

THE IRON PORT

TWENTY-FOURTH YEAR. ESCANABA, MICH., SATURDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 30, 1893. NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

POSTMASTER HARTNETT

AFTER MONTHS OF DELAY ESCANABA HAS A POST MASTER.

Citizens Generally Are Well Satisfied With the Appointment—Mr. Power is Still the Democratic Boss in this Neck-o'-Woods.

The fight is over and John M. Hartnett, as soon as he shall have made out and forwarded his bond, will become postmaster of Escanaba.

Delta County Apples.

Our friend Herman Johnson, of Hockley (Maple Ridge township), in town the day before yesterday, had with him and submitted for our consideration samples of what he has done towards the overthrow of the old idea that apples can not be grown successfully in this region.

Marshals Hunt shot boys. The officers of the law have been impressed upon the boys who have guns or they have not a correct idea of the "city limits" as they constantly violate the ordinance.

They've Got the Money.

Although neither the officers of the law nor of the press can announce there is reason to believe that the seventy thousand dollars taken by the men will be held up the train at Boston station has been "turned up."

What's Your Name?

The writer of an anonymous letter to Marshal Eberhart is constantly asked the question, and until it is answered no attention will be given to either the charges or the threats of the writer.

Prof. Legg at Newberry.

During the last week in August Prof. Legg conducted a teachers institute at Newberry, La. county.

ALIVE AND UNHARMED

THE BROTHERS COFFEE RODE OUT THE STORM SAFELY.

In Their Stout Mackinaw They Crossed the Lake to the South Fox and Were Brought Home By the Westcott.

As the Westcott, which plies between here and Elk Rapids, was on her trip last Sunday she was hailed in mid-lake by two men in a fishing boat who evidently needed assistance.

They were taken on board and their boat and nets secured and the Westcott steamed into Washington Harbor Sunday with all her bunting flying and blowing her horn to call out the islanders.

Among the Churches.

The usual services will be held at the Presbyterian church on Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

From Coast to Coast.

On Monday evening last the "Soo Line" train for the first time pulled out of Marquette for Purest Sound points.

Infantile, No Doubt.

A stench arising from under the plank walk on Mary street, between 4th and 5th streets attracted attention.

Female Painters.

A rather novel sight was witnessed at the corner of Wells avenue and Georgia street yesterday, a party of W. C. T. U. ladies taking it upon themselves to paint the window casings in the basement of their uncompleted building.

A Fire at Watersmeet.

Watersmeet caught it again Thursday morning. The barns in the rear of the Commercial house took fire just after midnight and were burned, of course, there was no water.

A Slim Business.

Capt. Eckerson, who was here on recruiting service, worked the state, from Monroe to Marquette, for six months about it, and gathered in only thirty-seven recruits.

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THE MANSFIELD MINE FLOODED AND TWENTY-EIGHT MEN DROWNED.

The Only Active Mine in the Crystal Falls Field Ruined by the Giving Way of the Hanging Wall Under the Michigan.

At about nine o'clock on Thursday evening last the Michigan river broke through into the workings of the Mansfield mine, which extended under it, and the whole volume of its waters flowed into the mine until it was filled. The opening in the river bottom was not less than fifty feet in diameter and the ground around it was undermined and shaken so that two buildings were carried down and others are imperiled. The mine is ruined as there is no way of freeing it of water except by changing the course of the river, a work involving a cost that can only be guessed at but which would be, no doubt, too great to be undertaken.

But the great loss by the cave in is that of the lives of the men of the night shift who were at work when the cave in occurred at the mine. A few, who were at a distance from where the water came in, kept ahead of it and came out safely, the rest are buried where it overtook them. The number of the lost was given, two hours after the occurrence, at thirty-five but later advised, by wire, place it at twenty-eight. The men were (as is just now the case in all the mines) heads of families and largely Cornishmen, and the conditions are such that it is impracticable to attempt the recovery of their bodies.

No disaster of equal magnitude has ever occurred in the Menominee region, the cave-in of the Keel Ridge mine, some years since, costing fewer lives by half and lacking the horror of the inrush of water, and the flooding of the Hamilton and Ludington properties being unaccompanied by any loss of life. There is now no active mine in the Crystal Falls field.

Latest Marine News. There is a heavy movement of flour from Lake Superior. The Great Northern line has 150,000 barrels at Superior and has chartered the steamer Selwyn Eddy for the remainder of the season. She has gone up light. It is hardly likely that even with five trips ahead it can all be moved before navigation closes. The Eddy will bring 32,000 barrels at a load. The Lehigh Valley wooden boats that have been laid up here for some time have loaded coal and will leave in a few days. The steamer Roebester which has been idle for some time will also load at once. These are the last of the vessels laid up at Buffalo on account of the dull freight market.

On Sept. 15th two small light vessels were placed to mark Lime Kiln Crossing, Detroit River. The vessels are flat bottom scows with trunk cabins. The hulls are painted white and marked with red letters on each side respectively, "Lime Kiln Crossing (south)" and "Lime Kiln Crossing (north)." The vessels each show one fixed white light from a lens suspended nineteen feet above the water from a crane on an upright rising three feet above a tripod. During thick or foggy weather a bell will be struck by hand.

Cleveland advices of the 27th were that ninety cents was paid on two or three boats to load iron ore at the head of Lake Superior and 60c was asked for Escanaba tonnage, but there was none placed.

Helping Matters Along. The young man had been courting the small boy's sister for a long time, but could get no definite answers to his proposals, and the s. b. thought it was high time for matters to come to a climax. One evening the young man had urged his suit more ardently than ever, and had again been discouraged. The small boy, hidden behind the screen, could stand it no longer, and as the lover asked for the hundredth time, "Mary, dear, will you marry me?" the boy called out in exact imitation of his sister's voice: "Yes, I will."

The sister started in great perplexity, and— It was all over. The young man had improved his opportunity, sealed his proposal, and Mary could get no chance to object. A chuckle caused them to turn, dismayed and there stood the small boy enjoying the scene. "said he, 'that might have 'ago,' and then he dis-

by. "if us blokes 't a been We A Classical B. champion slugger—Soy, eu. wred our business we would m at dis stage ur de game at all. ighter 'a lived in ainsubnt Edme. Less successful broiser—Aw, wot yer dinkin' 'er about, didn't yer wis twenty t'wenty-two weeks ago?" "Chert, we make de stuff all right, but we ain't got no social standin' like we 'ad be at home, fully restored to health."

What Has Been Gained? Parliament of Religions' has and adjourned and we it was called the same and a.

made de We... ed was already known, it was not... ary that the Mohammedan, the... doo and Buddhist should come from the other side of the world to establish that point; what else has been shown? To one who has no prejudice it looks like a gigantic fake.

Business is Improving. Marine business, which was naturally affected in the most serious way by the recent financial panic, has recovered, with the exception, of the lumber trade, and even in that there are signs of improvement. Yesterday there was a pronounced boom in both grain and iron ore carrying. For several weeks iron ore has been carried from Duluth to Lake Erie ports at sixty-five cents per ton, and at forty-five cents from Escanaba to Lake Erie. At one jump the Lake Superior rate went to \$1 and Escanaba to 70 cents. Grain began moving in larger volume than since the opening of navigation.

Vessel charters yesterday at Chicago were for over 1,500,000 bushels, the heaviest day's business in years. Instead of getting one cent a bushel for wheat and corn, as the boats did during July and August, they were paid 2 1/2 cents for wheat and 2 1/4 cents for corn to Buffalo. Wheat began moving freely from Duluth and coal shipments for the week from Buffalo will doubtless be the heaviest of the season. At the height of the panic from one-third to one-half of the lake boats were put into ordinary, simply because there was nothing for them to carry. One after another they have again gone in service, until there are now comparatively few craft not in commission. "While we do not expect any boom for the rest of the season," a Chicago vessel owner said yesterday, "our boats are now paying a profit instead of running at a loss. It will be impossible to make in two months all we had hoped to make during the eighth month of navigation, nevertheless the showing at the close of the season will be far more favorable than anyone would have been brave enough to have predicted three weeks ago."—Inter Ocean 29th.

Fire at Marquette. Fire broke out at 8:45 Thursday evening in the boiler-room of the Marquette opera-house, in the third story of which the Masonic temple is situated. About 100 Mystic Shriners had gathered from all over the peninsula and there was a large delegation from Grand Rapids to assist in the institution of Ahmed temple. The ceremonies were about to begin when the fire was discovered. The blaze was hard to reach, and the smoke was thick in the building before the firemen got it under control. The excitement was all over and the fire out within an hour, and the shriners resumed their ceremonies. Hollstrom & Co.'s dry goods stock on the ground floor was damaged by smoke, and the building was damaged about \$1,000 by fire. All losses are fully covered by insurance.

Missed It This Time. On Thursday last John Brandt, who lives in Bay de Noc township, having completed his purchases, betook himself to his boat, a skiff, and started across the bay. Among those purchases was a quantity of alcohol a portion of which was contained in a jug and a portion under John's girdle, and the latter was what made mischief. Before he had gone a quarter of a mile he lost an oar and in reaching with another to recover it he lost his balance and tumbled into the drink, but was able to regain the boat and scramble into it. In doing so, however, the boat was half filled and again Brandt went overboard and that time the skiff was capsized and his guns, traps and jug dumped into the bay and lost. For a time it was an even bet that Brandt would go with them but he succeeded in getting on top and in staying there until Capt. Shipman ran the Allie alongside and picked him up. Lucky for him that he got no further before capsizing; had it occurred at the same distance from the other shore there would no doubt have been a case for the coroner. He missed Davy Jones' locker this time but he has only to keep up his gait, and he'll make it, sooner or later. Walt Morton went out and towed his skiff ashore. Brandt asks no to express his gratitude to Capt. Shipman, for saving his life.

"Dorothy" To-Night. Of the comic opera "Dorothy", which will be presented at Peterson's opera house this evening, and of the Andrews Opera company, a Marinette contemporary says: "Dorothy" is one of the most favored of comic operas, was written by Alfred Cellier who also composed that ingenious play 'The Mountebanks' which has enjoyed long runs at the leading theaters of the large cities. 'Dorothy' will be presented in an inimitable style by a troupe of trained and experienced histrionic artists. If tickets have not yet been purchased get a couple in a hurry for one can't afford to miss the Andrews Opera company."

Successful Capital Operation. Dr. Long returned from Chicago yesterday whether he had accompanied a patient, B. Leighton. The case was a wife and the operation—ovariotomy—performed at the Chicago hospital and was entirely successful. Leighton will soon be at home, fully restored to health.

Corona Shoal Lightship. The lightship to mark the Corona and Eleven-foot shoals will leave Detroit next Tuesday and be in its position three days later. It will be anchored on the Corona shoal, which is a short distance east of the Eleven-foot shoal, and will show the kind of a light as those on Poe's and the foot of Lake Huron.

W. C. T. U. Matters. Next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock the W. C. T. U. will hold a temperance prayer-meeting in the Methodist church. All the ministers are invited to participate, and a cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend. The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Saturday afternoon, Oct 7th, at the home of Mrs. Henry McFall. All members are requested to be present as committees must be appointed and arrangements made for the coming District W. C. T. U. convention.

A Very General Error. Not only this paper but others, all over the country, fall into error of supposing that the Russell just nominated for governor of Massachusetts was the one who had already, three times, been chosen governor by the combined democratic and mugwump vote. It was error, though; the outgoing governor is Wm. E., the candidate is John E. Russell.

Take Notice. City Clerk's Office, City of Escanaba, Sept. 15, 1893. Notice is hereby given that sealed bids, for the purchase of five thousand dollars of bonds of the city of Escanaba, redeemable ten years from date, bearing interest at six per cent per annum, payable annually, principal and interest payable in gold or its equivalent, will be received at the city clerk's office, up to noon of Tuesday, October 3rd, next, for submission to the city council. The city council reserves the right to reject any or all bids. All proposals inclosed and sealed, should be addressed to: HENRY WILKE, City Clerk, Escanaba, Michigan.

Low Rates to the World's Fair. Now is the time to visit the World's Fair. The North-Western Line is selling excursion tickets at exceedingly low rates. These tickets accord holders all first-class privileges, and are good for return passage within thirty days from date of sale. Fast train service and elegant accommodations. For tickets and full information apply to Agents Chicago & North-Western R'y. 37

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NEWS CONDENSATIONS

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.

Ives beat Roberts easy. His average was 19%. The score stood Ives 6,000, Roberts 5,808.

The police of Chicago has made a census of the unemployed and finds 75,000 skilled laborers idle.

At 10.30 Saturday night two men entered a saloon in the heart of Chicago, held up the inmates, robbed them and the cash register and escaped unidentified.

Eastern members of congress will try to get even with Western members by cutting down mileage about seventy-five per cent.

Abram Wiley shot his wife, at Petoskey, and was himself shot by a man named Silk. Wiley is dead and the woman will die.

A Kentuckian named Wherritt went crazy in a car of the Ferris' wheel and tried to jump out.

An anarchist uprising was discovered at Vienna just in time to prevent it. The gang had full outfit of arms and bombs.

England has a little war on her hands, with a South African tribe whose country has gold fields.

C. J. Blackman has been appointed postmaster at Hancock.

The Haytian war ship Petion sunk, with all on board, on the 6th. No particulars.

Two chaps attempted to rob the Indiana normal school, at Valparaiso. One was killed and the other wounded and captured.

The Merlin, of Green Bay, beat the fleet of Chicago yachts last Saturday. It was blowing half a gale, and she is a heavy-weather boat.

Purcell's malt house, at Chicago, burned last Saturday evening. An explosion took place and eleven firemen and workmen were hurt, none fatally.

An attempt by an anarchist to kill Martinez-Campos, the commander in chief of the armies of Spain, last Sunday, was unsuccessful; the general was wounded by a bomb which killed his horse but will recover.

Talmadge plans and announces a "great international jubilee" to come off at Christmas, 1900.

A sailors' (non-union) boarding house at San Francisco was blown up with dynamite Sunday and six men killed.

Secretary Gresham was in Chicago from Thursday until Monday, did not see the Fair, and says that his visit "has no political significance, which is hard to believe."

Eleven killed and twenty-seven injured was the brief chronicle of a collision at Kingsbury, Ind., between a passenger and a freight train on the 22d.

The Valkyrie got a bad pounding by the sea but got through safe and will be ready for the race next week.

An attempt to hold up and rob a train at St. Joseph, Mo., was betrayed and the robbers got bullets instead of boddle. Two were killed and three captured.

The Wisconsin Central company has got its road again and has removed its offices from Chicago to Milwaukee.

Argentina, as well as Brazil, has a revolution in progress.

A Russian steamer, the Alphonse Zevcke, was burned in the Pacific and sixty lives were lost.

At Cerritos, state of San Luis Potosi, Mexico, while a bull fight was in progress, the bull killed the matador and charged the spectators, goring several of them.

A young Englishman named Stevens drowned himself for love of an American actress, Helen Kirby.

Hoksmith whines—lays the suspension order to Loehren. Too thin.

The volcano of Colima, Mexico, is in eruption.

The Michigan Central now arms the men on trains which carry express runs.

Nelson Kunev, of Adrian, tried to kill his sweetheart, Maud Brainerd, and did kill himself. Miss Brainerd died afterward, of the nervous shock.

St. Joseph, Mo., lost a round million by fire on Sunday last.

Shanks, lord-mayor of Dublin, is in Chicago and heard from; he has no paralysis of the vocal organs.

Solly Smith wasn't in it; the darkey, Dixon, put him to sleep in the seventh round.

An ex-priest named Leyden was billed to speak at St. Paul and fool Catholics were ready to mob him when the police shut off the whole business.

John M. Washburn, treasurer, has been skinning the Old Colony railroad company and has just been found out. The company loses about one hundred thousand less what can be made off Washburn's bondsmen.

Diphtheria is epidemic in Bay City.

The loss by the failure of the Guaranty company, of Minneapolis, will reach seven or eight millions.

Impeachment proceedings against President Cleveland are threatened by the "silver senators."

Dave Hill has corralled the democratic party in New York once more. All the members of the next democratic party

committee, except possibly two, will be Hill democrats.

A crazy man stood in the gallery of the Chicago board of trade on Wednesday and emptied his gun at the people on 2d floor. He got three, two men and a woman, but none will die.

A Chicago & Grand Trunk train was smashed by a collision at Bellevue, Mich., on the 27th. Two passengers were killed three others wounded.

Wednesday was "Indiana day" at the White City and for the day, the Hoosiers owned it.

Massachusetts democrats renominated John E. Russell for governor.

At last the "parliament of religions" is over.

The village of Coral, Mich., was burned Tuesday morning.

The "Soo line" sues the builders of the Pillsbury and Washburn. The boats are not up to the guaranty.

One Stothart, a protestant, killed his catholic wife and then himself, at Pittsburgh, on the 26th.

Lewis, "the strangler", won the match with Miller, the big German.

The American Express Co. divided \$2,000 among the men who stood off the robbers at Centralia.

A bill to admit New Mexico as a state was introduced by Senator Faulkner on Tuesday.

James K. Ryan gets the postoffice at the Soo.

The long fight over the wage rate in the Cour d'Alene is settled by a compromise and work has been resumed.

The war ships bombarded Rio again last Sunday.

Mr. Secretary Carlisle has this month bought less than 200,000 ounces of silver instead of the 450,000 required by law.

Bismarck is worse—probably dying.

The United States is again negotiating for the Mole St. Nicholas, Haiti, for a naval station.

Scripture reading and prayer offerings have been abolished in the public schools at Calumet on the orders of the superintendent.

We Must Put a Stop to It.

The plot to blow up the Austrian reichsrath with dynamite, lately discovered and frustrated had its inception in the United States. A dispatch from Vienna, dated the 28th, concludes with this paragraph:

"Now comes, so far as the United States is concerned, the strangest part of the whole conspiracy. The Associated Press has already announced that the bombs of the Vienna anarchists were manufactured according to the formula approved by John Most of New York. This is not all; the police of this city insist and claim to be able to prove their assertion, that the anarchists engaged in the terrible conspiracy against the city of Vienna were connected with the anarchists of Chicago. This is not a police theory, the authorities say, but the connection of the anarchists of Chicago with those of this city they insist has been fully established beyond any doubt. Correspondence between the anarchists here and those at Chicago is said to be in the hands of the Austrian police who, it would seem, must have communicated with the police of Chicago on the subject."

Another Failure.

From Connellsville, Pa., comes a report that an attempt was frustrated to hold up the midnight express on the Baltimore and Ohio railway shortly after the train left McKeesport. The report is denied by the officials but there was considerable excitement on the train when it arrived about half an hour late. One passenger said that soon after the train pulled out of McKeesport and had attained a pretty fair speed it was suddenly stopped, the train men rushed to the front and kept the passengers back in the cars. It is supposed that a band of would-be robbers failed to carry out their part of the work and those who stopped the train made good their escape. The train last night was a heavy one and filled with passengers returning from Chicago. In the express car there was \$62,000 in cash. It was rumored here at noon that the railroad officials got wind of the proposed robbery and sent out a dozen officers all heavily armed on a freight train ahead of the express. A gang of strange men were at Elrods all evening but after the arrival of the officers they suddenly disappeared.

The Cleveland Outlook.

The Iron Trade Review this week says: The signs of improvement in the iron market noted in the past three weeks continue to increase, but at the same careful pace. In raw iron there has been somewhat freer trading in western markets. Chicago reports what some dealers regard as the beginning of a general better movement and the change from the car-lot and 100 ton orders of the summer is a welcome one. The principal southern sellers are making an effort in the direction of better prices and on some grades an advance in quotations ranging from twenty-five to seventy-five cents has been made. The curtailment of furnace output is beginning to tell and there are predictions that the October report of stocks will show little if any increase. Among the mills there are more resurrections in prospect and the scramble for business is apparent in the extremely low prices. In soft steel there is no improvement; billet makers find no tone to the market. In steel rails there is no improvement but some better prospects for orders are reported, the contingency being a continued improvement.

The Model will slaughter goods for

ABOUT TOWN.

Frank Milligan, who was connected with the Marquette & Western road under Supt. Mc Cool, arrived in the county Wednesday morning to engage a large number of miners to work in an Illinois coal mine of which he is the superintendent. It is safe to say that he will have no difficulty in securing men, if he can offer them living pay.—Herald, Negaunee.

Kratze has a store full of low-priced fall and winter goods.

The school census recently taken gives 1,960 persons of school age in Negaunee school district No. 1, which embraces the city entire—983 girls and 977 boys. This is just four more than were returned last year.

The Model has a special sale on boys' knee pants.

J. W. Kinsel, of Rapid River, was in town this morning.

Boys' Suits of all kinds at Kratze's Give him a call.

The pay car was here Friday. Although there is no market for its product at present, our furniture factory continues to turn out goods.

The telegraphic department of the Escanaba Business College will open next Monday.

Evening school begins next Monday at the Escanaba Business College—five evenings each week.

The Model carries a largestock of overcoats and ulsters.

Don't forget the special sale at the Model Saturday, Monday and Tuesday next.

There will be a special meeting of R. C. Hatheway chapter next Tuesday evening. Officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

Comforters down to 50 cents at Kratze's special sale.

Geo. Brickley has opened a livery in the New Ludington House stable.

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The Model has only one price to all.

Since it disposed of the Cochrane Roller Mills property the Business Men's Association seems to have gone into desuetude.

Our Douman street neighbor pleads for toleration in religious matters—there is no election at hand.

Gagnon's fruit and other goods now at 702 Ludington street.

The appointment of Mr. Hartnett went through the senate all right and he has but to make his bonds and take his place.

"With the slump in business at the post-office it is doubtful if the free delivery service will be continued after the present fiscal year," so says the Iron Mountain Journal.

Kratze has the latest styles in Men's fall and winter overcoats. Examine them before buying.

One lot of children's shoes, 9 to 12, at 80 cents, at Kratze's.

Wixson wants a light wagon.

Population of the Earth.

The human family living on earth today consists of about 1,450,000,000 souls—not fewer, probably more. These are distributed literally all over the earth's surface, there being no considerable spot on the globe where man has not found a foothold. In Asia, the so-called "cradle of the human race," there are now about 800,000,000 people densely crowded, an average of about 120 to every square mile. In Europe there are 320,000,000, averaging 100 to the square mile, not so crowded as Asia, but everywhere dense, and in many places overpopulated. In Africa there are, approximately, 210,000,000, and in the Americas—North, South and Central—110,000,000, these latter, of course, relatively thinly scattered over broad areas. On the islands, large and small, there are probably 10,000,000 more. The extremes of the blacks and the whites are as five to three, the remaining 700,000,000 intermediate, brown, yellow, and tawny color. Of the entire race 500,000,000 are well clothed—that is they wear garments of some kind that will cover nakedness—250,000,000 habitually go naked, and 700,000,000 only cover the middle part of the body: 500,000,000 live in houses, 700,000,000 in huts and caves, the remaining 250,000,000 virtually having no place to lay their heads.

The City Council.

The council held a meeting last night in pursuance of Sec. 8, of Chap. XXVI, of the charter and figured out the probable income of the city during the coming year and apportioned it among the several funds. The income from the tax on the trade in liquors was estimated at half that of the current year and the appropriations were made in view of that reduction. The council also authorized the issue of the "park bonds"—\$20,000—to complete the deal for the Cochrane-Roller Mills property. We have not the figures of the several appropriations, but the aggregate was about \$35,000.

The Epworth League.

The Epworth League devotional meeting will be held in the lecture room of the Methodist church Sunday evening at 6.30. Subject, "The Fruits of Faith." Leader, C. H. Cretors. All will be made welcome.

The monthly business meeting of the league will be held in the lecture room Monday evening, Oct. 1, at 7.30. Some very important business will be transacted—and we wish that all members and friends of the league would be present.

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Not Congress, nor what it is doing or not doing, is to be credited with the improvement in the condition of the finances. A large measure of the recent and very noticeable relief to the financial stringency is due to a cause which perhaps most people have not duly considered. It is due in no small degree to the pension disbursements for the present quarter. These disbursements have thrown into active circulation many millions of dollars. The effect could not be otherwise than alleviating to the stringency. This money, instead of being "wasted on pensioners," as some are pleased to put it, is the soldiers' money coming back to the people through the soldiers' hands. It is new life blood in the arteries of commerce, just the same as if it had come from any other source.

As we have said before, if this vast amount of money had to go out of the country to pay for the products of foreign labor, the stringency, instead of being relieved, would be just that much more in need of relief. The great bulk of it, however, is disbursed at home and kept in active circulation among our own people. Instead of flowing away the people's money, it is redistributing among the people the soldiers' money.—Detroit Journal.

The great show can be seen at a very moderate cost. The Hotel, on one thither and furnishes board and lodging for seven or eight days for only \$15, and we clip the following as to how other manage it: The stringency of the times is economical is amusing and at the same time admirable. Two visitors come along and want to live at the very lowest cost. In the first place they must be man and wife to work the proper combination. They get a gas stove thrown in with the \$1.50 a day which they agree to pay for their room. For ten cents in the morning the husband buys a couple of eggs, and the wife poaches eggs. That is their start, and with this beginning they camp out in that room for a week. Aside from their admissions and the \$1.50 per day for the room, they are spending but little more than at home. These temporary hotels and rooming places are forced to tolerate this as they want every cent they can get. This camping out in these big cadaverous looking buildings is most noteworthy in that it shows that people of slender means recognize the importance of the fair and have enough grit and ingenuity to find a way to see it.

Stopping a dam leak by the boring and ramming process has been tried at Sault Ste. Marie canal by Col. O. M. Poe. The crevice in the rock was first found and measured. It was nearly thirty feet below the top of the clay wall, and more than twenty-six feet below the level of the water in the canal. It was not possible to excavate down to it, so it had to be stopped by "stock ramming." This consists of driving a tube of requisite diameter to such depth that its lower end will be at the point where it is desired to deposit the clay or other impervious material, and then forcing such material through it in such quantities as may be necessary. An iron rod is used as a piston, and driven down by a pile driver, the clay with which the pipe has been filled being forced out at the lower end. When the piston has reached the lower end of the pipe it is withdrawn, the pipe again charged with clay and the ramming process repeated, until the clay rammed in forces upward the whole column of clay above it.—Iron Trade Review.

The furnaces are not idle for want of ore. The Iron Trade Review of

made de W. chewer performance was a mug stood in. ports this season make the total 9,000,000 tons. An exceedingly low estimate of the amount that will come to Lake Erie ports would be 4,000,000 tons; as a matter of fact nearly 3,500,000 tons have already been received. Adding 1,000,000 to what was on dock last spring gives a total of 6,005,797 tons, or within a few tons of the largest year's consumption of ores by the furnaces supplied from the Lake Superior region.

Ohio iron-masters decline Mr. Swank's invitation to go before the ways and means committee. They say: "As you know, we have in previous years gone to Washington and appeared before the ways and means committee when it seemed proper to do so. We do not feel that this is appreciated by the working classes, and they do not seem to understand that what has been done in the way of tariff legislation has been in their interest. On the contrary, it would appear from the votes at the last presidential election that the employes considered their interest adverse to that of their employers, and from our standpoint voted against what we believe to be their best interest. The truth is that ninety per cent of the cost of the manufacture of iron and steel is labor, and if free trade or lower tariff is coming, the workmen alone will suffer. If the labor unions and labor organizations would take this matter in hand of their own volition, go to Washington and appear before the committee, it might be productive of good."

Mr. Wilson's committee hears from others besides capitalists in protest against the abandonment of protection. Lately the wage earner's interest in the tariff was shown by the statements of President Garland and Secretary Kirtland, of the Amalgamated Association; of John Goehring, boss roller in Painter's mill, Pittsburg; Wm. Weitzell, a tin plate roller from Ohio; George B. Ivens and Charles Kaufman, of Bridgeport, O.; Philip Hagan, Youngstown, O. President Garland declared that he knew, the committee knew and the country knew that if the tariff were reduced the wage workers would be the sufferers. Labor always had to suffer when there was a reduction of profits.

The old issues, which we thought the struggle of 1861-5 had settled for all time, come to the front again as soon as the democracy is in power. The attack upon the federal election law is but a reassertion of the Calhoun doctrine of the supremacy of the state. Perhaps it may meet with temporary success, the time is favorable, but the final result is not to be doubted; the blood and treasure of the loyal north was not shed and spent in vain.

A report that the United States had failed to float a loan of fifty millions, in Europe, at three and one-half per cent, is denied in toto by Secretary Carlisle. He said that he was unaware that any such negotiation was pending, but he started for the white house as soon as he saw the dispatch from London which was the foundation of the report. Perhaps he thought Grover had been doing it "unbeknownst."

An experiment to determine the compressibility of steel showed that steel columns capable of sustaining a load of 200,000 pounds without permanent deformation were sufficiently compressed by a load of only one pound to break an electric contact. The experiment was interesting not only for that fact but for the delicate measurement involved—the compression was but the 1,400,000th part of an inch.

The mayor of Roanoke, Virginia, has been complimented by the press everywhere for the resistance made to the mob. He did not deserve the praise; the captain of the militia company was the man who made the resistance, and the mayor sent him and his men home the following day and the mob had its own way.

Here's the sort of a tariff proposed by the "reformers." Two hundred million dollars of revenue can be got

as far as possible tea sugar, and was also necessary and fifty millions of annual revenue can be got off Whisky and tobacco. Fifty millions can be got off a well regulated income tax, adjusted so as in no way to vex the poor, but to come from those who are abundantly able to pay it.

Four hundred millions ought to be enough under an honest administration of the government to cover the public expenditure; but if more is required, increase the internal tax on whisky and tobacco and stretch the income tax.

The poor devil of a brakeman who left a switch in a wrong position at Kingsbury and so brought about a collision and the death of twenty people, has been placed in arrest and will doubtless be tried for manslaughter, for it is thus that the public tries to guard itself against the results of its own folly in demanding a rate of speed inconsistent with safety. So far as the facts are given there is no evidence that he was blamable; it appears, at the worst, that he "lost his head," and for that he is to be pitied, not blamed. Brakemen—trainmen of all grades—are but half-paid, and are constantly over worked, and a momentary loss of self-command in an emergency is not to be wondered at; the wonder is that they fall so seldom.

It may come about, in time, that the public will understand this and that legislators will take cognizance of the fact; when they do we shall see the acts which make unfortunate men technically criminal promptly wiped off the statute books and others substituted the purpose of which will be not to punish but to prevent. Trainmen should never be overworked, should not be allowed to overwork themselves in order to turn in a big mileage at the end of the month; they should have a life tenure of their work (conditioned of course on good service) and a pension when worn out or disabled, to go to their families if they are killed. There are many other points to be covered, of course, but these are in the direction of a better force and are prime. Then too, the public must be taught that the demand it makes involves heavy cost, and that if it will have high speed it must pay for it, in cash as well as in risk.

Geo. H. Ely, of Cleveland, in an exhaustive plea before the Wilson committee for the retention of the import duty on iron ore, said: "Crude materials, including iron ore, are on the free list in the tariff schedules of Great Britain, France and Germany, because these countries have an insufficient domestic supply. Each of these countries imports iron ore, but the importation here of this theory from the British system, and its application to a continent abounding with undeveloped mineral treasures, is plainly an economic absurdity." The whole free trade idea is "an economic absurdity," but the democracy is pledged to it.

"It is no disparagement to any other president and his family to say that Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland and their family occupy a larger place in the affections of the people, without regard to politics, than was ever attained by any previous occupants of the White House." So says the Menominee Democrat, and if it makes life any easier for Menominee democrats to accept the statement as truthful, we are content, but the truth is, on the contrary, that no occupant of the presidency ever had so small a place in the affection of the people except John Tyler.

A local paper says: "Iron county is overrun with farmer hunters from Indiana and Ohio, and if the game warden is onto his job he will arrest the whole gang. There is not a genuine sportsman in the crowd, and a good idea of their calibre may be gained from the fact that they live on salt pork, brought from home, and sell the venison." Go for them.

Menominee democrats kick, sort of easy, because Grover does not dish out the pay. The republican postmaster still handles their letters and (what hurts) draws the pay. The Democrat says: "When Grover gets over celebrating the advent of that girl into the White House no

doubt he will give Menominee a moment of his valuable time. He ought to at least. Menominee Democrats gave him a good deal of attention in times past and all we ask of him in return is the appointment of a postmaster." Send your man to Marquette to square himself with the "referee."

The price of Bessemer pig iron in England on Thursday, Sept. 14, was \$11.02 free aboard vessel; in Pittsburgh the price of the same quality of pig was \$11.50. Steel billets on the same date sold in England at \$20.02, while the price here for billets of the same size and quality was \$19.50. These figures can be verified by reference to any of the trade reports dealing with such matters, yet the book men insist that "the tariff is a tax" and is paid by the consumer.

The nomination of Van Alen as Ambassador to Italy disgusts even the democrats. The World says: "It will interest Americans to learn what sort of a bargain they got when they traded the post of American ambassador to Italy for J. J. Van Alen and \$50,000." A thing that rags the World must be very nasty. When the nomination comes before the senate for confirmation Dave Hill will get in his work.

Clapp & Co.'s "Weekly Market Letter" for Sept. 22d has the following curt delivery of opinion as to the aggregation of wind-jammers at the national capital: "If the lawmakers would return home, and stay there, general business would boom, credit again command par, and silver and wheat advance." The American people are in sympathy with Messrs. Clapp.

The fellows who attempted to rob the safe of the Indiana normal school were shot by a farmer who was coming to town with eighteen baskets of peaches. After the row was over his peaches were sold at auction and brought him over a thousand dollars. The principal of the school bought the first at \$100. Peaches and pluck bring good prices.

Senator Stewart and his colleagues who oppose the repeal of the silver purchase law unless the act provides for the coinage of silver are no longer acting entirely on the defensive. Last Saturday the senator took the offensive by a resolution attacking the president for his endeavor to coerce the legislative department of the government.

Republican slate-makers are writing "Reed" and "Alger" already. They are too previous; if the Ohio election results as we hope and believe it will the next republican nominating convention will hear but one name, that of Wm. McKinley, but there's the "if." Wait a bit.

"Tariff reformers" contradict each other; the true idea, held by such men as Wilson, is to make a tariff which shall be entirely non-protective, to collect revenue from non-competitive articles, but the eastern democrats insist on "incidental protection."

A Hoosier postmaster is said to have tried to bribe his congressman—Bretz—to leave him in possession, and the congressman is mad about it. Don't wonder; the p. m. only offered fifteen dollars.

Miss Pollard tells a very straight story and unless Mr. Breckenridge can controvert it by evidence he should never show his face among honorable men again.

The Russian war ship Pousalka has gone down, with ten officers and 150 men, in the gulf of Finland. Those armored ships do not stand heavy weather well.

The house committee on banking makes one good suggestion—that officers of national banks shall be prohibited from borrowing from their own banks.

The people have "discounted" the work of the democracy and that, and that only, is the cause of the "hard times."

The Corbett-Mitchell match is made. The fight is to come off at Coney Island Dec. 18.

"There is too much hurrah about this latest Missabe boom," says the Marine Review.

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SUGARS: We do not sell below cost and make good the loss by overcharging you for some other article, but we get only a living profit, and you get 16 oz. to the pound.

SPICES: In this line we handle the best goods that money will buy and sell them at prices you generally pay for inferior grades. Every housekeeper should try them.

CANNED GOODS are to be found in great variety. Our stock is unquestionably the best in the city, taking quality into account. Having purchased a large stock of Standard canned corn and tomatoes we have special drives to offer, and invite you to get prices.

BARGAINS In every department. We have just received a large invoice of shore mess mackerel at 12 1/2 cents each. Other dealers ask 20 cents for similar quality. We offer many other goods too numerous to mention at equally low prices.

People who are in the habit of sending outside for goods would prefer to leave their money at home, we know, could they do as well. Come and see us with the cash, and buy in the same quantity and we will match price and quality.

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CONCERNING THE MOVEMENTS OF OUR OWN AND OTHER PEOPLE.

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

Miss Lucy Peckham, who has conducted a kindergarten school in this city the past summer with such great efficiency...

Marriage licenses have been issued for Gustaf Matson of Ford River and Amanda Redden of Escanaba...

Mr. Bunn, who has been here for two months at Mt. Clemens, returned here Thursday and will finish his work on the directory.

Chas. Brunberg and family arrived in this city from Harnosand, Sweden, last week. Mrs. Brunberg is a sister of Chas. Beck.

A. S. Rowell, who had attended the annual conference of the M. E. church at Detroit, returned home on Wednesday last.

A. L. Wakefield, business manager of the Andrews Opera company was in town Tuesday, and called upon The Iron Port.

J. J. Sourwine and Harry Board attended the Youngquist-Gustafson wedding at Ishpeming on Wednesday.

Messrs. Ulysses and George Van Winkle, with their families, passed homeward from the World's Fair on Tuesday.

Mr. L. Van Winkle and wife and Mr. J. B. Van Winkle passed through town on way home from the exposition.

Mr. Wm. Pillsbury and daughter, of Wentworth, N. H., are in the city, guests in the family of M. W. Pillsbury.

"Doc" Allison, late landlord at The Oliver, is conductor, on a Illinois Central train, running out of Chicago.

The sons of Thomas Coffee passed through town, returning to their work at Rhineland, last Tuesday.

A. W. Priest, of Kaukauna, Wis., was in town Tuesday. He is buying pulp wood in this vicinity.

Ed. Dinneen has been "under the weather" during the past few days, as has also Dr. F. I. Phillips.

Clayton Vorhis, of Gladstone, in town on Thursday, paid us a brief but very welcome visit.

Mr. Sam Stollie and Annie Tolan were married at St. Joseph's church Wednesday morning.

UPPER MICHIGAN NEWS

THE LIBERAL SCISSORING OF CHANGES FOR PORT READERS.

The Exchange Editor Profits From Careful Perusal of the Newspapers Published in this Peninsula.

Houghton county people (the Progress knows) "don't care a button whether the American Express Company ever recovers a dollar of its money or not."

It was an Alger county man, and the Republican tells the story. Bert of his gun on the ground—hand over the muzzle—gun went off—bullet made a hole in his hand, another in his nose and a third in his hat brim.

The Range Tribune says: "Recent developments in Milwaukee would indicate that the Milwaukee arrangements for his plans to regain possession of the Chapin mine at an early day, and it is the general opinion here that he will succeed in doing so."

Berlowitz store at the Dunn place near Crystal Falls, was robbed last week. Loss about \$400. The Drill says the gardens and potato patches in that vicinity are raided nightly and that chicken coops suffer in the way.

Shortly after one o'clock Saturday morning the Cleveland House, Grover, was discovered to be on fire. The flames spread so rapidly that the inmates of the house had but little time to escape.

Professor Vaughan condemns the Ne-gaunee water supply—Tee lake water—says it is not fit to drink because it "contains a pathogenic germ."

The Nester estate will build a logging railroad from Sildan to Sturgeon river, a distance of twelve miles, to reach a body of pine that has been burnt over, and will have to be put in or spoil.

Norway people are of the opinion that John C. Lind has committed suicide. They argue that had John intended to "slope" he could have gotten away with considerably more than he did.

Henry Hoffenbecker and John McMahon were drowned in Marquette harbor Sunday morning. Both were employees of the South Shore road and good men.

The pumps have been taken out of the Cliffs shaft, and the mine is filling with water. The management has little hope of resumption under a year.

Frank Folgersaenger, an employe of Moore & Clark, of the Soo, mysteriously disappeared one day last week and no trace can be found of him.

The tug Mystic, one of the oldest and best known tugs on the Soo river, burnt to the water's edge near Emerson, Wednesday.

Charles Hansen, a Baraga county homesteader, has been bonning, hard, is missing, and supposed to be dead in the woods.

The business men who suffered by the fire at Muskegon are getting into temporary quarters and opening out again.

Norway thieves are too mean to be allowed to live; they robbed Joseph Sullivan, the blind candy seller, last week.

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Red Apples Won the Race.

Two large apple trees stand side by side in an orchard not far from Sydney. On one hung fruit which looked like balls of gold in the sunlight. The apples on the neighboring tree were a bright red. One day the owner of the orchard sent his men to pick the fruit. It was to be sent to the World's fair, and he followed them out among the trees to see that the work was properly done. When at last the apples were packed in the barrels, the fruitgrower decided that those two barrels should separate in the orchard and not meet again until on the exhibition table in the Horticultural building at the fair. The red apples were to go east, and the yellow apples were to go west.

The golden fruit was loaded into a steamer and started toward the Suez canal, while the red fruit was started the same day in a vessel across the Pacific ocean. The fruit grower marked "No delay. Perishable goods," conspicuously on each barrel. He wanted to ascertain which was the quickest route to the World's fair. The barrel of yellow apples passed through the canal, through the Mediterranean sea, up the English channel, and finally reached London. Here it was taken from the boat and sent by railroad to Liverpool. Then the barrel of New South Wales fruit was loaded into an ocean racer and started on its way across the Atlantic to New York, whence it came to Chicago by railroad. It was just 66 days to an hour when Thomas Pugh, the assistant general superintendent of the New South Wales exhibit, received it.

In the meantime the red apples had crossed the Pacific ocean to San Francisco in 20 days. Then they were sent by freight to Chicago. After numerous delays along the way the apples arrived. They had been 52 days on the way and had been admired by World's fair visitors for almost two weeks before the golden apples which grew on the tree beside them in Australia were placed on china plates and set on the table beside them in the New South Wales fruit display.—Chicago Record.

New Use For Spring Chickens.

Should the little daughter of Mr. Calissi ever recover she owes her life to an Italian violinist in the city. Suffering as she is with brain fever and the doctors giving up all hope of her recovery, this morning she spoke the first word and ate the first morsel she has for several days. A friend of Mr. Calissi, an Italian, visited the sick child and remarked that he knew her condition a day or two ago he could certainly have saved her. However, he was willing to try it, and going out he brought in a number of spring chickens. Taking a chicken he split open its back with a knife, opened it wide and placed the inside of the chicken, entrails, blood and all, over the child's head. As soon as the chicken began to get cold he would open another and place it on in the same manner.

About the time the second chicken began to cool the child spoke, and afterward asked for something to eat. So far 22 chickens have been used, and the child is doing splendidly. What effect the warmth of the chicken and vitals had upon the child's head the writer cannot tell, but should the child fully recover the Italian professor wants the credit. He says he saved his son's life in the same manner when it was necessary to use 48 spring chickens. He prefers to treat them when he can get them in his treatment.—Paducah News.

Mrs. Stanford's Duty.

The end has come, and to Mrs. Stanford falls the melancholy duty of carrying out a great educational scheme such as the world as never seen. That this scheme should originate in California seems in keeping with a state which is itself an empire, self feeding in almost every particular, as great in beauty and wonders as in size and natural products. Fortunately for the university, Mrs. Stanford was essentially her husband's helpmeet. She shared his sorrows no less than his joys. She was a counselor and friend to whom he confided all his enterprises. Rising above personal loss therefore, Mrs. Stanford can take her place at the helm and steer a magnificent idea into the safe harbor of accomplishment. Hers is a glorious task, in the doing of which there will be infinite comfort. Husband and son have only gone before, and spiritual help will come to her who humbly bears her cross and dedicates her life to the advancement of humanity.—Kate Field's Washington.

Color Photography.

Our Paris correspondent reports that much interest was shown at the photographic club there in some plates obtained by Professor Lippmann's process. The pictures on glass were cast by an electric projector onto a white screen before an admiring and enthusiastic audience. The first picture to appear on the screen was a bunch of roses, violets and jessamine. They came out with all their natural colors and tints and velvety effects. As a person remarked, the only thing these flowers lacked was scent. A corner of landscape in Paris park was the next picture. The sky was of true blue. The sandal alleys and the great lawn were as like to nature as nature itself. Next came a cottage in sunlight overgrown with creepers, flags, match-boxes and photographs of illustrated placards.—London News.

In the House of Lords.

When Lord Roberts takes his seat in the house of lords he will find himself in the uncommon position of being one of two peers with the same name. The other one, it is true, spells his name Roberies; but that is neither here nor there. The house of lords has also an Earl of Mar and an Earl of Mar and Kellie, an Earl of Lindsey and an Earl of Lindsey, an Earl of Longford and a Baron Lang ord, a Viscount Middleton and a Baron Middleton, a Baron Sudley and a Baron Sudley, two Lords Howard and two Lords Napier.—London Tit-Bits.

Cleanliness Saves Life.

With the approach of hot weather the question of clean, healthy surroundings is one that must command the attention of every one, and especially in view of the fact that reports have been published that cholera can always be prevented by keeping things clean. The physician should be the preacher of cleanliness; for cleanliness saves more lives than all of the drugs known to us. This includes body cleanliness as well as that of surroundings. Use water, deodorizers and disinfectants steadily through the hot season. There is a sanitary condition of our bodies as well as our surroundings. Bad matter is continually exuding from the pores of the skin, and if this is not washed off frequently it will become the breeding place for disease germs. Fatal germs are in dust, dirt and particles that float in the air. These cling to the body, and under the warmth of the heat from the body they multiply.

Many who are filthy get infectious diseases, while those who are clean escape. It is the safest protection that one can obtain to surround the body with a clean skin. Our surroundings must also be clean, sweet and pure. Filth creates infectious atmospheric conditions that baffle the wisest sanitarian, and every epidemic begins in dirt. Decaying animal and vegetable matter, imperfectly cleansed clothing, person or bed, are all breeding places for diseases that may in time become epidemic. The physician should work to prevent all of this, and every one who has the good of his country in mind should aid him in trying to keep the surroundings of the community clean and sweet in hot weather.—Yankee Blade.

Immigration For May.

The immigration figures just issued by the bureau of statistics of the treasury department for the month of May show a very considerable reaction in the direction of increased immigration from the falling off of last year. For the five months ending May 31, as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year, there was a falling off of 40,000 and upward, and for the 11 months a falling off of 116,000. But for the month of May, as compared with the corresponding month of 1892, there was a gain of 3,143. The details of the showing are interesting. The largest gain over last year was in Italian immigration, 7,692. The largest loss was in German immigration, 6,199. There was a falling off in the immigration from Great Britain of nearly 2,000, and a gain in Austrian-Hungarian of 1,800. There were considerable gains from the Netherlands, Russia, Sweden and Norway, and a small gain from France. The account with Denmark and Switzerland shows losses. The aggregate for the month was as follows: Austria-Hungary—Bohemia, 1,669; Hungary, 5,150; other Austria (except Poland), 7,833. Denmark, 1,191; France, 691; Germany, 13,936; Italy, 17,638; Netherlands, 2,112; Poland, 2,184; Russia (except Poland), 11,281; Sweden and Norway, 10,261; Switzerland, 697. United Kingdom—England and Wales, 5,634; Scotland, 1,688; Ireland, 11,018. All other countries, 3,011. Total, 95,385.—Detroit Free Press.

Pensions and Internal Revenue.

Texas paid last year \$606,375 of internal revenue taxes and received in pensions \$905,290. South Carolina paid \$71,813 revenue taxes and received \$171,129 in pensions. Tennessee contributed \$1,278,862 and drew out in pensions \$2,434,568. Alabama's revenue taxes were \$106,771; her pension receipts were \$400,729. Arkansas paid \$95,718.86 revenue taxes; received in pensions, \$1,470,901.77. West Virginia's revenue tax was \$807,588.36 and was paid in pensions \$2,138,703.12. Louisiana and Mississippi together paid \$734,832.29 and received \$847,532.45 in pensions. Maryland, Delaware and the District of Columbia paid \$3,288,873.77 internal revenue tax and received in pensions \$4,220,890.13. Step over into the northern states, and the conditions are reversed. Illinois paid in revenue tax \$36,795,388 and received in pensions \$9,348,996. New York paid \$17,670,978 revenue tax and received in pensions \$11,762,490. The aggregate amount of internal revenue taxes paid by the 10 southern states and the District of Columbia was \$6,690,892.28, and the receipts from the pensions were \$12,609,661.87, nearly twice as great.—Copper Tanager in Brooklyn Eagle.

Had He But—

Had I but saved the boodle I in other years have blown, today I might have had a little nest egg of my own; I might be now well heeled enough to join the happy throng, to spend a month at Jackson park and take my folks along. O poverty! thou art indeed a ragged man's distress! the robber thief of human hopes and earthly happiness, and countless thousands mourn today the fate one so abhors—but some have fun while others stay at home and do the chores. So must I stay and toil for bread and miss the great world's show, but what a motley crowd there'd be if every one should go, and in a few days at the most I'm bound to quit the fight and visit lands beyond that beat this World's fair out of sight.—Nebraska State Journal.

On to Mecca.

The pilgrimage to Mecca has been extraordinarily large this year. The total number of pilgrims already being about double that of last year. Over 40,000 have passed through Suez alone, and it is estimated an equal number have arrived at Mecca by overland caravans. The usual resultant conditions of the pilgrim season favorable to epidemics have been consequently aggravated, and the Egyptian quarantine board has declared all the Hedjaz littoral to be foul and applied severe measures to prevent the spread of cholera and other diseases. Cholera has been rife at Mecca for some time, and the number of deaths has been great.—Exchange.

The well known Berlin painter of oriental subjects, Von Meckel, committed suicide after the jury for the international art exhibition rejected five of his pictures. The artist had been suffering from poverty during the last few years.

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Guns Not Needed In Summer.

There is neither need nor sense in taking gun or rifle into the woods at a season when the law forbids its use upon birds and animals certain to be seen. Many an otherwise honest camper has become a law breaker simply because a gun or rifle was within easy reach at the wrong moment. Take all the fishing tackle you may desire, but leave the firearms at home until the proper time for them arrives. "But we might see a bear!" a camper exclaims. Well, suppose you do see a bear? It won't hurt you, and you won't see it long after it sees you. Nor is there glory of much worth in killing a summer bear in poor coat and of no earthly use. "But we might see a —," Yes, exactly. I'll finish it for you. The word was stopped just in time.

The fact is, you might see a moose or a caribou, or a deer or grouse, or duck or any one of the animals or birds which the law of the land, of honor and of common sense forbids you to meddle with for a reasonable time. And, furthermore, my friend, if you should see one of these creatures you'd promptly try to "plug it," and that is precisely what you have no business to do. "Lead us not into temptation" is good, and "Don't lead yourself into temptation" has also certain merit of its own, so why not make a sure thing of it by leaving the tempters behind so they can't tempt you?—Onting.

An English Observer In Chicago.

It is only in the far west probably that the old race of spitters keep up the best practice. In the cities, at any rate, you seldom see men who tilt back in their chairs, put their heels on the dinner table and take the fire irons at 40 paces. Civilization is progressing when you must not talk about spittoons, but demand that stencil under the name of "cuspidor." Still the most prominent notice in the Woman's building is, "Do not spit on the floor." A man stood beside me as I read this. He wore a slouch hat, to which Buffalo Bill's would be simply a fashionable bonnet in size, trickles of rich tobacco juice watted his mouth like a barrel, his boots were models for a coffin maker.

Noticing, I dare say, a twinkle in the corner of my eye, he said slowly and with that grim, smileless humor befitting an elaborated hero from Indiana way, "Say, now, do they mean that we must take a shot at them pictures?" There is certainly a suspicion of local option suggested in that sentence. Better to have gone on the principle of some other notices which, without waste of printer's ink (and composition), meet your eye everywhere: "No admittance. Go out!"—Chicago Cor. London News.

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A Sufficient Cure. A Detroit, possessed of the idea that he was a sleuth of the class in which Vit-dog made his great fame, went to Chicago and succeeded in having his name placed on the list of Columbian guards...

Exploring Labrador. Two members of the geological survey of Canada have started on one of the longest surveys ever undertaken into what is now generally supposed to be the wild, inhospitable territory in the far north and eastern Canada...

Mr. Bennett Orders a Big Yacht. James Gordon Bennett has ordered a yacht which will be considerably larger than the one which W. K. Vanderbilt is having made in England...

Spain and Cuba. Spanish diplomats now propose home rule for Cuba. The direct reason for their conversion is the fact that the expenses of running the little West Indian island last year were \$6,000,000 in excess of the receipts...

SWEETHEART, FORBEAR! "Sweetheart, forbear!" Thus said I to my dear she, with rebellious grace...

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EDITORIAL COMMENT. The Atlantic Monthly for October contains the beginning of a three-part story, entitled "The Man from Ardone," by Mrs. Elizabeth Cavazza, of Portland, Maine, who is especially qualified to write just such an interesting story as this is. It is a story of July, and the characters and local color are admirably managed. Miss Edith M. Thomas contributes one of her charming papers of mingled prose and poetry on the "Under-time of the Year," and it will be found one of the most delightful articles on out-door life in early autumn that American literature can show. Captain Mahan, who has written several important articles relating to marine matters, contributes to this number a paper of much value on "The Isthmus and Sea Power." William F. Athorp, a well-known authority in musical matters, contributes an article of great interest to music lovers on Robert Franz. Charles Egbert Craddock continues, with undiminished vigor, her notable story "His Vanished Star," and Annie Eliot contributes a striking short story, "After the Deluge." Professor James Monroe, of Oberlin College, who was for many years an honored member of Congress, contributes a paper of great interest giving the history of "The Hayes-Tilden Electoral Commission." An excellent literary paper by Professor Jebb, of the University of Cambridge, discusses "The Permanent Power of Greek Poetry." "The Gothenburg System in America" is an interesting and helpful contribution to the understanding of the best mode of treating the control of the liquor traffic, by E. R. L. Gould. A paper which will be read with no little interest is one by James L. High on "The Tilden Trust, and why it Failed." Six short poems, which the writer, John Hall Ingham, calls "Tone-Symbols," a poem, "Love is Dead," by Marion Courthouy Smith, with a review and comment on other new books, and five bright short papers in the Contributors' Club, conclude an excellent number of this standard magazine. Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston.

on the screws" again; retiring the currency lately added to their several circulations. In doing so they play into the hands of the silver senators; if the public once understands that their action is intended to "bulldoze" the senate the hope of repeal of the Sherman law is gone. The ways and means committee has got through hearing evidence on the tariff question (it might as well have heard none, its action was predetermined) and has made out its "free list, That embraces wool, binding twine, cotton bagging and ties, salt, hemp, vegetables, meats, game and poultry, eggs, beans, seeds, timber hewn, sawed and unmanufactured, lead, tin, iron, ore, coal and copper ores. Mark the iron ore you fellows who wanted a change, last fall; iron ore on the free list and seventy-five cents a ton to come out of your wages or the mines to remain idle and full of water. How do you like it? It is no answer to the charges brought against the president of undue interference with the action of the legislative branch of the government, to say that "he will not be hurt much by the tirade of such a man" as the senator who brings the charges. The character of that senator is not at issue; the charges are serious ones, involving matters, which if the charges are substantiated, are ground for impeachment, and the senate will hardly pooch-pooch them. Sam. Torsey, 1st Maine Cavalry, seventy-years old and an imbecile, having no means of subsistence except a pension of eight dollars a month, is "hung up" by Holcomb and goes to the poor house. When congress gets through "unkering" at what needs no tinkering perhaps it will turn its attention to immigration—a subject that calls loudly for thought and action if American is to remain American. Messrs. McMillan and Stockbridge, senators for Michigan, year constituents expect you to do whatever may be necessary—no exceptions—to de-

feat the bill for the repeal of the federal election law. Business men were smart when they concluded not to wait for help from the dangerous Democratic majority in Congress to inaugurate good times. The lesson taught, however, should not be lost. The old Copperhead concern has the same head and soul it had in 1861. It is a great feather in the cap of the National board of health and a cause for profound thankfulness from all the people that the dreaded scourge of cholera has been kept from our shores during this Columbian year. A million men with the little tin dinner-pail will, during the coming four years, longingly wish for the comfort and prosperity they traded off by their ballots in November, 1892. Gov. McCorkle, of West Virginia is a democrat and a tariff-for-revenue man, all right, but he begs Mr. Wilson not to put coal on the free-list. West Virginia produces coal. Gov. Rich orders the special election to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Chipman. It is to be held on Tuesday, Nov. 7th. Don't forget the days for the special sale at the Model, Sept. 30, Oct. 1 and 2. All Wool Dress Flannels, Lowest prices, at Kratz's.

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