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The Cheapest and Best!

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Groceries, Provisions,

EVERYTHING IN THIS LINE,
The Highest Prices Paid for Furs

FAMILIES,
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LUMBER,
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LUMBER,
Wholesale or Retail,

Lower Prices,
VERY BEST LUMBER

BAY SHORE,
Wholesale or Retail,

The Escanaba Tribune

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INTERESTING TOPICS.

The Rev. Edward Everett Hale proposes to solve the tramp problem in Massachusetts by having the Governor issue a circular to the town authorities, urging them, on a given day, to arrest and prosecute all vagrants in their jurisdiction the night before. On the day in question Mr. Hale thinks that there would not be many tramps to be prosecuted.

Among the bills before the Judiciary Committee of the Connecticut Legislature is one providing for an inquiry into the practicability of simplifying the forms of legal proceedings so as to allow all law suits to be brought by a plain statement of the plaintiff's claim, such as an ordinary man can understand. More than twenty States and Territories have already taken this step.

This salt marsh which the Southern Pacific railroad passes, near Bitter Springs station, is the lowest point on the coast, being, according to Lieut. Wheeler's surveys, two hundred and seventy-two feet below the level of the ocean, and by surveys of the railroad company, two hundred and seventy-eight feet below, thus requiring an upgrade on the railroad from the marsh to the Colorado river.

An eminent New York physician, who has attended many cases of the peculiar fever resulting from a visit to the Centennial Exhibition, expresses his belief that the disease was caused by the presence of forinates in certain articles of exhibition, which had been brought from some of the worst plague spots on earth, and says he has seen that other types of fever, hitherto unknown to us, may follow as a result of the Exhibition.

BUFFALO, N. Y., has a "law and order society" of 100 members, which is doing brilliant work. They subscribed \$100 each, payable as needed, and hired a smart lawyer, who brought the whole police force to the Supreme Court to answer for neglect of duty in not enforcing the Sunday law. The result was that 1,000 saloons, usually open on that day, were closed. The next week some unlocked their back door, and spent the night in the lock-up, and stopped. Buffalo has a vigilant police force now, for they are in mortal fear of that faithful one hundred.

A LAW OF New York relating to tree planting says: "Any inhabitant liable to highway tax, who shall transplant by the side of the public highway any forest, shade tree or fruit tree, of suitable size, shall be allowed by the overseer of highways, in abatement of his highway tax, one dollar for every four trees set out; no row of elm shall be 50 feet, except broad which may be 30 feet apart; and no alderwood or poplar trees shall be made more than 30 feet apart. The law also provides that trees shall have been set out a year previous to the demand for said abatement of tax, and are living and well protected from animals at the time of such demand."

A CORRESPONDENT of the Sidney Telegraph estimates the population of the different towns in the Black Hills as follows: Deadwood, 2,500; Gayville, 1,000; 25th Bend, 500; Washington City, 200; Lead City, 250; Golden Gate, 300; False Bottom, 200; Montana City, 200; Crook City, 400; Spearfish, 200; Ouster City, 500; El Dorado, 100; Rapid City, 150; total, 6,500. From trustworthy sources it is estimated that an emigration of at least 30,000 persons will take place the coming season, so that at the end of 1877 the Black Hills will have a population of from 30,000 to 30,000 inhabitants. With this population it is expected that a large amount of capital will be brought in, and an increased and highly productive business insured.

The British Medical Journal recently referred to some experiments which promise to throw light on the transformations of alcohol when taken into the stomach. Messrs. Winkley and J. W. Cooper, after passing many times through a silicated carbon filter a thousand of alcohol—one part to a thousand of water—found that four-fifths of the alcohol had disappeared; but the solution contained twenty grains per gallon of organic matter which was not volatile at the boiling point of water. If, as suggested, the alcohol was oxidized into glycol, the transformation of alcohol by oxidation into a substance of a nutritive value has, in this instance been accomplished, and this fact will have to be taken into account by physiologists in subsequent investigations of its value as food.

Most has been said and written upon the effects of forest upon rainfall, and yet with all our destruction of forests the records do not show that the annual rainfall has been decreased; yet it is almost certain that heavily timbered areas play their part in preventing too rapid evaporation; and thus while they do not effect the total amount, they have the effect of retaining it and preventing sudden and disastrous droughts peculiar to woodless regions. In winter they retain the heavy snowfalls much longer, and instead of sudden freshets every spring we have a gradual change from snow to water. We think there has been needless alarm as to the timber supply of our country, while it does seem probable that the supply of certain kinds of wood is becoming exhausted, yet at the same time we should remember that iron and steel are being substituted in many cases for wood, and within ten years the substitution will be still more marked.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

The New York Herald says an injunction has been served on three Boston banks forbidding the transfer of certain deposits, and other accounts in which certain persons had been placed. The securities are supposed to be part of the plunder stolen from the Northampton bank.

The failure of James Thigpen, speculator in land and other provisions at the produce exchange, New York, is announced. His liabilities are roughly estimated at \$2,000,000.

The building trade is reviving in Brooklyn, and plasterers have struck for \$1.50 per day; the present wages are \$1.00. Some bricklayers have yielded to the demand, owing to their contract with owners.

The principal coal companies operating in the Southern Valley are commencing to work on full time at their mines. They have been shut for half a year. They have been shut for half a year.

JOHN A. LEVINS died at Brooklyn, N. Y., a few days ago, and bequeathed his entire estate, consisting of \$1,000,000, to the government to help pay the national debt.

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THE APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1877.

An analysis of the bills passed—A Comparison with those of last year. The House has passed the bill for the year 1877.

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Table with advertising rates for various types of ads and durations.

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BUSINESS DIRECTORY

C. C. ROYCE DRUGGIST AND BOOKSELLER

WALL PAPER, WINDOW SHADES, PAINTS, OILS, &c.

BITTNER BROTHERS CITY MARINE MEAT MARKET

MUTTON, POULTRY, HEADCHEESE, SAUSAGE, BUTTER, EGGS, ETC.

J. F. OLIVER & CO. GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS

GRAIN, FLOUR, FEED, HAY, SALT, WOOD, & COAL

Foot of Ludington Street, Escanaba, Michigan

HARDWARE: Blacksmith Tools, Carpenters Tools, Coopers Tools, HORSE SHOES, Wrought Spikes, Boat Oars, Pike Poles, Peavey Cant Dogs, Wagon Wood Work and Sleigh Materials, and all kinds of HANDLES!

BUILDING PURPOSES Wrapping and Building Paper

CHEAP FOR CASH WOOD! WOOD!

THE TRIBUNE

Escanaba as a Business Point

Now that the railroad from this port to the Menominee Iron Range is an established fact and as we expect next season the mineral wealth that has been looked up for ages in this vicinity will begin to be poured into our lap, as it were, it might not be amiss to look up some of the advantages that Escanaba possesses as a first-class business point.

Last week the officers of the Hurley brownstone quarry received their diplomas from the Centennial commissioners and also took their award medals for the best exhibition of brownstone.

There has been a very decided improvement in the iron business within the past two weeks; all our mills with the exception of one or two in hands of their creditors, are now running, some of them working double time, and the outlook is considered favorable for a good spring and summer trade.

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Letter From Masonville

Did you ever hear of the city of Genoa, which was supposed to be located somewhere about the head of Little Bay de Noc and which thrived to its greatest extent in the reign of C. T. Harvey? Old residents still will remember the city as it was when it was a week and went out the next, if the weather was fair, well she hailed from Genoa, which ought to be sufficient to establish the fact that there was such a place.

Our machine for grinding oil items got somewhat out of repair which accounts for their non-appearance in the Tribune for several weeks past.

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U. S. Internal Revenue SPECIAL TAXES

The Revised Statutes of the United States, Sections 3221, 3222, 3223, and 3224, require every person engaged in any business, vocation, or profession, which renders him liable to a SPECIAL TAX, to procure and place conspicuously in his establishment or place of business a STAMP denoting the payment of said SPECIAL TAX for the year ending May 1, 1877, before conducting or continuing business after April 1, 1877.

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POPULAR STORE! Heller & Schram

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Caps, Trunks & Valises.

BOSS STORE. Yours Truly, S. ADLER.

SUPERIOR MEAT MARKET. PETER BUCHHOLTZ, PROP.

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WIS. CENTRAL RAIL ROAD

Operating Philadelphia & Colby Construction Co.

Trunk Sleeping Cars From Green Bay to Milwaukee and Chicago.

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Minerals, Shells, Birds, &c.

Profusely Illustrated. Collections of Minerals.

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