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REPUBLICAN TICKET DESERVES SUPPORT

Candidates Named at Direct Primary are Worthy and Should be Voted for by Every Republican

The Republican ticket which is presented to the voters at the coming election is well worthy of support and no one will make any mistake by voting the ticket straight from Taft for president, down. As to the candidates on the national and state tickets, considerable has been said and the voters are by this time sufficiently informed of their merits.

The Republican county ticket has more than the ordinary claim upon the support of every Republican voter this year. They were nominated by a direct vote of the electors of the party instead of by the old time convention system. They are therefore the choice of the majority of the party voters. Naturally in the primaries there was a sharp rivalry among the candidates for the same office. Now that the ticket has been named, all that should be forgotten and every Republican should go to the polls and support the ticket that has been named, and in so doing endorse the system of direct nominations.

The men who have been chosen are good representative citizens and are well fitted for the various positions to which they aspire.

Peter Jensen

Peter Jensen, the nominee for representative, is a business man of this city, whose sound judgment and integrity fit him for this position. He is a man that the people can safely trust as his record as a member of the city council clearly shows.

Judd Yelland

In Judd Yelland, nominee for Judge of Probate, the Republican ticket offers a man who has the ability and character necessary to administer the affairs of the office in the best possible manner. Mr. Yelland made an exceptionally strong run in securing the nomination a fact that strongly attests to his popularity. He is an attorney, and for the past two terms has held the office of prosecuting attorney, a position which he has filled with credit.

Joseph J. Mallmann

Joseph J. Mallmann, nominee for treasurer, is a good man to keep in the treasurer's office. His record in the treasurer's office is unexcelled and he has proved a very valuable and efficient official. There is little question but that he will be elected by a large majority.

John A. Semer

John A. Semer, candidate for county clerk, is one of the most popular young men in the city. He was born and educated here and for the past several years has been employed by different lumber companies in this district. He is fully capable of handling the duties of the office.

Henry R. Dotsch

Henry R. Dotsch, Republican nominee for prosecuting attorney, is a rising young attorney of this city. He was born at Garden and secured his early

education in the schools there. In the face of many obstacles and discouragements, Mr. Dotsch fitted himself for the law and since moving to this city has carried on his profession with success. There is no opposition to his candidacy.



Judd Yelland
Candidate for Judge of Probate

Charles W. Malloch

Charles W. Malloch, nominee for register of deeds, is well known to the citizens of the county as an official of excellent ability. He has held the office of register of deeds for two terms and has filled the position in a very satisfactory manner. The voters will do well to continue him in this position.

Frank W. Aronson

Frank W. Aronson, Republican nominee for sheriff, is entitled to the support of Republicans at the coming election. Although the fight for the nomination for sheriff was more bitter than for the other positions, the primary differences should be forgotten and the voters of the party should unite in the support of all its candidates. Mr. Aronson has served one full term and the unexpired term of Richard Perow. He asks the usual courtesy of a second term, which will without doubt be accorded to him.

T. E. Strom and Chas. Gallup

For circuit court commissioners, two young attorneys of this city, Torval E. Strom and Chas. Gallup have been nominated. Both young men are well qualified for the positions and can be depended upon to discharge the duties of the offices with credit.

D. A. Brotherton

D. A. Brotherton, nominee for county surveyor, is one of the leading civil engineers of this section. He has no opposition.

Dr. P. C. Dube and L. O. Kirstine

For the offices of coroners Dr. P. C. Dube and L. O. Kirstine are the Republican nominees. Both men are well fitted for the places and are deserving of the support accorded to the rest of the ticket.

BANQUET WAS SUCCESS.

Naval Marines Give Impetus to Movement For Construction of Armory

At a banquet given by Lieut. Grant Stephenson to his fellow officers and members of the Escanaba division of the State Naval Militia, the movement which has been started for the construction of an armory received a great deal of favorable consideration and all the members of the division are now enthusiastically working for the project. The banquet was held at Hines' banquet rooms on Tuesday night, and in addition to the members of the company there were present J. C. Kirkpatrick, R. E. MacLean, W. R. Smith and George S. Young, recently of the U. S. navy.

The question of providing an armory was discussed at length and it was shown that the construction of such a building would be of benefit both to the city and to the local marine division. A strong effort will be made to interest the business men of the city in aiding the movement.

Hopkins Apprehended

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 25—Wallace H. Hopkins, formerly a stock broker of Chicago, was arrested here today at the instance of postoffice inspectors, on the charge of using the mail to defraud. Hopkins, it is charged, engaged in business under the name of The Hopkins company, at 181 La Salle street, Chicago, and claiming to be fiscal agent for the Consolidated Zinc company, announced that he represented a merger of mines in Wisconsin and Missouri. In that connection he is charged with sending printed matter through the mails, inviting the purchase of stock, in which it is alleged that he guaranteed to pay a minimum interest of 12 per cent per annum on the stock.



Frank W. Aronson
Candidate for Sheriff

FIRST GAME PLAYED

Local High School Foot Ball Team Defeats Gladstone Highs Last Saturday

The opening game of the interscholastic football series was played at Gladstone last Saturday and resulted in a victory for the local high school team in by a score of 17 to 0. While the game was decidedly Escanaba's, it was not without some credit for the Gladstone team and its supporters, for the Upper Bay boys held the Escanaba team without a score during the first half. During the first half the playing of the Escanaba team was ragged and was marked by considerable fumbling. The scores were made in the last 20 minutes of play.



Charles W. Malloch
Candidate for Register of Deeds

Voters in this city must register today in order to vote at the election on Tuesday.

VOTE FOR NEW CONSTITUTION

A Few Reasons Are Given By Atty. F. D. Mead For Its Support

IS AN IMPROVEMENT

Provides for Home Rules For Cities And Other Needed Reforms.

On next Tuesday the voters of Michigan will be given an opportunity to reject or place their stamp of approval upon the new constitution which on Jan. 1 of next year will go into effect, changing or modifying many of the laws of the state. Throughout the state there has grown up a general sentiment of approval of the work accomplished by the constitutional convention and it is believed that Delta county will give practically a unanimous vote for the adoption of the set of fundamental laws of the state.

Following is Mr. Mead's communication:

To the Editor—

Through the medium of your paper I wish to call the attention of your readers to the new constitution which is to be submitted to the electors at the next election, and to state briefly some of its advantages and to urge them not to forget to vote in favor of its adoption. I know of no party or interest opposed to it and it is predicted that it will be adopted by a large majority.

No one should vote against the revised Constitution simply because it does not contain some provision which they think ought to have been inserted. It should be carefully compared with the present constitution, and if this be done I think the advantages of the revised over the old constitution will be apparent.

The convention which unanimously adopted the revision was composed of ninety-six members elected from the entire state and representing many different interests. It therefore does not present the ideas of any one man or any one set of men. A constitution must lay down the principles of government broadly, justly and fairly so that the rights of all may be protected. It should not contain legislation which is liable to change from time to time and which it is the province of a legislature to consider. The old constitution under which we have lived for fifty-eight years was a very good one, and the convention in revising it sought to make no more changes than were necessary to adapt it to modern conditions. Among the changes which I will refer to briefly, the more important are:

(a) The State Census has been abolished. The old constitution authorized the taking of a state census every ten years. This is now absolutely unnecessary because the national government takes the census. The last state census cost the state about \$100,000 and was of very little use.

(b) Article VIII is the article which introduces perhaps the most important changes of any. It is entitled "Local Government," and deals with the government of counties, townships, cities and villages. It authorizes the appointment of a Board of jury commissioners in each county, whenever such law shall be adopted by the people of any county voting thereon. It permits larger counties to borrow one-tenth of one mill of the assessed valuation. Under the old constitution they could only borrow for the construction or repair of public buildings or bridges, \$1,000. It contains a new provision authorizing counties to appropriate moneys for the construction and maintenance of public and charitable hospitals, sanitariums or other institutions for the treatment of persons suffering from contagious or infectious diseases. It provides that all county poor houses shall be designated and maintained as county infirmaries. Townships are prohibited from granting any public utility franchise not subject to revocation by the will of the people, unless the proposition shall receive the affirmative vote of a majority of the electors of such township voting thereon at a regular or special election. A new scheme is provided for the government of cities and villages. It is commonly known as "Home Rule for Cities," the purpose being to permit the people of a city to adopt, amend and frame their own charters, subject however to certain restrictions in the constitution limiting indebtedness and the rate of taxation, and to such restrictions as may be imposed by the legislature by general law, and to give

them additional power in acquiring and operation of public utilities, giving cities of over 25,000 inhabitants, under certain restrictions, the power to own and operate transportation lines, thus avoiding the scandal which has attended so much of what is termed local legislation passed by the legislature.

(c) Another provision is in regard to the limiting of the legislature as to the passage of local acts. At the last session of the legislature nearly five hundred local and special bills were passed. It takes up a vast amount of time and results in a large expense to the people. The new constitution provides that the legislature shall pass no local or special act in any case where a general act can be made applicable. It also provides that no local or special act shall take effect until approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon in the district to be affected. It further provides that no bills shall be passed or become laws until they have been printed and in the possession of the house for at least five days, thus preventing hasty and careless legislation and preventing so-called snap legislation. Time is thus provided for the people to become acquainted with the proposed legislation and to petition for its passage or to oppose it. The pay of the members has been fixed at eight hundred dollars instead of a per diem as before. This is not exorbitant and should have the effect, together with the eliminating of local legislation, of decreasing the length of the sessions.

(d) Under the title "Finance and Taxation" the legislature is given additional power in regard to the assessment of public service corporations, including express and telephone companies. This covers the amendment which the last legislature passed and proposes to submit to the people separately. It will be of no value if the constitution is adopted as the new constitution covers the amendment, but it should be voted for and might be used in case the revision should fail of adoption. A new section is inserted prohibiting state money to be deposited in any bank in excess of fifty per cent of the capital and surplus of the bank, thus preventing a large deposit in any one bank as happened when the present State treasurer failed.

(e) The governor is given additional power. He has the power to veto items of appropriation bills so that he can veto them in part. This places on the governor larger responsibility for the expenditures of the state government. The salaries of state officers are increased. Important changes are made in the matter of education. The Superintendent of Public Instruction is made ex-officio a member of the Board of Regents of the University.

Lack of space prevents the prolonging of this article to any greater length. I wish, however, to call attention to the fact that the new constitution furnishes an improved method of amending the constitution. Amendments may be proposed by petitions exceeding twenty per cent of the total number of electors voting for secretary of state at the preceding election. These petitions are to be submitted to the legislature which has the power to veto them, but if approved the amendment is then submitted to the people.

In many other respects the revision is an improvement over the old con-



Joseph J. Mallmann
Candidate for County Treasurer

stitution and should certainly be adopted. Do not forget to vote for it. F. D. Mead.

ESCANABA TEAM UPHELD

U. P. Athletic Board Approves of Action of Local High School Foot Ball Team at Menominee

The action of the Escanaba high school foot ball team in refusing to meet Menominee two weeks ago because the management of the Menominee team endeavored to play ineligible players has received the approval of the Upper Peninsula athletic board and a decision giving the game to Escanaba by a score of 1 to 0 has been handed down by that board. According to the rules of the Upper Peninsula Association no post graduate students are allowed to play in championship games and it was this infraction of the rules that Escanaba complained of in respect to Menominee. Escanaba will meet Norway today at South park to determine which of the two teams will continue in the championship race.



Hon. O. B. Fuller
Candidate for Auditor General of Michigan

The fact that Hon. O. B. Fuller of Ford River has been accorded a place on the Republican state ticket is a matter in which Delta county voters should take pride. The office of auditor general is about the most important of the state offices outside of the governorship. Every voter should go to the polls on election day to make the majority in this county as large as possible, thereby showing the appreciation of the voters of the county in having one of our citizens honored.



Peter Jensen
Candidate for Representative in State Legislature



Henry R. Dotsch
Republican Candidate for Prosecuting Attorney

YOUNG'S RECORD

Congressman H. O. Young Tells of Work in House of Representative

Ishpeming, Mich., Oct. 13, 1908.

Editor Iron Port,

Escanaba, Mich.

Dear Sir:

The Democratic Convention, which convened at Ishpeming and nominated Mr. O'Brien for Congress, passed the following resolution:

"Confronted with the peculiar conditions of a Congressional Candidate seeking support from the voters of this district as the friend and supporter of the so-called 'Roosevelt Policies' when as a matter of fact he talked and voted against every measure before Congress in any sense inspired by or applicable of these policies, we appeal to the common sense of practical citizens, whether it is not time to stop further masquerading of this kind in the important affairs of the nation? 'The malefactors of wealth' will not be disturbed in their 'malefactions' by rehearsing this burlesque upon their representative government another two years."

Although my name is not mentioned the evident intent is to charge that I am seeking votes as a supporter of the so-called "Roosevelt Policies," while in fact I have spoken and voted against "Every measure before Congress in any sense inspired by or applicable of these policies." This statement is absolutely without any color of truth.

I fully appreciate the political exigence under which any Democratic Convention acts in this district and am not inclined to be overcautious as to its statements, but it cannot be deemed an unreasonable demand even of a Democratic Convention, that it should tell the truth. I may not be so deeply versed in Biblical lore as many, but I have yet to learn that when the Almighty, amid the thunders of Sinai, laid down the law "Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor," that He made any exception in favor of Democratic Conventions.

The following statement shows the pages of the Congressional Record where the vote upon the principal measures recommended by the President to Congress in his messages or commended by him in public utterance is recorded. Against none of these measures did I talk, and for each one of them I voted. In some cases there was no record vote, but in those cases where a record vote was taken, the record contains my statement as to my vote.

58th Congress.

H. R. 18588. The Esch-Townsend Pipe Bill. Yeas and nays taken. Young recorded as voting "aye." Page 2185.

59th Congress.

H. R. 12987. Hepburn Railroad Bill. Yeas and nays taken. Young voted "aye." Page 2207.

S. 88. Pure Food Law. Yeas and nays taken, Young voting "aye." Pages 9355 and 9356.

Meat Inspection Law. This appears on page 8993, adopted without division, Young voting "aye." Pages 9001-9981.

Diplomatic and Consular Bill. No division. Young voting "aye." Pages 4067-4566.

Federal Quarantine Bill. Yeas and nays ordered. Young voted "aye." Record page 4794.

S. 5769. Anti-Immunity Bath for Witnesses. Passed without division. Young voted "aye." Record pages 9115-9787.

S. 1442. Militia Bill. Passed without

division. Young voted "aye." Record page 8987.

H. R. 239. Employers' Liability Bill. Passed without division. Young voted "aye." Page 4717.

60th Congress

H. R. 21871. The Emergency Currency Bill. Yeas and nays taken. Young recorded as voting "aye." Record pages 6553 and 6636.

H. R. 21844. Bill for the remuneration of Federal Employees for injuries received in the course of their employment. Passed without division. Young voted "aye." Page 6684.

H. R. 20310. Employers' Liability Law. Yeas and nays taken. Young recorded as voting "aye." Record page 4507.

H. R. 16063. Child Labor Law. Yeas and nays taken. Young recorded as voting "aye." Record page 6265.

H. R. 20112. Publicity of Campaign Expenses. Yeas and nays taken. Young recorded as voting "aye." Page 7076.

Increased Mail pay to Ocean Steamships. Yeas and nays taken. Young recorded as voting "aye." Record page 7070.

S. 1424. Bill for Reorganization of the Medical Corps of the Army. Reported favorably from the Committee on Military Affairs by Young February 4th. Record page 1579. Called up by Young, debated and passed the house March 16, 1908 without a roll call, Young speaking therefor. Record pages 3520 to 3524. See also pages 3910, 4853 and 5178.

H. R. 17288. Military Appropriation Bill increasing pay of the Army passed the House without division Feb. 29th. Young voting therefor. Record pages 2812-6207.

The above citations furnish the means for verifying the truth of my statement as to my votes. Those who will take the pains to look up the record, will be in position to determine whether it be not time that an Ananias club was formed in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, and whether the gentlemen who framed the above resolution have not paramount claims to places in the very front row of charter members.

Yours truly,
H. O. YOUNG.

A Departure in Pittsburg.

Pittsburg bankers decide to have all their employes photographed and measured according to the Bertillon system. Might go a step further and have them handcuffed and chained to the desks and then locked up in the big safe at night.—New York Herald.

Daily Thought.

Do not let us wait to be just or pitiful or demonstrative toward those we love until they or we are struck down by illness or threatened with death. Life is short, and we have never too much time for gladdening hearts of those who are traveling the dark journey with us.—Amiel.

Has Residence Copyrighted.

F. N. Martin, a prominent man of Spokane, has had the plans of his new home, which is unique, copyrighted to prevent imitations. The place is on the order of a Swiss bungalow, and, as far as known, is the only copyrighted home on the coast.

Tombstone of Apostle.

In restoring the parish church at Fordington, Dorchester, England, there was found a slab of Purbeck marble with a Roman inscription on it that is supposed to be part of the tombstone of Aristobulus, the first recorded apostle to Britain and said to have been one of the 70 ordained by Christ.

Correspondence Letters

LATHROP

Loggers in this vicinity are preparing for the winter's work.

Robert Bridges and Napoleon Trombley were here from Rock Monday.

Con Lane sold a fine team of horses to Game Warden Hayward a few days ago. The consideration was \$550.

Deer licenses in the township of Maple Ridge can be had from E. B. Forsterling.

Joseph Sayen, Wallace Bridges and Mr. Billings of Rock, were up in an automobile a few days ago.

Dr. Colley of Trombley is kept busy here these days with his numerous patients.

The Joliet Bridge and Culvert Co. are about through with their work in this vicinity.

Mrs. E. B. Forsterling is very ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Connors of Turin are the proud parents of a 12-pound baby girl which arrived at their home this week.

Deputy Game Warden Hayward arrived in Lathrop today with a live deer in his possession, which he got over on the Beaver Branch. It appears that the fire drove the animal back from the fire line west of the river. He came to Booth's camp where he was captured and the game warden notified. Mr. Hayward is keeping the little fellow pending instructions for his disposal from the chief warden.

WOODLAWN ITEMS

Forest fires are still burning between camp 2 and Woodlawn.

Gust Soderling, who sold his farm to Mrs. Peterson has bought a farm in Danford Settlement.

G. W. Ferner shipped a car of potatoes to the Mashek Iron & Chemical Works this week.

John Kollman made a business trip to Escanaba Monday evening.

Work on the new county road has commenced. It will soon be cleared out from Cornell to Woodlawn.

Mrs. Charlebois spent a few days with Mrs. Alex Gorard at Charlebois camp this week.

John Anderson will move in George Graver's camp next week.

Andrew Schrader sold his farm to G. W. Ferner and will probably move back to Indiana in the spring.

John and Walter Schrader are busy digging potatoes. They expect 400 bushels of nice marketable potatoes.

Capt. Erving from Stonington was here visiting his brothers.

Walter Benthers of camp five returned to his old home in Alliance, Ohio.

Wm. Phillips went to Escanaba and Ford River on a business trip Wednesday.

Work Upward.

Syrus: If you wish to reach the highest, begin at the lowest.

Election Notice

Notice is hereby given to the electors of the City of Escanaba in the county of Delta and state of Michigan, that the next ensuing general election will be held on Tuesday, succeeding the first Monday of November next, being the third day of said month at the following named places in each ward to-wit:

1st ward:—City's building on Dousman Ave.

2nd ward:—Carnegie public Library building on Campbell street.

3rd ward:—City hall building on Mary street.

4th ward:—City's building on Charlotte street.

5th ward:—Basement of the Washington school annex on North Oak street.

6th ward:—City's building on South Sarah street.

7th ward:—City's building on Stephenson avenue.

At which election the following officers are to be chosen to-wit:

14 electors of President and Vice President of the United States.

Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, State Treasurer, Auditor General, Commissioner of State Land office, Attorney General, Superintendent of public instruction, Member of the state Board of Education, Justice of the supreme court to fill vacancy.

Representative in Congress, Twelfth Congressional District.

State Senator, Thirtieth Senatorial District.

Representative in state legislature Delta district.

COUNTY OFFICERS

Judge of Probate, Sheriff, Clerk, Register of Deeds, Treasurer full term, Treasurer to fill vacancy, Prosecuting attorney, two circuit court commissioners, two coroners, county surveyor.

There will also be submitted at the said election the following:

"The question of the adoption or rejection of the new constitution."

"The question of the adoption or rejection of the proposed amendment to section ten of article fourteen of the Constitution relative to the taxation of property by a state board of assessors."

BRAMPTON NEWS

Miss Emma Themel spent Saturday and Sunday with homefolks at Escanaba.

Mr. Orval Conger and sister Artie and Virginia Richard drove to Rapid River Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Oseen and son John drove to Escanaba Saturday night, returning Monday afternoon with a fine horse which he purchased while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tyrell entertained company from Escanaba Sunday.

Mr. W. E. Sibole is superintendent of the Brampton Union Sunday school, last Sunday being his first Sunday. Everybody is cordially invited to attend Sunday school at 2:30 o'clock.

Misses Virginia Richards and Artie Conger called on the Misses McGraw Monday afternoon.

Miss Margaret Dwyer stopped here on her way to school at Osier Sunday night.

Misses Frances Whitney and Kate Ansell of Perkins, drove to Brampton Sunday evening.

Harvey Dahn took in the farmers' institute at Perkins, Tuesday night.

Mr. Oseen drove to camp at Beaver, Wednesday.

Mrs. Richard and son Joe went to Escanaba Wednesday evening.

Misses Marie and Leone McGraw drove to Gladstone Saturday afternoon.

Mr. W. H. Wellsted attended the farmers' institute at Bark River Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason and Mrs. Barret of Gladstone, took supper with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sibole Wednesday evening of last week.

Mr. Albert Nordon of Perkins, was in town Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Bishop took dinner at E. DeGroff's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyrell and Mr. and Mrs. Hewlett spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. Dan Tyrell and daughter, Mrs. Bakey.

Master Lee Hoffman of Escanaba, spent Saturday and Sunday with Russell Conger.

FORD RIVER

Mr. W. H. Wright, an auditor has been spending a few days in our little city.

J. W. Smith has resigned his position as bookkeeper for the Ford River Lumber Co., and has turned the books over to Mr. J. A. Kennedy.

Quite a number attended the masquerade given at the hall Saturday evening.

Dated this 22nd day of October, 1908.

Escanaba, Mich.

T. J. BURKE,

City Clerk.

Notice of Special Assessment

To Henry Peterson, J. W. Staiger, Mrs. J. W. Staiger, F. E. Smith, March Polk, Stephen Hermes, Est., James Bacon, J. L. Lorj, Mrs. McNeillus, Mrs. Moser, Mrs. A. S. Rowell, Frank B. Fullmer, Mrs. Carrie Hedstein Est., Felix Salvail, Octave Trudell, Michael O'Neil, Dennis Harrington, Ed. Leduc, R. E. Morrell, John Corcoran Est., Mrs. Catherine English, Mrs. T. Thorsen, C. C. Royce, Wm. Doyle, Mrs. Anna Lapierre, Peter Budinger, Mrs. Anna Schuls Est., Mrs. M. Aird, Mrs. Peter Walsh, Mrs. Mary Derocher, Erick Oberg, Neil Gallagher, Mrs. Boda, and all other persons interested take notice: That the roll of the special assessment heretofore made by the Board of Special Assessors for the purpose of defraying that part of the cost which the Council decided should be paid and borne by special assessment for the cleaning of certain premises and removing certain nuisances therefrom, as more fully set forth and specified in the report of the City Scavenger referred to in the resolution of said Council passed October 8th, 1908, and also for putting into and in front of certain premises certain water pipes and water pipe extensions and also for laying and putting down certain cement sidewalks in front of certain premises, as more fully set forth and specified in the report of the City Street Commissioner referred to in the resolution of the Council passed October 8th, 1908, and in which said premises you to whom this notice is given are interested as owners or otherwise, is now on file in this office for public inspection.

Notice is also given, that the Council and Board of Special Assessors of the City of Escanaba, will meet at the Council room in said city on Tuesday, the 3rd day of November 1908, at 8 o'clock p. m. to review said assessment, and at which time and place opportunity will be given all persons interested to be heard.

THOS. J. BURKE,

City Clerk.
Dated Escanaba, Mich., Oct. 21st, 1908.

Boys and Girls

We will give a pair of **ROLLER SKATES** Free with every pair of children's shoes bought here.

ROLLER SKATES Free with every pair of girl's shoes amounting to \$1.75 or more.

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ESCANABA, MICHIGAN

DISCOURAGED MEN IS LIFE WORTH LIVING



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Peter Jensen, the nominee for representative, is a business man of this city, whose sound judgment and integrity fit him for this position. He is a man that the people can safely trust as his record as a member of the city council clearly shows.

Judd Yelland

In Judd Yelland, nominee for Judge of Probate, the Republican ticket offers a man who has the ability and character necessary to administer the affairs of the office in the best possible manner. Mr. Yelland made an exceptionally strong run in securing the nomination a fact that strongly attests to his popularity. He is an attorney, and for the past two terms has held the office of prosecuting attorney, a position which he has filled with credit.

Joseph J. Mallmann

Joseph J. Mallmann, nominee for treasurer, is a good man to keep in the treasurer's office. His record in the treasurer's office is unexcelled and he has proved a very valuable and efficient official. There is little question but that he will be elected by a large majority.

John A. Semer

John A. Semer, candidate for county clerk, is one of the most popular young men in the city. He was born and educated here and for the past several years has been employed by different lumber companies in this district. He is fully capable of handling the duties of the office.

Henry R. Dotsch

Henry R. Dotsch, Republican nominee for prosecuting attorney, is a rising young attorney of this city. He was born at Garden and secured his early

education in the schools there. In the face of many obstacles and discouragements, Mr. Dotsch fitted himself for the law and since moving to this city has carried on his profession with success. There is no opposition to his candidacy.



Judd Yelland
Candidate for Judge of Probate

Charles W. Malloch

Charles W. Malloch, nominee for register of deeds, is well known to the citizens of the county as an official of excellent ability. He has held the office of register of deeds for two terms and has filled the position in a very satisfactory manner. The voters will do well to continue him in this position.

Frank W. Aronson

Frank W. Aronson, Republican nominee for sheriff, is entitled to the support of Republicans at the coming election. Although the fight for the nomination for sheriff was more bitter than for the other positions, the primary differences should be forgotten and the voters of the party should unite in the support of all its candidates. Mr. Aronson has served one full term and the unexpired term of Richard Perow. He asks the usual courtesy of a second term, which will without doubt be accorded to him.

T. E. Strom and Chas. Gallup

For circuit court commissioners, two young attorneys of this city, Torval E. Strom and Chas. Gallup have been nominated. Both young men are well qualified for the positions and can be depended upon to discharge the duties of the offices with credit.

D. A. Brotherton

D. A. Brotherton, nominee for county surveyor, is one of the leading civil engineers of this section. He has no opposition.

Dr. P. C. Dube and L. O. Kirstine

For the offices of coroners Dr. P. C. Dube and L. O. Kirstine are the Republican nominees. Both men are well fitted for the places and are deserving of the support accorded to the rest of the ticket.



Peter Jensen
Candidate for Representative in State Legislature

BANQUET WAS SUCCESS.

Naval Marines Give Impetus to Movement For Construction of Armory

At a banquet given by Lieut. Grant Stephenson to his fellow officers and members of the Escanaba division of the State Naval Militia, the movement which has been started for the construction of an armory received a great deal of favorable consideration and all the members of the division are now enthusiastically working for the project. The banquet was held at Hines' banquet rooms on Tuesday night, and in addition to the members of the company there were present J. C. Kirkpatrick, R. E. MacLean, W. R. Smith and George S. Young, recently of the U. S. navy.

The question of providing an armory was discussed at length and it was shown that the construction of such a building would be of benefit both to the city and to the local marine division. A strong effort will be made to interest the business men of the city in aiding the movement.

Hopkins Apprehended

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 25—Wallace H. Hopkins, formerly a stock broker of Chicago, was arrested here today at the instance of postoffice inspectors, on the charge of using the mail to defraud. Hopkins, it is charged, engaged in business under the name of The Hopkins company, at 181 La Salle street, Chicago, and claiming to be fiscal agent for the Consolidated Zinc company, announced that he represented a merger of mines in Wisconsin and Missouri. In that connection he is charged with sending printed matter through the mails, inciting the purchase of stock, in which it is alleged that he guaranteed to pay a minimum interest of 12 per cent per annum on the stock.



Frank W. Aronson
Candidate for Sheriff

FIRST GAME PLAYED

Local High School Foot Ball Team Defeats Gladstone High Last Saturday

The opening game of the interscholastic football series was played at Gladstone last Saturday and resulted in a victory for the local high school team in a score of 17 to 0. While the game was decidedly Escanaba's, it was not without some credit for the Gladstone team and its supporters, for the Upper Bay boys held the Escanaba team without a score during the first half. During the first half the playing of the Escanaba team was ragged and was marked by considerable fumbling. The scores were made in the last 20 minutes of play.



Charles W. Malloch
Candidate for Register of Deeds

Voters in this city must register today in order to vote at the election on Tuesday.

VOTE FOR NEW CONSTITUTION

A Few Reasons Are Given By Atty. F. D. Mead For Its Support

IS AN IMPROVEMENT

Provides for Home Rules For Cities And Other Needed Reforms.

On next Tuesday the voters of Michigan will be given an opportunity to reject or place their stamp of approval upon the new constitution which on Jan. 1 of next year will go into effect, changing or modifying many of the laws of the state. Throughout the state there has grown up a general sentiment of approval of the work accomplished by the constitutional convention and it is believed that Delta county will give practically a unanimous vote for the adoption of the set of fundamental laws of the state.

Following is Mr. Mead's communication:

To the Editor—
Through the medium of your paper I wish to call the attention of your readers to the new constitution which is to be submitted to the electors at the next election, and to state briefly some of its advantages and to urge them not to forget to vote in favor of its adoption. I know of no party or interest opposed to it and it is predicted that it will be adopted by a large majority.

No one should vote against the revised Constitution simply because it does not contain some provision which they think ought to have been inserted. It should be carefully compared with the present constitution, and if this be done I think the advantages of the revised over the old constitution will be apparent.

The convention which unanimously adopted the revision was composed of ninety-six members elected from the entire state and representing many different interests. It therefore does not present the ideas of any one man or any one set of men. A constitution must lay down the principles of government broadly, justly and fairly so that the rights of all may be protected. It should not contain legislation which is liable to change from time to time and which it is the province of a legislature to consider. The old constitution under which we have lived for fifty-eight years was a very good one, and the convention in revising it sought to make no more changes than were necessary to adapt it to modern conditions. Among the changes which I will refer to briefly, the more important are:

(a) The State Census has been abolished. The old constitution authorized the taking of a state census every ten years. This is now absolutely unnecessary because the national government takes the census. The last state census cost the state about \$100,000 and was of very little use.

(b) Article VIII is the article which introduces perhaps the most important changes of any. It is entitled "Local Government," and deals with the government of counties, townships, cities and villages. It authorizes the appointment of a Board of jury commissioners in each county, whenever such law shall be adopted by the people of any county voting thereon. It permits larger counties to borrow one-tenth of one mill of the assessed valuation. Under the old constitution they could only borrow for the construction or repair of public buildings or bridges, \$1,000. It contains a new provision authorizing counties to appropriate moneys for the construction and maintenance of public and charitable hospitals, sanatoria or other institutions for the treatment of persons suffering from contagious or infectious diseases. It provides that all county poor houses shall be designated and maintained as county infirmaries. Townships are prohibited from granting any public utility franchise not subject to revocation by the will of the people, unless the proposition shall receive the affirmative vote of a majority of the electors of such township voting thereon at a regular or special election. A new scheme is provided for the government of cities and villages. It is commonly known as "Home Rule for Cities," the purpose being to permit the people of a city to adopt, amend and frame their own charters, subject however to certain restrictions in the constitution limiting indebtedness and the rate of taxation, and to such restrictions as may be imposed by the legislature by general law, and to give

them additional power in acquiring and operation of public utilities, giving cities of over 25,000 inhabitants, under certain restrictions, the power to own and operate transportation lines, thus avoiding the scandal which has attended so much of what is termed local legislation passed by the legislature.

(c) Another provision is in regard to the limiting of the legislature as to the passage of local acts. At the last session of the legislature nearly five hundred local and special bills were passed. It takes up a vast amount of time and results in a large expense to the people. The new constitution provides that the legislature shall pass no local or special act in any case where a general act can be made applicable. It also provides that no local or special act shall take effect until approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon in the district to be affected. It further provides that no bills shall be passed or become laws until they have been printed and in the possession of the house for at least five days, thus preventing hasty and careless legislation and preventing so-called snap legislation. Time is thus provided for the people to become acquainted with the proposed legislation and to petition for its passage or to oppose it. The pay of the members has been fixed at eight hundred dollars instead of a per diem as before. This is not exorbitant and should have the effect, together with the eliminating of local legislation, of decreasing the length of the sessions.

(d) Under the title "Finance and Taxation" the legislature is given additional power in regard to the assessment of public service corporations, including express and telephone companies. This covers the amendment which the last legislature passed and proposes to submit to the people separately. It will be of no value if the constitution is adopted as the new constitution covers the amendment, but it should be voted for and might be used in case the revision should fail of adoption. A new section is inserted prohibiting state money to be deposited in any bank in excess of fifty per cent of the capital and surplus of the bank, thus preventing a large deposit in any one bank as happened when the present State treasurer failed.

(e) The governor is given additional power. He has the power to veto items of appropriation bills so that he can veto them in part. This places on the governor larger responsibility for the expenditures of the state government.

The salaries of state officers are increased. Important changes are made in the matter of education. The Superintendent of Public Instruction is made ex-officio a member of the Board of Regents of the University.

Lack of space prevents the prolonging of this article to any greater length. I wish, however, to call attention to the fact that the new constitution furnishes an improved method of amending the constitution. Amendments may be proposed by petitions exceeding twenty per cent of the total number of electors voting for secretary of state at the preceding election. These petitions are to be submitted to the legislature which has the power to veto them, but if approved the amendment is then submitted to the people.

In many other respects the revision is an improvement over the old con-



Joseph J. Mallmann
Candidate for County Treasurer

stitution and should certainly be adopted. Do not forget to vote for it. F. D. Mead.

ESCANABA TEAM UPHELD

U. P. Athletic Board Approves of Action of Local High School Foot Ball Team at Menominee

The action of the Escanaba high school foot ball team in refusing to meet Menominee two weeks ago because the management of the Menominee team endeavored to play ineligible players has received the approval of the Upper Peninsula athletic board and a decision giving the game to Escanaba by a score of 1 to 0 has been handed down by that board. According to the rules of the Upper Peninsula Association no post graduate students are allowed to play in championship games and it was this infraction of the rules that Escanaba complained of in respect to Menominee. Escanaba will meet Norway today at South park to determine which of the two teams will continue in the championship race.



Hon. O. B. Fuller
Candidate for Auditor General of Michigan

The fact that Hon. O. B. Fuller of Ford River has been accorded a place on the Republican state ticket is a matter in which Delta county voters should take pride. The office of auditor general is about the most important of the state offices outside of the governorship. Every voter should go to the polls on election day to make the majority in this county as large as possible, thereby showing the appreciation of the voters of the county in having one of our citizens honored.



Henry R. Dotsch
Republican Candidate for Prosecuting Attorney

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BRIEF REVIEW OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS OF THE PAST WEEK TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

ROUND ABOUT WORLD

Information Gathered from All Quarters of the Civilized World and Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man.

PERSONAL

Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, well known as an author, announced at Toledo that he would resign the rectorship of the Trinity Episcopal church in that city and accept a call to Kansas City because the Trinity church is incorporated under the state law and so places the rector in an unusual position.

Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst of New York has resigned the presidency of the Society for the Prevention of Crime, an office which he has held for 17 years.

Miss Neeloo Garner, who sued Arthur B. Buzzell, a bank employe of Dixon, Ill., for \$10,000, alleging breach of promise, was awarded a verdict for \$900 by a jury.

Setting up the plea of the "unwritten law," Mrs. Nancy Murrill was acquitted of a charge of murdering Miss Mary Terry, in the circuit court at Jackson, Ky.

Richard La Gallienne, the journalist and author, is seriously ill in a private sanitarium at New York, suffering from double pneumonia and jaundice.

For bravery in rescuing two wounded comrades in Philippine service, Sergt. Seth T. Weld, now stationed at Camp Atascadero, Cal., has been appointed second lieutenant of the Philippine scouts.

Broughton Brandenburg, the alleged author of the Cleveland letter, in which the ex-president was made to favor the election of Taft in preference to Bryan, was arrested at Dayton, O., on charges of forgery and grand larceny.

BULGARIAN SITUATION.

The Y. M. C. A. building at South Bend, Ind., erected by Stud-baker Brothers Manufacturing Company at a cost of \$250,000, was dedicated and formally given over to the association. Vice-president Charles W. Fairbanks made the principal address.

The Atlantic fleet sailed from Yokohama, one squadron heading for Manila and the other for Amoy, where preparations for its entertainment were made.

Lon Sealey, a cowboy in a wild west show, and a policeman killed each other at Gulfport, Miss.

Albert V. Wesner, foreman in charge of pipe-fitters at the Standard Oil plant in Sugar Creek, Mo., was arrested on a capias for buying votes at the August primaries.

A dispatch to the London Daily News from Belgrade says the Serbian government has called out all the first reserves and has ordered khaki for the troops, 300 Maxim guns and 400 military automobiles.

Hugo Albert and Rudolph Donnerstag, alleged counterfeiters, broke jail at Madison, Wis.

Troops arrested more than 50 alleged night riders at Reelfoot Lake, Tenn., where Capt. Quentin Rankin was murdered.

George Robertson, in a 120-horse power Locomobile, an American-made machine, won the fourth Vanderbilt automobile cup race on the new Motor Parkway on Long Island and at the same time created a new American record for long distance automobile contests, covering the 258.6 miles in four hours, 48.15 seconds.

Silas C. McFarland of Iowa, consul-general-at-large for the European district, shot and killed himself on a railroad train in Germany because of ill health.

In a desperate fight near Iragan, island of Mindanao, nine Filipino laborers and their superintendent, also a native, were killed by marauders, and four other natives were wounded.

Miss Katherine C. Harley of the Fall River (Mass.) Golf club won the woman's national golf championship at the Chevy Chase tournament.

Maj. Harry Benson has been appointed superintendent of Yellowstone park, to succeed Gen. S. M. Young.

Maj. Edward Murphy Robinson, prominent at the bar and in politics in Mobile, Ala., committed suicide by blowing out his brains.

Cracksmen raided the state bank at Heartwell, Kearney county, Nebraska, and secured \$3,400.

Torrential rains caused serious floods in San Salvador, Guatemala and Honduras.

A grand jury at Coalgate, Okla., exonerated the officials of the Bank of Coalgate and recommended the removal of H. H. Smock, the examiner who had closed the bank.

The Carnegie Hero Fund Commission awarded medals to 48 persons for acts of bravery and gave about \$40,000 cash to some of them.

The officers of the American battle-ship were entertained at a fine dinner and ball by Premier Katsura at his residence in Tokyo.

Sugar Island, Mich., was reported on fire from end to end. Near Detroit several towns were surrounded by forest fire.

Fires in Vincennes, Ind., destroyed the grain elevators of Bartlett, Kuhn & Co. and the plant of the Empire Paper Company.

Two sisters, aged 12 and six years, are accused of a long series of robberies at Beverly, Mass.

Two men were killed and five injured, one fatally, in a wreck of a gasoline speeder on the Newton & Northwestern road near Gowrie, Ia.

Emperor William's fourth son, Prince August William of Prussia, and Princess Alexandra Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein were wedded in the chapel of the imperial palace at Berlin.

The series of brilliant functions which characterized Japan's reception of the American battleship fleet came to a close at Yokohama with a dinner on board the battleship Fujii.

A magnificent hospital, built by the Japanese government, was formally opened in Seoul, Korea. It is one of the finest institutions in the far east and includes a school of medicine.

A special dispatch to Paris from Constantinople says that negotiations between Austria-Hungary and Turkey have been definitely broken off, the porte refusing to accept the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina as an accomplished fact.

F. S. Beave of Plaquemine, La., shot and killed Prof. Fred Van Ingen on a train in Louisiana and tried to shoot Mrs. Van Ingen. The Van Ingens were on their bridal tour and the murderer had been a suitor for the young woman's hand.

Charged with fomenting a revolution on United States soil against a friendly nation, Preciliano G. Silva and Leocantio Trevino were found guilty by a jury in the United States court at El Paso, Tex.

Speaker Cannon was specifically condemned in a clause in the resolutions which were passed at the final day's session of the Illinois State Federation of Labor at Peoria.

The reconstructed Zeppelin dirigible airship No. 1 made a triumphal re-appearance and ascension with ten passengers.

The National Woman's Christian Temperance union began its thirty-fifth annual convention at the Auditorium at Denver.

After a quarrel with his wife Charles Smith, an aged farmer of Poseyville, Mich., shot and killed William Duchan, a neighbor, at whose home Mrs. Smith had taken refuge, and then committed suicide.

A disastrous hurricane swept the coast of Nicaragua, destroying the towns of Rio Grande and Prinzapuka, and doing considerable damage in the interior. There was much loss of life.

Secretary Root refused to issue a warrant of extradition sought for by Russia in the case of Jan Janoff Pouner, a political refugee.

Peter Marsolin, 18 years old, of Crawford, N. Y., who received \$250 for walking half way across the continent recently, was struck by lightning and killed near Lawrence, Mass.

Joe James, colored, was hanged at Springfield, Ill., for the murder of C. A. Ballard on July 3, last. The crime, to which James confessed, was largely the cause of the bloody race riots in Springfield.

Many thousands of citizens of Tokyo marched in a lantern parade in honor of the officers of the American fleet, the demonstration being one of the most remarkable ever witnessed in any country.

The Italian cruiser Fieramosca has been ordered to await the duke of the Abruzzi at New York, whither the cruiser Etruria also will be dispatched.

It is understood that the two warships will escort the duke and his bride to Italy. Mr. Elkins is to be given the title of chevalier of Annunziata.

Maurice Tannenholz, a New York jeweler, was robbed of two diamond earrings and fatally shot by the thief.

Mayor Tom Johnson and the three-cent street car fare suffered a crushing blow, when the franchise under which the Municipal Traction Company is operating the local street railway lines on the low-fare basis, was defeated by a majority of 879 in the referendum.

Train service and business in the northwest were demoralized by a severe snowstorm and blizzard.

The supreme court of Nebraska sustained the legality of the Nebraska blue laws forbidding all Sunday business transactions.

Seventeen of the women suffragists who were arrested in London during the "storming" of the house of commons were sentenced to terms of imprisonment varying from three weeks to three months.

Benjamin F. Gilbert, aged 18 years, was found guilty at Norfolk, Va., of murder in the first degree for killing his sweetheart, Miss Amanda Morse.

Miss Lucile Mulhall, known as "Oklahoma's Cowgirl," and Martin Van Buren, a vaudeville singer, were secretly married in Brooklyn, N. Y., September 14, 1907, according to announcements made in Topeka, Kan., by the couple.

The timely intervention of a physician who was not satisfied with the appearance of the body prevented the burial alive of Mrs. Thomas Chapman, wife of one of the best-known citizens of Ellis, Kan.

John W. Kern, Democratic vice-presidential candidate, was called home from his campaign tour by the serious illness of his little son in Indianapolis.

By the terms of the will of Gregory Koering, filed in probate court at St. Paul, Minn., \$19,000 is left in trust to pay for masses to be held in the Catholic church.

News Notes from Lansing

Interesting Happenings at the State Capital of Michigan.

Lansing.—The following abstract of reports of condition of the 344 state banks and six trust companies in the state of Michigan, for the period ending September 23, 1908, was issued by the commissioner of banking, H. M. Zimmerman:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$ 99,104,274.09
Bonds, mortgages and securities	30,720,547.96
Real estate	50,014,627.33
Premiums paid on bonds	120,564.36
Overdrafts	26,700.52
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	4,922,494.38
Other real estate	1,357,430.11
Due from other banks and bankers	117,114.04
Items in transit	1,034,570.39
United States bonds	589,520.00
Due from banks in reserve cities	28,007,682.24
Exchanges for clearing houses	833,618.39
U. S. and national bank currency	7,255,531.50
Gold coin	5,030,610.39
Silver deposits	801,467.67
Nicks and bills	95,524.61
Checks, cash items, etc.	277,547.39
Total	\$244,157,694.73

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 21,511,820.00
Undivided profits, net	16,720,547.96
Dividends unpaid	4,498,191.43
Commercial deposits subject to withdrawal	11,352.59
Commercial deposits subject to withdrawal	\$1,281,196.40
Commercial certificates of deposit	13,182,463.11
Certified checks outstanding	198,171.12
Cashiers' checks outstanding	165,208.28
Savings deposits	194,217,790.11
Savings certificates of deposit	31,572,682.80
Notes and bills rediscounted	149,236.83
Bills payable	250,675.85
Total	\$244,157,694.73

The last report of Michigan state banks made to the department was July 15, 1908, and the above abstract shows the following changes in the items mentioned when compared with said report of July 15, 1908:

Loans, discounts, bonds, mortgages and securities (increase)	\$1,586,826.65
Commercial deposits (decrease)	\$ 678,557.00
Savings deposits (increase)	\$ 1,256,289.00
Net increase in deposits	\$ 777,558.65

The legal reserve of Michigan state banks as shown by the above abstract amounts to \$43,213,952.21, equaling a reserve of 20.8 per cent. of the total deposits.

The cash reserve of Michigan state banks as shown above amounts to \$14,016,749.87, constituting a cash reserve of 6.7 per cent.

Republican Row in Supreme Court.

A row in the Republican convention in the Mackinac representative district has reached the supreme court, an order having been issued directing the boards of election commissioners in Alger, Luce, Schoolcraft and Mackinac counties to either place the name of William R. Burns on the official ballot as the candidate for representative, or show cause why they should not be compelled to do so. The convention which nominated Burns broke up in a row. Six delegates made the nomination and five withdrew and held a rump convention, nominating Edward McManama. The court seems to recognize the regularity of Burns' nomination.

I. O. O. F.'s Gain is 765.

The state Rebekah assembly meeting in conjunction with the Odd Fellows' grand lodge, listened to interesting reports. Thirteen new lodges have been instituted during the year, nine have been resuscitated, and 23 have surrendered their charters. This makes a net loss of one lodge during the year. The number is now 379. In spite of the fact that many charters have been taken up there has been an increase in membership, a gain of 765 being reported during the first six months of the year. There is now \$2,549.61 on hand in the assembly fund, and \$1,082.66 in the home fund.

As to Voting Machines.

An attorney in an interior city having held recently that it is unlawful to use more than one voting machine in an election precinct, Deputy Attorney General Chase was asked concerning the law as many towns and cities are interested. He declared that there can be no objection to the use of two voting machines in a precinct. The department has held, however, that part of the voters of a precinct may not use the machines in a city. To answer the purposes of the election they should be used in certain precincts and ballots used in the remaining precincts.

Disputed State Boundary.

Attorney General Bird and Prof. Davis of the state university went to the upper peninsula to make final investigation of the Wisconsin and Michigan boundary line preparatory to the submission of a report to the next legislature. The attorney general will submit all the facts in relation to the boundary line question, and the legislature will decide whether an action shall be brought in the United States courts to restore the original boundary.

Would Secure Temple.

A proposition was made to the grand lodge of Odd Fellows by the city of Battle Creek which is desirous of securing the permanent headquarters of the fraternity. It was proposed to erect a temple at a cost of \$50,000, with accommodations for the grand lodge officers, and large assembly rooms for the Odd Fellows and Rebekah lodge on condition that the grand lodge contributes \$25,000 or one-half the cost of the building. The proposition was referred to a committee.

Baptists Elect State Officers.

Officers were elected by the state Baptist convention. L. A. Sharp of Alma was re-elected president and Rev. George H. Wald of Royal Oak was chosen for the seventh time as secretary. N. B. Ackley of Detroit was elected treasurer, succeeding Prof. W. W. Beeman of Ann Arbor, who has filled the office for 15 years. The vice-presidents are: Jasper C. Gates, Detroit; Dr. A. W. Wisbart, Grand Rapids; Rev. Ira Smith, Sault Ste. Marie; Dr. E. A. Chapman, Saginaw; Smith G. Young, Lansing; T. T. Leete, Jr., of Detroit, was elected auditor and a board of directors was chosen. Alpena was selected as the place for holding the next meeting. The treasurer's report shows that there is on hand \$2,873.26. Of this sum, \$461.83 is credited to the book fund, \$122.23 to the ministerial educational fund, \$132.98 to the state mission fund, and \$2,156.22 to permanent funds. The sum of \$17,948.04 was disbursed during the year, \$16,959.13 being paid to missions. At the home missionary meeting the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. William A. Moore, Detroit; vice-presidents, Mrs. W. H. Dorrance, Detroit; Mrs. J. A. Warren, Adrian; Mrs. F. R. Olmstead, Kalamazoo; Mrs. M. E. Cooley, Ann Arbor; Mrs. Hughes, Traverse City; corresponding secretary, Miss Florence E. Grant, Detroit; associate corresponding secretary, Miss M. L. Heaton, Detroit; recording secretary, Mrs. W. P. Fikes, Detroit; treasurer, state expense fund, Mrs. David Thompson, Detroit. "There are now 83 missionaries, nearly all underpaid, at work in Michigan," said Rev. H. R. Chapman of Saginaw, in making his report on mission work. "There has been a slight increase in the extent of the work and a large amount of effort has been put forth."

Michigan Heroes Rewarded.

Michigan heroes received medal awards from the Carnegie hero fund commission at its session in Pittsburg, Pa. The Michigan residents to be honored are:

- Pablo G. Plummer, Lansing, who received a silver medal, \$500 disability benefit, and \$1,000 to pay debts.
- Edward A. Bilber, Lansing, who receives a bronze medal and \$2,000 for educational purposes.
- Erwin J. Boller, Manchester, bronze medal and \$2,000 for education.
- Jesse W. Jensen, Oak Hill, bronze medal and \$1,000 for home.
- Ward W. Bennett, Glenhaven, silver medal, \$1,000 toward home.
- Frederick Heiser, Hessel, silver medal and \$250 disability benefit.
- Eliert W. Gibson, Riverdale, silver medal and \$250 a month to his widow and five dollars a month for each minor child.
- August S. Bitter, Brainerd, silver medal and \$25 a month to his widow and five dollars a month for each minor child.

Game Warden Can Do But Little.

Reports received by Forestry Warden Pierce indicate the fire situation was better in all of the counties of the north except Iron and Gogebic. Sportsmen in the state were much perturbed at the possibility that game may be driven by the fire into settled counties and slaughtered. Game Warden Pierce has been asked whether he can give aid under the circumstances, but there is little assistance he can render, acting under present provisions of the law. Reports indicate that birds and deer have stayed right in the district burned over. In Arenac county the fire drove 11 big bears out of a swamp and they fell on a herd of sheep and killed 60 before they were driven off or shot.

Wiest Refuses Sausage Injunction.

Judge Wiest of the Ingham circuit court in a decision refused the injunction asked for by Armour & Co. to restrain the state pure food department from interfering with the sale of their sausage in Michigan. The state held that cereals and water used in sausage were an adulteration, which contention the company denied, claiming it was necessary to use them to perfect the product. The court says that sausage means meat and that cereals and water are adulterants, added with an evident intent to cheat. He said that if sold as pure food product the act perpetrates a fraud, violates the law and would soon drive honest dealers out of the market.

Morgan & Co. Give \$1,000.

It was announced that J. Pierpont Morgan & Co. of New York had given \$1,000 to the fire sufferers. Two more cars of material went forward from Grand Rapids and Secretary VanAlstus of the Grand Rapids board of trade, who returned home from a survey of the burned district, gave information as to just what was needed in the way of relief. Considerable money has been collected.

Has Much Work on Hand.

Owing to the great amount of work that the supreme court has on hand, the members are anxious that the successor to Justice Carpenter should assume his duties just as soon as the state canvassing board finishes its work, which will not be later than November 15. This is taken to mean that Judge Brooks of Detroit, if elected, will be asked to come to Lansing as soon as possible after the election. It is taken for granted here that Attorney James O. Murfin of Detroit will be appointed by Gov. Warner.

NIGHT RIDERS BOLD

TWO APPEAR IN DAYLIGHT NEAR TOWN OF OBION, TENN.

CLOSE TO SOLDIERS' CAMP

Farmer's Wife Forced to Cook for One Ruffian—Threats Against Trenton—More Arrests Are Made.

Obion, Tenn.—Masked riders made their appearance at two points within three miles of Obion in broad daylight Monday. Obion is 15 miles from the soldiers' camp.

Early in the day a roughly-dressed white man, wearing a mask, appeared at the home of George Beard, on the L. A. Ward farm, and demanded breakfast of Mrs. Beard. Being informed that no food was prepared, he ordered Mrs. Beard to cook breakfast and call him from the woods nearby when it was ready. Mrs. Beard complied. The intruder ordered Mrs. Beard to enter another room while he ate, in order that he might remove his mask.

Two hours later, while Will Brown of Obion was driving, at a point about three miles from the Beard home he was confronted suddenly by a masked man who stepped from the bushes and ordered him to halt.

"What is your name, where have you been, where are you going, what is your business?" demanded the night rider.

Receiving apparently satisfactory replies, the man ordered Brown to proceed.

Union City, Tenn.—Dr. T. J. Hoppel of Trenton, who is here, says an unsigned letter was found on the stairs to his office Sunday which contained many threats against Trenton. The letter was full of profanity and declared it was proposed to give Trenton hell, and to make way with the men and women, white and negroes. The letter said the town would be visited the last of this month, and that the people would soon be "drinking water in hell." On the back was the picture of a horse and rider.

Camp Nemo, Reelfoot Lake, Tenn.—Fourteen more prisoners were brought into camp Monday in connection with the recent night rider outrages in this section.

ARRESTS FOR JURY BRIBING.

Sequel to an Alienation Suit at Laporte, Ind.

Laporte, Ind.—As a sequel to the disagreement of a jury in a suit for \$5,000 damages for a curious case of alienation of affections, brought by Stephen Jaunovitch against the parents and the brothers and a sister of his wife, and tried last week in the Laporte circuit court, Gustave and George Stevens, brothers of Mrs. Jaunovitch, were arrested Monday for alleged jury bribing, and William Bell, bartender, and William Blakeman, former city policeman, were arrested on a charge of accepting bribes. All were placed under \$5,000 bonds. Bell and Blakeman were released at night on bonds.

SAY HATFIELD ISN'T DUNHAM.

San Jose, Cal.—"That is not Dunham," exclaimed ex-Sheriff George Y. Bollinger Monday as he entered the cell occupied by William Hatfield, the Dunham suspect who arrived here Sunday night from Sherman, Tex., in custody of Sheriff Langford.

Hatfield had a stream of visitors during the forenoon, several of whom had known Dunham more or less, and all of them were of one opinion, that the prisoner was not Dunham.

ADMITS PART IN MURDER.

Kansas City Prisoner Confesses to Helping to Kill a Shoemaker.

Kansas City, Mo.—Thaddeus Diner, arrested with Edward Cassidy on suspicion of being one of the assassins of Nathan Bassin, a shoemaker, who was killed in his shop Saturday night, Monday confessed his implication in the crime. Diner said he and Cassidy had planned to scare Bassin out of his shop and then steal some shoes, and that they had no intention of killing him when they entered the shop.

Big Fire at St. Johns, N. F.

St. Johns, N. F.—Blair, Gordon & Co.'s block, a wharf and two vessels were destroyed by fire Monday. The block was occupied by the owners and by a number of other mercantile houses. The total loss is estimated at \$500,000.

H. A. Butters, Capitalist, Dies.

Berkely, Cal.—Henry A. Butters, president of the Northern Electric Railway Company, died here Monday. Mr. Butters was widely known as a mining man and capitalist.

Registration in Omaha.

Omaha, Neb.—Registration returns this year in Omaha became public Monday. It is shown that 13,282 voters declared themselves Republicans; 8,969 Democrats, while 1,214 were divided among other parties and those who declined to state their political preferences, the total registration being 23,465. This is a gain of 2,034 over 1904. As compared with four years ago the Republican registration shows a falling off of 263, while there is a gain of 3,897 for the Democrats. The registration in South Omaha is 5,185.

PERUNA A TONIC OF GREAT USEFULNESS.



HON. R. S. THARIN.

Hon. R. S. Tharin, Attorney at Law and counsel for Anti-Trust League, writes from Pennsylvania Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C., as follows:

"Having used Peruna for catarrhal disorders, I am able to testify to its great remedial excellence and do not hesitate to give it my emphatic endorsement and earnest recommendation to all persons affected by that disorder. It is also a tonic of great usefulness."

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Per-ru-na Tablets.

Some people prefer to take tablets, rather than to take medicine in a fluid form. Such people can obtain Peruna tablets which represent the solid medicinal ingredients of Peruna. Each tablet is equivalent to one average dose of Peruna.

Warning Against Wasted Speech.

If it is lawful and expedient for thee to speak, speak those things which may edify.—Gurdon.

Pettit's Eye Salve Restores.

No matter how badly the eyes may be diseased or injured. All druggists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. Y.

Every time the owner of a pocket knife sees a grindstone he thinks it is up to him to get busy.

Lewis' Single Binder straight 5c cigar made of rich, mellow tobacco. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

Even in fishing for compliments it's the big ones that generally get away.

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For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

It costs more to get out of trouble than it does to keep out.

If Your Feet Ache or Burn get a 25c package of Allen's Foot-Powder. It gives quick relief. Two million packages sold yearly.

The keener the critic the more cutting the criticism.

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FOR ALL KIDNEY DISEASES

FOR RHEUMATISM, BRUISES, DIABETES, BACKACHE

Guaranteed to cure

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Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

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, COLIC, BRUISES, SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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Who's to Blame?

Is Man or Woman More Responsible for Divorce?

By REV. DR. SAMUEL W. DIKE,
Cor. Secretary National League for Protection of the Family.



THE question is often asked, "Are women or men more responsible for the increase of divorce?" If we were to rely on the statistical data alone, the answer would have to be that men are the most at fault, for the reason that women are applicants for divorce in about two-thirds of the cases. But this fact proves little, for in cases of desertion, which have in the past made up nearly 40 per cent. of the cases, probably a considerable part are collusive, and the woman brings the suit simply because the divorce has been agreed upon and the man has deserted the wife to enable her to get the divorce which both desire. And in a large part of all the suits, it is technically easier for the woman to take the initiative than for the man. It seems to me that the causes that enter into divorce cases are so numerous and often intricate that it is impossible and of practically little value to attempt any positive answer to the question in the form I have put it above.

Let me rather use what space I have to note some of the varied causes or conditions in the main, aside from the law and its administration, that contribute after marriage to the increase of divorce. Of course there are the parties themselves, who are immediately responsible. The lightness with which they hold to the marriage bond, their low ideas of its sacred obligations, the carelessness with which they allow bickerings to come into their life, the lack of resolute effort to get on happily, the absence of children either wholly or in sufficient numbers to enlist the common interest of the parents, or of too many children in the case of the poorer classes, burdening the mother with care at the expense of an attractive home life and tempting the selfish father to desert the family; infelicitous relations of sex, of which the physician knows more than any other outside the family, are among the many causes that operate directly on the parties themselves. Sometimes the wife and sometimes the husband, and often both, are in fault.

Then the nearer friends and relations sometimes are in fault. This comes occasionally from direct meddling and taking sides with either the husband or wife. Sometimes it comes of a failure to use proper and wholesome means to discourage the growing tendency that is perceived toward alienation of affection. It would seem often possible for near friends to create an atmosphere about the couple suspected of looking to divorce that would encourage continuance in family life. Of course all interference is a delicate matter and simple meddling is wrong. But something can be done in many ways to create a wholesome atmosphere about the parties.

Sam. W. Dike.

The Extravagance of Woman

By LENA GUILBERT FORD.

Woman through all ages has had to bear the opprobrium of being stamped an extravagant creature, but in no way is she more extravagant than with her good looks. There, messieurs, are you not disappointed? How many of you, I wonder, have already flouted the title of this article before the faces of your poor down-trodden wives? Woman wastes her vitality and consequently her good looks to a very reprehensible degree, and this, in my opinion, is the only direction in which she is not perfectly justified in being extravagant. It is a common thought that illness brings a

score of worries into a woman's life, but it happens more often that worries bring a score of illnesses.

Women worry and brood over petty things that are entitled to not more than an instant's reflection, and if there is any doubt as to the truth of this, study a crowd of faces, and see how many have an habitual expression of peace. Cultivating a good expression of face is a legitimate occupation for a woman, and so subtle is the connection between mind and body, that an effort honestly put forth to improve the expression will have a salutary effect upon the character itself. The lines of expression are an infallible index of character, but lines of advancing age must not be confused with lines of character.

"Know thyself" are words that have a significance more far-reaching than is ordinarily applied to them when inscribed across milady's mirror in the dainty boudoir. A woman's mirror should be the only friend from whom she can bear the truth without wincing. Let her consult it every day, not for the purpose of being flattered, but learning what faults may be corrected.

The Drama Strongly Entrenched

By GEORGE P. GOODALE.

To what extent the drama has entered into and become an integral part of the life of the people, we may judge when a play that bears the stamp of worth is brought within reach.

Within the memory of many living persons the actors that peopled our stage numbered only a few hundreds, and there were exceptional persons outside the profession that had intimate knowledge of most of them. Now (1908) according to statistics compiled by Mr. Theodore Bromley, who acts in the office of secretary to the Actors' Fund of America, our "children of the stage" exceed 25,000 in number. A majority of these doubtless have their following. It were possible, therefore, to reach the conclusion that the American public entertains intimate fondness for the theater and its professors.

It was not a mere accidental location of the quickest, subtlest and keenest knower of the human heart that "the play's the thing." The theater is here to stay. Passing conditions operate to control its output in various directions.

In matters of taste the public is as likely to be wrong as right. An eminent authority, addressing himself to this particular issue, observes that the fine things seldom are appreciated at first, and they never are appreciated by chaw-bacons who go to the theater in order that they may indulge in the national guffaw. An artistic truth is not dependent on a public caprice, and it survives public ignorance. Few notions are sillier or more pernicious than the notion that a public verdict settles any question of art. If all people were born wise and true the case would be changed; but seeing that they are born nothing of the kind, no thinker will waste his time with bothering about their views, one way or another, when the question is one of art.

For Little Folks



WHEN the school clothes are provided, the next question on hand is: "What shall the little folks have for best?"

The models shown in the sketch offer good suggestions for frocks that are simple, yet follow artistic lines. The little boy's suit is one of the new winter models for dressy wear. It is a Russian blouse suit of fine twilled white pique, with a wide band of English embroidery on the collar.

The first sketch on the left is of pink challie for a girl of five or seven years. The dainty little hand embroidery is done in the same shade of embroidered silk. The yoke is of tucked pink mull with a row of hand-embroidered dots on the collar.

The next dress is for a girl of from 15 to 18 years. It is of cream color cashmere with plaitings on the waist, the girle and band on the skirt of old rose messaline. There is a little round collar of real baby Irish lace. The gumpie is of cream color net.

There is nothing so quaint for a wee tot as a Mother Hubbard dress. The one in the sketch is made entirely by hand, of French nanosook. If possible, the little insertions should be of real Valenciennes lace, but if this cannot be had, then only the best grade of machine-made lace should be used. A little pink ribbon is run through the heading at the waist.

The last model is for a ten-year-old girl. It is a very dainty little gown of light blue Tyrian silk. The fitted neckpiece and shoulder capes are braided with the same tone silk soutache. At each side of the kirtle in front is a sash end, finished with a blue silk tassel. The gumpie is of fine white mull, with hand run tucks and trimmings of Valenciennes lace.

NOVELTIES FOR DAINTY LUNCH.

Welcome Refreshment at the End of Card Games.

In these days of a table or two of bridge as a form of entertainment, hostesses are interested in inexpensive novelties for refreshments.

What to serve depends largely on the customs of the city and the time of the party. During the hot weather the morning has been the favorite hour. Play lasts from ten o'clock until 12:30, when a cold lunch is served on the card tables or in the shaded dining room.

This might consist of halves of cantaloupe, with a few blackberries in each piece; jellied gumbo in cups; boned chicken or Virginia ham, carrots and peas in aspic, tiny French rolls, iced coffee, whole tomatoes stuffed with chopped green peppers, and olives covered with mayonnaise; peach or blackberry sherbet with vanilla wafers.

Such a menu can easily be prepared the day before at the cost of but a few dollars.

If a lunch seems too much trouble, iced coffee, tiny bacon or cheese sandwiches, cake and candy are passed a little before noon, so the guests may get home to lunch.

With these light refreshments dainties should make up for variety. Invest in a set of card cake cutters, which consist of four pieces to represent the aces of spades, clubs, hearts and diamonds. These can be used to shape both the sandwiches and cakes.

Bake a rich cup cake in thick layers in an oblong pan to save waste in cutting. Ice the clubs and spades in a fudge icing and the other two shapes in a boiled white icing colored red with currant sirup or a few drops of cochineal.

Serve the iced coffee in tall, thin glasses half filled with cracked ice and with whipped cream on the top. Russian tea or ginger ale may be substituted for the coffee.

Instead of the sandwiches, crackers, buttered, covered with Parmesan cheese and red pepper and toasted in the oven may be used.

The candies can be made at home, either fudge or white grams, seeded and covered with a cream fondant.

Soutache Braid.

Soutache braid enters into the composition of the new hats as a decoration. Many of the latest models show a tam crown braided in rows, completed by a brim of satin, and are to be had in black and colors.

An odd use of the braid was on a satin hat trimmed with wings of the guinea hen and the duck combined. These were arranged in the front, going in opposite directions, and were held down with large disks (dollar size) made from the braid and connected with knotted loops of the braid.

Silk Bands Out.

One of the kinds of trimming that seems to be entirely out of style is silk bands. The wide folds are used, but not the stitched pieces that have been employed to cover seams and to carry out designs on voile and cloth frocks. Braid is used instead. All widths of it are put on skirt and coat.

New Silk for Scarfs.

A new kind of silk for scarfs has appeared in the market. It is a trifle heavier than chiffon and similar in weave to crepe de chine. It is printed with handsome designs carried out in lovely colorings. It ranges from 22 to 24 inches wide, and costs two dollars a yard.

LARGE HATS STILL WORN.

Tendency Now Is to Have the Trimming Rather Flat.

Despite predictions to the contrary, the large hat—the very large hat—is still fashionable, but the tendency this season is to have the trimming rather flat, except in the case of the dressy plumed hats designed for afternoon and evening wear. Some of the smartest hats shown by the importers are quite severe in trimming, but the lines of these hats are so good that they are generally most becoming. One particularly smart shape which would be excellent for street wear with a tailor gown, is shown this season. The brim of this hat is very large, rolled slightly at the left and down a little at the right side of the back. The crown is low, but very large, and is wider at the base than at the top, which is rounded in mound shape. Corded silk with rather a large rib, in any desired color, is used for the top of the hat, the underbrim being faced with black moire silk. The shape was shown trimmed in two ways, one style which was especially smart for young girls having only a twist of wide black moire ribbon around the crown, with a large bow at the left side of the back, the pointed ends of which were allowed to fall a little over the edge of the brim; the other style of trimming was a little more elaborate, as it consisted of a large gourah feather in quill shape with a stiff rib in the center, fastened at the left side of the front with a small flat bow of black satin ribbon.

IN VOGUE

The ribbon craze still increases. Taupe is the ruling shade in hats. Satin has the greatest vogue in its history.

Pearl and crystal beads have returned to favor.

Half the new silks for general wear are taffeta.

New velvets show a tendency toward fruit shades.

Nearly all winter coats show a short waisted effect.

Washable fabrics are first choice for children's wear.

Crepe de chine is one of the principal fabrics of the year.

The fur felt hat is coming again to its own for winter wear.

Silk will be much worn, not only for linings but in dresses.

Picturesque effects prevail among evening and even daytime toilets. Street skirts are but a trifle longer than the summer dresses have been.

Panels of Buttons.

It looks as though the shops would have demand for the millions of buttons they offer this season. The rule of trimming is, when in doubt use buttons. They are put up the back of sleeves in panels from wrist to shoulder in groups of three and four lines. They are also put up the back width of the flat skirts in about five rows, and they are covered with the frock material or with satin to match or harmonize.

Pocahontas Feather Braid.

The new trimming made up of different colored wings that look like an Indian head dress, has been named the Pocahontas. It is a yard long and is stretched straight across the hat. These sell from 75 cents to six dollars, and come in all colors.

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS

Howell.—"Mamma, mamma, what makes it so light?" These words came from the quivering lips of Olive Ryal, six years old, as she shook her mother to awaken her from a sound sleep. A few hours later the mother and child were both dead, as were also two younger children, Alvira, four months old, and Donna, two years old, as the result of the burning of their home.

Adrian.—The body of Stephen Noble was found by workers at the Ralston Center celery farm. Over a month ago Stephen Noble wandered away and, although searching parties from the Palmer furniture factory, where the man had been employed, and the sheriff's force made careful searches in the vicinity about Adrian, he could not be found.

Detroit.—Detective Edward P. Favor, formerly attached to the Detray precinct of the police department, was found guilty by a jury in the recorder's court of compounding a felony in accepting rewards from Annie Smith, a resort keeper, for permitting her to operate her establishment unlicensed.

Climax.—Yeggmen made an unsuccessful attempt to loot the Exchange bank at Climax. They obtained tools from a Grand Trunk car house with which to effect an entrance to the bank. Nitroglycerin was used in an effort to blow open the bank safe, but it only damaged the combination.

Saginaw.—Saginaw, in the largest plant in the city, that of Merston, Schutte, Parker & Co., fought the worst lumber fire of many years. About 1,000,000 feet of lumber, valued at \$25,000, was consumed and surrounding property valued at \$1,000,000 was saved only after hard work.

Boyer City.—Forest fires raged fiercer than ever about from ten to twenty miles east of this city, the flames shooting high above the tree tops. About 20,000 cords of wood belonging to the Lake Superior and Boyer City chemical and iron companies were consumed.

Monroe.—Rollin Shove, 17 years old, was taken in custody by Under Sheriff Kern. He was found sleeping in former Lieut. Gov. Strong's barn at Rockwood and is said to have discharged a revolver in the air. Farmers thought he was one of the escaped Ionia inmates.

Augusta.—James Mace, an aged farmer residing four miles southeast of this village, in Battle Creek township, was returning to his home when his buggy was struck by a Michigan Central engine at the crossing just east of town, killing him instantly.

Coldwater.—A daring jail delivery was effected. Melvin Hopkins and David Maywood, two convicts from Jackson prison, and Robert Gail, awaiting trial on a charge of picking pockets at Union City, escaped. Maywood and Hopkins were caught.

Ilay City.—Just as Sheriff Hartley gave an order for printed postcards describing a stolen horse, he received a message from Portsmouth township saying that a dead horse and a buggy with a man under the rig had been found in a big dredge cut.

Paw Paw.—Charles Sheffer of South Haven was convicted in the circuit court of having violated the local option law. He was charged with having given a young girl under 16 years intoxicating liquor until she became intoxicated.

Saginaw.—The Republican municipal convention nominated Dr. George L. Stewart for mayor and George Holcomb for city treasurer. Stewart has for years been one of Saginaw's leading physicians. He accepted the nomination.

Laings.—Mrs. Fannie D. Oviatt, 70 years old, has commenced suit for damages against the Michigan United Railways for \$5,000 because she fell while alighting from a car and broke her arm.

Muskegon.—Col. Charles B. Mann, 70 years old, veteran of the civil war and for more than half a century a western Michigan resident and pioneer clothing merchant, is dead.

Traverse City.—For the fourth time the tax-payers will vote upon the matter of a county poorhouse, the supervisors voting to submit the question at the spring election.

Saginaw.—Four persons were slightly injured when two Pere Marquette passenger trains collided head-on two miles south of Cheboygan, between Saginaw and Ilay City.

Jackson.—A light engine ran into the rear of a freight train on the Air line near Colon. James Daily of Jackson, conductor of the freight train, was seriously injured.

Manistique.—Edmund Ashford has been nominated for judge of probate to fill the vacancy on the Republican ticket caused by the death of Cornelius Klagstad.

Durand.—Norman P. LeJand, for many years a druggist and banker here, dropped dead, aged 60. He was a member of Moslem temple, K. T., of Detroit.

Kalamazoo.—Because the use of gas lights in the vaults of the courthouse is said to aid in the destruction of records, the board of supervisors will recommend the use of electric lights.

Traverse City.—Randall Groesser, 14 years old, was seriously stabbed by John Fowle of the same age. The young boys engaged in a fight over the attention of a girl.

Grand Rapids.—Nellie Demeyer, shot by her insane lover, August Sauretin, cannot live, the doctors say.

Charlotte.—The board of supervisors voted to submit the prohibition question to the electors next April.

One of the Essentials

of the happy homes of to-day is a vast fund of information as to the best methods of promoting health and happiness and right living and knowledge of the world's best products.

Products of actual excellence and reasonable claims truthfully presented and which have attained to world-wide acceptance through the approval of the Well-Informed of the World; not of individuals only, but of the many who have the happy faculty of selecting and obtaining the best the world affords.

One of the products of that class, of known component parts, an Ethical remedy, approved by physicians and commended by the Well-Informed of the World as a valuable and wholesome family laxative is the well-known Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna. To get its beneficial effects always buy the genuine, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., only, and for sale by all leading druggists.

NOT UP TO THE RECORD.

Boy Had, at Least Once Seen Larger Pedal Extremities.

A pupil of one of the public schools in Chicago sends this communication: "Dear Sir: In our school this morning an amusing dialogue took place."

"A primary teacher of Chicago, wishing to impress on her pupils the necessity of greater quiet, said:

"I am a great deal larger than any of you, yet I don't make any noise when I walk around the room."

"Perhaps," remarked little seven-year-old Kenneth, "you don't wear shoes."

"Oh, yes, I do," quickly replied the teacher; "just look. Did you ever see any larger than mine?"

"Kenneth surveyed them carefully. "Yes," he replied, slowly, "once—in a show."—Waverly Magazine.

BREAKS A COLD PROMPTLY

The following formula is a never failing remedy for colds:

One ounce of Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla, one ounce Toris Compound and one-half pint of good whiskey, mix and shake thoroughly each time and use in doses of a tablespoonful every four hours.

This if followed up will cure an acute cold in 24 hours. The ingredients can be gotten at any drug store.

Where Willie Was.

There is a humorous story of Mark Twain's "absent-mindedness," but it doesn't match the following:

The Professor (at the dinner table)—Oh, by the way, Mrs. Chopsticks, have you seen your little boy, Willie, lately?

Mrs. Chopsticks—No, professor, I have not seen him since ten o'clock, and I can't imagine what has become of him. In fact, I am very much worried about him.

Professor—Well, seeing Martha pour me out that glass of water just now reminds me of something that I had on my mind to tell you some time ago, but which unfortunately escaped my memory. It was just about ten o'clock, I think, that I saw little Willie fall down the well.

The Still Alarm.

A tourist in an out-of-the-way region of England put up one night at an amiable old lady's cottage, the village inn being full.

Now, the tourist was very deaf, which fact he took pains to impress upon the old lady, together with instructions to wake him at a particular hour in the morning.

On waking a great deal later than the time appointed, he found that the amiable old lady, with a commendable regard for propriety, had slipped under his door a slip of paper on which was written:

"Sir, it is half-past eight!"—Harper's Weekly.

ASTONISHED THE DOCTOR

Old Lady Got Well with Change of Food.

A great scientist has said we can put off "old age" if we can only nourish the body properly.

To do this the right kind of food, of course, is necessary. The body manufactures poisons in the stomach and intestines from certain kinds of food stuffs and unless sufficient of the right kind is used, the injurious elements overcome the good.

"My grandmother, 71 years old," writes a N. Y. lady, "had been an invalid for 18 years from what was called consumption of the stomach and bowels. The doctor had given her up to die."

"I saw so much about Grape-Nuts that I persuaded Grandmother to try it. She could not keep anything on her stomach for more than a few minutes. "She began Grape-Nuts with only a teaspoonful. As that did not distress her and as she could retain it, she took a little more until she could take all of 4 teaspoonfuls at a meal."

"Then she began to gain and grow strong and her trouble in the stomach was gone entirely. She got to enjoy good health for one so old and we know Grape-Nuts saved her life."

"The doctor was astonished that instead of dying she got well, and without a drop of medicine after she began the Grape-Nuts." "There's a Reason."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

Food is more tasteful, healthful and nutritious when raised with



ROYAL BAKING POWDER

The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

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CAND CORN AND LUCK
Tale of an Arizona Silver Lode.

"Mistah Corn! Mistah Corn!" shouted a page, threading his way among the tables in the cafe of an up-town hotel the other evening.

"Well, even if he has missed a corn, he makes more fuss about it than my old friend Cand Corn did when he lost his," remarked an Arizona mining man to his companion. "It's a unique story, and as true as I'm sitting here and that we're going to have another bottle," he continued.

"Cand Corn's real name was Theophilus Peterson, or something like that. Because he was so tall and scraggly, and looked so much like the breed of cactus we call the Arizona candle we called him at first 'Cand' for short. It was not until recent years that he became known from the Pecos to the Colorado by his full name, Cand Corn, that sticks to him yet, though I believe he is touring Europe in his motor car this summer.

"When I first saw Cand I was resting at Brent's trading post, which isn't down on any map, but which looks bigger than New York as it sticks up in desert. Cand was a typical southwestern prospector, luckless and full of hope. He left his tired burro browsing on the bunch grass by the roadside, and after inviting Brent and me to have a drink got down to business.

"Say, Brent," he remarked, "let me have a pair of shoes—biggest you've got."

"Brent looked doubtfully at his feet. "Must have somethin'," went on Cand. "I've been prospectin' for four months, an' you can see for yourself my foot mits is plumb gone. If you can't fix me out I'll have to send to Albuquerque. That's the cuss of havin' the biggest feet in the territory."

"The largest pair of shoes in the store were palpably too small, but Cand squeezed them on. He had to. His feet were pretty badly cut up already by the sharp stones and acetyls.

"Cand laid up at Brent's that night, and we were both bound the same way, we hit the trail together at dawn next morning. We had to go into camp early that evening on Cand's account. His burning, aching feet refused to move any further. When he got his shoes off he seemed to taste for a few minutes the delights of heaven, but soon his feet began to burn again, and kept it up all night. In the morning he did some artistic scroll sawing with a jackknife before trying to put on his shoes, and provided an outlook on the smiling world for the toes that hurt him worst. Thereafter his agony was not quite so acute.

"By the time we got to hillsborn Cand had the choicest assortment of corns that ever grew on any man's feet but after a few days' rest all but one disappeared.

"One day he hobbled over to Mose Sibley's blacksmith's shop.

"Say, Mose, let me have a hammer and a cold chisel for a while, will you? I've got a little repairin' to do."

"Sure," answered Mose. "Help yourself to anything in the shop."

"Cand took a big sledge and a cold chisel and went over to a big boulder near the blacksmith's shop. Then he kicked off the sheepskin slipper he had been wearing, and deliberately chiseled off his toe. Of course, he ought to have died of blood poisoning or something of that kind, but he didn't.

"Next morning before breakfast he elded to bury the toe, and started digging its grave. He felt so sore against it that he planned to dig a hole at least six feet deep, put the toe at the bottom, fill the hole with earth and rocks and roll the biggest boulder available on the top of it all.

"He had dug down about three feet when he struck solid rock. He scraped the loose earth and small stones out, thinking it was only a small boulder that he could get rid of in some manner. Then he had a fit of the true miner's ecstasy, for that rock was streaked and veined with native silver and it looked like a jeweler's show window.

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Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, is a zealous democrat and is doing all in his power to secure the election of W. J. Bryan. But it will be remembered that at the American Federation of Labor held in Detroit in 1899, Mr. Gompers called attention to the revival of industry which had followed the election of a republican president and congratulated the members of all labor organizations on the fortunate results to them that then existed. The laboring men of Michigan hardly need be told that the same fortunate results will follow the election of a republican candidate for president in November. They know by past experience what would betide of the future. Labor organizations are stronger, their demands are more easily met and all their purposes are more certain to be secured under the conditions accompanying republican control. Could an appeal be more forceful than the assurance the laboring men of Michigan now possess that good results will follow the election of Wm. H. Taft as president and a general republican victory.

The democratic candidate for governor sarcastically referred to the constitutional revision in the constitutional convention authorizing the legislature to protect women and children at their work as "a little piece of sentiment," and he voted against it. And the people of Michigan are just now engaged in an effort to care for the women and children who have been bereft and afflicted through the forest fires of the northern section of our state. Time and money will be expended in this effort. This, too, might be referred to as "a little piece of sentiment," but it is the sort of sentiment that keeps the heart of men and women tender and kindly and gives more sympathy to all their purposes. That is just as true of the desire which the democratic candidate for governor not only opposed with his vote but sought to prevent through a speech before the convention, and by his reference to it as "a little piece of sentiment."

A primary nomination has a peculiar claim upon the party allegiance. It cannot be said that snap caucus or packed convention has procured it. It can-

not be challenged as contrary to what the people would have chosen if it had been openly submitted to them, and they did choose freely by secret ballot, every man alone by himself. The verdict of such a ballot, lawfully ascertained, is unassailable. The Republican county ticket was so nominated, by the voters in their individual capacity, and the same voters will vote in the same manner at the election.

Again Escanaba is being besieged by all sorts of agents of outside firms who set up shop at the hotels and take orders for goods. The Escanaba public should refuse to patronize these concerns. They pay no taxes into the treasury and leave no money here outside of hotel expenses. The same goods can be supplied by any of our merchants at no greater cost. The money spent with the home merchants remains here. The general application of this principle of doing your trading at home will make better times.

Democratic congressmen from Alabama and from Mississippi have been making speeches in Michigan seeking to persuade voters of this state to change the conditions here to such as they have at home. Michigan is a hundred years ahead of either one of those states in everything that makes life desirable and contributes to the well doing of the people. Taxes are lower here, state institutions are better and there are some congressional districts in Michigan in which there is more property, more men at work and more comfortable homes than in the entire states of Mississippi or Alabama. Michigan is glad to be visited by any of the people of our common country, but appeals to the voters of this state from Mississippi and Alabama to vote the democratic ticket will accomplish very little and should accomplish nothing.

Advice and Example.
He that gives good advice builds with one hand; he that gives good counsel and good example builds with both hands, but he that gives good admonition and bad example builds with one hand and destroys his work with the other.—Crotan.

Notice
State of Michigan, Twenty-fifth Judicial Circuit.—In Chancery.
Charles Erickson and Emma Erickson, Complainants, vs. Adolph Kurz and Charles G. Beck, Defendants. Day of September, A. D. 1908.
In this cause it appearing that defendant, Adolph Kurz, is not a resident of this state but resides in the City of Chicago, Illinois. Therefore, on motion of Judd Yelland, solicitor for said Complainants, it is ordered that the said defendant enter his appearance in said cause on or before four months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainants cause this order to be published in the Iron Port, a newspaper published and circulating in said County, said publication to be continued each week for six weeks in succession.
J. W. Stone, Solicitor for Complainants, Circuit Judge. Business Address: Escanaba, Mich.

Names of Flowers.
It is interesting to know how certain flowers got their names. Many were named after individuals. For instance: Fuchsias were so-called because they were discovered by Leonard Fuchs. Dahlias were named for Andre Dahl, who brought them from Peru. The camelia was so called for a missionary named Kamel, who brought some magnificent specimens of the flower to France from Japan. He called it the rose of Japan, but his friends changed it to Camelia. Magnolias were named in honor of Prof. Magnol de Montpellier, who first brought the beautiful tree to France from America and Asia. Because they trembled with the wind is the meaning of Anemones. The Latin word to wash is lavare and lavender received its name because the Roman put the flowers into the water, when they washed, to perfume their hands.

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Notice of Re-registration

Escanaba, Mich., October 23, 1908.
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Registration of the City of Escanaba, Michigan, will be in session on Friday, the 30th day of October and on Saturday the 31st day of October, 1908, at the following named places, to-wit:
First Ward, City's Building on Dousman St.
Second Ward, Carnegie Library Building on Campbell St.
Third Ward, City Hall Building on Mary St.
Fourth Ward, City's Building on Charlotte St.
Fifth Ward, Basement of Washington School Annex on No. Oak St.
Sixth Ward, City's Building on So. Sarah St.
Seventh Ward, City's Building on Stephenson Avenue.
For the purpose of compiling a list of the qualified voters of the city of Escanaba.
Every person desiring to vote at the election of November 3rd, 1908, will be required to re-register in the ward in which he resides, on one of the above named dates.
The several boards will be in session from eight o'clock in the forenoon until eight o'clock in the afternoon of each day.
THOS. J. BURKE,
-City Clerk.

State of Michigan, The circuit court for the County of Delta, In Chancery.
Eben McGraw, Plaintiff, vs. John T. McGraw, Defendant. County of Escanaba in said County on the 24th day of September, A. D. 1908.
In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file, that the residence of the defendant cannot be ascertained after due inquiry and that the complainant, although having made inquiries of the former neighbors and acquaintances of the defendant as would be likely to know the last place of residence of the defendant and is unable to ascertain the same.
On motion of C. D. McEwen, solicitor for the complainant, it is ordered, that said non-resident defendant, John T. McGraw cause his appearance to be entered in this cause within five months from the date of this order; and in case of his appearance he cause his Answer to the Complainant's Bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said solicitor for the complainant, within twenty days after service on said non-resident Defendant of a copy of said Bill and Notice of this order; and that in default thereof, said bill be taken as confessed by said non-resident Defendant.
And it is further Ordered, That within twenty days the complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in the Iron Port, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, and that said 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 prescribed for his appearance.
C. D. McEwen, Solicitor for complainant, Circuit Judge, Escanaba, Michigan.

Gagly, Too.
The boys of one of the little Vanderburgh towns are to be insured for \$25,000. These are times, doubtless, when your father would give them all for the privilege of sailing forth bareheaded to make mud pies in the gutter. The Evening Gazette-Times.

Opens a New Restaurant

Another restaurant of the first class type has just been added to the limited list now doing business in the city. The name of the eating house is The Opera Cafe and the new proprietor is the late of the Ludington hotel, E. W. Stone and the location is in the rear of the Carnation Buffet. The management of the cafe wishes it distinctly understood by the public that the cafe is entirely separate from the Carnation in every respect. Entrance can be had off Dousman street and also off Ludington street.
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Election Notice

Notice is hereby given to the electors of the City of Escanaba in the county of Delta and state of Michigan, that the next regular general election will be held on Tuesday, succeeding the first Monday of November next, being the third day of said month at the following named places in each ward to-wit: 1st ward—City's building on Downman Ave. 2nd ward—Carnegie public Library building on Campbell street. 3rd ward—City hall building on Mary street. 4th ward—City's building on Charlotte street. 5th ward—Basement of the Washington school annex on North Oak street. 6th ward—City's building on South Marsh street. 7th ward—City's building on Stephenson avenue.

At which election the following officers are to be chosen to-wit: 14 electors of President and Vice President of the United States. Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, State Treasurer, Auditor General, Commissioner of State and Public Instruction, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Member of the State Board of Education, Justice of the Supreme Court to fill vacancy. Representative in Congress, Twelfth Congressional District. State Senator, Thirtieth Senatorial District. Representative in state legislature's 11th district.

COUNTY OFFICERS

Judge of Probate, Sheriff, Clerk, Register of Deeds, Treasurer full term, Assessor to fill vacancy, Prosecuting Attorney, two coroners, county surveyor. There will also be submitted at the election the following: "The question of the adoption or rejection of the new constitution." "The question of the adoption or rejection of the proposed amendment to section ten of article fourteen of the constitution relative to the taxation of property by a state board of assessors. The polls of said election will be open at 10 o'clock in the forenoon or as soon thereafter as may be, and will continue until 5 o'clock P. M. of said day, to-wit: Tuesday 22nd day of October, 1908. Escanaba, Mich.

T. J. BURKE, City Clerk.

Value of a Smile. A pretty smile may make one's fortune. Few women realize the value of a smile. Most smiles are useless. A smile that counts is one that comes from the heart and that will secure for you here and service there, and go with you as far as a tip or a command. A smile has radiance, it produces the eyes as well as by the lips, and, above all, is never mechanical—and Magazine.

Notice of Special Assessment

To Henry Peterson, J. W. Staiger, J. W. Staiger, F. E. Smith, J. H. Polk, Stephen Hermes, Est. J. Bacon, J. L. Lord, Mrs. Melus, Mrs. Moser, Mrs. A. S. Row, Frank B. Fuller, Mrs. Carrie Hedberg, Est., Felix Salvail, Octave Trudell, Michael O'Neil, Dennis Harrington, Ed. Leduce, R. E. Morrell, John Corcoran Est., Mrs. Catherine English, Mrs. T. Thorsen, C. C. Royce, Wm. Boyle, Mrs. Anna Lapiere, Peter Budger, Mrs. Anna Schels Est., Mrs. M. J. M. Peter Walsh, Mrs. Mary Kocher, Erick Oberg, Neil Gallagher, J. Boda, and all other persons interested take notice: That the roll of the special assessment heretofore made by the Board of Special Assessors for the purpose of defraying that part of the expense of cleaning of certain premises and removing certain nuisances reform, as more fully set forth and filed in the report of the City Assessor referred to in the resolution said Council passed October 8th, 1908, and also for putting into and in certain premises certain water pipes and water pipe extensions and also for laying and putting down certain cement sidewalks in front of certain premises, as more fully set forth and specified in the report of the City Street Commissioner referred to in the resolution of the Council passed October 8th, 1908, and in which said premises you to whom this notice is given are interested as owners or otherwise, is now on file in this office for public inspection.

Notice is also given, that the Council and Board of Special Assessors of the City of Escanaba, will meet at the Council room in said city on Tuesday, the 3rd day of November 1908, at 8 o'clock p. m. to review said assessment, and at which time and place orders will be given all persons interested.

Wm. J. BURKE, City Clerk. Mich., Oct. 21st, 1908.

COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS

Annual Meeting of Delta County Board of Supervisors, in Session from October 12th to October 16th, 1908.

At the annual session of the Board of Supervisors of Delta county, commenced and held at the courthouse in the city of Escanaba on Monday, the twelfth day of October, A. D. 1908. The meeting was called to order by the chairman, with the following Supervisors present: Supervisors Arnold, Atkins, Bacon, Bushman, Call, Colburn, Curran, Dahlberg, Davis, Dotsch, Dupont, Fuhrmann, Fuller, Gormsen, Gray, Johnson, Jones, Labre, Magnuson, Moe, O'Connell, Olson, Patton, Perron and Young. Absent: Supervisor MacLean.

The following communication was presented by the Clerk: Kipling, Mich., Oct. 12, 1908. Mr. A. P. Smith, County Clerk, Escanaba, Mich. Dear Sir: This is to notify you that

AUDITOR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

Lansing, Mich., September 22, 1908.

To the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Delta, Escanaba, Mich. Sir—You are hereby notified that a state tax has been apportioned to the several counties of the state according to the last returns of the aggregate valuation of taxable property therein made to this office, and as equalized and determined by the State Board of Equalization at their session in August, 1908.

The amount of state tax apportioned to your county under various acts of the legislature is as follows, to-wit:

General Statement	Col. No. 2	\$
University of Michigan—Sec. 1, Act 203, 1907	1	3,562.50
University of Michigan—Sec. 2, Act 203, 1907	3	16.44
University of Michigan—Sec. 29, Act 278, 1907	1	54.78
The State Agricultural College—Sec. 1, Act 266, 1907	5	950.00
Michigan State Normal College—Sec. 3, Act 211, 1907	6	742.32
Central Michigan Normal School—Sec. 5, Act 1, Extra Session of 1907	7	1,109.25
Northern State Normal School—Sec. 5, Act 209, 1907	8	252.00
Western State Normal School—Sec. 6, Act 206, 1907	9	657.40
Michigan College of Mines—Sec. 5, Act 221, 1907	10	739.58
State Library—Sec. 4, Act 10, 1907	11	68.48
State Library—Sec. 6, Act 306, 1907	12	13.70
Board of Library Commissioners—Sec. 3, Act 41, 1907	13	26.30
Michigan Soldiers' Home—Sec. 1, Act 204, 1907	14	909.40
Michigan Home for Feeble Minded and Epileptic—Sec. 6, Act 258, 1907	15	980.62
State Public School—Sec. 4, Act 118, 1907	16	219.11
Michigan School for the Deaf—Sec. 1, Act 275, 1907	17	465.06
Michigan School for the Blind—Sec. 1, Act 228, 1907	18	191.71
Michigan Employment Institution for the Blind—Sec. 1, Act 229, 1907	19	136.96
Northern Michigan Asylum—Sec. 5, Act 205, 1907	20	246.52
State Sanatorium—Sec. 5, Act 202, 1907	21	43.83
State Prison—Sec. 5, Act 277, 1907	22	26.02
Michigan Reformatory—Sec. 1, Act 100, 1907	23	16.85
The Industrial School for Boys—Sec. 1, Act 208, 1907	24	185.93
The State Industrial School for Girls—Sec. 1, Act 251, 1907	25	863.48
State Board of Fish Commissioners—Sec. 1, Act 250, 1907	26	181.20
History and Information, Adjutant General's Office—Sec. 3, Act 212, 1907	27	5.18
Dairy and Food Commissioner—Sec. 12, Act 12, 1905	28	191.74
Michigan Dairymen's Association—Sec. 3, Act 289, 1907	29	2.71
Michigan National Guard—Sec. 25, Act 5, Extra Session of 1907	30	831.62
Michigan State Naval Brigade—Sec. 36, Act 220, 1905	31	92.10
State Weather Service—Sec. 5, Act 216, 1907	32	5.18
Michigan State Agricultural Society—Sec. 1, Act 73, 1907	33	8.22
Michigan State Horticultural Society—Sec. 1, Act 10, 1907	34	54.78
West Michigan State Fair Association—Sec. 1, Act 99, 1907	35	27.39
Forestry Reserve—Sec. 5, Act 155, 1904	36	11.09
Michigan Pioneer and Historical Society—Sec. 6, Act 62, 1907	37	21.91
State Highway Department—Sec. 17, Act 309, 1907	38	876.53
Free Employment Bureaus—Sec. 6, Act 281, 1907	39	27.39
Mackinac Island State Park Commission—Sec. 3, Act 81, 1907	40	21.91
State Board of Geographical Survey—Sec. 1, Act 215, 1907	41	5.18
Gen. Geo. A. Custer State—Sec. 3, Act 206, 1907	42	136.96
Tax for Prisons—Current Expense—Sec. 2, Act 227, 1907	43	613.58
Tax for Asylums—Current Expense—Sec. 2, Act 223, 1907	44	1,789.05
Tax for General Purposes—Sec. 1, Act 292, 1907	45	2,739.17
Total State Tax	46	\$22,923.92

There is also to be levied, as a portion of the county taxes, as required by Section 35, Act 296, Laws of 1893 (unless paid prior to October 1, 1908), the indebtedness of your county to the state on the first day of July, 1908, then amounting to \$34,923.36. The indebtedness of the county must not be added to the state tax. You will cause the above to be laid before the Board of Supervisors of your county at their session on October 19th, 1908. Please acknowledge immediately the receipt of this notice. Very respectfully, JAMES B. BRADLEY, Auditor General.

The chairman announced that unless an objection was made the same was to be referred to the Finance Committee, and no objection being made the same was so referred. The reports of Emil Glaser and Frederick Huber, justices of the peace, were received by the chairman and were referred to the Committee on Justice Dockets. The following communication from the State Board of Corrections and Charities was received: Aug. 17, 1908. To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Delta County: Gentlemen: At a recent meeting of our board a report of a visit to your county jail was made by the secretary, and I was instructed to express appreciation of the general conditions of the jail; but to call your attention to the need of better guarding of the windows. It would be quite possible to throw either a tool or a bottle through the upper windows from the ground below. By order of the Board. Yours very truly, JOHN P. SAMANSON, Secretary.

The chairman referred the same to the Building Committee. A communication from the Keeley Institute of Grand Rapids, Mich., relative to the care of indigent drunkards, was received, and on motion was ordered placed on file. A communication from F. McD. Harkin, M. D., G. M. Marquette, Mich., in connection with the Upper Peninsula Association, for the prevention and cure of contagious diseases, was received, and on motion of Supervisors Davis

members, the people of a faithful public servant and good citizen, and the widow and family of a good husband and father; therefore, be it Resolved: That the Board of Supervisors of Delta county extend its most sincere and heartfelt sympathy to the widow and family of the deceased; that these resolutions be spread at length upon the minutes of this board; and that a copy be transmitted to the widow and family of the deceased. P. H. ATKINS, H. R. DOTSCH, J. W. CALL, Committee.

The County Commissioner of Schools submitted report relative to office rent, which, on motion of Supervisor Davis, was ordered placed on file. The following communication from the Board of County Road Commissioners was received and read: Office of County Clerk, Escanaba, Mich., October 2, 1908. To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Delta County, Michigan: The following resolution was duly adopted by the Board of County Road Commissioners at a meeting held September 30, 1908: By Commissioner Anderson. Resolved, That IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED by the Board of County Road Commissioners of Delta County, Michigan, that the amount of tax which, in their judgment, shall be raised for the next ensuing year, 1909, for the purpose of grading, draining, constructing, graveling and macadamizing public highways in said county shall be the sum of Fourteen Thousand (\$14,000.00) Dollars, to be expended upon the following specified and itemized roads and parts of roads, as follows:

On that part of the Bark River road, so called, from the west line of section thirty-one (31), running thence east to the north and south center line of section thirty-three (33), in town thirty-two (22) north, range twenty-three (23) west, and from the east line of section six (6), in town thirty-eight (38), north, range twenty-four (24), west, thence running southwesterly to the county line, \$4,800.00.

On that part of the Bay Shore road, so called, running from the east eighth line of section seven (7) west, in town thirty-nine (39) north, range twenty-two (22) west, thence running north-easterly to the limits of the city of Gladstone, \$2,000.00.

On that part of the Marquette road, so called, running from the south line of section thirty-three (33) in town forty-one (41) north, range twenty-two (22) west, thence running northwesterly to the north line of Delta county, \$2,400.00.

On that part of Portage Road, so called, running from the Bay Shore easterly to the south quarter corner of section twenty-three (23), in town thirty-nine (39) north, range twenty-one (21) west, \$800.00.

On that part of the Rapid River road, so called, running from the south quarter corner of section thirty (30) in town forty-three (43) north, range twenty-one west, thence running north to the north line of Delta county, \$2,000.00.

On that part of the Cornell road, so called, running from the south line of section thirty-two (32), in town forty-one (41) north, range twenty-three (23) west, thence running northwesterly to the Delta county line, \$2,000.00. AND IT IS HEREBY DIRECTED AND DETERMINED that said tax shall be raised for the purposes aforesaid for the next ensuing year, and that the same shall be spread upon the taxable property of Delta county, Michigan, by the Board of Supervisors of said county, in accordance with the statute in such case made and provided.

Dated, Escanaba, Michigan, September 30, A. D. 1908. I further certify that at a meeting of said Board of County Road Commissioners held October 1, 1908, the following resolution was adopted by said Board: RESOLVED, By the Board of County Commissioners of Delta County, Michigan, that there shall be the further sum of \$1,088.11 raised upon the assessable property of Delta county, for county road purposes in addition to the \$14,000 voted to be raised September 30, 1908, making a total of \$15,088.11. The said sum to be used and expended in constructing the roads described in the said former resolution as follows: For expenses and services of the Board of County Road Commissioners, \$1,200.00, for expenses in connection with engineering, surveying and other contingent expenses \$2,888.11, making the total raised for the ensuing year the sum of \$18,976.22, and that the same shall be reported to the Board of Supervisors, in accordance with the statute in such case made and provided.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Circuit Court for the county of Delta, Michigan, this second day of October, A. D. 1908. A. P. SMITH, County Clerk and Clerk of the Board of County Road Commissioners of Delta County, Michigan.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Delta County, Michigan: Gentlemen: We, the Board of County Road Commissioners of Delta County, herewith respectfully submit our report for the year commencing October 1, 1907, and ending September 30, 1908. COUNTY ROAD FUND. Receipts for year ending Sept. 30, 1908. Oct. 1, 1907, Balance, Cash on hand \$ 2,000.00 Taxes collected 18,087.77 Bonds 25,000.00 \$45,147.83 Acting on your usual recommendations we have refunded the following taxes to the townships hereinafter named: Fairbanks township \$248.37 Garden township 934.06 Nahma township 968.17 Total \$2,140.00

We herewith submit a detailed statement of all orders drawn by the Board of County Road Commissioners during the above year, with all bills and accounts of the Board to be acted upon in such manner as may be deemed proper. We have submitted a separate statement asking for a tax levy of two mills on the assessed valuation of 1907, for the purposes set forth in said statement, which we respectfully ask the Board to approve. The Board of County Road Commissioners wish further to state

that several contracts have not been completed, and are willing to present such further information before the Board as you may wish, before these contracts will not be completed until the first day of November. All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN GASHAM, BASILLO LENZI, ERICK ANDERSON, Board of County Road Commissioners.

BAY SHORE ROAD.

2101 Oct. 9-T. Hanson, labor	14.40
2102 Oct. 8-C. Jorgenson, labor	48.40
2103 Oct. 8-John Sauter, labor	118.15
2104 Oct. 8-V. Sauter, labor	10.00
2105 Nov. 15-John Sauter, labor and team work	45.00
2106 Nov. 15-T. Hanson, labor and team work	14.00
2108 Nov. 15-Conrad Jorgenson, labor	20.00
2115 Mar. 2-Anthony Verdow, labor	3.25
2116 Mar. 2-Conrad Jorgenson, labor	1.00
2117 Mar. 2-Oscar Johnson, labor	1.00
2123 Mar. 18-John McLaughlin, crib work Wells bridge	100.00
2131 May 2-Anthony Verdow, labor	42.75
2132 May 2-Theo. Berando, labor	20.25
2133 May 2-August Peterson, labor	43.00
2134 May 2-Conrad Jorgenson, labor	45.00
2139 June 1-T. Barnardy, labor and team work	31.50
2140 June 1-Jes. Schliebs, labor and team work	29.25
2141 June 1-Anthony Verdow, labor and team work	18.00
2142 June 1-Conrad Jorgenson, labor and team work	44.63
2143 June 1-August Peterson, labor	42.88
2183 July 1-Escanaba Hardware Co., Mdse.	1.36
2184 July 1-Conrad Jorgenson, labor	45.50
2185 July 1-August Peterson, labor	24.50
2187 July 1-T. Barnardy, labor and team work	53.50
2204 Aug. 1-Conrad Jorgenson, labor	33.75
2205 Aug. 1-Alfred Anderson, labor	10.50
2206 Aug. 1-T. Barnardy, team work and labor	54.00
2209 Aug. 1-I. Stephenson Co., lumber bridge over Escanaba river	57.55
2240 Aug. 15-I. Stephenson Co., lumber, Wells bridge	185.01
2241 Aug. 15-Escanaba Hardware Co., five kegs of nails	12.00
2245 Aug. 15-Walter J. Graves, services as engineer and traveling expenses	28.00
2253 Aug. 27-Conrad Jorgenson, labor	5.25
2264 Sept. 15-Conrad Jorgenson, labor	1.75
2279 Sept. 30-John Larson, labor	145.50
	\$ 1,867.93

BARK RIVER ROAD.

2097 Oct. 9-John Posanke, balance due on contract for repairing and putting in three culverts	\$100.00
	17.50
	\$ 117.50
2166 July 1-T. Barnardy, team work and labor	22.50
2180 July 1-Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., culverts	25.40
2181 July 1-Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., culverts	72.00
2185 July 2-John McLaughlin, grading and ditching	700.00
2186 July 1-Northern Con. & Eng. Co., constructing a bridge over Bark River road	350.00
2187 July 15-John McLaughlin, secs. 4 and 5-38-24 clearing, grading and macadamizing	977.50
2188 July 15-Clearing and grading secs. 35 and 36-39-24, John McLaughlin	127.50
2198 July 15-Order void	
2200 July 15-John Dahl, repairs	40.00
2211 Aug. 1-Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., culverts	76.89
2212 Aug. 1-Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., culverts	42.50
2213 Aug. 1-Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., culverts	57.69
2222 Aug. 1-Northern Con. & Eng. Co., Bark River bridge	284.20
2223 Aug. 1-John McLaughlin, clearing, grading and macadamizing Bark River road, Secs. 4 and 5-38-24	1,261.34
2224 Aug. 1-John McLaughlin, clearing and grading Secs. 35 and 36-39-24	467.50
2225 Aug. 1-John McLaughlin, clearing and grading Secs. 34 and 35-39-23	85.00
2242 Aug. 15-John Larson, placing seven culverts in Bark River road, Secs. 34-35-39-23	56.00
2243 Aug. 15-John Larson, putting in eight culverts and moving old Bark River bridge, Secs. 4 & 5 T. 38 N. of R. 24 W.	\$ 80.00
2247 Aug. 17-John McLaughlin by Coleman Nee, macadamizing Secs. 4 & 5 T. 38 N. of R. 24 W.	\$1,360.00
	68.42
	663.00
	2,091.42
2249 Aug. 27-Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., culverts Bark River road, Wells township	325.69
2262 Aug. 27-John McLaughlin, macadamizing Secs. 4 & 5 T. 38-24, and clearing and grading Secs. 33, 34, 35 T. 39 N. of R. 23 W.	1,041.25
2271 Sept. 15-John McLaughlin, improvements Bark River road, Secs. 4 & 5-38-24	\$637.50
	59.50
	21.25
	718.25
2280 Sept. 30-John Larson, putting in culverts, Sec. 31-39-23	\$ 80.00
	262.00
	40.00
	38.00
	420.00
2282 Sept. 30-Ole Erickson, cleaning out Bark River and Mud Lake creek	105.00
2291 Sept. 30-Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., culverts	408.00
2293 Sept. 30-John McLaughlin, macadamizing, clearing, etc., Bark River road	2,720.24
2296 Sept. 30-John McDonnell, labor	1.75
2297 Sept. 30-William McDonnell, team	4.50
	\$12,679.35

MARQUETTE ROAD, MAPLE RIDGE TOWNSHIP.

2005 Oct. 9-B. Lenzi, repairing culverts on road	\$13.00
	Team and one man 6.50
	\$ 19.50
2109 Nov. 15-John Lane, repairing culverts	5.00
2110 Nov. 15-Wesley Miller, labor in connection with cleaning the Rapid River crossing the county road at Lathrop	50.00
2121 Mar. 18-R. L. Bridges, labor	15.00
2125 Apr. 1-B. Lenzi, cash paid for labor	2.00
2128 May 2-B. Lenzi, labor and team work	13.00
2147 June 1-B. Lenzi, team work and labor	37.00
2148 June 1-Ernest Fosterling, repairing bridge and culvert	4.00
2149 June 1-John Britz, Jr., labor	4.00
2151 June 1-B. Lenzi, cash paid for freight on culverts	3.60
2152 June 1-Leo Goven, labor	7.00
2153 June 1-P. Marta, labor	7.00
2161 July 1-B. Lenzi, labor and team work	76.00
2168 July 1-Wesley Miller, team work and labor	25.00
2170 July 1-Louis Gauvin, labor	21.87
2172 July 1-Arthur Miron, labor	21.87
2176 July 1-Dan Lane, labor	9.82
2182 July 1-Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., culverts	296.68
2192 July 15-Dan Lane, labor	5.25
2192 July 15-B. Lenzi, labor and team work	13.50
2193 July 15-Louis Gauvin, labor	5.25
2194 July 15-Arthur Miron, labor	5.25
2195 July 15-Billy Gucese, labor	6.75
2196 July 15-John Gorman, labor	6.75
2197 July 19-Wesley Miller, labor and team work	13.50
2198 July 19-Ed. Tappenden, labor	5.25
2199 July 19-Wallace Bridges, ditching	6.00
2201 Aug. 1-Wallace Bridges, ditching	63.35
2202 Aug. 1-Wesley Miller, ditching, stumping, etc.	60.25
2230 Aug. 15-Leo Goven, labor	3.50
2231 Aug. 15-Wesley Miller, labor, etc.	38.25
2232 Aug. 15-Arthur Miron, labor, etc.	3.50
2233 Aug. 15-Dan Lane, labor	3.50
2234 Aug. 15-B. Lenzi, team work and labor	18.00
2244 Aug. 15-John Larson, assignee of Wallace Bridges, cleaning and ditching	31.20
2255 Aug. 27-Chicago & N. W. Ry. Co., freight	2.74

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DESCRIPTIONS	Section	Town North	Range West	Amount Paid Dollars Cents	TAX FOR
NE 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	1.83	1896
NW 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	4.83	1896
SW 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	13.06	1896
SE 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	4.83	1896

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NE 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	4.89	1897
NW 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	4.89	1897
SW 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	12.66	1897
SE 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	4.89	1897

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NE 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	3.43	1898
NW 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	3.43	1898
SW 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	15.45	1898
SE 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	3.43	1898

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DESCRIPTIONS	Section	Town North	Range West	Amount Paid Dollars Cents	TAX FOR
NE 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	2.85	1899
NW 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	2.85	1899
SW 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	11.97	1899
SE 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	40	22	2.85	1899

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DESCRIPTION	SEC.	T.	R.
E 1/2 S. E.	23	38	24
N. W. - S. E.	34	38	24
S. W. - N. W.	35	38	24
N. W. - S. W.	35	38	24
S. E. - S. E.	36	38	24
S. W. - S. W.	3	39	21
N 1/2 N. E.	4	39	21
S. E. - S. W.	8	39	21
S. W. - N. E.	16	39	23
N. E. - S. E.	33	39	23
N. W. - N. E.	31	40	20
E. S. W.	31	40	20
W. - N. W.	3	40	24
W. - S. E.	19	41	19
W. - N. E.	6	41	21
E. 1/2	13	41	22
W. - N. W.	27	41	22
1/2 S. W.	33	41	22
E. - S. W.	3	41	23
1/2 N. E.	13	41	23
W. - S. W.	13	41	23
1/2 N. E.	27	41	23
W. - N. E.	3	42	21
1/2 N. W.	3	42	21
1/2 N. E.	4	42	21
W. - S. W.	4	42	21
E. - S. E.	5	42	21
W. - N. W.	19	42	21
W. - S. W.	19	42	21
W. - S. E.	25	42	21
E. - S. E.	8	42	23
1/2 N. W.	12	42	23
1/2 E. 1/2	34	42	23
E. - N. E.	31	43	20
E. - N. W.	1	43	23
W. - S. W.	20	43	23
1/2 N. W.	22	43	23
W. - S. W.	22	43	23
W. - S. W.	22	43	23
1/2 S. E.	31	43	23

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COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS

(Continued from Supplement)

2256	Aug. 27	B. Lenzi, team work	27.00
2257	Aug. 27	Leo Goven, labor	5.25
2258	Aug. 27	Arthur Menard, labor, etc.	5.25
2259	Aug. 27	Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., culverts	101.20
2260	Aug. 27	Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., Marquette road	97.90
2261	Sept. 15	Henry DeGorlle, labor	3.50
2262	Sept. 15	Joe Rissow, labor	2.19
2263	Sept. 15	John M. Egel, labor	2.19
2264	Sept. 15	Wesley Miller, labor	40.00
2274	Sept. 15	B. Lenzi, team	22.50
2281	Sept. 30	John McLaughlin, improvements Marquette road, Maple Ridge township	255.00
2291	Sept. 30	B. Lenzi, team work	11.25
2291	Sept. 30	John McLaughlin, clearing, grading and macadamizing	446.25
			\$ 1,919.71
RAPID RIVER ROAD, MASONVILLE TOWNSHIP.			
2235	Aug. 15	B. Lenzi, labor and team work	54.00
2236	Aug. 15	Arthur Merow, labor	10.50
2237	Aug. 15	Leo Goven, labor	10.50
2238	Aug. 15	Lor Sardi, labor	10.50
2244	Aug. 27	B. Lenzi, team work, etc.	13.50
			\$ 99.00
PORTAGE ROAD, BAY DE NOC.			
2167	Nov. 15	Andrew Hanson, labor	26.00
1908.			
2263	Sept. 15	Andrew Hanson, labor and team	60.70
2275	Sept. 30	Andrew Hanson, payment on contract improving Portage road	250.00
2276	Sept. 30	Andrew Hanson, freight and dockage on culverts for Portage road	1.71
2277	Sept. 30	Andrew Hanson, labor performed assisting county surveyor	13.14
2278	Sept. 30	Andrew Hanson, ditching	10.00
2290	Sept. 30	Bark River Bridge & Culvert Company, culverts	84.40
			\$ 425.95
MARQUETTE ROAD, BRAMPTON TOWNSHIP.			
2162	July 1	B. Lenzi, teams and labor	48.00
2162	July 1	Louis Gauvin, labor	10.50
2171	July 1	P. Marta, labor	8.75
2173	July 1	Arthur Miton, labor	16.50
2183	July 1	Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., culverts	288.60
2227	Aug. 15	Leo Goven, labor	1.75
2228	Aug. 15	Arthur Merow, labor	1.75
2229	Aug. 15	B. Lenzi, team work and labor	4.50
			\$ 351.35
MARQUETTE ROAD, BALDWIN TOWNSHIP.			
2274	Sept. 15	John Larson, ditching and grading Marquette road, in Baldwin township	1,105.00
2281	Sept. 30	A. Besson, Jr., repairing culverts	8.50
2289	Sept. 30	Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., culverts	206.40
2295	Sept. 30	John Larson, ditching and grading	305.25
			\$ 1,715.15
BAZILIO LENZI.			
2009	Oct. 9	Services and expenses as Commissioner	23.28
1908.			
2129	Mar. 18	Services and expenses as Commissioner	17.64
2127	May 2	Services and expenses as Commissioner	23.64
2150	June 1	Services and expenses as Commissioner	37.44
2174	July 1	Services and expenses as Commissioner	67.12
2209	Aug. 1	Services as Commissioner	50.28
2251	Aug. 27	Services as Commissioner	61.50
2285	Sept. 30	Services and expenses as Commissioner	50.64
			\$ 331.54
JOHN GASMAN.			
1907.			
2098	Oct. 9	Services and expenses as Commissioner	58.20
1908.			
2115	June 1	Services and expenses as Commissioner	114.80
2184	July 2	Services and expenses as Commissioner	91.20
2207	Aug. 1	Services and expenses attending State Convention called by State Highway Commissioner	60.00
2208	Aug. 1	Services and expenses as Commissioner	41.70
2250	Aug. 27	Services and expenses as Commissioner	76.40
2283	Sept. 30	Services and expenses as Commissioner	67.80
			\$ 549.10
ERIC ANDERSON.			
1907.			
2109	Oct. 9	Services and expenses as Commissioner	22.50
2114	Mar. 2	Services and expenses as Commissioner	12.00
2118	Mar. 2	Services and expenses as Commissioner	12.00
2121	Apr. 1	Services and expenses as Commissioner	25.00
2130	May 2	Services and expenses as Commissioner	12.00
2141	June 1	Services and expenses as Commissioner	18.70
2175	July 1	Services and expenses as Commissioner	37.50
2263	July 1	Services and expenses as Commissioner	28.40
2252	Aug. 27	Services and expenses as Commissioner	33.90
2281	Sept. 30	Services and expenses as Commissioner	36.00
			\$ 239.20
MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.			
1907.			
2111	Nov. 15	Thomas Richer, livery	2.00
1908.			
2113	Mar. 2	Chatfield Brass & Iron Works, repairing road machinery	2.00
2119	Mar. 2	McGuire & Wilson, livery	1.50
2126	May 2	Escanaba Journal, printing	25.75
2135	June 1	The Iron Port Company, printing	3.60
2136	June 1	The Iron Port Company, printing	5.00
2137	June 1	Escanaba Journal, printing	3.30
2138	June 1	Escanaba Journal, printing	1.25
2157	June 13	Memorize Herald, printing	1.45
2158	June 13	McDonough & Blake, livery	8.00
2159	June 13	The Chicago Tribune Co., printing road proposals	11.81
2177	July 1	Thomas Richer, livery	3.00
2178	July 1	McDonough & Blake, livery	2.00
2179	July 1	Beauchamp & Kaufman, livery	7.00
2210	Aug. 1	G. W. Douglas, livery	1.00
2211	Aug. 1	Mining Journal Company, printing	7.00
2215	Aug. 1	Escanaba Journal, printing	5.55
2216	Aug. 1	Iron Port Company, printing	3.60
2217	Aug. 1	Thomas Richer, livery	10.00
2218	Aug. 1	Thomas Richer, livery	3.00
2219	Aug. 1	Main & Kelly, livery	9.00
2220	Aug. 1	L. M. Beggs, insurance	10.00
2221	Aug. 1	Memorize Herald-Leader Company, printing	6.55
2246	Aug. 15	Escanaba Journal, printing	22.75
2270	Sept. 15	Swickard & Wilson, livery	5.50
2271	Sept. 15	The Iron Port Company, printing	3.15
2287	Sept. 30	G. W. Douglas, livery	10.00
2288	Sept. 30	Main & Kelly, livery	4.00
			\$ 187.79
TAXES REFUNDED TO TOWNSHIPS.			
1908.			
2154	June 13	Treasurer Fairbanks Township, county road tax of 1907 returned to township	248.37
2155	June 13	Treasurer Garden Township, county road tax of 1907 returned to township	934.06
2156	June 13	Treasurer of Nahma Township, county road tax of 1907 returned to township	958.17
			\$ 2,140.60
ENGINEERING, INSPECTING AND SURVEYING SERVICES.			
1907.			
2096	Oct. 9	The Brotherton Company, services	2.50
1908.			
2112	Mar. 2	The Brotherton Company, services and expenses	7.90
2129	May 2	The Brotherton Co., engineering services and expenses	63.30
2146	June 1	Services and expenses in connection with the Bark River road	\$90.94
		Services and expenses Bay Shore road	34.00
			125.54
2160	July 1	Services and expenses Bark River road	\$52.29
		Services and expenses Marquette road	68.40
		Services and expenses Cornell road	12.50
			133.19
2190	July 15	Payment on services and engineering	75.00
2226	Aug. 1	Services as engineer	\$296.75
		Less amount paid July 15	75.00
			Balance
2248	Aug. 18	Services and engineering, etc.	75.00
2261	Aug. 27	Services and engineering, etc.	\$249.31
		Less amount received Aug. 18	75.00
			174.31
2272	Sept. 15	Engineering and inspection services	100.00
2292	Sept. 30	Engineering and inspecting	\$269.31
			(Continued next week)

From the Law of Mohammed. "Whole hog or none" refers to Mohammed allowing his followers to eat all except one portion of a pig, but failing to mention what the portion was, so that if a Mohammedan did not leave pork strictly alone, he might as well consume the whole hog as risk eating part of it.

A Gambling Cure.

Some years ago there was an extraordinary outbreak of gambling in Russian Manchuria. Men spent all their days playing games of chance and work was utterly neglected. The authorities tried fines and imprisonment in vain. At last they made a new decree, and the next batch of gamblers were sentenced to wear iron rings riveted round their necks. The result was splendid. Gambling ceased as if by magic.

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The little lady, famous alike for her beauty and talent as a political spy in the court of Louis Napoleon, shook her graceful head disdainfully.

"Compliments will not help me, M. Claude," she said, "although your manner of paying them is irresistible. You must aid me in a practical way and perhaps may be all the more inclined to do so when I inform you that the emperor advised me to consult you."

"With the imperial favor, one is doubly armed," commented the chief. "Tell me the story and we will decide what is best to be done."

"It concerns the one human being whom I love better than myself, M. Claude," said the little lady, gravely; "none other than my younger sister, Blanche Leclaire, with whom you are acquainted."

The chief bowed in assent. "I have that honor," he said. "A charming young girl for whom I entertain sincere admiration and respect."

"Well, then," continued Mme. Rigault, "it will surprise you to learn that Blanche, naturally one of the most joyous and innocent of girls, has suffered in silence for nearly a year under the persecution of a cowardly blackmailer. I did not gain her confidence until yesterday when, driven to desperation on the near approach of her marriage with Monsieur d'Argental, she appealed to me for aid."

"And the name of her persecutor?" queried the chief as Mme. Rigault paused.

"Is Horace Vere, younger son of an English lord, at present residing in Paris," replied the lady.

"Vere!" repeated M. Claude. "The name sounds familiar. Ah, I have it. He lives in a mansion on the Boulevard Haussmann where high play is indulged in by a number of his countrymen and several young bloods about town. It cannot be actually termed a public gambling establishment in the strict sense of the word, but judging from the reports of my men, it jacks but few of the requirements of a professional hell. Yet M. Vere has entree to the best social circles. I presume that explains his connection with your sister's name."

"Partly," responded Mme. Rigault; "but the trouble arose in the first place through an unfortunate intimacy contracted by Blanche with his cousin, one Thomas Stratton, who committed suicide by blowing out his brains about 16 months ago. It is just two years since Blanche came from my mother's quiet country home and made her debut in Paris. She knew nothing of the dangers one encounters in a great city; and I am inclined to blame myself for not having made closer scrutiny into the character of the acquaintances she made. Yet even had I been aware of her infatuation for Stratton I would have found little to disapprove of at the time. He was young, handsome, of good family and apparently well to do, and his suicide, said to be due to a fit of temporary

insanity, surprised and shocked all who knew him.

"Unfortunately matters between my sister and him had reached a stage where she had written several letters breathing undying love and devotion in every line, and these missives fell into the hands of Horace Vere who, as next of kin, became possessed of the dead man's effects. Shortly after Stratton's demise there came to light several incidents of his career that satisfied me Blanche had had a meritorious escape from her contemplated union, and the proofs of his infamy were such that she was compelled to agree with me. Luckily, as we thought, their love affair had been conducted with the utmost secrecy on both sides, so that Blanche was enabled to take her usual place in society as though nothing had occurred to disturb the peaceful current of her life. Several months later she met with Monsieur d'Argental, and their acquaintance grew from mutual esteem into love and in due course of time their engagement was announced. It was then that Vere brought the letters written to his dead-cousin into play, and by threatening to expose the story of her former passion for Thomas Stratton extorted sums of money from her at different times."

"Were I a man," declared Mme. Rigault passionately, "I would insult the wretch, force him into a duel and slay him with my own hand."

"I believe you," said M. Claude, noting with admiration the fires that flamed in the speaker's dark eyes. "I regret that my official position is a serious stumbling block in the way of resorting to an appeal to arms; otherwise my sword would gladly be placed at your service. But after all, to kill this scoundrel would be an unavailing revenge with the compromising epistles still in existence. No, we must seek for a safer path. The fact that M. Vere is an Englishman adds to the complications of the case, for being to a certain extent under the protection of the British ambassador his arrest on any charge would provoke the publicity we are anxious to avoid. However, you can assure your sister that her friends have rallied to her support, and trust me, Madame, we shall find some way to checkmate our opponent."

"I have gained new courage, M. Claude," said the little lady as she rose to go. "The test of battle is yet to come, but with your aid I have bright hopes of victory."

The chief rose and held the door open while his charming visitor made her exit. He watched the slender figure until it vanished with a parting wave of the hand, and then summoned one of his men.

"M. Serge," said the head of the prefecture, "I am about to give you an opportunity of demonstrating the worth of those faculties which have gained for you the sobriquet of The Lynx. There is an Englishman named Horace Vere, living at No. 28 Boulevard Haussmann. Find out all you can concerning his habits and personal attendants and report to me as soon as possible."

The Lynx, a tall, thin individual with small, restless black eyes, saluted and went forth upon his mission without replying. He was a man of few words, with an infinite capacity for obtaining information from unpromising sources, a quality which enabled him to rank as one of M. Claude's most trusted aids. Therefore the chief was not surprised when early the following morning his wily subordinate

offered an exhaustive report on the daily life and pursuits of the object of Mme. Rigault's hatred.

"This so-called Alfred Beausine, confidential valet to M. Vere, whose name appears marked with a red cross in your notes—is he then one of our missing birds, M. Serge?" inquired the chief.

"Beausine is his alias, M. Claude," replied the Lynx. "He is none other than Levard, wanted in connection with the robbery of Pierre Simons, the jeweler, last year. I did not arrest him as I preferred to wait for further orders."

"Have him brought here at once," ordered the chief. "Is there substantial evidence against him in the Simons case?"

"Enough to warrant a speedy conviction and galley sentence, M. Claude," returned the Lynx. "I will produce him in a little while."

M. Serge was as good as his word, for within the space of an hour he reappeared with the prisoner, a shifty-eyed, undersized man, who blinked nervously as he stood before the prefect.

"You are Levard, at present masquerading under the name of Beausine, one of four confederates concerned in an attack upon M. Simons, the jeweler?" queried the chief.

The man murmured a faint reply in the affirmative and M. Claude continued:

"The evidence against you is complete and of sufficient importance to provide heavy punishment. It now rests with yourself whether you will be given the galleys for 15 years or receive a comparatively light sentence upon my recommendation. Whether I shall interfere or not depends upon the manner in which you carry out a certain task at my bidding."

A faint tinge of color crept into the prisoner's pallid face.

"What do you require of me, M. Claude?" he asked timidly.

"In the possession of your master, M. Vere," said the chief, "there are several letters written by a Mlle. Blanche Leclair to his cousin, now deceased. Obtain those documents and I promise that your punishment, for complicity in the Simon affair will be merely nominal."

Two days after the above conversation had taken place the chief was sitting alone at his desk when one of his subordinates announced that an Englishman named Vere desired an audience with him. M. Claude, much surprised, but curious as to the cause of the unexpected visit, gave orders that he be admitted, and the door opened to disclose the person of one of the most formidable looking men that had ever entered the prefecture.

Vere was a giant in stature, with huge shoulders, long, muscular arms and a chest whose tremendous width and depth gave promise of herculean strength. His broad face, red and swollen, gave eloquent testimony of nights spent in reckless dissipation, and from under heavy brows his little bloodshot gray eyes gleamed maliciously. Without troubling himself to go through the formality of asking permission he deposited his immense frame on a convenient chair, and leaning back at ease, surveyed the chief with an air of cool defiance.

If M. Claude's indignation rose at the insolent demeanor of the Englishman, it did not appear on his tranquil, immobile features. Producing his snuff box he inhaled a pinch of the contents, sneezed languidly and

addressed the newcomer with indolent grace.

"To what am I indebted for the honor of this visit, M. Vere?" he inquired, politely.

Vere uttered a short, contemptuous laugh.

"Call it an honor if you want to," he retorted, speaking in English, the language in which the chief had chosen to address him. "I didn't come here to fence with fine phrases or beat about the bush. First of all, I wish to inform you that I have killed your cursed spy, Beausine. I strangled him with these hands about four o'clock this morning, not, however, until I had first wrung from his throat a confession that he had been employed by you to steal some of my papers."

"I killed him in self-defense when he tried to rob me," he said, savagely. "There's no mistake about that. I'm an Englishman, under the protection of my country's ambassador, and ready to welcome any investigation you care to make. If you want proofs send to my house; you well know where it is, and your men will find the corpse of that sneaking cur where I left it. I fancy that for your own sake you will want to hush the matter up. If the letters from Mlle. Blanche Leclair, for which your emissary risked and lost his life, are made public, you know what a pretty scandal will follow."

The results of the police investigation of Beausine's death corroborated the big Englishman's story in every particular. Examination of the drugs of a goblet that had contained wine drunk by Vere before retiring, disclosed the presence of a drug placed therein by the valet with the evident intention of rendering his master helpless. But the dose, which would in all probability have overcome a weaker man, failed to accomplish its purpose in the case of the giant son of Albion. The latter, awaking from slumber and finding Beausine in the act of removing certain valuable documents contained in a belt around his waist, sprang upon him and in the struggle that ensued choked him to death. Such was the gist of Vere's testimony, which was accepted by the authorities, and no further action was taken.

Suddenly, one day Vere left the city and was reported by the Lynx, who followed faithfully on the trail, to have established himself in lodgings at the seaport of Marseilles, passing the greater portion of his time in the lower drinking places of the city and occasionally visiting a gaming establishment where he risked small sums of money. None of his Parisian associates had accompanied him, and M. Claude, aware that the Englishman had suffered severe financial reverses in the gambling halls of Paris, came to the conclusion that he had retired to Marseilles as a less expensive place than the capital in which to await Monsieur d'Argental's return, when he hoped by a final threat of exposure to bring the girl to his terms, upon which her friends would probably furnish the sum demanded for the surrender of the letters.

The result of the chief's cogitations was that one fine morning found him domiciled under the roof of the Lion d'Or inn at Marseilles. A dark brown wig, flashy clothing and glittering display of jewelry had wrought such a change in the head of the prefecture that his most intimate friend would have failed to recognize the usually sedate and soberly dressed M. Claude in this debonair person, to whom the servants of the Lion d'Or paid the customary homage of their kind.

On the third day of his visit to Marseilles a British frigate anchored in the harbor and a few hours later M. Claude encountered Vere on the street in company with an officer from the man-of-war.

"I've half a notion to accept your invitation, Fred," he heard the big man say in his loud, careless way, "and run over home with you. I'm killing time here at present until a certain little business scheme develops in Paris, but it won't materialize for a couple of weeks yet, and I might as well spend a while in England as among these French frog-eaters. When do you sail?"

"To-morrow evening," replied the naval man, and they strolled on leisurely, the rest of the conversation being inaudible to the chief. M. Claude frowned as he digested the substance of the remarks he had just heard.

In following the trail of his quarry, M. Claude had discovered that the gambling establishment most frequented by Vere was one kept by a Spanish woman who had formerly pursued a similar occupation in Paris. Compelled to leave the capital by orders from the prefecture, she had taken up her abode in Marseilles, where she conducted her business on a smaller but sufficiently well-paying scale. To this place, shortly after the shades of night had fallen, the chief made his way. The gaming room held but

few occupants when he first entered, but as the night wore on the crowd increased in size and M. Claude, having lost a few insignificant stakes, drew away from the tables and sat smoking placidly in a snug corner. Nearly an hour passed before the man he expected made his appearance, and when he did he took a seat at a table in close proximity to M. Claude, who viewed his movements with intense interest. Vere had for his opponent a young man of elegant appearance, who had been playing with varying fortune for some time before the Englishman entered the room.

Suddenly, just when it seemed that the Englishman must lose the last of his stake, an unexpected revolution took place in the wheel of fortune and Vere began to win steadily. Repeatedly he scored over his opponent, the latter becoming more and more agitated as he lost, until a pile consisting of 40,000 francs lay beside the British player. A crowd, attracted by the high play, had gathered around the table and M. Claude, rising, pushed his way into the front rank. Something suspicious in Vere's manner, a faint trace of anxiety appearing through the phlegmatic mask he was wont to wear, had given the chief food for reflection and he stood watching keenly, never removing his gaze from the big hands of the Briton. The young man demanded his revenge and producing more funds, staked the entire sum he had lost previously—40,000 francs. M. Claude, his whole attention concentrated on the Englishman's hands, saw him slip a card from his sleeve and put it in the place of one he held. Instantly the chief's sonorous voice broke the silence. "M. Vere, you are a thief!" he shouted.

At this startling denunciation Vere turned pale and sprang to his feet. As he did so a couple of marked cards fell from his pocket.

2187 July 15—Bark River road	350.00
2187 July 15—John McLaughlin, secs. 4 and 5-38-24 clearing, grading and macadamizing	977.50
2188 July 15—Clearing and grading secs. 35 and 36-39-24, John McLaughlin	127.50
2198 July 15—Order void	
2200 July 15—John Dahl, repairs	40.00
2211 Aug. 1—Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., culverts	76.80
2212 Aug. 1—Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., culverts	42.50
2213 Aug. 1—Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., culverts	57.00
2222 Aug. 1—Northern Con. & Eng. Co., Bark River bridge	284.20
2223 Aug. 1—John McLaughlin, clearing, grading and macadamizing Bark River road, secs. 4 and 5-38-24	1,261.34
2224 Aug. 1—John McLaughlin, clearing and grading Secs. 35 and 36-39-24	467.50
2225 Aug. 1—John McLaughlin, clearing and grading Secs. 34 and 35-39-23	85.00
2212 Aug. 15—John Larson, placing seven culverts in Bark River road, Secs. 34-35-39-23	56.00
2213 Aug. 15—John Larson, putting in eight culverts and moving old Bark River bridge, Secs. 4 & 5 T. 38 N. of R. 24 W.	80.00
2217 Aug. 17—John McLaughlin by Coleman Nee, macadamizing Secs. 4 & 5 T. 38 N. of R. 24 W.	\$1,360.00
Clearing and grading Secs. 35 & 36-39-24	68.42
Clearing and grading Secs. 34 & 35-39-23	663.00
2219 Aug. 27—Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., culverts Bark River road, Wells township	2,091.42
2262 Aug. 27—John McLaughlin, macadamizing Secs. 4 & 5 T. 38-24, and clearing and grading Secs. 33, 34, 35 T. 39 N. of R. 23 W.	325.69
2271 Sept. 15—John McLaughlin, improvements Bark River road, Secs. 4 & 5-38-24	1,041.25
Bark River road, sections balance due grading	\$637.50
Bark River road, Sec. 33-39-32, balance due	59.50
2280 Sept. 30—John Larson, putting in culverts, Sec. 34-39-23	21.25
One chute outlet 262 rods	80.00
Cleaning part of Portage creek	262.00
Repairing road from Ford River to dumping grounds	40.00

M. Claude by a moment's examination convinced himself that the fugitive had not taken much risk of injury by his sudden leap for freedom. The gaming room was situated on the ground floor of the house, and the distance from window sill to ground could not have measured over six feet. The officer in charge of the gendarmes made it his first care to look after the wounds of Vere's unfortunate victim, who lay senseless and bleeding profusely from a jagged cut in his head. A physician was summoned and pronounced his condition serious, the skull having been fractured by the blow it had sustained. Mme. Alavarda, the keeper of the establishment, answered the interrogations of the officer with the nervous haste of one who wishes to curry favor with the powers above.

"Yes, she knew the English monsieur, but slightly. His address she was informed of by a compatriot who had dined with him. It was No. 72, Rue de Noailles."

Upon receiving this information two of the gendarmes, who had returned after a short and useless search for the fugitive, were dispatched to his lodgings with instructions to arrest and bring him to police headquarters when found. The wounded man was removed to a hospital and M. Claude, leaving the house, proceeded with rapid steps to the harbor. Vere's escape annoyed the chief greatly for he doubted the ability of the Marseilles officers to secure him. Vere was sufficiently acute to know that the spies of the prefecture were perfectly informed as to his movements, and would naturally be averse to placing himself in a position where he could be searched and the letters taken from him on some pretext. It was possible that he

might have visited his residence for the purpose of obtaining whatever valuables he possessed, but there was small likelihood of his remaining there long enough to risk capture. His most logical plan of action would be to seek refuge under the British flag on board the frigate now lying in the harbor.

Thus mused the chief as he reached the water front and gazed across the black expanse of water to where the lights of the English man-of-war twinkled in the offing. It was after midnight and a profound silence reigned along the shore, a silence interrupted only by the lapping of the water against the wharves. M. Claude caught sight of a long, low wooden pier jutting out from the land, and he turned his steps toward it. In a few seconds of walking he reached the end and glancing down saw a small boat moored by a rope to the piles, tossing gently and fro with the tide. Here then was a means of escape for Vere, did he but know of it. The chief glanced back to the wharf as the thought occurred to him and uttered a fierce exclamation. There was a man shoving off in a boat from the spot he had just left. By the light of the moon he could see the gigantic figure plainly as it swung to the oars. It was Vere—escaping from him—bearing the documents that would blast the fame of Blanche Leclair.

M. Claude stooped and swiftly severed the rope that moored the boat to the pier. In another instant he was bending to the oars with savage energy.

Vere's boat shot straight for the mouth of the harbor in the direction of the British frigate's anchorage. M. Claude, still in the shadow of the pier, backed water suddenly and brought his craft to a halt as he perceived that Vere in passing would steer directly before his bows. He waited with

anxiety, constructing a bridge over

many anxious hours, and pocketed them with much heart-felt satisfaction. Then he walked leisurely to the nearest police station and revealed his identity to the inspector in charge.

"I chanced to witness the affair, in Mme. Alavarda's establishment last night," he said, "and later was fortunate enough to perceive this Monsieur Vere in the act of making his escape by water. There was no time to summon assistance, and knowing that, once aboard the British frigate now in the offing he would be beyond your jurisdiction I took it upon myself to capture him. In doing so I was compelled to use considerable force, and you will find him unconscious in the boat where I left him, unless he has recovered his senses, which I hardly think is likely."

Mme. Rigault summoned to the prefecture found the chief awaiting her with smiling features.

"The fruits of victory, my dear friend and colleague," said M. Claude, as he handed her the hardly won papers.

The little lady's eyes were limpid with grateful tears.

"How can I ever thank you?" she faltered.

"By continuing to look upon me as your devoted servant," said the chief, gayly. "My faith, though, madame, your first suggestion as to the means to be employed for the redemption of those harmless looking documents was strangely prophetic! It became necessary after all, in a sense, to resort to an appeal to arms for the preservation of the good name of Mlle. Leclair."

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GUARD HEALTH OF AMERICA

Splendid System by Which Death-Dealing Diseases Are Prevented from Gaining a Foothold—Remarkable Work Done in Germany and Japan.

NEW YORK.—In the office of Dr. Alvah H. Doty, health officer of the port of New York, at quarantine, there is a big globe, such as is used in the public schools, that is covered with little tacks. Every one of these tacks indicates that at the place where it is sticking there is to-day, or was yesterday, a case of the cholera, the bubonic plague, or the yellow fever, and Dr. Doty, the officials of the United States marine hospital service in Washington and the army doctors know all about every one of those cases, where it came from, how many there are that are affected, whether it is a mild case or a bad one, and exactly what the health authorities in those particular sections of the world are doing to combat it.

PRAISE FOR JAPANESE.

Dr. Doty said the other day that the Japanese health regulations are today second to none in the world, and that the Japanese sanitarians have forged to the front as among the very



Dr. Alvah H. Doty.

best trained and most efficient the medical world has ever known. And the work that confronts these wonderful little men of the mikado's empire is the greatest in scope that ever medical men were called upon to perform, for all around them the cholera and the plague are raging, and the least let up on their part would mean that the bubonic plague, or the cholera, or both, would probably become epidemic in Japan, and that would mean its possible spread to the uninfected islands of the Pacific, Australia, the Hawaiian islands, and possibly the American mainland.

How do Dr. Doty, Surgeon General Wyman of the United States marine hospital service, the army and navy doctors and the quarantine officers of the other great American seaports keep track of the world's health? And

they do keep track of it, and it is this vigilance in prying into what's the matter with our foreign neighbors that has made this country the healthiest and the best protected, from a standpoint of sanitation, on the face of this earth. Now take this big globe that is covered with tacks, and look at Port Said at the entrance of the Suez canal. There is a telltale tack stuck near that place, and that tack means that somebody or some people out there have the bubonic plague, and that every ship that stops at that port and then comes to America will have to stand the closest of inspections to show that nobody on board, or anything in her cargo, conceals the germ that is responsible for the most horrible disease, with the exception of leprosy, the world has ever known.

SENTINELS EVERYWHERE.

Dr. Doty has a sentinel on duty at Port Said, and at every big port in the world, and that sentinel's duty is to keep a close watch on the situation there and to watch every single ship that passes on her way to American waters. This sentinel is not watching for the plague and cholera only, but he must keep a record of every single case of sickness, no matter how mild or how harmless, so far as infection is concerned, and make a report in writing or by cable to Dr. Doty. This report reaches New York weeks ahead of the arrival of the vessel that is being watched, and it is then sent back to all the ports that the vessel is likely to stop at on her way to New York from Suez. At each of these ports an American health officer goes aboard and finds out how that case of sickness is being treated and the condition of the suspect.

The result of this vigilance is that when the ship gets to New York her skipper learns within five minutes after he drops anchor off quarantine that Dr. Doty knows more about the health of his crew and the condition of his cargo than he does himself. He has to tell Dr. Doty everything he knows about that case of sickness, and when he gets through answering questions, Dr. Doty knows exactly where that case of sickness probably originated, and he knows how everybody on board that ship is, even down to colds and pains in the back. As everybody knows, the cholera is prevalent in Russia, and the map reproduced here, which is a reproduction of that telltale globe at quarantine, shows that it is not only in St. Petersburg and Nijni, Novgorod, but at various other places as well.

ORIGINATED IN INDIA.

Now, how did this cholera get into the dominions of the czar? Dr. Doty knows. He knows that it originated in India, and for more than a year that globe in his office has told every week the story of its slow but sure advance on the capita of the Russian empire. The American health officers watched the advance of the disease like hawks. They knew the Russian system of combating it was not the best, and they feared all along that it was going to reach St. Petersburg and maybe Libau, Russia's one great Atlantic port. So far Libau has escaped, but Dr. Doty, and his assistants are watching that city, and they know how everybody in that city is getting along, so far as their health is concerned.

The other day the Korea, one of the few transatlantic lines that fly the Russian flag, steamed into New York from Libau, with about 400 Russian immigrants on board, and what happened to that ship during the 24 hours it took to examine her passengers, crew and cargo indicates how splen-

didly thorough is the system that stands guard for the health of the American people, on the States island side of the Narrows. Three different examinations every man and woman and child, and all the crew, from skipper to stoker, had to submit to. The slightest rise in temperature above the normal meant that the unfortunate was due for a medical third degree, that, when over, proved beyond all doubt, whether or not he was free from the scourge.

ALL ON BOARD WELL.

The examination of the Korea showed that everybody on board was well, and that the water they had drunk and the food they had eaten was not infected with the cholera germs, for the water and the food and the clothing are inspected just as closely as are the passengers and crew, for the admission of a single germ might mean the infection of New York. Russian immigrants also come to New York in hordes on board the great German, the Scandinavian, the French, the British, and the other lines whose European terminals are north of the Mediterranean. For every Russian passenger these ships carry they bring a certificate from the health authorities of the home port that shows that each of those passengers has been watched for five days in order to make certain whether it is dangerous for the health of New York and the United States to allow him to sail. If he stands the test they let him go, but if his condition is suspicious he is sent to a hospital, and eventually returned to the land of the czar.

This is where the Germans get into the game, and the way they do their work makes them deserving of the gratitude of the entire civilized world, for as everybody knows, Germany is the great gate through which the famished millions of the czar escape to other lands where liberty is universal and the secret police are not the most important adjuncts of governments. That these people from an empire where cholera and the plague are known to exist have never as yet spread the disease in the domain of the kaiser is due, the American authorities say, to the vigilance, the skill and the magnificent training of the men who are on duty in that country.

JAPAN'S HEAVY BURDEN.

On the other side of the world the Japanese are bearing the burden that the Germans are shouldering on the other side, and they are making a record every bit as creditable as that of their brethren of another race. India, the home of plague and cholera, is directly in the path of Japanese commerce with Europe, and where the Germans have one ship and one country to watch the Japanese have a dozen ships and as many countries to keep tab on. There was a time when the cholera made headway in Japan, but that was in the days prior to the rejuvenation of the most wonderful people of the modern world.

To-day there is cholera and there is also the bubonic plague in Japan, but both are held splendidly under control by the Japanese sanitarians. It is death to the rat and the flea in all Japan to-day, and the fact that the plague is disappearing from that country tells the way the battle is going. In the far eastern work the American army doctors must not be forgotten, for at Manila there is another serious situation, but the doctors under Col. Hoff, a New Yorker, who is said to stand an excellent chance of soon being placed at the head of the medical corps, are working day and night, and the cable tells us that they are confident, and that the tide of battle has already turned, and within a few weeks the cholera will have passed.

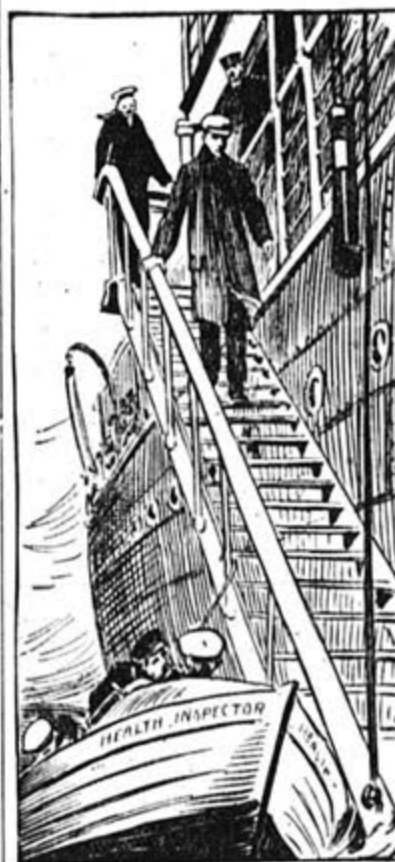
SOURCES OF PLAGUE.

China and India are, of course, the countries where the modern sanitarians will have to fight the greatest of all battles, in behalf of humanity. India has been stricken for centuries, and the outlook that she will ever be entirely free of these scourges is at the present time a very dim one. A look at the quarantine globe shows how plainly the origin of these great contagions can be traced to the Indian empire. The Indians are Mohammedans, and Dr. Doty and his colleagues in the fight for health and cleanliness say that this region to a great extent is responsible for the spread of these diseases. The pil-

grimages to Mecca, the "exalted," the holy of holies of the Mohammedans, are the one great cause, and the statistics prove it. The Mohammedans, as all the world knows, make these pilgrimages to "The Mother of Cities" in great, unclean hordes, sleeping on the decks of dirty ships, drinking water that has never been pure, and eating food in which the germ of cholera and the plague are sometimes known to exist. These ships touch at ports, and the pilgrims come in contact with people of other countries. The result is the spread of cholera and the plague, and to-day many sanitarians declare that the presence of the cholera in Russia can be directly traced to these religious hordes who go to Mecca to worship at the shrine of their faith.

ALL NATIONS HELP.

Let not the Australians, the New Zealanders and the doctors of Scandinavia, Great Britain, France and the Mediterranean countries be forgotten. They are all in this fight for humanity, and to their vigilance and skill the German, the Japanese and the American doctors give the sincerest praise. To revert to the Americans, take the story of the plague fight in San Francisco, where Surgeon Blue of the army has done such great work and the extermination of the plague-carry-



Health Officer Leaving Suspected Vessel After Inspection.

ing rat and flea is being pushed relentlessly, so relentlessly that Gen. Funston when he relinquished command of the department of California publicly commended the great work that was being done to make San Francisco healthy as well as beautiful.

All the world is familiar with the yellow fever fight. To-day New Orleans, Mobile, Brunswick, Porto Rico and the Isthmus are forever rid, and Cuba and Panama soon will be, of the danger of an epidemic of the yellow maul. In this work the medical world will forever remember the names of Gorras, of Moore, of Woodruff, of Lazare and a host of other American medical soldiers, every one of whom did his part in the great struggle that has practically eliminated this disease from among the health dangers of the universe. And New York, Boston, Philadelphia, New Orleans and all the other great Atlantic ports in this land are safe to-day, and San Francisco, Seattle and all the great ports on the Pacific soon will be, for Dr. Doty, Surgeon General Wyman and the army and navy doctors say so, and when they say so it is true—the record proves it.

Good Place to Be Born In.

In the German town of Klingenberg, near Aschaffenburg (Bavaria), in addition to having no rates to pay for the upkeep of the town, those actually born in the parish receive from the municipality a sum of \$60. This sum is invested regularly at say 3 per cent, would entitle the owner to receive about \$7,200 at the age of 60—a very handsome old age pension. Were it not necessary that the inhabitants should prove birth in the parish before becoming entitled to this payment the popularity of Klingenberg as a place of residence would doubtless be enormous.—Westminster Gazette.

LOVE'S YOUNG DREAM COOLED.

Time of Sentiment Evidently Long Past with Husband.

A certain well-known Bostonian has been married long enough to have acquired the average man's cynical attitude in respect of the written expressions of devotion indulged in before marriage.

One day the Hubbits was going over with his wife a mass of useless papers that had accumulated in the household. They unearthed several large boxes full of love letters. After a hasty glance at them, the husband said:

"No use keeping this junk, I suppose? Here it goes."

The wife was hurt. "Oh, Clarence," exclaimed she, "how can you be so brutal? Surely you don't want to destroy your own love letters to me?"

"Well, keep 'em, if you want 'em," cheerfully assented the husband, "but honestly, Helen, these seem too soft to file!"—Lippincott's.

A NEW CURE.



Jim—What's Jack trying for his rheumatism, Bill?
Bill—Swearing.

BABY'S ITCHING HUMOR.

Nothing Would Help Him—Mother Almost in Despair—Owes Quick Cure to Cuticura.

"Several months ago, my little boy began to break out with itching sores. I doctored him, but as soon as I got them healed up in one place they would break out in another. I was almost in despair. I could not get anything that would help him. Then I began to use Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, and after using them three times, the sores commenced to heal. He is now well, and not a scar is left on his body. They have never returned nor left him with bad blood, as one would think. Cuticura Remedies are the best I have ever tried, and I shall highly recommend them to any one who is suffering likewise. Mrs. William Geeding, 102 Washington St., Attica, Ind., July 22, 1907."

Fujiyama Modernized.

The beautiful mountain peak of Fujiyama, which is regarded by the Japanese as little short of sacred, is to be modernized by electricity. For the benefit of tourists the mountain top and the trail to it will be illuminated by electric lights. Hotels and refreshment houses will be erected on the mountain slope, as well as telephone and telegraph stations.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

Little Whalebone Now Taken.
The amount of whalebone taken annually does not now much exceed 25,000 pounds. The largest part of this is taken by the whales sailing out of ports on the Pacific coast. A few years ago the amount taken was as much as 500,000 pounds annually.

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Read the letter Mrs. E. Hanson, 304 E. Long St., Columbus, Ohio, writes to Mrs. Pinkham:

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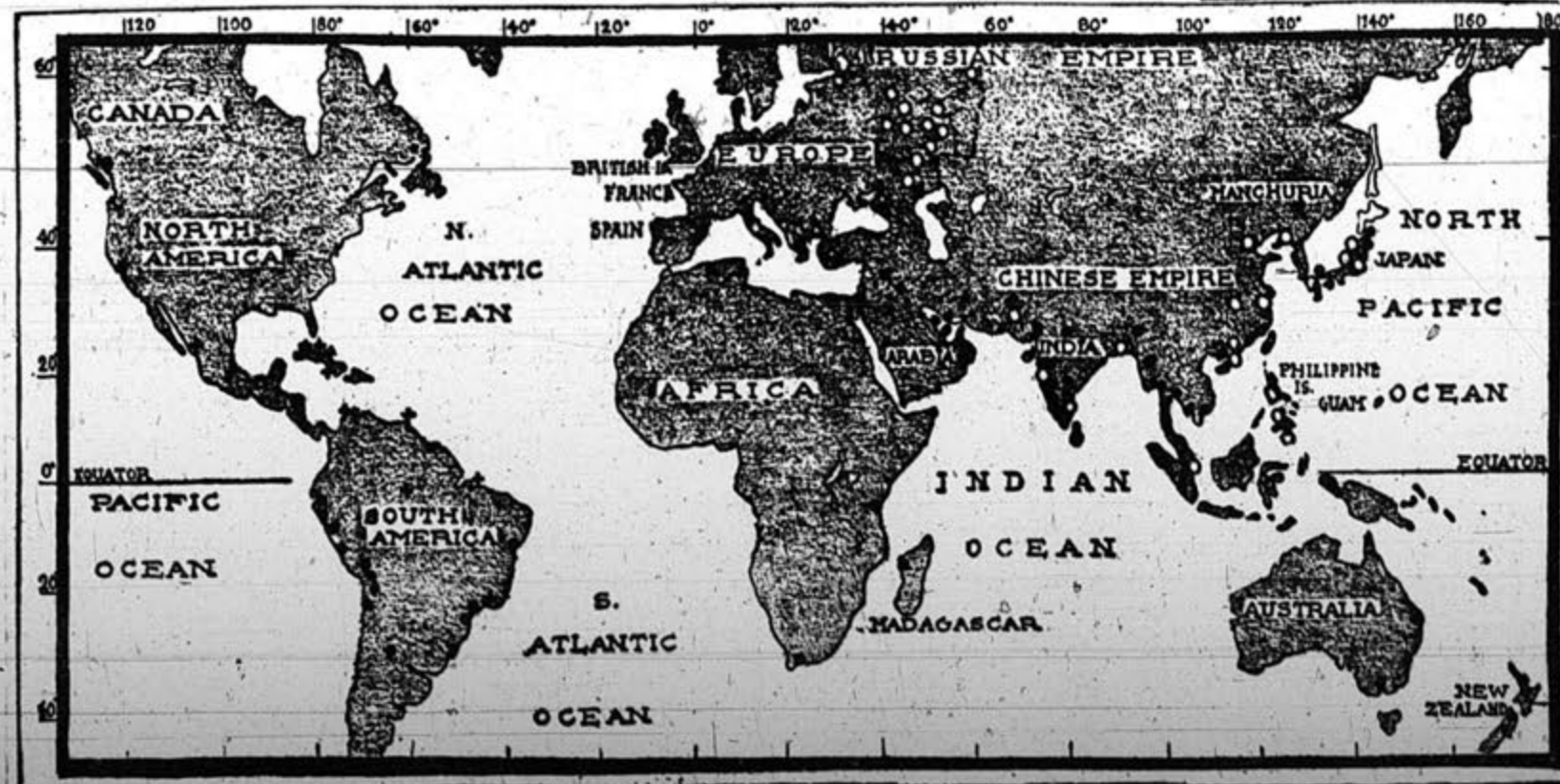
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The above is a reproduction of a map in the office of the health officer in the port of New York. It is a daily index of the world's cases of bubonic plague, cholera and yellow fever. The black dots indicate cases of bubonic plague, the white dots cholera, and the crosses yellow fever.

Get your size in a pair of dainty White House Shoes. Slip your feet in. You'll find the shoes snug—pliable—smooth—graceful. They are built over foot-form lasts. That's why they fit. If you want pretty, snug, easy-fitting new shoes, get a pair of White House Shoes. **WHITE HOUSE SHOES.** FOR MEN, \$3.50, 4.00, 5.00 and 6.00. FOR WOMEN, \$3.50, 4.00, 5.00. Better Brown Blue Ribbon Shoes for youngsters. Ask your dealer for them. **THE BROWN SHOE CO., Makers, ST. LOUIS.**

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Correspondence Letters

GARDEN

Born, on the 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen McKeon of this village, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Conly of Nahma, visited with relatives in this village last week.

Oliver Bulliase returned home from Harris where he, has been working the last three weeks, on the 24th.

Dellord Truckey and wife of Nahma, are visiting this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Truckey of this village.

Henry Gauthier and Frank Disco left on the 27th, for Big Rapids Mich, where they will attend school this winter.

A man by the name of Myette, had two fingers of his right hand amputated by a shingle saw in the Van's Harbour mill on the 24th.

Mrs. Mary Ann Russel, an old resident of this village, but now residing in Pentwater, Mich., visited with her old friends in this village and vicinity last week.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Dayid Farley of this village died very suddenly on the morning of the 57th. Funeral services held on the 28th, from the Congregational church.

Roy Olmstead and Gene Russell of Dickenson N. D. came up to Chicago last week with a car-load of cattle from their ranch, and extended their trip to Garden and spent several days with friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Work on the Van's Harbor & Cocks Mills R. R. is being pushed forward to completion as rapidly as possible.

About 100 men are at work at present laying track and grading, and as many more are wanted.

Mrs. Eliza Olmstead, for many years a resident of Sac Bay and Garden, but now residing at Swea City Iowa, has been spending the past three weeks with her son Mr. Alton Olmstead, and her daughter Mrs. Theodore Hazen of this village. She returned home on the 24th.

Several large bears have been seen on the streets of Garden during the last two weeks. About daylight one day last week one came into the village up Water street, when he was seen by several small kids who chased him out of town with stones. Where are all of our hunters?

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GOOD AT GUESSING?

Then You Stand a Chance of Winning a Prize at Fair Savings Bank Store To-day

Beginning at 8 o'clock today, every person who visits any department of the Fair Savings Bank Store during the day and up to 9:30 in the evening will be counted and each person will be entitled to make a guess on the number of persons who will enter the store during the day, as will be shown by the automatic counters with which boys, who will be stationed at each entrance will count customers. It will cost you nothing for any one to register a guess and the person who comes nearest guessing the correct number will be presented with a fine suit of clothes.

This is a novel scheme which will certainly attract many people to that popular store, and as it does not cost a cent to register a guess there is no reason why every one should not do so. The name of the person whose guess is nearest the correct number will be announced immediately after 9:30 tomorrow evening at the store. See the Fair Store hand bills for further particulars.

Adrift Nearly Three Days.

George Mutart, a Munising man, completely exhausted from cold, fatigue and hunger, after nearly three days' drifting in a rowboat out in the middle of Lake Superior, was picked up by the steamer Hoover & Mason, Captain Charles Autterson, about fifty miles out in the lake due north of Huron island. He left the boat when it arrived at the Soo and subsequently went to Munising. He is very weak and his hands and feet are swollen from the continuous exposure.

"I left Munising with four other men," says Mutart, in telling his story. "We had a naphtha launch and were towing a lighter loaded with supplies for the lumber camp operated by my stepfather, J. H. Johnson, which is located about twenty-two miles from Munising. Soon after leaving Munising I took two guns and got back into a rowboat which was in tow of the lighter for the purpose of shooting ducks.

"When darkness came on I drew a blanket over me and went to sleep in the rowboat. In the night I was awakened by the water splashing over the sides of the rowboat and found that I was drifting with neither the launch or the lighter in sight. I kept an eye out for boats and did considerable rowing during the day, though I got pretty well tired out before the day was spent as I had nothing to eat since the previous noon. The next day it was the same sort of thing, only I did less rowing and more drifting. I was kept quite busy keeping the boat from filling with water that splashed in.

"That night passed and I wasn't good for much of any kind of work the next forenoon, and barely kept the water out of the boat. Shortly before noon I sighted the first boat that I had seen in all that time. I saw that I was a couple of miles off her course and immediately began rowing, although I hardly know where the strength came from as I had not been able to do anything during the forenoon. I made that boat go some for awhile, though, I tell you and struck the course of the boat, which turned out to be the Hoover & Mason, just in time to be sighted and taken on board. I had been lying down a good share of the forenoon and couldn't have held out a great deal longer. They treated me right on that boat I tell you.

STOCK COMPANY

Will Open Engagement at Peterson's Opera House Tomorrow Night

The Nellie Kennedy company will play at the Peterson opera house next week beginning to-morrow night. On Monday night however there will be no play and the series will be resumed on Tuesday night. The company is a strong one and comes well recommended. Vaudeville features are presented after each act and the shows are on the whole entertaining and full of interest.

Found Dead in Bed

Patrick McMongle, a citizen of this city for a number of years, was found dead at the home of his sister, Mrs. John Jordan at 316 No. Mary street on last Saturday morning. The cause of death was heart failure complicated with other diseases.

Jackson Accepts Challenge

"Kid" Jackson has accepted the challenge issued recently by Earl Foote who expressed his desire to meet a pugilist of his own weight. The men will meet at 122 pounds about Nov. 23.

Monday November 2nd. On that date we will exhibit through the representative of The B. Palmer & Co., the most magnificent assortment of styles in Winter coats.

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LOCAL NEWS

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George C. Young, son of Mrs. George Young, has returned to Escanaba after an absence of nearly four years, during which time he served on board the U. S. S. Rainbow in the Philippines, and participated in the circling of the globe trip.

Dr. F. A. Banks returned the first of the week from a visit with his son Dr. Roy Banks at Hancock.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hodson on Monday morning, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Flint returned Monday morning from a several days visit at Chicago.

A marriage license was issued Monday to Emil Lancoeur of Escanaba township and Ida Borrow of Escanaba.

A marriage license was issued Tuesday to George Hirn and Clara Laviolette both of Escanaba.

Mrs. Jacob Kraze returned Wednesday from a several weeks' visit with relatives at Milwaukee.

Mrs. Miles Thomas is visiting at Chicago.

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Miss Katherine Leitch will leave today for a visit at Chicago.

Mrs. Solomon Greenhoot is visiting friends at Milwaukee.

Mrs. A. C. McCafferty left Monday night to visit friends at Green Bay.

O. H. Laviolette and family have moved to this city from Oconto Falls.

George Brotherton left Tuesday for Duluth to remain for the next five months.

Patrick Foley of Perronville was brought to the Delta county hospital Monday night suffering from a broken leg sustained in an accident in the woods.

Prof. E. F. Quintal, of the Green Bay Business college, gave an informal reception and banquet at the Elk's hall on Wednesday evening for the graduates and former students of the Green Bay school in this city.

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Young Woman Dead

After an illness of several weeks from typhoid fever, Miss Emma Kress, 18 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Kress, passed away at the home of the family at 925 So. Norris street Monday. The death of Miss Kress is unusually sad and is a severe blow to her friends. Funeral services were held from St. Patrick's church Thursday morning.

Fell 25 Feet

James Buell, the engineer in charge of the construction work at the Water company's filtration plant, fell from the summit of the scaffolding on Monday and narrowly escaped serious injury. Mr. Buell was at the top of the building and started to cross on a narrow timber. He missed his footing and fell headlong to the cement floor 25 feet below. By grasping at timbers as he descended he was able to break the force of the fall and landed on his back. Besides a severe shaking up Mr. Buell was uninjured.

City Team Won

The Escanaba City foot ball team defeated the Gladstone city team in a game played at the South Park grounds last Sunday by a score of 33 to 0. Lehr the former University of Michigan player, was in the game with the locals and his playing was in a great measure responsible for the heavy score which the Escanaba team rolled up.

Death of William Hennessey

William Hennessey, a well known saloon keeper of this city, died Saturday night at the Delta county hospital after a short illness. Mr. Hennessey was 51 years of age and was unmarried. He is survived by his mother and one sister.

New Pastor

The Rev. Everett E. Williams of Alma has accepted a call from the St. Stephen's Episcopal church of this city and is expected to arrive here about December 1st.



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