

AN ERRORLESS GAME

Sand-Pipers Put it Up Against Appleton Last Sunday.

LOCALS AND BADGERS ONE EACH

Wisconsin's Heavy Hitters Given a Touch of High Life-Olmsted a Marvel-Saturday's Game Lost on a Scratch.

Appleton's badgers, reputed to be the best independent baseball players in Wisconsin, were given a touch of high life on the local diamond last Saturday and Sunday that sent them to their home in our sister state with a rather exalted opinion of the way in which upper peninsula boys play the national game. In the series of two games played at South Park on these two days, results were divided evenly, but the honors were largely on the side of the sand-pipers, who were entitled to both games, but lost the first one on the umpire's failure to witness a decisive play near the finish.

It was anybody's game from start to finish and was without question the most exciting contest participated in by the locals this season. There were errors on both sides, but Escanaba had the best of them as was also the case regarding hits. The story of Sunday's game was entirely different; from start to finish the sand-pipers played professional ball and throughout the entire nine innings not an error, passed ball or wild pitch was scored against the team. Every man had his, batting eye with him and used it to good advantage in swelling his average, as will be shown by the summary. It was a game such as one will not witness twice in a season and made up fully for the loss of the preceding one on Saturday.

SATURDAY'S GAME

Saturday's game opened under unfavorable conditions; the sky was heavily overcast with clouds and a strong northwest wind was blowing. It was evident to all that a storm was brewing, but in spite of this fact there were fully 300 people at the game when Ange went to bat and pushed a long fly into the hands of Kruse in the center field. Nordoff made a short hit and beat it out and started for second when Buckley sent a long fly into right field. Green was equal to the emergency, however, and by a well calculated throw made a very pretty double by retiring Nordoff at first.

When the Appletons faced Nolden Kruse was the first man up. He found the ball, but so did H. Olmsted at short and Jerry was credited with a put out. Hankey walked was advanced to second on Dillon's single and stole third. Dillon had pilfered second by the time that Kennelly flew out to Kellum. Green made a safe which scored both Hankey and Dillon. Bremner hit safe but was caught at second on a force run and the side was retired. The rest of the story is in the eighth inning, for up until its close the game was anybody's.

Nordoff was the first man up for the locals in the eighth and landed on one of Bremner's curves for a two bagger. Buckley hit a grounder to Kennelly and was retired. Driscoll found the ball for a single but was forced out at second on H. Olmsted's safe hit, which scored Nordoff, while Olmsted came home on Nolden's two bagger and Hodson retired the side on a fly to Reynolds. This made the score 4 to 3 in favor of the sand-pipers and here it should have stood but for Roach's sin of omission.

Green led off for the badgers and took a constitutional. Bremner chopped air three times and Gass went to first on Hodson's miff of an easy fly. Gass led off and was caught neatly by Nolden's throw to Jerry but umpire Roach failed to see the play and refused to call the man out. Reynolds' hit short to Nolden and was caught at first and Green and Gass scored on Miller's single, the latter being retired a moment later by a throw to Driscoll from F. Olmsted and with the score of 5 to 4 the game ended. A summary of the game is as follows:

Escanaba	A. B.	R.	H.	E.	F.	O.	A.	B.
Anger	3	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
Nordoff	3	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
Buckley	3	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
Driscoll	3	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
H. Olmsted	4	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
Nolden	4	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
Hodson	4	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
F. Olmsted	3	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
Total	24	4	4	4	4	0	0	0

Score by innings was as follows:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Escanaba	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0
Appleton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Two base hits: Nordoff and Nolden; double plays, Nolden to Driscoll; Greene to Kennelly. Bases on balls off Nolden 6, off Bremner 2. Struck out by Nolden 2, Bremner 2; Hit by pitched ball, Nolden 2; Passed balls, Miller 1. Stolen bases Escanaba 1, Appleton 3. Time of game: 1 hour, 45 minutes. Umpire, George Roach; attendance 300. Weather, rain and strong wind.

SUNDAY'S GAME

The weather conditions were but little improved over Saturday; the same strong wind was blowing from the northwest, but instead of bringing rain with it, there was a chilliness that made wraps in demand. The crowd at this game was more than twice the size of Saturday's and not one left before the game was ended. Henry Olmsted was in the box for the sand-pipers and pitched a wonderful game, striking out twelve men, sending but two to bases on balls, and having only five scratch hits charged against him. Currie, who did the twirling for Appleton, was landed on unmercifully and had a total of sixteen hits scored against him, four of which were for two bags each.

While the locals scored one run in the first, one in the third and two in the fourth innings, the whole story of the game, so far as the sand-pipers are concerned was in the seventh when Buckley started the carnage by a clean hit. Driscoll followed, but his grounder was stopped by Bremner and he was retired at first. H. Olmsted came next with a two bagger and Burns, Nolden and Hodson followed each with singles and each scoring at least one man. Fred Olmsted's grounder was used by Bremner to retire Hodson at second. Then came Anger and Nordoff, each with a two bagger and these were followed in quick succession by Buckley and Driscoll with singles while scores piled up almost as rapidly as hits. The end of the story came with H. Olmsted's pop-up to Currie and eight scores had been added to the local's total.

The one score made by the badgers came in the first inning and its story is as follows: Kruse hit off with a single but was caught later at first on a throw by F. Olmsted. Hankey made a two bagger. Dillon struck out. Kennelly got first on fielder's choice. Bremner made a safe hit that scored Hankey and Currie fanned. From this time on to the finish it was a one-two-three order with the badgers, who were wholly unable to solve Olmsted's delivery and seemed to marvel at the support given him.

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PYTHIANISM'S HOME

Calumet Knights to Purchase Famous Schoolhouse.

WHERE RATHBONE WROTE RITUAL

Dilapidated Building to be Removed to Calumet and Preserved as a Relic-Has Many Visitors Now.

The Knights of Pythias of Calumet are figuring on the purchase and removal to Calumet of a building which probably has a greater interest to Pythians than any other structure in existence, says an exchange. This is nothing more or less than the old school house in which Justin E. Rathbone, founder of the order, wrote the ritual of what was destined to become one of the most popular secret orders in the United States.

This school house still stands in the little village of Eagle River, 15 miles north of Calumet, and nearly at the tip of the Keweenaw peninsula. In the early days, when the activity of the copper mines in its immediate vicinity made Eagle Harbor something more than the hamlet it is now, the father of the Pythians was a school teacher, and while not engaged in an attempt to inject the wisdom of the "three R's" into the minds of his pupils conceived the idea of a society the friendship of whose members should be like unto the friendship which existed between Damon and Pythias.

He carried out his conception, and in his leisure wrote the ritual of the order. Having no better place to perform his work, he did it at his desk in the little school house. Today there is another school house where the children of Eagle Harbor pursue their studies, and the one made famous by its associations with Rathbone is in dilapidated condition. The title to it is held by a man named Kuntz, a resident of the Harbor, who offers to sell it for \$200. It is probable that the negotiations now under way will lead to its falling into the hands of those who will fully appreciate it on account of its associations.

Moved to Calumet and restored to something like its former condition, it will become more valuable, historically, as time goes on, and an object of great interest to all members of the order who may visit the place. Fifteen miles off the railroad, and inaccessible as it is now, it is still visited by hundreds of Pythians every year. The owner takes pleasure in showing these visitors the schoolmaster's desk at which the ritual was written. Incidentally Mr. Kuntz was a resident of Eagle Harbor in the days when Rathbone was its schoolmaster, and has clear personal recollections of the man.

MISS ELLIS INSANE.

Young Lady Becomes Deranged from Nervous Trouble.

Miss Kittie Ellis, the sixteen year old daughter of Mrs. Ellis of Charlotte street, was adjudged insane Monday before Probate Judge T. B. White, and on Tuesday was taken to Newberry to be confined in the upper peninsula hospital for the insane.

For some time past the young lady has been a sufferer from nervous trouble and this gradually affected her mind until within the past few weeks she has been deranged the greater part of the time. Finally her relatives decided it was best to have her placed in a hospital and an examination into her sanity was conducted by Dr. C. E. Booth with the result above mentioned. It is believed her derangement will yield to treatment and she may soon be restored to health and reason.

New Postal Routing.

Mall carriers will hereafter be permitted to suit themselves in the matter of working overtime. The old rule was that eight hours should constitute a working day, but the new rule reads that not more than forty-eight hours work shall be done in a week. This will give the carriers an opportunity to have some time to themselves on light days.

To Prevent Boycotting.

The postoffice department has under consideration a plan whereby

the names of postoffices shall be placed upon the stamps where sold. The idea is to provide means for identification when stamps are stolen from any postoffice, and also to prevent boycotting of postmasters, a practice in some of the smaller towns of the country. It will be possible under the new rule for the department to keep accurate account of all stamps sold and render justice to the boycotted postmaster.

SPEECHLESS FOR DAYS.

Mrs. A. Cody of Mary Street Recovers From Peculiar Malady.

Mrs. A. Cody of South Mary street was the victim during the past week of a very peculiar malady. For fifty-two hours she was unable to speak a single word and lay upon her bed absolutely helpless. Strangely enough she has entirely recovered now and shows no ill effects of her experience.

Sunday morning about 11 o'clock while Mrs. Cody was busy with her household duties she was suddenly stricken with paralysis and fell to the floor helpless. She had been to church an hour before and was evidently in the best of health when the stroke came. Dr. Girard was called and did what he could to relieve the sufferer who appeared to be in a dying condition.

For two days there was little or no change in her condition, save that she was conscious and recognized her relatives and friends and could hear perfectly. The use of her hands and arms came back gradually, but she could not utter a sound until about 3:30 p. m. Tuesday, when suddenly her power of speech was restored and she talked and laughed as though determined to make up for the lost time. With the return of her voice the paralysis left her and she was soon enjoying her customary good health.

BECOMES INSANE AGAIN.

Eugene Duroche is Now an Inmate of the Newberry Hospital.

Eugene Duroche, who has twice been adjudged insane within the past six weeks, is now an inmate of the Newberry asylum. Duroche is a French-Canadian about 40 years of age, unmarried and a carpenter by trade. He has resided in Escanaba for a number of years.

Some years ago Duroche was committed to an asylum, but was released as cured after being treated a number of months. Less than two months ago he again became deranged and was taken in custody by local officials, adjudged insane by a medical examining board and ordered committed in the Newberry hospital. At this time Duroche seemed to be suffering from religious fanaticism and at times was in a serious condition. The day before he was to be taken to Newberry he suddenly recovered his reason and was released.

Last week Duroche again became deranged and was locked up. He gave the sheriff and jail attendants considerable trouble in caring for him until Tuesday morning when he was taken to Newberry.

GOVERNMENT AGENT HERE.

Securing Data For Fish Commissions Report For 1900.

Hon. Charles H. Stevenson of Washington, D. C., a special agent for the United States Fish Commission was a guest at the New Ludington hotel Tuesday while engaged in securing data to be included in the report of the fish industry of the country which is soon to be published. This report is published every four years and it is estimated that this year's report will show a large increase over that of four years ago. On Green Bay and throughout the Great Lakes the increase has kept pace with other parts of the country and the government report is awaited with interest by local fishermen.

Suffers Paralytic Stroke.

John Miller, a fireman on the C. & N. W. who resides on Jennie street, suffered a slight stroke of paralysis last week while at work and for several days was confined to his bed with the slight of his left eye and use of his entire left side affected. Dr. H. B. Reynolds was called and on Wednesday of this week the young man had fully recovered from the malady.

Democrats Will Convene.

The democrats of Delta county will meet in convention at the court house in this city Monday, July 23.

GUARDIANS OF DEAD

Trustees of Lake View Cemetery Hold Meeting.

ELECT OFFICERS AND HEAR REPORTS

John J. Sourwine Succeeded as President by Charles Chapple. Standing Committees For the Year Appointed.

The trustees of the Lake View Cemetery Association held their annual meeting in the council chambers last Monday evening and elected officers for the ensuing year, together with conducting considerable other routine business.

The result of the election was as follows: President, Charles Chapple; Secretary, Frank H. Atkins; Treasurer, W. J. Hatton; Sexton, L. T. Abel. Standing committees were named as follows: on grounds, Rogers, Young and Harris; on finance; Glaser, Sourwine and Van Valkenburg.

In the absence of President John J. Sourwine from the meeting, Trustee Charles Chapple was chosen as president pro tem and presided over the session. After the approval of the minutes of the previous meeting, the reports of Secretary Atkins and Treasurer W. J. Hatton were read and placed on file.

This report showed the total receipts from the sale of lots during the past year to be \$322.50; from the sale of single graves \$125, and from permits \$268, making a total of \$715.50. Disbursements for the year were \$97.71; leaving a balance on hand of \$441. The improvements on the cemetery grounds during the past year have cost \$688.71.

After some discussion, it was ordered, on motion, that hereafter the finance committee should have no authority to contract bills for more than \$50 without first submitting the same to the board for approval. A second motion authorized the committee on grounds to make any repairs to the fences that might be needed.

The amount of bond required from the secretary and treasurer was fixed at \$500 in each case, the same to be subject to the approval of the finance committee when submitted. There being no further business to come before the board the meeting was adjourned.

PUSHING ROAD WORK.

County Commissioners to hold Important Meeting this Afternoon.

A meeting of the board of county road commissioners will be held at the court house this afternoon. The commissioners have just finished a mile of road from the Section I road to Oberg's farm, and have secured permission from the C. & N. W. railroad company to use their right of way from Oberg's farm to the Menominee county line.

A large number of the farmers along the route have been using this right of way for planting crops and Commissioners Gross, Edouin and Gassman are now negotiating with these parties for the settlement of damages, which will result from building the roadway before the crops are matured. The result of these negotiations will be reported at today's meeting.

Celebrate Golden Wedding.

Capt. and Mrs. Samuel L. Barney of Marquette celebrated their golden wedding on Saturday last. Capt. Barney was married to Miss Annie E. Caldwell in Ohio in 1850 when he was 21 and she 16 years of age. They returned at once to the home he had already made at Marquette, where he settled in 1847, and have since resided there continuously. He is the oldest white resident of the county and is well known to many Escanabans.

Meeting of Cold Water Advocates. The district convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held in this city on July 28-29-30. Mrs. Parmenter of Menominee, the district president, will preside over the session.

Homestead Land Still Plentiful.

The report of the United States Land office at Marquette, made

public Thursday, shows that there are still 251,557 acres in the public domain in upper Michigan. A year ago there was 298,458 acres. Nearly 57,000 acres have been taken up in the past twelve months. The land had been pre-empted in Marquette, Houghton and Ontonagon counties, in the two last by reason of the copper being homesteaded.

STRAY GOAT HAIRS.

Interesting Items Swept From the Lodge Room Floors.

Division No. 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, and the Ladies' Auxiliary to the same, held a joint installation of their recently elected officers at North Star hall last Sunday evening. E. F. Bolger acted in the capacity of installing officer and those who took the oath were: A. O. H. Division No. 1: Martin T. Lyons, county president and recording secretary; James Patton, president; Charles Cooney, vice president; John Colbert, financial secretary; James Doherty, treasurer. Ladies' Auxiliary: Mrs. Mary Colbert, county president; Miss Elizabeth Dineen, president; Miss Bridget Martin, vice president; Mrs. Mary Jordan, treasurer; Mrs. Mary Hogan, financial secretary; Miss Monica Lyons, recording secretary. At the conclusion of these exercises President Patton and County President Lyons made short addresses, which were followed by a pleasant social session and the serving of light refreshments.

Gladefeta court, Independent Order of Foresters, is the name of a new secret society recently organized at Gladstone by Dr. E. A. Harst of Sault Ste. Marie. The officers are as follows: Court Deputy, John Crooks; physician, R. S. Forsyth, M. D.; C. R., A. B. Cassidy; P. C. R., James S. Laidlaw; V. C. R., Marion W. Lancaster; R. S., Geo. E. Amidon; F. S., G. LeRoy Parker; treas., James Mitchell, M. D.; orator, James D. McDonald; organist, Frank Riley; S. W., Jerry J. Neville; J. W., Edward E. Cabillot; S. B., Rollin A. Woodard; J. B., Arthur S. Gamble.

The Grand Lodge of the Sons of Herman will hold its annual convention at Norway three days, commencing August 6.

EXPORT BUSINESS LIGHT.

Large Falling Off in Foreign Trade With Superior District.

According to the monthly report of Collector of Customs Adams of Marquette, the exports of the district of Superior for the month of June aggregated \$687,020. This is but little over half the volume of exports for May and is considerably less than the volume for the same month in 1899. Imports, which totalled \$48,613, are greater than they were in May preceding, but are less than they were in June, 1899.

The export business of the district for the month was entirely with England, Ireland and Canada; the former country taking over five-sixths of the surplus products of the district. In figures England took exports amounting to \$592,367; Ireland \$4,267; Canada, \$90,386. Quebec was the principal buyer among the Canadian provinces.

Four ports divided the export business between them. West Superior came first, with \$431,188; Sault Ste. Marie had \$208,252; Gladstone, \$36,035; Ashland, \$11,545. There were only two importing ports, Sault Ste. Marie and De Tour. The former had the lion's share of the business, \$44,528; De Tour had \$4,065.

New City Directory.

L. W. Depuy and wife, formerly of this city, who have been residing in Muskegon recently, returned to Escanaba this week and are now engaged in compiling a new directory of the city, which will also include Gladstone and Rapid River and a complete gazetteer of the county. Escanaba needs a new directory and it is to be hoped that Mr. Depuy will make a success of the undertaking.

Sunday Schools Will Meet.

The annual convention of the Delta County Sunday school association will be held at Gladstone on July 24 and 25. Mr. Alfred Day of Detroit, the field secretary, will attend the meeting.

No Quorum Present.

The board of education was to have held a meeting Tuesday evening of this week, but as not enough members were present to form a quorum no business was transacted.

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REPUBLICAN NATIONAL TICKET.

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PERRY POWERS.
For Attorney General—
HORACE M. OREN.
For Land Commissioner—
EDWARD WILDLEY.
For Supt. of Public Instruction—
DELOS FALL.
For Member State Board Education—
JAMES H. THOMPSON.

When the city council made its appropriations last fall \$6,000 were set aside for street improvements to be made this year. By many this amount was considered insufficient to meet the demands which would be made upon the street committee during the present summer, but in view of the condition of the city's finances no larger amount could be devoted to this fund. Up to the present time less than \$1,000 of this amount has been spent, yet the year is more than half gone. At its last meeting the city council appropriated an additional \$600 from this fund for the extension of Hartnett avenue to Wells, but this work is yet to be done. The one thing which the council seems to deem most essential is that the street improvement fund be made to last during the year for which it was assigned, and taking this view of the case it is but fair to surmise that the season for street improvements, which is already drawing to a close, will be allowed to pass with practically nothing accomplished in the way of bettering the deplorable condition of the city's streets, which are at present in far worse shape than they were when the summer opened. If the council is desirous of having something to show for its money and at the same time please the tax payers—whose money they are spending—they will lose no time in canvassing the situation carefully, decide which streets are most in need of improvements and then having determined how far the balance of the street fund will go, place the entire amount at the disposal of the street committee and have the work pushed as far as the money will permit within the next two months.

China and its dependencies have a total area of 4,218,401 square miles and a population of 402,680,000. In area it includes nearly one-twelfth of the total area of the globe, while its population includes nearly one-third of all the people in the world. As compared with the United States, the latter's island possessions being excluded, China has 800,000 more square miles of territory and more than five times as many inhabitants. The population of China proper per square mile is 292; that of the state of Rhode Island is 254, and that of Texas six.

There are three principal religions in China—Buddhism, Taoism and Confucianism. The latter is almost without forms and ceremonies, consisting chiefly in study and contemplation of the teachings and works of the ancients. Buddhism and Taoism both have elaborate and splendid ceremonial. Taoism is the older, Buddhism having made its appearance in China about 1,800 years ago. It is now the religion of almost eight-tenths of the people. In the northeast and southwest there are 30,000,000 Mohammedans. The Roman Catholics have more than 1,000,000 adherents and support twenty-nine bishoprics. The converts of all the Protestant churches are estimated to number not more than 50,000. Back in the remote interior of the kingdom the hill tribes are still nature worshippers or heathen.

If the country papers are all right it makes very little difference what the city papers think. It is the weekly and not the daily newspaper that form public opinion in this country. We have only three dailies of general circulation in Nebraska. Their combined issues amount to 60,

000 copies. We have 600 weeklies with a combined circulation of 899,000 copies. The dailies go to the cities and towns, while the weeklies go to every home in the State. The dailies are scanned, while the weeklies are read from the leading editorial to the last advertisement. The busy merchant takes up his daily paper, reads the scare heads and then throws it down to sell a customer a pound of nails or a plug of tobacco. The farmer or mechanic takes his paper home and after the evening lamp is lighted the whole family study the paper as if it were a school book. The result is that the country boy of 18 knows more about politics, science, history and literature than the average city man of middle age, and the country girl has more general, useful information than her city sister will ever have if she lives to the age of Methuselah.—Omaha Non-conformist.

The enterprise and bustling qualities of our esteemed and up-to-date (?) contemporary, The Daily Mirror, can not be shown to better advantage than has been done during the past week. In Wednesday's edition appeared an editorial entitled "Help the Enumerator," which gave careful instructions as to how its readers could best assist in the work of compiling the twelfth census of the United States. This work was commenced on June 1 and completed two weeks ago. In the issue of the night before appeared two superannuated editorials, one advising prospective visitors to the Paris exposition not to go before the middle of June and another forecasting the New York Sangerfest of July 2 and 3, already a week past. Thursday night of last week the city council of Escanaba held an important session, yet The Mirror did not complete publishing its two-and-one-half column report until Tuesday night of this week, while the Iron Port had given to its readers a five column account of the meeting on Saturday morning, three and one-half days in advance of the Daily Reflector. People who live in glass houses should not throw stones, and the editor of The Mirror had better make sure that his own publication is free from antiquated "boiler plate" before he finds fault with his contemporaries.

It is certainly to be hoped that at the next regular meeting of the city council, the Curfew ordinance, requested by hundreds of citizens who placed their signatures on the petition circulated by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, will be passed. There are few towns in the country where such an ordinance is needed more than it is in Escanaba, and even though it should require the services of an additional police officer to enforce it, the saving of but one girl from a life of shame, or a single boy from the state prison would be ample recompense for the additional cost to the tax payers. There are without doubt enough members of the council favorable to such a restriction upon the young boys and girls of the city to pass this ordinance as soon as it is presented in proper form, and just why it should require two months or more time to get the matter ready for a vote is a question that those who are urging its adoption cannot understand.

Evidently the weather man has overreached himself during the past week in his attempts to give us "summer resort weather," for the chill March winds and chillier October rains have formed a combination that has knocked our July sunshine into the middle of next week. Instead of negligee shirts and duck pants for the gentlemen and gaudy colored leg-born bits with gossamer like dresses for the ladies, the weather of the past week has called for overcoats, heavy wraps and winter clothing generally. In view of the rather contrary condition of the weather in this vicinity it is difficult for one to realize that the people of Chicago, and other cities no farther south, are sweltering under a sun that is daily claiming a long list of victims from sunstroke and heat prostrations. Yet such is the case.

Lieut. Gov. O. W. Robinson will still be a member of the state board of equalization; so the upper peninsula will be heard from. Taken all in all the new republican state ticket contains several friends of this peninsula. Bliss, McCoy, Oren and Powers all have a very friendly and familiar sound. They understand our needs and will look well after our interests.

"A poll tax is never popular," says the New Haven Palladium. "What kind of tax is popular?" asks the New York Sun. "An indirect tax that

the other fellow pays, or that is paid without knowledge of the payment," copies the Philadelphia Record. A very good answer, and one that shows why the protective tariff taxes are so popular. Consumers don't know when they pay them, and are not burdened by them. The reason is that they build up home industries, raise American wages, make our money circulate at home instead of abroad, and increase the worker's surplus of income over outgo. The protective tariff is a home builder, a creator of prosperity, and a promoter of content. Hence it is popular, and the people are not going to vote it away this year.

The following editorial appears in the current issue of State Affairs: "In return for an indorsement of Chase S. Osborn for governor by Houghton County, Chippewa republicans in convention assembled, instructed for the Hon. Carl Sheldon for congress. This gives Mr. Sheldon, to date, instructed delegations as follows: Luce, 2; Schoolcraft 2; Menominee, 6; Mackinac, 2; Keweenaw, 2, and Chippewa, 5; a total of 19. Barring a slip-up in his own county, which has 12 delegates, and where he is considered very safe, this would practically insure his nomination.

Although The Daily Mirror is the recognized organ of the democratic party in Delta county, its editor forgets himself so far at times that in clipping his news from exchanges he occasionally gets hold of a republican editorial by mistake, as was the case in Wednesday's issue when it says: "There is republican trouble in the Twelfth congressional district, but that does not give the democrats any hope whatever. They know the republican nominee is as certain to be elected as the sun is to rise."

It is said that Mr. O. B. Fuller, will have no opposition for the office of senator from his district. This is a compliment to his former excellent record as a representative from the Delta district. Mr. Fuller is an active member who has ever the interests of the upper peninsula in mind.—Ishpeming Iron Ore.

If "16 to 1" in the democratic platform does not mean anything, why in creation was it put there at Bryan's stand-and-deliver order while so many of his supporters were opposed to this self crucifixion.

To all obvious intents and purposes the advance agent of prosperity is not only good enough as an advance agent; the indications are that the people are willing to make him a member of the firm.

Now that the city council has decided to extend Hartnett avenue to Wells, it will stand the police department in hand to corral a score or more hobos to do the work.

The report that Aguinaldo will not give up the fight until after the presidential election is probably a campaign yarn designed to encourage the democratic party.

If Mr. Hearst attempts to replace all the newspapers that have been driven out of the democratic party by the Chicago platform he will be a very busy young man.

The Chinese pig-tail makes fine twisting material for those persons who have been so persistently at work on the British lion's tail.

Mr. Bryan is being exploited as a practical farmer. He still professes faith in his ability to plant free silver and raise the price of wheat.

The Bryanites have begun to belittle the gold democrat movement just as they did four years ago. They have short memories.

Cotton growers realized \$72,000,000 more money for their crop last year than they did in 1895. The result of opening the mills.

In selecting the names of famous dead for the new "Hall of Fame" why is it that that of W. J. Bryan is not mentioned.

The Boxer platform declares for the free and unlimited slaughter of foreign devils without regard to any other nation.

William Jennings Bryan is again billed to lead his party "through a slaughter house into an open grave."

The democratic party will never forgive the republicans for making the country prosperous.

The corn crop of the U. S. was worth almost \$85,000,000 more last year than in 1895.

The democratic party never has, never is, but is always "a goin' to." A town's reputation depends

upon the way in which the streets, the yards and the business places are kept. To the visitor from their towns this impression means much, and it is the duty of every citizen to see that his own property is in the best possible condition. "Help to keep the city clean."

The Stage.

The following item from the Houghton Gazette explains why the Altman Dramatic company failed to keep its dates at the Peterson Opera House last Monday and Tuesday nights. "The Altman Dramatic company did not meet with very good success during their engagement in this city. The troupe disbanded and from all accounts it is well for the other towns in the peninsula that it did, as many of those who witnessed one or two of the performances said the trick bicycle rider was the only good feature of the show."

The next attraction of importance booked to appear at the Peterson Opera House is Aiden Benedict's presentation of "Quo Vadis," that famous religious story written by Sienkiewicz. The play will be presented here in August and will be the original version of the story, as dramatized by Charles W. Chase. The play contains a wealth of incident, a coloring that is fairly gorgeous, while the religious sentiment is brought into contrast with the dying paganism of a luxurious despotism in a way that loses nothing from the fascinating character of the story.

The Marquette Journal of Thursday says: "Joe Santry, the well-known advance agent for Frank Long, arrived in town last evening. The company closed Saturday night at Ashland in what Joe describes as the best season it ever had. Frank Long, the star, has gone to Hot Springs to spend five or six weeks for rest and recreation." Both Mr. Santry and Frank Long are well known to Escanaba theatre goers.

PROVE ALL THINGS.

This Old Command is Easy to Fulfill in Escanaba.

To win a wager, an English Marquis stood on London bridge and offered for an hour British sovereigns (\$5) for five shillings (\$1.25.) He could not find a customer. There are several good reasons why the ordinary mortal could not be induced to buy, but no reason can be given why Escanaba people will not accept the following convincing proof about Doan's Kidney Pills. Read this: Josiah R. R. Brooks of 314 Ingalls street Menominee says: "I had backache or kidney trouble for ten years it got so bad that I was compelled to do something for it. I was confined to my house with the trouble for forty days not in bed although I often had to roll out on the floor and get up on my hands and knees. It was a common thing after sitting in a chair for awhile to have to take hold of something before I could get on my feet. The pain and soreness was mostly in the region of my kidneys but often shifted up and down. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me. I recommend them at every opportunity as the best remedy I ever used."

Just such emphatic endorsement can be had right here in Escanaba. Drop into Mead's drug store and ask what his customers report.

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers, price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Bark River's New School.

The present crowded condition of the Bark River public school building has made it necessary to erect a new and larger structure for the accommodation of the sixty-seven pupils now enrolled, and the township board of education has advertised for bids for the construction of a building that will cost in the neighborhood of \$2,000. The contract will be let on August 4.

Are you Losing Flesh?

If so take a lake trip to picturesque Mackinac, you always gain flesh on a fresh water trip. Take one of the floating palace steamers of the D. & C. Co., the coast line to Michigan summer resorts for a rest. Steamers leave Cleveland, Toledo and Detroit for all points on the Great Lakes. Send 2c. for illustrated pamphlet. Address A. A. Schantz, G. P. A., Detroit, Mich.

Bids Wanted.

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We are showing some fine Novelties in Shoes for mid-summer wear. Styles that are new and exclusive with us. Come in and let us show the new things.

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Personal and Social

Marquette Eagle: Next Saturday a party of well known Marquette young men will leave on the yacht *Viking* on a trip to points north of here. They expect to be gone about two weeks and will visit Door county points, Escanaba, Fayette and probably Manistee. The party consists of Judge Harlan, M. Bird, Atty. John O. Miller, Arthur Robeck, John O'Connell and Joseph Weinman.

The clerks and other employees of the Fair Department store were given a pleasant outing near Chandler's Falls last Sunday by Herman Salinsky, proprietor and manager of the store. It is needless to state that the young people had a delightful time.

The Wisconsin Land & Lumber Co. of Hermansville has filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state at Lansing. The capital stock of the concern is \$220,000.

Wm. Hennessy, of the *Majestic*, left Tuesday evening by boat for Elk Rapids, from where he went to his home at Grand Rapids for a two weeks' visit.

Charles F. Glavin of Archer, Iowa, arrived in the city early Wednesday morning to attend the funeral of his brother, the late John E. Glavin.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church will give an excursion on the steamer *Lotus* on the evening of July 19.

Ed. McMartin, operator for the C. & N. W. road, is spending a few days at his home in Escanaba.—Menominee Herald.

F. H. Shaw of Minneapolis is spending the summer in the city the guest of his daughter Mrs. G. E. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Greenboot left Wednesday evening for a visit at Milwaukee and Chicago.

Probate Judge T. B. White accompanied Sheriff Olmsted on his trip to Newberry Tuesday.

George E. Smith and Miss Lucy Smith have gone to Minneapolis for a short visit.

Hon. George P. McCallum of Manistique was in the city Wednesday of this week.

H. E. Stewart and D. F. Smith of Green Bay spent Wednesday in the city.

Miss Constantine Paulson is the guest of friends at Oshkosh, Wis. Born to Mrs. George R. Blake of Delta avenue, on Monday, a son.

Robert Jerkison of Munising is now making his home in this city.

Miss Annie LeMere is the guest of friends in Milwaukee.

A. P. Smith of Gladstone was in the city Tuesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Willie, a son.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will give a basket picnic at Flat Rock Monday afternoon. The party will make the trip on the 2 o'clock car and anyone desiring an afternoon's outing will be welcomed. In the event of rain Monday afternoon the picnic will be postponed until Tuesday at the same hour.

The steamers *Georgia* and *Chicago*, of the Goodrich line, were in port Monday night. Both had large passenger lists, and the *Georgia* had a tourist party of nearly one hundred, bound for Mackinac.

Mrs. R. H. Miller and Mrs. W. Stuart of Kingfisher, Oklahoma, are the guests of their cousin, Miss Elsie Warn of this city.

E. O. and C. H. Norton of Marquette were in the city Wednesday the guests of their brother T. H. Norton.

W. T. Crane, George G. Rogers and E. C. Edgerly of Manistique were guests of the city Wednesday.

Willie Sullivan left Thursday on the steamer *Corona* for Cleveland, where he will visit with relatives.

J. A. Burns and Attorney Carey have been enjoying a fishing jaunt up the Whitefish river this week.

Miss Anna Fogarty has returned from Oshkosh where she was attending the normal school.

Perry White of Dunbar, Wis., spent Monday in the city with Horace Atkins, while on their way home from the I. Stephenson Co.'s camp 20, where their father, J. W. White, is woods superintendent.

A Calumet and Laurium brief in the Houghton Gazette of Sunday says: Harry Broad, of Escanaba, accompanied by Miss Hastie, of Chicago, were visitors in the city yesterday.

Mr. Broad is prominent in the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and was one of the organizers of the branch in this city.

Wm. O'Melia of Ishpeming, formerly clerk at the Oliver House was a visitor in the city several days this week while on his way to Chicago. O'Melia has recently returned from Seattle, Wash.

Peter Godin of Chicago, a wholesale grocer, was in the city this week the guest of his brother, A. Godin of 398 Oak street, and W. P. LaBelle of 1203 Thomas street.

Nels Kempe has resigned his position as bartender for E. W. Wickert and accepted a similar position with Asp & Olson, corner Ludington and Elmore streets.

S. J. Murphy, conductor of the day train between Powers and Crystal Falls, attended the funeral of John E. Glavin Wednesday.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Epworth League met Wednesday afternoon with Miss Jans McMartin on First street.

Miss Florence Litterunau left Wednesday evening for Chicago where she will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Poplin have returned to their home at Lake Linden after a pleasant visit here.

Miss Charlotte Sobram of Chicago is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Greenboot.

Train Dispatcher C. E. Andrews was at Menominee on business Monday.

Charles A. McGinley of Menominee was in the city on business Monday.

A. W. Priest of Kaukauna transacted business here Wednesday.

Fred Hess attended United States court at Marquette this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anthony visited in Chicago this week.

John M. Millar spent several days in Chicago this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Durancan of the Fayette House have received a letter from their son Joseph, who is now residing in Detroit, announcing that his wife has recently presented him with a daughter.

Mrs. Obarles J. McCauley and daughter, Eva May, and Miss Minnie Farrell left Wednesday on the steamer C. W. Moore for Sturgeon Bay, where they will spend the balance of the summer.

The younger boys of St. Stephen's Sunday school will hold a peanut social in the basement of the church Monday evening July 16th. Refreshments 10 cents. Proceeds for benefit of library.

Edward W. Walsh of Hermansville has been appointed Deputy Supreme Master of the Mystlo Workers of the World for Northern Michigan.

Walter McMillan and Verne Rushlow, C. & N. W. firemen, came to the city from Munising last Saturday to join the brotherhood.

Joseph Embs and sister, Miss Catherine, returned Tuesday from a ten days visit at Ishpeming, Negaunee and Marquette.

Miss Lou Carroll has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Carney, at Marquette during the past week.

Peter R. Legg of Gladstone, county commissioner of schools, was in the city on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Blanchette are in Quebec, Can., the guests of Mrs. Blanchette's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Nee returned Sunday from their wedding tour through the east.

Mrs. George Walz and Mrs. I. G. English spent several days at Maywood this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCourt visited friends at Menominee last week.

day night of a very pleasant farewell party given in honor of Miss Erickson of Chicago, who has been employed as milliner in Kratoz's store during the past season. The ball was none too large to accommodate the crowd, and the dance program was continued until late in the night. Sullivan's orchestra furnished music for the dances, and refreshments were served during the intermission.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Aid society met Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. H. P. Lucas on Michigan avenue. The hours were from 2 until 5 o'clock and light refreshments were served.

Miss Margaret Corcoran who graduated from the school at Outonagon in June, returned to her home in this city Monday. She was accompanied by her brother, Father James Corcoran of Marquette.

Twenty men from Chicago and Milwaukee arrived in the city Tuesday morning to work for the I. Stephenson company on the extension of the E. & L. S. road.

Mrs. Herman Salinsky is entertaining her sisters, the Misses Frieda and Edna Silverman, and her cousin, Miss Dora O'Shinsky, all of Marquette.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reichenbaum and Mrs. L. Kratz and family of Milwaukee were the guests of relatives in the city over Sunday.

The Misses Emma and Clara Kaufman returned Tuesday evening from a week's visit with their brother Fred at Ishpeming.

Miss Della Lindquist has returned from Oshkosh, where she recently completed a course of studies in the Normal school.

M. K. Bissell, Dr. W. A. Cotton and H. P. Lucas returned Monday from a fishing expedition near Munising.

Coroner Henry McFall has returned from a visit of two weeks at Waukegan and other places in Wisconsin.

Miss Alice Young arrived by boat from Chicago Saturday and will visit in town until August first.

Mrs. James H. Elliott was the guest of friends at Duluth this week, returning home today.

George P. McCallum of Manistique spent Sunday in the city, a guest of the New Ludington.

Miss Julia Leonhardt left Wednesday for her home at Sturgeon Bay to spend the summer.

Mrs. Sam Stonhouse visited with relatives at Iron Mountain last week.

Father P. E. Menard visited with friends at Lake Linden this week.

George Cabill of Ishpeming visited with friends here this week.

Mrs. F. E. Darling of Rapid River spent Monday in the city.

"Jack" Nolan returned Monday from a visit at Chicago.

Mrs. John Oliver made a trip to Chicago this week.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following-named couples: Martin Olson and Bertha Nelson, Isabella; John Bhirdo, Masonville, Emma Perron, Munising; Louis Doneau, Brampton and Rose Deneaux, Wells.

Soe News: John Frederick, who is connected with the Delta Hardware Co., of Escanaba, visited city relatives and shook hands with many of his friends here this week.

Dr. Andrew Nelson, who recently came to Escanaba from the University hospital at Ann Arbor, has opened an office at 1016 Ludington street.

Munising Republican: Deb Herrington left for Escanaba, Chicago and other cities. One who ought to know says he will bring a bride home with him.

The Woman's Club will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. I. C. Jennings on Elmore street, for the annual election of officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marcus and little son of Chicago, are the guests of Mrs. Marcus' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schram.

Miss Frances Slater of Escanaba is visiting old Kaukauna friends, the guest of Miss Madge Hayes.—Kaukauna Times.

W. T. Moran, a circulator for the Chicago Record, who formerly resided at Kaukauna, was in the city this week.

F. H. Smith, wife and child, of Waukegan, Ill., were guests of the Oliver House several days this week.

her home in Escanaba after an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Young.—Marquette (Mining Journal).

Mrs. Reynolds and daughter of Grand Haven are the guests of Dr. H. B. Reynolds and sister on Campbell street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Walker of Grand Rapids, were the guests this week of the family of Judge T. B. White.

Miss L. O. Pope of Chicago, is spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Banks on South Georgia street.

Robert Knox, of Chicago, president of the Ford River Lumber company was in the city Wednesday.

Miss Sadie McDougal of the Variety store is spending her summer vacation at her home in Alpena.

Miss Della Mills, stenographer for Hon. John Power, has gone to her home at Osceola on a visit.

Dr. Harry Long, a recent graduate from the Chicago Medical college, has located in this city.

Miss Myrtle Wells of Menominee is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wells of Flat Rock.

Frank Comminski and George Lockwood were visitors at Marquette Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilner, of Chicago, will visit friends in the city next week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McCue of First and Jennie streets, a daughter.

Miss Kate Dineen is the guest of friends at Iron Mountain.

Mose Kurz was in Iron Mountain on business Wednesday.

T. B. White spent Thursday in Menominee on business.

Q. R. Hessel was in Marquette on business Wednesday.

Nels Nelson is the guest of friends at Iron River.

Mrs. Margaret L. Atkinson and Miss Minnie Brown attended a reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Stack of Escanaba, in honor of their daughters, who recently returned from school.—Iron Mountain Press.

The lumber inspectors of Nahma will give a dance in that village next Saturday evening. Sullivan's orchestra of this city will supply music for the occasion.

Emil Wickert who was a member of the U. S. District court jury at Marquette this week returned home yesterday.

Will Madden, who has been at work for the Northwestern at Iron Mountain for several months, has returned home.

Frank Martin of Houghton visited friends in the city yesterday and today.

Magnus Anderson of Gladstone was in the city on business yesterday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Perron of West Ludington street, on Wednesday, a daughter.

Sam McMillan of Marquette was in the city on business Thursday.

Herbert Patterson is visiting with relatives at Iron Mountain.

Miss Bessie Hutt has returned from a week's visit at Bark River.

Peter Lemmer and Theo. Burg spent several days this week at Garden Bay and Fayette.

Ray Guigan of Manistique is visiting in the city.

Hon. O. B. Fuller made a business trip to Milwaukee this week.

MORTUARY MATTERS

Escanaba's Death Roll During the Present Week.

TWO SUGGUMS TO HEART FAILURE

Bartholomew Desmond and Mrs. Anna Nelson Drop Dead—John E. Glavin a Victim of Pulmonary Disease.

Bartholomew Desmond, 27 years of age and unmarried, dropped dead of heart disease Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock while at work in Russell Willie's livery stable on Ludington street. For some time past Mr. Desmond had been in rather poor health but he continued at work. The fatal stroke came without warning and he fell to the floor unconscious. Two fellow workmen picked him up and carried the unconscious form into the office where he died within a few minutes, and before Dr. C. H. Long arrived. Young Desmond's home was at Bark River, but he boarded with John Gannon on Georgia street. His only relative in the city is a brother, Jerry Desmond who also resides on Georgia street. Coroner McFall viewed the remains and returned a verdict of death from heart failure. Thursday morning the remains were sent to his home at Bark River from where the funeral was held in the afternoon.

Mrs. Anna Louisa Nelson, the aged mother of County Clerk O. V. Linden, died suddenly of heart disease at the home of the latter, 408 Elmore street, at noon Tuesday. The fatal attack seized Mrs. Nelson while she was seated at the dinner table and although medical aid was called at once she passed away before the physician arrived. Mrs. Nelson was 81 years of age and has resided for years at Bark River, where her husband died just two weeks previous to her demise. Since that time the old lady's health failed rapidly and for several days previous to the end she was quite feeble. The funeral was held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from the residence. The remains being interred beside those of her husband at Bark River.

John E. Glavin, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis E. Glavin, died at his home in the Sherman house Sunday night shortly before midnight from an acute attack of pulmonary disease. His illness was but a few days duration and the announcement of his death came to many of his friends before they were aware of his illness. The deceased was 26 years of age, unmarried and was employed up to the time of his death as a cedar inspector and tallyman for the C. & N. W. Ry. He was born and reared in Escanaba and was possessed of a host of friends. The funeral was held Wednesday morning from St. Joseph's church, Rev. Fr. Bede officiating. It was largely attended despite the inclement weather.

A telegram from Springfield, Mass., to Rev. Dr. Todd of this city Monday announced the death at that place of the three-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Tyndall from strangulation. Mrs. Tyndall was formerly Miss Kate McGillis of this city and is a sister of Mrs. Warren Brown of Campbell street.

GROCERY STORE SOLD.

J. H. Everett of the Soo Buys M. R. Young's Business.

The grocery business conducted by M. R. Young at 612 Ludington street was sold this week to J. H. Everett, of Sault Ste. Marie, who will continue the business in this city. Mr. Young formerly occupied the Stack building opposite Ed. Erickson's store, but moved into the new Mead-Perrin block several months ago.

His successor, Mr. Everett, is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. John Christie of the New Ludington Hotel and has had twelve years' experience in the grocery business. Mr. Young expects to accept a position as traveling salesman.

An Incipient Blaze.

The fire department was called to 1012 Ludington street at 8:40 Monday night by a fire that had started in the rooms over the "White Elephant" saloon. The flames were caused by the overturning and breaking of a lamp, which ignited a lace curtain. The damage did not exceed \$5.

District Court in Session.

The July term of U. S. District court at Marquette opened Tuesday with a rather heavy docket. Two cases from Escanaba will likely be tried during the session. Both are alleged violations of the internal revenue laws and the defendants are William Gibson and Nettie Sensiba.

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SEMI-ANNUAL REMNANT SALE!



Commencing to-day and Lasting for the Balance of the Month of July.

In a business the size of The Fair Savings Bank it is unavoidable to accumulate a great many Remnants, short pieces and odd lots of merchandise. Now is the time we take to dispose of these lots. We have placed them together, measured and the price-marked them plainly so that they may be disposed of quickly. The cost of these remnants we count as nothing and the price-mark readily shows genuine bargains. Thousands of remnants at prices so low that it would shame the manufacturers, including Dress Goods, Silks, Velvets, Linings, Ginghams, Zephers, Calicos, Percales, Flannels, Sheetings, Dimities, Lawns, Outings, Embroideries, Laces, Trimmings, Odd lots of Lace Curtains, Gloves, Silk Mitts, Underwear, Hosiery, Children's Bonnets, Caps, Aprons, Towels, Etc.

For the benefit of those who were unable to secure one of our great bargains in suits before the Fourth we have concluded to continue the sale at the same ridiculous low prices in order to make room for our fall stock. The values are of the very best.

Remnant sale prices on Men's good Working Shirts, each

15c

Heavy brown Mixed Cotton Sox for men, the 10c ones, 4 pair for

25c

Boys' all-wool Knee Pants, sizes 6 to 15 years, extra good value for our clearing sale, per pair,

25c

A few dozen Silk Front Shirts, formerly 50c and 75c, will be closed out now for each

29c

All our fancy pure silk flouncing Neckties, formerly sold at 60c and 75c, remnant sale price each

29c

Men's extra good quality Suspender-sets, remnant sale price, per pair

10c

All our fancy short bosom Percale Shirts, beautiful patterns, formerly 90c and \$1.25 to close out at each

79c

Brownie Overalls for boys, the best we have ever had, with suspender back, size 4 to 14, a pair

25c

One basket of Men's Sox to close out, per pair,

2c



4.95

This lot includes all the Men's Suits left from our \$20, \$27 and \$35 suits, nice patterns, all this season's goods, not one of them out of date; from one of our great clearing sales, you make your own choice of them at our great clearing sale for \$4.95.

6.95

Extra good values in Men's fine Summer Suits, fancy checks, stripes and plaids in light and dark effects, fashionably made and trimmed, greatest value ever offered. These suits must be closed out. As there are only a few left we have bunched them for our great clearing sale at \$6.95.

1.25

All our Boy's 2-piece suits in sizes 7 to 15, formerly sold up to \$2.50, all bunched together for our great clearing sale at \$1.25.

9.45

Men's extraordinary fine all-wool Suits, including all the nobby stripes, checks and plaids, worsteds, serge, or cassimeres in all the latest designs, either single or double breasted vests, any of these garments less than cost of material, but no matter, we must have room, so here they go at our great clearing sale for \$9.45.

12.48

This lot positively consists of the finest grade of all-wool suits, in the latest styles, and checks, or dark blue and black, day worsteds, double or single breasted vests, some silk lined all through; these garments are in questionably good value up to \$18, but price is no object, so down they go for our great clearing sale at \$12.48.



9c

Children's Straw Sailor Hats, about 50 of the 25c ones left, your choice of all, each

25c

All our 40c and 60c Straw Hats for children to go up, each

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

Sell Magnet Calf, Kangaroo Calf, Calf Skin and Viol Kid, in black or tan color, all styles, either lace or gongress. All of these goods sell at \$2.50, for this sale your choice.

Men's Oil Grain Don Pedro or Creoles, all solid leather, per pair..... **1.00**

Benjens Perfitas, the shoe that fits like a glove, black or tan color, silk vesting or leather top, for this sale, choice..... **2.79**

Women's black or tan color Shoes, made of fine dongola kid stock, lace or button, fancy or plain top, a \$1.50 shoe, choice..... **1.15**

FURNITURE DEPT.

Here are a few odd pieces we are anxious to sell at the prices below.

One \$16.75 Couch for..... **11.48**

One \$18.00 Go Cart for..... **9.98**

One \$18.75 Couch for..... **12.29**

One \$23.25 Couch for..... **13.98**

One \$17.50 Couch for..... **12.89**

One \$15.35 Baby Carriage for **9.39**

Take the elevator and find bargains.

GROCERY DEPARTMENT

Key Laundry Soap, 15 bars for..... **25c**

Good Raisins—Miscellaneous..... **6c**

Good Rice—clean—per pound..... **3c**

Best Parlor Matches, full package..... **10c**

Godady's Fancy Pickles, large bottle..... **22c**

Peanuts, warm, per pound..... **8c**

One pound Pearlless Tobacco..... **32c**

NOTICE.

Our annual remnant sales are halted with delight by hundreds of shrewd buyers, who take advantage of the opportunity to save money, and therefore we advise an early visit to the Big Store in order to avoid the rush, and also to get the "first pick" of remnants. There is truth in the old adage, "The early bird catches the worm."

SNAPS 1.

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The balance of our stock of Dog Collar and Valley Belts will be sold during this sale at just half price.

READ OVER THE REMNANT SALE.

One basket of Ladies' fast black Stockings, to close out, per pair,

3c

1c

BUYING RIGHT OF WAY

St. Paul Company After Entrance Along South Shore.

TO BUILD DOCKS ON PORTAGE POINT

Options Have Been Secured on Much of the Property Along Proposed Route—Refuse to Talk About It.

Appropos to the granting by the city council of a thirty-year franchise to the Escanaba Terminal Railway company to construct and maintain a steam railway along Hartnett and Stephenson avenues into the city as far as the intersection of Ludington street, it now develops that this franchise was secured in the interests of the "Soo" line, which has all along sought an entrance into the city for its freight traffic, but did not consider it valuable enough to undertake the purchase of a right of way and the cost of building a new road.

While the "Soo" company is credited with the success of this move, it is reported on unquestionable authority that the line will be used both by the Soo and St. Paul railroads, and this concession on the part of the former, is accounted for by the announcement that the St. Paul company will extend the line from Ludington street across the city to the south shore, where it will run along the bay east to a down town point, where its passenger station will be built.

Several months ago The Iron Port published an article to this effect, but shortly after the matter was evidently dropped and the attention of the public was turned to the proposed Thomas street right-of-way. Here again the officials who were negotiating for an entrance down this thoroughfare for the St. Paul company met with obstacles in the way of obstinate property owners, and some weeks ago this project was dropped and in its place the Terminal company franchise was taken up and carried through successfully.

Now that this matter has been settled, the south shore project has again been taken up and within the past week an effort has been made by Mayor John M. Hartnett and John P. McColl to secure options on the property along the proposed right of way. Just what success these gentlemen met with can not be learned, as both refuse to talk, except to say that as yet the matter is in an embryo state and that they do not care to have it agitated until they have concluded their negotiations.

However, Mayor Hartnett stated that by the end of next week he would, no doubt, be in a position to give out some very interesting news. He admitted that the St. Paul people wanted to secure an entrance into the city and evidently is of the opinion that the matter can be arranged satisfactorily. When questioned regarding the report that, in company with some of the railroad officials, he had looked over the ground this week, the mayor made no reply.

John P. McColl, who owns Portage Point, southwest of the city, admitted that he had called upon the property owners along the proposed route to secure options and said he was interested through the prospect of being able to sell to the company his strip of land that extends out into Green Bay, where, it is understood, the St. Paul will build some additional ore docks. This would give them an advantage over the North-Western that could never be overcome, as at that point navigation can be kept up the year 'round.

Mr. McColl denied the rumor that he had either sold or given an option on his property to the St. Paul people as yet, and stated that all the news of their plans he had secured through correspondence. Like Mayor Hartnett, he insisted that the matter was as yet too vague to be talked about and therefore had but little to say.

Another well founded rumor which concerns the St. Paul and North-western railroad company is the statement circulated recently to the effect that the latter is to lose ownership of its No. 5 dock at North Escanaba. This dock was built in 1889 by Ferdinand Schlessinger of Milwaukee, who also built what is yet called the Schlessinger road, over which the ore shipped from the dock was transported. The land upon which this dock was built was a grant made to Mr. Schlessinger by the I. Stephenson company on certain conditions, among them being one that it was never to be used by, or conveyed into the hands of, any other than the Schlessinger company. When Schlessinger failed in 1891,

the road along with No. 5 dock fell into the hands of the C. & N. W. company, and have since been operated by them. It is now claimed that the I. Stephenson company are about to bring an action for the recovery of this property on the grounds that the conditions of their grant have been violated and the property must therefore revert to them. In the event this action is successful the dock property will undoubtedly become the property of the Escanaba & Lake Superior railroad company and will be used by the St. Paul under its present traffic arrangement with that company.

Just how much of truth and how much of fiction there is in these rumors The Iron Port is not prepared to say. They are published simply for their news value and will be investigated as opportunity is afforded and their developments given to the public through these columns as rapidly as they are obtained.

PAYS HEAVY FINE.

Junk Dealer Finds Stolen Property Expensive to Buy.

Abraham Caplan, the Jew junk dealer of Thomas street, has paid \$68.55 into the city's coffers for having violated the law by purchasing copper and brass junk from minors without the consent of their parents. On Tuesday of this week, Caplan was tried a second time on this charge before a jury and found guilty.

The charge in this action was brought by Hugh McCauley who accused Caplan of buying 34 pounds of copper from his 12-year-old son Cornelius. The case was tried before Justice of the Peace Emil Glaser and the jury was composed of Phil Dupont, Matt Fillion, Pat Coffey, Russell Willie, Martin Anderson and Tom Moore.

Attorney J. H. Clancy appeared for Caplan and prosecuting Attorney I. C. Jennings represented the people. A half dozen boys were called as witnesses and the hearing of the case occupied the greater part of the day. At the conclusion, when Judge Glaser had passed sentence, Attorney Clancy brought up the question of the validity of the court's judgment under a supreme court decision declaring that in a conviction for misdemeanor a Justice of the Peace cannot pass an alternative sentence of a stipulated fine or jail sentence, but that he may give either one or the other or both combined, if he sees fit. Both Attorney Jennings and Judge Glaser admitted this holding by Mr. Clancy to be correct, and the appeal to the circuit court, together with the judgments in both cases, were compromised for the sum of \$68.55 and a promise made to Caplan that no farther prosecutions would be made on old charges.

Marshal Malloy of Gladstone brought two offenders against the peace and dignity of that promising suburb to the city last Saturday and had them placed in the county bastille to serve sentences of thirty days each. The prisoners are Arthur Nutler of Trout Lake, convicted of the theft of a pair of trousers from Morris Rubinskey, and Gus T. Nelson, an habitual drunkard who also pleaded guilty to resisting an officer.

Joseph Derouin was before Justice Glaser Monday morning charged with having been drunk and disorderly on Sunday. Joe entered a plea of guilty to the charge and paid a fine of \$5 and the costs in the case in order to avoid a jail sentence.

THE DATES FIXED.

Sixth Annual County Fair Will Be Held August 21, 22 and 23.

At a meeting of the directors of the Delta County Agricultural association, held Thursday evening, it was decided to hold the sixth annual fair and race meeting on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, August 21, 22 and 23, and the management is now hard at work to make the event the most successful ever held in this section of the country. Liberal purses will be hung up, \$1,200 having been appropriated for the several racing events. The premium list has been increased, and special attractions will be secured.

Stole His Implements.
A tape chain, axe and several surveyor's pins were stolen of E. P. Royce several days ago while he was engaged in doing some work on Wells avenue. It is understood the persons who perpetrated the theft are known and have been warned to return them to prevent prosecution.

Social Democratic Convention.
The state central committee of the Social democratic party has called a state convention to be held in Saginaw July 24, for the purpose of nominating a United Socialist state ticket.

Annual Encampment.
The state military board has decided to hold the annual encampment of the Michigan National Guard at Island Lake, commencing August 8,

MUNICIPAL MATTERS

General Local News Gathered Here and There.

CONDENSED GOSSIP OF THE TOWN.

The Most Important Happenings of the Week in the Upper Peninsula Briefly Chronicled. Late Personals.

The State Board of Health has by formal resolution, declared that every case of so called "typho-malarial fever," and every case of fever of doubtful origin continuing more than seven days, should be reported to the local health officer, and the same precautions taken as in other cases of typhoid fever.

Six new speckled trout, varying in length from eight to fifteen inches, were added to Fred Hodges aquarium at the Arcade this week. They were caught at Perronville by Messrs. Murphy and Lantow and were brought to this city Monday by Wm. Hennessey and George Preston.

In the monthly bulletin issued by the State Board of Health, for April, the most noticeable feature is that the sickness in Michigan from consumption in April, 1900, was less than half the average sickness from that disease in April for the fourteen years ending with 1899.

The huckleberry season in the upper peninsula has opened fully two weeks ahead of time this year and already the rush for the picking grounds has commenced with the result that little cities of white tents are springing up all over the northern plains.

The Michigan Telephone company reports a net gain of 861 subscribers on June 30. The Erie Telephone System, which includes this company, reports a gain of 2,744 subscribers in June, making a total number of 126,455 subscribers of this system on June 30.

So numerous are the deer in the upper peninsula that the experimental station farm recently established near Munising will have to be fenced in with wire in order to keep the deer from eating the crops which have been planted there.

Gust Nelson has purchased from John K. Stack the building which he now occupies with the Senate, paying \$4,000. Gus is now anchored in one of the best locations in the city and will prosper accordingly.—Gladstone Delta.

Unless all previous experiences go for naught this is the year for the regular visit of the seventeen year locusts. These locusts have appeared on schedule time in 1849, 1886 and 1883, hence they are again due in 1900.

Peter Dube, Jr., employed as a check clerk on the docks, and Lars Johnson, participated in the Fourth of July races at Manistique. Dube won the first prize and Johnson came in third in the mile bicycle race.

Labor Commissioner Cox has sent out inquiries to merchants, hotel keepers and real estate dealers of Escanaba and all over the state for reports on this year's business in comparison with that of other years.

The enormous volume of 4,107,602 tons of freight passed the two canals at Sault Ste. Marie last month, an increase of more than 600,000 tons over June, 1899, and a slight increase over last month's traffic.

TEACHER WANTED—A first grade male teacher is wanted at Nahma, Mich. School term nine months, enrollment 75, wages \$60.00 per mo. Best of references required. Address T. B. Davis.

A new two room school house to cost \$1,000 will be built at Wells, Mich., this summer. Architect T. J. Stephenson, of Marinette, will draw the plans.

A Slavonic festival will be held at Menominee on August 5 and it is expected that fully 700 Slav's from surrounding cities will attend.

The Presbyterian ladies realized \$11.58 from the ice cream social given at the home of Mrs. H. P. Lucas Wednesday evening.

The Menominee River Shingle Co. sold this week to the C. & N. W. Ry. 105,000 ties to be used in railroad construction work.

The recent rains have, according to many of our farmer people, increased the prospective hay crop 25 per cent.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will give a pantry sale this afternoon at James Doherty's store on Fannie street.

A consignment of 2,000 dozen of eggs was made from Door county, Wis., to the upper peninsula last week.

Marquette has been named for the third year as the headquarters of the Western Hay Fever Association.

The Presbyterian ladies will give a social at the home of Dr. Jas. Todd, on the 25th inst.

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to boycott the Mining Gazette and use every effort to reduce the circulation unless the Sunday edition, begun two weeks ago, is immediately abandoned.

Marinette will celebrate Labor Day this year, Monday September 3. The trades councils of Ishpeming, Green Bay and other neighboring cities have been invited to participate.

County Treasurer E. M. St. Jacques has been busily engaged this week in making the quarterly settlement for taxes with the several townships of county.

Paul Joegers is refitting his saloon and boarding house at the corner of Ludington and Mary streets and has changed its name to "The Bismarck."

The United States has, according to the Railway Age, over 20,000 miles of railroad more than the whole of Europe.

Mrs. Theo. Farrell entertained a party of friends Thursday evening.

TWO RIGS DESTROYED.

City Team Runs Away Yesterday With Disastrous Results.

An exciting runaway occurred on Ludington street yesterday morning at 9:30. The city team hitched to the street sprinkler were left standing at the corner of Georgia and Ludington street by driver Charles Harvey, when they took fright at a piece of paper that was blown in front of them and started to run away.

In front of Russell Willie's livery stable they collided with a double seated carriage and badly wrecked it and continuing east they brought up with a crash near Wolcott street, when the horses struck the delivery wagon for Young's bakery and reduced it to splinters.

One of the horses fell on the pile of debris and was liberated only by the united efforts of a score of men attracted by the accident.

In attempting to catch the team driver Harvey was thrown and quite badly bruised, but, strangely enough, the horses escaped without a scratch. It is probable the city will have to pay for both the rigs destroyed in the runaway.

First publication July 14th, 1900. ORDER OF HEARING, FOR GENERAL PURPOSES AND FOR APPOINTMENT OF AN ADMINISTRATOR.—State of Michigan, County of Delta.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew Moe, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Nels Mogenson and Ingeborg Mogenson, the parents, praying that the court adjudicate and determine who are the lawful heirs entitled to inherit the real estate of said deceased.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the sixth day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be held in the Probate office, in the city of Escanaba, on the sixth day of July in the year one thousand and nine hundred.

Present, Hon. Thomas B. White, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Luke Greenhoot and Ieva Greenhoot, Minors.

On reading and filing the annual report and account of Bertha Greenhoot Guardian of said minors.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the thirtieth day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said report and account, and that all persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be held in the Probate office, in the city of Escanaba, Michigan, and show cause, if any there be, why the said report and account should not be confirmed. And it is Further Ordered, that said Guardian give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Iron Port, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Frank Warren gave a Conundrum Tea to a number of her lady friends, in honor of her sister, Mrs. M. G. Case of Denver. The supper was daintily served by the Misses Warren and the novelty caused a great deal of merriment.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

First publication July 3, 1900. ORDER OF HEARING, FOR GENERAL PURPOSES AND FOR APPOINTMENT OF AN ADMINISTRATOR.

State of Michigan, County of Delta, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate office in the city of Escanaba, on the third day of July in the year one thousand and nine hundred.

Present, Honorable Thomas B. White, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John McNaughtan, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Carrie L. McNaughtan, praying that administration of said estate, may be granted to her or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered that Monday, the thirtieth day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be held at the Probate office in the City of Escanaba, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further Ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Iron Port, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

July 28 (A true copy.) T. B. WHITE, Judge of Probate.

First Publication July 3, 1900.

PROBATE NOTICE FOR HEARING CLAIMS BEFORE COURT.—State of Michigan, County of Delta, ss.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Probate Court for the county of Delta, made on the second day of July A. D. 1900 six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Alfred Fisher late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office, in the city of Escanaba, for examination and allowance, on or before the third day of January A. D. 1901, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on Monday the fifth day of November A. D. 1900, and on Friday the fourth day of January A. D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of those days.

Dated, July 3, A. D. 1900. T. B. WHITE, Judge of Probate.

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AN ERRORLESS GAME

(Continued from last page.)

Saturday's game was interrupted twice during the nine innings. Just at the close of the first half of the second inning the pending storm broke and for fifteen minutes the downpour of rain checked all further progress. The second incident occurred an hour later when a cry of "fire" from the grand stand caused a mild panic. Several ball players and a bucket of water soon put an end to the incipient blaze, which was evidently due to a cigar stub, and the game was continued.

The local baseball team will go to Sturgeon Bay tomorrow to cross bats with the boys of that city. An excursion will be run on the steamer Eugene C. Hart, which will leave the Stephenson dock at 8 a. m. One dollar will be charged for the round trip and it is expected a large crowd will go with the team.

The Unions and Deweys, Escanaba's rivals for second place, will cross bats on Sunday, July 22, for the purpose of determining which is entitled to that distinction. The Unions were formerly known as the Juniors. A side wager will be made on the game, which promises to be an interesting one.

A game of baseball was played at South Park Sunday morning between the "Dock Wollers" and the "Down Town Boys," resulting in a victory for the latter by a score of 13 to 12. Matt Ryan captained the dock boys and Wm. Firkus did a like service for the city chaps.

Manager Driscoll has engaged the Elk Rapids baseball club for two games on the local grounds on Saturday and Sunday July 21 and 22. The boys from "across the lake" are said to be fast ball players and some close results are anticipated.

Rapid River's crack team won another victory on its home ground last Sunday by defeating the Garden Bay boys in a score of 11 to 7. It was a fast game and drew a big crowd of enthusiasts from both towns.

Green Bay's base ball team was defeated at Marinette Sunday in a twelve inning game by a score of 5 to 3.

The Dewey baseball club will go to Bark River tomorrow to cross bats with the boys at that village.

RE-NOMINATE M'CALLUM.

Delta Representative District Holds Convention at Munising.

The republicans of the Delta District held their convention at Munising on Wednesday of this week and re-nominated the Hon. George P. McCallum of Manistique for state representative by a unanimous vote. The Delta District is composed of Alger, Schoolcraft and Delta counties and each was represented by a full quota of delegates.

F. L. Baldwin of Munising was chairman of the convention, with G. R. Empson of Delta county as secretary. The delegates from Delta county were: G. R. Empson, C. M. Thatcher and Wm. Bouifas. Resolutions were adopted endorsing the nominees and platforms of the Philadelphia and Grand Rapids conventions.

When nominations were called for the name of George P. McCallum was the only one presented and the selection was made unanimous. On motion the chairmen of the republican committees in the three counties were made the representative committee for the next two years.

TRAPPED A WILD CAT.

Elmer LaPlant of Wells Township Kills a Fierce Feline.

Elmer LaPlant, a sixteen-year-old boy of Wells township, called upon County Clerk O. V. Linden Thursday and was awarded a bounty of \$3 for the scalp of a wild cat. Young LaPlant trapped the beast on his father's farm Wednesday night and had a desperate fight with it on the following morning before it was beaten to death with a club.

Though a young animal the wild cat was full grown and was evidently the mother of a number of cubs, for which the lad is now making a search. After securing his bounty, young LaPlant sold the animal's skin to Bittner, Wickert & Co., of Ludington and Wolcott streets.

Condition of the Crops.

The Michigan crop report issued July 1 says there are prospects for an average crop of apples, peaches, pears, plums and grapes, in the state. The wheat crop does not promise as well as it did in '99. The conditions of corn, oats and potatoes at present is very satisfactory but the hay crop has been shortened somewhat by dry weather.

Mines Close Down.

During the past ten days nearly 600 men employed in the iron mines

at Negaunee and Florence were thrown out of work by the closing of certain mines and reduction of forces in others, and in the Lake Superior district even a larger number have been let out. These changes are due to the falling off in shipments of ore and consequent over production.



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Very low rates to St. Paul, Minn., via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold July 15 to 17, inclusive, final return limit, under certain conditions, August 21, on account of Biennial Convention National Republican League. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

Very low rates to Denver, Colo., via the Northwestern line. Excursion tickets will be sold July 23 and 24, limited to August 24, on account of Annual Convention Y. P. C. U. United Presbyterian church. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

A Northwestern railway official is quoted as saying: "I wonder who it is who manufactures these stories with regard to our company's intentions in the copper country. So far as I know, they are mere idle rumors."

Excursion tickets to meeting of Sons of St. George, Calumet, Mich., via the Northwestern line, will be sold at reduced rates July 19 and 20, limited to July 24. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

Two work trains on the C. & N.W. met in a head-end collision between Iron River and Stambaugh Tuesday morning. Both engines were badly damaged, but none of the trainmen were injured.

Notice to the Public.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Albert Moran and Adolph Dupuis of Escanaba, Michigan, under the firm name of The Leading Cash Grocery was dissolved on the 20th day of June, by mutual consent, Adolph D. Dupuis retiring and Albert Moran becoming sole proprietor. All debt owing to the former company will be paid to Albert Moran and he to pay all bills owned by the firm.

Witnessed by Adolph D. Dupuis and Albert Moran. Escanaba June 20-1900.

Sealed Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Education on or before July 24th, 1900, at 6 o'clock p. m. for the heating of the addition to the High school building. The plans and specifications may be had at the secretary's office. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check for seventy-five dollars (\$75) payable to the Board of Education. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

JOSEPH WICKERT, SECRETARY. Escanaba, July 10, 1900.

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