

PRESIDENT TAFT RESENTS INSULTS

After enduring with infinite patience not only because of the dignity of the high office which he holds, but also because of the personal friendship which he has enjoyed and had hoped to maintain with former President Theodore Roosevelt, President William H. Taft has finally been forced to resent the misrepresentations of his actual position on public issues, the untruths which have been uttered with respect to his official actions and to the conduct of this campaign and attacks upon him which not infrequently involved his personal honor or as a man as well as his integrity as President of the United States.

The President and his campaign managers have sought throughout this campaign, by a dignified and fair course of conduct, to maintain the Republican party as a militant power for good in the land, with a view to another triumphant victory at the polls in November.

On the contrary, Theodore Roosevelt and his friends and backers have conducted an organized campaign to wreck the Republican party, not only by engendering personal animosities by attacks on individual leaders of the party in various States, but by offering and supporting a national platform which is rank Socialism. As a result of this situation Director William B. McKinley, of the National Taft Bureau, issued the following statement to the public on April 14: "The outcome of the Pennsylvania primaries is plainly indicative of the fact that national issues are playing only a small part in some States in the campaign for the Republican nomination for President."

"Instead of constructive statesmanship being put forth in an effort to solve the problems before the country and as a bid for votes on the ground of merit, a nation-wide campaign of willful and malicious misrepresentation, vilification and assault on the President of the United States has been substituted. Such a campaign, amounting in fact to a conspiracy, not only to humiliate the President personally, but to commit the Republican party to rank Socialism, has not only been countenanced but conducted by former President Theodore Roosevelt.

"The time has arrived to call a halt on such proceedings. "President Taft, always mindful of the decencies of human conduct; believing that friendship is a sacred thing and that, like truth, it should be maintained even at a personal sacrifice, and also believing that the American people expect the occupant of the highest office in the gift of the nation, as well as those who have formerly occupied it, to respect the dignity of that office, has, during the course of this campaign, patiently submitted to misrepresentation, vilification and insult, without reply.

"The result is that his opponent has thrown all restraint to the winds. Senator Joseph M. Dixon, the national campaign manager of former President Roosevelt, has been permitted, without rebuke from his candidate, to insult the President of the United States. He has not only been permitted to charge the President with being 'a receiver of stolen goods,' without protest, but former President Roosevelt has repeated the charge on the stump.

"The time has now come when the American people will no longer sit idly by and see this unfair and malicious persecution and vilification continued by a man, and by the friends of a man, who has already served two terms in the White House, by the votes of the Republican party, and who now, not only in violation of the unwritten law of the republic, but in violation of his own solemn promises to the nation, voluntarily given on the night of November 8, 1904 is seeking a third term on a national platform so un-Republican in nature that he dare not discuss it.

TO OPEN LANDS FOR HOMESTEAD ENTRY

Powell, Wyo., April 24.—A new land of promise for the land-hungry and the homesteaders is to be opened Monday, when the Government will offer to settlers the lands embraced in the fourth unit of the Shoshone irrigation project, lying to the north and west of this town. The farms are mostly eighty acres each and contain some of the finest land on the Shoshone project, which eventually will reclaim 150,000 acres east of the Yellowstone National Park in northern Wyoming.

Three years ago this spring the first unit of the Shoshone irrigation project, consisting of 150,000 acres, was opened. This was followed at intervals of a year by the opening of the second and third units. Settlers have poured into the valley from all sections of the country. About five hundred families are now established on the first three units and have built roads, schools and churches. The project has railroad facilities, rural delivery, telephones, and there are thriving towns at short intervals. The towns of Garland and Ralston have grown rapidly and Cody is assuming metropolitan airs. Three years ago the government established the town of Powell in the center of the irrigable area. The town is the headquarters of the United States Reclamation Service on the Shoshone project and though only three years old, it boasts of good schools, churches, hotels and stores.

LEGISLATION DISCUSSED

Some of the laws which the state public school superintendents and school board members will indorse for passage at the next session of the legislature are as follows: The commission school board bill, which provides, especially, for the election of school board members at large and by petition; the teacher's pension bill; the industrial education bill; the establishment of a joint system of state and local support of elementary agriculture and industrial education; a bill for uniform certification of teachers, there being seventeen different kinds in the state at present; a sanitation and fire protection bill; medical inspection bill; some form of the text-book bill.

Considerable discussion was also held on the possibility of taking steps such as have been taken by other states toward making the high schools of the state either partially or wholly state institutions so as to increase their efficiency and broaden their work; also a proposed bill to take out of politics the election of the state superintendent of public instruction, and place it in the hands of a non-political board, to increase the length of the term so as to make possible more efficient service, and to make the salary such as will appeal to the best talent.

The lack of organization among common electors and the need for organization in order to determine real public opinion and protect the common people; the need for a civic council, where the people could gather to discuss public vote on the adaptability of the public school buildings, supported by the public and distributed about the community, for this purpose; and the necessity and advantage of moving the ballot box, the natural instrument of the people to the civic council, giving it a dignified, permanent, clean home, such as is given the instrument of the people's servants—the legislature, aldermen and congressmen, was the subject of a strong address given by Prof. E. J. Ward of the University of Wisconsin before the school superintendents and school board members Friday morning at Lansing.

DENIES BUTT HAD MISSION TO ROME

Washington, April 24.—In response to a letter from William J. Oliver of Knoxville, Tenn., C. D. Hilles, secretary to President Taft, today denied on behalf of the president that Maj. A. W. Butt had been sent abroad on a mission to Rome.

MICHIGAN SUSPECT WILL SPEND \$100,000 TO PREVENT EXILE TO LEPROSY COLONY.

Centerville, Iowa, April 24.—Herman Hirschfeld, of Bay City, Mich., held here as a leprosy suspect by orders of the Michigan state board of health, tonight said he would spend \$100,000 in his efforts to prevent the authorities sending him to a leprosy colony. Mrs. Hirschfeld today telegraphed her husband that she would accompany him if he is forced to join such a colony. Hirschfeld will remain here until the Iowa and Michigan health officials have decided the question of his transportation to a leprosy colony.

STURGEON MILL BURNED

At about 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, a call for help came in to the Norway fire department from Sturgeon Mill. The information was to the effect that the mill of the O'Callahan Lumber Co. was burning and that the pump house had already burned, throwing the fire fighting apparatus out of commission. Chief Martin at once called out the firemen, telephoned for autos, loaded the men with pails and and the chemical apparatus into them and started for the scene.

At 5:30 word was received that the mill had been entirely consumed, and that a large number of men were making strenuous efforts to save the many thousands of feet of lumber in the yard, and that the situation was very serious.

FOURTH CLASS POST- MASTER EXAMINATION.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that on the date above named an examination will be held at Garden, Michigan, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth class postmaster of class (b) at Van's Harbor, Michigan, and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill the vacancy by reinstatement.

CONGRESSMEN HAVE FAILED TO AGREE

Washington, April 24.—A conference report was made to the senate today announcing the failure of agreement on the resolution looking to a constitutional amendment to provide for popular election of senators. It declared that the house proposed to take away from congress all supervisory power over senatorial elections. "To deprive congress of the right to say whether a member of either body had been corruptly elected," said Senator Clark of Wyoming, chairman of the judiciary committee, "is striking at the very foot of our legislative department. It is my opinion that the house amendment would preclude congress from making any investigation into the election of a senator. It would leave it entirely in the hands of the states."

NEW TRANS-ATLANTIC LINER BUT \$5,000 TONS.

Berlin, April 24.—The new transatlantic steamer which was ordered by the North German Lloyd on April 11 at the Schichau shipbuilding yards at Bremen is to have a displacement of 35,000 tons. The company declares that the reports published in America, according to which the vessel was 54,000 tons and that the construction of further similar ships was in contemplation, are incorrect.

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BATTLEFIELD'S ANGEL SUFFERED IN SILENCE



Los Angeles, Cal., April 24.—A secret chapter in the life story of Clara Barton, recently deceased, founder of the American Red Cross was revealed here. That her story and suffering might be known after she was dead and not before—Miss Barton confided her feeling to Prof. Charles Sumner Young in letters which were not to be shown while she was alive. From Glen Echo, Md., Jan. 13, 1904, she wrote: "You will never know how many times I have thought of you in this last, hard, dreadful year. I cannot tell you. I must not, and yet I must. So much of the time, under all the persecution, it has seemed I could not remain in this country, and have sought the range of the world for some place among strangers, and out of the way of people and malls, and longed for some one to point out a quiet place in some other land."

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"I was ashamed of my face," writes Miss Pickard of North Carolina. "It was all full of pimples and scars, but after using D. D. D. Prescription for Eczema I can say that now there is no sign of that Eczema and that was three years ago."
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MARQUETTE WAS BEATEN

The negative debating team of the Ishpeming high school on Monday night defeated the affirmative team of the Marquette high school in a debate at Marquette when the same question that is to be argued in a dual debate between teams representing Ishpeming and Escanaba tonight, was up for discussion. The Mining Journal of Marquette says of the debate:

The Marquette High school debating team lost to the Ishpeming High school team in a spirited debate on the question: "Resolved, That all American cities with populations of from 10,000 to 500,000 should adopt the commission form of government." The Ishpeming team had the better delivery, and was stronger in the rebuttal. Frank Courtney, of the Marquette team, did exceptionally good work.

The Marquette team had the affirmative side of the question, and was composed of James Beckman, Filmore Stolpe and Frank Courtney. The Ishpeming team had the negative side, and its members were Henry Johnson, Britha Dawson and Arne Kettunen. The judges were F. B. Monical, of Champlin, O. O. Fuller, of the National Mine, and J. H. Kaye, president of the Northern State Normal school. The decision was unanimous. The chairman of the debate was Harold A. Clark.

GREEN IS MADE VICE PRESIDENT

Houghton, Mich., April 24.—The permanent organization of the Michigan Association of Agriculture and Commerce was effected, Thursday morning, in the conference of commercial bodies of the state in the Hotel Pontchartrain, Detroit, after the committee appointed to make preliminary arrangements had filed its report.

The following directors were elected in the meeting: Milton A. McItaas, Detroit; George B. Horton, Fruitport; Nathan P. Hull, Diamonddale; J. C. Ketchum, Hastings; J. H. P. Hughson, Grand Rapids; E. S. Porter, Lansing; Asa H. Brown, Port Huron; Harry Wickes, Saginaw; D. H. Day, Glen Haven; H. K. Gastin, Alpena; W. F. Johnson, Roscommon; Thornton A. Green, Ontonagon, and J. L. Snyder, president Michigan Agricultural College, Lansing, as directors-at-large.

Immediately upon adjournment the directors held a meeting and elected officers as follows: President, S. Wickes, Saginaw; Vice-President, Thornton A. Green, Ontonagon; temporary secretary-treasurer, Milton Carmichael, Detroit.

The directors will hold a meeting in Lansing, May 9, and will appoint a permanent secretary in that meeting. A committee on by-laws was appointed which will also make a report to that meeting.

HOW SACRIFICE BAT WAS FORCED OUT OF THE NATIONAL GAME.

Hughie Jennings was the man whose wits kicked the sacrifice bat out of baseball. Never heard of the sacrifice bat? That means that you haven't been following baseball since the early nineties as has the man who tells how Hughie forced the peculiar instrument out of the game. Hughie was with Louisville at the time and an old-timer there tells the story.

The sacrifice bat was one that was hit on one side and round on the other. In order to lay down a neat sacrifice to advance a man at the cost of your own life, you hit the ball with the flat side of the bat, which sent it slowly to the infielders.

FIFTY TOWNS FELT EFFECTS OF FLOOD

Memphis, April 24.—News from the flooded area of the Mississippi Valley in Arkansas, Mississippi and Louisiana continued today to be increasingly grave. Thousands of those who were compelled to flee to higher places when the yellow flood invaded their homes have been cared for, but there are still many more who are in imperative need of aid. As the waters continue on their destructive way more appeals for help are being received by those in charge of the relief work.

It is estimated there are fifty towns and villages that have so far felt the effects of the flood. Some places are under from two to fifteen feet of water with little prospects of an early recession.

Reports as to the loss of life differ. Those known to have perished total ten, all but one of whom were negroes. It is believed, however, that the list will be much larger as the interior of the affected district is penetrated by rescue parties.

Conditions in the country overflowed by the Beulah, Miss., break are extremely serious. High places in Bolivar county, never before inundated, are covered with three to four feet of water. All women and children in that district have been taken to Greenville and Vicksburg. Much relief work remains to be done in that section, as appeals for help from both white and black inhabitants are being received continually at Vicksburg, where the headquarters of the Relief Bureau are established. More than a dozen towns already have been inundated from the Beulah break.

At Nibletta, Miss., four miles south of the Beulah crevasse, where some alarm was felt for a portion of the levee Saturday, a large force of men are working day and night and it is believed a break will be averted.

Great damage has been done to railroads running through the flooded country. Miles of track and roadbeds in various places have been swept away.

The distribution of supplies to hundreds of victims marooned on plantations and in settlements in the neighborhood of Tallulah, a., began yesterday. Many negroes remain in Tallulah, who have not been cared for. They will be taken to Millkens Bend, where an emergency camp has been established.

There is practically no change in the levee situation south of Vicksburg. Reports to the government engineers in charge of the Fourth district continue to be favorable.

At New Orleans the stage of the river at 7 o'clock tonight was 20.2 feet, a rise of .1 of a foot for the twenty-four hours.

NEED FOR RELIEF WORK.

Washington, April 24.—The need for relief work being carried on by the army in the Mississippi Valley increases daily as the crest of the flood moves oceanward.

Already upward of 70,000 persons are being fed daily in the districts between Hickman, Ky., and Natchez, Miss.

The work of succor will have to be continued long after the floods have subsided, or until the sufferers are able to re-establish their homes.



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The Balance of This Week

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LIVE ITEMS OF INTEREST

Joseph Deiter of Flat Rock transacted business here yesterday.

A. R. Moore who has been ill at his home for some time is again able to be out.

One more week of the great reduction sale in Watches, Jewelry, Silverware, Cut Glass, Karnak Brass, Assyrrian Gold and Mantel Clocks. Hill Drug Store.

George H. Cobb left yesterday for Minneapolis and St. Paul on business. David Cripps has returned from a visit in Milwaukee.

Joseph Hoffman has taken a position as bartender at the saloon of J. F. Sullivan.

Don't forget the dance at Forgetter's Hall at Hyde, Saturday, Apr. 27th. Music by LeDuc's orchestra.

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Mrs. Benjamin Chollette of Northland is visiting in the city.

Morris Baum, of Los Angeles Cal., who left Escanaba four years ago for the west, arrived in the city yesterday morning to visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Baum.

The "Sweet Corner" is open and the whole town knows what it means to have one place where sanitary and scientific conditions prevail.

SCENERY IS REALISTIC

Mrs. D. A. Oliver has returned from a short visit in Chicago.

For the benefit of Escanaba people desiring to go to Maywood to gather arbutus it is announced that the steamer Jennie W. will make trips from the Stephenson dock to the upper bay port at 9 o'clock on Saturday and Sunday mornings.

No need to wait until fall to enter the School That Teaches HOW. Gordon's Business College. First National Bank Bldg. 116-St.

Miss Helen Green was surprised by a number of friends at her home on Sunday evening, the event being arranged in celebration of her seventeenth birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Manzer Way and children have moved to Cornell, where they may decide to remain permanently.

Miss Daisy Temple of Hyde is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Burns.

The Hill Drug Store has a sale on Jewelry, Silverware, Cut Glass Etc., that is a sale, and you've "Gotta quit kickin' my dawg aroun" or they will give it away.

Mrs. D. Tait and family are visiting at McMillan with relatives.

Miss Catherine Weisert of Ford River is visiting in the city.

Mrs. John Hamband has gone to Green Bay to consult a specialist.

Miss Katherine Connors is visiting in Ishpeming for a few days.

Miss Marie Riley is visiting with friends at Ishpeming.

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COUNCIL IGNORES THE SALOON LAWS

Menominee, Mich., April 24.—Disregarding, it is said, the state law, the precedent set by the action taken in other cities, and the advice of City Attorney Cuddy, the Menominee council at a special session Monday evening granted all saloons licenses applied for, which was 42, and also licenses to two breweries of that city.

Under the Warner-Crampton decision by the Michigan supreme court nearly every city in Michigan has had to materially reduce the number of saloon licenses granted. A committee of the council and the city attorney have been studying the matter for some time. The city attorney informed the council that in his opinion only 27 licenses could be legally granted. The committee recommended granting 33.

The council first granted the 33 licenses, but later canceled 6 of them.

Joseph Rehume of Bark River was in the city yesterday on business.

Frank Oster of Harrisburg is visiting here yesterday.

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ICE KEPT SHIP FROM TITANIC

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OBSERVE MOTHERS' DAY ON MAY 12

"Mother's Day," is becoming more and more observed in the churches of the United States, and many clergymen on that day throughout Michigan will deliver special sermons calling attention to the mother's influence in the home. "Mother's Day" this year will be celebrated on Sunday, May 12, and several of the Escanaba churches are already looking forward to the event.

In view of the fact that in the moral and social reform work of the churches the mothers and women of the churches are seeking to correct serious evils that exist in cities as a menace to the morals of their children outside the home and are finding that much of their efforts is ineffective because they are denied the ballot, which gives the only possible power to register peaceable assertions of conviction and will in shaping governmental affairs, the workers for "Mothers Day" are working for the cause of suffrage.

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NEWLY MARRIED COUPLE COME HERE

After being married in Milwaukee on Monday Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Burnstead arrived in the city last night and are guests at the home of Prof. and Mrs. E. L. Schou. The bride was formerly Miss May Wollenkamp of Highland, Wis., where the groom has been employed for the last two years. The couple went to Milwaukee from Highland on Monday and were married in that city on that day coming to Escanaba to visit with relatives. The groom formerly lived in Escanaba and went to Highland two years ago. The newly married couple may decide to locate permanently in Escanaba.

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9 to 10 a. m.	STANDARD CALICOS 2500 yds. Standard Calicos, mill lengths 2 to 10 yards, one hour only, per yd.	3c	9 to 10 a. m.	DRY GOODS DEPT.
2 to 3 p. m.	DOMESTIC GINGHAMS 100 yds. Domestic Ginghams, all colors, mill lengths, 2 to 10 yds., one hour, yd.	3c	2 to 3 p. m.	DRY GOODS DEPT.
9 to 10 a. m.	WASH DRESSES \$1.00 Children's Wash Dresses, age 6 to 14 years, all styles, all colors, one hour.....	59c	9 to 10 a. m.	CLOAK DEPT.
2 to 3 p. m.	SHIRT WAISTS 650 Women's Shirt Waists, in white and colors, good materials, new styles, one hour.....	49c	2 to 3 p. m.	CLOAK DEPT.
9 to 10 a. m.	SHOE POLISH 25c pkgs. Whittemore's world famous Gilt Edge Shoe Polish, one hour only, 2 for.....	25c	9 to 10 a. m.	SHOE DEPT.
2 to 3 p. m.	MISSER'S SHOES Lot odd pairs Misses' Shoes, 1.50 & 1.75 values, different styles & leathers, one hour.....	99c	2 to 3 p. m.	SHOE DEPT.
9 to 10 a. m.	DRESS SHIRTS Men's new spring fine Dress Shirts, one regular \$1.00 value, for one hour only.....	79c	9 to 10 a. m.	CLOTHING DEPT.
2 to 3 p. m.	WORK PANTS Men's extra strong and well made Cottonsade Work Pants, 34 color, dark colors one hour.....	79c	2 to 3 p. m.	CLOTHING DEPT.
9 to 10 a. m.	BOYS' PANTS Boys' regular 50c Kahki Bloomer Pants, extra strong, good patterns, one hour only.....	29c	9 to 10 a. m.	BOYS' DEPT.
2 to 3 p. m.	BOYS' CAPS Boys' 50c summer Caps, yacht shape, assorted styles and colors, all sizes, one hour only.....	25c	2 to 3 p. m.	BOYS' DEPT.
9 to 10 a. m.	TOILET PAPER 6 regular 10c rolls Quix Toilet Paper, full count 1000 sheets to roll one hour.....	25c	9 to 10 a. m.	BASEMENT.
2 to 3 p. m.	CRANE'S PAPER 1 pound box Crane's Louisiana Linen Paper and 1 pkz. Louisiana Linen Envelopes all for.....	25c	2 to 3 p. m.	BASEMENT.

ICE LEAVES ALL LAKES

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Port Arthur, Ont. The ice field extends beyond vision. It is 30 inches in thickness in harbor; the tug 'Whale' broke passage to four miles beyond Thunder Cape; no open water visible from deck of steamer.

Ashland. There is a good deal of open water in the harbor; the ice is soft and decreasing rapidly.

Eagle Harbor. Harbor ice 30 inches in thickness and honeycombed; extensive fields extending beyond vision heavily windrowed; some open water to northwest. (20th.)

Houghton. (22nd) Open water extends practically to Portage L. S. S., there is considerable ice in the canal and extensive fields outside the breakwater. At Eagle Harbor the field ice extends in a strip a mile wide along shore; outside of this strip the open water extends beyond vision.

Marquette. Harbor clear on 22nd; bay full of floating ice; open water in lake extends from Presque Isle north and northwest beyond vision.

Sault Ste. Marie. There is much open water reported between Pariseau Island and here; the lower river is open to Mud Lake by way of the West Neebish and is open through the dyke to Little Mud Lake where the ice is rotten; the ice in the vicinity of Lime Island is not considered strong enough to make tests. The rain of Sunday afternoon and night has removed all doubt of ice offering any obstruction to boats.

LAKE MICHIGAN

Gladstone. The ice in the lower bay between Gladstone and Escanaba went but on the 18th; the ice in the upper bay is loose and shifting with the wind.

Escanaba. Harbor clear of ice; the ice went out on the 19th.

Menominee. The ice in Green Bay is broken and shifting with the winds; ferries making regular trips.

Green Bay. No ice of any importance visible in this end of the bay.

Plum Island. The ice has all disappeared from this vicinity.

Sturgeon Bay. Sturgeon Bay is clear of ice; navigation may be resumed.

Maackinaw. The Straits are practically free of ice; there are a few small broken floes left but they offer no obstruction to navigation. There is some ice along the shore in a narrow strip.

LAKE HURON

Maackinac Island. The ice has disappeared; no floating ice visible in the Straits.

Port Huron. No ice visible in the lake.

Lake St. Clair and Detroit River are free of ice.

LAKE ERIE

Note. No ice reported over the eastern half of the lake.

Cleveland. No ice visible since last report.

Detroit. The ice fields were shifting with the winds during the week; some open water visible; car ferry making regular trips.

Wier. Harbor open; the ice in the bay has been diminishing rapidly; there are occasional fields but they are much broken up; navigation has been practicable for a week.

Buffalo. The ice field at this point is much broken up; icebergs are numerous; some are as small as a house; the running water is much broken up during the week.

It will be the last of the season.

AMIALE STUPIDITY IN WIFE

Once Clever Woman Was Doomed to Calibany Unless Clever Enough to Act the Part of Fool.

Some years ago a smart London magazine invited 50 prominent men of the day to declare their taste in women and particularly whether they preferred clever or stupid wives.

And the 50 masculine nabobs, literary, artistic, legal, commercial, rushed eagerly into print on this most delicate subject.

Forty-two of them, comments a Los Angeles newspaper woman, pronounced in favor of amiable stupidity, especially in wives. Seven of them—ones was Max O'Rell—balked the question and found charms on both sides. And only one declared that he honestly preferred a clever woman, provided she did not think she was cleverer than he was.

And what happened? It just shows the cleverness of the sex. Instead of promptly cultivating amiable imbecility and thus making the supply equal to the demand every last female among them decided that she would be clever from henceforward. No commercial instinct, you see!

And for a year or two things came to such a pass that a clever woman was foredoomed to calibany from the outset unless she was clever enough to act the fool. From the marriage records one reasonably concludes that a good many of them acted the fool.

But now? Why there never was such a demand for clever women. Not only are they considered absolutely necessary in the various professions in which intelligence is at a high premium, but men even want to marry them!

IS LAZIEST MAN ON EARTH

Sea-Faring Man Discovers Him in Perven of Chief of the Solomon Islands.

In all probability the laziest man on earth has been discovered by sea-faring men who had occasion to stop at the Solomon Islands of the East Indies not long ago. Those islands are inhabited by tribes of black men known to the sailors as Kanakas.

The ruler over the islands of Choise and Caristoval is one of these Kanakas, known as Chief Sonoa. The Kanakas are almost invariably short and very heavily built, but Chief Sonoa is the shortest and fattest one of the bunch, weighing in the neighborhood of 365 pounds. He is not only the blackest, fattest and laziest, but he has more wives than any other chief in that neighborhood.

One of the sailors who visited these islands said that "his majesty would lie in the hands of the beach while his favorite wife would sit beside him and smoke. She would draw a mouth full of the smoke into her lungs. The chief would open his mouth, the favorite would blow the smoke into it and he would inhale it into his lungs, after which he would let it pass out his nose. Time after time would the wife chosen for this job blow the smoke into her chief's mouth, and time after time he would take it into his lungs to let it pass out of his nose. The tobacco used was the strongest that could be had, and with it was rolled some kind of leaf that would bring on sleep. A truly luxurious being is this dusky King."

100 LATE TO CLASSIFY.

WANTED—Drop me a card if you want your lawn mowed or your garden. John Depine, 707 Escanaba Street. 635-116-31.

WANTED—At once, two dining room girls at the Oliver Hotel. 1163

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Inquire of Mrs. J. H. Smith, 1163

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE ESCANABA NATIONAL BANK

of Escanaba, Michigan

APRIL 18, 1912

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts.....	\$280,451.18
Overdrafts.....	850.75
U. S. and other Bonds.....	125,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,192.86
Cash and Exchange.....	108,951.49
	\$576,647.21

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock.....	100,000.00
Surplus.....	30,000.00
Undivided Profits.....	25,598.50
Circulation.....	100,000.00
Deposits.....	623,048.62
	\$576,647.21

at call, in money, gold coins, bodies, etc. in gold.

Advertising Beef In Paris



Paris merchants frequently are very enterprising in their advertising. Sometimes they resort to methods that would not be tolerated in this country. In some cases, as well illustrated by the accompanying photograph, in some city when a butcher buys a fat beef he tethers the animal at the shop as an advertisement, until he is ready to slaughter it. The pedestrians are compelled to forsake the sidewalk and walk in the street.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY

APRIL 18, 1912

RESOURCES:

Demand Loans.....	.....
Time Loans.....	.....
United States Bonds.....	.....
Municipal and other Bonds.....	.....
Overdrafts.....	.....
Premium on U. S. Bonds.....	.....
Real Estate.....	.....
Banking House.....	.....
Call Loans.....	.....
Exchange.....	.....
Cash.....	.....

Call and see us.

City Hotel and other First