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********** Ease, Elegance, Comfort, Style" Combined with our popular and levets by which we keep

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Patronage From All Classes of thrifty, movey saving, cash buying citizens growing daily, encourages us more and more to reach out until not a thing shall be too good or too expensive to put before those of mod crate means.

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Was a quill plucked from the wings of the blithe bird and dipped in the radiant eftulgence of the rainbow, it could scarcely describe the exceedingly beautiful and aristocratically tony Capes and Jackets now ready for

your inspection in our

There is no more harmony between bride and groom than between close buyers

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See our windows. Rad our "acs." They will Keep you posted on

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NEW SHAPES. NEW COLORS.

NEW STYLES. NEW STUFFS. NEW COMBINATIONS.

PRICES-2, 3, 4, 5, 6.50, 7, 8.50, 10, 12, UP TO 28 DOLLARS

YOU DO

Practice economy when you buy such goods as we offer cheap. It's the value for your dollars that makes them cheap.



YOU DO

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Not practice economy when you buy anything simply be-cause it's cheap. There are lots of goods in Escanaba that are not worth the buying.

Druggists.

FOR-

Spring Medicines

The Hill Drug Store

WE'LL TAKE CARE OF YOU AND

"That Tired Feeling."

Largest Drug Stock in the City.

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CONGRATULATE * OURSELVES Parker's

And our patrons at the same time, upon our complete stock of groceries, both Fancy and Staple. With such goods as these we have a walk-over in the race for public favor, and are certain : . of election as the

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OF THIS CITY.

It is as sure as day-light, that we have the call, and also the groceries which you require. The quality as high as prices in war times. The variety is as endless as a tread mill. Our prices as cheap as a politicians promises. We take the palm in every point of view, and whatever you buy of us is always the best, as well as the cheapest.

If We Provide Your Table Supplies

Your fare will be enough to make an epicure smile all the year 'round, : : :

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Flour and Feed.

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The best of each heavy desired quantity, delivered at any point in the city at

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Has been in successful operation upwards of two previous year 80 per cent.

On and after April 1st, until further notice, the price of Rough Dry Work will be advanced 25 per cent.

Assorted Flat Work same as heretofore, 50 cents per dozen. List prices for all other work the same as

N. G. PARKER. Prop.

WE LOST THE RED APPLE

NAVIGATION AT THIS PORT WAS OPENED ON THURSDAY APR. 27.

The Andaste, Light, Arrived and the La-Balls and Deversux, With Coal For Glads one, Waited Here For That Port to Open.

Our wager-of a big red, apple-that the ice would hold until May 1 was lost. The heavy gales from the eastward raised the water in the bay and broke the ice The product was found in huge masses and that of Thursday morning last, from the west, started it out so that the harbor below the mouth of the Escanaba was accessible and the Andaste. La-Salle and Devereux came in. The first was light and went at once to number one dock to load with ore, the two latter had cargoes of coal for Gladstone and held on here for the cork to come out of the neck of the bottle-the strong ice to loosen and run out from the narrow waters between Saunders and Squaw points-So that they could reach their berths and discharge their cargoes.

The ice took out with it some 600,000 feet of logs belonging to Davis & Mason which had been brought bither by rail dock, to be bagged and towed to their mill at Gladstone. Tugs are, as we write, following to pick up the logs but many will no doubt be lost and the cost of reclaiming the others will cut down the profit on the lumber made of them.

Gladstone opened only a day later; the Monarch "drew the cork by working through the heavy ice, and the Washburn and Pillsbury came out on Friday morning and the LaSalle and Devereux went in. During the night of Friday the loosened ice moved down into our harbor but was so broken as to impede navigation but little. Both ports were ready for business, any amount of it, on Satur-

Why Not? We Don't See.

A bill under consideration in the legis lature confers upon Davis & Co., of Detroit, the exclusive right to take whitefish in a little lake in Schoolcraft county, they having first planted the fish in the lake. We see no objection to the bill; it only prohey have sown, in the water as they would on land, without any act of the legislature, and we are glad to see that our representatives in the legislature take the same view. The picayune chaps from the districts where bull-heads are the only fish, except when the suckers run in the spring, fight the bill and rave about monopoly and will probably defeat it, but that is no evidence that the principle is incorrect. The lake is of no value, now, as a food producer; Davis & Co. might make it such if they were permitted, but they can not be expected to plant for everybody to reap-only the state does

As to the Postoffice. The Iron Port or Mr. Stephenson need

being brought into requisition at any moment.-Mirror.

As for The Iron Port, it will be surpris ed at nothing which the administration may do or refrain from doing. It took no stock in the announcement concerning republican postmasters, although it was made by a good democrat, Springer, upon the authority of Postmaster-general Bissell, and it would advise Postmaster Stephenson, (if its advice was asked) to look out for another yob. The Mirror suggests that he is doing just that, and perhaps it is correct.

They are Lawyers.

At the term of court which closed on Friday last John P. McColl and Walter J. Power were, after proper examination, admitted to practice as attorneys. Mr. McColl will take rank, at once, as "a real estate lawyer" his service as county clerk and his study of titles in building up his for him. Mr. Power, if he is true to his lineage, will develop forensic ability and naturally attract a class of clients to whom such an ability is valuable. To both The Iron Port wishes success.

Oh, They're a-Coming.

Besides those previously mentioned as looking for a location here for industrial and a brick-maker, and for both The now in the hands of Sheriff Beauchamp. Iros Port has only good wishes. In Whether it will be sold or an accommodasome respects the stove works would be | tion reached by which Mr. Carlson can the best thing yet proposed, as a furnace resume business we have not been able to to make the raw material-pig ironwould be a part of the plant and the number of men to be employed would necessarily be large.

Death of Dr. Hussey.

Dr. C. G. Hussey, one of the pioneers of the copper mining industry of this penin- He sent his sweetheart the cash to pay sula, died at Pittsburgh, Pa., last week her way from Austria to Red Jacket and at the age of ninety-one years. Of his she used it for that purpose but on ar- burden of their communication to the connection with copper mining the American riving married another man. Then the ican Manufacturer says:

During this trip be purchased for Dr. SECRET SOCIETY SQUIBS permits for mining in that region ever granted by the United States, Based upon this and subsequent purchases, in the winter of 1848-4 the Pittsburg and Boston Mining Company was organized, Dr. Hussey being a large stockholder, and afterward its president until its winding up. He opened the Cliff mine The Odd Pellows' Party a Social Sucwhich was the first in the region, and the first to yield pure or metallic copper, not only in this country; but probably in the world. Masses weighing from 1 to 81 tons were found. This mine cost its owners in assessments \$110,000, produced nearly \$8,000,000 worth of copper and paid them in dividends, \$2,280,000. and great difficulty was experienced in smelting it, but Dr. Hussey made a furnace with a movable top which was an immediate success."

The Fishery Question.

The superintendent of the fisheries of the Dominion of Canada gives this testimony with regard to the suspension of fishing during the month of November:

"A close season for white-fish is above and rolled upon the ice at the lumber | Well be controverted that it is the proper | from the brethren-there's no "squent, month. With my view perhaps it would from them. be a little more than the month of November, but that month will fairly cover the spawning season of the whitefish throughout every water on this continent to which they are indigenous."

He says in that paragraph nothing as to the result of the closed season on the Canadian fisheries but the fish commissioner of Minnesota gives evidence on that point. He says:

"I know from the experience as to protection given by the Canadian authorities to whitefish in Lake Superior, that it is most beneficent. The difference between our fishing on the north shore of Lake Superior, in our waters and bays and theirs, is most marked. When you get within thirty or thirty-five miles of the Canadian line the fishing is fairly good, and when you cross it, it is excellent, compared with the fishing on our side.'

The weight of evidence is such that we can but agree with our representative poses that Davis & Co. may reap what who said "I can't help believing that the closed season proposed by the fish commissioners' bill is a good thing.'

Gone to "Sort Up." Ed. Erickson departed ou Sunday evena double or a threefold purpose in going just at that time-President Cleveland show on the day following, Mrs. Erickson was to start from her winter refuge in Tennessee on the same day-but the purpose which most interests the public was that of "sorting up" his dry goods stock, which had been put out of balance by the run of customers since his opening, a task not perhaps as pleasing to Ed. as the welcoming of wife and son or even seeing the big show started by the big not be surprised to hear of Maxwell's axe man, but one which he will discharge as faithfully as either. When he returns he will be heard from in our columns.

To See How We Do It. Mayor Browning, J. B. Knight and another gentleman from Norway were here on Tuesday to see the working of our fire department and examine the outfit. Chief Tolan took pleasure in showing them what he has to work with and how he uses it, and gave them a ride in the wagon. They expressed themselves as much pleased with what they saw, and returned home to put into practice in Norway what they learned by the

Bark River Embezzlement Case. The jury which heard the case against Seraph Belanger, late treasurer of Bark River township, for embezzlement of the funds of the township, acquitted him of the charge. The jury which heard the abstract business determining that line civil case against him and his bondsmen -suit to recover the money-gave judgment in favor of the township, but the township will get its money only at the end of a fight in the supreme court, as Six bonds were rejected, four as insuffithe bondsmen will appeal.

In the Sheriff's Hands,

The jewelry and silverware stock of C. J, Carlson was attached by his foreign plants we hear of a stove manufacturer | creditors at the close of last week and is ascertain. One thing is very pertain, amely, that line of trade is overdone in our city and it becomes a case of the survival of the fittest.

Marriage a Pronounced Failure. A Red Jacket man got a rough deal. sender sued to recover his money and lost who wears masculine habiliments or "Dr. Hussey was the first to investigate the case, so he is out both gelt and girl, buys them for others to wear. We might the copper resources of the Lake Superior and if that isn't "rough" what would enlarge on the subject but they pay for regions. In 1843 he sent Mr. John Hays, be? In his case, at any rate, marriage is the privilege of telling their own story of Pittsburg, to prospect and explore, a failure—a very pronounced one.

GOAT HAIRS SWEPT FROM THE BEV. ERAL LODGE ROOM FLOORS.

cess.-Knight Templars Will Organize a Commandery Heav. General News.

If not "the s'ars in their courses," the weather bureau fought against the brethren of Escanaba Lodge, I. O. O. F., on the occasion of their anniversary celebration on Wednesday of last week. The day was raw and uncomfortable all through, and at evening, when the dancing party was to (and did) come off, Jupiter Pluvins struck hands with Boreas and a cold downpour was the result which kept all but the most enthusiastic. and those who were weather-proof at home. Of those there were enough, however, to make a jolly party and their enall others more necessary than for any joyment of the dancing and the eating other fish, and a close season should be was all the more keen for the storm outestablished for them beyond all question. side. The party was a success as to the In Canada we have established a close hearty enjoyment of those present, and is season for the month of November, and the cash returns were not what they we find evidence which cannot very should have been no one will ever know

The resident Knights Templar of our city have taken the necessary steps for the establishment of a commandery of their order here, and hereafter candidates can take their vows and get their drill without the inconvenience and expense of a sixty-mile trip by rail. The Iron Port congratulates and rejoices. Our Masonic bodies are in good shape, from the blue lpdge up, and we doubt not that the new commandery will thrive as have the

Mrs. John Nelson, whose husband died a few weeks ago, received on Monday last \$2,000 from the Great Camp of the Knights of Maccabees, that being the amount of her late husband's life insurance in that society. The money was paid through the local tent.

The eighteenth' annual report of the secretary of the Michigan Mutual Benefit Association showed receipts to the amount of \$78,552.65 and disbursements \$82,579.16-a deficiency of \$4,000. The number of members is 2,655.

The Gladstone Tribune says: "The Odd Fellows' of Escanaba are to be congratulated on having had a pleasant aniversary celebration, based on sound business ing last for Chicago. He may have had principles without respect of persons."

The Michigan A. O. U. W. has paid out to the beneficiaries of deceased members was to "press the button" of the great \$94,000 since the first of the present year. The total disbursements of the order this year amount to \$44,503,714.75. C. H. Crane, of the Soo, noting an article taken from The Iron Port that this city has sixteen lodges and chapters writes the Northern Light that the Soo has twenty-nine.

The Crand Lodge, K. of P. will meet in Qetroit May 17th and 18th. Membership hadincreased 2,000 within the past year. Twenty-five new lodges were organized.

The Delta says of the Odd Fellows celebration: "Our Escanaba friends just more than covered themselves with glory." Odd Fellows' beadquarters in Chicago

during the World's Fair are at 134 Van Buren street. The K. O. T. M. tent of Lansing receiv-

ed 58 applications for membership at one Gladstone has a prosperous Good Templars lodge. Officers were installed last

Another K. O. T. M. lodge will be instituted in this city about the 15th inst.

An effort is being made to have a K. O. T. M. reunion at Ishpeming soon.

Bay City's \$100,000 Masonic temple will be dedicated May 10th.

Seventy Approved, Six Rejected. The city council considered the bonds of persons who propose to deal in liquors at a special meeting held on Saturday evening last Of seventy such persons (or firms) the bonds were approved and they have but to pay their tax and go ahead. cient, one because of the character of the applicant and one because of the location at which it was proposed to do business; good reasons for rejection in each case, but in the last two mentioned it is a question if the council did not stretch its authority. It ought to be competent to consider both character and location and to limit the number of saloons as well, and a proper license law would give to each municipality such authority and no harm is done by the council in endeavoring to exercise it.

Rathfon Brothers.

Rathfon Brothers have new matter in their advertising space in our columns to-day. "Happy Home" clothing is the public and it is of interest to every one and we'll let them do it.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

CONCERING THE MOVEMENTS OF OUR OWN AND OTHER PEOPLE.

The Iron Port Reporters Gather in Goodly Grist of Items Concerning Well Known People and Their Movements,

The Rev. Mr. Blackford, of Gladstone, favored us with a call on Tuesday. He was a brother of the craft before he took holy orders and glanced at our plant with acritical ere.

A. R. Northup, John Hartnett and Mayor Erickson went to Chicago Satur day to conclude matters with Mr. Neufeld and to take in the opening of the big show.

Our friend Capt. Richard Neville called on us (for ten minutes only) on Tuesday and left with us his regards for other friends whom he had not time to see.

F. D. Mead, by a mis-step, sprained his ankle so that crutches were necessary to locomotion, but went to the opening of the Columbian show, all the same. John Millar has been a very sick man

for the ten days last past, with pneumonia following la grippe. President Brooks of the Bay de Noquet company passed through town en route

to Nahma last Monday. George Preston leaves to-day to visit the Columbian exposition. He will be absent a month at least.

Mrs. Erickson and Mrs. Anthony returned yesterday from their wintering at West Nashville, Tenn.

Louis Schram was in Chicago on Monday. After the opening he bought some goods, too.

Alfred Crebo was another of our representatives at the opening, last Monday, at Chicago.

Miss May Leonard, of Stevens Point, Wis., is a guest in the family of John Cor.

John McKana and his son George have returned from their sojourn in Florida. Mrs. J. F. Oliver returned last week from her two months' visit at Toledo.

Hon. John Noonan, sometime mayor of Oconto, was in town on Monday. Postmaster Stephenson's little daugh-

ter is nicely broken out with measles. Will McNaughtan's convalesence is very slow, he is still confined to his bed.

H. L. Bushnell was in town Sunday. He reports Gladstone humming.

The Rev. John Gorham, of Hudson, Wis., was in town on Tuesday. Irving Matthews is again at home

having arrived on Sunday last. R W Rrown spent Sunday in th

He is located at Marquette.

The Rood Brothers, of Barkville, were in town on Thursday last. George Shaffer went to see the Colum-

bian show on Tuesday. Hoskins, of the bazar, is in Chicago

since Sunday. Mrs. Stanley Tyrrell is confined to her

bed by illness. Pat. Glynn departed on Monday for

"the woods." W. F. Waite was in town on Thursday

of last week. Kate Dinneen is home from a visit to

Green Bay.

Bits of the Big Show

One prominent object in the grounds of the Columbian exposition is the emblematic figure "The Republic," of which the following is a partial description:

"It is the largest statue ever made in this country. It is well named "the colossal," for the draped figure of the woman who typifies the republic is no less than sixty-five feet in height, and the pedestal upon which she stands rises thirty-five feet from the surface of the water. The arms are upraised toward the head, and in the right hand is held aloft a golden globe, on which poises an eagle with outstretched wings. The left hand lifts 115 feet above the basin-as high as a tall building in any city save Chicago-a liberty pole surmounted by a cap. One does not need to be told that the artist worked with this as his controllingidea-that the figure was to typiby not only the strength and grace but the self-confidence and yet the gentleness of America, and her pose was to indicate that in this land liberty is held dearer than anything else.

The drapery of the figure hangs in heavy and yet graceful folds; upon the bust are many shields, and from a corsage depends a broad sword which we all know Columbia, though peacefully inclined is able to wield with force when she will. Altogether, the statue much resembles the Goddess of Liberty in New York harbor, but instead of a torch with which to enlighten the world she uplifts the traditional emblem of liberty. Miss Republic is to have a diadem of electric lights, however, and her golden limbs and perfect lines will shine forth in all their glory by day and by night. It is almost sacrilege to measure such a divinity as if she were to be fitted for a tailormade gown, but it may not be amiss to state that a wedding ring ten and a half inches in diameter would be required to go around her finger, while her nose is thirty inches in length.

Pay Up or Shut Up.

Up to noon of yesterday, May 3, only twenty-two liquor-denlers had paid the tax-eighteen being Escanabans, three from the village of Garden and one from Gladstone. "They come slow" says the to ushes.

treasurer. Pay up, gentlemen, or put up your shutters; for every hour you sell, not having paid the tax, you are liable as "illegal," and may be called to ac-

A Reverend's Remedy. Dr. Rainsford, rector of St. George's

Church, New York, recently suggested a startling and original method of reforming the liquor traffic. Assuming it as proved that in some form or another alcoholis here tostay, and that its use cannot be entirely abolished, he concluded that the masses of the people must have provided for them some means of procuring drink which would not be accompanied by the evil associations at present connected with the saloons. What are we to do, therefore, with the mass of the populace that demand alcohol in some shape or other? The answer to this question Dr. Rainsford finds in the fact that amusement, variety, aroused interest are the true and deadliest foes to the drink habit; and he contends that what the people need is a public house that will be no mere dram shop, but will be in effect a club house, providing food of various kinds, amusement such as music, and making the sale of milk, coffee and tea as much its staple trade as beer, wines, etc. He proposes that groups of people in our large cities shoul establish such public houses, which would be effective rivals of the saloons by cheering the sadly monotonous lives of a large part of our city pop-

To secure the widest discussion of this suggestion, Dr. Rainsford has adopted a somewhat unique plan. He will write two articles on the subject, the first of which will appear in the May number of the North American Review. In this he will define his theory briefly, and invite cisms which have been sent to him. All communicatious should be addressed to the Rev. W.S. Rainsford, D. D., care of the North American Review, No. 3 East Fourteenth Sfreet, New York City, and should be in his hands not later than May 12th.

That Junction Railroad.

Just now the Business Men's Association seems unable to take hold of anything except the thing that ought to take care of itself-the disposition of our white elephant, the Cochrane Roller Mills property-but when that is done we hope its energies will be turned in the direction of the enterprise most necessary to our future growth and prosperity, the connection with the Soo road. Every one recognizes and admits its importance; every one must be convinced by this time, we think, that calling on Hercules results in nothing, that we must make the connection ourselves, if it is to be made before the dawn of the 20th century, and no one wants to wait until that date for it. There is nothing to do, then but to go at the work ourselves and the sooner we get at it the better. Individual effort might do it but associated effort is better -many hands make light work-and just that is, if we understand it, the purpose and office of the Business Men's Association. Build the junction railroad.

The Stonhouse Will Contest.

The contest of the will of the late Susan Stonhouse occupied the court three days last week to no good purpose-the jury could, or would not agree and was discharged after being out thirty hours. The fight is stubborn and bids fair to eat up the little estate in costs and attorneys' fees. Each party-legatees and contestants-proposes to "carry it up" if beaten in the circuit court.

Matters of Local Interest.

Two wise things to do: see our line of cassimere suits from XII to XV then buy W. J. BELL.

In order to make room for new spring goods, which are now arriving by the car load, P. M. Peterson offers some exordinary bargains in furniture of all kinds. Bargains in furniture for a few days in order to make room for new goods, at

An Extradition Case.

J. De Baker, a dealer in cedar, brings a charge of grand larceny against A. Genise and he is held to await the arrival of a Wisconsin officer with a proper requisition. The amount of the stealing charged is \$466.00, and the scene thereof Big Wausaukee, Wis. Of the rights of the case we know nothing.

Now That Directory.

Mr. J. V. Bunn writes The Iron Port: 'You may say in this week's issue that I have been heard from with a promise to begin, the first of next week, on the city directory of Escanaba." Mr. Bunn will give us a directory-the one we paid for a few years ago was a piece of botch-

Patronize Home Institutions.

W. H. Burdick, of Lansing, has opened a school of penmanship in the high school building. Escanaba bas an institution that teaches penmanship of the highest order, and The Iron Port believes in patronizing home institutions.

Orecars can not be supplied fast enough

to earry ore .- Journal. Nonsense; utter nonsense. Not onethird of the equipment of the railway has

yet been brought into use or called for. Escanaba's Crematory.

Garbage Master A.S. Warn's crematory near Lake View cemetery has been kept busy during the past fortnight reducing

NO EULOGY: NO REQUIEM

DRUNKEN POLIE" SUCCUMBS TO HIS ENEMY, KING ALCOHOL.

Well Known Character Dies at a Ra id River Hotel While in a Drunken Sleep,-Other News from the Head of the Bay.

King alcohol tallied one more victim in Rapid River on Thursday of last week. Napoleon Dumour commonly known as "drunken Polie" came to his death harmlessly and unobserved while in a drunken sleep-lying abed at the Michigan House where he had been carried in the morning, from the gutter in which he had fallen. He had been "filled up" gratuitously as usual and was visited in his room at three o'clock when he was left apparently sobering off, but not coming down to supper, he was revisited and found a lifeless corpse, death probably resulting from the rupture of an artery, superinduced by intoxication. Such is the sad fate of a young man, weak, though not otherwise a bad character, who came from Canada four years ago a skilled shoemaker, much respected, but the drink curse so fastened its deadly fangs upon his soul that he sank to a worthless sot and went down to his grave without a friend to weep over him. No eulogy and no requiem. What an epitaph that would be! Yet society as presently organized could offer no protection to this poor mebriate. Even a brother of the unfortunate man had often remarked that but for friendthe public at large to send him questions | ship and business he would interfere with and criticisms regarding it. His second article will appear in the June number of the Review, and in it he will answer the most pertinent of the questions and criticisms which have been sent to him. All as he rarely paid for his drinks, and that we really believe that they rank above the men of their class, particularly so in comparison with the wanton recklessness and disregard for common decency constantly reported of a certain class in your city, with the opportunities and temptations possibly in favor of our men, but the record of the past two months- one man, his life wasting away in the county hospital with his would-be assassin spending his best years in the Marquette state prison, all the result of a drunken debauch, and a third man deep in his tomb, ought to resolve them to more carefully heed the stipulation of their license in regard to giving intoxicated persons alcoholic drinks. As it was the last case occurring just the day previous to the approval of the saloon bonds, the bonds-

men of two keepers withdrew. Levi Collette and Albert King have purchased the Ackley-Darrow saloon property. Mrs. Jos. King and her brother-in-law, Geo. Ambrose, of Sturgeon Bay, Wis., will operate the King saloon. Andrew Froburg has opened a new saloon on Whitefish Point to catch the trade across the river from the Whitefish mills where he was unable to secure a site, but to counteract his chances the new lumber company there will open a saloon in one end of the large boarding

Could you not have such an understanding among yourselves that it would be utterly impossible for any man to become incapable of handling himself. Try it. and all good people will be with you. Then can many good men step in for an occasional beverage who are now asham-

Station agent L. L. Maxham has sold his residence to Dore Adams preparatory to changing his location. It is not yet known where he is going or who his suc-

This Makes It Plain.

We never until now got a clear idea of the how and why of la grippe, but the

ing some home talent in the bacilli line not to be sneezed at, and I felt at once there would be a battle, and my internal viscera would be the battle-field. I was impressed with the idea that I was two persons joined in one-at least, there were two sets of bronchial tubes lengthened out and joined together at the lower angle, and upon these lines the battle was to be fought between the home troops and the la grippe baccilli. As I had nothing else to do, I concluded to watch the fight, and I watched old La Grippe, who was seated on the appendix

The Lotus went upon her route on Monday last. She only reached Gladstone that day, but on Tuesday the ice had moved down from the head of the bay into the bight above Squaw Point and she made the full trip-to Whitefish Point and Masonville. Now we can visit our neighbors at . Gladstone. For five months they have been as inaccessible as though they were a hundred miles the carcasses of dogs and other animals away. Capt. Dan Norton is in command of the Lotus and Levi Perrin is purser.

First Publication March 16, 1893. MORTGAGE SALE - Default having MORTGAGE SALE—Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by David Lavindette to Herman Winde dated November 10th, A. D. 1882, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds, for the county of Delta and state of Michigan, on the 14th day of November, A. D. 1882, in Liber C of mortgages, on page 258, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of one hundred and eighty-two dollars and 74 cents, and an attorney's fee of thirty dollars provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage,

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the stat-ute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of June, A. D. 1893, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front steps of the court house in the city of Escanaba (that being the place where the circuit court for Delta Co. is holden) the premises described in said morrgage, or se much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with ten per cent, interest, and all legal costs, together with an attorney's fee of thirty dollars, covenanted for therein, the premises being described in said mortgage as all that certain lot, piece and parcel of land situate in the township of Baldin in the county of Delta and state of Michigan, and known and described as follows:

The northwest quarter of the southwest quarter (n w ¼ ot s w ¼) of section six (6) in township forty-one (41) north of range twentytwo (22) west of the principal meridian of Michigan, and containing forty (40) acres more or less according to government servey.

A. R. NORTHUP. HERMAN WINDE, Attorney for Mortgagee.

First publication March 23, 1893.

O RDER OF HEARING, FOR LICENSE TO Sell Real Estate to Pay Debt;—State of Michigan, County of Delta, ss. At a session of the probate court for said county, held at the probate office in the city of Escanaba on the 21st day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three. Present, Hon, Emil Glaser, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Amede LeDuc, deceased

ceased
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, o
Marcelline LeDuc, the administratrix of said estate

the purpose of paying the debts, expenses, and charges of said estate.

Thereupon it is o dered, that Monday, the 24th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forencon, be assigned for the hearing of said petilion, and that the helrs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be helden in the probate office, in the city of Escanaba and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing trereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in The Iron Port a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, four successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

EMIL GLASER,

(A true copy.)

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Judge of Probate.

First Publication March 30, 1892.

SALE OF STATE TAX LANDS—AUDITOR
General's Office, Langing, Mich., March 24, 1893
Notice is hereby given that certain lands situated in
the county of Delta bid off to the state for taxes of
1889 and previous years, and described in statements
which will hereafter be forwarded to the office of the which will hereafter be forwarded to the office of the Treasurer of said county, will be sold at public auction by said Treasurer at the county seas on the first Monday of May next, at the time and place designated for the Annual Tax Sales, if not previously redeemed or cancelled according to law.

Said statements contain a full description of each parcel of said lands and may be seen on application at the office of the County Treasurer after they are received by him.

received by him.

The land struck off to the State for Taxes of 1889 ears, at the Tax Sales in May last, will be offered subject to the right of redemption pres by law. STANLEY W. TURNER.

DROBATE ORDER-State of Michigan, County of Delta, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said county, held at the probate office, in the city of Escanaba on the 12th day of April in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

Present, Hon. Emil Glaser, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of John F. Nelson, de-

Cased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Elizabeth Nelson praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that letters of administration with the

to probate, and that letters of administration with the will annexed may be granted her.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the eighth day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the legatees and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the probate office, in the city of sexamba and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interer shou'd not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in The Iron Port, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.)

EMIL GLASER,
Judge of Probate.

First Publication March 30, 1893. NOTICE. — U. S. LAND OFFICE, MAR-quette, Mich., March 27, 1893; Complaint hav-ing been entered at this office by Edward stajor against Joseph Peacott for abandoning his Home-stead Entry No. 5,870, dated December 16, 1890, up-on the south east quarter arction 29, township 42 N., range 23 W., in Delta county, Michigan, with a view to the cancellation of said extra his county with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at the office of the Coun-ty Clerk of Delts county at Escanaba, Mich., on the the how and why of la grippe, but the following, from an old soldier, makes it all plain:

"Before la grippe got hold of me I had been drinking freshet water, and cultivat-

First Publication April 13, 1893.

CHANCERY SALE. State of Michigan, Circuit Court for the county of Delta, in chancery.
FAIRMANKS LODGE NO. 305, INDEPENDENT ORDER OF

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS, Complainant, CHRISTIAN KNUDSON and BERTIR KNUDSON, Defendants

In pursuance of a decretal order of the court of In pursuance of a decretal order of the court of chancery, made in the above cause on the twenty-second day of April A. D. 1892, there will be sold under the direction of the subscriber, a circuit court commissioner for said county of Delta, at public auction, at the front door of the court house in the city of Escanaba, in said county of Delta, on Satur day, the twenty-seventh day of May, A. D. 1893, at eleven o clock a. m., all those certain premises situated in said count, known and described as follows, to wit:

vermiformis smoking a short stem pipe and directing the movements of his troops. And I must say it was one of the prettiest hand-to-hand fights I have seen since Gettsyburg. I should have enjoyed it more, however, if it had taken place in some other fellow, and I had not been compelled to cough up the dead, which lay thick along two sets of bronchial tubes."

All Aboard for Masonville.

ed in said count, known and described as follows, to wit:

All that certain parcel of land, situated in the township of Garden, county of Delta and state of Michigan, bounded and escribed as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point on the west boundary line of the Point Detour and Mackinac sta e road, sixty-state and one-half feet (65%) south of where the said west boundary line crosses the north line of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section seventeen (17) township thirty-nine [39] north of range eighteen [18] west; thence accurately along said west boundary line crosses the north line of the northwest quarter of section seventeen (17) township thirty-nine [39] north of range eighteen [18] west; thence accurately along said west boundary line crosses the north line of the northwest quarter of section seventeen (17) township thirty-nine [39] north of range eighteen [18] west; thence accurately along said west boundary line crosses the north line of the northwest quarter of section seventeen (17) township thirty-nine [39] north of range eighteen [18] west; thence accurately along said west boundary line crosses the north line of the northwest quarter of section seventeen (17) township thirty-nine [39] north of range eighteen [18] west; thence eacuteriy along said west boundary line crosses the north line of the northwest quarter of section seventeen (17) township thirty-nine [39] north of range eighteen [18] west; thence accurately line one hundred and fifty [150] feet, thence exet to the said count.

Circuit Court Commi F. CAREY.

First Publication March 22, 1893.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—LAND OFfice at Marquette, Mich., March 16, 1893—Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler
has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in
support of his claim, and that said proof will be
made before the Jedge or the Clerk of the Circuit
Court of Delta country, at Escansha, Mich., on May
5, 1893, viz: G Wil iam Delventhal, Homestead appication No. 4,472, for the nw 1/2 sec 4, 19 37 n. 7 24w
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cult vation of said land,
viz: Peter Newhouse, John Carlson, E. W Shaver
and John Gassman, all of Bark River, Mich.

Gro. A. Roven, Register. First Publication March 22, 1893.

If LEW WALLACE had been Rider Haggard, who would "She" have been ?

Why, "Ben-Hur," of course.

No smoker is ever "Haggard" if they smoke our Ben-Hur Cigars.

Made on Honor. Sold on Merit.

GEO. MOEBS & CO.,

MANUFACTURERS, DETROIT.

All First-Class Dealers Sell Them.

EXPECTING

To make a change in my business in Escanaba in the near future, I offer for sale my entire stock of

Goods, Clothing,

LADIES' AND GENT'S

Furnishing Goods, Blankets, Etc.

All Winter Goods, such as Overcoats, Ladies' Wraps and Jackets at less than one-half their original value. Following are a few prices to convince you that I mean business. All other goods marked in plain figures.

Black all wool Bedford Cords. 40 Pieces Dress Flannels 1 Lot 36-inch wide Henriettas..... .14 32-inch wide Sateens and Prints Best Staple Frints4c and Ladies' Summer Jackets and Jerseys, and Ladies' Capes, worth from \$3 to \$10, from 50c to One Lot Best Nursing Corsets..... 1 Lot-Ball's and other Best Brands of Corsets..... Silk Ribbons, best quality, from 6 to 14 inches wide..... 1 Lot Ladies' Large Size Traveling Bags..... 15 Pieces Heavy Cassimere, for Pants 65-inch wide Waterproof Ladies' Fast Black Seamless Hose, best quality..... 1 Lot Hosiery at .. Handkerchiefs, hemstitched..... 40-inch wide flouncing, well worth \$1 per yard, from 25 to..... Extra Large Size Bleached Towels..... 1 Lot Turkish Towels, extra size..... 1 Lot Turkish Towels Misses' and Children's Spring and Summer Caps......18c to Ladies' Underwear from 10c; for all wool.

Best Hemp Carpet, 4-4 wide Good Ingrain Carpets..... .07 Silk Plushes, all colors..... 20 Pieces Tennis Flannels..... Linen Thread, per spool..... Anything in the line of winter goods, such as Ladies' Beaver Shoes..... Children's and Misses' Good Shoes..... Small Sizes Misses' and Children's Rubbers..... 20 Cases Lawn Tennis Shoes for men, boys and girls, per pair...... Lumbermen's Overshoes, Heel and Strap, 65c, for best

The Best Jersey Suits for Children, new patterns, worth from \$4 to \$5........... Another lot of Satinet and Union Suits..... Larger ones for Boys. Children's Pants from 60c for best all wool, down as low as Men's Pants from 60c to, for the best..... Men's Underwear, strictly all wool..... Men's Working Shirts from 18c to..... Boys' Waists from 15c; for the very best

ALL OTHER GOODS CORRESPONDINGLY LOW.

Hoping to see my friends around to take advantage of these prices, I remain respectfully,

LOUIS SCHRAM.

Keeley Institute.

INSTITUTE of Menominee, Michigan, for the cure of the Liquor, Opium, Morphine, Cocaine and Tobacco habits, and Neuras-Double Chloride of Gold Remedies, will be opened April 11, 1893. The only institute using Dr. Keeley's remedles in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, and operating under special contract with the Leslie E. Keeley Co., of Dwight, Ill. For further information address THE KEELEY INSTITUTE,
All correspondence confidential. MENOMINEE, MICH

Escanaba Oyster House and Family Resort Restaurant

Furnished Rooms, with or without board, at reasonable rates. Sample Room connected.

J. B. DUFORT, Proprietor.

The only wood yard in the city connected by telephone, and where wood is housed, from storm: Steam sawing machine. The best wood at low price. JOHN MARCELL

GLEANINGS FROM ALL QUARTERS OF THIS GLOBULAR WAD.

The Most Readable News of the Week Briefly Chronicled.—The Countries Across the Big Pond Contribute Their Share.

dead, of congestion of brain.

ed the "boarding cars" in which they had been sheltered.

and its inhabitants are camping on the Gogebic.' bluffs.

Don M. Dickinson has been appointed defeated. one of the government directors of the

April 27. He was 69 years old.

The Ingham county bank finally sucit was a case of rank cowardice on the municipal corporations. part of its directors; that the bank was easily have been tided over.

Stevens is coming home from Hawaii drawn and may pass. and Blount will succeed him as minister-

ety is felt concerning them. Each is over 182 of "the best minds in Michigan."

way clear, now.

The Erie canal opens to-day and the Buffalo grain blockade lets up.

Canadian banks receive American silver and silver notes only at a discount. Send back the Canadian short silver.

The foreign men-o'-war in New York THE WEATHER WAS PROPITIOUS AND harbor landed their sailors and marines to take part in the parade ashore on the

W. M. Strong, a banker of Bancroft, Mich., cleaned out his bank and skipped last week. Depositors lose about \$10,-

The Supreme court of Michigan last week knocked out the "mortgage assessment law" as applied to banks and insurance companies.

years in the pen assaulted a juryman as in the service of the monarchy of Spain, he was led from the court room. The judge called him back and made the time | Chicago, on Monday last, of an expositen instead of six years.

bankers that "nothing will stand in the way of the determination of the administration to repeal the Sherman law."

Green Bay, Fort Howard and DePere "pull together" to get the new normal school authorized by the Wisconsin legislature located in Brown county. Wiser than pulling each for itself.

Erastus Wiman, the Canadian New Yorker, has been compelled to cover his property with a "trust deed." Large operations and a tight money market. He'll come out all right, though.

The strike on the Ann Arbor road has forced the company into bankruptcy. It see, but they'll chuckle over the fact, all

The man who shot at Mr. Gladstone is chazy man, surely.

Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, is very il' at Washington.

One Burke shot his mother at Rockford, Ill., and wants to be hanged, now that he is sober. He was drunk when he did it. The Michigan building at Jackson Exposition was open to the world. Park was dedicated last Saturday.

The coal miners, from Akron to Bellaire, went on strike Monday. Their demand is for increase of wages and the feeling between operators and employes is ugly.

A cloud-burst near Paris, Texas, swept away thirty miles of the "Frisco" railway track last Sunday.

Reid's big wrecking tug Seagull was burned last Sunday near Spectacle reef. She was towing the wreck of the Ohio and her crew took refuge on that and reached the straits safely.

The Legislature.

The Solons of both houses agreed to adjourn from Friday until Tuesday to allow members to be present at the opening of the Columbian show.

World's Fair exhibit went to the gover- and installed the following named officers nor on the 26th.

Petitions praying for a return to the the "state system" of collecting delin- Lady Record-Keeper Mrs. C. J. Carlson, quent taxes are pouring in; the county system meets general disapproval.

The flag of the house was at half-mast on the 26th out of respect to the memory of Henry Watson of Greenville, a representative for three terms and a member well remembered for his activity, honesty, good humor and downright frankness of it is lost. We are making some improve-

was caught napping one day last week. The job was put up by Representative sound slumber. One of the most annoy- suits ever before seen.

WEEK ing of the obstructive measures employed by the democrats to prolong the ployed by the democrats to prolong the session has been to demand an ave and nay vote on nearly every question raised. The length of time required to go through the roll call twice and sometimes oftener if utilized in a legitimate manner would aid very materially in shortening the session, but the democrats did not propose the republican house should rush business The Ice Makes Trouble Yet -Docks a if they could prevent it. Mr. Chamberlain's scheme to shut them off was to move to suspend house rule 60 for the rest of the session. This provides that an aye and nay vote must be taken and recorded on demand of 10 members, and Capt. G. C. Wiltze. U. S. N., the officer the motion prevailed to the great astonwho hoisted the flag at Honolulu, is ishment of the minority. It was the most clever trick of the session and the The Santa Fe strikers gave up their only regret is that it was not accomplishstrike and returned to work, but they ed earlier in the session. The constitution drove off the non-union men and destroy- provides that an aye and nay vote must a while. Cars may be ferried on the be taken on demand of 20 members, and The "American bottom" is under water back upon. Tally one more for "the tall must leave the cars at St. Ignace. Cham-

The taxation of church property was

Mr. Chamberlain has got his bill for a Union Pacific road but has not accepted. normal school in the upper peninsula into Wm. C. Goudy, the wellknown Chicago | the hands of the ways and means comawyer and politician, died at his desk mittee and a favorable report is looked

Mr. Wagner succeeded in getting a bill feet of water in her hold. combed and its doors were closed April giving city assessors seats on boards of 27. Bank commissioner Sherwood says supervisors referred to the committee on water for any of the Lake Erie harbors.

The bill to hang murderers has been solvent and its temporary difficulty could favorably reported upon by the house S. for dredges, the mouth of the river is judiciary committee. It is very carefully

The bill to close barber shops on Sun. Two American ships, the St. John and day has passed the house. The bar-Daniel Barnes for San Francisco from At hors are awful sinners and should be sat lantic ports, are overdue and much auxi- down upon. Nice, piddling business for

A bill incorporating the "Orange so-Washington advices are that the gold ciety" passed the house last week. It scare is over, that Mr. Carlisle can see his | was the subject of acrimonious debate

THE ARRANGEMENTS PERFECT.

Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand People Present Including Representatives of Every Race of Mankind on Earth.

The Quadro-centennial anniversary of One Haggerty, convicted of burglary in the discovery of the western continent by Detroit court and sentenced to six the Genoese sailor. Cristoval Colon, then Dleasant sight to see the sudden activity was commemorated by the opening at tion of industry and art greater in con-Secretary Carlisle assures New York ception and wider in scope than any which has preceded it.

Two to three hundred thousand persons were present, representing every race on the footstool of the Creator and more than half the nationalities. The President of the Great Republic was the central figure and in his plain, black coat, was a more imposing one than the representatives of royalty in their gold lace and plumes, though the latter added no little to the beauty of the spectacle.

The following was the program of the proceedings: Prayer, Rev. W. H. Milburn, D. D.; Poem, "The Prophecy", W. D. Croffut; Reading by Miss Jessie Couthdoes not help the strikers, that we can oui: Music, orchestra overture, "Rienzi", Wagner; Address by the Director General of the World's Columbian Exposition; Address and opening of the World's Copronounced insane by the physicians who lumbian Exposition by the President of examined him. The act was that of a the United States; Starting of machinery; National salute. Which program was carried out to the letter, and at 11:30 a m., at the close of a brief address, President Cleveland pressed the electric button, the great machinery sprang into motion and the Columbian Quadro-Centennial

A Wide Difference.

The difference in the purchasing power of money between 1492 and the present day is illustrated by a calculation made by Prof. Ruge and published in a German paper. He says that the first expedition of Columbus cost about \$7,000 of our money, which seems a very moderate sum for the equipment of three vessels, small as they were. Columbus, however, was paid as admiral only at the rate of \$320 a year; his captains received only \$16 a month, and sailors from \$2 to \$2,50. Other expenses, of course, were in propor-

tion. "Cora Hive" Established. On Tuesday last Mrs. Cora Eves, state organizer, instituted a "hive" of lady 'bees" affiliated with U. P. Tent, K.O.T. The bill appropriating \$25,000 for the M., named (in her honor) Cora Hive, thereof: Lady Commander Mrs. John Schmidt, Lady Lt. Com'r Mrs. John Moe, Lady Finance-Keeper Mrs. Charles Ehnerd. May the hive never lack honey,

Dont Be Uneasy.

If your Iron Port does not reach you on Thursday morning next do not think ments which will be fully explained in The democratic minority in the house our next-will in fact explain themselves.

Gentlemen it will pay you to visit our Chamberlain, who actually caught the Young but famous Clothing department. democrats, Barkworth included, in a Nobbiest and most improved patterns in

LOCAL AND GENERAL MARINE IN-TELLIGENCE.

St. Ignace Wrecked.-The Sea Gull Burned Last Sunday -- Lake Erie Harbors Sanded.

The ice wrecked the wharves at St. Ignace. The railway transfer pier has been going to pieces until about one hundred and fifty feet has gone-from the center nearly to the depot. All transferring of cars by the St. Ignace stopped for scow, but that will not prevent a blockthis is all the democrate now have to fall ade. Passengers can go forward, but bers' dock was also badly wrecked, 100x 50 feet dropping out of the center.

The S. S. Curry was successfully launched on Thursday of last week. The steamer Ohio is in such bad shape

that the wonder is she stayed afloatlong enough to be picked up by a tug. When brought into Detour the Ohio had eight

The big Selwyn Eddy d vs too much She took ground in Buffalo creek and blocked it. Cleveland is calling on the U. blocked by sand bars, formed during the winter, so that nothing drawing more than twelve feet careget in or out.

The U.S by Major Gregory, took posession of the Sturgeon Bay canal last | prescribed by law. LOUIS N. SCHEMMEL, week and the Advocate says "the people will doubtless insist on having a jollification at an early day, as nothing that has taken place here during the present decade is of such vital importance to both city and county as the throwing of this waterway open to free navigation."

The ice is still troublesome. The Sturgeon Bay Advocate of Saturday last said. "The heavy easterly winds of the past week have brought large fields of ice to this shore from the foot of Green Bay, and at one time the entrance to the harbor was blockaded. At this writing the blockade extends north from the barbor lines as far as Arthur Bay, completely shutting in the mills situated on the bay shore."

The Eugene Hart now registers seventyfour tons more than the Fannie; and as a matter of course is the largest carrier of the Hart fleet of steamers.

The La Salle, which brought a cargo of coal, was unloaded at once and it was a around the coul docks.—Journal. The lact was, she went to Gladstone with her lact was a state of American was a state of American

Just the Thing.

This is an expression the traveling public generally use when they find something that is exactly what they want. This expression applies directly to the Wisconsin Central Line, which is now admitted by all to be "The Route" from Chicago to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Ashland, Duluth and all points in the Northwest. Their double daily train service and fine equipment offers inducements which cannot be surpas-

This is the only line running both through Pullman First Class and Tourist Sleepers from Chicago to Pacific Coast Points without change.

For full information address your nearest ticket agent or JAS. C. POND, Gen. Pass. and Tkt. Agt., Chicago, Ill.

"White and dazzling In the moon's fair light she looked."

Nothing remarkable about that! She was fair to look upon, as a matter of course; and the dazzling effect was produced by her white robes-cleansed and brightened by a liberal use of

AMERICAN FAMILY

That's one of the peculiarities of KIRK'S Soaps. Clothes washed by them always attract attention by their purity and brightness.

JAS. S. KIRK & CO., Chicago Dusky Diamond Tar Soap Wounds and Brules

deceased.

On reading and filing the final report and account of Abram J. Valentine, administrat r of the estate of said Julia A. Valentine, deceased.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Friday, the 26th day of May next, atten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said report and account, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said state, are require! to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the probate office in the city of Escanaba, Michigan, and show cause It any there he, why the said report and account should not be confirmed:

An It is further ordered, that said administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said report and account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a coty of this order to be published in The Iron Port, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Delta for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing

EMIL GLASER, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)

Pier Publication May 4, 1893.

NOTICE - U. S. LAND OFFICE, MARquette, Mich., April so, 1893. Complaint having been entered at this office by Ira Collins against Oscar J. Olson for abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 4899, dated November 38, 1888, upon the east ½ of northeast ½ and southwest ½ of northeast ½ section 22, township 42 N., sange 23 W., in Delta county, Michigan, with a view to t e cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at the office of County Clerk of Delta county at Eacanaba, Mich., on the 7th day of June, 1893, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged alandonment, such testimony to be returned to this office on or before June 14th, 1893, at 10 o'clock a. m., which time and place is appointed for final hearing in said ca e.

GEO. A. ROYCE, Register,
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THOS. D. MEADS, Receiver.

STATE TAX LANDS.

County Treasurer's Office,
Escansba, Mich., April 17, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that certain lands situated in the county of Delta, bid off to the state for taxes of 1889 and previous years, and described in statements on file in this office, will be sold at public suction by the undersigned county treasurer, at the county seat, on the 15th day of May, 1893, at the place designated for the annual tax sales, if not previously canceled according to law. Said statements contain a full description of each parcel of said lands, and may be seen on application at the office of the county treasurer. The land struck off to the state for taxes of 1889, or other years at the tax sales in May last, will be offered subject to the right of restemption prescribed by law. LOUIS N. SCHEMMEL,

First Publication April 27th, 1893.

PROBATE NOTICE—State of Michigan, County of Delta, as Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the county of Delta, made on the 24th d v of April A. D. 1893, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims again the estate of Joseph E. Martel, late of said county in cased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the probate office, in the city of Escansha, for examination and allowance, on or before the 24th day of October pext, and that such claims will be heard before said court, on Monday, the 3d day of July and on Wednesday, the 35th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forencon of each of those days.

Dated Escansha, Michigan April 24th, A. D. 1893.

EMIL GLASER, Judge of Probate. First Publication April 27th, 1893.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE-Nate of Michigan, County of Delta, ss. In he matter of the estate of Amede LeDuc, deceased. the matter of the estate of Amede LeDuc, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order gramsol to the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of said Amede LeDuc, deceased, by the Hon. Judge of probate for the county of Delta, on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1833, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Escanaba, in the county of Delta, in said state, on Monday, the 18th day of June, A. D. 1833, atten o.clock in the forenoon of that day (subject to all encambrances by morigage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased, or at the time of making said sale, and also subject to the right of dower and the homestead rights of the *i ow of said deceased therein) the following described real estate, to wit:

Lot n mbered three (3) of block n mbered forty-five (45) of the city (formerly village) of Escanaba,

Saloon Fixtures.

FOR SALE O. J. CARLSON,

Rallway.

GOING EAST.

Boston-Express leaves North Escanaba 7.57 a. m. daily, for Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec and Boston, and all points east. Solid vestibuled train to Montreal with dining car attached, and through sleeper to Boston without change. Connection made at Trout Lake for Mackinaw City, connecting (daily except Sunday) with the night trains of the Grand Rapids and Indiana R. R. and Michigan Central for lower Michigan, Cincinnati and the south.

GOING WEST.

St. Paul Express with through sleeper and dining car, leaves North Escanaba 6.12 p. m. daily, arriving at Minneapolis 7.05 a. m. and St. Paul 7.45 a. m., connecting with day trains for the west, northwest and southwest.

Connection made at Pembine 8.10 p.m. daily with with Milwaukee and Northern Ry., with through sleepers for Milwaukee and Chicago.

Connections made with the D. S. S. & A. R'y at Trout Lake, daily, for St. Ignace and Mackinaw City and with G. R. & I. and Mich. Cent'l R'y at Mackinaw City

daily, except Saturday.

Through tickets (including 'bus, Escanaba to North Escanaba) on sale at the Soo Line City Ticket office, 304 Ludington street.

150 Bs of baggage checked through and carried from Escanaba to destination without charge. Passengers and their baggage called for by Har-ris & McDonough's well known busses, that run in connection with all Soo Line Tains. Sleeping Car Accommodations Reserved.

> S. H. TALBOT, Ticket Agent, Soo Line, Escanaba, Mich.

Household Goods.

GEO. H. COOK

Has received his new stock of

Furniture and House Furnishing Goods

STOVES AND TINWARE.

Before making the rounds of the other stores visit me and see what I can do when there's cash in sight. Then, too, no other dealer carries the assortment that I do and none of them sell as close.

SPECIAL BARGAINS FOR EVERY DAY.

Dry Goods and Clothing.

Grand Spring Opening!

Two Mammoth stocks just purchased in the Eastern market and now open to inspection at

DOUBLE KRATZE'S STORE

608-610 LUDINGTON STREET, ESCANABA.

To describe these goods in detail would be impossible, as they comprise the largest assortment of Ladies' and Gent's goods ever brought here.

A FEW GENERAL REMARKS

May be needed to direct outsiders to the right place, in fact to the only place where you can buy goods at New York prices.

One of Our Stocks.

The Ladies' department is composed of Is a daisy. For men and boys we have an endless variety of the choicest goods suits, pants, shirts, shoes hats, caps, trunks that money could purchase; the stock is large, the goods the finest, the prices the rock bottom figures. Look below for a lowest. Below are a few of our specials. 5,000 yards remnants at half price.

1,000 yds. of Bleached Sheeting at 5c per yd. 1 Lot of Dress Goods at 10c a yard. Good Black Satine at 10c a yard. Best Light Prints at 4c a yard. Remnants of Shirtings at 7c a yard. English Suitings at 18c a yard. 50 doz. Child's Collars at 15c each, worth 50c. Toweling, very good, 5c a yard. Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, 65c a pair. Best Table Oil Cloth, 18c a yard. Ladies' Dongola Shoe, \$1.25. Ladies' Grain Shoe, \$1.00. Child's Tan Color Shoe, 50c. Children's School Shoes, best 90c; sizes 6

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The Weekly Iron Port

THE IRON PORT COMPANY.

The Iron Trade Review takes a gloomy view of the condition of the iron trade. From its latest issue we clip:

"Neither as to volume of business nor as to price, is there anything cheering to be gathered from the iron trade outlook. * The shrinkage in railroad building is certainly one factor in the situation that has directly affected the concerns in question. While optimism is to be cultivated, it is well to look depression symptoms fairly in the face, and profit by the fact, even though it be impossible accurately to trace causes. While there is more than an average consumption of finished material, the disparity between the mill capacity made available by the extensions of the past few years, and the current demard has been made more apparent as the year advanced. The competition between mills for orders has forced prices to the lowest point yet recorded; certainly in many cases the line between profit and loss was crossed some weeks ago, in the downward movement. That the wage earner will have to share in the decline is inevitable. It need not be said that no scale for the coming year will be signed by Western from manufacturers, that does not accommodate itself to the course the market has taken in the last twelve-month."

Governor Rich is credited with the following outgiving: "The Upper Peninsula is a spoiled child. It does not need an asylum for the insane, nor a normal school-It did not need the state prison at Marquette, and the legislature acted unwisely in providing for its creation " Now, the statement is made by a democratic paper and is therefore open to suspicion. Perhaps Gov. Rich never said so, but if he did, if he holds the opinion expressed, we have only to say to him, and to the state below the straits, let the "spoiled child" go, then; it has outgrown your capacity to teach or discipline it-let it paddle its own canoelet us flock by ourselves, and we won't bother you any longer-you won't have to pay the "spoiled child's" bills, if you'll do that and you won't see an upper peninsula. man at Lansing or Detroit from January until January again. Just tell the kid that his room is better (for you) than his company, tell him to pack his duds and git. He'll do it, too quick, and we shall be all the better friends ten years afteryards. Bounce the "spoiled child" and fun your hayseed state on your own plan. The "child" will be suited,

If the "purging of the pension rolls" is are not clearly entitled, under the law, to the pensions they receive no one will find fault, least of all the deserving pensioner; but when special empiners are appointed and sent through the country to bunt victims, and are instructed inquire of "postmasters, aldermen, assessors, and such information," it looks squally for the pensioners. Those fellows will get credit at the pension bureau for scalps, and the special examiner who takes the most will get the largest credit. Our only wonder is that Hoke did not fix their pay on that asis. Fact is the veteran of the war of the 'rebellion is "a back number" in these days; the fellows who were then the "under dog" are so no longer; the south, by the aid of the doughface as of yore, is again dominant at the national capital.

It can be done. Mrs. Potter Palmer las Saturday drove the golden nail, which act marked the completion of the woman's building at the world's fair, and did it without pounding her thumb with the hammer, so it is established that it can be done. It does not follow, however, that the erection of ordinary structures in which nails are used -common iron or steel pails -will hereafter be done by women. it would hardly expedite matters to have a man go ahead of each imitator of Mrs. Potter with a gimlet, boring holes into which she might drive the nails, nor would the practice conduce to the solidity of the structures. It is therefore probable that, in spite of the success of Mrs. Palmer, the business of driving nails will remain in the hands of men and the darlings will be content to occupy the structures after completion, and make of them homes for the chaps who drive the nails and earn the loaf. A woman can drive a nail, but she can be better employed.

If Governor Rich made use of the language credited to him in an interview with a Grand Rapids Democrat reporter regarding this peninsula, he certainly deserves the censuring he is receiving from the press up this way. The governor should look up the election returns and see what his majority was, this side of the straits .-Ontonagon Herald.

The governor need not look at the election returns at all. We should need and deserve the institutions just as much if we were all democrats. It is not a question into which party politics should be allowed to enter and no surer way could be devised to defeat the measures we ask for than to orge party reasons therefor.

The Cincinnati Enquirer having indulged in an effusion of the usual rot of the free-traders about the injustice to the farmers of the protective system, the American Economist calls it down, thus:

"The talk about being "abut out of all foreign markets . . . if we could not buy where we hoped to sell," is simply nonsense. If a man within a hundred miles of Cincinnati thinks, as many do, that the the department.

Euquirer is the best and the cheapest newspaper, he buys it. If he thinks a special kind of reaper made in that city best and cheapest, he buys it, and never thinks or cares a copper whether he shall ever sell anything from his farm to the Enquirer man or the reaper maker or not. So on a larger scale. If our wheat is best and cheapest England buys it, whether we buy anything of her or not. If Russian wheat is a penny a bushel cheaper they buy it and leave ours to rot, although we buy of England four times as much mer chandise as Russia does."

Ether this Nation should turn over a new leaf and purchase embassies in the great capitals of the world as England does, and increase the salaries of ambassadors and ministers, or it should go out of the diplomatic business. The day of ambassadors is over. I Electricity and the cable have supplanted them, and what was once a necessity is now a luxury. The demand of the hour is for an improved con sular system. Commerce needs to be onsidered by experts, and if our country is too poor to pay proper salaries to both diplomatic and consular services, it would be millions in our pockets to abolish the former and add its appropriation to the latter. To state that no government would receive a consul on diplomatic business the two services being distinct and worlds apari-is begging toe question. Did the United States adopt such a plan, foreign powers would be forced to some com-

What should really arise in the great ports and capitals of the world are fine United States consulates dedicated to what makes national greatness and which it ill becomes a Republic to place in a lower rank toau diplomacy-Commerce !-- Kate

Wm R. Burt bas never recovered his mental equipoise since he tried to be governor and failed. A renegade republican he hates the party he betrayed, of course; and for his defeat he blames the democrats and loves them no more .than- they love him. He holds a grudge against the state in fact, and showed it the other day by attacking the world's fair commission and using his position and influence to cut down the appropriation for the Michigan exhibit. Mr. B. has, it is said, a bushel of money but he has little else worth having.

Chris, Jacob, the boss of the Detroit conneil when it was democratic, says the electric light manager, Fitzgerald, is a blunderer. The Journal quotes him thus: "If Fitzgerald was so dumb as to give out money in that way he ought to go over the road. I have had great experience, but I never heard of anything of the kind before, confided to the elimination therefrom of as giving out money in advance before the the names of those (if any such there are) work was done." The big blunder was in who obtained pensions by fraud, or who the selection of the men to bribe. He bould have tave taken counsel of Jacob.

An idiot who sees, or fancies he sees, the downfall of England in the success of Irish home rule made an attempt upon the life of Mr. Gladstone as that gentleman walked at midnight, through St. James, park. Such is the tale told, at any rate, by other persons as may be found to possess the cable. The man was arrested and documents corroborative of the story were found upon his person. It needed but such a fool break to make the passage of the home rule bill certain and easy.

> A contest between employers and workmen in the iron establishments of the Pittsburgh district is imminent. The employers insist on a reduction of wages, asserting that in no other way can they meet the conditions of the market and continue to operate their plants, and the men insist on the old rate. The fight will be "to the death" for the Auralgamated societies. If it loses it will go to pieces.

> President Cleveland very sensibly proposes to use the white house as his residence only, to take a suite of rooms in the navy or army building in which to transect the business of the office. The pro per thing would be to erect a residence for the president and make the white house his place of business, but untill congress does that the rooms in the nav, building would do.

> Mr. Cleveland is indeed "between the devil and the deep sea." The devil is the free-silver majority of his party and the deep sea his New York city friends and backers. How he is to exorcise the fiend and keep bimself affoat is the conundrum which he must solve or the fiend will have

> English dealers get goods made in Germany cheaper than at home, bring them to England free of duty, and thus deprive the British artisan of labor, meanwhile imposing a tariff tax on his tea and coffee, and a very heavy tax on his tobacco. Yet we hear of "Free-Trade philanthropy."

The real choice offered to American producers is not between the home and a foreign market but between a good and a poor home market-the foreign market is, at best, "not a marker" in comparison. Protection insures a good home market; its opponents a weak and poor one.

Unless the administration intends to run counter to public opinion on the question of the annexation of Hawaii it is blundering, fearfully. If it does intend to defeat annexation it blunders in another way but

eral, shows that the Columbian exposition | the fire of the Free Press is presumably has cost over thirty-three millions of dollars, not taking into consideration the expenses of exhibitors.

Maxwell, the wielder of the axe, says that he has got to go slow: that congressmen "have been unloading jail-birds on" JOHN E. RISLEY.

Mr. John E. Risley, our new minister to Denmark, is a brother-in-law of Senator Voorbees from Indiana. His home is in New York city and he is a lawyer of high



signding and ampre means, though little ident-fled with politics. He will, no doubt, make a good minister.

Mayor Pingree is on top in the fight over the question of lighting Detroit. The company which has a plant and has had a fat contract put him up by attempting to beat his plan for a city plant by bribing aldermen. One of the men who took the company's money turned it over to the mayor with an expose of the proceeding, and that settled Mr. Company. Its manager is in arrest and more arrests will fol-

It may "bust the show," Steinway does not show his pianos at Chicago-Steinwayls pianos are therefore not to be used on the grounds-but the latest "miracle" of pianothumpers, Paderewski, is to perform at the show and he will use no other make. The situation is perilous; what matters Grover, and the Columbus of to-day, and Bill Cody and Carter Harrison if we have not Pader -(and the rest of it), and yet Tom Palmer and Gen. Davis can not back down as to the Steigway. It may - but we will hope

A gallant little fighter as ever wore the blue, the man who (with a handful of other brave men) held a little earthwork at Allatoona pass against a hundred times his force and saved Sherman's campaign in Georgia from a serious check if not an inglorious termination-Gen. John M. Corse-died at Boston a week ago to-day The pension list will get "revision," in that way, without help from Hoke's special ex-

Sixty-five cents is the rate on ore hence to lake Erie ports at the opening of navigation and about twenty single trip arters were made at that figure. Grai freights are very low and there seems to be no reason to expect an advance, and at 65 cents ore will move, there is no question of that. Furnacemen and ore producers can meet, once the freight rate is established, with knowledge,

The "remonetization of silver" seems probable to result, so far as the United States is concerned, in the demonetization of gold. That metal at a premium is me. chandise, not money, and the present outflow will put it to a premium, soon. It will not be an unmitigated evil if it serves to check purchases of foreign goods and drive us to the development of our own

An important article of special interest at the present time on "The Behring Sea Question" has been written for the May number of the North American Review by Hon. B. F. Tracy, ex-Secretary of the Navy. General Tracy makes a powerful and almost unauswerable statement of the legal grounds on which the American claim rests.

It was "a field day" in the house of representatives on the 25th, the subject of debate being Gluecklich's bill for the ta:ation of church property. Everybody who had a word to offer was heard and there were plenty. It is scarcely possible that the bill will pass but if it would serve as a check to the organization of starveling. churches it might be a good thing.

The May number of the North American Review will contain a symposium, entitled "Further Views on Pension List Revision," by Wheelock G. Veazey, past Commanderin-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, Representative O'Neil, of Massachusetts, and Representative Enloe, of Tennes-

The president does not mind the smell of powder nor its noise when it is not used to throw lead or iron. When he reviewed the fleet in New York barbor last week he braved their fire, until 1,600 guns had roared and belched their smoke, in his own proper person and not by a substitute.

The financial difficulty of the great Peansylvania Steel Co. is said to be, in part at least, the result of its venture in Cuban ore, which proves poor stuff, carrying only 40 to 45 per cent fron. The Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph is authority for the

Michigan democratic editors can let up on Tom Reed now; "Czar" Tateum is their mark now. He was not our choice for speaker but we begin to think him the The report of Gen, Davis, director gen. right man. -Any republican who draws

There is trouble in sight with the Navajoindians and Gen. McCook is hurrying his cavalry to the reservation.

The Lackawanna company buys the Ann Arbor road and the Ashleys lose "The Paul Jones Flag."

An incident of the great show in and about New York harbor last week was the hoisting once more of the flag which Paul Jones carried at the gaff of the Bon Homme Richard in that glorious fight off Scarborough Head. The scene is thus

Thousands of people gathered on the highlands looking out upon the ocean and up through the narrows, near the win lighthouses, in full view of the Spansh men-of-war and the huge Miantonomah. The central point of the gathering was a splendid flagstaff 165 feet high. This flagstuff is a new institution and was erected by subscriptions from patriotic societies and individuals. On this staff, hereafter, will fly by daylight the Road Wagons astionalign. This will be in conformity with orders issued by the Treasury Department, through Secretary Windom to the lighthouse board. The keepers of the Navesiak lights will be instructed to boist the flag each morning when the lights are extinguished and to lower it at night when the lights are lit. It will be the same in fair weather and foul. The flag is intended always to fly from the pole until the end of time or of the dissolution of the government.

Among those about the base of the flagstaff was a woman eighty years of age, who had been especially escorted from her home in Rhode Island. In her possession she brought the original stars and stripes known as "Paul Jones flag." Mrs. H. R. Stafford is the owner of the flag, and she it was who, seated and carefally attended, held with careful hand the little square of bunting so precious to her as the descendant of Lieutenant Stafford of the navy. Congress had presented this valued relie for his gallant resear of the tween the Bon Homme Richard and Serapis it was shot away into the sea, he being obliged to jump overboard to get it. It is understood that Mrs. Stafford has bequeathed this flag to the nation in her

At 11:35 a. m. a detail of the naval reserve drawn up in line fired a volley out over the still waters of the bay. This was a signal to the waiting Miantonomah to prepare to salute the original flag. Then Chairman J. W. Scott briefly stated the purpose of the gathering and present ed the father of "The National flagpole," W. C. McDowell. James Upham of Boston, in behalf of the Lyceum League of America, next presented the first three ensigns to be used by the lighthouse keepers on the flagstall. Again a volley was fired from the highlands and almost simultaneously the guns of Miantonomah be gan their thunderous applause. At the moment, too, the aged Mrs. Stafford advanced to the base of the pole with Captain David H. Caulkins of the Sandy Hook lightship, the original stars and stripes were quickly caught on the halyards, and alternating hand over hand with Captain Caulkins, the time-honored ensign flettered up, up-165 feet to the top, while the guns thundered and the people cheered. Only a moment the frail and precious bunting was allowed to flutter. Then it was lowered and its place was taken by a United States standard stars and stripes, forty feet long.

The Atlantic Monthly.

A brilliant paper on the World's Fair. written by the well-known architect Mr. Henry Van Brunt, and entitled "The Columbian Exposition and American Civilization," is a fit opening for the Atlantic Monthly for the mouth of May. It is an admirable paper,-not so much in the way of description of what we shall see at the exhibition, as a consideration of the probably influence it will have on American civilization.

Judge Caton, who was employed in the first lawsuit recorded in Cook County, Illinois, bas an interesting descriptive paper called " Tis Sixty Years Since, in Chicago," tracing the history of this wonderful city back to the days when it was only a small settlement by the lakeside A threepartstory, by Mary Catherine Lee, entitled "An Island Plant," is begun in this number; and the first part gives us a situation quite new in fiction. Captain A. T. Mahan, whose naval articles are well known, contributes an interesting paper on Admiral Saumarez, the English commander.

One of the most delightful papers in the magazine is written by Sir Edward Strackey on "The Old Hall and the Por traits," a rambling oldfashioned paper on a country house, presumably that of the Stracheys, the story of which touches the main course of English history from the time of Edward the Confessor to the present day. Mr. Laicadio Hearn's puz-zling paper on "The Japanese Smile," in which we learn that when the Japanese smile they usually mean everything except what we mean by smiling, will be found a novelty; and Professor Shaler's paper on "European Peas-ants as Immig ants" considers a social question which it has become a commonplace to say is one of the most important of our period. An article by Henry Lee on Frances Anne Kemble shows us this clever, passionate woman in an interesting light. Bliss Perry's paper on "Haw-thorne'at North 'Adams" is another of those side-lights on Hawthorne's character which lead us to believe that no one has yet solved the real psychological problem which his nature present

Professor James Jay Greenough discus ses very ably "The English Question" in connection with the outery which has lately been made about the inability of the average student to write English clearly and correctly. Some good poetry, and criticisms on Mr. William Watson's poetry, Flagg's Life of Allston, Julian's Life of Joshua R. Giddings, and on some recent volumes of French history, com-plete a number which no thoughtful man can afford to miss reading. Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston.

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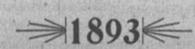
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BOILED-DOWN GITY NEWS

MANY MINOR MATTERS PERTAINING TO CITY AND SURROUNDINGS.

The Iron Port Reportoral Staff Finds Goodly Batch of Interesting Items in Their Wanderings About the City-Short Bits.

John Kelly was the first of our liquor dealers to "put sp" the \$500 which makes his business legitimate. Now let the city authorities give John and the others who "came down" a fair deal -close out every fellow who does not. If we must have a double or treble allowance of saloons let us have the cash to which we are entitled and protect the man who pays against illegal competi-

John A. McNaughtan has been appointed to the position made vacant by Charlie Thatcher's resignation-book-keeper and collector for the Lighting company. His office is in the company's building on El. more street. Good appointment; The Iron Port congratulates the company, the public, and John A.

Bulletin No. 93 from the experiment station of the agricultural college, is an exhaustive paper on the planting of potatoes and would be of value to our farmers. The copy we have is at their service and others can be had by addressing the secretary of the Agricultural College, Lansing, Mich.

It is rumored that the Schlesinger syndicate has bought half-a-dozen or more furnaces in the Ohio field to make a steady market for its ore. As in the case of the report concerning the proposed railroad from Irou Mountain to Menominee, a denial by Mr. S. is in order.

'An alarm was sent in and the firemen called out last Thursday at noon. Somebody had dumped hot ashes at the rear of the express office and a small conflagration was going which Agent Scott at tended to with a bucket of water before the boys got there.

City Engineer Zane estimates that 2, 500 yards of sand must be removed from Hendricks avenue before the street car River road. The city will undertake the work as speedily as possible.

An entirely new dynamo (instead of a new armature for the old one) has been purchased by the street railway company and should be in position by, this time. The company will have a surplus of power year, it is only natural that they should when it is in operation.

The ladies of the M. E. church will pamper the "sweet tooth" of their friends tomorrow evening at the residence of John McCourt. The sweet-trade is the product of our maples and will be served as syrup, sugar and wax.

The Chicago store at Gladstone evidently admires 'W. J. Bell's way of writing newspaper advertisements. His "ad" was copied almost verbatim from The Fron Port in the last issue of the Glad-

The appeal of Giebel and others from the verdict in the justice's court resulted in a mistrial-a disagreement of the jury. "We had a couple, of stubborn fellows," said a juryman.

The railway milage of the United States is 170,000, and was built at a cost of over \$10,000,000,000. Illinois leads in point of milage, having 10,079 miles.

The new Peterson opera house will be a beauty, and when open should be well patronized-provided, of course, firstclass attractions are booked.

The Iron Port readers who wish to visit the World's Fair can get information and engage good accommodations through James Morrell.

Six hundred miners idle at Bessemer and twice as many at Ironwood because of the delay of the ore-buyers in the matter of contracts.

"Spider and Fly," one of the best spectacular productions now on the road, will hold the boards at the Opera Grand

Miller Brothers' pantomime comedy, "Kajanka," is in the upper peninsula. The show is absolutely and unqualifiedly

'rotten". The annual meeting of the shareholders of The Iron Port company was held on Monday last. The old officers were re-

elected. The business office of the Escanaba Lighting company has been removed to the company's building on Elmore street. Messrs. Moe and Jepson have decided to remove the saloon from South park to a site across the street therefrom.

Ribs from the backbone of winter, in the shape of snow drifts, are still visible north of us, say railroad men.

An active poundmaster is needed; one who will restrain cattle from running at

large throughout the city. "The Keeley Cure" has been dramatized, and is now being presented to large

Pennsylvania audiences. Fifteen thousand-tons of iron ore awaited shipment at Gladstone at the

opening of navigation.

temperance lecture at North Star hall Tuesday evening. A \$4,000 cheese factory is being erected at Barkville. It will be in operation

about June 1st. Mr. Mornson will open a saloon at the corner of Ludington and Campbell streets. Other expenses, of course, were in propor-Prof. Sloan has just finished a hand- | tion.

some specimen of penmanship which will be placed in the new opera house as an advertisement for the Business College. Over 13,500 feet of wire was necessary in the "electrical work" at the Hawarden Inn, Gladstone:

The common council has appropriated \$75 to assist in the proper observance of Memorial day.

Cyr Brothers' Specialty Co. will appear at the Opera Grand this week Friday and Saturday. The W. C. T. U. musicale, at the Meth-

odist church last evening, was well pa-Harris & McDonough recently purchas-

ed in Chicago a few new vehicles for their The Milwaukee Sentinel isn't "in it"

here since the change of the railway time The trout season opened on Monday

last. Fish stories will be on tap in a few days. Thorough work will be done by Asses-

sor Moe this spring. There's need of it. A stave factory will soon be in operation on the Soo line near Shaffer. Robt. E. Morrell will erect a comfort-

able residence during the summer. The common council held an adjourned egular meeting Saturday evening.

Mr. Gorman will occupy the building soon to be vacated by Nic. Riley. There is an increasing demand for

dwelling houses in this city.

ng 28x80 at Rapid River: Rapid River residence lots are selling at from \$100 to \$150.

The county board will probably hold a session this month. Arthur Leighton is at Gladstone oper

ting a pile-driver. The public schools opened Monday after

a week's vacation. There are three well developed cases of

neasles in town. Advertisements in The Iron Port pay

the advertiser. The jury was discharged on the evening of the 27th.

May flower parties are now in order.

The Cleveland Outlook.

There is no outlook either as to iron ore sales or charters, speaking from the standpoint of the week just past. Each week brings the ore and furnace interests nearer to the purchases that must be company can extend its line to the Ford | made, but to-day there is only waiting. It is surmised, now, that the Carnegie Steel Co. will defer the bulk of its purchases until the return of its chairman from Europe, shortly after the middle of May. The large buyers, having paid the top price in their early negotiations last study every point of advantage in existing conditions. The purchase of odd lots of ore on favorable terms is one advant age of the Carnegie Co.'s contract for the 200,000 tons of the Pewabic's low phosphorus product. Interviews with iron deputy oil inspectors, brought no change of attitude. They are, with few exceptions, making no arrangements for the shipment of ore, and no charters are announced that have any significance in fixing a freight market. A little wild business from Escanaba is rumored and 65 cents is talked of as the rate, but no particulars are given. The indications are that the vesselmen who wait until one or two weeks in May have passed beforegoing into commission, will be money in pocket .- Iron Trade Review,

> He Must Have It "Bad." The Mining Journal of Saturday last had the following:

"There is an editor down at Escanaba who must have an awfull, sore hide from the accounts of his writhings that are waited this way. 'Let the galled jade wince'; the brute brought his punishment on himself, but he ought to be wise enough not to advertise with such persistency and vociferousness that the lash applied to him 'cut to the raw.'"

It would be the proper thing for that editor to retire to quiet of Lakeview, after that, but no one of our contemporaries has as yet done so and it may bejust possibly, you know-that the M. J. has wasted its powder.

Matters of Local Interest,

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A Wide Difference,

The difference in the purchasing power of money between 1492 and the present day is illustrated by a calculation made by Prof. Ruge and published in a German paper. He says that the first expedition C. G. Hendin delivered an interesting of Columbus cost about \$7,000 of our money, which seems a very moderate sum for the equipment of three vessels, small as they were. Columbus, however, was paid as admiral only at the rate of \$320 a year; his captains received only \$16 a month, and sailors from \$2 to \$2.50.

THE LIBERAL SCISSORING OF EX-CHANGES FOR PORT READERS.

The Exchange Editor Profits From Careful Perusal of the Newspaprs Published in this Peninsula. Latest Intelligence

The Negaunee Herald says: "The 27th of April and sleighs still in use and likely to be to the end of the month, which will make six months of practically uninterrapted sleighing for the winter of 1892-3. There are still snow drifts six feet deep with the inland lakes solidly frozen -ice upon most of them being sufficently strong to bear the weight of loaded

teams.

Exhibition of Gastronomic Menn-yers Morgan Memorial Chapel. Tuesday, April 25th, 1893. Soup. Take Your Choice-One Kind. Roast, Turkey, Cranberry Sauce. Escalloped N. P. Potatoes, a la D. Murray. Salad. Cabbage, a la Gladstone. Bread. Marquette Milling Co. Wine jelly. Very Temperate. ple. Special Old Stock. Oranges, Nuts, Raisins. Coffee. N. B .- The dishes are borrowed. Young & Merrill will erect a store build-26th said, "at 9 o'clock this morning a yardengine while shunting went through the transfer dock and now stands on its head in the water. The tender kept the track. Engineer Walter Ferries went down with her, but escaped with some severe bruises. The engine and dock are badly damaged.

> Iron River toughs had planned to rob a homesteader who had got a "jag" on in that town, but the man's "jag" was not day evenings, and the third and last heavy enough; he left his money in town | meeting will be held immorrow evening. when he started for home and took a re-volver instead, and the robbery did not come off although it was attempted. The "dry" of the Sheridan mine was burned last week-loss small.

Of sixty-two liquor-dealers' bonds pre seuted to the Iron Mountain council thirty were rejected. One name, Lee Fordyce occurred as surety on thirty-one bonds. nineteen of which were in the rejected list. tion is extended to all.

Mayor Kanfman, of Marquette, made | city government, sixteen in number, were his guests for the trip to Chicago to be present at the opening of the fair.

The United States authorities are taking steps to remove the wreck of the Northerner, which was burned in Keweenaw bay last fall and which is a menace to navigation.

Jabez Trebilcock of Ishpeming; Charles Pease of Sault St. Marie; Robert A. Douglass of Ironwood and G. Warren Emery of Hancock have been appointed

ore selling firms show that the lull has During the gale of last week a dock at Naubinway was blown out into the lake, and over 1,000,000 feet of lumber belonging to S. O. Fisher, of Bay City, went with it.

A sign of "hard times" is the cutting down of the pay of the Iron county mine inspector from \$1,300 to \$800. The Drill says it's enough for the work, now. Richard Varcoe was killed last week by a fall in the Lake Superior mine and James Sowden, whom Varcoe hit as he fell, narrowly escaped death.

The Tilden, Colby and Palms mines have suspended mining operations until sales are made. The Norrie is working only half time.

The Pioneer furnace, at Negaunce banked its fires last week, the coal supply gave out. It is operated on an insufficient capital. Two men, Nesbitt and Sharp, were

nearly smothered by the smoke and gases from a foul-burning oil stove at L'Anse

Three Hancock lads started to walk to Chicago to see the big show but were captured at Baraga and taken back

The report of the closing of the Volunteer mine was unfounded; it employs the usual number of men, 200, and will do

Archdeacon Williams is a bit of a wag it seems. He gave a refection, one day last week, and this was his dinner card: The Superior mine company will raise no more non-bessemer orefor the present.

The men will be employed elsewhere. The Mastodon and Lamont mines are shipping, via Escanaba, the former 200 and the latter 100 tons daily.

Georgé Lemmon, bagyageman, was fatally squeezed while making a coupling at Houghton last Sunday.

Sixty-two liquor-dealers have quali fied by the filing of acceptable bonds at Marquette. The old Shafer mine is newly christened

"Columbia." That's the style this year. C. M. Atkinson has sold out the Diamond Drill to Watson & Moriarity. Dan Culhane's saloon at Swanzey wa

burned Saturday night. "Kit" Roberts has been chosen mine in

spector for Iron county. The Jackson mining company is reduc ing its working force. There was six feet of frost in the ground

at L'Anse last week. Boats reached the Sault from below on

Sunday last. The ice in Portage lake was broken up on the 27th.

Doran Gets It; In the Neck. Peter Doran, who wants to be district attorney for the UnitedStates in this district got the following "good endorse- a show of hands.

ment" from his brother senators of the lington R. Burt, James H. Morrow, Myron W. Clark, Enoch T. Mugford, Peter Gilbert, Schuyler Champion and Lewis C. BITS OF INTERESRING INFORMA-Hough, and forwarded to President

Cleveland last week:

"The democratic senators in the beginning of the session paid Senator Doran the compliment of casting their votes for him for president pro tem. Later many of us were led by our associations to indorse his candidacy for district attorney for the western district of Michigan, but his conduct in reference to measures since and his lack of interest in the meetings of his party and his course on the floor of dorsement of hifn as a loyal democrat,

Power of Escanaba Mr. Power may not get the place, nothgoose is cooked.

Among the Churches,

The Ladies Missionary society of the Presbyterian church elected the following officer's on Thursday last: President, Mrs. J. M. Millar; vice-president, Miss Marian Selden; secretary, Mrs. C. A. Cram; treasurer, Mrs. A. R. Northup. The society

meets once each month. There will be a Maple Sugar social, given by the Methodist ladies, at the home of Mr. John McCourt to-morrow evening. Warm biscuit, maple syrup doughnuts, and coffee on the bill of fare, besides maple wax and sugar. Good music will also be a feature of the even-

The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath. Preparatory meetings were held Monday and Wednes-

Rev. E. Johnson, late pastor of the Swedish Mission church, departed for West Superior, where he has accepted a call last week. His friends tendered him a surprise before he left.

The Baptist Helpers will give a Martha Washington tea Tuesday afternoon May 10th from 2 to 6., at the home of Miss Atkins 620 Mary St. A cordial invita

A pleasant coffee social was given at good his promise. The numbers of the the home of Ole Grangstad by the ladies of the Norwegian Lutheran church, last Saturday evening.

The official board of the Methodist church will meet this evening to decide upon improving the interior of the church. Rev. G. H. Whitney will exchange pulpits with Rev. Mr. Blackford, of Gladstone, next Sunday.

The ladies' Union prayer meeting was eld at the Methodist parsonage day afternoon.

The Ladies Aid society met at the Presbyterion parsonage yesterday afternoon. Rev. M. J. Eggan, of Ishpemiug, preached at the Mission church last Sabbath.

Civil Service Examination.

In pursuance of the Presidential order of January 5, 1893, extending the Civil Service Law to all free-delivery post offices, the Civil Service Commission at Washington has ordered that an examination be held in this city on Saturday, June 10, 1893, commencing at 9 o'clock, a. m., for the grades of clerk and carrier in the city post office. Only citzens of the United States can be examined. The age limitations are as follows: For clerk, not under 18 years; for carrier, not under 21 nor over 40; for messenger, stamper, etc., not under 16 nor over 45. No application will be accepted for this examination unless filed with the undersigned, on the proper blank, before 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday June 5, 1893.

The Civil Service Commission takes this opportunity of stating that the examinations are open to all reputable citizens who may desire to enter the postal service, without regard to their political affiliations. All such citizens, whether democrats or republicans, or neither, are invited to apply. They shall be examined, graded, and certified with entire impartiality, and wholly without regard to their political views, or to any consideration save their efficiency, as shown by the grades they obtain in the examination. For application blanks, full instructions, and information relative to the duties and salaries of the different positions, apply at the post office to-

WM. S. MCKAY. Secretary, Board of Examiners.

How To Visit the World's Fair. The Chicago & North-Western R'y (The North-Western Line) announces reduced excursion rates to Chicago and return to enable everbody to see the greatest exposition the world has ever known. It is something marvelous and beyond descrip-

Tickets will be on sale via the North-Western Line daily until October 31st, 1893, and will be good for return until November 15, 1893. Ask for tickets via the popular route, with its frequent and fast express .trains, with magnificent through car service of modern day coaches, s'eeping cars, parlor cars and dining cars.

Tickets and detailed information can be obtained from agents of the North-Western Line and connecting routes. 29

Not Exactly.

The question is asked, at the points where our iron ore is used, "is the shut down (of certain mines) a bluff?" Hardly: It is more in the character of a "call" of the big bluff of the big consumers of ore in the matter of prices. It will have the effect of a "call," at any rate; forcing

ment" from his brother senators of the democratic side. It was signed by Wel- AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

TION BY OUR CORRESPONDENTS.

Gleanings from Rapid Biver, Gladstone and Elsewhere Briefly and Concisely Related .- Many Matters of Interest.

HAPID RIVER. We have inadvertently omitted to note the senate leads us to rescind our action four new jewelry establishment opened as in reference to him and withdraw our in- an adjunct to the postoffice, by a no less enterprising and genial gentleman than and we wish by this communication to C. H. Dillabough from the lower peninsundorse the candidacy of Honorable John | la whose amiable qualities have also made him assistant postmaster properly and legelly qualified. His stock is principally ing is certain except that Mr. Cleveland in the line of the highest grades of clocks will do as he pleases, but Mr. Doran's and watches and being also a jeweler of no mean order, he really appears to be right "in it."

> C. H. is a brother of D. C. Dillabough who came to this town four years ago, and with similar traits by a common inheritance has; without capital, practically grown a lucrative business in stationery combined with sporting goods, shelf and heavy hardware, having simultaneously heaped upon him the offices of postmaster, county superintendent of poor, town treasurer and justice of the peace, besides the equally honorable but withal. less arduous duties of husband to Miss Millie White, a most estimable and accomplished maiden of his boyhood acquaintance. See record of marriage licenses of about ten months ago. It is the pleasure of the town to endure a few more Dillaboughs. Bring 'ein on.

> > GLADSTONE.

The school board pays off indebtedness \$1,000, and has cash enough left to pay its bills for the year. John C. Bardsley is president and A. P. Smith secretary. The Gladstone Odd Fellows had a good time at Escanaba. The Gladstone company has cleaned up the south beach. Whybrew is building a warehouse. The Delta is to be enlarged [More power t'ye, Harry]. Escanabais situated on a branch of the Northwestern railway while Gladstone is on the Soo Line, the great highway between the east and the west. That is why Gladstone's future shines with such lustre. [That's silly].

The Gladstone Tribune, LeClaire and Donovan, made its appearance last Thursday. She's a boomer.

The Hawarden Inn will be opened about the 15th inst. A hundred new houses are wanted.

MARINETTE.

From the Star:-R. W. Merryman, wellknown and esteemed in this section of the country, passed away Friday night, April 21st, of typhoid fever at Lookout Mountain, Tenn. Mr. Merryman was born in Bowdom, Maine, in 1829, making his age at the time of his death 64 years. When 26 years of age the deceasedilocated in Fond du Lac where he was engaged in business till 1873 when he removed to this city, where he owned and operated a large sawmill. For several years past he had associated with him his nephew, Mr. k. C. Merryman, the firm being styled R. W. Merryman & Co.

BARK RIVER. Supervisor Kirkpatrick will remain in the township, although he has sold his farm, and make the assessment. Thereafter his movements depend on circumstances. The long-talked-of creamery will be in operation by the time the grass is good and the cream ready to market. The company will have the building and equipment rendy by the 15th or 20th instant, and a competent man in charge.

Notice to Householders, Notice is hereby given that I have inspected the alleys of the city and find many of them in a condition detrimental to the public health. I therefore direct each householder to clean the back yard of his residence premises and the portion of alley adjoining the same, at once, and notify each that if this is not promptly done the measures prescribed by the ordinance will be taken.

O. E. YOUNGQUIST, Health officer. Escanaba, May 1st, 1893.

Notice to Tax Payers.

Parties whose property was incorrectly described in the assessment roll last year are requested to notify the city assessor, so that no mistake will be made the coming year. Parties, who sold property, or which was otherwise transferred will please take notice.

JOHN MOE, City Assessor.

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KEEN TOOLS AND CLEAN TOWELS.

For Sale,

BUILDING FOR SALE

The two-story building, No. 705 Ludington street, is offered for sale

> A LOW FIGURE.

It must be removed unless the purchaser buys the lot also.

EDOLPH LACOMB.

The Iron Port Reportoral Staff Finds a Goodly Batch of Interesting Items in Their Wanderings About the City.-Short Bits.

Unless the brick-makers have heard of Escanaba and its need in their line weare at a loss to know why a copy of their trade publication, the Brickmaker, reaches us just at this time. Perhaps it would be a good job for the owner of the idle brick yard up the bay shore to send shoe beside her and stout, roomy one. the Brickmaker a little "ad.", it might | The prospect was discouraging. bring him a customer.

Business dull in the police court: for a plain drunk Mike Bass paid \$7.40; for an investment of the same sort with frillsblack eyes-James McCauley was assessed \$14.30 but took fifteen days instead, and Pat. Joyce paid \$7- for a drunk "in paper covers." The court has had a chance for a nap whenever it felt like one,

Rather a lively horse, for service as a livery nag, was one which Will Harris was driving Tuesday morning. When Will would not let it have its own way as to going ahead it tried to get its hind feet over the dash. Will was there, though, after the seance was over and peace restored.

The Rev. J. A Eckstrom has since our last performed the ceremony of marriage between Erick Peterson and Lizzie-Jergerson and John Erickson and Frederika Olson, the brides being Norwegian and the grooms Swedish.

The prospect is that the deal with Mr. Neufeld will go. He found that he could procure the needed lumber for an immediate start and unless some unforeseen hitch occurs the Cochrane roller mills building will be occupied soon.

Bell starts a guessing match, with a trip to the World's Fair as the prize. One who "knows beans" will get it, for the guess is to be at the number of beans in a glass jar exhibited in his window.

The Great Tent of the Maccabees has paid to Mrs. John Nelson the amount of the insurance carried by her late husband. It is such promptness which gives the order its popularity.

The little Truscott, rebuilt by Hazen for Peter Jordan, was launched last Saturday and a dandy little boat she is, now. We had no idea that so good a job could be made of her.

if our Skandinavians want to keep him (as well they may) they should bestir themselves.

By the way, Capt. Bartley, now is a good time to finish your job of wrecking the old Duncan City. Take her out of the way-put her on the beach some-

"The Spider and the Fly" at Opera Grand to-night. The pictures of the "spiders" on the bill boards tell the character of the show.

Frank Landry died in the hospital last Tuesday of typhoid fever and funeral services were held yesterday at St. Anne's

Charlie Chambers has gained a step of promotion-from messenger to assistant operator in the Western Union telegraph

Clean up back yards and alleys; the new health officer insists upon it and will make you trouble if you don't.

The American Express is negotiating for the premises No. 614 Ludington street to be used as its office.

The W. C. T. U. musical is in progress at the M. E. church as this paper is going through the press.

Capt. John Coffey brought over a load of fish, the first of the season, last Sun-

day morning. W. H. Burdick is giving lessons in penmanship in the high school building.

There was a pleasant social at the home of Peter Mathews last Friday evening.

NAMES WORTH MONEY.

John Wesley's autograph sells for \$12,50 The autograph of Talleyrand sells for \$15. The autograph of Marie Antoinette sells

The autograph of General Israel Putnam

You can buy Sarah Bernhardt's auto graph for \$4.

The autograph of N. P. Willis, the poet, sells for \$1.50. The signature of Helen Hunt Jackson to

n letter is advertised for \$2,50,

For a survey made by Washington when he was 18 years old \$150 is offered.

Encouraging Salmon. .

The salmon syndicate of the north west are all pusied in encouraging the increase of the Pacific coast salmon, Fifty thousand million salmon are turned loose into the rivers of Oregon by the syndicate alone every year, and as the industrious female salmon lays 900 eggs to every pound of her weight, the prospect of the fish seems encourag-

The public will perhaps be interested in hearing that M. Zola, M. Daudet and M. Arsene Houssays acknowledge red to be their favorite color, and that the favorite animal of M. Armand Silvestre is the donkey.

Carthage was 45 miles in circumfer-nce, situated on a peninsula. On the land side there were triple walls, guarded by towers so large that the basement of each contained stalls for 300 ele-

SHE WORE THE SHOES TO BED.

A New England Girl's Unique Way of Stretching Tight Footgear.

When Mr. Simpson returned from Bos-on, he brought a beautiful pair of shoes —laced shoes, with neat heels and pretty toes-for his daughther Ethel, and a unanimous sigh of disappointment swept over the Simpson family when it appeared that these shoes were too small. No one was more sincerely grieved about t than Ethel's youngest sister, Evelyn, who liked pretty shoes as much as Ethel did, and who had been wearing a pair that could not have been described as anything but "serviceable, though plain."

Evelyn was filled with conflicting smotions when her father said: "Perhaps you can woar a No. 8, my dear. If so, you may have these."

Evelyn knew that though her sister was six years older than herself, yet they wore the same sized shoe-No. 4; but she did not say She set her pretty

A little later Ethel came in. "Why," she exclaimed in surprise, "you can almost get it on? Try it some-

time when your foot is not warm and swollen as it is now, though I suppose apa would never let you wear them if they went on at all hard." The shoes stood on Evelyn's dressing case all day and suggested to her what

must have been the feelings of Cinderella's sisters when they tried to cut down their feet to fit the magic slipper. That evening when she was going to bed she bried them again, and they actually went on. They squeezed the poor little feet as if in a vise, but there they were, on. About Iffidnight Ethel Simpson was awakened by a soft knock on her door.

covered her little sister Evelyn. "Oh, Ethel-don't make a noise-my feet!" she gasped.

and sitting in the hall outside she dis-

"Why, you have your shoes and stockings on, Erelyn. The new shoes! Oh, you poor child!" and in a moment the elder sister was bending over the sufferer, who had fainted away, with smelling salts and a pair of scissors.

"You see," sobbed Evelyn, reviving and watching the cutting of the shoe lacing with interest, "I thought if I wore them to bed they would be on in the morning and I could show them to papa and he would let me keep them. I went to sleep, and a little while ago I woke up, and I thought I was dying.

"I almost screamed, but I didn't. I felt numb all over, and then it seemed as if arms and legs and head were turning into balloons. When I tried to crawl out of bed, I knew what was the matter. It was my feet and those awful shoes.

"I expect every one will laugh at me. Why, Ethel, you are crying! Don't. My feet don't hurt me any more, and papa will say when you tell him about it, It will be a lesson to her."

It was a lesson to her. She never wore tight shoes again, but if her father thought so he did not say it when Ethel The church at Tacoma, Washington, told the story, and no one of the family has called the Rev. J. A. Eckstrom, and laughed or said a word about it. A day or two later a package came from Boston for Evelyn, which contained a beautiful pair of shoes, laced, with neat heels and pretty toes and marked "fours."-Youth's Companion.

The rustic choir's greatest show was always made in the anthem, in which some bumpkin had generally a solo to exhibit his "lusty voice." It was splendid musical display-of its kind. People came from a long distance to hear it and felt so satiated that they left without the sermon. No wonder Shakespeare made Sir John Falstaff lose his voice with "hallooing and singing of anthems." To be sure he was guilty of an anachronism, for there were no anthems in the fat knight's time, but it may reasonably be supposed that he had become so impressed with this part of the service in his own day that he dropped into the nod which even Homer is privileged occasionally to enjoy.

The Jack Tar who explained a "hanthem" to his mate on the simple principles of verbal elongation was not so far out after all. "If I was to say to you," he began, ""'Ere, Bill, give me that handspike,' that wouldn't be a hanthem; but if I was to say to you, 'Bill, Bill, Bill, give, give, give me, give me, that, that, that handspike, spike, spike, spike,' why, that would be a hanthem." Just after this fashion did the old village choirs tear and toss their anthem texts. —Cornhill Magazine.

But She Didn't Get the Boots.

I was trying on a pair of shoes, not many days ago, in one of the "sample" shoe stores. Finding a pair which particularly pleased me, the clerk laced up one, and looked for the other to do likewise, but it could not be found. After a vain search I was about to give it up and select another pair which did not please me half as well, when I saw the edge of the woman's skirt, who sat next me, bulging out, and, calling the attention of the salesman to the fact, he extracted the boot from under her dress.

It seems she liked the boots as well as I did, and if she did not get them, it was not because she did not possess unbounded assurance.

Some women get through this world on their nerve, and this woman was one of them.-New York Herald.

The Color Question.

Little boy Sterling, 5 years old, was recently having his hair done up for the night. He was restless under the operation, and his nurse tried to interest him by speaking of the colored waiter who had come that day. "He looks as neat as a new pin, in his

white jacket and apron," said she.

"Yes," responded Sterling, "neat as a new black pin."—Kate Field's Washing-

American Architecture.

The distinctive form of American archicture may be seen in the modern office building now so popular in most of our large cities. It combines in the highest degree utility with excellence and is at once a model of convenience and of beauty.—St. Louis Globs-Democrat.

THE JOLLY JESTER.

He-Do you love me, darling? She-Semetimes I think I do; and then again, when you have on that hideous baggy new overcoat, I doubt the strength of my affection.

"How are you get"ng along?" asked the mother whe had sent Tommy out to wash. "I a a lo ing ground rapidly," replied the ad, who had been playing in the dirt.

"I notice you did 't speak to Mr. Dullpa'e Miss Quickstep. Aren't ou on good terms with him?" "On the v ry best possible terms. I am not acquainted with him."

Well, my little man, I'm glad to hear you talk about your school as you do. Why is it you take so much in re interest now?" Little Man-Cause we don't have to go no more.

"What did you think of those wo stories I to'd at the dinner the other pight?" "Well, replied the candid frien '. 'each was a m'rable in a way. One "is goo l and the other was new." "D fillins must be a very generous

man I heard him siz ast night that he won a lend a fr en i his last dollar." "I know it," was the reply. "But he's so rich that he never gets down to

Mistress - Bridget, was that Mrs. Stayleng at the door? Bridget-It was, ma'am. Mistress-What did you tell her? Bridget-Shure, ma'am, I said that yez didn't wish to be disturbed whin yez wasn't in.

Mrs Jones was telling Mrs. Smith that her husband intended giving her an insurance po ley 'On, that's nothing," replied Mrs. S. "My husban! is going to give me 1 \$1,000 bond, and he has cut all the coupons off so I won't have any trouble with it."

"What could you have been thinking of to engage yourself to three fiance must be rich, intelligent, handsome, and of the best moral character, and as I couldn't hope for all that in

one man I had to take three." She-As we are to be married in June, don't you think you ought to begin to economize? He-Oh. I've begun already. That very thought occurred to me this evening as I was coming here. She-What did you do? He-Passed the candy store without stopping.

RE ORD-BREAKERS.

There is a hotel in New York nearly quarter of a mile long.

"Aunt Jennie" Cameron, aged 112 years, it is said, died at Roxboro, N. C., the other day.

In New Zealand one may take 100 pounds of trout in a day with a minnow or thirty pounds with a fly.

A Craven county, Georgia, colored woman recently gave birth to a baby weighing, it is said, twenty-two A consignment of canvas-back ducks

from Chesapeake bay was sold readily in London at thirty-four shillings, about \$8.50 apiece. According to the annual report of

the New York state superintendent of instruction, there are forty-one log school-houses in that state.

The News, published in Cochran, Ga., is but little larger than an ordinary envelope, and claims to be the smallest weekly paper published in Georgia.

Last winter at Lenoir, N. C., a mule fell off a bridge into the river below, which was covered with a thick coating of ice. Mr. Mule disappeared beneath the ice, but in a short time his head was seen protruding some dis ance above where the ice was broken. By swimming, it is supposed, quite a distance under the ice, the animal had

A steel chimney has been built in Chicago which, it is said, is 350 feet high, with an outside diameter of nine feet five inches The steel varies in thickness from 5-32 inch at the top to three-eighths of an inch at the bottom. The lower seventy-five feet is lined with eight inches of fire brick, and above this the lining is of hollow tile, supported at intervals of twenty-five feet by angle iron riveted to the steel shell. The foundation is made of steel rails and one-beams laid in cement.

THE BUSINESS WORLD.

The town of Hammerfest, Norway, lately sent a cargo of frozen reindeer to Altona, Germany.

From the reports of the interstate commerce commission it appears that the number of miles of railroads in the United States is 168.402, or more than six times the circumference of the earth.

James Cassidy, of Curwensville, Pa. is one of many men who are devastating forests as rapidly as they can. His score of ti uber cut in twenty years is 240,000,000 feet. All of it was cut in one county-Clearfield - and floated down in the west branch of the Susquehanna.

The railroad mileage of Connecticut is greater according to the area than any country of Europe except Belgium. Delaware. Illinois, Iowa, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Ohio and Pennsylvania have, each of them, a larger trackage to the square mile than Germany.

When General Cornwallis surrendered in Yorktown his army of Englishinen consisted, according to military reports, of 7,247 soldiers and 840 sailors-8,087 in all. The number of loco otives now in use on American railways is 32, 139, or four times as many as Cornwallis' soldiers and sailors.

More passengers were carried on American railroads last year than there are men, women and children in Europe and N rth and South America. Fewer passengers were killed on all the railroads of the United States in a year than die from accidents in New York city alone, every three months, according to the figures of the board

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SIRE TO ENLIGHTEN THE PUBLIC.

The winter of 1884-85 was my first experience with rheumatism. I was traveling as a home missionary, and with great difficulty and suffering I reached my appointments. It was located in my hips and back. From that time to this year of grace, 1891, I have suffered more or less under the grip of that disease. About three years later, liver complaint, and the calomel taken to cure it, fastened upon the walls and organs of my chest, a rheumatic affection from which I was never wholly free, and at times even a breath was a cruelty. Yet, in a general way, my health has been as good, perhaps better than the average of men. During the last days of the late year, I

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omena for fifty years, and have seen its wonders in these directions, and, thus prepared, my attention was easily turned to its efficiency in controlling the nerves, muscles and motions of the living, as galvanism does those of the recent dead. I have no wish to undervalue any appliance which carries a real electric current from a genuine battery to human nerves with a gentle, a genial force; but I do wish to

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UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.

The Original Hut to Be Exhibited at the

Uncle Tom's cabin, the real cypress wood cabin, as the owner alleges, is to be exhibited at the Chicago World's fair. Its history is thus traced: The peo-ple about Nachitoches, La., have long nsisted that Robert McAlpin was the original Simon Legree. His house and plantation were the only ones on or near the Red river exactly fitting the descrip-tion in the book, and he the only man in the state who "filled the bill." He was Intemperate and merciless and died before the war, leaving a memory for brutality to his slaves that is even now mentioned with horror.



UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.

On his place lived a faithful negro, sold from Kentucky, who suffered everything but actual torture to death, and Mr. S. Chopin, the present wealthy owner of the estate, has preserved the cabin with great care in the confident belief that in time it would be an object of national curiosity.

The cabin is of cypress logs and covered with cypress boards and sound as when built some forty years ago. It is to be presumed that Mrs. Stowe used the novelist's privilege of combining the experience of several negroes in one, but simply as a relic of the old slave times the cabin will possess great interest.

World's Fair Sculptors.

The list of sculptors employed on the different World's fair buildings includes Daniel C. French, Lorado Taft, Richard W. Bock, Edward Kemeys, A. Phimlster Proctor, M. A. Waagen, Carl Rohl-Smith, Karl Bitter, Philip Martiny, John J. Boyle, F. D. Millet, Robert Kraus, Mrs. E. R. Copp. Mrs. Edward Kemeys and the Misses Alice L. Rideout, Carrie Brooks, Bessie O. Potter, Zulime Taft and Julia M. Bracken.

Classic Architecture at the Fair Grounds. The work of the artists on the buildings for the Chicago exposition was necessarily delayed, as most of it had to be done after the structures were completed, but it has made rapid progress under the direction of Mr. Frank D. Millet. This gentleman, by the way, is of original New England Puritan stock, and does not thank anybody for calling him Mil-lay or mixing him up in any



way with the noted French artist. Though but forty-five years old he is a veteran of the civil war, and began his art work with charcoal sketches while in the army. He selected the sculptors and artists for the separate details of work, and so far as completed the results surpass the most sanguine expectations.

As an illustration, the Agricultural building is here taken. The painted decorations thereon are by Mr. George W. Maynard, of New York, and the Pompeiian style has been adopted as most in accord with the architecture, which is classic. The main entrance is like that of an ancient heathen temple. On the right Cybele, mother of Zeus and Demeter (or Ceres, goddess of grain), is presented in her chariot drawn by young lions, and on the left is the latter's protege, King Triptolemus, to whom she gave a chariot drawn by winged dragons when she sent him forth to teach mankind the art of agriculture. The accompanying illustration is a detail showing Cybele in her chariot.

An Enterprising California Woman.

Mrs. Harriet W. R. Strong, of Whittier, Los Angeles county, Cal., is a woman of great enterprise. At the World's fair she will have two important exhibitions. One will be a "palace" twenty feet square, made entirely of pampas plumes. The other exhibit will consist of a working plant for a new system of irrigation, in which one dam is placed above the other. This will irrigate all of the orange and fruit orchards of the California state exhibit.

Swedish World's Fair Building. Among the minor structures of the Columbian exposition of 1893 the Swedish building, though small, will be conspicuous. As the plot granted for the purpose was triangular and contains but 17,800 square feet, the building will also



SWEDISH BUILDING.

be of that shape and cover but 12,000 square feet. The style will be that of the old Swedish cathedral, and the building will consist of a main floor and gallery having a south front of 164 feet, while above the center will rise a tower 200 feet in height. It will be of wood and shipped in parts from Sweden.

James Parton would not do harty work. He was methodical, patient, reg-ular and persistent, and in time he had become so able to control his mind that it responded to his will like the body to his mind. He did not tax himself to work out great feats within a short time, or if he was hard pressed he gave him-self rest as soon as the strain was over. He did not burn midnight oil, neither did he resort to wine or tobacco as stimulants to his brain. He was one of the most temperate men I have ever known. He kept his faculties every day as near as he could at their best, and life flowed on from day to day with an evenness and a quietness that made his home life not only pleasant for others, but beautiful in

His kabits were to breakfast about half past 7, then to work in his garden in the summer for an hour, and then to shut himself in his workroom, where he shut himself in his workround until for.

could be sure to be undisturbed until for.

New and novel things in millinery and that, in his later years, took a nap. Then trimmings at Mrs. Roberts. he was ready for callers or visits to friends, or for the reading which might be required for the work of the next day. After tea he was usually the companion of his family, hearing his wife or niece read aloud some book or magazine, and this was his daily round, unless broken in upon, month after month, year in and year out. ' He did not often go to Boston or New York or seek a large number of literary acquaintances, and yet he was never unsocial. He was the light and life of two clubs in Newburyport, and he was extremely fond of a good square talk, in which he was fired up to his utmost.-Rev. J. H. Ward in New England Magazine.

What Dog Stories Lack.

Presumably a wholly satisfactory dog story has yet to be written. It is rather strange that so faithful, so beloved, a friend and companion as the dog has always been to mankind should have so little, comparatively, written about him. When we come to consider that companionship and loyalty, we are compelled to set it down as a remarkable piece of ingratitude upon the part of man, not to made his friend the dog more of a figure in the literature of fiction. Mrs. Barbauld is said to have written the first dog story. We have never seen it. The story of Rab is of course familiar to all. Yet, however much of a classic it may have come to be recognized, it is at best fragmentary, and we must confess that we do not share that enthusiasm which is popularly expressed over it.

It can be taken for granted that nobody but a lover of the dog will write of the dog. The fault that we have to find with stories about dogs is their invariable lack of tenderness. When the dog comes to die, his biographer invariably dismisses that event with a casual "Poor old doggy! He has gone where good doggies go-the good old doggies' heaven." It is as if the biographer were ashamed to speak what his heart prompts; as if he were controlled by that same curious. awkward, wicked sense of pride which makes the simple fellow feign a snicker or a laugh during the progress of an emotional drama, at the very moment, too, when a lump is in his throat and his eyes are brimful of tears.-Chicago News-

She Got a Seat.

A very pretty girl stepped into a crowded car on the College avenue line. She belonged in the high school and wasn't in the habit of standing up. The car was full, but everybody else had a seat. Seven men held down the most available ones, and, strange to relate, not one of them appeared to be aware that a young woman was compelled to stand.

The pretty girl, with a quick glance of disgust about the car, took in the situation and blushed somewhat indignantly. She had a long distance to ride and couldn't cling gracefully to a strap. Two squares had been traveled when an idea took possession of her classical mind. Out came the miniature purse from the embroidered silk reticule, and the little hands fumbled among a few silver coins. A nickel dropped to the floor and rolled to the far end of the car. 'This is part of the plan, but it is executed dexterously, and the passengers pity her. She blushed and murmured, "How awkward of me." Unsteadily she started after the nickel, but seven men intercepted the movement and rushed to the point, as the artful maiden dropped into a comfortable seat with a sigh and deftly hid a roguish smile.

The 5-cent piece was tendered by a man who assumed her place at the strap. She thanked him and looked all innocence,-Indianapolis Journal.

The Question of Food and Drink. Fancy being confronted with the question, "What kind of food and drink do you prefer?" and only half of a rather narrow page in which to inscribe the answer. How could one answer such a question in such a space? for one's ideas as to food and drink vary so much with the hours of the day. Morning, tea or coffee very likely, with breakfast bacon or kidneys or fried sole or plain boiled eggs. But who wants boiled eggs and coffee at his luncheon? Then, again, dry champagne is generally a favorite drink at dinner, but we do not usually care for it at luncheon, and late at night most men have a preference for whisky and soda and would not care in the least for Pommery or Roederer. Then a man may have a strong liking for oysters, and also for olives, and how is he to get in all his opinions on these various questions of taste as to food and drink?—Exchange.

American Workingmen.

Nothing so much surprises Englishmen who visit this country as the dignity and good manners of American workingmen. An Englishman who found himself hard up in the far south and took to making orange boxes for a living declares that his fellow workers, mostly white mechanics, were all gentlemen. They saw that he had been accustomed to a different mode of life, but all forebore to ask embarrassing questions, and while none All orders given prompt attention and satisfac cringed before his evidences of former good fortune all were respectful of his superior education.—New York Sur.

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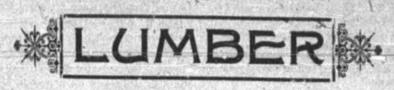
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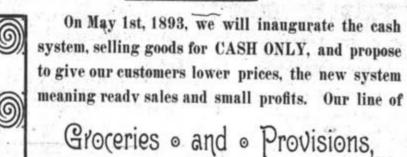
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Hard coal loses 8 per cent in bulk per an-um when exposed to the weather. Soft oal loses 12 per cent.

Electrotype reproductions of rare piece of silver, such as are found only in muse ums or valuable art collections, are among the latest fads of the aristocracy.

New Jersey that there is a move creet whipping posts for the punishm of the cowardly bullies who practice it.

A new law has just been passed in Austria relative to dueling. A principal will in future only be incarcerated for a term of six months. Seconds, doctors and all others concerned will be exempt from pun-

If the ivory trade increases at the present rate much longer, the elephant will soon become extinct. One firm alone in Sheffield, England, last year received the tusks of no fewer than 1,289 elephants. A few years ago 800 pairs of tusks were sufficient

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How to color dress goods red; Take an ounce of cochineal, an ounce of muriate of tin and a little cream of tartar dissolved in water enough to cover them. Boil the goods in this preparation for 10 minutes.

POWDER AND BALL

The swords of Toledo and Damason were so popular in the middle ages that they sold for their weight in gold.

The French military schools graduate about 650 efficers annually, and about the same number are lost by death, dismissal

The recruits for the British army are now required to stand 5 feet 4 inches in their stockings, measure 33 inches around their chests and weigh 130 pounds.

The execution of the Lebel rifle, now used by the French, is reported to be something wonderful as well as dreadful, as in Dahomey the bullets passed through forest trees and killed Dahomeyans behind them.

The mayor of Detroit finds after investigation that the American cities which own and operate their own electric light plants get their illumination, on the average, for ess than one-half of what it costs the cities which are lighted through contracts made with private companies.

POWDER AND BALL.

There are now 12,600 officers in the French

A new Japanese protected cruiser, the Yoshino built to be the fastest cruiser afloat, was launched recently.

From 18,000,000 to 20,000,000 men are killed in battle every century in Europe. Asia, and notably China, counts about the same number.

A study of a German map, on which is plotted the stations of the troops in its huge army, shows that the majority are so placed as to be conveniently moved in sections to the French frontier.

Successful experiments have been made in France relative to the introduction of telephones for use in warfare. The telephonists are organized in sets of two men, each set being provided with equipment for

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The Phenomena of Weeping Trees.

In the forests of Oregon, Washington, Montana and British Columbia there is a species of tree that has a continuous and copious dripping of pure, clear water from the ends of its leaves and branches. This extraordinary sight may be witnessed at all seasons when the leaves are on, and seems equally plentiful on clear, bright days as on damp, cloudy nights. The tree is a species of fir, and the "weeping" phenomenon is attributed to a remarkable power of condensation peculiar to the leaves and bark of this species of evergreen.

In the island of Ferro there are many species of "weeping trees." but in this latter case the "tears," appear to be most abundant when the relative humidity is near the dew point,-St. Louis Republic.

An Old, Old Hunting Story.

Baron Munchausen, when hunting for leer upon one occasion, encountered a magnificent animal, but found himself without shot. Speedily gathering to-gether a handful of cherry stones, he loaded his gun with them and fired at the deer, hitting him squarely between the eyes, not killing him, however. The deer man ged to escape, but some time later the baron encountered him again and was surprised to see a beautiful cherry tree growing out of the animal's forehead, covered with blossoms and fruit. It is suspected that the Baron Munchausen's story is not true.—Harber's Young People

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