MACCABEES

ESCANABA THE PLACE.

Hon. T. B. Barry Orator of the Day. Wheelmen Will Strive For Prizes. Pie nie at South Park-a Crowd Coming.

Arrangements for the anniversary celethis city June 11th, continues to progress | 10:00 a. m. very satisfactorily and the outlook for a large attendance is indeed flattering. No inconsiderable interest is being manifested in the bicycle races which will take place during the forenoon of that day, a number of outside wheelmen having signified their intention to be present and participate in the contest for the medals offered by the Maccabees. No one will be barred and consequently a speedy exhibition is assured. Several local wheelmen have pretentions, and the probabilities are that unless outsiders send unusually good timber the handsome gold medal, offered as first prize, will remain at home, for at least a half dozen of Escanaba's 'cyclists are putting forth strenuious efforts to secure it

As to the re-union proper the best endeavors of the committee in charge to make the occasion a grand success are being exerted. Excursion rates have been secured on all railway and steamboat lines entering the city, which is an indocement worthy the consideration of neighboring tents, and which has already been the means of inducing a number of upper peninsula tents to accept the local tent's invitation to attend. The pic-nic at South Park, during the progress of which the Hon. T. B. Barry, well and favorably known throughout the state as a Maccabce worker as well as an eloquent and forceful speaker, will deliver the address, which fact alone should bring hundreds of Maccabees hither. He will take for his theme: "The business methods, the humane, moral, social and intellectual work of the Maccabees," a subject with which every individual inside or outside of this great benevolent organization should be familiar. On the grounds will be amusements of various kinds, including dancing and games, and refreshments will be served throughout the day and evening. The committee will "take the city by storm." A number of attend the re-union or not, and to these The Iron Port, in behalf of U. P. Tent, No. 4, and the city of Escanaba, would say most emphatically come and spend the day pleasantly and profitably with

The Opera House Opening.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the of people to remain within doors, the formal opening of The Peterson opera house on Wednesday evening was an unqualified success, the management realizing the amount of the "guarantee" to the "Fast Mail" company and having a balance beexpectations. The new opera house, handsomely decorated and illuminated by nearly a hundred incandescent electric lights, presented an appearance that at once favorably impressed each individual member of the large audience, and they seemed to appreciate Mr. Peterson's efforts to provide a comfortable and pleasant play house.

"Fast Mail" is a scenic production of the railroad order and attracts large audiences wherever it is presented. The explosion, the flight of the Fast Mail, Niagara Falls by moonlight with its boiling mist, the practical working locomotive and freight train and the dago dive are particularly interesting and exciting scenes. The company carries ten complete sets of special scenery. The cast of characters is far above the average of a traveling combination.

The Supervisors' Fun.

Before the board at its last session came a bill of Wilson, the livery man, which had been laid over from a previous meeting because of a doubt whether the county should pay it or the officers who had contracted the indebtedness. After some debate it was finally ordered paid. and the democratic members indulged in a mild jubilation over "the passage of the Wilson bill"-a job which congress is not equal to, as yet.

Green Bay Items.

Britton keeps 100 men at work in spite of the hard times. Dr. A. W. Slaughter has been appointed marine surgeon. Murphy's mill starts up Thursday mornseason and employ sixty-five hands. The fine form.

Brown county fair association offers \$2,- AMONG THE CHURCHES poral's guard which calls itself "The People's party" and announce that its MUNICIPAL SHORT-TALK heaped on it, so a locomotive is a mere Not an empty house in Fort Howard. A. E. Richert died May 11, of Bright's MONDAY, JUNE 11, IS THE DAY AND disease, at twenty-three years of age. GENERAL RELIGIOUS NEWS PER-Green Bay will celebrate "the fourth" in great shape. Mrs. Werder Reynolds died Tuesday morning of heart failure. She was seventy-four years old. The street month. Andrew E. Elmore his just celebrated his 80th birthday and is apparently good for more years.-Advocate.

Delta County Teachers' Association. The following is the program of the meeting of the association at Gladstone bration of the Maccabees, to be held in on Saturday, June 2d, 1894, opening at

> Music, chorus; Primary Reading, by Miss G. Helps, Ford River. Discussion opened by Miss Kate Dinneen, Escanaba and Miss Jessie Rogers, Escanaba.

Punctuation, Principal P. R. Legg. Garden. Discussion opened by Mr. J. M. Todd, Ford River. Miscellaneous business; Music, quar-

tette, Misses Hamacher and Empson, Messrs. Todd and Veach. At 1:30 p. m.: Drawing, Mrs. Katen,

Brampton. Discussion opened by Supt. Kirk Spoor, Gladstone, Pronunciation, Miss H. M. Anderson. Discussion opened by J. W. Kinsel, Rapid

River; Music, Miss Empson, Gladstone. Numbers, W. E. Winegaard, Nahma. Discussion opened by Miss Kate McLean, Flat Rock; Recitation, Miss A. Fogarty, Escanaba; Music, Miss N. McDermott-

Memorial Day Services.

On the Sunday preceding Memorial day C. F. Smith post, G. A. R. will attend the Presbyterian church in a body (rendez. vous at the Armory at 9:45 a. m.) and the Rev. Dr. Todd will deliver a discourse appropriate to the occasion. On Memorial day, Wednesday, May 30th, there will be services at the Peterson Opera house at 2:00 p. m., the Rev. Dr. Todd, Mr. Greene and the Rev. Mr. Clemo participating, and thereafter the usual march to the cemetery and decoration of the graves of veterans. All the societies and organizations of the city are invited to join in the observance of the day and most of them will do so, no doubt.

Funeral of A. M. Sourwine.

Mr. A. M. Sourwine, whose death we our people, but he was in life a Freemason and a member of the benevolent organization of Locomotive Firemen, and those organizations were out on leave nothing undone that will add one Sunday last to assist at his obsequies and iota to the comfort and enjoyment of they, with those whose friendship for his guests, and from present indications the parents and brethren moved them to atsection of Michigan. Twenty-eight tents ferian church, conducted by the pastor, may, in the future earnestly strive to will attend in a body and the 'bees will the Rev. Dr. Todd, and at the cemetery, avoid Sunday funerals. where the masonic ritual was used, were RESOLVED, That it is our judgment tents are as yet undecided whether to impressive, and the floral tributes were that only such persons should be buried many and beautiful.

An Outsider's View.

The Escansba school board is taking ident of that city. Now they have passed weather and the general inclination of a resolution by which none but normal twenty minutes before service, beginning This will probably precipitate another fight over school affairs. The school children of the city of Escanaba are en- of sermon: "The Sorrowful Man," All ocratic party and gives his reasons, thus; titled to the fullest sympathy of the are welcome. country. The schools are not handled tend them.-Iron Ore.

A New School Building.

Owing to the inability of the architect to have completed the plans and specifications for the proposed sixth ward school building, the Board of Education took no action in the matter at its session last week. Another meeting was, however, held last evening to consider the matter and to receive and act upon the plans. The building will contain six rooms, and will probably necessitate an

The Cleveland Conference.

The conference between the representa- 316 Wells avenue yesterday. tives of the striking coal miners and the operators of coal mines at Cleveland has been, up to latest advices, productive of no good. The two parties take positions antagonistic and each refuses to recede or to entertain any proposal for compromise. The conference has no doubt adjourned before now and the fight must purchasers at Albany, N. Y., and other go on "to a finish."

A Painful Accident.

On Monday last Alex. DuPlantz came to the county hospital, having a badly fractured knee. Last winter while employed in the woods he had the misfor and on the day mentioned, while driving logs, he slipped and fell, and in doing so separated the bone again.

Base Ball.

There will be a baseball game in this city to-morrow between the Rapid River ing. The pickle factory will pay out and home teams, and an interesting con-\$40,000 for encumbers and onlons this test is anticipated. Both clubs are in

TAINING TO THIS CITY.

railway will be in operation within a The Iron Port Reporters Glean a Goodly Batch of Items Among the Several Religious Denominations, Church Society News.

> the 23d inst. under the leadership of Mr. churches, but afterwards all the evening meetings will be held in the opera house, all the Protestant churches will be closed will have its regular service in the forenoon, and also its young peoples' meetand the Ministers' Association anticipates large results from his labors here. He is an able speaker and has had a large ex- up," and his word is an order.-Delta. perience in evangelistic work, and is most highly commended. The committee on arrangements is doing everything in its power to prepare for the services. Subcommittees have been appointed to arrange all the details of the work and special prayer meetings are being held this week in the Methodist and Presbyterian churches. It is expected that the evangelist will bring a soloist to lead the singing and add to the interest of the

The Protestant Ministers' associations have undertaken to do away, with Sunday funerals. The Menominee Range association at its last meeting passed the following preamble and resolutions:

WHEREAS, In the cities and towns where we are employed as Ministers, there is a disposition on the part of many to bury their dead on Sunday, and

WHEREAS, It very seriously disturbs chronicled last week, was a stranger to ple, much to their spiritual detriment, an adjacent thicket. and

> Whereas, It encourages the keeping open of livery stables on the Lord's day,

> RESOLVED, That it is the sense of this Association of Ministers that the custom

on Sunday as have died of some contagious disease, or whose condition is such that they cannot be kept until Monday. the other extreme in regard to the em- _ There will be a special service for railployment of teachers. A few years ago | way men held in St. Stephen's Episcopal it would only give place to teachers res- church on Sunday evening at 7:10. The organist will play sacred selections for school graduates are to be given place. at 7:10. The choir will render special music and the service will be made as

The Young People's society of the sides, which exceeded his most sanguine in a way to most benefit those who at- Swedish Luthe, an church will give a literary and social entertainment in the

bright an attraction as possible. Subject

basement of the church this evening. The usual services will be held at the Presbyterian church on Sunday. Moraing subject: "Grace." Evening subject: tariff bills to please England." "Mercy." All are invited.

Death of John Armstrong.

John Armstrong, a resident of Bay de Noc township, came to the county hospi- the red flag at Iron Mountain and drtal on Monday last suffering from liver manded food, threatening to loot the and kidney trouble, and on Thursday town, are in no hurry to get at work morning died in that institution. The expenditure of between \$5,000 and deceased was forty-eight years old, and hungry, then, and if they-as they are \$6,000. It will be a substantial struct had been a resident of Delta county very likely to do-attempt to make about fifteen years, coming here from trouble because of the low rate of wages, Canada. The funeral occurred from No.

The Metropolitan Co,'s Cut.

The Metropolitan Lumber Co. has shipped six cargoes of lumber and its season's shipments will reach forty millions of feet. It goes, for the most part, to Tonawanda to be forwarded thence to eastern points. The lumber dock is the busiest place on the shore, and the men get forty cents an hour.

Mr. Veach not Affected.

We erred last week in saying that the resolution of the school board ruled out tune to split the knee-cap with an axe, all the teachers. Mr. Veach is a graduate of the Northern Indiana normal and holds a Michigan state certificate, so he was not affected by it. He has not applied for a re-engagement, however, nor

Populist State Convention

the request of A. W. Nichols, chairman of having found a home in a family in Jackthe state central committee of the cor- son county.

state convention will be held at Lansing on Wednesday, July 4, and that Jerry Simpson, Senator Peffer, Gen. Weaver, and perhaps other long-bearded, sockless men with "wheels in their heads" will be

there with their mouths. Gladstone Gleanings.

The Presbyterian Messenger, an eight page paper edited by the Rev. Mr. Tait, made its debut this week. There is good prospect of the establishment of a stave factory here. As to the horse-stealing by Miller and his hurt, Gladstone whisky The union evangelistic services which did it. The new Board of Fire and Water have been arranged for by the members Commissioners held its first meeting of the Ministers' Association will begin on Tuesday evening and elected the following officers: Jas. McWilliams, president; H. Cordner of Wisconsin. It is possible C. E. Mason, secretary; Jas. McWilliams, the first service will be held in one of the superintendent of the water works. Fred Filkins was engaged as chief engineer at the water works at a salary of which has been secured until the 5th of \$55 per month, and the board will peti-June. During the visit of the evangelists | tion the council to raise the salary of the assistant engineer to \$45 per month. on Sunday evenings so that the pastors A tramp locked up in the calaboose stripmay unite in the work, but each church | ped to the buff to avoid getting lousy. The United States fish commission planted two million young whitefish in the bay ings. Mr. Cordner has had phenomenal two miles south Wednesday. Assessor success in his work throughout Wisconsin | Voorhis is making a personal inspection and this peninsula during the past year of every piece of property in the city. Skandinavians, quite a number, have "gone home." Dr. Pennock says "clean

What the Boy Thought.

The elaborate and highly-polished dude fisherman, armed with the latest and most improved tackle and appurtenances, was scouting along the stream when he met a boy with a pin-hook turn-out.

"Oh, I say, boy," he called to the youngster, "is there any good fishing about here?"

"What kind uv fish?" inquired the boy, dropping his jaw in amazement at the visiou before him.

"Trout, of course."

"Do you expect to ketch 'em?" asked the kid in a tone of the most supreme contempt, as he looked the dude over from head to heel. "Of course; why not?"

"'Cause you won't, that's why not. Any kind uv a fish that 'd let you ketch it, don't make no difference what kind it is, is a sucker," and the boy, utterly unthe Sabbath worship of very many peo- able to conceal his feeling, disappeared in

The Coming Show. The Rice, Wolford & Sheridan Co. who

present the "Smugglers," "Underground" and the "Train Wreckers" at Peterson's opera house next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, come with splendid Ford River, Alfred Endberg, of Bark proposed re-union will be the most sue-tend composed a very large and impos-look upon it with great disfavor, and we endorsements from the press of neighbor-River, and a sailor named McCabe are cessful affair of the kind ever held in this ing cortege. The services at the Presby- trust that the people of this community ing cities. The Marquette Daily Mining new arrivals at the county hospital. Journal devoted over an entire column to this attraction. In many respects this organization is truly original. They carry every set of scenery used in the production of its plays and make prices the lowest ever known in this section, 10, 20 and 30 cents; but the immense audiences they attract proves that they can well afford to give as they do a first class performance even at those prices.

A Thorough Conversion.

Patrick Lynch, an Irishman, as is indicated by his name, and a well-known and respected citizen of Port Huron, publicly renounces his allegiance to the dem-The party is a failure and its leaders are frauds and mountebanks. It is without principle-an organized mob of odds and ends. I believe in protection to American industries and I have no sympathy with that class of democratic muawumps who sit up nights to draft

Let Them Go Hungry.

The Range-Tribune says that the men (or some of them) who paraded under now that work is offered. Let them go run them out of the town.

A Washboard Factory.

Mr. J. A. W. Sears, of Menominee, who has been negotiating with the Gladstone company for the establisment of a washboard manufactory in our sister city, closed a deal on Thursday, and preparatory work will be commenced forthwith. There is a large market for the product of such an institution, and the business will be con ducted on an extensive scale

Auction Sale of Horses. Gotfredson Bros, & Field, of Green Bay,

will hold an auction sale of horses at R. Peron's barn in this city on Tuesday afternoon next. If you want a good driving or draft horse do not fail to attend this sale.

In a Good Home.

county to the industrial school for boys at Lansing, has made a good record in As an act of charity we comply with the school and is now "absent on leave",

MANY MINOR MATTERS PERTAINING TO CITY AND SURROUNDINGS.

Interesting Local Paragraphs Gleaned From Many Sources By Wandering Iron Port Reporters. City News in Brief.

Ex-Mayor Greenhoot has cleaned up so much of "Ludington Park" as lies between his residence and the shore of the bay and so set the city a good example, which we hope it will follow. At any rate the park should no longer be used as a dumping ground and the rubbish now encumbering it should be buried. So much would not cost a great deal.

Although the daily newspaper in its present form is of comparatively modern date, the Romans as long ago as the fifth century had a journal known as the Acta Diurna, which fulfilled in many respects the functions of a daily paper. It is in the files of this journal that the first accounts of the killing of Bill Dalton are to be found.

A brochure-"What the Present Congress has Done"-is a dozen pages of blank paper, with a cover. It is a hit, but not right. By its attempt to do something congress has knocked business "into a cocked hat."

If the upper peninsula delegation in the next legislature shall, as a unit, present the name of an upper peninsula man for senator and stand by him without a break, he will have a good chance to suc-

Delia White, a daughter of Tom White, once sheriff of our county, died of blood poisoning following vaccination, at Chicago last Monday. Her brother, Tom, went thither on Tuesday.

If any Escanaban is without a horse at sundown next Tuesday it will be his own fault. Horses go at auction that day, and Mose Kurz is one of the salesmen. See his advertisement.

We were glad to observe that the Iron Works were lighted and busy during the evenings of this week. Cashier Lyman was at work, too, but not making as much noise.

The baseball boys have splendid enclosed grounds near South Park. The enclosure is 350x450 feet, and a substantial grand stand will be ready for use tomorrow. Dan. Thompson and Arthur Semer, of

is making plans for it. The old one is no good to enlarge or add to. In addition to the other festivities in

baseball game, arrangements for which | 000 to 90,000,000,000 pounds per annum." are now being perfected.

Thirty-one empty business houses on Ludington street and several "going out of business' signs on houses yet occupied. Some individual the worse for drink smashed out a front window of the Commercial House early Wednesday morning.

Hathaway chapter, O. E. S., on Tuesday evening next, for conferring degrees. A Menominee druggist displays nursing bottles in his window with the legend

There will be a special meeting of R. C.

'Give the little suckers a chance." A note from O. N. Hughitt shows him to be in good health and spirits, and as

good a republican as ever. There are now only four switch engines at work on the dock, one having been 'pulled off" Wednesday.

Mr. Peterson is entitled to much credit

house he has given us. Marcus Pollasky is after "a big thing" now-a franchise for an elevated road in

When you go to Van's Harbor put up at the Bhirdo hotel.

Same Here. The Negaunee Herald says: "Every

night girls are to be found on the streets at hours when honest people are supposed to be asleep. The parents of many of these girls are not aware of their doings and whereabouts, while others have no one to look to their welfare. There can be but one ending for the girls who contanue this practice." The best for such girls is the school at Adrian; failing that, the police court and a life and death of shame await them.

They Saw The Show.

Upon the adjournment of the county board last Wednesday evening each of the nembers received from the chairman a ticket to the entertainment at the opera house-the "Fast Mail"-and the party occupied the boxes and saw the show. Geo. T. evidently appreciated the honor Joseph Cyr, a lad who went from this bestowed upon him by the board.

A Queer Railroad. Almost every winter a railroad is laid

ice there is often ten or twelve feet thick | Joseph's church on Tuesday.

heaped on it, so a locomotive is a mere trifle for such loe as that. The ties are laid in a graded roadbed cut in the ice, the rails are spiked on, and then water is poured into the excavation and in half an hour or so is frozen as hard as a stone and the

Menominee's Mysteries.

The Leader of Monday said: "The disappearance of James Bute brings to mind several instances in which people have disappeared from the city and no trace of them has ever been found.

"About ten years ago a contractor named Baker, who was at the time engaged on contracts for Jos. Fleshiem and Jos. Burnheim, drew a considerable sum of money from each ostensibly to pay his employes one Saturday and from that time no trace of him was ever found. It was thought at the time that he was murdered and later a skeleton of a man about his build was found in the woods. lending color to this theory.

"The other instance was a Frenchman, who, with his wife, was boarding with a family named Marcotte on Parmenter street. He had about \$800 at the time in his possession and one day he informed his wife that he was going to look for work and left the house. He failed to return and nothing was ever heard of him after that, His wife remained in town several weeks but hearing nothing of him left for her home in Canada. The Marcottes had been caught in several petty larcenies and bore a hard name. They seemed to have money after the disappearance of their boarder, and only remained in the city for a short time after the departure of the wife. Nothing could ever be traced to them, however.

Protection and Rice.

There is no better commentary upon the beneficent effects flowing from protection than in the domestic production of rice. As a result of the war plantations were destroyed, and but for the then tariff existing(214 cents per pound) it is exceedingly doubtful if the industry would have been rehabilitated, but because of this great encouragement the work was promptly undertaken, and the magnificent results are certainly a justification of the commercial defenses placed around it and helping to

bring it once more into life and being. As showing the rapid development of the rice culture in this country since the war Dan Talmage's Sons say: "In 1865-66 we produced 10,200,000 pounds; 1871-72, 40,000,000 pounds; 1876-77, 86,099,000 pounds; 1881-82, 104,000,000 pounds; 1885-86, 150,000,000 pounds; 1892-93, 237,-000,000 pounds. The highest decade previous to the war showed an average of 102,000,000 pounds. Louisiana jumped from 2,700,000 pounds in 1865 to 200,000, 000 in 1892-93. The area which might be school house for the 6th ward and Bacon | State is almost illimitable, being estimated at from 70,000,000 to 90,000,000 acres. When these waste lands shall be under tillage, the United States will rival the this city on June 11th, there will be a East Indies and produce from 70,000,000,-

The Norwegian Celebration

The Birkebeiner Club was unfortunate. Thursday's weather was so disagreeable that only the Norwegians themselvesonly the most enthusiastic and hardy of them, in fact-turned out to celebrate their independence day. At the appointed hour the club paraded, however, and marched up Ludington street, led by Prof. Bice's band and displaying the flags of the American union, of Norway, and of the Swedish-Norwegian union, and proceeded to South Park where they put in the day. Some enjoyment they had, of course, but the income barely balanced

Advertised Letters

Following is a list of letters remaining uucalled for at the Escanaba, Mich., post-office, for the week ending May 12th. for the handsome and comfortable opera 1894: Hening Anderson, Mrs. W. L. Bragg, Frederick Bourang, Gedeon, Chenier, J. F. Clenland, Miss Georgia Crounville, Nellie Derwin, Peter Dwight, James V. Eakley, Signor Signorini Fraceser, Frank Gallagher, Miss L. House 2, Miss Annie Lacasse, Frank Lajoie, Savare Lamoureaux, Joseph Mc-Mahon, Miss Maggie Morris, Arthur Prime, Jesse Watson. When calling for any of the above letters please say "ad. vertised", and give date.

Deliberate and Determined Suicide. The body of Lars Larsen, who had been

missing since April 18th, was found in the river at Menominee last Sunday. It was a case of deliberate and determined suicide, he had loaded himself with an iron chain. Whisky did it; the man was a skilled workman and commanded high wages while he was fit for work. He leaves a widow and three children.

Gone A.Fishing.

Gus. Baehrisch, J. B. Moran, J. A. Burns and George English departed last Sunday for a week at Crow River. They are looked for, returning, to-morrow and the editorial appetite is set for trout.

Death of Andrew Roddy.

Andrew Roddy, who has been confined to his bome for several months past with cancer of the stomach, died on Saturday across the St. Lawrence at Quebec. The last, and the funeral occurred from St.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

CONCERNING 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,

Patrick Roddy, of Milwaukee, attended the funeral of his brother here on Tuesday. Mr. Roddy is captain of truck No. 1 of Milwaukee's fire department, and is one of the firemen who so narrowly escaped death in the recent Davidson theatre fire.

Mr. Gould, an inspector, visited Postmaster Hartnett and went through his office and books last week. As John M. is still at large we take it that the inspection developed no shortage or irregularity.

Mort, Hitchcock will depart next week for Colorado. Mrs. Hitchcock, his mother, will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Will McNaughtan, after a summer at Minneapolis.

Miss Anderson, who has made a good recordin our high school, will return to the university, to finish ber course there. after the close of her engagement here.

Madames Anthony and Erickson are at home again from their winter resort in Tennessee, much benefited by their stay

Jos. Le Claire was a member of the Gladstone delegation that attended the opera house opening Wednesday evening. Supervisor Danforth, of Gladstone, visited us before the hour when he was wanted at the court house last Tuesday. Supervisor Leighton, of Bay de Noc, got back to his boy and his cranberry

marsh Thursday morning. Eugene M. Nead, a homestender in the northern part of this county,, transacted business here on Monday.

P. J. McKenna returned from Omaha on Tuesday, whither he went to attend the A. O. H. convention.

Mrs. Hessel returned from Wisconsin where she had attended the wedding of her sister, last Saturday.

Supervisors Derry and Cook, of Glad stone, favored The Iron Port with a call Tuesday morning.

Supervisors Perry and Kleiber, of Baldwin and Maple Ridge, went north by first train Thursday. Messrs. Baehrisch, Burns and English

hustled for trout in the vicinity of Manistique this week. Pursers John Stephenson and Lee Hart,

of the Hart line, visited our business men last Tuesday. Mrs. Fuller entertained Mrs. Scott and

a party of ladies Tuesday-a farewell to Mrs. Scott. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hohlfeldt left Wed-

nesday evening for a four month's visit in Europe. Principal Spoor, of the Gladstone

schools, called on friends in this city last Saturday. Supervisor Grandchamp, of Masonville, gave us a handshake and God speed, on

Tuesday Charlie Strom is at Negaunee in place of the operator there, who is taking a

vacation. John McAvoy has been here during the week. He can't come too often nor stay

too long. Otto Mertz and Clarence Clark of Gladstone, took in "Fast Mail" Wednesday evening.

T. B. Catlin, of Iron Mountain, was here Monday, and took a boat for agross the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. W. Sears, of Menomince, spent the week in Escanaba with

Bert Ellsworth is away on K. P. business and Ed. Voght is "running the shop,

Miss Annie Okerlin departed on Wednesday to live with a relative at Mar-

inette. B. Rich, the tailor, circulated among his Escanaba customers the first of the week.

Mr. Wilson, general manager of The Gladstone Company, was in town Tues-

Mrs. M. H. Egan, of Marquette, visited her sister, Mrs. B. D. Winegar last week. Mrs. Westheimer returned from her visit to Lower Michigan on Saturday.

Geo. J. Farnsworth was on hand at the opening of the session Tuesday. John G. Zane and Peter McRae are off for the woods west of Ontonagon.

Mrs. Skelton, of West Gladstone, was in the city the first of the week. Supt. Beggs and Clerk Allyn are in lower

Michigan looking for teachers. Matt Schneider, of Manistique, was

the city a few days this week. Mrs. Schramfand her family have taken up their residence in Chicago.

Miss Jessie Rogers gets a position in the public school of Ishpeming. Supervisor Healy, of Garden, fared

homeward on Thursday. W. L. Marble, of Gladstone, was town Sunday.

F. D. Mead was a Gladstone visitor on Wednesday. Peter Hoffman went to Chicago last

Saturday. Jos. LeRay, of Marinette, was in town

Will McNaughtan departed for Oshkosh | The Iron Port office.

yesterday, to the regret of a host of

Mrs. Pillsbury and her mother are at home again after a winter in Florida.

C. M. Thatcher, now residing at Chicago, has been in town for a day or so. H. W. Cole, of Rapid River, was tu town on Wednesday.

Mrs. Westheimer departed for lower Michigan Thursday. John F. Carey visited Alger county, on

business, this week. Henry Coburn was here Thursday.

News of the Lakes. From the report of the Soo canal work for 1893 we clip the following: "The canal was open to navigation during the season of 1893 219 days, which is a decrease of 14 days in comparison with 1892. The amount of freight carried during the season of 1893 amounted to 10,796,572 tons, which is a decrease of 417.761 net tons in comparison with the season of 1892, or 3.73-100 per cent. less than the season previous. The greatest number of miles run during the season is to the credit of the propeller Matoa, of the Minnesota steamship line, of Cleveland, O., and amounted to 42,939 miles. The greatest amount of freight carried during the season is to the credit of the propeller Mariposa, of the same line, ag gregating 87,760 tons. The greatest number of miles-ton for the season is to the credit of the same boat and is 73,-086,136. The largest single cargo carried during the season is to the credit of the propeller Selwyn Eddy, of Bay City, and amounted to 3,686 net tons. The largest single cargo carried by a sail vessel is to the credit of the American Steel Barge Co.'s tow barge Sagamore, and amounted to 3,232 net tons. This barge earned the same credit during the esson previous."

Some important reforms in lake underwriting have just been made by the lake underwriters' committee at Cleveland. A. R. Manning was made supervising adjuster, and all adjustments will go to him for approval before settlements are made. No further losses will be paid on estimates, but only upon the presentation of the repair bill. It is charged that owners frequently received pay for damages and then neglected to repair. All wrecking companies will be required to furnish their tariff of charges for tugs and wrecking appliances to the supervising adjuster. Steamers having consorts in trouble will not be allowed exorbitant bills for towing them to ports of repair.

Notice is given that, on or about May 18, 1894, the steam siren now used during thick or foggy weather at Porte des Morts (Pilot Island) Light-Station, in lake Michigan, at the entrance to Green Bay, Wisconsin, will be discontinued, and and thereafter the fog signal will be a 10-inch steam whistle, sounding blasts of five seconds' duration separated by silent intervals of thirty seconds. The new signal is located in the more southerly of the two fog-signal houses, about 200 feet south by west from the lighthouse.

Vessels can now pass through the Portage river and canals, drawing within a few inches of as much water as through the Soo. A vessel drawing 14 ft. 4 in. passed through a few days ago. At the head of Portage Lake a target is now set on a range back from the lighthouse on the outer end of the new pier to show the line of best depth of water. The roof of the lighthouse is painted red so that it can be easily seen in the day. At night there is a red light on the face of

The work of erecting the four range lights at Grosse Ile and Ecorse is to be commenced at once, under the superintendence of C. C. C. Bardett, chief engineer of the lighthouse construction in the tenth district, which includes the portion of the lake system below the west bank of the river Ronge

About May 25, the color of the tower at Frying Pan Island light station, west side of Detour passage, entrance to St. Mary's River, Michigan, will be changed from brown to white, to render it more efficient as a day range with Pipe Island lighthouse. No other change will be

A small tin plate manufactory near Pittsburg has suspended. It will go on again after the "tariff tinkering" is done. J. A. Redington, a pioneer ship owner of Cleveland, died on the 11th.

McKinley Is The Man.

An Ohio paper says: It is the veriest folly to talk about General Harrison, or any other man for that matter, securing Ohio's vote or any part of it against Mc-Kinley in the next national convention. Governor McKinley has the call not only in Onio but in a majority of the other states in the Union. Whatever may be said of others, McKinley's name is first and last upon the lips of the people and is the only really positive quantity talked of in connection with the republican nomination for president. Rest assured, Ohio will be very much for him when the proper time comes.

Aurora Mine Caves In.

A dispatch from Ironwood, dated 17th. says that by a cave in at the Aurora mine, on the day previous, a score of employes were killed or injured. Inquiry yesterday found neither confirmation nor contradiction of the report: the wind had wrecked the wires.

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GLEANINGS FROM ALL QUARTERS OF THIS GLOBULAR WAD.

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

A phenomenal flow of gas was struck near Fostoria, Ohio, on the 14th at a depth of only 350 feet. The gas threw the tools a hundred feet high and the casing of the well followed. The gas took fire and the blaze was 150 feet high. Striking miners at Cripple Creek, Colorado, have built a fort on an eminence which commands three or four mines and there is prospect of fighting, as the mine companies propose to work, with imported labor.

Striking coke workers attempted to blow up a tunnel on the B. & O. road to cut off the West Virginians, who are still attended to. making coke, from access to market. The plot failed,

The American Railway Union proposes to boycott the Pullman company to support the strike of its men; to lay off every Pullman car in service, anywhere.

A big negro tried to tell the lower house of congress what the Lord wanted it to do, but the house did not recognize him except to order him put out. McKane's appeal to the supreme court

of the United States was finitless; he must serve his time at Sing Sing unless Gov. Flower takes pity on him. The coast defence ship Monterey, arm-

ored with Carnegie plates, is likely to be

condemned, the plates would not stop a round shot from a smoothbore. Every Saturday night for six months past the city of Laporte, Indiana, has had an incendiary fire, and the fire-bug

has so far escaped detection. The whole amount recommended by the committee on appropriations is \$21,-101.823, which sum is necessary to clear

the government's pay roll, A society of "Friends of Political Liberty" has just been broken up at St. Petersburg by the banishment of its members to Siberia.

The David Bradley works, at Chicago, one of the largest concerns in that city, was compelled by the coal famine to shut down last Saturday.

An oil refinery at Bradford, Pa., burned Sunday and a tank of benzine exploded. A hundred persons were burned, thirtyfive very severely.

Bostou suffered a \$1,000,000 fire on Tuesday, rendering 2,000 people homeless. The fire started in the Boston baseball park.

Wells-Fargo money orders were forged and country banks victimized to the ex-

or hity-eight and three-lourths centsthe lowest ever recorded in that market.

Mr. Patton, the late Senator Stock- those days. bridge's successor, has been appointed a member of the committee ou claims. George Decker, a wealthy California ranchman, is in jail to be tried for a murder committed twenty-seven years ago.

A Big Four train was mysteriously wrecked at Springfield, O., Tuesday, Loss \$25,000. A tramp was killed. New gold fields, supposed to be very

rich, have been discovered in Australia and a "rush" thither is going on, Cholera again rages in Russia. Surgeongeneral Wyman is advised that "the

Russian frontier is dangerous." Brazil has broken off diplomatic intercourse with Portugal-withdrawn its

legation and sent theirs home. The brotherhoods of railway employes are not in sympathy with the strike at Pullman and will not aid it.

Tip, the rogue elephant, was dead in twelve minutes after swallowing a dose of cyanide of potassium.

Coxey met with another rebuff on Tuesday. He was denied a new trial in the Washington police court.

The rebellion in Brazil is not entirely crushed. A battle was fought only a couple of weeks since.

Wisconsin and Minnesota river shave been "out of banks" this week and much

damage has resulted. Fayette county (Kentucky) women are making an active campaign against

Breckinridge. The New York Central road has been compelled by the coal famine to take off

many trains Talmadge's Brooklyn Tabernacle was destroyed by fire last Sunday. Loss \$2.-

The Coxey columns are all in hard The people are getting tired of the farce.

preof coats is in America to introduce his Lord Dunraven's yacht, the Valkyrie, foundered, lately, and all on board were

The German tailor who makes bullet-

The Bolingbroke club offers Corbett and Jackson a purse of \$10,000 to fight

across the Atlantic, eastward, this week. Chicago sweltered under a temperature of eighty-eight degrees last Wednesday. The president has gone a-fishing accompanied by Carlisle and Gresham. Four Harvard students were drowned

Almost \$4,000,000 in gold has gone

CONDENSATIONS in Boston harbor by the capsising of a Truesdell of Newark, N. J., J. F. Browne and F. Whitall of Philadelphia.

> Another big scandal, connected with the Suez canal, is agitating Paris. Alabama coal miners, on strike, burned three railroad bridges last week.

The torredo boat Ericsson was launch. ed at Dubuque last Saturday.

O'Grady, the priest who killed Mary Gilmartin is dying of remorse. Coxey's tramps moved out of Washing-

ton and are now in Maryland. Senator Wolcott has sailed for Europe to be gone several months.

Wm. H. Edwards, consul general at Berlin, died on Wednesday. A Washington letter says that "baby

Ruth" is a deaf mute. Dan Coughlin has engaged in the saloon ousiness in Chicago.

W. C. T. U. Items,

The regular business meeting of the W. . T. U. will be held at 3 o'clock next Thursday afternoon, May 24th, at the union rooms 113 Campbell street. Every member of the union is requested to be present as important business must be

Mrs. Eva B. Pillsbury, president of the local W. C. T. U., has returned from her winter's sojourn in Florida, much improved in health. The white ribboners gladly welcome her back into their ranks

Mrs. Pillsbury was active in W. C. T. U. work while gone, having succeeded in organizing a thriving W.C.T.U. of eighteen members while at St. Andrews and a Loyal Temperance Legion of thirty mem-

Directly after the W. C. T. U. convention in Cleveland, Ohio, next October, Lady Henry Somerset and Frances E. Willard, accompanied by other temperance workers, will start upon that trip around the world which was planned seven years ago, for the purpose of presenting the wonderful polyglot petition to all the potentates of the world This petition is signed by over four million men and women and is a petition against the traffic in alcoholic liquors, opium and the state regulation of vice. This petition was kept in the W. C. T. U .- exhibit in the woman's building during the World's fair.

A Mean Act.

During the presentation of "Fast Mail" last Wednesday evening some person in the gallery, at the time the lights were down upon the audience. If such an occurrence should take place again, Mr. Peterson will endeavor to fix the act upon the person and will prosecute for assault, It is not only a contemptible business but a dangerous one; a shot might put out an | 509 Ludington St.

Board of Review.

Notice is hereby given to owners of property that the Board of Review will be in session at the council chamber on tent, of many thousand dollars last Monday and Tuesday, May 28 and 29, to hear objection, if any shall be made, to Wheat sold in New York last Saturday | the assessment for the current year. The sessions of the board will be from 8:00 a. m. until 5:00 p. m. of each of

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NOTES FROM THE LIVELY TOWN AT THE HEAD OF THE BAY.

Something About the Jury System-New Dock For the Allie E. Shipman-A New Church-J. W. Kinsel to Count Noses-Notes.

This community being entirely ignorant of the merits of the recent suit of Naugle vs. Schaible has not taken sides but The Iron Port's comment on the verdict and its casual deprecation of the jury system because in this case eleven men believing there was no cause of action finally yielded to one man and returned a verdict amounting in damages and costs to over two thousand dollars, rather than disagree, sugests this great moral question: Supposing the one man to have been wrong, which is the more honorable, the to a wrong or the one who conquered the on a draft of sixteen feet. other eleven? In which class would you prefer to be Mr. Editor? One may add of this office yesterday and spoiled our that this argues nothing against a change but let him logically extend and see.

The new dock for the steamer Allie Shipman is completed but owing to the beating M. H. Quick 171 in a total vote low stage of water the boat has been of 647. able to reach it only ouce or twice and continues to touch at Masonville. The trouble has been on the Whitefish Point bar and we learn incidentally that Capt. Shipman is making arrangements to have a channel dredged through it. We are not informed as to the modus operandi but are justified in hinting that the different mill and boom companies will contribute liberally if approached on the subject.

The board of education has passed a resolution that only such teachers' applications will be considered as are accompanied by a verified copy of their certificates and instructed the clerk, B. Baker, G. M. is "after them." to notify all applicants to that effect. This course is taken to save Commissioner Smith and themselves the embarrassment of having teachers engaged and perhaps open school, as has frequently been the case in times past, who fail to secure Houghton. certificates.

clerical services by the several old school districts during the past year; it is done simply to provide a comparison of cost of the old and the new system. No report has yet been made but enough has been | time there. gleaned to give the impression that when the new officers have drawn the maximum allowed by law the total cost will still fall below the same of that of the district | Houghton.

J. W. Kinsel is appointed census enumerator and will therefore number the Senators Hunton, of Virginia, and Kyle, natives during the month of June. This of North Dakota, with a story that he township is the most extensive one in the was authorized to offer them each \$25,- sluiceway of the Glenwood Manufacturing county, comprising as it does two hund- 000 for their votes against the pending | Co. were carried away and several hunred sixteen square miles of territory and tariff bill. The matter is to be investigat- dred thousand feet of logs were carried as there are a few residents scattered ed, meanwhile we "rise to remark" that over every surveyed township the peda- the lobbyist is a big liar or a big fool. gogue will have to apply some of the We incline to the former hypothesis, not qualities wherewith the prefix to the believing that he had any such authority, title has been acquired.

instituted a church with the Rev. D. C. enough, and he could have got Kyle, if at Empson of Gladstone as pastor. They all, for a great deal less money. His em-Garth ladies are doing about the same lying was done by the other fellows.

K. P. in Convention. The Michigan Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, met in annual session at Benton Harbor Wednesday morning at ten o'clock with nearly 300 members in attendance. The hall had been testefully decorated with banners, festoons and emblems appropriately arranged, with draped desks on raised platforms for the chief officers. The morning's session was occupied with the reception and consideration of the reports made by the grand chancellor, grand keeper of records and seals and grand master of the exchequer. The reports and 30 cents; but the immense audiences showed a full attendance of representatives of the 163 lodges in this jurisdiction, ford to give as they do a first class per-A net increase of nine lodges during the year, eight by installation and one dormant revived. The membership has increased :972. The lodges generally are in good condition. Five were burned out during the year, losing their paraphernalia. Only one appeal is pending before the grand lodge, referring to the case of a sick brother. Special attention has been given during the year to instruction in the new ritualistic work. The balance in the treasury is \$3,291.90, a decrease of \$676.20 during the year, which is attributed to the expense of special work ordered by the last grand lodge. Eleven lodges have applied for charters, which will be granted. The rank of past chancellor was conferred on seventy knights during the session. The knights are eligible to sit in the grand lodge, but not to take part in the delibera-

The afternoon session lasted from two o'clock till 6:30 and the following officers were elected: Grand past chancellor, G. M. at A., E. F. Woodcock, Niles; I. G., no matter who they nominate.

RIPPLES O. D. Jones, Marquette; O. G., Dan P. Mc-Mullen, Cheboygan. S. T. Gage was elected trustee. Grand Chancellor Douglas has full power to appoint deputies and \$1,000 compensation was voted to deputies for the ensuing year.

MANY LOCAL MATTERS.

"The Smugglers," which will occupy the Peterson opera house on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of next week, got a great sent off in the Mining Journal. The Marquette house was 'jammed, to the roof."

We understand that a Mr. Taylor, of Marinette, long connected with the Marinette Iron Works, is negotiating for an interest in our, Escanaba, Iron Works, and that a deal is likely to be consummated.

Max Westheimer, whose domestic infelicities have been aired in the police court before, was assessed \$25 and costs Thursday for giving Mrs W. a bad black eye. Comment is unnecessary.

The Shenandoab, which was launched from Davidson's yard at Bay City last Wednesday, is as fine a wooden ship as eleven who thought they were assenting floats. Her capacity is 3,000 gross tons

The wind blew in one of the windows new sign besides giving theeditor a great Dr. Bowen was chosen president of

ground and two stories high, stone and brick.

the lion kind-at the middle of May. Ugh! Now they will build a church.

tonitis. Later: He is dead.

the Pacific coast.

Business is picking up at Chicago. The board of education has a committee Tonnage is in demand and rates have investigating the amount paid for purely advanced slightly. Tickets for the "Smugglers" at Mead's

> and Peterson's. Dr. A. H. Purdy, formerly of this city, is on his way to Europe to spend some

Suow, on the high land north of us, last Thursday.

Judge Hubbell is holding term at

Fool or Liar: Which?

A lobbyist, it is charged, approached but if he was authorized to negotiate for The ladies of Masonville, Mesdames votes he is a fool and a blunderer; his Reynolds and Naugle officiating, have offer to Hunton was not half high have fitted up the old store building for a ployers, if he had any, picked out a very chapel, purchased an organ and have bi- poor agent for a very dirty work. The weekly services. They gave their first man accused is an ex-congressman from sociable, an entertainment and festival, North Dakota named Buttz, and he chal-

The Coming Show.

The Rice, Wolford & Sheridan Co. who present the "Smugglers," "Underground" and the "Train Wreckers" at Peterson's opera house next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, come with splendid endorsements from the press of neighboring cities. The Marquette Daily Mining | Milwaukee and Chicago, however. Journal devoted over an entire column to this attraction. In many respects this organization is truly original. They carry every set of scenery used in the production of its plays and make prices the lowest ever known in this section, 10, 20 they attract proves that they can well alformance even at those prices.

Dog License Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all owners of dogs in the city of Escanaba that in accordance with the provisions of a city ordinance, a license fee of \$1.00 must be paid on all dogs running at large within the city limits on the first day of June, 1894. The proper tags may be had at the city clerk's office. Dogs not wearing license tags after that day will be in danger of the dog catcher. Chas, EHNERD, Chief of Police.

The 'Cyclists' Medals. The medals-one gold worth \$25 and

one silver worth \$10-which are to be raced for by the wheelmen on the 11th of June, are now on exhibition at Stevenson's. Drop in and look at them, boye; it let any outsider carry off either of them.

Bland For President,

Southern and western free-silver demo George A. Reynolds, Saginaw; G. C., F. crats propose Dick Bland for president, ed from their vengeance for ten years. M. Douglas, Ionia; G. O. C., W. D. Clisbe, on a free-silver platform. If the plan Kim was the ablest Corean who has Birmingham; G. K. R. and S., James W. matures the eastern democrats can "flock come to the front since the hermit king-flockins, Lansing; G. M. of E., Henry C. by themselves" and put up Cleveland dom was opened to foreigners. He spoke Hall, Hudson; G. P., James Gray, Detroit; again, but they won't be in it a little bit, Japanese, Chinese, French and German

THE WISCONSIN FLOODS

TWO MILLIONS LOST IN THE CHIP PEWA VALLEY ALONE.

Towns Flooded-Dams and Bridges Swep Away-Lumber Yards and Mills Wrecked-Washouts on Railways.

CHIPPEWA FALLS, May 16-The storm which passed over this city and vicinity last night swelled the Chippewa river and its tributaries out of their banks flooding an immense area of farming country, washing away railway tracks, bridges, buildings and mills. Several dams broke and caused most of the loss. This city lost three bridges and other property and property owners suffered heavy losses. The cedar block pavement of River street was torn out and much goods destroyed in cellars. The loss to the city is \$15,000 at least, while the damages to private property will be \$30, 000. Duncan Creek, a branch of the

Chippewa, has been turned into a wild looking river and sawmills and many thousand of logs were carried away. On the village of Manistique last Monday, account of the destruction of telegraph and telephone lines are estimated in this city and county alone at \$200,000. The Luce county is to have a new jail and Chippewa river is still rising and merhouse for the sheriff, 40 by 72 feet on the | chants in the lower part of the city are removing their goods.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., May 16 .- The wall May weather we had in March, and of water sweeping down Black River valthis week we have had March weather, ley struck River Falls this morning. The fire alarm bells were rung and the people L'Anse Catholics held a fair last Tues- hurried from their homes to the aid of day and gleaned up \$1,200 or more. those living in the lower parts of the city in the path of the flood. The dam of the A. M. Gibbs, sup't of public works at Prairie mill checked the rush of water for Ishpeming, is desperately ill with peri- a few minutes, but walls of mud and stone could not withstand the pressure and the Hoodlums destroyed G. M. West's dam was swept away. The bridges were flower garden one night this week and swept from their fastenings and were carried away on the torrent. Several build Houghton county Finns are leaving. ings followed. The meal and starch fac-Many go back to Finland and some to tory was torn from its foundation and eye. swept down stream. Another large bridge L'Ause Freemasons want a lodge at went next. Foster's saw-mill was in the home. There is none, now, nearer than path of the tide and that suffered \$2,000 damage. The damage at the Prairie is \$2,000 and at Fortune's mill it is \$4,000. washouts. All the families on the lowlands were rescued.

At Bloomer, in the Chippewa valley, several dwellings, a large planing mill, the city pumping house and the fire engine house are gone.

The immense dam across Black river near Blakely, near Black river talls, was in danger, and the west wing was blown up to save the remainder of the structure. This sent a great flood down the vailey on Black river falls.

The mill district of Glenwood is a scene of wreck and ruin. The big dam and

At Chippewa Falls and north toward Bloomer the valley is under water.

Advices at the railway offices in Mil, vaukee report washouts on all roads north and west of the city. Every railway between Milwaukee and St. Paul has been badly tied up since last night.

The washouts on the St. Paul road are the most serious on the river division between kedwing and St. Paul.

The Chicago & Northwestern train from St. Paul to Chicago, which would have on Friday evening, the 18th inst. The lenges investigation. It may be that the left the north last night, was tied up at St. Paul until this morning and then proceeded via the Iowa and Minnesota division of the St. Paul.

The damage on the Wisconsin Central is serious for miles in extent from Chippe, wa Falls west, and all trains for St. Paul or from there are tied up. Trains are running on fair time between Ashland,

The flood loss in the Chippewa valley alone is estimated at \$2,000,000. At Bloomer the dam, sawmill, planing mill, bridges, houses and 6,000,000 feet of logs were carried away. No lives are reported lost. In Chippewa Falls damage was done to the extent of \$500,000 to streets, bridges and railway property. The city suffers the loss of five bridges.

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B. T. Washington, the negro eduof giving them expression. In an in-

terview with a New York newspaper man be said:

"What the Afro-American wants to be taught," he goes on to say, "is anity is to mix with it a great deal of cotton and corn, a few houses and lots and a good bank account. Sentimental christianity, which banks everything in the future and nothing in the present, is the curse of the race. . . Book education and religious teaching are not enough. It is hard to make a good christian of a hungry man. No matter how long our people have belonged to the church and got happy and shouted in the church, if they go home hungry at night and find nothing to eat, they are tempted to find something before morning. This is human nature the world over. . . . Our people like to live in the next world rather than in this one. They like to talk about living in the bright mansions above while occupying log cabins here; about wearing golden slippers in the New Jerusalem while too often going barefooted here. The kind of religion we need is the kind which is not only going to fill the heart, but show us how to fill the stomach, shelter the head and get a good farm."

As result of the difficulties caused by the coal shortage, the "wild" rate on ore from the head of Lake Superior was advanced to eighty cents Wednesday, and further advances are expected on any charters that may be made pending a settlement of the strike, but of course there is the probability of vessels being unable to take advantage of higher rates that may be offered on account of inability to get fuel at any price. The supply of West Virginia coal that had been coming to the lakes quite freely was cut short Wednesday by an order from the Baltimore & Ohio Railway reserving all coal on its line from Philadelphia to Chicago. There is now little probability of a resumption of mining operations before June 1, as the meeting of operators and miners in Cleveland on the 15th may be long drawn out, and in any event several days will elapse after a settlement, before active shipments are begun. Even if the worst comes and eighty per cent. or more of the lake fleet is tied up toward the latter part of the month, on account of inedequate fuel supplies, the result will in the end be to the advantage of the vessels .- Marine Review.

The strikes begin to have a serious though it is assumed only a temporary effect. The number of works dependor coke for fuel is large, and quite a considerable proportion of them has already been compelled to stop operalarger in the iron and steel manufacnearly a third in capacity of the iron furnaces at work a month ago appear adopt can not be stated at present. to have closed. Some railroads at the The main object in founding the soon unless the strike ceases. The movement of so-called armies of un- than breathing and wear no garment little excitement, and is less important happiness." No exertion greater or significant than the outward move- than breathing ought to catch all the ment of specie, which shows shrinking Coxey gang. foreign demand for products and further withdrawal of foreign capital. But neither strikes nor foreign distrust can long retard the progress of this country .- Dun's Review.

The Iron Port Washington. No aid or comfort must e extended to the men who fought against the South if there is any way out of it. The last of the old soldiers to go is Captain James C. Wheeler, chief deputy for many years, and faithful and conscientious officer.

The old soldiers who were led follow the Cleveland procession by promises of a one cent reduction in the price of dinner pails, with other necessities of life cheaper accordingly, might with profit compare the record of Collector Phelan with that of his republican predecessor. Out of OFFICE, NO. 803 LUDINGTON STREET a force of twenty men, as selected by Collector Stone, fourteen were veterans. No charges of incompetence or cator, of Tuskegee, Alabama, has some | neglect are laid at the door of any of very clever ideas and a forcible way the veterans who have had to walk. the plank. It is simply that their record is against them, in the eyes of the administration. The old soldier is persona non grata with Mr. Cleveland, and Collector Phelan, of course, that the most practical of all christi- is in harmony with his political creator.-Detroit Tribune.

> The refusal of the senate to consider retaliatory duties on British products to bring England to terms on the silver question) stirs up a contemporary to say that "courtesy" is wasted in dealing with John Bull; that "the British lion is a wolf. The beast is safe only when it is faced. Never since the war of the revolution has the wolf ceased to watch for a chance to get behind America, and it has never lost an opportunity to attack this country in the rear. specious smiles, which show its teeth very plainly, it talks of comity of nations speaking the same language and sprung from the same ancestry, and all the time it is watching for the opening to bite when we are not looking. The occasions in the past when Britain has accorded the United States decent respect, are few. The rest of the record of the relations of the two countries is a humiliating repetition of slight and insult on one side and submission on the other. It is about time the record was changed." It is not far wrong, either.

The tariff bill as finally reported by the finance committee to the senate contains many changes, generally in the direction of an increase of the duties provided for in the bill as it passed the house. We have not thought it of sufficient importance to give these changes in detail, since the bill may yet be changed considerably the senate, while the house will doubtless reject many of the amendments now proposed. The final form of the bill will be settled by the conference committee, to which it is certain to go finally, and until it reaches that stage comment on the details of ts provisions will be useless. It appears now, unfortunately, that the minority in the senate has adopted a policy of delay, and the prospect for the early passage of a bill is not encouraging. Business on all hands is clamoring for a settlement of the question, and a continued and aimless discussion will be most unfortunate.-Engineering and Mining

Here's an idea for the Coxeyites. A rich German has just sailed from San Francisco to find in the Pacific an island which he can purchase. What he wants of it is told by himself: "My idea in going to the tropics is to live as near nature as possible. ing upon supplies of bituminous coal The climate there is suited to my plans. You know a man can not go naked in a country where icicles form in his whiskers. Back in Germany tions. No doubt the proportion is I have friends-fruitarians, we call ourselves-who will come on and join ture than in any other business, but the colony if I report favorably. Just what form of government we will West are embarrassed, and textile colony is to return to the life of primworks of some importance must close litive man-eat nothing but fruit and grasses, indulge in no exertion greater employed on Washington has caused of any description. Therein lies true

It does not appear that liquordealers are bad risks, though the life insurance companies and the beneficial orders ban them. The Michigan Liquor Dealers Protective Association Collector of Internal Revenue which was formed eight months ago Phelan has fired the last union veteran has had its first death. Although much in his office, and his record is now less than a year old this organization of these shafts he, believes that a

The death benefit is \$1,000. Last grade would be found and the pressure negroes in Dixie. As she could not Sunday week Charles Van Dam, of developed could be used for running do it in Dixie except at her peril, and Muskegon, was buried, and on Tues- machinery. M. Berthelot believes as nobody (or very few) would listen day morning at eight o'clock the death also that at this depth we would reach to her north of the Obio, and as she John F. Navin, of Detroit. At 9:80 almost without limit. the same morning the warrant for \$1,000 was on the way to the beneficiaries of Van Dam's policy. The association has a membership of forty in Escanaba and the local body has for president M. J. Lyons, for secretary Nick Bink, and for treasurer

for raft towing on the lakes, just as they were recommended by the commission of army engineers. Appropriations in the bill are also substantially as they were reported from the committee. It may be that the Michigan representatives of lumber districts, who have enlisted the support of congressmen from Superior and Duluth against the raft towing regulations, will manage to stir up a strong opposition in the senate, where Gen. Alger was successful in a previous fight against restrictions in the rafting business. The measure will still stand careful watching from vessel owners.-Marine Review.

Ex-Governor Andrew G. Curtin, the war governor of Pennsylvania, who is now in his 78th year, looks back upon a political career of unusual length. As long ago as 1838 he had won reputation as a public speaker, and in 1848 he was one of the presidential electors on the Zachary Taylor ticket. His influence in bringing about the nomination of Abraham Lincoln and his distinguishservices during the war are well known. The ex governor is often seen in Philadelphia, but his health of late has given his friends some con-

The Hawaiian election was quiet and orderly, but only the supporters of the provisional government took part in it. The royalists still hope for the restoration of the old regime and think it will come about on the 1st proximo but it is not apparent on what their hopes are based and the government is not alarmed. Admiral Walker and his staff have been spending considerable time at Pearl Harbor recently, making soundings and inspecting the surrounding country. No definite location has yet been decided upon for the naval station.

The demand of New York is for self-government and honest administration, and not for a mere change in the personnel of the machine that plunders the city, debauches its police, levies blackmail at once upon its legitimate business and upon its vice, and revels in an orgy of misrule .- New York World.

It is d-ning Tammany, now, but wait until an election is pending. It will be on its knees to the plugugly gang and swearing that political virtue is its prime characteristic, and the gang knows it."

We have seen it noted in several of the papers of the district that Hon. S. M. Stephenson will not be a candidate for re-election to congress this year, but that the Hon. Joe Flesheim will be in the field for the nomination,-Mining Journal.

Perturbed spirit, rest. Sam will serve if he is wanted, and there is only one case in which he will not be-the case of his election to the senate. Joe would make a good congressman but he does not want the job, he is too busy and too happy at

Breckinridge's anxiety to serve his constituents faithfully and gloriously, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer, recalls a story of brave old General Jim Steadman. During the thickest of the awful battle shock at Chickamauga he dashed up to a retreating brigade and shouted: "Face about, boys! We must hold this point!" "But, General," said an officer, "We have done all that a brave and patriotic men can do for their country -" What! everything? Blank blank it, you haven't died yet!"

To beat the coal trust, a French savant, Mr. Berthelot, proposes to utilize the central heat of the earth by sinking a shaft or shafts to a depth of 4,000 meters. At the bottom

proofs were received by Secretary a source of thermo-electric energy must talk, England is as good a place

That American Railway Unionis a mischief maker, but its vice-president, Howard, has a head on him. Talking to the Pullman strikers he said: "My advice to you is let liquor of all kinds entirely alone. If you drink at all you are liable to loose your senses, and if you lose your senses, God As passed by the house the river knows what will happen. Keep away that impression is too firmly fixed to and harbor bill carries the regulations from whisky and beer. Don't do anything by halves, but keep sober and straight, and every laboring man in it has the fact. the country will be with you."

R. G. Horr, in the New York Tribune, treats Coxeyism seriously; points out that its demands are inadmissible, that its methods are foolish and necessarily futile, etc. Every sane person knew, already, all that he tells and argument is wasted upon the insane who are carrying on the tramp program of the Massilon crank. The whole business should be put to Letter. an end under the vagrant laws.

Canada is getting bumptious. Last week a party of summer folk went out from Put in Bay to fish for bass and got into Canadian waters. They were not catching fish for the market, were but sportsmen, but the Canadian police boat Petrel gathered them in and took the two yachts and the whole party prisoners and carried them to Windsor. It may be that Canada will have to be spanked.

The senate is wasting time on the tariff bill for the reason that it work will not be agreed to by the house. The sooner the matter is got into the hands of a conference committee the sooner will the end be reached. The 433 gentlemen of the two houses can not "get there" but a dozen of them may possibly do so, by "giving and taking." The conference committee won't make speeches.

Tom Edison is, for once, dead wrong. His idea that two hours of sleep is enough is vicious. The world would be the better if men slept more than they do; they are not making mischief when they are

It having been said that "Michigan has never chosen a young senator since the day of Lucius Lyon" until Patton was appointed, a correspondwho were younger than is Patton when they took their seats-Felch, Stuart and Chandler-and one who was but three months older-Tom Ferry. Patton's no "kid," or if he is

Walsh, the new senator from Georgia, tells but a half truth when he says of the south that "so great are her material advantages that a Chinese wall might be built around her and her people could increase and prosper are democrats. Anybody can underas no other people in the world." He should have said it of the United States; then he would have stated truth only and fully.

The A. O. H. makes this showing: The organization has a membership of 93,878, an increase in the past year of 10,656. The order has expended for benefits since the last report that the big concern at Pullman is \$378,000 and for charity \$345,000. It is proposed to publish the constitution for the purpose of showing that the order is non-political.

Fourteen southern states have less capital invested in manufactures than the single state of Pennsylvania by \$218,000,000, and turn out less product by \$200,000,000, yet any one of the fourteen has more weight in the democratic congress than Penusylvania when laws that affect manufacturing are under consideration.

In getting at the "true inwardness" of the Northern Pacific matter it becomes evident that Villard and his associates have bled that concern for ten or twelve millions of dollars. It is no wonder that Mr. Villard prefers to live in Germany; his boodle is safer there, and perhaps his person as

One hundred and twenty "business men of New York" call for the speedy passage of the Wilson bill. Of the Jem Mace, once champion of England, number seventy are importers and appears with him for contrast. not one a manufacturer.

A negress named Wells is lecturconsistent with that of his chief at has already almost 2,000 members. temperature of 160° to 200° centiling in England about the lynching of plenty in Gotham.

The Free Press corrects history saying of Cromwell that he "lost his head for his patriotism." It has been the common understanding that he kept it as long as he had any use for it and died king of England in everything but the title, leaving his place and power to his son. We fear be overthrown by the Free Press, but it is right in making the attempt if

Sam Stephenson is a rough old diamond, but he has a big heart and a brain that many a more polished fellow could use to advantage. He is no speaker and doesn't pretend to be, yet he is one of the best congressmen Michigan ever sent to Washington. Without doubt he can and does pull more strings than any two Websters of the house. - Washington

Ex-governor Winans is "agin." Don M. and the "referees" and his condemnation reaches Grover. It will make little difference with the conduct of the administration, we fancy; "Farmer Winans" is a "has been," his guns, such as they were, have been spiked since two years ago.

A constitution should be a code of principles, not a code of laws. It should establish rules of legislation, but should not legislate. A despotism embodied in a written constitution is no better, and may be worse, than a personal despotism in govern-

The men went out of the shops at Pullman on the 11th and the works are closed for an indefinite period. The wage-workers, counting boys and women and not counting salaried men, were earning an average of \$1.87 per day.

The Fond du Lac Journal, a democratic daily, died last week. The editor, in his valedictory, said "Democracy, in fact, is dead." He may be a little previous, but he states the condition with a close approach to accuracy.

The strike on the Mesabi having petered out, and Corrigan being advised that the unemployed men must starve if his mine remains closed, he has resumed work at the old we

The Columbus statue was unveiled at New York last Saturday and now it's time to "give us a rest." Chris blundered upon this continent and has been given enough of adulation.

Collector Phelan is no mugwump; he is clearing his office of republicans, because they are republicans, to make places for democrats, because they

stand Phelan. There is show of improvement in iron and steel and, while prices can not be said to have advanced they have hardened. The improvement has not yet reached as far as ore but if it continues it will.

Geo. M. Pullman tells bis employes running at a loss to keep them employed and says "now strike if you think best." They struck.

An old soldier wants the newpapers to stop calling the leaders of the Coxey gangs of tramps "General." Correct too; they are particular, not general, nuisances.

To criticise republican senators for opposing the democratic tariff legislation is silly. They must oppose it, by all means, or convict themselves of insincerity.

A. A. Ellis asserts that he was earning \$6,000 a year when he began to work for the state for \$2,000. If he tells the truth the more fool he.

Rutsche's instructions "How to Play the Most Difficult Music," is received and turned over to John Sourwine. Ask him about it.

Corbett is making a "howling success" as an actor in England. Old

Dick Croker did quit, but Tammany will not lack a boss, the material is

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS The majority did not think best to "throw good money after bad".

GEORGE T. BURNS CHOSEN CHAIR-MAN WITHOUT OPPOSITION.

A Full Attendance-A Strict Attention to Business and a Short Session. What Was Done-How It Was Done

The called session of the board of supervisors was called to order by the clerk at 1:30 p. m. Tuesday, every member save one being present. After roll call Supervisor Ward, temporary chairman, announced the first business-choice of a chairman. On motion, properly seconded, an informal ballot was ordered and George T. Burns received twenty-one votes, whereupon Supervisor Perry moved that the ballot be declared formal and George T. Burns declared the unanimous choice of the board, which motion prevailed without dissent.

Upon motion the board then took a recess to allow the chairman an opportunity to make up the committees. Upon reassembling at 4:00 p. m. the chairman announced the committees as follows:

Finance and Taxation-Farnsworth, Erickson and D. A. Brotherton. Auditing-Perry, C. E. Brotherton,

Cook, Leighton and Sandberg. Buildings-Campbell, Danforth and

Olson. County Poor-Nebel, Kleiber and Mercier.

Sheriff's claims-Rood, Hazen and Dausey.

Justices' Dockets-Derry, Mattson and Printing-Healey, Perry and Ward.

Supplies and expenditures-Ward, Grandchamp and Hoyler. Thereupon the board adjourned until

9:00 a. m. Wednesday to await reports Presidential message hanged about my of the committees.

Upon the reassembling of the board the opinion of the county attorney was received and considered concerning the assessments against the county for sewers in Wells and Ogden avenues. It being hemisphere committed hara-kiri. So you that such assessments were without see I had to live on in self-defense, as it warrant of law, the board refused pay. were, but am not living much. I am simment of the assessment not paid and instructed the attorney to see if he could detaker's clutches by a scratch, and am get back the amount slready paid.

The finance committee's report, then submitted showed cash resources of \$10,-631.42 and estimated expenses before further resources will become available of \$12,330.08, and recommended that \$1,700 be borrowed, as it might be needed to meet the expenses and cover the deficiency, at seven per cent. per annum. The report was accepted.

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The bill of J. H. Clancy, for legal cigars. Ask for them. services, \$100, was laid over until the October meeting, and that of Joseph Hynes, \$14.40 was rejected, and the bills requested to call and make settlement of passed by the committee were ordered

A resolution that steps be taken toward & Co.'s Cigars are the best sellers. the extradition from France of the ab- Two double and several single carriages sconding treasurer of Fairbanks town- are offered at very low figures, to close ship was lost by a vote of fifteen to eight. out the line, by F. D. Clark.

In the afternoon session various matters of no special or general interest were disposed of. The report of the committee having charge of building the bridge over Ford River reported a balance on hand of \$297.05, the which the board directed it to turn over to the authorities of Wells township to be expended in making proper approaches to the bridge.

For the bridge over the Escanaba river the sum of one thousand dollars was appropriated.

The committe on per diem and milage discharged its duty-the board ofdered the payment of its members in accordance with the report of the committee, and the May session came to an end.

Pat. Donan's Plaint.

Col. Pat. Donan says a great many things with which we must perforce take issue, but with the following outgiving we agree, heartly. He writes:

"I have been in the grip of the grippe ever since last fall and am not out yet. During the past four weeks I have gone through the worst illness I have ever encountered since my catch-as-catch-can-lifeand-death wrestling match with jungle fever years ago. The buzzards have been perching around on the fence-tops watching me with hungrily expectant eyes. If I had been anywhere else but here I might have turned up my toes to the wild onlons; but I really could not bear the idea of dying in Washington and being buried among a horde of so-called American statesmen. Think how overwhelmed | they go like hot cakes. with shame I would feel when Gabriel sounded the last great reveille to have to come climbing out in the resurrection with a vast mob of green and moldy congressmen! How could I have expected to escape being damned in such company? I could not efford, under existing Clevelandesque financial conditions, to have myself shipped away on ice to some decent cadaver plantation. There would have been no alternative but to have a millstone, a Senatorial tariff speech, or a neck and be dumped into the Potomac. But that would probably have killed all the catfish in the river, and that would have caused a famine among the Washington darkies, for whose freedom a ply keeping out of the coroner's sad un-

From Beaver Island.

for a Senator."

the skeletorized personification of good-

for-nothingism, almost worthless enough

St. James, Mich., May 14th, 1894 .-There is but little news to write; fishing is poor but vegetation is two weeks in advance, owing to timely rains.

John Johnson has a fine vessel nearly ready to launch, much larger than his Rough and Ready, which he sold last fall.

his abdomen, cutting his intestines. In every smoker's mouth, Ben-Hur

John Herly... 103,70 flew from his hammer and passed through

Persons having unsettled accounts

GENERAL NEWS FROM ESCANABA TOWNSHIP.

An Entertainment to Be Given at School No. 3 On May 25th-John Stack Se''s Eighty Acres of Land to E. Richeler.

School No. 3 will close May 25th and Miss Budinger is preparing an interesting program for an entertainment at the clorof school. Those who are acquainted with Miss Budinger's abilities in that particular direction will appreciate the treat that is in store for them on this occasion. To our friends one and all we would say do not fail to attend this entertainment and get acquainted with one of the most successful teachers in the

John Stack, of Escanaba, had eighty scres of land here which he sold lately to E. Richeler of your city who will immediately have a comfortable residence erected thereon. Mr. Valentine of Escanaba has the contract for the building.

Everything was quiet in the matrimonial line this week, but if there is anything in present indications, there will be another wedding in the near future. Our girls are good looking and

A party of young people from the city had a surprise party at the residence of Joseph Beauchamp last Saturday evening and we are informed that they had a very pleasant time.

Charles Mayotte has given up city life and moved on to his farm here where he intends to remain and aid in the development of the agricultural resources of the township.

Charlie Duranceau has rented fifteen acres of land to a Mr. Billings for a term of five years. Mr. Billings will turn his attention to market gardening.

Louie Hausen, of Escanaba, is doing carpenter work here this summer. Mr. Hansen is a good carpenter and seems to have plenty to do.

There is an abundance of moistore in the ground now and the prospect of a good hay crop is all that could be desired. It appears that Mr. and Mrs. F. Provo

have not lost interest in country life as they visit the farm quite frequently. Geo. English and son of Escanaba enjoyed the scenery at Chandler Falls the

first of the week. Louie Mayea will build a house on his farm and may decide to move here with his family.

Frank Pease is doing considerable in the way of improvements around his place this spring.

Geo. Hughes and wife were among the city people that visited this place last

Supervisor Dausey attended the session of the county board of supervisors this

John Corcoren accompanied by a party of friends visited this place last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Farrell, of Escanaba, visited here last Souday.

Day Carcoll has returned to Marquette this week.

Gunboats in Polities.

The English have had a great deal to say from time to time in criticism of American elections and the evils of a vuiversal suffrage. The illogical character of these strictures has been pointed out, but in nothing is the absurdity of the Euglish attitude made so obvious as in the disorder and lawlessness, the riot and the bloodshed, that so frequently disgrace the English exercise of political 'rights." The reports of lawlessness in the political campaigns of New Brunswick are scarcely worse than some of the outbreaks in English boroughs except in the matter of numbers. Brutal fights and riots were so high-handed in one district, the Bay de Verds, that a man-ofwar was ordered to the scene to secure the peace. Unpopular candidates were set upon by ruffians in the most savage fashion.

Imagine a candidate for office in this country urging his supporters to do bodily violence to men in the opposition! Such a thing was never heard of in the most lawless sections of this country. But the English or Canadians count it as a little thing .- Juter Ocean.

The Wealth of the United States. One of the most recently issued of the census bulletins treats of the wee'th of the United States. This bulletin, the statistics of which are compiled from the final report upon valuation and taxation of the eleventh census, shows a total valuation of real and persone! properly amounting to \$65,073,091,197. Of this total, \$89,-544,544,833 represents the value of real estate with improvements thereon and the remainder, \$25,492,546,864, represents the value of personal property, including reliroads, mines, quarries, live stock on ferms, gold and silver coin and bullion, machinery of mills and product on hend, raw and manufactured, telegraphs, telephones, shipping, cenals, etc. The figures, of course with the Escanaba Steam Laundry are relate to the close of the census year 1890. At that time the tote! assessed value of real and personal property was \$25,478,-Success speaks volumes. Geo. Moebs 173,418, of which amount \$18,956,556,675 represented real estate and improvements thereon and \$6,516,616,743 personal property. The true valuation, as distinct from

The distribution of the total value among the several items was as follows: Real estate with improvements thereon amounted to \$39,541,541,333; live stock on farms and ranches, with form implements and machinery, was valued at \$2,703,015,040; mines and quarries, including product on hand, were valued at \$1,291,291,579; gold and silver coin and bullion smounted to \$1,158,774,948; the machinery of mills and product on hand, raw and manufactured, was valued at \$3,058,593,441; railroads and equipments, including \$283,898,519 in street railroads, were worth \$8,685,407,323; telegraphs, telephones, shipping and canels were appreised at \$701,755,712, and miscellaneous personal property was valued a \$7,893,708,821. The figures given include only the value of visible and tangible properly, and in the distribution among the several states account is taken, not of ownership, but only of location.

True Americans in the Country. Great citles among us are typical of the republic as a whole, but the citizens of our great cities have their nationality brushed off at their elbows. In the country there are still purely American communities whose fathers and grandfathers were American before them. Moreover, writes Octave Thanet in the May Scribner, in the country the foreigner becomes more quick ly Americanized. In New York he hardly pays us the compliment of learning our language.

And it is not strange that the few foreigners who have either the wit or the good fortune to penetrate into what they call the "provinces," are our kindest judges; for they have seen the American at his best. They have touched both the picturesque and the gentle side of our national character. It is not in the great cities but in the little cities and the villages that one sees the class that Emerson loved, the plain livers and high thinkers, or another class, not so plain in its living, not so high in its thinking in one way, but practical followers of righteousness and exceedingly pleasant people to meet. Many of them have what counted for wealth in a simpler generation; all of them have education and a generous habit of mind. They love their country, but they are a little shy of politics; nevertheless they furnish the pith of the republic. They are the silent Warwicks that make and unmake party kings, asking and expecting no reward, and only half conscious of their own power. Most of the women treasure up, somewhere, an old sword or a pair of tarnished shoulder straps, belonging, it may be to a gray, it may be to a blue uniform, but worn by equally honest and gallant fellows. The men are in touch with the present, but they keep the sturdy virtues taught them by their fathers, and, God be thanked, they will transmit them to their sons.

State News.

Smith & Co., state printers, get the job again, to run for two years from July 1. Senator Patton was sworn in on the

Saginaw cuts down its expenses twelve

Cau'men, the drunken shooter of Richards, at Au Train, got eight years in the

Grand Rapids business men go back to kuee-brecches Brauch county, for two years "dry"

under local option, gives it up and votes for license. Jacob Billinger, of Jackson, is booked

for a long term for outraging a child only eleven years old. Gov. Rich has issued a proclamation

quarantining Texas cattle. Hillsdale county sticks to local option and goes dry.

The cor! famine is threatening Michigan railways and manufacturing concerns. Twenty days more of it will use up the stock on hand.

By the caving of an unfinished sewer at St. Johns, Charles Dunber was killed. The trial of Ellis, for forgery of the Go-

gebic county returns, is set for June 4. The anti-Dickinson demograts propose fusion with the populists and Yaple and Winans as senatoria' candidates, and Whiting for governor.

From a Southern Standpoint. The Memphis Appeal Avalanche makes double-leaded prayer to its readers that they, ril and singular, shall forever cease from complaint or abuse of President Cleveland, and shall join with it in continued laudation of his great and glorious policy. For, says the A-A, "What is the matter with Grover ? Isn't he all right ? Hasn't he done the square thing by the south? Isn't Eustis, of Louisiane, amtassador to Frence? Isn't McKenzie, of Kentucky, minister to Peru ? Isn't Porter, of Tennessee, minister to Chili? Isn't Caruth, of Arkansas, minister to Portugal? Isn't Hoke Smith, of Georgis, in the cabinet? Isn't Herber, of Alabama, in the cabinet? Isn't White, of Louisiana, on the supreme bench? And hasn't Grover the Great and Cleveland the Good made all these appointments of southern men? What more, beloved friends of the south, do you want? Isn't this a good showing? Let us give thanks."

Cook & Whitby's Circus, Cook & Whitby's three-ring circus will give two exhibitions in this city on the 14th of June. The show is said to be first-class in every respect.

Stole Ole's Hose. Sometime during Thursday night some one entered the premises of Ole Gangstad, on Mary street, and took therefrom his 20 the assessed valuation, which is for trustion lawn hose, valued at \$9.

FROM THE RURAL REALM purposes only, is what would be deemed a UPPER MIGHIGAN NEWS

THE LIBERAL SCISSORING OF EX. CHANGES FOR PORT READERS.

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

Iron Mountain cuts the pay of its officials as follows: City attorney \$200; a cut of \$200 from last year; clerk \$300; a cut of \$200 from last; treasurer \$156; a cut of \$100; collector \$150, a cut of \$100; chief of police \$780, a cut of \$120; chief of fire department \$720, no cut; street commissioner \$1 per year; a cut from \$75 per month; sanitary policeman \$1 per year, a cut from \$60 per month.

Last Monday a young man by the name of Bartlett, was belping the engineer at the K. C. Co. mill, Menominee, adjust a belt on a pulley when his clothing was caught in a shaft and he was wound around it. Fortunately, his clothing tore and he was released immediately. without a stitch of clothing, however, except bis shoes remaining on him, but not seriously injured.

After two weeks the senior class of the mining school begin work in the assaying rooms, which lasts two weeks, then comes four weeks of stamp mill work, and the school work ends with a six weeks' trip to the iron country to study geology.

A small blaze on the sixth level of No. shaft of the Aurora mine early Monday morning filled the workings with smoke and badly scared 200 men employed there. The blaze was quickly extinguished before any damage was done.

The Journal's idea is that Iron Mountain is not "bankrupt" because it can (the Journal thinks) borrow money. Beng "in the hole," deep, it can go deeper, and so is solvent, eh?

Iron Mountain's schools are holding regular sessions; there has been no curtailment, and in the opinion of the university authorities they are as good as any in the state.

A fire at Red Jacket in the early morning of May 11th burned ten business buildings. Loss \$50,000 exclusive of loss on buildings. It was of incendiary

Ishpeming and Negaunee officials and citizens went down to Marquette to assist in the laying of the corner stone of the new city hall. A man named Milligan fell from a Soo

train near Isabella and was so injured

that his life is in danger. He is cared for at Manistique. Crystal Falls electric light plant was knocked out by lightning and the town has gone back to kerosene until it can be

repaired. Capt. Taylor has begun his season's thousand dollars below the last year's work with the City of New Baltimore

> island. Frank Parker has been "let out" as chief engineer of the Norway fire department, and is succeeded by Wm. Hodgson. Frechtel Brothers, of Saginaw, are the

> contractors for the high school building at Menominee. Their bid was \$43,865. Capt. Gulgren, who was chosen mine inspector for Iron county, throws up the iob. The pay is only \$200 a year.

The "Watersmeet Headlight" is received. It is Pat. O'Brien's Iron County Reporter with a change of head.

Red Jacket will spend \$40,000 or so in public improvements this summer, and do it without going in debt.

Win. Extrom was killed by falling ground in the Lake Angeline mine (east end) on the night of the 11th. Vizneau's murderer is no doubt in cus

tody. His name is Masta, and he and Vizneau's wife put up the job. Kobe, the missing man, has been seen

in the copper country and is, therefore, not dead in the woods. A girl of thirteen and a boy of nine

years are missing from Menominee. They are named Combray. Marquette masons dedicated their new

lodge rooms Monday, Grand Master Phillips officiating. The Chicago Lumber company has re-

sumed regular, monthly, payment of its employes, in cash. Manistique has not room enough in its present school horses and must increase

it in some way. The Chapin is working between four and five hundred men and its output is

800 tons a day. The Pewabic is shipping 2,000 tons a day-half from stockpile and half from

the mine, direct. Walter Wilson, fifteen years old, fell into the river at Manistique last week and

was drowned. We could "take more comfort" with Brother Kuight's Current if he would use

some ink. Henry Quinu, a pioncer resident of Marquette county, died, at Republic last Tuesday.

The Journal says that work is to be resumed at the Ludington-Hamilton mine. Again Ishpeming is looking for the blowing in of the Excelsior furnace.

The Salvation army is giving "ham, jam and glory" banquets up north. Crystal Falls has but five saloons this year and they'll not get rich. .Charles Kobe and his son, a boy of

fifteen years, who lived on a homestead

near Clowrey, have been missing since May 2d, on which day they went into the woods to search for their cows. Search has been made by their neighbors but has been ineffectual.

Byron S. Waite must have given up the idea of the speakership; he is running (for the benefit of the Methodist church of Menominee-votes ten cents apiece) for

president of the United States. The corner stone of the new city hall at Marquette was laid Monday. Judge Stone, Hon. F. O. Clark and Mr. Pearl, acting mayor, were the speakers. A banquet followed.

A white swan, six feet eight from tip to tip, was shot lately in Spread Eagle lake.

Bargains at Schram's.

Owing to the depression of the money market, and no immediate relief in store, I have about concluded to make another great sacrifice in behalf of the benefit to the people. I am bound to reduce my stock and realize money. Following are a few of my latest quotations:

25 pieces of 45 inch wide unbleached cotton @ P) pieces of 2 yards wide unbleached cot-50 pieces of the old reliable Lawrence L. L. unbleached cotton @ ... 50 pieces of light colored dress Shallies @

0 pieces of 4-4 Satines and Irish lawns @ Very best black Satines &. One lot of 10-4 all wool red blankets, per pair @ ... 0 dozen patent roller curtains including

One line of Ladies' latest style Capes from \$1.50 to ... Lace curtains @. m pieces of white Shaker flannel @. Apron Ginghams as before @ One line of Venetian wool dress goods @. Outing fiannels @ Trunks and Valises at half their original value. Other goods will be marked out in plain

figures. Those goods have got to move and will be sold as advertised. Respectfully Yours.

405 Ludington St. LOUIS SCHRAM.

Western Methods.

The dispenser of the finest brands of western justice sat on a soap box with a law book spread before him on an upended whisky barrel.

"Who arrested this man?" he asked. as the prisoner stood up before him.

"We did," responded half a dozen citizens standing around.

"What's the charge?"

"Hoss stealin"?" "Kin you prove it?"

"You betcher life we kin; we ketched him in the act."

The judge looked ugly. "Will you swear to it?" he asked. "Course we will; didn't we jist tell you

we ketched him at it?" "All right, gents," said the judge blandly, as he held his gun across the law book, "I'll fine each an' every one of you ten dollars and costs for contempt of court; in fetchin' him here, and dismiss the case agin the prisoner. You oughter strung bim up when you ketched bim."

To Drive Away Ants.

A correspondent of the New York Observer says: "Having had years of torment with ants, both black and red, we lighted upon the following remedy, which with us has worked like magic. One spoon(v) tarter emetic, one spoon(v) of sugar, mixed into a thin syrup. As it evaporates or is carried off, add ingredients as needed. A sicker lot of pests would be hard to find. Whether they impart the results to the home firm or whether all are killed, I know not. Certain it is they do not pay us a second

It Looked That Way.

Whoever has seen the Washington monument in Baltimore, with the crouching bronze lion at its base, will appreciate the story they tell about the restic hunter on his first visit to town. He scanned the shaft for some time running bis eye from the base to the point on which the statue stood and back again, and then fastened his gaze on the crouching lion, as if fascinated. His lips parted. and his city friends drew near to hear his criticism. At last out came the words: "By Jinks, he's got the old man treedain't he?"

The Vale of Minnekahta Is the title of a beautifully illustrated booklet recently issued, descriptive of the Hot Springs, South Dakota, and the efficacy of their waters for the cure of rheumatism, neuralgia and kindred diseases. Copy of this pamphlet will be mailed free by W. A Th. all, General Passenger Agent Chicago & Northwestern Railway, Chieago, Ill., upon receipt of request, enclosing two cent stamp.

Baking Powder.

Awarded Highest Honors-World's Fair.



A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free nia, Alum or any other adult 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

"AIN'T SHE A DARLIN?" previous night be had been in great pain,

"BROOMS" AND HER SAILOR LOVER. THEIR TRIBULATIONS.

ASailors's Misfortune-A Maiden's Fidel ity-The One Proves the Other and Wedding Bells and Orange Blossoms Follow.

"I s'pose folks think I am a-goin for her money. Well, I don't care if they do. You see, George, it wasn't altogether my fault. She is one of them girls that is a stalwart in her likes. She couldn't have been more than twelve years old when she first said that she liked me, and she stuck to it up to the minute I bid her good-by and started for Japan. What's a feller to do when a girl keeps tellin' him she's in love with him? Of course, I had to give in after awhile. I knew her father would fume over it and call me a rascal; but, to tell the truth, I couldn't help likin' her and I thought to myself if she liked me well enough to marry me it would not make so much difference what her governor said, anyway."

These remarks were made by Tom Abercorn on the deck of an American man-of-war anchored in an eastern port. We spent many afternoons, as old friends will, in reminiscent conversation. I had been cruising about the world nearly three years before it occurred to me that I was tired of it. A mere romantic caprice, considerably reinforced by Tom Abercorn's brusque persuasion, had led me into the service in the first place, and now that the glamor of marine experience had worn off I began to wonder whether I would not be happier on land.

There was some reason to believe that Tom was also growing dissatisfied, though he seldom hinted anything to that effect. He was a rough-and-ready fellow, and the life of the sea was more suited to his nature than to mine. While I at college, breaking down a naturally delicate constitution by hard study, he was in a machine shop, developing an iron muscle that I had occasion to envy more than all the erudi tion I had acquired.

But while Tom was physically adapted to cope with ocean vicissitudes, there was a magnet that ever drew his thoughts ashore. He was engaged to be married. The father of his inamorata was a large and wealthy broom manufacturer in Philadelphia, and Tom always spoke facetiously of the young lady as Brooms. In fact, she was so called by the members of her family and her most intimate friends.

"But Mr. Grayling knows all about it now," continued Tom, after a pause. "Brooms told him. I fancy he would have been pretty mulish if he hadn't seen it was no use; so he says: 'Do you love him?' and Brooms replied: "What do you take me for, papa-a hypocrite?' Then the old man says: 'All right, marry him.'"

Any further conversation was cut off by the gruff voice of the executive officer. The vessel was trespassing upon the chanorder for it to anchor farther out the roadleaving port were obliged to take.

Tom immediately went to his duties in in a rapidly revolving crank. Before he could throw his arms over his shoulders his leg was horribly mangled just below the knee by another revolution of the crank. He fainted away before help could be summoned.

After Tom had been carried, unconscious, to the deck, I set about in the absence of the surgeon, who was ashore, to upper part of his limb with a tourniquet. When the surgeon appeared on the scene he assured me that I had saved my friend's | ties, etc., yet? life, though the leg must be amputated at once, he declared as he gazed on the poor man groaning with agony.

And against all of Tom's protestations he was borne into the cock-pit and laid on his face that Brooms had not consented to a table. The surgeon insisted that there was not even time to administer either. I have forgotten how many men were required to hold him. It was beyond my courage to stand by and see them mutilate my comrade with all those knives and saws. | fully placing the message in his pocket. Into his mouth they forced woolen cloth, to serve the double purpose of muffling his cries and furnishing him something to

At last it was over, and then they gave him opiates. From the time his wound was bandaged I became his nurse and ed from the service and perted, he going watched over him through the long days to Philadelphia and I to Boston. and nights as though he were a brother. He grew so emaciated and weak that no one would have recognized him as the tend it. The occasion was almost pathetic, whilom strong, muscular Tom Abercorn. The beauty of Brooms upon which I had But he began to mend after a few weeks, heard Tom dilate so often, was undenlathough his convalescence was slow.

quently when reading to him I would look man's love, her cheeks suffused, her lips, from my book and find him sobbing hysterically. I did not interrupt his grief, tremulously, the white serge all about her thinking that it was but the natural result graceful throat, and the organge blossoms of physical weakness. But one day when 'in her Titlan hair, I must confess that for I was about to read to him his favorite once the matter-of-fact Tom Abercorn expoem, "The Lady of the Lake," he begged cited my envy. And when it was all over me to defer it. He was unusually pale and the guests' present had been duly ex-

and exceedingly restless.

"George," said he, in a serious tone, "I that had been amputated. "If I was to in- to spare one of my legs for such a wife sist on marryin' her she would be dread- and such a father-in-law. fully disappointed, because Brooms is the proudest woman I ever did see. It would cut her to the quick to know that she had to be the wife of a one-legged man. I'm Brooms her freedom."

An interval of silence followed, and then I commenced to reason with him, but he shook his head stubbornly, and would not listen. He requested me to get pen and paper and write down his dictation. It was useless putting him off; he would call another, shipmate if I refused, so I brought writing materials, propped him up on the pillows, and indited the following, substantially, as it came from his lips:

"My Darling Brooms: I address you thus for the last time. I have met with an accident, and only have one leg left to meet another of like nature. I am sorry for both our sakes that all this happened, because through the loss of my limb I must lose you, for I knew you have enough sense not to care for only half a man. Burn up my letters and picture. The latter, I believe, is full length, and no longer a correct likeness. Keep the parrot I brought you from the South seas by which to remember me as I once was when I could climb to the main top quicker than any jolly tar aboard the Natalie. I hope by the time I get back you'll be married and settled down, with a baby, name I would insist upon you splitting it in two, just because-but never mind why Brooms, you'll make some solid man the sweetest little wife on earth. There, goodby, Brooms! I could add to the brine of the old sea if I were leaning over the deck rail. As it is I'm wetting a handkerchief, and my friend who writes this for me is a witness. Brooms, I'll never forget you, and am your friend always.

Tom managed to scratch down his own signature. He requested me to mail the letter, and sinking back in the folds of the pillows exhausted, was soon in slumber. I did not dare detain the note. After

struggling against a strong desire to do so, I took it ashore with me in the afternoon. Ton, was calmer after that; he seemed

stoically resigned. He refused to take any more thin broth, and demanded "something to est." His irritability was a sign of improvement in health. Tom's bluntness sometimes might have been mistaken

One morning about two months afterward he surprised everybody by calling for his clothes and the crutch that had been provided for him. Having been up in a chair several times, we assisted him into his clothes, and had the satisfaction of seeing him totter on deck.

That afternoon he received a letter from Brooms, and this is what it said:

"My Precious Old Boy-for you are more precious now that there isn't so much nel, and the harbor master had sent an left of you: I want you to distinctly understand that your relics belong to ma. What stead, so that it would not be an obstacle there is of you I want, if it isn't more than in the course which ships entering or a little finger. You needn't think I'm going to let you off, even if you do sacrifice a member in the hopes that I will. No, inthe engine room, where he met with an deed! I am not kind of a woman. Oh, accident that nearly cost him his life. At Tom! I am so sorry that you have lost a nearly the foot of the iron hatchway he leg. It will spoil our pleasure at dances, slipped and fell, so that his left foot caught and you did used to enjoy waltzing so much; but I don't care if you will only come home and marry me. If you write and grasp an iron rod to extricate himself, such a letter as your last after you get this one I shall go stark mad and not try to recover. I think I shall be able to bring you under the domestic yoke, because you can not run away from me. I am going to let my finger nails grow, and get in training, as pugilistic parlance has it, for you. I do hope you've got about enough check the flow of blood from the wound of the service to last you for life. Oh, dear by twisting a handkerchief around the Tom, won't you come back? I would love you just as much if both your legs were gone. Have you received the box of neck-

"With undying, unaltering love, I am-BROOMS."

I knew before Tom had finished perusing his letter by the joyful expression on the discontinuance of their relations. He sprang up, grasped his crutch, bade me follow him, and hobbled into a corner, where he read me Brooms' letter.

"Hain't she a darlin'?" he asked, care-Our vessel was a government cruiser, and had put into this port for repairs. When she was finally released from the dry dock the Natalie set out for New York, where in due course we arrived. Tom and myself were honorably discharg-

A few weeks later I received an invitation to Tom's wedding and decided to atble. As she stood up with him, her beryl-He grew nervously morbid, and fre- tinted eyes flashed with the fire of a wolike wet coral, murmuring the responses

redundant graciousness, handed her a deed to an elegant brown-stone house, and told the bride and groom it was to be their fuam going to write Brooms that our engage- ture home. One of the guests informed ment is off, and tell her why. I am only me that Mr. Grayling had settled upon his half a man now," and he made a droll daughter an annulty, and I came away feint of taking off his shoe from the foot fully convinced that I should be willing

Tom is at present a slap-up official in the Philadelphia navy yard. He don't half earn his handsome salary, the rascal. There is scarcely anything for him to do, sure she would be too much ashamed to lom is lazy, I fear; but then, he can afwalk out with a husband who always had | ford to be; and Brooms, who is sole heir to carry a crutch. Yes I'm going to give to her recently deceased father's estate, is constantly teasing him resign and let the old navy yard go to grass.

NEWSPAPER FARMING.

Come, all ye lowly farmers. Come, all ye granger folk, Who in the cultivation Of wheat have gone dead broke Since in the rural precincts You cannot find your luck, Come here and learn the secret Of making garden truck.

High up above the pygmies . Who rush along the street There toils a gifted worker Upon a morning sheet. All night he looks at copy; All day he sweats his thinker And much of wisdom brews.

He grieves to think that farmers Should play a losing hand At plowing up the bo Of unresponsive land, and in his crief. And in his grief he murmurs, "With crops diversified The farmer would be in it, With fertune for his bride."

So come, ye lowly plowmen, Who thirst for something good, And learn the golden secret, For be it understood That here we have a writer Who deftly does the trick Of making country butter
By the paragraph or stick.
—St. Paul News.

Relieving Snowbound Passengers. "I was snowbound in Michigan a few years ago, between Coopersville and Nunica," said a traveling salesman. "The snow was four feet deep on a level and still falling. The passengers had eaten up everything the train boy had, including even mixed candies, and children were crying for food. A grocery salesman offered his samples of tea and coffee, and these were boiled at the engine. Then I started, accompanied by another passenger, to go to a farmhouse to get some bread and butter. We waded through the snow, and by the time we got there were nearly frozen, but we could detect the odor of cooking victuals and felt that our mission would be suc-

"In answer to our knock a woman came to the door and flatly refused to let us have bread at any price. Five large loaves, just baked, were on a table and a jar of butter near it. I told my friend to go to the front door and argue with them while I stole the food. This programme was carried out, and I started back through the snow with the bread and butter. I had not gone far before I could hear the farmer behind swearing at me. Then came a race through the snow. Twice I fell down and soaked the bread in the snow, but I NO ACIDS USED. hung on to it and reached the train at the same time the farmer did. There a hundred passengers were ready to help offered \$1 a loaf for the bread and started to make the promise good, but the passengers insisted that the man should get nothing except the empty butter jar." -St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Formal Opening of The Peterson. The Peterson opera house was formally opened this week Wednesday and Thursday evenings by that splendid scenic production "Fast Mail," and although the expectations of the management were scarcely realized the patronage was good considering the financial condition of the community. Of course the audience was much the larger on Wednesday evening. The combination presenting this drawing railroad play is one of the best that has ever visited this city, and Mr. Peterson is entitled to great credit not only for the style in which he has fitted up the opera house but for securing high class attractions like the one above referred to.

Cheap Excurs'ons.

On May 8th and 29th the Northwest ern line will sell home-seekers' excursion tickets to points in northwestern Iowa, western Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Manitoba, Nebraska, Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, Idaho and Montana at exceedingly low rates for the round trip. These tickets will be good for return passage within thirty days from date of sale and will allow stop-over privileges on going trip in territory to which tickets are sold. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern

Notice to Supervisors.

The city assessor will have completed his work, and the assessment rolls for the several wards will be ready for inspec! tion by supervisors, at the council chamber, on Tuesday, May 22, 1894.

HENRY WILKE, Clerk.

Music Lessons, Mrs. Gelzer is now rendy to give lessons in music, either at her residence or at the homes of pupils. Address or call on her at 514 Ayer street.

Hardware Stock For Sale. For sale, half interest in the hardware store of Dinneen & Manley. Cause of selling, ill health. Apply to John Dinnen.

and thoughtful on this occasion. On the amined and admired Brooms' father, with Cures Constipation J N. Mead or Charlotte Street Pharmacy

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WASHING done at a very low rate at 1306 Wells avenue. Clothes called for and delivered. Also

FOR SALE, chesp, a three-burner gasoline stove, as good as new. Apply to Dr. Cotton

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From and after May 1st, plain underwear will be eight instead of sen cents

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Soo Line Time Card

IN EFFECT FEB. 20, '94.

GOING EAST.

BOSTON EXPRESS leaves North Escanaba 3:33
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 daily at Trout Lake with South Shore train for Mackinaw City, connecting with the Grand Rapids and Indiana R'y, train for Grand Rapids and the South.

South.

Local passenger trains leave North Escanaba at 8:37 a. m. daily except Sunday for Sault Ste. Marie and intermediate stations arriving at Fault Ste. Marie at 5:00 p. m. making connection at Trout Lake with South Shore express for Detroit via Michigan Central

GOING WEST. ST. PAUL EXPRESS with through sleeper and dining car, leaves North Escanaba 1:00 a m. daily, arriving at Minneapolis 1:55 p. m. and St. Paul 2:56 p. m., connection with day trains for the west, north-

est and south-west. west and south-west.

Local Passenger train leaves North Escanaba 5:35
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SMITH WAS A BAD MAN.

And He Had Learned One Game of Which He Could Boast.

"But speaking of train robberies," put in the colonel, "reminds me of a man I met when I was in command of Fort D. A. Russell at Cheyenne. He was an express messenger named Smith, and his run was on what they called out there the 'high line' of the B. and M. railroad. Smith ain't much of a man to look at,

but he was great in action, as you'll agree.
"I'd heard of Smith before I met him. He'd killed two men down in western Kansas, and they were saying around Cheyenne that he was 'bad.' So I was curious to get him to tell me the story, and after awhile he did,

"He used to have a run on the Santa Fe down where it crossed into Colorado. All the messengers, you know, carried guns in those days—they do yet, for that matter-but Smith understood the use of a six shooter better than some of his mates. Things had been so smooth on his run for so long that he got a bit careless at last and used to leave the door of his car unlocked so that the brakemen could come in and talk with him whenever they liked without his having to go to the end of the car to unlock the

"Smith had one game, though, which was all his own. He told me that he had practiced it a good deal so that he could shoot within a fraction of a second after hearing any one say, 'Put up your hands.' All the train men on his run knew that. You know those fellows are great in skylarking, and Smith had warned them never to try to play that joke on him, because, he said, the first man who came into his car and took him unawares with that remark would be likely to die.

"One day he was sitting behind his little square iron safe checking off his money packages. He had the safe in a corner of the car facing one end. He always sat with his back against the front end of the car. The front door was always barred. When he raised the lid of the little trunklike safe the messengers used then, he always put his two big six shooters on the corners of the safe in front of the lid. Any one approaching him from the rear end of the car couldn't see the guns, but they were ready for instant use.

"Well, on this day I'm telling you about, as he was checking off the packages, he heard the car door open and some one come in. He took it for granted that the visitor was the brakeman whom he was expecting, and without looking up went on with his work. He checked two or three more packages and was almost finished when he heard the sharp command, 'Put up your hands!'

"He looked up on the instant and saw two men, not in the least disguised, covering him with six shooters. His own hands were behind the lid of his safe. 'All right, boys,' he said. 'Don't shoot. They're up.'

"They went up, that was true, but as they came over the lid of the safe there was a six shooter in each one. Both six shooters cracked the instant their muzzles came above the safe lid, and both bullets killed. The robbers fired, but they didn't pull until after they had been hit, and their bullets went wild.

"It was all done so quickly that there was no outcry or noise, and when the brakeman went into the car a few minutes afterward he found Smith washing up the blood from the floor. The dead men were on a blanket in a corner. That was how Smith got his reputation for being 'bad.'"-New York Sun.

Painstaking Forgers.

"Men try in every way possible," said a prominent bank president, "to obtain the signatures of New York bankers. "Their object is evidently to use them in committing forgeries. At least we

suspect so, and for that reason try to be as careful as possible in signing letters. "In this bank we have many letters

from the west of such a trivial nature that we suspect an ulterior motive upon the part of the writers, and if we answer. them at all do so by typewriter, even to the signature. "One forger or counterfeiter in Indi-

ana is exceedingly systematic and persistent in his efforts to obtain the signatures of our officers. As regularly as the year comes around he writes, inclosing a \$10 bill, and requests us to send him one of our new \$10 bank notes in exchange.

"He always gives the same reason for the request-that he wants it for 'his collection.' Of course that is nonsense. We believe that he wants a new bill so that he may discover if we have changed our officers and get their signatures.

"He never does get them though. We always return his bill with a typewritten letter on paper containing no names, excusing ourselves on the ground that we have no circulation outstanding."-New York Herald.

Woodpeckers That Look Ahead.

There is a species of the bird known as the woodpecker in the far west that has an unusual amount of reasoning faculty. It is much tamer than the species of that bird found farther east and frequents the towns rather than the woods. They make holes along the eaves of the dwellings, and in these holes they place acorns, not for the purpose of eating them, as the birds do not eat the acorns at all, but for the purpose of devouring the grubs that germinate in the acorn. This indicates a continuous train of thought, looking forward to the time of the creation of the worm and its desirability as food .- St. Louis Globe-Demo-

A Curious Fatality.

A curious fatality seems to have attached itself to the family of Captain Wilson, the African fighter. All the members of it that have died have been the victims of accident or violence, except his, mother, who succumbed to an attack of paralysis. The husbands of two of Captain Wilson's sisters were drowned. as were two brothers in South Africa. There remains now the eldest son, Dr. George Wilson, a pioneer of sanitary science and a lover of fox hunting. NOT AFRAID OF DOGS.

They Knew Just What to Do When a Big One Came After Them.

I was standing on the railroad platform of a small country town a few evenings ago. There were four men grouped apart from where I was standing conversing among themselves. Just beside the edge of the platform were the grounds of some private residence, fenced in by an iron fence only 8 feet high. Iuside the fence, held by a heavy chain, was a dog of the deerhound breed. He was impatiently chafing against the restraint imposed upon him and pulled and togged at his chain at a great rate, The four men were standing looking at him and making comments.

"I don't know why it is," said one, that I never have the least sensation of fear of dogs. Why, if that dog was to break loose and jump the fence, it might be dangerous, but I'd be just as cool as

"I've had several narrow escapes with ferocious dogs," said another, "and I've trained myself to instantly crush them by looking them in the eye steadily. Notice my eye?" The other three peered into it. "Well, gentlemen, that eye has sowed dogs that would take a leg off you at a bite."

The third man, who had been for some time trying to interrupt No. 2 in order to get off his little tale, seized the opportunity and struck in. "I simply kick 'em," he said. "I've had dogs come at me at lightning speed, gentlemen, jaws wide open and their eyes red with rage. All I've done is to calmly step aside and plant one tremendous kick in their ribs as they went by. It ash pan. But he didn't hear. No one took courage, but I was always there. I never had one to come back at me

The fourth man was just opening his mouth to tell his little lie when the deerhound over the fence got loose, and probably not thinking of the four men at all bounded over the fence to make good his liberty. I watched to see the man with the wonderful eye get in his work, and the kicker do his great kicking act, and the man with the iron nerve stand coolly with his arms folded, but none of them was doing his specialty that day.

Instead the whole one horse quartet turned and jostled and bumped and trod on each other's toes in a wild endeavor to get out of the way of that deerhound. The head of the iron nerved mesmeric eye and jammed his hat down med, and I suppose that's why it didn't work. The man who always kicked was on my right shin accidentally, as he rushed by me to save his life. But the deerhound rushed over the fields without looking at any of the heroes,-Mount Holly Dispatch.

She Was Dyspeptic,

A rather sallow looking woman, well dressed and refined, was at a table in company with another lady, somewhat her junior in years.

thinking about myself and said stomach something to think about. So thing I please or want. Well, just ormince pie and a cup of chocolate with whipped cream. They won't hurt me any more than crackers, beef tea or toast. If my stomach doesn't last long, it will enjoy itself while it does last." -Cincinnati Tribune.

We sometimes hear odd stories of is not often we really come across one in the realms of fact. A Hawkhurst jury which sat on a poor old laborer provides us with a Kentish sample of sharp wit. The surgeon who made the post mortem gave it as his opinion that death arose from a powerful irritant poison. The jury had their own ideas and gave a verdict that death was due to the inclement weather! We have not heard whether the case has been placed in the hands of the county analyst, but it is certainly new that cold weather and irritant poison are synonymous. - Rochester and Chatham (England) Standard.

An Interesting Region.

In spite of the interest long felt in the cliff dwellers of the west there are still some fine examples of their work in eastern Utah as yet unexplored. The approach from this side is over the ranges and high mesas of western Colorado, a country most difficult to traverse and peopled chiefly by miners too eager for gold and silver to give much time or thought to ethnography. This may ex-plain the fact that so interesting a region remains neglected .- Chicago Her-

Negroes Speaking Irish. The Irish language still lingers in the Bahamas among the mixed descendants of the Hibernian slaves banished by Cromwell to the West Indies. One can occasionally hear, it is said, black sailors in the London docks, who cannot speak a word of English, talking frish to the old Irish apple women whom they meet and thus making themselves intelligible without a knowledge of the Saxon tongue.-London Globe.

The First Newspaper. The Acta Diurna of ancient Rome is the earliest approach to the newspaper of which we have any authentic record. The Acta appeared daily until the downfall of the empire, A. D. 476. It was published under the auspices of the government and posted in some public of the stream must seem peculiar, and place, the contents consisting of a digest | the Suwanee is like a dozen other rivers of public dockets, a summary of daily occurrences and all news .

AS VIEWED BY AN ENGINEER.

ions of a Plane Sole From a Railroad Man's Standpoint.

"I was loitering around the streets one night," said Jim Nelson, one of the old locomotive engineers running into New Orleans, to a reporter. "As I had nothing to do I dropped into a concert and heard a sleek looking Frenchman play a piano in a way that made me feel all over in spots. As soon as he sat down on the stool I knew by the way he handled himself that he understood the machine he was running. He tapped the keys way up one end, just as if they were gauges, and he wanted to see if he had water enough. Then he looked up as if he wanted to know how much steam be was carrying, and the next moment he pulled open the throttle and sailed on to the main line as if he was half an hour late. You could hear her thunder over culverts and bridges and getting faster and faster until the fellow pocked about in his seat like a cradie. Somehow I thought it was old '86' pulling a passenger train and getting out of the way of a 'special.' The fellow worked the keys on the middle division like lightning, and then he flew along the north end of the line until the drivers went around like a buzzsaw. and I got excited. "About the time I was fixing to tell

him to cut her off a little he kicked the dampers under the machine wide open, pulled the throttle way back in the tender, and how he did run! I couldn't stand it any longer and yelled to him that he was pounding on the left side, and if he wasn't careful he'd drop his heard me. Everything was flying and whizzing. Telegraph poles on the side of the track looked like a row of cornstalks, the trees appeared to be a mud bank, and all the time the exhaust of the old machine sounded like the hum of a bumblebee.

"I tried to yell out, but my tongue wouldn't move. He went around curves like a bullet, slipped an eccentric, blew out his soft plug, went down grades 50 feet to the mile and not a controlling break set. She went by the meeting point at a mile a minute and calling for more steam. My hair stood up straight, because I knew the game was up. Sure enough, dead ahead of us was the headlight of a 'special.' In a daze I heard the crash as they struck, and I man bumped into the man with the saw cars shivered into atoms, people smashed and mangled and bleeding and so that the luster of the eye was disa- gasping for water. \ I heard another crash as the French professor struck the deep keys away down on the lower end vicious dogs did get in his kick, but it of the southern division, and then I came to my senses. There he was at a dead standstill, with the door of the firebox of the machine open, wiping the perspiration off his face and bowing to the people before him. If I live to be 1,000 years old, I'll never forget the ride that Frenchman gave me on a piano."-New Orleans Times-Democrat.

This Dog Knew Too Much.

Jack, an Irish setter whose home is "What do you want?" said the maid. in Maryland, has the regular duty of "Oh, I don't know. Sometimes it bringing the mail from the letter box at seems like I had dyspepsy. And I've the gate, the house standing well back done everything for it. Drank hot wa- from the road. His family were anter in the morning and lived on milk ticipating a two weeks' visit to New diet exclusively for a month. Then I York and proposed sending Jack to the tried the raw beef system and took country during their absence. Jack's enough medicine to float a steamboat in. wishes in the matter were not consulted, Didn't do me no good, and I just quit and he was not invited to take part in sick I was sick, and I'd just give my proved by his actions. It was decided to start on a Tuesday evening, provided I quit fooling, and now I just eat any- a letter were received by the morning's mail. It did not come, however, nor in der me a chicken salad, a piece of hot the afternoon, when Jack brought up a whole batch, and to his satisfaction no one left home. Several days, passed. Then a telegram came inquiring what was the matter. An exchange of letters disclosed the fact that the promised letter was written and should have been received when expected. A search, into which Jack was impressed, much against his will, discovered the missing letter funny verdicts by country juries, but it hidden in a hencoop, and it bore unmistakable evidence that Jack had placed it there.

Now, it is not to be supposed that Jack could read or distinguish handwriting, so his keen nose must have recognized the writer, who was a frequent visitor, of whom he was very fond, but only from listening to the talk could he have connected that person with the plans for departure. This is the only instance of Jack's ever betraying a trust, but the sagacity evinced was so great that confidence in him was increased instead of lessened by it .- Demorest's Magazine.

In Every Line.

The poet Bryant, while editor of the New York Post, insisted that young poets should be sympathetically noticed in the book columns of the paper. Once a subeditor handed him a thin volume of poems saying that they were worthless. Mr. Bryant looked through the book and then said, "You might say that it is prettily bound and clearly printed."

The editor of whom this story is told also had a soft side for young men who would write poetry.

"Give me your candid judgment of these lines," said the young man of literary aspirations. "Do they convey the

idea of poetry at all?"
- "Yes, sir," replied the editor, looking them over, "they do. There is something in every line that conveys the idea. Every line," continued the kind hearted man, letting him down as gently as he could, "begins with a capital letter."-Youth's Companion.

The Power of Song. The power of song is illustrated in a

custom on the railroads of northern Florida. Whenever a train crosses the Swanee river the conductor announces the fact in each car. If any passenger has never heard "Way Down Upon the Swapee River," this particularization in the same region, and these are passed without comment from the conductor.

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M ORTGAGE FOREULOSURE—Default has been madein the terms and conditions of a certain Mortgage bearing date November 1st 1889 executed by Maxime Vincent and Harriel Vincent his wife to Frederick T. Day and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Delta County, Michigas, on November 4th 1889 in Book "F" of Mortgages at 1896 517. Said Mortgage was on the 17th day of November 18st duly assigned by Frederick T. Day to James G. Jenkins, Trustee, and said assignment recorded Augest 19th 1891 in Book "K" of Mortgages at page 130 in the office of the aforesaid Register of Deeds. Said Mortgage was on the 16th day of January 1892 again duly assigned by 18sd January 1892 again duly assigned to 18sd January 1892 again duly assigned to 18sd January 1892 again duly assigned to 18sd January 1892 again duly assigned the 18sd January 1892 again duly assigned of the Mortgage and 18sd January 1892 again duly assigned to 18sd January 1892 again duly assigned of the Mortgage and 18sd January 1892 again duly assigned to 18sd January 1892 again duly 1892 again duly 1892 again duly 1892 again duly 1892 again as may be necessary to satisfy the amount now due thereon with interest at seven per cent. to the date of sale together with all legal costs of foreclosure including an attorney fee of \$3,500 provided in said mortgage and authorized by statute, at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the city of Escanaba in Delta County Michigan (that being the place where the Circuit Court of said county is holden) on the 19th day of June A. D., 1594, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

June A. D., 1894, at ten o clock in the forenoon of that day.

Said premises being described as the north east quarter of the north west quarter (NE, ½ of NW, ½) of section eight (8) and the east half of the north east quarter (E½ of NE½) of section nine (9) and the north east quarter (NE½) of section ten (10) and the east half of the south west quarter (E, ½ of SW, ½) of section three (3) all in township thirty-nine (39) north of range eighteen (18) west in Delta Councy Michigan;

Michigan:
Dated March 20th 1894.
CAROLINE MAY ELLIOTT,
Assignee of Mortgage W. DUNTON, Attorney for Assignee,

First Publication April 14th, 1894. ORTGAGE SALE-Default having been made M ORTGAGE SALE—Default havingbeen made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by John Burns and Ann Burns his wife to Alexander McGregor dated April 11th A. D. 1800, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds, for the county of Delta and state of Michigan, on the 11th day of April, A. D. 1800, in Laber E of mortgages, on page 339 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of twenty-six hundred dollars, of principal and interest, and an attorney's fee of thirty-five dollars provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

any part thereof; Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale conor any part thereor:

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Monday, the idin day of July, A. D. 1894, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at publicauction, to the highest bidder, at the front or or the court house inthe city of Escanaba (that being the place where the circuit court for Delta county is holden), the premises described in said mortga e, or so much thereof as may be nece sary 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-five dollars, covenanted for therein, the premises being described in said mortgage as all that certain lot piece and parcel of land situate in the city of Escanaba in the county of Delta and state of Michigan, and known and described as follows: Lot number two (3) of block number forty (40) of the village (now city) of Escanaba, according to the recorded plat thereof.

Dated April 11th, 1894

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

ORDER OF HEARING, FOR SALE OF

ORDER OF HEARING, FOR SALE OF real estate to pay debts. State of Michigan, county of Delta, is At a session of the probate court for said county, held at the Probate office in the city of Escanaba on the fourteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ainety-four. Present, Hon. Emil Glaser, judge of probate. In the matter of the estate of Anne Clark, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Frank D. Mead, administrator of said estate, setting forth that the just debts outstanding against said estate amount to the sum of five thousand five hundred and thirty-five (5535) dollars, including the charges and expenses of managing and administering said e-tate, and also fature probable charges and expenses, that it is necessary for the purpose of paying said debts, charges and expenses to sell certain real estate in said petition described, and belonging to said estate, and praying that he may be authorized, empowered and incensed to sell the whole of the real estate in said petition described, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, for the purpose of paying the debts, expenses, and charges aforesaid. Thereupon it is ordered, that Mond y, the sughteenth day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said dectated, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden

other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden in the produce office, in the city of Escanaba and in the probate office, in the city of Eccanaba and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner show 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, once in each week for four successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

[A true copy.]

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PROBATE ORDER FOR HEARING CLAIMS before court. State of Michigan, county of Delta ss.

Delta ss.

Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the county of Delta, made on the fourteenth day of May A. D. 1894, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Abbey A. Ray, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to prevent their claims to said Probate cost, at the Probate (fice, in the city of Escanaba, for examination and allowance, on or before the fourteenth day of November next, and t as such claims will be heard before said court, on Monday, the sixth day of August and on Thursday, the fitteenth day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of those days.

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Dated Escanaba, Michigan, May, 14th, A. D. EMIL GLASER, Judge of Probate.

NOTICE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP NOTICE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP.

Know all men by these presents. That we, Herman Salinsky and Benjamin Salinsky of the city of Escanaba, Delta county. Michigan, have entered into a limited partnership for the business of buying and selling at retail of general merchandise, in sald city of Escanaba; that said partnership is to be conducted under the firm name of "H. Salinsky and Company:" that said Herman Salinsky is the general partner interested therein, and that said Benjamin Salinsky is the special partner interested therein; that said Herman Salinsky has contributed to the common stock of said partnership the sum of-five hundred dollars, and that said Benjamin Salinsky has contributed to the common stock of said partnership the sum of five hundred dollars; that said partnership its sum of five hundred dollars; that said partnership is to commence on the 7th day of May, A. D. 1854, and will terminate on the 7th day of May, A. D. 1859.

1899.
In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 7th day of May, A. D. 1894.
HERMAN SALINSKY.

HERMAN SALINSKY.
BENJAMIN SALINSKY.
Witness, I. C. JENNINGS, O. V. LINDEN.
State of Michigan, county of Delta, ss. On this
yth day of May, A. D. 1894, before me, a notary public in and for said county, personally appeared Herman Salinsky and Benjamin Salinsky, to me known
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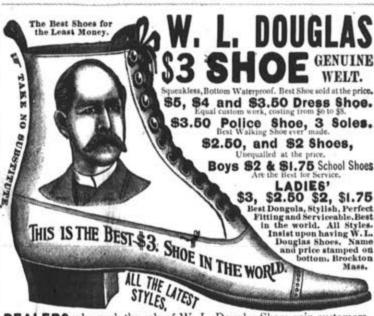
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Whose pining visions dim, forbidden hopes profound, No dying cadence nor long sigh can sound For all our art.

"Alone aloud in the raptured ear of men We pour our dark nocturnal secret, and then, As night is withdrawn

From these sweet springing meads and bursting boughs of May,

Dream while the innumerable choir of day

Welcomes the dawn."

-Robert Bridges.

A Turkish Wedding.

An artistic mistress of the ceremonies, being congratulated on the success with which she had managed the details of an English wedding, remarked impatiently that there had been one blot on the scene-namely, the bridegroom. She only wished it could have been arranged for him and his black coat to remain outside in the brougham till the thing was over.

Had she received an invitation to a Turkish wedding, as once by good luck did a party of English ladies,/among whom was the writer of the present sketch, her wish might have been gratified, as it is quite possible to attend such a function without even catching a passing glimpse of the crimson fez of the husband elect.

The latter spends the hours of his bridal day in getting married to himself-that is, he visits the priest and the notary, takes out and signs his marriage contract, attends a religious service at the mosque, partakes of a sumptuous breakfast with his friends, and as the ceremonies cover a considerable portion of the week I should not be surprised to hear that during the time he even goes on a wedding tour in solitude and on his own account.-London Graphic.

A Searching Examination.

A sailor who desired to re-enlist in the service of the navy for a cruise was rejected by the examining board for defective eyesight. He had made a good record, and naval academy officers, including the surgeons who had been compelled to make an unfavorable report in his case, interested themselves in his behalf. He finally went to Washington and armed with the recommendations from the maval academy urged his claims before the surgeon general. "Do you see the Washington monument out that window?" asked that official. "Yes, sir," promptly replied the sailor. To test his eyesight as well as his honesty another question was propounded, "See that sparrow on the top of the monn-ment?" Without hesitation the sailor replied, "No. sir." "Neither do I." pant anything but thorns.

added the chief examining officer. "Your eyesight seems to be good enough, and I shall at once order your reinstatement in the navy."-Baltimore Sun.

In a coroner's court in London recently the following conversation, which reads as if taken directly from Dickens,

"Sam Weller, my lord," replied that

gentleman. "Do you spell it with a V or a W?"

inquired the judge. That depends upon the taste and

fancy of the speller, my lord," replied I spells it with a V."

Here a voice in the gallery exclaimed aloud: "Quite right, too, Samivel." Put it down a we, my lord, put it down a we."-New York Press.

Dressing For a Picture.

In dressing to have one's photograph taken it may be useful to know that dark brown, dark green, garnet and plain, dead finish black will take a deep drab. Glossy silks of the same colors will take much brighter. Golden brown, dark gray, scarlet, cherry, orange, crimson and slate will also be reproduced as dark, rich drab. All the shades of blue and pink will take very light and should be avoided. - New York News.

The Wonderful Congo.

The Congo is the most wonderful waterway in the world. It is 25 miles across in parts, so that vessels may pass one another and yet be out of sight. It has twice the extent of the navigable waters of the Mississippi and its tributaries and three times its population .-Philadelphia Press.

In 1300 the girdle makers' trade was ladies of rank, whose position was shown by the girdle. This article was of leather adorned with gold or precious stones and was often 12 inches wide.

The Red sea is supposed by some to' have derived its name from the large quantities of red coral and pink colored fuci which it yields, but the name is with more probability derived from the ancient Idumsea, "sea of Edom," Edom signifying red.

The age of whales is ascertained by the size and number of laming of the whalebone, which increase yearly. Ages of 300 and 400 years have been assigned to whales from these indications.

In China the name Chang is pronounced "Jong," with the long sound on the "a." This may account for the nickname "John" as applied to China-

Many a coffin is covered with roses by hands that never before gave its occuKorean Use For Human Hair.

Human hair is in great demand in some of the countries of Europe, and the supply is said to be inadequate. Our consul in Korea points out that there is plenty and to spare in the Hermit King-"The Koreans," he adds, "have remarkably fine heads of hair, and they put their 'combings' to a use that I have never seen elsewhere. A very large "What's your name, sir?" inquired number of the saddlecloths placed under the packs of their ponies are made of hair woven into coarse mats or bags, and the halters and head ropes of their animals are largely composed of the same material. I believe that human hair is largely exported from China to Europe, and Korea could furnish a large and Sam. "I never had occasion to spell it cheap supply did the people know there more than once or twice in my life, but there was a demand for it." Here's a chance for some pioneer of commerce.-Westminster Gazette.

Mines of Petrifactions.

North Colorado and parts of Wyoming and Montana are genuine mines of petrifactions. There are petrifactions of every kind, including many varieties of wood, ferns and plants, fish, toads, snails, frogs, serpents, shellfish and objects which cannot be classified. The deposits often occur in layers, as though some great natural convulsion had destroyed the animal life of a whole district at once. The scientists make very few and tolerably weak attempts to explain the singular phenomenon, and the fact is evident that they know no more about the matter than do the men who pick out the best specimens and sell them to tourists.-Chicago Herald.

Nantucket Ahead.

Claimants for priority are constantly getting into trouble by making statements founded on insufficient premises. Referring to the mention by a Boston paper that a lady candidate for overseer of the poor at Dedham was the first of her sex to aspire to that office, the Nanan important industry in every part of Europe. Girdles were the fashion for a lady overseer a year ago—Mrs. Malina lady overseer a year ago-Mrs. Malinda S. Barney-and again in 1894 has reelected the same lady and another-Mrs. Susan P. Jones. So Nantucket is a year ahead and proud of the step she took."

> There was a winemakers' union in Rome B. C. 54. They had regular meetings at which they discussed the best methods of concentrating wine so as to reduce it to a sirup and finally to a solid cake, in which form it was often preserved for many years.

Dr. P. Fuerbringer of Berlin praises the peanut as a food rich in albumen and advises its use in soup or mush Peanuts are especially valuable, he says, in kidney diseases, in which animal albumen must be avoided.

A law enacted in Germany requires that all drugs intended for internal use be put up in round bottles, while those for external use shall be put up in hexagonal bottles.

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