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WRECK SURVIVORS TELL STORY

DIRECTORS TO MEET

UPPER PENINSULA DEVELOPMENT BUREAU OFFICER WILL MEET IN THIS CITY TODAY

Members of the board of directors of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau will meet in Escanaba today for the regular monthly meeting of that body. The meeting will be held at the office of Treasurer H. W. Reade and a number of matters will be given attention.

The board is made up of one director from each county in the peninsula in addition to the officers and it is expected that there will be practically a complete representation at the session of today. The board will receive the report of Supt. T. E. Quinby of work that has been accomplished in the past month and will lay plans for the coming month to insure the continuous activity of the organization in the interests of this district.

Until the work of the year is under full swing the directors have planned to hold monthly meetings in different cities of the district and it is probable that a few more of the monthly sessions will be arranged at the meeting of today in this city.

UNION NOW ORGANIZED

The plumbers, steamfitters and steamfitters helpers of Escanaba have organized a local union that includes in its membership practically all of the members of that craft in this city. At the last meeting of the members of the union officers of the organization were elected as follows: George Condon president; J. C. Gandy vice president; Verner Anderson recording secretary; M. Y. Wetton financial secretary and treasurer and Fred Nault inside sentinel.

OFFICERS SELECTED

Members of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Methodist Episcopal church yesterday held their annual meeting and named officers for the coming year. The officers chosen are: Mrs. A. J. Valentine president; Mrs. H. W. Coburn vice president; Mrs. F. Davis treasurer and Mrs. Byron Leighton secretary.

Reports submitted by the different officers at the meeting of yesterday showed that the past year has been one of the most successful in the history of the society. Every event undertaken by the society during year proved to be an immense success and in a material as well as a spiritual way the society proved of great aid to the First Methodist Episcopal church congregation.

ELKS PLAN FORMAL PATRY

Complete arrangements were made yesterday by members of the committee in charge for a formal dancing party to be given by members of the Escanaba lodge of Elks at the Elks temple on Monday evening Apr. 29. The function will be the first formal party arranged in this city in some time and invitations will be limited to members of the lodge and a few guests of the Elks of the city.

Before the party is given the hall is to be redecorated and with the special decorations that will be provided for the party a beautiful setting will be provided for the function. Invitations for the affair are to be issued shortly.

Adelore Gendler who conducts the Washington house at Washington is

WOODEN WEDDING WAS CELEBRATED

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Pratt entertained a large company of guests at their home at 300 North Fannie street on Tuesday evening in celebration of the fifth anniversary of their marriage. Arranged as a wooden wedding celebration Mr. and Mrs. Pratt received a number of gifts of wood from their guests. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion and all of the guests thoroughly enjoyed every part of the evening's plans. A program of music and cards was carried out, after which refreshments were served.

ICE FIELDS BREAKING UP

EARLY OPENING OF NAVIGATION AT ALL PORTS INDICATED BY ICE REPORT

According to the weekly ice report sent out by the weather bureau the ice was driven out of the Straits on Sunday by a heavy wind and the St. Mary's river is open from above the Rapids to Nine Mile point in Hay Lake.

The steamer Lotus, formerly of this port, made its first trip of the season from St. Ignace to Mackinac Island on Friday of last week, passing through floating ice floes.

Following is the ice report, showing a general breaking up of the ice fields in all of the lakes, indicating an early opening of navigation:

The reports from the regular, and display stations of the Weather Bureau and Meteorological Service of Canada indicate that the warm weather of the past week has materially decreased the amount of ice in the lakes. In Superior there is a field about 20 miles wide at the extreme western end, with open water, apparently extending eastward beyond this to Keweenaw Point. From Keweenaw Point eastward to Whitefish the field continues very extensive, but more open water is appearing. The ice in Whitefish Bay is intact but honeycombed rapidly. The St. Marys river is reported open from about the rapids to Nine Mile Point in Hay Lake; over the southern portion the ice is softening. The ice in Green Bay is breaking and moving with the wind. In Michigan the ice fields are confined to the northern portion, to the north of North Manitow Island.

The ice was driven out of the Straits on April 14th by strong east winds, but considerable floating ice is reported. In Huron the fields have moved from the west shore and appear intact over the eastern portion. The ice has run out of Lake St. Clair. In Erie the fields are confined to the

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FAIR STORE RIG IN-A WRECK

The special delivery rig of the Fair Savings Bank Department Store was wrecked at Tilden and Ogden avenues yesterday afternoon when the plate holding front axle to the rig suddenly gave way. The driver was thrown out and stunned for several minutes, while the horse proceeded for a short distance before it was stopped. Aside from spilling the load of goods and slightly injuring the driver no material damage was done.

FOUR DEALERS PAY OVER CASH

Four liquor dealers of Delta county have now appeared at the office of County Treasurer Joseph J. Mallmann and taken out their licenses for the coming year. Those who have taken out the big red cards after paying over \$500 are: Henry Maringer, Flat Rock; Joseph Procheta, Park River; Herman Aronson, Schaffer and

ORE TRAINS COME IN

NORTHWESTERN STORING ORE IN YARDS. ST. PAUL MAY GET FIRST TRAIN TODAY

Up to last night three train loads of ore had been received in the Northwestern yards here from the different mines that have begun loading operations for the season. Ore trains will continue to bring their cargoes into the Northwestern yards but it is not likely that any ore will be dumped into the pockets of the docks until next week.

At the St. Paul dock it was announced yesterday that the first ore of the season will probably be received either today or tomorrow. The steamer Price McKenna is fitted out and ready to leave Milwaukee at any time that word is received from the St. Paul dock officials here that the ore is ready to give her a cargo. It is hardly possible that the vessel will be notified to come here before Monday.

TAG DAY ARRANGED

To raise funds to provide for the Memorial Day observance in this city members of the Woman's Relief Corps are making plans for a tag day to be conducted in all parts of the city on Saturday May 4. Should weather conditions prove unsatisfactory on that date the event will be carried out on Saturday May 11.

Last season the Woman's Relief Corps conducted a Tag day with excellent financial results and it is planned to make the event of this year an even greater success than that scored a year ago.

LIGHTS ARE ATTRACTIVE

With strings of electric lights running up the four flag staffs that mark the corners and the middle of the Jennie street side of the building, Kratze Brothers new department store building attracted marked attention from all people on Ludington street last night. The strings of fire mounting high into the air above the building attract particular attention to the building and will remain as one of the permanent lighting features of the structure. Yesterday a complete shipment of all of the fixtures for the second floor of the store were received and were being placed in position during the day. The exact date of opening has not yet been announced but it may be possible to throw the store open to the public late in this week.

WEDDING IS ANNOUNCED

Formal announcements were received in the city yesterday of the marriage at Peshtigo Wis., on Tuesday of Miss Jessie Belle MacRae, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. MacRae of that city to Mr. Arthur Heastwole Landis, of Escanaba. The wedding was a quiet home affair attended only by close relatives of the bride and the groom. Following the ceremony the bride and groom left for a short wedding trip after which they will come to Escanaba to make their home here. The bride is a popular young woman of Peshtigo having a large number of friends in that city. The groom is engaged as auditor for the Escanaba Produce Company in this city and is popular with many of the young society people of the city.

George Southerland was down from Gould City last night. Herman Aronson returned last night from

GOVERNMENT IS REFUSED INFORMATION

COMMANDER CRUISER CHESTER SAYS CARPATHIA MASTER WOULD NOT GIVE DETAILS OF DISASTER

DEATH TOLL GROWING

Number Saved Not Over 700. One Vessel Picks Up Number of Dead Victims.

(Special to the Morning Press) New York, Apr. 17.—A wireless message from Washington, directed to the commander of the Cruiser Chester, was picked up at South Brooklyn late this evening. The navy department ordered the commander of the cruiser to obtain from the master of the Carpathia at once all details of the Titanic disaster. The commander of the cruiser officials that he had already sought such information from the captain of the Carpathia and he refused to give out any information concerning the wreck.

(Special to the Morning Press) Wellfleet, Mass., April 17.—Carpathia has communicated with the wireless station here and reports neither John Jacob Astor, Benjamin Guggenheim nor Isadore Straus are on board. Wireless operator said Captain Smith struck to ship on its bridge when the Titanic sank.

(Special to the Morning Press) Boston, Mass., April 17.—A relayed wireless from the Olympic via Cape Race says that the Layland liner California, bound for this port, succeeded in recovering a number of bodies of the victims of the Titanic and is bringing them here. She will arrive tomorrow. There is no intimation as to whether they have been identified.

(Special to the Morning Press) New York, Apr. 17.—No details of the loss of the Titanic are available yet but a relayed wireless says the loss will be 2,000 lives.

Same dispatch says there are 700 survivors so statements cannot be reconciled as there were but 2,200 people aboard.

Believed now that many notable men perished as lists of survivors received show nearly all women and children.

Only officers to escape were those in charge of boats.

(Special to the Morning Press) New York Apr. 17.—The Carpathia, bearing the survivors from the Titanic wreck horror, is now less than 500 miles off New York and at the Cunard office it is announced that the vessel will probably dock by midnight tomorrow. It was also announced today that no newspaper men will be allowed to board the vessel until she has reached the port. No additional names of the survivors could be secured tonight but it is known that the great bulk of those saved were third class passengers.

(Special to the Morning Press) Washington D. C., Apr. 17.—A resolution was introduced in the senate this afternoon calling for a comprehensive investigation of the Titanic disaster. The Resolution was favorably reported out by the senate committee on commerce and was adopted without discussion. The matter was referred to the committee on commerce for immediate action. Senator Marty of New Jersey introduced a resolution this afternoon looking to a national agreement for a change from the present Trans Atlantic route. The resolution was sent to senate committee on foreign relations.

(Special to the Morning Press) New York Apr. 17.—Mayor Gaynor today received the following cablegram from the Lord Mayor of London: "We are opening relief fund for sufferers Titanic disaster. Will warmly welcome your sympathy." Mayor Gaynor

Tale of Terrible Disaster Finally Told By Few Survivors on Carpathia

Night Horror in Mid-Atlantic Graphically Described in Wireless Message Sent From vessel Carrying Survivors to New York

Death Came Instantly to many Crushed In Heavy Impact With Giant Berg

Brilliant Scene in Gay Salon Of Giant Liner Brought To Sudden End On Sunday Night. Women Taken Off Doomed Vessel In Evening Gowns. Suffering Was Intense.

(Special to the Morning Press) Wellfleet Mas. April 18. (2 a. m.) (By Wireless from Steamer Carpathia) The first connected story of the horrible wrecking of the monster liner Titanic was received here early this morning from the steamer racing toward the American shore with over 700 survivors of the wreck aboard.

Following is the graphic tale sent out from the Carpathia by wireless: With all of the survivors aboard who could be found about the scene of the terrible wreck the Carpathia making all possible speed toward New York. Some of the survivors are in a pitiable state from exhaustion and from exposure but all of those picked up alive are still living and are being given every possible care.

The story told by the survivors of the wrecking of the big liner is a tragic one and one that tells of the heroism not only of all members of the crew but of the majority of men among the passengers.

When the vessel struck the ice berg a panic swept the ship from stem to stern. In vain members of the crew with Capt. Smith attempted to control the passengers.

As the boat struck the ice berg, she was almost rent asunder, by the terrific impact. Practically the entire bottom was ripped out of the vessel and she began to settle rapidly. Within less than an hour she went to the bottom with almost the entire crew and practically all of the men passengers.

The iceberg was not sighted in the heavy fog until the Titanic was dead upon it. A warning was shouted. Capt. Smith signaled to reverse the engines but it was then too late. Carried by its monster weight and momentum the vessel crashed into the berg.

Several passengers were killed outright by the force of the impact. Many had their limbs broken and lay groaning on the deck and in the salon.

At least 150 members of the crew were killed outright when the crash occurred.

They were quartered in the bow of the vessel and were crushed to death, caught like rats in a trap.

Their agonized cries of pain mingled with the screams of women; shouts of men and the terrible grinding of the ships hull on the ice filled the air making up a scene hard to describe adequately.

With the final realization that his splendid vessel was doomed Capt. Smith ordered the life boats lowered away.

His orders were obeyed with a promptitude that was remarkable under the circumstances.

The work of lowering the women and children from the several classes of passengers was begun immediately. Husbands were torn from wives and children and brave men gave up their dear ones to themselves face death without a murmur.

The life boats were rocked and swayed by the wind and the rolling of the rapidly foundering boat and great difficulty was experienced in getting the women and children over the side. Some were injured in placing them in the boats.

Several of the boats were crushed before they reached the water against the side of the vessel and their occupants spilled into the sea.

Finally the last of the women and the children who could be reached had left the boat and alone the men and the few remaining women calmly awaited death as it was evident before the last boat had been lowered that the liner could float for but a few minutes.

Of the final scenes aboard the vessel the survivors know nothing as they were rowed away from the wreck as fast as possible by the boat men.

They had gone but a short distance however when the gallant vessel of a few hours before, suddenly plunged her nose into the sea and with a sighing wall went to the bottom.

There was a gathering in the grand saloon on Sunday night attended by the men and women of the first cabin passengers. All were attired in evening dress and the scene was a brilliant one. It was a gala night aboard the great liner.

Suddenly out of the darkness the giant iceberg appeared and a moment later the vessel crashed into the obstruction headon. The gala night in the twinkling of an eye was converted into a scene of intense horror.

Not any of the passengers away from their cabins could reach their quarters again.

Many of the women were lowered from the vessel in their evening gowns and which afforded but scant protection from the severe April wind and splashes of ice cold water.

The Carpathia rushed to the scene of the disaster immediately after the first wireless call was received.

When she arrived at the scene nothing was to be seen of the Titanic.

Guided only by the cries and moans of the distressed survivors the Carpathia cautiously made her way through the dangerous ice fields. One by one the boats bearing the women and children and the few men survivors, were picked up and were given every possible attention. The Carpathia remained about the scene until after day break and it was certain that every living survivor of the night horror, had been rescued.

COUPLE WEDDED

Announcements have been received of the marriage at Whitewater Wis., on Tuesday of Miss Mae C. Flynn, of Escanaba, to Mr. Sylvan Kersten of Green Bay. The bride is a popular young woman of the city who has spent the greater portion of her life in Escanaba and who has a host of friends here. The groom is a druggist employed at the R. A. McDonald pharmacy at Green Bay and who through frequent visits here, has made a number of friends in this city.

Of the wedding the Whitewater Register says:

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Patrick's church at 8:30 o'clock Tuesday morning when Miss Mae C. Flynn of Escanaba, Mich and Sylvan M. Kersten of DePere, Wis., were united in the bonds of matrimony.

Rev. Father Kersten of Racine, Wis., uncle of the groom performed the ceremony and Miss Geneva Flynn, sister of the bride, attended as maid of honor and Leo Kersten, brother of the groom, acted as best man.

After the ceremony the bridal party returned to the home of Mrs. C. Conaty where an elaborate breakfast was served.

The home was prettily decorated, the color scheme being pink and white. Those present were: Dr. N. Kersten, Mrs. A. Kersten, Depere Wis., Erlie Kersten, Milwaukee, Wis., Matt Flynn Escanaba, Mich, Miss Merton, White Water, Wis.

After May 1, Mr. and Mrs. Kersten will be at home to their friends at

BROTHER IS VICTIM

Nicholas Nasser, numbered among the victims of the fearful Titanic disaster in Mid Atlantic, was a brother of Michael and Edward Nasser, of this city. Mr. Nasser had been touring Europe with his wife and had recently written to his brothers here that he would soon sail for this country. In the wreck of the big liner Mr. Nasser gave up his life while his wife was saved. The list of the missing from among the passengers of the Titanic published in the Press yesterday morning gave the brothers here their first hint of the terrible fate that had been met by him.

Only the fact that he missed the boat at Gottenberg prevented a

NEW LABOR BILL A TAFT POLICY

Liability and Compensation Measure Progressive.

JUSTICE IS ITS OBJECT

President Approves Proposed Legislation Making Federal Labor Laws Fit Modern Conditions—Legal Machinery Simplified.

As the result of the personal interest of President Taft in all matters affecting the workmen of the country, congress has before it today a comprehensive bill on employers' liability and workmen's compensation which is recognized as one of the most progressive of the many achievements of the Taft administration. The bill was reported by a commission appointed by President Taft pursuant to a joint resolution of congress passed on June 25, 1910, and it was recently sent to congress by the president accompanied with a message recommending its passage. As drafted the measure provides an exclusive remedy and compensation for accidental injuries resulting in disabilities or death to employees of common carriers engaged in interstate or foreign commerce or in the District of Columbia.

This comprehensive legislation is the direct outcome of the general unsatisfactoriness of labor legislation passed by congress in recent years and is illustrative of the Taft method of reaching an admitted evil by a painstaking investigation followed by carefully considered laws. As is well known, the first employers' liability law passed in the last administration was declared unconstitutional by the courts. A new law to take its place was passed under this administration, but it was generally understood at the time that the comprehensive measure now before congress was to follow, both as to liability and compensation, as soon as the necessary investigation into the subject could be made. The result is that the workmen of the United States, so far as they can be reached by federal law, will soon be working under one of the most enlightened labor laws on record.

Provision is made in the bill, as drafted tentatively, that every common carrier, engaged in interstate or foreign commerce, shall pay compensations in the amounts specified in the bill to any of its employees who sustain personal injury by accident arising out of and in the course of his employment, and resulting in his disability, or to his dependents in case of death.

It is provided in the bill that the injured employee shall have medical attendance, and surgical aid, when necessary, the last mentioned being limited to \$200. The monthly wages of an employee is deemed to be 26 times the established day's pay, and \$50 is the minimum monthly wage payment. It is also provided that all compensation under the act shall be paid monthly, unless computed to a lump sum.

Death benefits are provided for at a specific percentage of the man's wages to be paid to the widow, with an increase in the amount when there are dependent children and in case of no dependents the payment of the burial expenses is required. The matter of personal injury compensation is also covered in a fair and equitable provision of compensation for the injured employee.

Another feature of the proposed act is a clear definition of the term "dependent," as well as of what constitutes an "injury" and an "employee." Legal complications are provided for, reports of accidents, payments and operations under the law to the interstate commerce commission, are required, and it is declared that the proposed act shall take effect on July 1, 1912, and cited as "The Federal Compensation Act of 1912."

In its investigations of this subject the commission determined at the outset that in substance the doctrines of the common law originating under comparatively simple conditions were unjust as applied to the complex relations of master and servant. The use of complicated machinery, steam and electricity has had the effect of increasing the deplorable antagonism between employer and employee and often giving a few injured employees large and frequently extravagant damages, while the great majority have been left to bear the entire burden without any recompense whatever.

At the time of the adoption of the common law rules of liability industrial conditions were radically different from those of today. The number of employees was smaller because there were few big industrial plants. The business carried on was small in extent, the appliances used in the work, consisted largely of hand tools, while the power was simple in character with little danger to the employee. Under such conditions the rules of common law originated.

Today there is a vast difference. President Taft, in the message which transmitted the report of the commission to congress, aptly says, in speaking of the proposed bill: "That it is one of the great steps of progress toward a satisfactory solution of an important phase of the controversies between employers and employees that has been proposed within the last two or three decades. The old rules of liability have been out of date for more than 100 years."

Delegates Pledged to Taft.

On Friday, April 12, 1912, the delegates to the Republican national convention pledged to President Taft were as follows:

Alabama	22
Alaska	2
Colorado	2
District of Columbia	2
Florida	12
Georgia	26
Illinois	2
Indiana	20
Iowa	8
Kentucky	23
Louisiana	6
Michigan	18
Mississippi	20
Missouri	14
New Mexico	7
New York	82
Oklahoma	4
Philippines	2
South Carolina	16
Tennessee	16
Vermont	6
Virginia	24
Total	341

Pledged to Roosevelt	113
Pledged to La Follette	36
Pledged to Cummins	4
Necessary for choice	589

tion, and were evidently drawn by men imbued with the importance of preserving the employers from burdensome or unjust liabilities. It was treated as a personal matter of each employee, and the employees were put on a level of dealing which, however, it may have been in the past, certainly creates injustice to the employee under the present conditions.

The attention of congress to the great injustice of the present system was called by President Taft. He mentioned the fact that often the recovery of large sums in damage verdicts did not result in actual benefit to the injured person on account of the heavy expenses in litigation. The president expressed the belief that these burdens would disappear with the enactment of the proposed law, since the counsel fees are limited to a reasonable amount.

As further stated by the president: "the great object of the proposed law is to secure justice to the weaker party under existing modern conditions." He also declared that he would use his influence to aid in the enactment of the proposed law before the adjournment of the present session of congress.

Prosecution of Mail Frauds. In keeping with the record of the Taft administration in the prosecution of violations of the Sherman anti-trust law, in which the records for civil and criminal suits in all previous administrations have been broken, are the prosecutions brought for violations of the postal laws. Under these laws all fraudulent and "wild-cat" business schemes carried on through the mails are punished. In addition to the punishments meted out, and of more importance to the people of the whole country, is the fact that activity in prosecutions is ending for all time the operations of fraudulent concerns which have stolen thousands of dollars of the people's money annually. The record of these prosecutions for the last eight years, compiled from the official documents, is as follows:

Year	Prosecutions	Fines Imposed
1904	1,428	\$134,779.05
1905	1,872	112,781.80
1906	1,857	121,709.30
1907	1,430	161,408.38
1908	1,847	174,880.02
1909	1,755	161,751.90
1910	1,721	278,022.50
1911	1,732	246,900.23

Part of the record of 1908 and all of the record for the last three years belongs to the Taft administration.

The Success of Postal Savings Banks. The establishment of postal savings banks has proved a boon to the people of small incomes. To the laboring man who has little to spare at the end of the week after he has paid his store bills; to the small shopkeeper whose profits, above living expenses, are not great; to the farmer who has only an occasional dollar to lay aside and to the child who is just learning the value of money, the postal savings banks give a chance to save even a dollar a week, if he cannot lay aside a larger sum.

Postal savings banks, which are in operation in practically all civilized countries, were advocated by President Taft from the beginning of his administration. There are now more than 7,500 banks in operation, with an aggregate deposit of nearly \$20,000,000, which is being added to every month. The establishment of these banks marks another prominent milestone in the achievements of the Taft administration and one which will endure for all time to come.

IS GRAVEYARD OF DOZEN BIG ATLANTIC LINERS

New York, April 17.—Icebergs such as the one that spelled disaster for the Titanic are one of three sources of greatest peril to vessels navigating the North Atlantic. The other two are fog and derelicts. The iceberg menace has been greater this spring than in any recent year.

In the last fifty years there have been an even dozen disasters to big liners for which icebergs were responsible. A majority of these occurred off Newfoundland and the Grand Banks, in the general vicinity of the Titanic's grave. The disaster column includes:

Year	Place	Year	Lives
1863	Canadian, mid-Atlantic	1863	45
1864	Immigrant, Cape Race	1864	158
1869	Vicksburg, Cape Race	1869	65
1873	Warrior, Grand Banks	1873	29
1881	North Star, Cabot	1881	67
1887	Medway, New Foundland	1887	29
1897	Valliant, Grand Banks	1897	70

Lost. Place. Year. Lives. Snowbird, Cape Race....1898 6. Endymion, Grand Banks....1900 8. Islanders, off Alaska....1901 67. Albatross, mid-Atlantic....1902 22. Titanic, Cape Race.....1912 11,341. Estimated.

The drift of ice this spring has been farther south than for years. Vessels arriving here and abroad have reported ice fields extending far down into the southern track and skippers have told of being shut in by ice as far as they could see on every side of the horizon.

The size of the bergs which have been encountered varies greatly but according to reliable reports, bergs reaching from sixty to 100 feet to the top of its walls, with pinnacles and spires extending to a height of 250 feet or more, have not been unusual. Below the water some of these giant bergs extend probably 500 feet.

LIABILITY BILL IS A LONG STEP FOR LABOR

Washington, April 17.—The employers' liability and workmen's compensation bill will be taken up in the senate next week and the proceedings will be followed with the keenest interest not only by the 1,700,000 men and women employed by the railroad companies, but by the men who own or operate the 250,000 miles of track upon which the railroad traffic of the country is carried. Nothing more vitally affecting the personal interest of the railroad employee and his family has ever been designed than this proposed legislation. Fortunately, it stands some chance of passing. It is the outcome of months of hearing and deliberation by a commission admitted by capable of dealing with every phase of the subject and representing the railroads as well as their employees.

Displaces Old Common Law. The bill has been favorably reported to the senate by the committee on the judiciary. In place of the old common-law system of employer's liability based upon negligence, with its defense of contributory negligence, assumption of risk and follow-fault, there is proposed a system based not upon fault but upon the fact of injury resulting from accident in the course of employment. Stated in general terms the proposed legislation provides that every common carrier engaged in interstate and foreign commerce by railroad shall pay compensation to any of its employees who, while employed by such in such commerce, sustains personal injury by accident arising out of and in the course of his employment and resulting in his disability, or to his dependents, in case of death. The new law would be exclusive—all existing common law and statutory remedies, so far as future cases are concerned, would be abolished.

Chief Payments Summarized. For the purpose of fixing compensation the monthly wages of the employee are deemed to be twenty-six times his established day's pay, but in no case can these wages be considered to be more than \$100 or less than \$50 a month; except that where the monthly wages of the employee are less than \$25 a month, payment for the first twenty-four months of disability cannot exceed the full amount of the monthly wages. In case death results from the injury monthly payments are to be made for a period of eight years to the following dependents:

For a widow alone, 40 per cent of the monthly wages.
For a widow and any child under the age of sixteen, 50 per cent.
If no widow, but any child under the age of sixteen, or dependent child over the age of sixteen, if one such child, 25 per cent; if more than one, 10 per cent for each additional child, not to exceed a total of 50 per cent for all.

If the number of children be subsequently reduced to less than four the payments are to be correspondingly diminished.
In the event of the widow's death or remarriage before the expiration of the eight years, payments are to be continued to the children, if any, for the unexpired term.
If no widow or children, 16 per cent to the parents, if partly dependent; if wholly dependent, 25 per cent, if only one, and 40 per cent if both parents are dependent.
In case there be none of the foregoing provisions in middle

for payments to any brother, sister, grand-parent or grandchild, who may be wholly dependent upon the deceased, and smaller payments in case of partial dependency.

In case the deceased leave a widow or child not a resident of the United States or Canada, there is to be paid a lump sum equal to one year's wages of the deceased and no compensation to any other non-resident dependent.

In case no dependents are left provision is made for the payment of burial expenses not to exceed \$150 and for a contribution toward the burial expenses of \$75 where the monthly payments to the dependents are not less than \$15 per month.

Payments are to cease upon the death or remarriage of the dependent; or, in the case of a child, at the age of sixteen, unless a child over that age is dependent.
Where permanent total disability results, as, for example, the loss of both legs, both arms, etc., the injured employee is to be paid fifty per cent of his monthly wage during the remainder of his life; in case of temporary total disability, fifty per cent during the continuance of the disability.

In case of permanent partial disability, particular injuries are specified by the bill that has been offered, and it is provided that payments shall be made for the various periods of time proportionate to the injury; for example, for the loss of an arm, payments are to continue for 72 months; for the loss of a leg, 66 months; for the loss of an eye, 30 months; for the loss of a thumb, 23 months, and so on.

In case of injuries not specified, where permanent partial disability results, the compensation is to bear such relation to the periods specifically enumerated. Provision is made that payment for injury of any character shall cease while the employee is at work at wages which do not fall below 90 per cent of his wages at the time of the injury.

Compulsory and Exclusive. The proposed law is in form compulsory, that is, it will go into operation irrespective of the consent of the employers and employees. There are differences of opinion in congress as to whether the law ought to be compulsory and whether it ought to be exclusive. An effort will be made so to amend the proposed legislation as to give the employee the option to sue the employer on his common-law right. The commission took strong ground in favor of making the law exclusive.

Apparently the railroads do not intend to make a vigorous fight against the legislation. They are already paying out annually enormous sums as a result of accidents.

JAMES J. HILL NOW TO RETIRE

Chicago, April 17.—James J. Hill, chairman of the board of directors of the Great Northern railway and one of the country's railway leaders, will retire in a few weeks, according to a statement published by the Chicago Evening Post yesterday.
St. Paul, Minn., April 15.—James J. Hill, late this afternoon refused to confirm or deny the report from Chicago that he soon was to retire from the board of directors of the Great Northern railway and that he was to be succeeded by his son, Louis W. Hill. Mr. Hill said:
"I have no answer to make. They can start all the rumors of this sort they like; but I have no time to run them down."

50 OUTLAWS CARRY OFF VILLAGE GIRLS

Belize, British Honduras, April 17.—Fifty desperadoes are terrorizing the Cayo district of British Honduras, which supplies a large portion of the chicle for American chewing gum. The district bids fair soon to be depopulated unless desperate relief measures or the colonial government are successful.

A month since the outlaw gang stole six girls and a young married woman and took them off to their abiding places. The desperadoes now announce that every man will provide himself a wife after the same fashion. Already several towns a half century old are but rows of empty houses, and the terror is spreading. Two of the places thus abandoned are Chorro and Bullet Tree Falls.

Fight in Streets. News has just reached here of a desperate street fight in Benque Viejo, in which a policeman and a citizen were killed and a number of persons were wounded. The outlaws, led by one, Hernandez, a giant halfbreed, who claims descent from an ancient Castilian family, entered the town to capture more women. They were well armed with rifles, and apparently expected to find most of the men at work gathering chicle, as they did in the former successful raid. A number of the male residents of the town had stayed at home, however, and reinforced the handful of officers. The invaders finally withdrew, but in good order and leaving no dead or wounded.

Treat Women Well. Two big bands in motor boats and several posses of armed residents also are in pursuit. One posse is led by the married man whose wife was stolen. All the women seem to have been well treated, from letters received by their relatives, although threatened with death if they attempt to escape. The women all are said to have attended school.

The stolen women are understood to be near the village of Yaloach, and it is there the clash with the authorities will take place.
The desperadoes seem as bold as ever was Camorra or Mafia in the wilds of Italy. The leader, Hernandez, though of inferior education, is a giant in strength and size and rules his men with an iron hand. He appears utterly without fear. For years a price has been upon his head, including a check from an American chicle firm, yet he is a familiar figure upon the streets of Cayo villages. Not long since he boldly approached a police constable and told him to take no part against the band under pain of certain death.

Police Sergeant Walker, from Belize reports that he is holding four suspects, but that the men say they will die rather than say a word, against Hernandez.

Hernandez apparently has a considerable fortune. He has been known to purchase arms of the most expensive type, rifles with engraved barrels and revolvers with pearl handles.

BURNED YOUTH WILL YET LIVE

Menominee, Mich., April 17.—Clarence Fessette of Harris township, who narrowly escaped electrocution on Friday, when he came in contact with a high current feed wire, is getting along nicely at St. Joseph's hospital. His entire body with the exception of the right side of his back, is badly burned. His young wife who accompanied him to the hospital is constantly at his bedside. His parents who accompanied him here, have returned to their home at Harris.

John Semrau who was badly scalded on February 21, when he fell into a hole of boiling water at the Leisen & Hones brewery, is getting along as well as can be expected. It will be sometime though before he fully recovers from the effects of the terrible burns he received.

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IMBECILE BECOMES GENIUS BY OPERATION

London, April 17.—The story of how a famous New York surgeon transferred the brilliant intellect of a poor Polish Jew to the head of his own imbecile son and converted the promising lad into an imbecile and his own son into genius, appears in the latest issue of the Referee here.

From the pen of George R. Sims, under the son de plume of Dagonet, comes the story on which London and New York police are now working, it is said.
The story recites that several years ago, Joseph Warschawski, mysteriously disappeared from his home here. Several years later he was found in a New York tenement, an imbecile instead of a bright youth as had been when last seen in London.

The sensation is revealed, according to the story, by a document left by the famous New York surgeon who was killed in his laboratory while trying to place the vocal cords of a dead baby into the throat of a tiger so as to make the beast talk. The mother of the dead child is alleged to have stabbed the surgeon to death.

This document which is taken as a confession, tells of the doctor's meeting with a poor Polish Jew, of inclination toward genius. He obtained his friendship and after administering a drug kidnapped him on a liner bound for New York. Upon arriving in Gotham the wonderful operation of changing the two boys' brains was successfully accomplished.

The doctor's alleged document then concludes with saying that the brilliant boy soon after became an imbecile while his son went to London, became an eminent novelist and dramatist, two of his plays having been recently produced with great acclat.

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DETROIT AS RIVAL TO RENO

Citizens Displeased at Number of Divorces There.

STRONG PROTESTS MADE

Governor in Favor of Making the Laws More Stringent—Clergy and Leading Citizens Dislike Having Their Beautiful City Get Record Like That of the Nevada Town.

NEW YORK.—That dear old song of the sorrowfully mated:

I'm on my way to Reno, I'm leaving town today, Tell all the boys and all the girls You meet along Broadway.

Life in Reno must be grand, Husbands marching hand in hand Singing the battle cry of Freedom—

must be put away in both balls. It does not fit. Reno is to be wiped off the map. Tell the song writers to forget Reno and get busy on Detroit.

Last year Detroit broke all her capital records for divorces. Nearly 1,100 were granted in twelve months. This was an average of nearly four divorces a day for each court day. Besides, Detroit has a judge who has broken the record for granting divorces. In eleven months of last year he decided favorably on 223 cases.

"New York divorces are flocking to Detroit," said Rev. Dr. Frank S. Rowland of the Cass Avenue Methodist church, "and unless there is a speedy reform we will reap the shame of Reno and Nevada." The pastor's statement was based on these facts:

First—Attracted by the lax divorce laws of Michigan, men and women from all parts of the east and south take up residence in Detroit. There they may procure their decrees upon any one of seven grounds.

Second—The geographical location of Detroit is such that it's far easier of access than Reno. Besides Detroit is far more attractive than its longer established rival. Detroit is a modern city—a very pretty city, with excellent traction service, a great park, Belle Isle, in the middle of the river; theaters, hotels, apartments and restaurants—in fact, everything that attracts one to a city of the "so different" type. Besides a year's residence in Detroit costs far less than at Reno.

Third—a divorce colony is gradually taking form. More correctly, there are two colonies—one for winter, the other for summer. In the autumn and winter the divorcés live in a row of apartment houses fronting Woodward avenue. Here they live in private suites, men and women, like their brethren and sisters in the Riverside hotel at Reno. With the coming of spring, however, these apartments become deserted. Down to the banks of the Detroit river migrates the colony.

The ground on which Michigan allows absolute divorce is a case of "take your pick," one of seven, and these seven are:

Adultery.

If one of the parties has been sentenced to imprisonment in any jail, prison or house of correction for three years or more.

Desertion for a period of two years. If one of the parties was physically incompetent at the time of marriage.

Habitual drunkenness.

Extreme cruelty, whether practiced by using personal violence or by any other means.

When the husband shall grossly or wantonly and cruelly refuse or neglect to support his wife.

In New York absolute divorce can be granted on only one ground, that of adultery. If a divorce is granted in such case the guilty party is debarred from marrying again during the

life of complaint, excepting that after five years have elapsed the judge granting the decree can modify this provision and permit the defendant to marry again, if the judge sees fit to do so. Separation for a term of years or forever may be granted in New York on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment, abandonment, non-support, etc., but this does not permit the parties to marry again.

In Detroit, however, they don't bother with separations—divorce is so much easier with the seven gates without guardians. And in spite of all these things—the pulpit's warning, the average of four divorces a day, the colony, the lax law—the judge who is the record breaker with his 233 decrees in eleven months objects strenuously to any publicity concerning the proceedings of Detroit's divorce courts. Last month he wrote a letter to the publisher of a Detroit newspaper that has instituted a crusade against the "New Reno" idea. In part, he said: "All divorce cases should be heard 'in camera,' the state being represented by counsel in no way intervenes in naturalization proceedings. Such representation would insure against fraud and collusion, and would, moreover, give a vitally interested party—the state—its day in court. No publicity other than the result arrived at, the granting or refusal of the decree sought, should be had."

Finally this judge's decisions and the notoriety Detroit was likely to obtain came to the attention of Governor Osborn of Michigan. From the capital at Lansing he promptly issued a statement, in which he declared the divorce laws should be made more stringent. This statement follows:

"Divorce in Michigan should be made as difficult as possible. At present it is too easy. I would make marriage as easy as possible and divorce as difficult as possible. It appears evident that our laws governing the latter lack stringency lamentably. Were married people aware that they could not separate on inexcusable and inconsequential excuses there would be more effort toward bringing harmony in the home and a better appreciation of the responsibilities men and women assume when they marry. There is no reason why marriage should be hedged about with rules if those who enter into this contract realize that once they have become man and wife there is no easy way to break it. If men and women knew they were marrying for life they would either pause before taking the vow or else they would begin home life thoroughly understanding that each must do his or her share toward harmony and accept the responsibilities as they are, not as a temporary bargain to be abrogated at the wish of either or both."

On the heels of the governor's words Detroit was jerked up by a statistical report. It came from Secretary of State Frederick C. Martindale and was given wide publicity. In part this report said:

"The frequency of divorce in the state of Michigan has become appalling. We are heading toward a second Nevada—Detroit, another Reno. The consideration of petitions for divorce occupies a very considerable part of the time of the courts of this state, and the magnitude of the question can hardly be shown better than by examining the official returns filed in the department of state by the clerks of the different counties. According to the statements received there were 10,450 bills for divorce pending in the courts of Michigan on January 1, 1910. Most of these were in Detroit. The number of new bills filed during the year was 5,596, making a total of 16,046 cases under consideration by the courts during the year.

"There were 3,246 divorces granted in Michigan during the year, while only sixty-three were refused. 236 were withdrawn or otherwise disposed of and 12,591 would apparently go over as 'divorces pending' for the present year. Taking 16,046 as the aggregate number of cases before the courts, then the number granted would constitute 20.3 per cent. of the total number of petitions, while no less than 78 per cent. remained pending. The numbers refused and withdrawn together amount to only 1.8 per cent. Such a comparison as the above should be taken only as a very general one, and not as precisely indicating the ratio of divorces granted

to actions begun in the Michigan courts. The divorces granted are based upon petitions filed during 1910 and preceding years, and, with an increasing volume of divorce business, more than the average number of cases begun in 1910 would remain unacted upon, thus apparently rendering the ratio of cases granted somewhat too low."

Secretary Martindale says that when the figures for 1911, which he is not able to give out yet, are issued, they will show a surprising increase. He adds that the number of Detroit's pending cases is staggering.

So much for the situation from executive viewpoints. Now let us listen to what the clergy—Catholic and Protestant—has to say concerning it. When the Right Rev. John S. Foxey, bishop of the Catholic diocese of Detroit, was told that 1,002 divorces had been granted in Detroit in eleven months, he exclaimed: "Awful! Awful! Some way, somehow, the public conscience of the city must be aroused against this evil that is threatening the integrity of the family and the nation. Divorces are now granted on such frivolous pretexts in the state of Michigan that men are beginning to have no regard for the marriage tie, even as a civil contract. The sacred character in which the church holds it seems to be absolutely disregarded. Do I think that the reform of the state of Michigan on the New York model would serve a useful purpose? Well, you know what I stand for, the divine legislation which demands that what God hath joined together let not man put asunder. So I do not believe in any divorce at all. Still, I think that a reform in the divorce laws of Michigan would be a step in the right direction. Certainly there is something terribly at fault in the civil enactments as they are at present, to have brought us to such a pass."

Representative of Detroit's Protestant body, Rev. Dr. Leete of the Central Methodist Episcopal church has said: "The enormous record of divorces granted in Detroit is fast giving this city a bad name. Moreover, the city is becoming a center for men who desert wives and children in other states and who come here to gratify evil affluities. If not checked by an aroused public sentiment, judges who place a loose construction upon the statutes will destroy the foundations of society, and such men should receive the condemnation which their acts deserve. The state laws should be changed so that honorable people who find it absolutely necessary to obtain divorce for self-protection need not bear the suspicion which attaches to the great majority of those divorced. Divorce, with remarriage, should be allowed only in case of proven adultery. Marriage licenses should state whether the people entering upon the hymeneal contract have been divorced, and they should name the cause for which the divorce was granted. Legal separation for necessary reasons should be honorably distinguished from the attempt to form legally polygamous relations."

Reno consciously catered to divorcés and got them. Detroit with her easy laws and attractive surroundings achieved the same result all unknowingly. So today Detroit has its Thomas, its Riverside, its Truckee just like the little city in Nevada, and the colony is growing and growing. As this growth is very distasteful to the respectable citizens of Detroit steps are being taken to nip the budding "new Reno" before it can obtain full bloom.

Last month a new rule for having a proctor from the prosecuting attorney's office report on each divorce hearing went into effect. It is understood that on his report will depend largely the judge's decision. Also as each complainant takes the stand he must answer these questions:

"How long have you lived in Detroit?"

"What is your present address?"

"Are there minor children and, if so, what arrangements have been made for their care?"

"Have you ever been divorced before?"

"Has personal service on the defendant been obtained?"

This is expected to make things difficult for the colony. Yet such reforms are but minor. The trouble rests, authorities say, with Michigan's divorce laws, and unless these be changed the new Reno will surely grow and prosper.—New York Press

MRS. MYRON HERRICK LIKES HER "HOME" IN PARIS

Mrs. Myron T. Herrick, who will represent American women during her husband's ambassadorship in Sweden as Selma Lagerlof, who has won honors that fall to but few lights of the literary firmament. Two years ago she was awarded the Nobel prize of \$40,000 for the best production of the year in literature. Miss Lagerlof's writings have sunk deep into the hearts of her people and she is fairly idolized by them. Her popularity is by no means confined to the Scandinavian countries. Her writings are more widely read in Germany than those of any other foreign writer of the day. She is also highly thought of in Russia, Holland and France.



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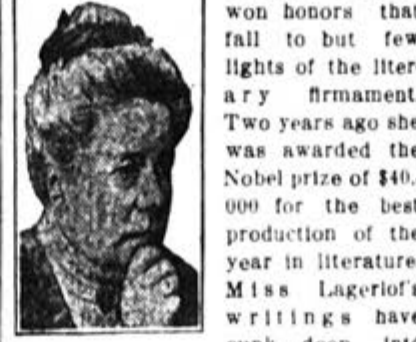
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As a Last Resort.

"Do you think any girl ever proposes in leap year, as they say, Jennie?" he asked.

"Not unless she is obliged to," answered the maiden.

"H'm! I hadn't thought of that," he said, after a pause.

"But, George," she said, laying her hand affectionately upon his arm and looking into his eyes, "you, I am sure, will never force me to that humiliation."

"No—er—that is to say—of course not. I—"

The ice was broken, and three minutes later George was Jennie's accepted.—Tit-Bits.

Not Too Many Visits.

Mrs. Banks—Why do you have Dr. X for your physician, instead of Dr. Y?

Miss Burke—Economy! Dr. X's wife is so jealous he has to get me cured quickly in order to keep peace in his family.

How Did They Do It?

Willis—The old pioneers were wonderful fellows!

Gillis—Yes. Just think of men founding cities without an advertising agent or even a slogan.—Judge.

OPEN HERMIT'S HOUSE

"HOUSE OF MYSTERY" OCCUPIED BY LONE MAN TWENTY-ONE YEARS.

Amazing Condition Revealed—Gold, Silver, Stocks and Bonds Buried in Years of Dust Accumulation—Loyal to Wife's Memory.

New York—Samuel H. Haslett, the hermit of Brooklyn, is dying in his "House of Mystery," No. 138 Remsen street, and the circumstance has opened for the first time in 25 years the mansion he occupied alone and revealed an amazing condition of filth and dilapidation.

The magnificently furnished house was two inches thick with dust, and \$10,000 in currency that littered the floor was swept into corners, or lay under thick dust in the hallways. There were two bushels of unopened mail overflowing from a unique brass jardiniere, and letters and parcels were tossed and heaped in place, and then never disturbed. There were boxes and kegs of gold and silver coins, and there were thousands of richly bound books that had never been opened, heaped in various rooms in the dismal dwelling.

Doors Are Opened.

It was not by the will of the aged Mr. Haslett that the doors of his home were opened to the outside world. When his wife was burned to death, 25 years ago, he sealed himself in his palatial home, and from that day until a few nights ago no foot other than his own ever stepped inside of it.

The other night he went to the home of his lawyer, John B. Lord, to consult about the estate of his sister, who had died February 3, in Cornwall, N. Y. Miss Haslett had left him her great fortune and another "house of mystery" at Clinton, and Jorammon streets, Brooklyn.

In all the years he looked after his affairs, Mr. Lord had never been allowed to enter the Haslett mansion. Haslett went to him either in his home or his office. On the night referred to the old man was only lightly clad, and he suffered from cold. His feet froze and he tumbled unconscious into the arway of Lord's house.

Almost Swoon.

It was through this accident that the Remsen street mansion was opened by others than the owner. The moment physicians and nurses who had been summoned stepped into the stifling atmosphere. It seemed as if the house had never been opened, and the dust rose from the floors in clouds that filled the nostrils and lungs.

The gas was not turned on and the invaders had to light their way with candles. Passing through the great grimy-coated rooms, they found a large chamber on the third floor, in which the millionaire hermit had sealed himself, as if in a cave, for the last quarter of a century. It was the only room, it seemed, in which he had set foot after the body of his wife had been carried to the cemetery.

After exploring the interior of the mildewed mansion, it was decided to assign the task of cleaning it to a vacuum cleaning concern, and before this was done it was necessary to go through the rooms with a rake and collect the coins and bills that were scattered everywhere. In some of the dust heaps were found bonds and certificates of stock, bundles of letters, and time-yellowed manuscripts.

For years Samuel Haslett has lived on rolls and pie. Once each day he journeyed to a bakery at Court and Schermerhorn streets and bought a package of rolls and three five-cent pies.

ROBBER ROBS TAXI ROBBERS

Then He Is Twice Fleeced, Once by Woman—Prisoner Tells How He Bluffed Bandits.

New York—A robber who robbed the robbers who stole \$25,000 from two bank messengers in the financial district a few weeks ago was afterward robbed twice himself. Such was the chapter added to the "taxicab holdup story" by the confession of Matteo Arbano.

Arbano is anything but a robber in appearance. He is only five feet tall, weighs 100 pounds and wears spectacles. He gave himself up, and told the police how he walked into a saloon where the five taxicab bandits were dividing the \$25,000 loot, and by "pure bluff" was given \$10,000.

As he left the saloon he was in turn held up by two companions and had to divide with them.

With \$3,000 he fled to Havana, Cuba. In Havana he became acquainted with a woman, and after a night of drinking said he found himself short \$2,500, which he says the woman had stolen.

The police so far have recovered only \$2,000 of the original loot, and on this account heavy bond was required of all the men held in the case. The sum of \$23,000 was required in the case of Montan, the taxicab chauffeur, and prohibitive amounts asked for the others held.

"Swedish Annie," the girl whose new hat purchased for her by one of the robbers led to the first clew to their identity, and two other women held as witnesses were discharged.

Oldest Man Dead.

Columbia, Ky.—Johnny Morg, aged one hundred and twenty-four years, said to be the oldest man in America, was found dead in his hut near here. He was a veteran of the war of 1812.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Local Office Weather Bureau.

Escanaba April 18, 1912.

For Escanaba and vicinity: Thursday fair.

Highest temperature yesterday 39 degrees.

Lowest temperature yesterday 26 degrees.

Precipitation yesterday 0 inches.

Temperatures at even hours yesterday:

2 a. m. 27 12 m. 37

4 a. m. 26 2 p. m. 39

6 a. m. 27 4 p. m. 35

8 a. m. 29 6 p. m. 33

10 a. m. 34 8 p. m. 30

Temperatures at even hours one year ago yesterday:

2 a. m. 26 12 m. 40

4 a. m. 26 2 p. m. 40

6 a. m. 26 4 p. m. 39

8 a. m. 34 6 p. m. 37

10 a. m. 36 8 p. m. 37

Precipitation one year ago yesterday 0 inches.

V. E. JAKI, Observer.

THINKS CELLAR GOLD STUFFED

Helena, Mont., April 17.—That the cellar of the new hotel, which is being excavated, is literally paved with gold, is the belief of every pioneer resident of the city.

This particular ground was never worked in the early days of Last Chance gulch, the main diggings being several hundred feet westerly, and then when the miners were ready to sluice the tract, A. M. Holter had erected a building upon it.

Two sacks of gravel from the site of the new hotel some years ago yielded more than \$45. Joe Palce was employed by John D. Thompson to dig a sewer trench in the bottom of the bed rock was trough shaped and in the recess thus formed was a bed of gravel.

Mr. Palce took a spadeful of the earth and had it washed by an old placer miner. The prospector was wildly excited at the richness of the gravel and asked Mr. Palce to obtain more of it.

When the building occupied by the Helena Hardware company was built, about \$500 worth of placer gold was obtained, and about the same amount from the foundation of the Montana club building.

How much the miner kept in payment for his services is not known. Before Mr. Johnson had his contract finished, it is expected the hotel company will have awarded the contract for the erection of the building.

Don't be surprised if you have an attack of rheumatism this spring. Just rub the affected parts freely with Chamberlain's Liniment and it will soon disappear.

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT MADE GOOD RECORD

Lansing, April 17.—Under the administration of C. A. Palmer the state insurance department has put \$41,230.73 more cash into the state treasury in nine months than was turned over to the treasurer in the same period of any previous administration.

It is particularly interesting to note that the receipts for the nine months ending Nov. 30, 1911, surpassed the receipts for the entire fiscal year of 1910-1911 by \$84,729.83. The total receipts for the fiscal year 1910-11, before Mr. Palmer took office, were \$549,556.24.

Comparing expenses on the basis of the nine months period the total cost of the Palmer administration was \$2,557.83 in excess of the expense for the same period of his predecessor's term.

Insurance Commissioner C. A. Palmer already had demonstrated the efficiency and daring of his administration in his action in cleaning up the crooked industrial health and accident business in Michigan.

Under the administration of the office under the unauthorized fire law, the number of companies doing business in Michigan has increased from 528 to 560, a total increase of thirty-two.

Puss Palmer was known throughout the length and width of Michigan as a shrewd and successful politician. When his appointment by Gov. Osborn was announced there was a cry among the governor's enemies that this was a purely political appointment.

ICE FIELD BREAKING UP (Continued from Page One) eastern portion, being reported from Cleveland east to Buffalo; the field is breaking up and much open water appearing in Ontario.

LAKE SUPERIOR Duluth: The harbor is practically free of ice of consequence except in the slips; tugs moving about, in the lake the field extends more or less solid about 20 miles; this field has been cracked by the strong northeast winds and sea during the past few days; a shift to the southwest winds would probably move this field out; the lake ice is very dark on the surface.

LAKE ONTARIO Note: There is no ice reported over the western half of the lake, except in some of the bays. Toronto: About one third of the bay is covered with ice; but boats can enter the harbor.

LAKE ERIE Put in Bay: Open water around the islands; some floating ice but it is very soft. Lorain: No ice visible in the lake. Cleveland: The southern edge of the ice field in the lake is about 10 miles from shore and has been there for the last two or three days.

has broken a channel four miles out from breakwater.

Portage L. S. S.: Canal clear of ice; some ice inside breakwater; no ice visible in the lake.

Eagle Harbor: Ice in harbor 25 inches in thickness and solid; open water in lake to the northwest with large fields of ice to the northeast.

Portage Entry: Portage river clear of ice; bay ice rotting but intact; no open water visible.

Marquette: Harbor ice intact but softening; fields of cake ice moving with the winds; very little open water visible.

Grand Marais, Michigan: Harbor ice about 25 inches in thickness and honeycombed; the fields in the lake extend beyond vision with few open spaces of water.

Whitefish Point: The bay ice is honeycombed fast and is now soft on top, no water in sight; some open water in spots about three miles above the point; the ice field extends beyond vision.

Sault Ste. Marie: The channel is clear of ice from a mile above the rapids to about Nine Mile Point in Hay Lake; the ice along shore is very rotten. Tests made April 13 in the vicinity of Line Island indicate from 20 to 26 inches of ice with some spots of 12 inch ice; it is honeycombed about half through.

LAKE MICHIGAN Gladstone: The harbor ice ranges from 12 to 19 inches; open water at Mason's Mill Point about one half mile wide.

Escanaba: Measurements no longer possible; the ice is breaking up; most of open water south of the harbor, ice having moved out Friday; ice in Little Bay de Noc remains intact.

Green Bay: The open water in the bay extends five miles out; ice fields moving with the wind.

Plum Island: The ice fields in Green Bay are moving with the wind; no ice visible in Lake Michigan.

Note: No ice reported along the west shore or northeast shore south of North Manitou Island.

Mackinac: The strong easterly winds drove the ice out of the Straits into Lake Michigan on Sunday. There is considerable floating ice in the Straits.

LAKE HURON Mackinac Island: The mail steamer Lotus reached the dock Friday morning; Straits opened Sunday; there is considerable floating ice in the Straits.

Cheboygan: The harbor is clear; high east winds have broken the ice in the Straits and there is open water as far as can be seen; there remains much floating ice.

Detour: The ice has moved out from half way between Fryer Island and Pipe Island; the ice at Pipe Island is honeycombed.

Blind River, Ont.: Thickness of harbor ice 24 inches; there has been no change during the past week.

Thunder Bay Island: No ice fields visible in the lake.

Goderich, Ont.: Thickness of harbor ice 24 inches and very soft; about half of the harbor is open; some open spaces of water showing in the field ice in the lake.

Port Huron: The river was full of ice from Friday afternoon until near midnight Saturday, when the wind changed to southeast, piling the ice on the beaches north of the city; no ice visible in the lake on Tuesday morning.

LAKE ST. CLAIR & DETROIT RIVER The ice has been running slowly out of the lake during the week and on Sunday there was only a field about one mile wide at the mouth of the lake. This has run out so the lake is practically free.

Alpena and Wyandotte left at noon Saturday for Alpena for cargo of stone. The steamer Wauketa made trips to Toledo Saturday and reported no ice. The steamer made trip to Algonac Sunday; some ice reported in the river. The Detroit and Cleveland steamer City of Detroit left for Cleveland April 15, opening navigation to that port.

LATEST NEWS IN THE WORLD OF FINANCE AND TRADE

By Paine Webber & Company, Marquette, Michigan

BOSTON MARKETS

Activity in local market was more general than on any previous day, the volume of orders was very large and many new specialties showed sharp advances. Superior and La Salle were active during the first time during this movement Granby maintained its strength and closed at the top and we look for this stock to sell ten points higher at least Boston and Corbin which has not been traded in three days was active and good buying.

BOSTON MARKETS

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including Adventure, Algoma, Alouez, Arcadia, Aris Com, etc.

NEW YORK MARKETS

There is no use denying the fact that the stock market during the past few days, especially in the face of pressure which ordinarily would have precipitated a drastic decline, has displayed a tendency of a character to suggest that the list possesses a degree of underlying strength which recently has been absent.

CURB STOCKS

Table listing various curb stocks and their prices, including Ahmeek, Boston Ely, Begole, Bohemia, Cortez, etc.

MICHAEL GLEASON TO HEAD COMPANY

Ishpeming, Mich., April 17.—Michael Gleason, a former well known business man of Republic, now residing at Gladstone, who owns the fee of the properties being operated by the Jones & Laughlin and New York State Steel companies at Iron River, is president of a new mining company, known as the Gleason Mining company and will devote the greater part of his time to its management.

GRANT'S PLACE TO BE FILLED SOON

Washington, April 17.—President Taft soon will be called upon to select an officer of high rank to command the eastern division of the army as well as to name an officer to the rank of major general to succeed General Frederick D. Grant, who died several days ago at New York.

DR. PEARSON REJOICES; FORTUNE GIVEN AWAY

Hinsdale, Ill., April 17.—Dr. D. K. Pearson, philanthropist who has given his entire fortune of more than \$6,000,000 to educational institutions yesterday celebrated his 92d birthday at the Hinsdale Sanitarium where he resides.

"Chicago AA" Portland Cement



has been subjected to the quality test, in that it has been on the market for fourteen years and is still the choice of the cement-user.

COLEMAN NEE

Mortgages For Sale We have for sale at all times a few mortgages running from \$50.00 to \$2500.00. In every case where we have taken a mortgage we have made a personal examination of the property and will not loan over 30 per cent to 40 per cent of the value of the property.

Peterson Roller Rink is open on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday of each week until further notice. Good exercise, good amusement. Cozy and warm if you can't skate. Come and see.

Bargains In City Property!

Three lots one block from hospital on Sarah street. Twenty lots on the Hessel Addition. One 50-foot lot, corner Ogden Ave. and Dousman St.

ALWAYS IN FRONT When you do drink, drink right, and be sure your liquor is pure and matured. You can test it by chemical analysis, but it is more convenient to obtain your supply from a reliable and honest dealer, and just as sure. Buy what you need at The Delta Liquor Store and you will get the pure stuff.

MONEY WORKS Get the full value of the money you intend putting in repairs—have us do the PLUMBING. Repairs, new installations, etc done by us will mean maximum value—make your property more up-to-date, more readily saleable, rentable, comfortable—with modern plumbing fixtures.

FOR SALE Splendid Residence Lots in North Escanaba Good Farms and Farming Lands. Fine City Homes with or without modern conveniences And other First Class Real Estate.

ROYAL

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Coming Saturday

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CANNOT PRINT ENOUGH BILLS

Washington, April 17.—The average life of a \$1 bill is only about one year. This, coupled with the fact that the United States government's paper money factory is running to its capacity without being able to build up a surplus stock of bills, brings the retail business men of the country face to face with a situation which they will regard as critical.

The truth is this: The government officials, having charge of the production of paper money, acknowledge that a strike, or a fire, or an explosion, or any other accident or circumstance, which would tie up for any considerable period either the mill which manufactures the paper out of which money is made, or the bureau of printing and engraving, which is the government's paper money factor, would cause an immediate shortage of small bills throughout the country. On account of the rapidity with which \$1 bills wear out, this shortage would increase with almost the stunning force of a geometrical progression, with the certainty of at least partial paralysis of the retail trade.

Demand Exceeds Supply.

This is a situation the country has never before been called upon to meet. In the past the money making machinery always has been away ahead of any possible demand. But during the past decade a swift change has been taking place. During those years the bureau of printing and engraving never has seen the time when it could pile up much of a surplus of new paper money and within the past year it has found itself unable to keep up with the demand. To eke out the supply of clean paper money a machine to wash dirty paper money has been devised, and furthermore, J. F. Ralph, director of the bureau of printing and engraving, and Lee McClung, treasurer of the United States, have paid a personal visit to various subtreasuries to lay down strict rules that old money must be redeemed with new money unless the old money is torn or filthy beyond any possible use.

Director Ralph has given the matter much study and he states several reasons which he believes contribute toward the rapid increase in the consumption of small bills. They are as follows:

"The growth in the country's population, which has caused money, especially the smaller denominations, to circulate more rapidly, with corresponding wear.

"The growth in business activities.

"The tendency toward the use of small denominations.

"The publicity given to uncleanness and insanitation of solid notes, and the consequent demand for cleaner money.

"The necessity for maintaining in good condition an increasing volume of outstanding pieces.

"The growing practice of payment of wages in factories and shops, weekly and bi-weekly as compared with monthly.

"The growing popularity of paper money in sections where silver was formerly in the greatest demand."

40,000,000 More Needed.

At a hearing before the house committee on appropriations, when Messrs. Ralph and McClung appeared to ask for an emergency appropriation to enable them to print an additional 40,000,000 \$1 bills during the remainder of the present fiscal year, they made this statement to the committee:

"For fifteen years past the treasurer's office has been endeavoring to build up a reserve in its vaults, but without success. It does seem the part of wisdom that the treasury should have at least a ninety-day reserve stock, which would enable it to give the people what they want within reasonable limits. Such a stock can never be considered as wasted, in the sense that applies to banknotes held in reserve for national banks which may go into liquidation. It is only a question of time when this money finds its way into the channels of trade and commerce, and at the same time the money is afforded better opportunity to undergo a longer seasoning process while in reserve. Furthermore, if at the present time there should be a serious fire, strike, or other disability to affect the Dalton paper mill or the bureau of engraving and printing, the embarrassment to the government and the public might be acute in the extreme."

Used as Fast as Made.

"Have you on hand any completed stock?" Treasurer McClung was asked. "With regard to the small denominations of one and two we have on hand at the present time and have had all during the fall not more than a few days' supply ahead. That gives no chance whatever for the seasoning of these notes in our reserve. It necessitates our turning these notes into the public funds, through the banks, just as fast as we get them from the bureau of engraving. Not only that, but we are unable to give the banks what they want. Their big demand is for the smaller denominations. Of the total amount of paper money outstanding 59 per cent is in ones and twos alone, and 49 per cent practically half, is in ones; and, of course, the notes of small denominations pass rapidly from hand to hand and soon become spoiled and are sent in for redemption. That necessitates our turning out new notes faster than we are now able to get them from the bureau of engraving and printing."

"How much paper money is now in circulation?"

"The number of pieces of paper money outstanding on June 30 of this year was 310,000,000. That was an increase of 16.2 per cent over the amount outstanding on the same date a year before."

"If a \$1 bill will last on the average about a year, how long is a \$5 bill supposed to last?"

"About four years, and a \$10 bill about eight years. That is our estimate of the average life of those denominations."

"How much does it cost the government to produce a \$1 bill?"

"\$1 Bill Costs 1 1/4 Cents."

"All paper money cost practically the same. It runs from 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 cents for each piece. The cost is generally figured at about \$12.50 per thousand pieces."

"When did this accentuated demand for the smaller notes begin?" was asked of Mr. Ralph.

"Why," he replied, "it has been growing for the last two or three years. While at present 59 per cent of the paper money outstanding is in ones and twos and 49 per cent in ones alone. Yet, in spite of this it has been impossible to supply the public's demands for notes of these denominations. Under the regular appropriation I was running the bureau on a school of 60,000,000 sheets a year or 200,000 sheets a day, four bills to a sheet of paper."

"The treasurer exhausted every sheet of money he had in his reserve vaults for current redemption, and I was compelled to increase my productions. I began that late in October and early in November had reached the capacity of the plant, and my deliveries to the treasury now are at the rate of 27,000 sheets a day, which rate we shall have to keep till June 30, and after that, if congress provides the means in the appropriations for the next year. At the present time I should say the assistant treasurer at New York cannot supply more than 50 per cent of the demand for ones and twos. A bank sent in \$130,000 for redemption while I was in the New York subtreasury and could not get any ones and twos at all. It had to take big bills alone."

"But will the present demand continue during the balance of the fiscal year?"

"It is the judgment of the treasurer's office that it will. The demand is slightly heavier during the fall than the rest of the year, but it has come to the point where the demand is really a thing of the whole year round. The demand for new gold and silver coins is a little greater during the holiday season, but the people all over the country are asking for new paper money all the time."

Treasurer McClung was asked to place the responsibility for the lack of facility on the part of the government to manufacture paper money up to any possible demand from the people.

"We think it is because the treasury department has not asked congress for the amount of money properly to provide for its business. Certainly congress never has refused whatever request the department has made."

LIVE ITEMS OF INTEREST

A ten pound daughter arrived last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Novack.

You can get anything in the jewelry line at auction prices while the reduction sale is on. Hill Drug Store. 107-ft.

George Peterson left last night for Milwaukee where he will visit with his brother for a short time and then proceed to Chicago to visit for a few days in that city.

A. M. Lovvander is ill at his home suffering from an attack of rheumatism.

A present.—I will give a shaving mug to every customer who patronizes my new barber shop for the first three days namely April 18, 19 and 20th, at 1120 Ludington street. A. Clement. 6271-108-3t.

Oliver Farley of Garden is in the city visiting with friends for a few days.

Special sale at the North Star Clothing Co. Saturday April 20th. 109-2t.

Paul Briggs, who recently suffered an injury to his hand while at work in a machine shop in St. Paul, is visiting at his home here until he recovers from the injury.

A Turkish Bath or hot air bath should be taken at least once a week as open pores are necessary for life. Escanaba Turkish Bath Parlors. Open day and night. Phone 410. 198-ft.

Charles Arnold was over from Fayette yesterday.

Miss Catherine Wicking entertained a number of friends at her home on Tuesday evening, in honor of Miss Clara Lindquist, who recently returned from the east.

The Hill Drug Store, is now conducting a private sale at auction prices that promises to outrival the regular auction sale of the past two weeks. 107-ft.

Charles Friedstrom of Calumet, formerly of Escanaba, is visiting with friends here for a few days.

Do not fail to take advantage of our low prices Saturday Apr. 20th at the North Star Clothing Co. 109-2t.

Word has been received in the city from County Clerk J. A. Semer, that physicians at Rochester Minn., have determined that his father John Semer Sr., will not be required to submit to an operation.

Artistic workmanship, best grade of marble and granite, and lowest prices. Escanaba Granite and Marble Works, 721 Ludington street. 6526-315-1t

Mrs. D. A. Oliver left last night for Chicago to remain for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ewert have returned from a visit at Wilson.

Many a good thing will be sold cheap Saturday Apr. 20th at the North Star Clothing Co. 109-2t.

James S. Doherty was in Harris on business yesterday.

Members of the Pal De Uma fraternity met at the home of Francis Atkins on Tuesday evening.

Take your pains, aches, and prescriptions to McRae, The Central Drug Store. 95-ft.

Miss Marie Sullivan is again able to be out after being ill at the hospital for the past three weeks.

Supervisor John D. Colburn was down from Cornell on business yesterday.

We breathe out the poisons of the blood through the pores of the skin, but dirt clogs them. Take Turkish Baths. Remember, "An ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure. Don't think you must wait until you get sick before taking a Turkish Bath. Escanaba Turkish Bath Parlors. Open day and night. Telephone 410 for an appointment. 198-ft.

Miss Edith Wyant has moved her shampooing parlors from the Youngquist building to the front rooms over the Mead Drug Company's store.

Emery Wells left last night for Green Bay.

Mrs. R. A. Wells was surprised by a company of friends at her home at Wells on Monday afternoon.

Joseph Gaffney has returned from a visit with friends in Fond du Lac.

Our show windows will display special Bargains for Saturday Apr. 20th. See Them. North Star Clothing Co. 109-2t.

Mrs. John Olson of Bessemer is the guest of her sister Mrs. Peter Olson.

George Saasman, formerly of this city and now located at Talose Falls Wash., is visiting with relatives and friends here.

Mens and Boys Suits, will be on Special sale Saturday Apr. 20th. North Star Clothing Co. 109-2t.

INSTRUCTIONS ARE GIVEN

(Continued from Page One)

facts as every young man should know on the authority of a competent physician. These talks to be given in the high school during April or May on school days hereafter agreed upon.

"We respectfully ask your honorable body to furnish such person or persons as are willing to perform this service for us. An arrangement has already been made with Dr. Chenoweth to give similar addresses to the high school girls.

"Thanking you in advance for whatever co-operation you can give us in the interest of the boys, we are,

"Respectfully yours,

Dr. Chenoweth gave the first of her addresses to the girls. Monday, the lady teachers of the high school faculty being present. All reports agree that the address was a very helpful one, giving vitally important information to all earnestly attentive audience. The board are equally fortunate in being able to secure Dr. Snyder, who will begin his part of this work soon.

The following report of similar instruction now being given in Chicago schools is of interest in this connection:

"Since the report of the vice-commission, showing how many recruits to the levee district come from the schools themselves. Dean Sumner, chairman of the commission and chairman of the committee on school management, has been urging rational education of pupils and parents as a means of stopping the tendency. With him, Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, superintendent of schools, has co-operated."

A week ago Dean Sumner secured the co-operation of the Chicago Medical society, representing several thousand physicians. Then he presented his plan to the board, by whom it was approved.

"It is an unpleasant subject," he

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"I believe safety lies properly in a wise instruction under wise control," said Trustee Sears.

"It is either the street, the poolroom or the tough dance hall that is going to teach this to the children if we don't."

The dean's plan provides for the immediate institution of the courses of education. Men physicians will speak to cases of boys in the high schools. Women physicians will instruct the girls.

ANNOUNCEMENT

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HIGH NOTE KILLS SINGER IN CHURCH

Leavenworth, Kan., April 17.—While singing a hymn in the church where she had always been a member, Mrs. Anna Self strained herself in such a manner as to cause a cerebral hemorrhage. She died at her home. Mrs. Self mounted to the choir loft as soon as the services commenced. She sang a solo, then joined in a song with other members of the choir. Later, when she was midway through a solo, she was seen to collapse into her chair while in the middle of an unusually high note, and died several hours later.

"My little son had a very severe cold I was recommended to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and before a small bottle was finished he was as well as ever," writes Mrs. H. Silks, 29 Dowling Street, Sydney, Australia. This remedy is for sale by Farrell & Lohr—Her and Groos Drug Store.

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KEITH OF THE BORDER

A TALE OF THE PLAINS

By RANDALL PARRISH
AUTHOR OF MY LADY OF THE SOUTH
WHEN WILDERNESS WAS KING ETC.
ILLUSTRATIONS BY DEARBORN MELVILL.

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SYNOPSIS.

Jack Keith, a Virginian, now a border-plainsman, is looking for roaming war parties of savages. He sees a wagon team at full gallop pursued by men on ponies. When Keith reaches the wagon the raiders have massacred two men and departed. He searches the victims' findings, papers and a locket with a woman's portrait. Keith is arrested at Carson City, charged with the murder, his accuser being a ruffian named Black Bart. A negro companion in his cell named Neb tells him that he knew the Keiths in Virginia. Neb says one of the murdered men was John Sibley, the other Gen. Willis Walte, formerly a Confederate officer. The plainsman and Neb escape, and later the fugitives come upon a cabin and find its occupant to be a young girl, whom Keith thinks he saw at Carson City. The girl explains that she is in search of a brother, who had deserted from the army, and that a Mr. Hawley induced her to come to the cabin while he sought her brother. Hawley appears, and Keith in hiding recognizes him as Black Bart. There is a terrific battle in the darkened room in which Keith is victor. Hawley is appropriated, and the girl who says that her name is Hope, tells in the morning that she is the daughter of General Walte. Keith and Neb drift into Sheridan, where Keith meets an old friend, Dr. Fairbain. Black Bart has some plot involving the two. Hope learns that Gen. Walte, who was thought murdered, is at Sheridan, and goes there, where she is mistaken for Christie Macraire, the Carson City singer. Keith meets the real Christie Macraire and finds that Black Bart has convinced her that there is a mystery in her life which he is going to turn to her advantage. The plainsman tells Hope Walte of her resemblance to Christie Macraire. They decide that Fred Willoughby may hold the key to the situation. Keith finds Willoughby shot dead. Hope is told of the death of her brother. Keith fails to learn what representations Black Bart has made to Christie Macraire. Hope suggests that in order to learn the secret she must first impersonate the stage singer, Dr. Fairbain is in love with Christie Macraire and Keith induces him to detain her from the stage while Hope goes to the theater where she meets Black Bart, who has just deserted, tells Hope that General Walte has suspected his plans and that they must fly. Hope, greatly alarmed, denounces General Walte and says Black Bart has stolen papers from him regarding an inheritance. Keith is induced that Christie Macraire's real name is Phyllis Gale and that she is the half sister of Hope. The latter has been carried away by Black Bart and his gang. Dr. Fairbain avows his love for Phyllis and she accepts him. Keith and his friends strike the trail of Black Bart. They find Hope has been taken back to the old cabin. The wilderness cabin is the scene of a fight in which Outlaw enemies.

CHAPTER XXXV.—(Continued.)

"It's the Indian," he said grimly. "Sanchez must 'a' mistook him fer one of us, and shot the poor devil." And Sanchez himself is out yonder on that sand-pit, and Keith pointed; then lifted his voice to make it carry across the stream. "Come on over, Doctor, you and Neb. We've got the gang. Bring that body out there along with you."

The "Bar X" man waded out to help, and the three together laid the dead Mexican outlaw on the bank, beside the Indian he had stood in his effort to escape. Keith stood for a moment bending low to look curiously into the dead face—wrinkled, scarred, still featuring cruelty, the thin lips drawn back in a snarl. What scenes of horror those eyes had gazed upon during fifty years of crime; what suffering of men, women, children; what deeds of rapine; what examples of merciless hate Juan Sanchez—the very sound of the name made the blood run cold. "Dead or alive?" Well, they had him at last—dead; and the plainsman shuddered, as he turned away.



The Eyes of the Two Met in Defiance.

became a man, and now, now before Hope so much as dreamed of his purpose—aye, and before he spoke another word of love to Hope. He wheeled about fully decided on his course, his duty, and met Fairbain face to face.

"Jack," the latter said earnestly, "I read the note over your shoulder, and of course I know what you mean to do. A Southern gentleman could not choose otherwise. But I've come here to beg you to let me have the chance."

"You?" surprised and curious. "What greater claim on that fellow's life have you than I?"

The pudgy hands of the doctor grasped the plainsman's shoulders.

"It's for Christie," he explained brokenly. "She was the one he tried to run away with. You—you know how I feel!"

"Sure, I know," shaking the other off, yet not roughly. "But it happened to be Miss Walte's took, and so this is my job, Fairbain. Besides, I've got another score to settle with him."

He waded little came upon preparations—a few brief words of instruction to Bristol; a request to the doctor not to leave Hope alone; the extracting of a promise from the two "Bar X" men to return to Larned with the prisoners. Then he roped the best horse in the corral, saddled and bridled him, and went into the cabin. He had a light burning, and met him at the door.

"I thought you would never come, but they told me you were unhurt."

"Not a scratch, little girl; we have been a lucky bunch. But I have had a great deal to look after. Now I shall be obliged to ride ahead as far as the water-hole, and let you come on with the others a little later, after you get breakfast. You can spare me a few hours, can't you?"

His tone was full of good humor, and his lips smiling, yet somehow she felt her heart sink, an inexplicable fear finding expression in her eyes.

"But—but why do you need to go? Couldn't some of the others?"

"There is a reason which I will explain later," he said, more gravely. "Surely you can trust me. Hope, and feel that I am only doing what it seems absolutely necessary for me to do." He bent down and kissed her. "It will be only for a few hours, and no cause for worry. Good-bye now, until we meet to-night at the water-hole."

The east was gray with coming daylight as he rode splashing across the stream and up the opposite bank. She watched him, rubbing the blinding mist from her eyes, until horse and man became a mere dark speck, finally fading away completely into the dull plain of the desert.

CHAPTER XXXVI.

The Duel in the Desert.

Keith rode straight forward into the sandy desolation, spurring his horse into a swift trot. After one glance backward as they clambered up the steep bank, a glance which revealed Hope's slender form in the cabin door, his eyes never turned again that way. He had a man's stern work to do out yonder, and his purpose could not be swayed, his firmness of hand and keenness of eye affected, by any thought of her. His lips compressed, his fingers gripping the rein, he drove all regretful memory from his mind, until every nerve within him throbbled in unison with his present purpose. He was right; he knew he was right. It was not hate, not even revenge, which had set him forth, leaving love behind, but honor—the honor of the South, and of the frontier, of his ancestry and his training—honor that

But there was nothing, absolutely nothing—just that seemingly endless stretch of sand, circled by the blazing sky, the wind sweeping its surface soundless and hot, as though from the pits of hell; no stir, no motion, no movement of anything animate or inanimate to break the awful monotony. Death! It was death everywhere! His aching eyes rested on nothing but what was typical of death. Even the heat waves seemed fantastic, grotesque, assuming spectral forms.

With every step of advance the brooding silence seemed more profound, more deathlike. He got to marking the sand ridges, the slight variations giving play to the brain. Way off to the left was the mirage of a lake, apparently so real that he had to battle with himself to keep from turning aside. He dropped forward in the saddle, his head hanging low, so blinded by the incessant sun glare he could no longer bear the glitter of that horrible ocean of sand. It was noon now—noon, and he had been riding steadily seven hours. The thought brought his blurred eyes again to the horizon. Where could he be, the man he sought in the heart of this solitude? Surely he should be here by now, if he had left the water-hole at dawn. Could he have gone the longer route, south to the Fork? The possibility of such a thing seared through him like a hot iron, driving the dullness from his brain, the lethargy from his limbs. Ood! no! Fate could never play such a scurvy trick as that! The man must have been delayed; had failed to leave camp early—somewhere ahead, yonder where the blue haze marked the union of sand and sky, he was surely coming, riding half dead, and drooping in the saddle.

Again Keith rose in his stirrups, rubbing the mist out of his eyes that he might see clearer, and stared ahead. What was that away out yonder? a shadow? a spot dancing before his tortured vision? or a moving, living something which he actually saw? He could not tell, he could not be sure, yet he straightened up expectantly, shading his eyes, and never losing sight of the object. It moved, grew larger, darker, more real—yet how it crawled, crawled, crawled toward him. It seemed as if the vague, shapeless thing would never take form, never stand out revealed against the sky so he could determine the truth. He had forgotten all else—the silent desert, the blazing sun, the burning wind—all his soul concentrated on that speck yonder. Suddenly it disappeared—a swale in the sand probably—and, when it rose into view again, he uttered a cry of joy—it was a horse and rider!

Little by little they drew nearer one another, two black specks in that vast ocean of sand, the only moving, living things under the brazen circle of the sky. Keith was ready now, his eyes bright, the cocked revolver gripped hard in his hand. The space between them narrowed, and Hawley saw him, caught a glimpse of the face under the broad hat brim, the burning eyes surveying him. With an oath he stopped his horse, dragging at his gun, surprised, dazed, yet instantly understanding. Keith also halted, and across the intervening desert the eyes of the two men met in grim defiance.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Heavy Luggage.

Every tramp squares and squares with a heavy bag or sult case in your hand—the weight apparently increasing every minute! It's trying, nerve-racking and decidedly uncomfortable, isn't it? People who have experienced this will surely call down blessings upon the head of the inventor of ratton or straw bags and suit cases. They have so little weight and the cost is so slight that every girl or man who goes away for short trips where a small case is necessary and where the luggage must be carried by hand should invest in one of these sensible luggage carriers.

Eagle Nest in Western New York.

An eagle's aerial, with five little eaglets, is on the Davis farm in the town of Somerset, Niagara county, on the shores of Lake Ontario.

For many seasons past two American eagles have made their headquarters at the Davis farm, but never until this season did they nest, and so far as known it is the first time that a nest has been built in Niagara county. The eaglets are carefully guarded by the old birds as well as by the members of the Davis family. Hunters are forbidden by law to shoot the birds.—Rochester Post Express.

Painting With a Sponge.

An artist whose work in water color is described in the Studio says that because the sable brushes are too small, she uses for certain sweeping effects of light and shade on the dresses, for example, a sponge. This artist is described as using water colors, not within the narrow limitations usually prescribed, but as an individual means of expression. She sometimes joins three pieces of the water color board together to make the pictures she likes to produce in this medium.

No Time Wasted.

Olaf Larson, working in a millinery warehouse, backed into an elevator shaft and fell down five stories with a load of boxes. Horror-stricken, the other employees rushed down the stairs, only to find him picking himself unharmed out of the rubbish.

"Eas de boss mad?" he whispered cautiously. "Ta' em Ay had to come down for nails anyway."—Success Magazine.

Shipwreck Safer.

It is getting so that it is safer to be shipwrecked on the ocean than it is to be a passenger in a striding automobile.—Pittsburgh Herald.

Picturesque Spring Hats



TWO of the prettiest of many wide-brimmed hats are pictured here. One is a pressed shape of hennip faced with a changeable silk and bound with velvet. The crown is finished with a fold of velvet at the base. Two long uncurled single ostrich plumes repeat the two colors which are blended in the silk. It is the management of color that gives character and beauty to this simple and graceful shape. The shape of deep lavender hennip is of the right shade to harmonize with the facing of silk which is gray, blue and rose woven together. The feathers in blue-gray and rose-gray combinations seem to have been made expressly for this particular hat. The narrow binding of velvet is in deep lavender.

Another hat made of a vari-colored

braided (known as sacre) showed the top crown covered with velvet in green (the prevailing tone in the braid) and a piping at the brim-edge of the same velvet. This is a simple model with much style. There is a graceful variation in the width of the brim and a clever tilt, these with the slight droop convert the shape into a background for the face. The crown is low and rather small. It is a shape which can be worn by almost any one.

Clusters of small compact roses with green and bronze foliage and small buds are mounted flat to the brim at each side. This is one of several trims which look well with this shape. One will go far before finding a hat so simple and so good.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

MORNING ROBES ARE DAINTY

Elaborate Ornamentation Allowed on Costumes to Be Worn at Breakfast.

Breakfast robes are being made in most ornate style with flourishes and ruchings of lace, adorned with satin rosebuds. The dresses are completed by shoes to match and dainty little caps of lace adorned with flowers.

A charming version of the breakfast toilet was to be seen recently in one of the shops. The foundation of the dress was white satin, veiled with pink nixon and flounced with white lace. A series of flowers caught up the lace flourishes, and the cap which went with it had a frill of lace framing the face prettily, with clusters of flowers at the sides.

Some of the simple house frocks are filled in at the throat with folds of tulle in V shape, while others are made with high transparent collars of the tulle, edged along the top with a narrow band of satin. Satin, after taffetas, is the principal material for the house frock this season and there are charming little dresses in crepes of silky weave, trimmed with lace and satin folds.

In length the skirt of the house frock touches the ground all the way round and the sleeves are long to the wrists.

LINGERIE EFFECT



White lingerie frock with fichu and bands on bottom of tulle of flit lace, edged with white ball trimmings. Hat of white taffeta with white roses.

Baltimore Suit.

An unusual, but extremely smart color combination was seen on a Baltimore girl the other day, says the Sun of that city. Her suit was a severe model of ink-blue velvet and her bonnet-shaped hat, also of velvet, was trimmed only with an immense bow of coral satin. With it was worn a diagonal effect.

PRETTY GIFT FOR TRAVELER

Pincushions of Novel Designs Make Acceptable Tokens Between Parting Friends.

Penny dolls made of china are the foundation of cunning little pin cushions, which look like ballet-dancers at first sight, but on second glance it is discovered that in lieu of fluffy skirts they wear balls of brightly colored sath, silk, Pompadour ribbon or tinsel cloth. To dress one of these cushion-dolls, wind a strip of inch-wide cotton about the trunk, from the waist over the left shoulder, back to the waist again and over the right shoulder and then tack it with stout thread. That is the basis for the fluffs of cotton-scented with sachet powder—which must be put on to form a symmetrical ball that is covered with white, soft linen and finally with the fancy silk material. When finished, the doll's hands, feet and head only are uncovered and no matter how many long pins are stuck into her, their points are scarcely likely to reach her trunk.

Pin cushions of fancy ribbon, velvet or silk of oblong shape have three plain plump corners and one that is trimmed with two square double leaves of silk which fall over both its sides and, when their baby ribbon strings are untied, reveal several inside leaves of embroidered flannel for holding needles of various sizes. At the other end of the cushion and set directly at the center of its shortest edge, are ribbon loops by which the cushion may be suspended. This is the ideal steamer or traveling pin cushion and makes a most acceptable bon voyage gift.

Lace-Edged Dollies.

In making a set of round dollies for Christmas gifts one woman made the discovery that by stitching narrow hems in the edges with a rather long machine stitch she could very easily crochet linen thread lace on the edges, catching a loop of the linen thread in each machine stitch.

A simple wreath of scattered daisies and leaves was embroidered on each linen circle, then a two-inch edge of lace, resembling torchon, was crocheted about the edge of each. The effect is wonderfully good. The work is easily done, making a charming set for gifts.

Combinations in Shoes.

White suede or glace kid uppers are familiar on patent leathers by this time, but some of the new combinations are not. For instance, tan uppers on black, black uppers on tan, white buckskin on fabric. Some of the low shoes, or the shoe part on boots with kid uppers, are of tan or black velvet or suede, stitched over with narrow silk ribbon in a diagonal effect.

The KFFOHN CABINET



W ORRY less—work more. Waste less—give more. Preach less—practice more.

Some one has well said that the optimist is the man who makes lemonade of the lemons that are handed to him.

WHEN EVERYTHING GOES WRONG

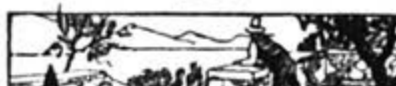
Just to leave your work and your worries—your dishes in the sink, your beds unmade, your marketing undone, and, if need be, your doors un-locked—and go forth into the great outside world, is to run with eager feet toward peace. It is good to go and see a friend and talk it over; but it is better to go out under the sky and forget it. Let the unburied world of nature preach to you of steadfast peace and growth under unceasing change. Let the big, empty sky replace the cobwebbed ceiling of your house-bound consciousness, flood the dark places with wholesome sunshine. When you go back to your dishes they will almost wash themselves, for all the good fairies out-of-doors will come home with you and lend a willing hand to your work.

Try Some Changes in Potato Cookery.—We should all be as ambitious as the gentleman who was told that there were over two hundred ways of cooking potatoes. He replied by saying: "I am going to learn them all. I already know two."

Buttered Potatoes.—Cut potatoes into eighths or quarters and parboil, drain and finish cooking in butter, turning often to give them an even brown. Add salt and cayenne for seasoning. They may be baked in a paper bag and are hard to equal for flavor, cooked in that way.

Really Potatoes.—Have ready one quart of cold cooked potatoes cut in pieces the size of small beans. Put the potatoes into a hot skillet with three tablespoonfuls of fat in which a small onion and three green peppers have been cooked. Add a cup of thick tomato, sifted. Season with salt and pepper and cook until dry. Serve with fish or cold meat.

Sugar Potatoes.—Parboil and cut in fourth slices good sweet potatoes. Simmer for an hour or more in a strup made with a cup of white sugar, a fourth of a cup of water and a teaspoonful of butter. Haste the slices and let the strup cook away before serving.



ANXIETY, worry and fretting destroy nutrition by ruining the digestion and preventing assimilation of the nutrient in the food. Whatever affects the brain cells, the nutritive centers of the body, affects the health, the life.

Worry or anxiety injures certain cells of the brain, often beyond repair. The supply of nerve nutrition is cut off, and all the normal processes of the body are disarranged and disordered while one is troubled or anxious. That is why worry kills.

A FEW FILLINGS FOR CAKES.

For a quick filling and icing, use the white of an egg, a teaspoonful of lemon juice and a cup of powdered sugar. Stir well together and beat five minutes. Add more sugar if not stiff enough.

Pineapple Filling.—Add to stiff boiled frosting a tablespoonful of gelatine dissolved in a little pineapple juice, a half cup of grated pineapple and enough lemon juice to make it pleasantly tart.

Fruit Filling.—A cup of seeded raisins, half a pound of blanched almonds, half a pound of chopped dates and a fourth of a pound of finely minced citron (all put through the meat chopper is a saving of time), then add enough boiled frosting to make a smooth paste and sufficient quantity.

Caramel Filling.—To a pound of light brown sugar add a half cup of milk and a tablespoonful of butter. Boil until it makes a soft ball in water. Cool without stirring, then beat to a cream, adding a teaspoonful of vanilla or other flavoring and chopped fruit or nuts as desired.

Coffee Filling.—To a cup of hot milk add two tablespoonfuls of corn-starch and a half teaspoonful of butter, the yolks of two eggs beaten with a half cup of strong coffee and a half cup of sugar. Return to the fire and cook until thick; cool before using.

Fig Filling.—Cook a pound of figs, chopped, in three-fourths of a cup of water and a half cup of sugar. Stir and simmer until smooth; add a tablespoonful of lemon juice, cool and spread between the layers of cake. Grated chocolate added to boiled frosting flavored with vanilla is a good and quick filling to prepare.

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Nellie Maxwell.

Where Towns Fall into the Sea. On some parts of the east coast of England the restless waves have washed away the earth on which centuries ago flourishing villages were built.

Sure He Would. Magistrate—If I let you off this time, will you promise to take the pledge? Delighted Prisoner (excitedly)—Oh, will, yer honor, an' drink yer health!—The Sun.



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Treasury Department Example of Economical Administration. EVEN DEMOCRATS APPROVE

Under Taft Reorganization Accomplished, Frauds Stopped and Law Violators Punished—Divorced from Wall Street.

The treasury department has recently received the commendation of the Democratic appropriation committee of the house of representatives for the results achieved in bringing about economy and efficiency in that department. The general basis of this unusual praise is the fact that it is costing two and a half million dollars a year less to run this big business machine of the government than it did three years ago when President Taft began his administration and initiated his campaign for governmental economy by placing an experienced business man—Secretary MacVeagh—at the head of the treasury department.

The amount now saved each year is a ten per cent. reduction in the previous cost. It tells but half the story of the actual economy effected; for there has been a 10 per cent. increase in the business of the department during this time, making a total gain in the interest of the taxpayer of 20 per cent.

The eagerness that now exists to make political capital out of criticism makes the fact eminently striking that through this period of investigation and inquiry the treasury department has been found a fruitless field of operation. It has not even been mentioned in connection with the alleged "money trust," for the reason that the treasury department is now, for the first time, wholly independent of the big bankers of the country in its operations. That the department should always be above the slightest ground for moral criticism is, of course, one of the fundamentals of its administration.

Frauds Are Punished.

The vigor with which the administration has gone after those who have attempted frauds on the customs revenue is illustrated by the fact that more than five million dollars has been collected in fines against dishonest importers and attempted smugglers. Jail sentences in numerous instances have been added to the fines. The result has been the creation of a wholesome respect for the law on the part of importers and Americans who travel in foreign lands. The entire machinery for the collection of customs has been overhauled, with the result that valuations are made more accurately and many channels for frauds have been stopped. One of the special aids in this connection has been the special agents service, which the secretary has taken personally in hand.

The other collection agency, the internal revenue service, has been brought to a high degree of efficiency. Its collections last year were the highest in its history—\$322,000,000—which was collected at the expense of one cent and sixty-eight hundredths of a cent for each dollar, a substantial decrease in cost. Internal revenue collectors are now giving the major portion of their time to their official duties, an innovation brought about for the first time through the insistence of the president that efficiency of administration was more to be desired than the developing of political machines.

Where Savings Resulted.

Savings in the method of printing the paper money of the country have been made to the extent of \$600,000 annually, while similar work in the mints has resulted in cutting down the expenses annually to the extent of \$483,000. By using the mails instead of the express a saving of \$60,000 a year is effected in sending worn-out notes to the treasury for redemption. Nearly \$50,000 a year is being saved through improved methods in handling the paper on which money and postage and internal revenue stamps is printed. A similar amount is being saved through closer scrutiny and economy in printing the stationery for the department. The revenue cutter service adds to the list a saving of \$100,000 a year with increased activities, so also does the public health service.

And this story is the strongest kind of a denial of the charge that President Taft has used the government employee to further his own political advantage. There have been eighteen hundred and one unnecessary places abolished under the treasury department in the last three years. Five hundred and forty-two of these have been in the department service in Washington. None of those in Washington whose places were abolished have been separated from the service by that fact. Secretary MacVeagh has rigidly adhered to the policy of saving the vacancies which occurred in the department by resignation and death, and these places have been filled by those who would otherwise have been dropped.

The facts above set forth are convincing proof that under the administration of President Taft genuine reforms in administration have been accomplished in bringing the government business to the most practical and economical basis in the interest of the whole people.

HORSE WAS HURT; GETS DAMAGES

Minneapolis, Minn., April 17.—Because Rena Patch, a racing mare belonging to M. W. Savage of this city received an injury in being shipped from Chicago to Grand Rapids, Mich., by the American Express company, a jury in the federal court here yesterday awarded Mr. Savage damages of \$1000. Damages of \$41,000 has been asked.

The complainant declared that the horse was injured because a caretaker was not allowed in the car with it.

Amusements

THE PETERSON.

"Mutt and Jeff," those two lovable comics whose adventures have been the source of endless amusement for old and young for some time, are to be with us again. This time they are not to display their mischievous and hilarious spirit through the columns of the newspapers, but are to appear in the flesh and blood. Their advent, of course, will be through the medium of a new and original musical comedy in three acts, bearing naturally the title of "Mutt and Jeff." The offering will be the next attraction at the Peterson, Friday, April 19. Gus Hill is responsible for the production. According to good judges and from the results attained so far he has outdone all of his previous efforts in this particular direction for it will be remembered that Mr. Hill was the first manager to realize the possibilities of having popular cartoons transferred to the stage. In his latest play this astute manager has provided an entertainment that is sure to endure for many seasons. It is replete with original ideas, catchy music, pretty and fascinating young women who are talented and capable and comedians, singers and dancers who understand their business. The scenic investiture is thoroughly in harmony with the quality of the piece which has been constructed for laughing purposes. Mutt and Jeff have plenty to do. They are always to the fore with some scheme or other. Mutt, of course, dominates over his diminutive prototype, who is as servile as he always is in the pictures. Once in a while he gets the better of his tall friend, but his triumph is only momentary. They are a pair of irresistibly funny fellows and their antics should fill the theater with resonant laughter throughout the run of the comedy. When it is considered that there are no interpolated numbers and that the music was especially written for the production an idea of the production may be had. There will be no advance in prices.

You will look a good while before you find a better medicine for coughs and colds than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It not only gives relief—it cures. Try it when you have a cough or cold, and you are certain to be pleased with the prompt cure which it will effect. For sale by Farrell & Lohmiller and Groos Drug Store.

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FOR SALE—Steel range. Inquire at 425 South Georgia street.

FOR SALE—Lot at 1219 Ludington St. Inquire at premises. 6267-107-3t.

MORNING PRESS WANT ADS

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WANTED—Dining room waitress. New Boyington, Iron River, Mich. 6273-109-3t.

WANTED—A bottler about May 1 at the Delta Bottling Works.

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FOR RENT—Rooms, modern and up-to-date. Electric lights, steam heat and bath, week or month. Corner of Harrison and Thomas Sts. Phone 479. 6090-52-1t.

FOR RENT—Six room house, corner Second and Fannie streets. All modern conveniences. \$15 per month. Inquire of G. F. McEwen. 290-1t

FOR RENT—Six room house, all modern improvements at 430 Elm St. Inquire at the above address. 6246-106-3t.

FOR RENT—12 room house at 1600 Ludington street. Inquire of Nicholas Roesser, 1600 Ludington street. 108-3t.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, suite of 2 and suite of 4. Inquire at 221 N. Oak St. 6275-109-3t.

FOR RENT—Rooms with modern improvements. Upstairs. Inquire at 306 Harrison Ave. 6153-90-1t.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with all modern conveniences. Inquire at 201 S. Oak St. 6338-102-6t.

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CUBS TRAIN WRECKED; GAME IS POSTPONED

(Special to the Morning Press) Cincinnati, O., Apr. 17.—The Chicago Cubs were entangled in a wreck enroute from St. Louis to this city late last night and were unable to reach here in time for a game with the Reds today, as schedules. Several forward coaches of the train, aboard which the Chicago players were speeding here, were derailed and aside from a shaking up none of the players were injured. The Cubs were held at the scene of the wreck until late this afternoon.

NEW YORK GIANTS WIN FROM BOSTON

Boston, Mass., Apr. 17.—Wiltse was invincible today allowing the Giants to win over the locals 4 to 1. The New York twirler allowed seven hits but kept them scattered and was given good support. Brown did the twirling for the locals and miserable support back of him allowed the visitors to gain a big lead. The Score: R. H. E. New York..... 4 7 1 Boston..... 1 7 4 Batteries: Wiltse and Meyers; Brown and Kling. Umpires: Kline and Bush.

MATHEWSON CAN EARN \$1000 TEACHING

Washington, April 17.—Clark Griffith, showed Christy Mathewson how he can pick up \$1000 for himself much more easily than by writing syndicate stories or pitching post-season ball in Cuba. The tip was given when the Washington manager called on the Giants when the National league champions were here. "I've got a pitcher on my team named Cashlon," said Griffith. "He has the size, the speed and the stamina. If you can teach him how to pitch a good curve ball and how to control it, I'll give you \$1000 and think it a bargain, for this fellow looks like the raw material for a great pitcher. If he doesn't prove to be I'm going to make an outsider of him. And I'll have one of the best hitters in the league." Matty expressed a willingness to try for the \$1,000, but the education process has not been started yet.

TY COBB GOES HOME IN HUFF

Chicago, April 17.—After this, when Ty Cobb, voted the world's greatest baseball player, notifies Manager Jennings and hotel clerks that he wants his room changed he is likely to have his request granted. Yesterday it was not, and the Peach boarded a rattler for Detroit last night very much peeved, and unless he changes his mind, local fans will lose an opportunity to see him in action. It was reported among the other Tiger players that the real reason Cobb quit the team was because he was unable to get his usual morning nap after the Detroit team had arrived in town from Cleveland. He raised a kick to Manager Jennings to have his room changed, and when the request was not granted refused to play in the afternoon.

Why He Was Late.

"What made you so late?" "I met Smithson." "Well, that is no reason why you should be an hour late getting home to supper." "I know, but I asked him how he was feeling and he insisted on telling me about his stomach troubles." "Did you tell him to take Chamberlain's Tablets?" "Sure, that is what he needs." Sold by Farrell & Lohmiller and Groos Drug Store.

ALL THE NEWS THAT'S FIT TO PRINT, YOU SEE FIRST IN THE MORNING

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL RESULTS

National League

New York 4, Boston 1.
Brooklyn, Philadelphia—Rain.
Cincinnati, Chicago—No game.

American League

New York, Washington—Rain.
Philadelphia, Boston—Rain.
Chicago, Detroit—Wet grounds.
Cleveland, St. Louis—Rain.

STANDINGS OF THE TEAMS

American League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	4	1	.800
Philadelphia	3	1	.750
Cleveland	4	2	.667
Chicago	3	3	.500
Detroit	3	3	.500
Washington	2	2	.500
St. Louis	2	4	.333
New York	0	4	.000

National League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	4	1	.800
Boston	3	3	.500
St. Louis	3	2	.600
Philadelphia	3	2	.600
Brooklyn	2	3	.400
Pittsburg	2	3	.400
New York	3	3	.500
Chicago	1	4	.200

WOLGAST WORTH ONLY \$137,500

Los Angeles, April 17.—Ad Wolgast is going to cut short his stay on the coast. The lightweight champion is growing lonesome and wants to make a flying dash to Cadillac to visit his folks and spend a few days with them. He announced here today that he and his wife would leave this city May 5 and hurry home, returning in such time that he will get in at least ten days' training before he faces Joe Rivers in the ring at Vernon on July 4. Ad figures this Mexican out a tough fellow, but says he needs only ten days to get into his best condition.

Commanding in property, diamonds and real coin something like \$138,000 Ad fears a pauper's grave. Ad visited the sporting headquarters here today and spoke freely, though much peeved.

"These rainy days give me the blues," volunteered the champ. "I wrote so many letters today that my arm aches. I couldn't hand you a story if I had to. I haven't got a single idea. Being a champion isn't what it is cracked up to be. I was just thinking today of the money I have squandered. I'm going to save from now on." From an inside pocket Ad dug up a crumpled envelope with figures all over its soiled back. "Been trying to find out how I stood financially," he added. "I was called for a showdown today here is my hand."

Here are Wolgast's own figures:	
Cash on hand in Chicago, Los Angeles and San Francisco banks	\$90,000
Value of Cadillac ranch property	17,000
Diamonds	10,000
Four Houses at Venice	15,500
Two automobiles	5,000
Total	\$137,500

JOHNSON NOW HAS OWN CAFE

Chicago, April 17.—Emulating the example of James J. Jeffries and other pugilistic celebrities, Jack Johnson has purchased a cafe in Thirty-first street. His intention is to make it an up-to-date place catering to colored people. Johnson has been a habitue of cafes enough since he broke into pugilistic prominence so that he thinks he ought to know how to run one. Johnson yesterday received telegrams from Santa Fe, N. M., asking him to use his influence to have the proposed Johnson-Flynn fight staged in that city. He turned the message over to Promoter Jack Curley with a request that be given consideration.

PLAIN WARNING IS SENT TO MEXICANS

Washington, April 17.—Warning was issued today by the United States to the Mexican government, as well as to General Pascual Orozco, chief of the revolutionary forces, that "it expects and must demand that American life and property within the republic of Mexico be justly and adequately protected, and that this government must hold Mexico and the Mexican people responsible for all wanton or illegal acts sacrificing or endangering American life or damaging American property or interests."

The attitude of the United States as expressed to both the federal and rebel authorities is that any maltreatment of American citizens "will be deeply resented by the American government and people, and must be fully answered for by the Mexican people."

Acting Secretary Huntington Wilson of the state department, who today issued special instructions to Ambassador Henry Lane Wilson at Mexico City and Marion Fletcher, American consul at Chihuahua, authorized the statement that intervention was not contemplated by the United States. Ambassador Wilson was ordered to communicate at once the views of the United States to the Mexican minister for foreign affairs, and a copy of his instructions likewise was sent to Marion Fletcher, American consul at Chihuahua, with special representations addressed to General Orozco.

The correspondence made public tonight is admittedly the strongest demand the United States is known to have made upon Mexico for respectful treatment of American citizens, as well as other foreigners, and declares that a continuation of illegal acts is tending "to difficulties and obligations which it is to the interests of all true Mexican patriots, as it is the desire of the United States, to avoid."

CHANGE OUT OF GAME FOR GOOD

Cincinnati, April 17.—It was announced here that Manager Frank Chance of the Chicago National league baseball club will play no more baseball this season. Repeated blows on the head from pitched balls and other injuries sustained in the national game have caused continual headaches for the Chicago manager, and he arrived at the grave conclusion shortly before leaving for St. Louis with his team. He stated that Zimmerman will supplant him at the initial sack, but that he would continue to manage the team from the bench.

24 OYSTERS AND 60 EGGS TOP MEAL OF 860 BANANAS

Cincinnati, April 17.—"I've gained eleven pounds since I started thirty days ago, eating a dozen bananas every night—some food," said John Breen, a Cincinnati brakeman who finished his last dozen bananas and topped off the feat by eating five dozen of hard-boiled eggs and two dozen raw oysters. Besides this feat he drank six to eight beers and several large whiskies every night. "I haven't lost my appetite—eat three squares a day—and the bananas are just a little dessert. I am just a hearty eater. I work hard all day and like to eat," said Breen, who weighs 190 pounds and is six feet two inches. "To show that the banana eating contest has no ill effect," said Breen, "I will start again in a few days and see how quickly I can eat another thirty dozen." Breen wins a \$10 wager made with a Cincinnati saloon keeper.

ALMOST A MIRACLE.

One of the most startling changes ever seen in any man, according to W. B. Holsclaw, Clarendonia, Tex., was effected years ago in his brother. "He had such a dreadful cough," he writes "that all our family thought he was going into consumption, but he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, and was completely cured by ten bottles. Now he is sound and well and weighs 215 pounds. For many years our family has used this wonderful remedy for coughs and colds with excellent results." It's quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. Price 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at all Druggists.

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SUPPORTERS OF PRESIDENT CLAIM IOWA'S CONVENTION BY A MAJORITY OF EIGHTY.

Dubuque, April 17.—After the last Republican county convention in Iowa to select delegates to the state delegate convention had been held yesterday, John T. Adams, Iowa manager

for President Taft's campaign, said that the returns received by him indicated a majority of nearly eighty delegates for President Taft. The convention to select delegates-at-large to the national convention will be held on April 24.

Telephone your "wants" to 693.

COLBURN IS CANDIDATE

Supervisor John D. Colburn, of Cornell, for eight years a member of the county board and formerly chairman of that body, yesterday announced his candidacy for the office of county treasurer at the Republican primaries of this fall. Mr. Colburn for several years has been one of the leading and most influential members of the county board and has an extensive acquaintance in this city and Gladstone and in all parts of the county.

He is well qualified to discharge the duties of the office for which he is a candidate. He has also received flattering offers of support from all parts of the county and enters the race as a candidate to be reckoned with.

Mr. Colburn came to Delta county 22 years ago and after making his home in this city for a number of years moved to Cornell where he has since made his home and where he has taken a prominent part in all of the affairs of that township. For over eight years he has been a member of the executive committee of the Republican county committee. He was one of the promoters of the Delta County Agricultural Society and is now one of the active working directors of that organization.



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Quart jar finest large Queen Olives, at 39c
- SPECIAL
Big package Flower and Vegetable Seeds 1c

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Nickel Tea Kettles
Rome, all copper, nickel plated Tea Kettles, size No. 8, Anniversary sale 69c

Aluminum Tea Kettles
No. 9, Imported Aluminum Tea Kettle, \$4.00 and \$4.50 value, seamless, Anniversary sale \$2.75

Pott's Pattern Sad Irons
\$1.25 value, full nickel plated Sad Irons, 3 irons to a set; special Anniversary sale 65c

Galvanized Wash Tubs
Largest size, drop handle, galvanized Wash Tubs, 24 inches across top; Anniversary 42c

Galvanized Wash Tubs
Small size, drop handle, galvanized Wash Tubs, usual 50c seller; Anniversary sale 25c

Galvanized Water Pails
Usually sold at 20c, 25c and 30c, all sizes, during this Anniversary sale 12 1/2c

All White Wash Basins
12-inch all white imported enamel Wash Basins, during this Anniversary sale 19c

Good Parlor Brooms
25 dozen good grade Parlor Brooms, worth up to 60c; our special Anniversary sale 35c

Toilets Picks
Regular 5c package Ideal Tooth Picks, 1000 to the box, Anniversary sale 1 1/2c

Hot Pointed Irons
The famous \$5.00 Hot Pointed Electric Flat Irons, guaranteed for five years, Anniversary sale \$3.75

Cups and Saucers
White semi-porcelain Cups and Saucers, light weight, per set of six 35c

Floating Bath Soap
7 regular 5c bars Snow Berry Soap, none better at any price, Anniversary sale 24c

Curtain Stretchers
The famous no piece Curtain Stretchers, stationary pins, full size, Anniversary sale 85c

Toilet Paper
5 rolls of our regular 7c Silk Tissue Toilet Paper (in other stores 10c), Anniversary sale at 24c

Pie Plates
Regular size Pie Plates, light weight, semi-porcelain, each 8c

Dinner Plates
Regular size Dinner Plates, light semi-porcelain, each 5c

BURKE TO GO EAST

T. J. Burke, formerly a member of the Burke Clothing Company and who recently disposed of his interests in the concern to B. J. MacKilloan, will leave tonight for New York, where he has accepted a position as traveling salesman for a large wholesale clothing manufacturing concern. Through his experience in establishing one of the most prosperous mercantile concerns of the city and his long connection with the mercantile business Mr. Burke is excellently qualified for the position to be taken by him. Mr. Burke has a host of friends in Escanaba who will regret greatly his decision to leave the city but all of whom wish for him an immense measure of success in his new line of work.

MERTZ MAIDENS SCORED SUCCESS

One of the particular features of the performance given at Rapid River on Monday evening when Dad's Gal was presented by a cast of Rapid River people, was the appearance of Dolores and Dorothy Mertz, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Mertz of Gladstone, in a delightful singing specialty. The tots sang Getting A Polish, May Irwin's latest song success in which they scored an immense triumph, being repeatedly encored.

BROTHER IS VICTIM

(Continued from Page One)
boy, bound for Escanaba to make his home with his brother here, from being a victim in the disaster. The lad is Charles Hygrell, whose brother lives on Birch street in this city. He intended to sail on the Titanic but reached that place too late to catch the boat and thus his life was saved. He will sail on a later boat and will come direct from New York to this city.

P. N. Peterson, local agent for the White Star Line, had sold three tickets to Escanaba people who were to go to New York to sail on the Titanic on Saturday for their former homes in Sweden to visit with relatives. All of the local prospective passengers for the ill fated vessel will sail on a later vessel of the line.

Jan. Nolan of Crystal Falls was here for the past few days and returned to his home yesterday. John S. Dutoir a former resident of this city now of North Crandon, Wis. is visiting with friends here. Miss Ruth Stack is visiting with her sister Mrs. A. T. Nadeau in Marinette.

MICHIGAN FOLK ON BOARD BIG VESSEL

Detroit, Mich., April 17.—Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bishop, whose names are in the list of Titanic survivors, are residents of Dowagiac, Mich. They were returning from a trip to Egypt. Mrs. Jane O. Quick and her two daughters, also saved, are on their way from England to join the husband and father, who has been in Detroit for some time.

Mrs. A. Davis and John Davis of Moshawke, Mich., were rescued, but Joseph C. Nichols, a son of Mrs. Davis, probably is lost.

Others known to have been on the steamship and who have not been heard from are:
George Floyd Elmiller, Detroit.
Miss Agnes Sincoc, Calumet, Mich.
Alfred Rush, on his way from London to join relatives in Detroit.
Alfred, John and Joseph Davies, of

West Bronwick, England, enroute to Pontiac, Mich., where a brother resides.

Calumet, Mich., April 17.—Mrs. A. Davis, Joseph Nichols and John N. Davis of St. Ives, Wales, another brother and stepbrother of James Nichols of Calumet, were passengers on board the Titanic, on their way to visit this country. The names of Mrs. Davis and Mr. Davis appear among the list of survivors, but Nichols is probably lost. No news has been received concerning Miss Agnes Sincoc of Hancock, who also was a passenger.

WARD OF THANKS

We wish to sincerely thank all of those who so kindly aided us during the illness and at the time of the death of our wife and mother. To all of those who rendered material aid or in other ways demonstrated their sympathy we will ever be grateful.

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