allays the desire to cough and gives the throat and lungs a chance to heal. The use of "Seventy-Seven" will aid nature in her efforts to recuperate.

At druggists, 25 cents or mailed. Doctor's book mailed free.

Humphreys' Homeo. Medicine Co., Cor. William and John Streets, New York.

Glasses for Sensitive Eyes.

Eye-glasses slightly tinged with an orange-yellow, are said by a French expert, Dr. Motals, to be peculiarly agreeable and soothing to feeble or oversensitive eyes. Patients who cannot use blue or smoked glasses see well with these.

Spiritualist at Fault.

It was stated at a spiritual seance at Zurich that £1,000 recently stolen from the station lay in a guard's house, but when the money was not found the guard brought action against the spiritualist, who was ordered to make a public apology and to pay £12 damages.

Abyssinian Jews.

Modern ethnologists are inclined to hold that the "black Jews," such as are to be found in central Abyssinia and elsewhere, are not of Hebrew descent, but simple peoples that at some remote time adopted the Jewish religion.

Wild Flowers in Alaska.

The wild flowers of Alaska are the most beautiful in the world. The season lasts only three months, but during that time bluebells, honeysuckle, wild roses, sweet peas and myrtle run riot over the hills and bloom even at the foot of a glacier. The ground is perpetually frozen and about two feet thaws out during the summer season. The melting ice furnishes plenty of moisture and the warm sun makes nature jump.—Leslie's Weekly.

Brought Good Prices.

For a small silver cup of the Commonwealth period, weighing three ounces, \$150 an ounce was paid in London recently, while a Charles II. tumbler, with the York hall mark of 1682, brought \$100 an ounce.

Speed and the Navy.

The maneuvers, although they have not greatly added to our knowledge of tactics, have again established the importance of speed.—London Engineering.

Where Poverty is Unknown.

There is only one lunatic asylum in the Gold Coast Colony, and there are no poorhouses or reformatories. The colony's Blue Book, just issued, states that poverty in the strict sense of the term is hardly known.

West Virginia Mystery.

A very large house snake was killed in the county court room of the court house recently, says the Pocahontas Times. Some young ladies were working on the deed books, and on entering the room one of them was horrified to see a large snake in the middle of the floor. A number heard her scream, and the snake was soon dispatched. How the reptile could have gotten into the room, which is kept locked, is a mystery.

Coal for a Fast Liner.

Tremendous quantities of coal will be required to run the turbine liner Lusitania's engines. The ship's indicated horsepower is 65,000, which will mean a consumption of not less than 435 tons of steam each hour and a corresponding consumption of 50 tons of coal in the same time. This would work out a total of 1,200 tons of coal a day.

Grace to Correct a Fault.

Be not ashamed to confess that you have been in the wrong. It is but owing what you need not be ashamed of—that you now have more sense than you had before, to see your error; more humility to acknowledge it; more grace to correct it.

World's Wealth of Coal.

According to the American Manufacturer, the coal deposits of North America are estimated to contain nearly as much as those of Europe, or 681,000,000,000 tons, but even this gigantic figure is completely dwarfed by Asia's wealth of coal, as to which it is at present impossible to make an even approximate estimate.

MONEY Fresh from the Mint Given Away

To make your Holiday Shopping of interest at our store, we are going to give "A PILE OF MONEY" to the one guessing nearest to the number of handkerchiefs in our two clothing windows. You are entitled to a guess with every ONE DOLLAR purchase—2 guesses with a 2.00 purchase, etc. "PILE OF MONEY" displayed in window.

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Saturday is Children's Day

THE FAIR SAVINGS BANK

HAVE RECEIVED a WIRELESS MESSAGE from OLD SANTA CLAUS, stating that he will arrive in Escanaba Saturday afternoon on the 2 o'clock train on the Northwestern Road— from then on he will make his headquarters at this store. All children are invited to meet him at the train and escort him to the store. Presents will be distributed on Arrival at the store.

The Real SANTA CLAUS

will hold his annual reception from 2 to 5 p. m. in the largest and MOST COMPLETE TOY DEPARTMENT NORTH OF MILWAUKEE.

All are Cordially Invited to Attend the Reception

Do you realize how many shopping days remain before CHRISTMAS

But Fourteen days remain Delay no longer

Purchases will be held and delivered as per order. Deposits on goods accepted.



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NEWS OF THE STATE

RECORD OF A WEEK'S HAPPENINGS IN MICHIGAN.

FOR NEW JUVENILE LAW

State Board of Charities and Correction Will Urge Radical Changes in Present System—Would Curtail Governor's Power.

Kalamazoo.—The legislative committee of the state board of charities and correction held a meeting here and drafted a bill for a new juvenile disorderly law which will go before the legislature.

The bill provides for some radical changes in the system. It gives the probate judge and county agent more power and a wider scope for action than is provided in the present law.

The power of the governor in the appointment of county agents is curtailed. The governor at present is the sole judge. The bill provides that the appointments shall be made by the governor on approval of the state board of charities and corrections. It is proposed to do away entirely with the warrant and act altogether with writs. The prosecuting attorney is to act as counsel in all cases that come to the county agent.

The word "woman" is proposed to appear in all places in the place of "female."

This bill will be presented the state board of charities and corrections at its annual meeting here.

Boy Dies from Hydrophobia.

Bay City.—The five-year-old son of Thomas Stryzypkowski died in terrible agony from hydrophobia, the result of the bite of a dog received a month ago. Physician advised the father of the boy to send him to Ann Arbor for treatment, but neighbors ridiculed the idea of danger from a dog bite and nothing was done until too late.

Rector Afflicted by Blood Poison.

Lansing.—Rev. George A. Robson, rector of St. Paul's church, is seriously ill from blood poisoning from a bruise to his left hand while attending the furnace in the rectory. Drs. Theodore McGraw, of Detroit, and H. W. Haze, of Lansing, amputated the second finger in the hope of stopping the progress of the disease.

Missing Man is Suicide.

Cheboygan.—The body of Benjamin Spray, a well-to-do farmer of Inverness township, who disappeared from the Columbian hotel on the night of November 18, was found in the river here by his sons. His money was found in his pockets, leaving no doubt but that he committed suicide.

Dies at the Age of 101.

Kinde.—Mrs. Roxana Powell, aged 101 years, died. She was the oldest person in the Thumb. Her one ambition in life was to live to be 100 years old. When she attained that age she entertained the family of five generations. She was born in Canada on the Vermont line.

Charges Misrepresentation.

Ponitac.—Llewellyn Seeley is suing E. Howland, H. F. Messinger, A. K. Edgar, R. S. Wells and A. L. Moore for \$1,500. He says he was induced to invest \$1,000 by misrepresentation in the Howland Manufacturing company, which is now in the hands of a receiver.

Escapes Death by an Inch.

Battle Creek.—A. F. Farwell escaped death by an inch when a chunk of coal weighing 50 pounds fell some distance and struck him on the head as he was walking through the Grand Trunk yards. His scalp was frightfully torn, but his skull was not fractured.

Killed by Companion's Gun.

Schoolcraft.—Leroy Newman, aged 20, of Prairie Ronde, is dead from a wound received while hunting rabbits. The gun of his companion, Claud Klize, was accidentally discharged.

Killed While Walking on Track.

Cadillac.—Prof. Taggart, 65, a phrenologist and patent medicine vender, was killed by a train while walking on the track near Boon.

More Wages for Switchmen.

Saginaw.—An increase of four cents an hour has been made in the wages of its switchmen by the Pere Marquette, effective November 1 last.

Late Gov. Bingham's Son Ill.

Brighton.—Kinsley Bingham, only son of the late Gov. Bingham, a farmer, aged 42, is seriously ill, the result of a paralytic stroke.

Ruling on Marriage Licenses.

Kalamazoo.—Judge Walter H. North, in circuit court, rules that marriage licenses cannot be suppressed.

Killed in Street Accident.

Bay City.—Mrs. Jane Collins was killed when a buggy in which she was driving was struck by a street car.

Clever Swindlers Arrested.

Manistee.—Two men giving the names of Thomas Morris and B. Crosby, of Chicago, were arrested charged with fleeing Casper Schneider, a farmer, out of \$40, by one of them impersonating the famous Dr. Lorenz of Austria.

City Wants New Charter.

Mt. Clemens.—This city wants a new charter. A charter of the fourth class, limiting the rate of taxation to three-fourths of a cent, is not adequate for the city's needs.

THE FARMER IN WESTERN CANADA.

The Quality of No. 1 Hard Wheat Cannot Be Beat.

The Canadian West in the past five or ten years has given a set back to the theory that large cities are the backbone of a country and a nation's best asset. Here we have a country where no city exceeds 100,000, and where only one comes within easy distance of that figure according to the census just taken and where no other city reaches a population exceeding 15,000. The places with a population over 5,000 can be counted upon the fingers of one hand, and yet the prosperity that prevails is something unprecedented in the history of all countries past or present.

The reason for this marvelous prosperity is not hard to seek. The large majority of the 810,000 people who inhabit Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, have gone on to the farm, and have betaken themselves to the task of not only feeding and clothing themselves, but of raising food for others less happily circumstanced.

The crop of 1906, although not abnormal, is an eye-opener to many who previously had given little thought to the subject. Ninety million bushels of wheat at 70 cents per bushel—\$63,000,000; 76,000,000 bushels of oats at 30 cents per bushel—\$22,800,000; 17,000,000 bushels of barley at 40 cents per bushel—\$6,800,000; makes a total of \$92,600,000. This is altogether outside the root products; dairy produce, and the returns from the cattle trade; the beet sugar industry and the various other by-products of mixed farming.

When such returns are obtainable from the soil it is not to be wondered at that many are leaving the congested districts of the east, to take upon themselves the life of the prairie farm and the labor of the husbandman.

With the construction of additional railroads new avenues, for agricultural enterprise are opening up, and improved opportunities are offered to the settler who understands prairie farming, and is willing to do his part in building up the new country.

This is the theme that Mr. J. J. Hill, the veteran railroad builder in the West, has laid before the people in a series of addresses which he has given at various points during the past few months, and, having been for so long identified with the development of the West, there are few men better qualified than he to express an opinion upon it. Take care of the country, says he, and the cities will take care of themselves.

The farmers of the Western States and the Canadian West, are more prosperous than ever before, and when it comes to measuring up results, the Canadian appears to have somewhat the better of it. His land is cheaper in fact, the government continues to give free homesteads to settlers, and the returns per acre are heavier when the crop is harvested. Farming land in the Western States runs from \$60 to \$150 an acre and up, whereas equally good soil may be purchased in Canada for \$8 to \$15 per acre, within easy reach of a shipping point, and much of this is available for free homesteading. The quality of the Canadian No. 1 hard wheat cannot be beaten, and the returns to the acre are several bushels better than on this side of the line; the soil and climate of that country being peculiarly adapted to wheat growing.

The fact is evidently appreciated by the large number of American farmers who have in the past two or three years settled in the Canadian West. The agents of the Canadian Government, whose address will be found elsewhere, advise us that for the fiscal year 1904-5, the records show that 43,543 Americans settled in Canada, and in 1905-6 the number reached 57,790. From all of which, it appears that at present, there is a good thing in farming in Western Canada, and that the American farmer is not slow to avail himself of it.

PHOTOGRAPHY AND FINE ART.

Camera Pictures Much More Than Mechanical Reproduction.

Few persons could be found who would deny the claims of photography to rank among the fine arts, when skillfully used and properly controlled, since the photograph of to-day is something more than a mechanical reproduction. The individuality of the photographer is being expressed in his work almost as much as is that of the painter. The painter still has the advantage, for while he may give us an impression fuller than that made by nature upon the eye, the photographer can deal only with that which is observed with such unerring fidelity and skill by a mechanical eye. Composition is therefore one of the necessary principles to the photographer, who thus supplies the mechanical eye with a mind, yet he must study lighting at different hours of the day and varying weather conditions that he may know the best effects to be obtained. Many otherwise successful photographers need to realize that scientific accuracy is not necessarily artistic truth, so that, while one actualizes, the definite sharpness may be softened and the effect enhanced.—Horne Magazine.

Wife Desertion Alarms.

So many Cincinnati wives have been deserted by their husbands of late that the city council has taken steps toward putting a check on such runaways. It has been found that mortgage loan sharks are contributing factors in a great many cases. A man's ability to mortgage his furniture without the knowledge of his wife is a strong temptation to husbands of weak will. An ordinance has been introduced making such mortgage of no avail unless they bear the signature of both husband and wife.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running ear or it is stuffed with a hardening secret or it is perfectly closed, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; also cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Depew Writes Reminiscences.

While Senator Chauncey M. Depew was enjoying his long rest at Ardsley-on-the-Hudson he did a good deal of work on his reminiscences. He is not sure that they will ever be published, his idea being that they might be of interest to his son. In his fifty years of public life Mr. Depew has known a great many prominent personages and his reminiscences can hardly fail to be exceedingly readable.

BOY'S HEAD ONE SOLID SORE.

Hair All Came Out—Under Doctor Three Months and No Better—Cuticura Works Wonders.

Mr. A. C. Barnett, proprietor of a general store in Avar, Oklahoma, tells in the following grateful letter how Cuticura cured his son of a terrible eczema. "My little boy had eczema. His head was one solid sore, all over his scalp; his hair all came out, and he suffered very much. I had a physician treat him, but at the end of three months he was no better. I remembered that the Cuticura Remedies had cured me, and after giving him two bottles of Cuticura, Resolvent, according to directions, and using Cuticura Soap and Ointment on him daily, his eczema left him, his hair grew again, and he has never had any eczema since. We use the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and they keep our skin soft and healthy. I cheerfully recommend the Cuticura Remedies for all cases of eczema. A. C. Barnett, Mar. 30, 1905."

To Represent Italy and Spain.

The two great Catholic countries of Europe, Italy and Spain, are sending new ambassadors to the court of St. James. The Marquis di San Giuliano, who will represent Italy, is comparatively a young man. He comes of an old Sicilian family of Norman descent, and is highly cultured, having traveled extensively with good results. He is an enthusiastic student of Dante, and is president of the Italian Geographical society. Senor Villa Urattia, the new Spanish ambassador, accompanied King Alfonso to London on the momentous occasion that ended in his engagement to Princess Ena, and won golden opinions for his tact and courtesy during that visit.

Sounded Praises of Soap.

In a guide to etiquette published early in the last century the writer says that "soap does not irritate the complexion; some of the finest complexions we have known have been regularly washed with soap every day." The same authority remarks that "the daily bath is now the rule rather than the exception, and common sense has triumphed over the decision that washing was injurious." And then the writer has a dig at her great-grandmother, "whose only ablutions consisted in wetting her cheeks with a cambric handkerchief dipped in rose-water." "In all our directions with regard to the bath," adds this early Victorian dictator, "it must be borne in mind that we only refer to those in sound state of health."

NEW YEAR'S CALLS.

A New Drink to Replace the Old-Time "Apple-Jack."

Twenty-five years ago the custom of making New Year's calls was a delightful one for all concerned, until some of the boys got more "egg-nog" or "apple-jack" than they could successfully carry.

Then the ladies tried to be charitable and the gentlemen tried to be as chivalrous as ever, and stand up at the same time.

If anyone thinks there has not been considerable improvement made in the last quarter of a century in the use of alcoholic beverages, let him stop to consider, among other things, the fact that the old custom of New Year's calls and the genteel tipping in nearly obsolete.

The custom of calling on one's friends, however, at the beginning of the new year, is a good habit, and another good habit to start at that time is the use of well-made Postum instead of coffee or spirits.

A Staten Island doctor has a sensible daughter who has set Postum before her guests as a good thing to drink at Yule Tide, and a good way to begin the New Year. Her father writes:

"My daughter and I have used Postum for some time past, and we feel sure it contains wholesome food material.

"I shall not only recommend it to my patients, but my daughter will be most pleased to give a demonstration of Postum to our Christmas and New Year's callers." Read "The Road to Wellville" in pkgs. "There's a reason."

WHO SHE WAS

SKETCH OF THE LIFE OF LYDIA E. PINKHAM

And a True Story of How the Vegetable Compound Had Its Birth and How the "Panic of '73" Caused it to be Offered for Public Sale in Drug Stores.

This remarkable woman, whose maiden name was Estes, was born in Lynn, Mass., February 9th, 1819, coming from a good old Quaker family. For some years she taught school, and became known as a woman of an alert



and investigating mind, an earnest seeker after knowledge, and above all, possessed of a wonderfully sympathetic nature.

In 1843 she married Isaac Pinkham, a builder and real estate operator, and their early married life was marked by prosperity and happiness. They had four children, three sons and a daughter.

In those good old-fashioned days it was common for mothers to make their own home medicines from roots and herbs, nature's own remedies—calling in a physician only in specially urgent cases. By tradition and wonderful knowledge of the curative properties of the various roots and herbs.

Mrs. Pinkham took a great interest in the study of roots and herbs, their characteristics and power over disease. She maintained that just as nature so bountifully provides in the harvest-fields and orchards vegetable foods of all kinds; so, if we but take the pains to find them, in the roots and herbs of the field there are remedies expressly designed to cure the various ills and weaknesses of the body, and it was her pleasure to search these out, and prepare simple and effective medicines for her own family and friends.

Chief of these was a rare combination of the choicest medicinal roots and herbs found best adapted for the cure of the ills and weaknesses peculiar to the female sex, and Lydia E. Pinkham's friends and neighbors learned that her compound relieved and cured and it became quite popular among them.

All this so far was done freely, without money and without price, as a labor of love.

But in 1873 the financial crisis struck Lynn. Its length and severity were too much for the large real estate interests or the Pinkham family, as this class of business suffered most from fearful depression, so when the Centennial year dawned it found their property swept away. Some other source of income had to be found.

At this point Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was made known to the world.

The three sons and the daughter, with their mother, combined forces to

restore the family fortune. They argued that the medicine which was so good for their woman friends and neighbors was equally good for the women of the whole world.

The Pinkhams had no money, and little credit. Their first laboratory was the kitchen, where roots and herbs were steeped on the stove, gradually filling a gross of bottles. Then came the question of selling it, for always before they had given it away freely. They hired a job-printer to run off some pamphlets setting forth the merits of the medicine, now called Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and these were distributed by the Pinkhams sons in Boston, New York, and Brooklyn.

The wonderful curative properties of the medicine were, to a great extent, self-advertising, for whoever used it recommended it to others, and the demand gradually increased.

In 1877, by combined efforts the family had saved enough money to commence newspaper advertising and from that time the growth and success of the enterprise were assured, until today Lydia E. Pinkham and her Vegetable Compound have become household words everywhere, and many tons of roots and herbs are used annually in its manufacture.

Lydia E. Pinkham herself did not live to see the great success of this work. She passed to her reward years ago, but not till she had provided means for continuing her work as effectively as she could have done it herself.

During her long and eventful experience she was ever methodical in her work and she was always careful to preserve a record of every case that came to her attention. The case of every sick woman who applied to her for advice—and there were thousands—received careful study, and the details, including symptoms, treatment and results were recorded for future reference, and to-day these records, together with hundreds of thousands made since, are available to sick women the world over, and represent a vast collaboration of information regarding the treatment of woman's ills, which for authenticity and accuracy can hardly be equaled in any library in the world.

With Lydia E. Pinkham worked her daughter-in-law, the present Mrs. Pinkham. She was carefully instructed in all her hard-won knowledge, and for years she assisted her in her vast correspondence.

To her hands naturally fell the direction of the work when its original passed away. For nearly twenty-five years she has continued it, and nothing in the work shows when the first Lydia E. Pinkham dropped her pen, and the present Mrs. Pinkham, now the mother of a large family, took it up. With women assistants, some as capable as herself, the present Mrs. Pinkham continues this great work, and probably from the office of no other person have so many women been advised how to regain health. Sick women, this advice is "Yours for Health" freely given if you only write to ask for it.

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Good Butter and Egg Market.
It is a dull market day in New York city when 5,000,000 eggs and 500,000 pounds of butter are not received.

Derivation of "Finance."
Many words of most august sound prove to be of quite commonplace ancestry when traced to their origin. "Finance" is really only "settling up." Literally, it is just "ending," and was formerly used in that very simple sense in the English language. Then it came to signify settling up with a creditor, and acquired the special sense of ransom.

Ohio's French Settlement.
One of the first settlements in Ohio was made by colonists who had no idea of overworking their muscles in the wilderness. The French dupes of an unscrupulous land company who founded Gallipolis, on the Ohio river, came to America expecting impossibilities, and they carried much of the gaiety of Paris into the forest.

Vatican Refuses Large Sums.
Italy, under the law of papal guarantees, would give \$800,000 a year to the pope, but Vatican financiers hesitate to accept this, partly from political reasons, partly because they feel it would discourage contributions from abroad.

Primitive Chinese Plows.
In northern China a perambulating village blacksmith goes about in the early spring making implements for the farmers. The plows differ in design in the various localities, and are only sufficient to scratch the surface of the soil.

Coat Made of Rabbits' Ears.
A coat which has been placed on exhibition in a London furrier's shop is made out of 1,200 rabbit ears, which have been sewed together in such a manner as to make a serviceable waterproof coat.

Give Up Indigo Cultivation.
In Java the planting of indigo is steadily decreasing by reason of the great increase in production of the synthetic article. Much of the land on which indigo has heretofore been cultivated has now been turned into sugar plantations.

Mommsen and Bacon.
Trinity college, Cambridge, possesses a famous portrait of Bacon. The other day when a party of visiting German editors viewed it, they were told how Dr. Mommsen, when it was pointed out to him, stood with folded arms in front of it, and observed: "So, it is you who gave us Lady Macbeth and Falstaff."

German Consular Service.
Germany's consular service consists of 126 professional consuls and 621 merchant consuls.

Record for Anchors.
The largest anchor ever made weighed 26,500 pounds, and cost nearly \$10,000.

Good Work Done by Women.
The city council of Birmingham, England, has increased the number of women health inspectors from four to 20, because of the excellent results achieved in the homes of the poor and in the factories. In the same city the policemen have been taught the principles of "first aid."

Future of Poultry Keeping.
The future of poultry keeping will be chiefly in the hands of "the intelligent farmer's intelligent daughter," according to the author of a recent English book on "Poultry Farming;" he declares also that poultry farming suffers from the drawback of not yet having been proved to pay.

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Siberian Bridal Custom.
In some parts of Siberia a bridegroom, on arriving home, commands his wife to take off his boots. In one is a whip and in the other a purse. The contents of the boot she first selects for removal presage whether he is to be generous or the reverse to her. A very kind husband will put a purse in each boot, and omit the whip, to make her believe that her choice is auspicious.

Remarkable Story, Anyhow.
From Seigeraville, Pa., comes perhaps the most remarkable potato story of the season, and, in connection, just as remarkable a chicken story. Several days ago, it is stated, a farmer of that vicinity, while working in a field, discovered a hen which was setting on several eggs. Investigation showed that the nest was nothing more nor less than a large potato which the fowl had pecked hollow, laid four eggs in and then began to hatch the eggs.

Much Shoe Leather Destroyed.
According to a circular made by a Broadway shoe dealer, who has a fondness for figures, there are 22 pairs of shoes worn out in New York city each minute.

Effect of Hard Thinking.
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Postmen as Debt Collectors.
A debt collecting agency which is run as a part of the regular public postal system is the newest "improvement" of the post office of Austria. Despite the novelty of the enterprise, the plan has worked admirably, so that many thousands are collected annually by the postmen throughout the Austrian empire.

Chances Gone for Ever.
People who were killed in automobile accidents would turn over in their graves if they knew of the lovely press notices that are being lavished on those who are risking their lives by going up in a balloon.—Washington Post.

Barber's Sign Long in Use.
The barber's sign was a striped pole as far back as 1650, the stripes around the pole being symbols of the bandages used in wrapping the arm or part from which the blood was to be let.

Bee Culture in Europe.
Germany is now the premier bee-country of Europe—1,410,000 hives, 20,000 tons of honey per year. Spain comes next, 1,590,000 hives, 19,000 tons of honey. Austria-Hungary has third place, 1,550,000 hives, 18,000 tons of honey. It is rather surprising to learn that France's annual production of honey is only 10,000 tons. From 30,000 bee hives Greece gets yearly 1,400 tons of honey; from 111,000 hives Russia gets but 900 tons.

Value of High Altitudes.
One of the chief advantages of resorts at great heights is that the air is so free from dust.

Singing Statesman.
Thomas Bent, the premier of Victoria, introduces songs in his speeches. A word or phrase strikes a chord of memory, recalls some half-forgotten melody and then the premier breaks forth into song. Replying to criticism, Mr. Bent says he never introduces songs of the present day, of which he has a very poor opinion.

Fiction and Real Life.
In the books, says a writer, when a girl marries and goes away her old room is left just as she left it, that she may come back to it at any time. Not so in real life; the other brothers and sisters have a quarrel as to which shall have her room the day her engagement is announced, and some one has moved in before the wedding party has reached the gate.

Use for Disused Tunnels.
That disused railway tunnels need not be a drug in the market is evidenced by the extensive and highly successful culture of mushrooms carried on in one of those somber passages in the vicinity of Edinburgh.

Growth of the Finger Nail.
For a finger nail to reach its full length, an average of seven-twelfths of an inch, from 121 to 138 days of growth are necessary.

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At the recent sale of the Paul Mery collection in Paris a terra cotta group by Clodion, 30 centimeters high representing a nymph with child of fering flowers, was sold for \$11,500. A terra cotta bas-relief by Clodion went for \$2,500. A Gobel's tapestry of the time of Louis XVI, representing the month of May and belonging to a famous series designed by L. J. B. brought \$12,800.

Salt and Epilepsy.
"Whenever we get a call to attend a case of epilepsy," said an ambulance surgeon at Bellevue, "we always find the patient's neck and face covered with salt. The efficiency of salt as a cure for epilepsy is evidently a relic of some old country superstition, though just what it is we've never been able to find out."—N. Y. Sun.

Birds Preserved in Peat.
"For long it puzzled me," Sir Douglas Brooke writes in Country Life, "to know what Irish poachers did with the birds they shot in July. There is no cold storage in the north of Ireland, but they have discovered an excellent substitute. The birds are buried four or five feet deep in the dry peat, and, I am told, come out perfectly fresh at the end of two or three weeks."

Stockholders Meeting.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Escanaba, Michigan, for the election of directors and voting on an amendment to the articles of association and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before it, will be held at its banking office in the City of Escanaba on Tuesday, January 8 1907, between the hours of 9:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m.

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Barbers and Surgeons.
In the fourteenth century the barber's craft was recognized as a profession, being allied to surgery. The barbers were confined, as to surgery, to the letting of blood and leeching, and the extraction of teeth, but the surgeons were prohibited from shaving the face.

Watchmakers Out of Date.
In New York city are about 700 signs that read "Watchmaker," and not a single one of them belongs to a watchmaker, and few that have them could make a watch, and if they could and did the watch would cost about \$100, while any of them can sell a better watch for \$20 that came from a great factory.

Government Elephants Dying.
An outbreak of anthrax has spread death among the government elephants in Katha district. Nearly 250 elephants, most of them highly trained and valuable, died within a few days of the outbreak, the loss being over £50,000.—Rangoon Cor. London Express.

A Hog of Parts.
Mr. Jones, of this city, tells us of a hog in Chatham county that had dismembered some time ago, and since then it has to breathe through its mouth. In order to do this easily the hog always carries a stick in its mouth in order to keep the mouth open comfortably, and except when eating can always be seen with the stick in his mouth.—Burlington (N. C.) News.

Teach Children Gardening.
A course which is designed to fit teachers to conduct children's gardens is presented in the summer school of the New York university. There are several gardens laid out for the use of pupils in and around New York city, but the authorities are at a loss to find men and women trained to conduct them. The phenomenal growth and success of this work in Philadelphia has led to an extension of school gardening in many cities.

Player Folk Live Long.
Dr. Clarke Russell collected many instances to prove the longevity of players. Wilks lived to 88; Mrs. Clive, Beard, Betterton and Reley to 75; Murphy, Jack Johnstone, King, Vining and Wallack to 78. Dowington reached 88; Colley Cliber, 86; Yates, 97; Macklin to some over 100. Mrs. Glover was 68; Garrick, 65; Harley, 72; Liston, 69; Pope and Quin, 73.

Spain's Money.
Although Spain is on the gold basis, gold is never seen there, the silver peseta being worth only about 15 cents, while the gold one is worth nearly 20. The silver and paper currency is ever changing, varying from 126 to 139 for gold pesetas during the last year.

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