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ESCANABA PEOPLE WILL JOIN IN OBSERVANCE OF DAY SET ASIDE TO HONOR THE DEAD

GRAVES WILL BE DECORATED

Under the Auspices of the Local Post of the Grand Army of the Republic, Memorial Day Exercises Will Be Held in Lake View Cemetery--Short but Impressive Program Arranged--Religious Memorial Services in Churches.

Although an elaborate program has not been arranged, Memorial day, next Monday, will be appropriately observed in Escanaba. The day is a legal holiday and at least half of it will be given over by the people and business interests to the exercises arranged in memory and honor of the dead. Nearly all of the stores will be closed in the afternoon and the banks and public offices will not be open for business all day. The post-office will observe the usual holiday hours and the Carnegie library will be closed all day.

Mayor Greenhoop, when asked this morning if he would issue a proclamation relative to Memorial day and its observance, said that he did not deem it necessary to do so. He said the people now all understand the holiday and its significance and he believed they would all lay aside their business and other cares long enough to join in the exercises that have been arranged under the auspices of the local post of the Grand Army of the Republic and the Woman's Relief Corps. The program of these exercises has heretofore been published in these columns, but a resume at this time will be of general interest.

Graves to Be Decorated.
According to the plans made by C. F. Smith Post, No. 175, G. A. R., committee appointed to decorate the graves in St. Joseph's and St. Anne's cemeteries, will meet at the armory on South Georgia street at nine o'clock in the morning and from there will be driven in carriages to the cemeteries.

At 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon the post will again meet in the armory and from there proceed to Lakeview cemetery. In the procession, besides carriages containing the veterans, will be members of the Woman's Relief Corps.

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ESCANABA MAY FEEL PROUD OF IT

The Manistique Pioneer-Tribune--Through the courtesy of Postmaster H. W. Coburn of Escanaba, the writer was given the opportunity of inspecting the interior of the new government building of that city last Monday evening. It is a model of neatness, beauty and utility, and certainly is an institution of which Escanaba may well feel proud.

OBSERVE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

In celebration of the seventeenth anniversary of their wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Petersen entertained a company of about twenty-five friends in a most delightful manner at their home, 705 Delta avenue, Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Petersen have been residents of Escanaba for some years and have many warm friends. The afternoon was spent most pleasantly with social diversions and before the guests were permitted to depart they were served with an elaborate luncheon. Mr. and Mrs. Petersen received a number of valuable gifts appropriate to the anniversary which they observed.

ESCANABA ELKS GOING TO DETROIT

Several members of the Escanaba Lodge of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks are planning to attend the annual convention and reunion of that order to be held in Detroit in July, and it is now expected that every Elks lodge in the upper peninsula will be well represented. It is thought that the boat has been chartered for the Iron and copper country and Duluth Elks will be billed, as many of the members are to be accompanied by their wives. The iron country and copper country and Duluth members will travel by special train via the South Shore line to St. Ignace. In all probability, the Escanaba Elks who take the trip will join the others from the upper peninsula.

WERE ENTERTAINED AT A BREAKFAST

Mrs. E. C. Norton entertained a number of her friends at the King's Sons' breakfast at the First Presbyterian church, this morning. The guests were brought to the church in motor cars and after the breakfast were entertained at the home of Mrs. Norton. Those present were: Mrs. Grant Stephenson, Mrs. J. E. Byrns, Mrs. W. R. Smith, Mrs. C. M. Cutbert, Mrs. George Beath, Mrs. C. W. Kates, Mrs. E. C. Norton, Mrs. G. A. Cotton, Mrs. G. M. Mashek, Miss Sarah McHale, Miss Kathryn McLaughlin and Miss Belle Blake.

BARBERS' BOARD TO MEET IN THE U. P.

The state board of barber examiners will hold meetings in several upper peninsula cities next month. The board is composed of H. J. Wiggle of Detroit, president; Charles L. Blake, Jackson, secretary, and Joseph H. Hooper, Ishpeming, treasurer. The first meeting is to be held at Sault Ste. Marie on Monday, the 6th; the next at Escanaba, the 7th; Menominee, 8; Iron Mountain, 9; Ishpeming, 10; Ironwood, 13, and Hancock, 14. The board will conduct examinations in several lower peninsula cities in July.

STATE MEETING OF G. O. F. OFFICERS

Annual Gathering of the State Court Officers of the Catholic Order of Foresters Will Be Held in Escanaba Tomorrow--All of Them Expected to Attend.

Escanaba will tomorrow be honored by the presence of the officers of the state court of the Catholic Order of Foresters. They are to hold their annual meeting for the consideration of business affecting the order in Michigan and will be in session most of the day at the New Ludington hotel where a parlor has been engaged for their use.

This is not a convention of the Catholic Order of Foresters, but simply the annual meeting of the officers of the state court and they only will be present. The officers are as follows: State Chief Ranger--D. C. Grobbel, Detroit.

Vice State Chief Ranger--Dr. Peter Scholler, Hancock.

State Secretary--William Burns, Detroit.

State Treasurer--William Finnegan, Gogebic.

State Trustees--William Leininger, Ishpeming; George L. Cook, Norway; Theodore Guolin, Detroit; Frank Pitlock, Detroit; Matt Fillion, Escanaba.

During the time the officers of the state court are not in session they will be entertained by the officers and members of the two local courts of the Catholic Order of Foresters and will be made to feel glad that they decided to hold their annual meeting this year in Escanaba.

All of the officers are expected to be here in time for the opening session tomorrow forenoon. Mr. Leininger is already here, having arrived from Ishpeming this morning. Others are expected to arrive tonight or on the early train tomorrow morning.

ANOTHER FISHERMAN PAYS A \$10 FINE

Another fisherman detected by Game Warden C. E. Pettit with undersized fish in his possession was brought into Justice O. V. Linden's court last night and sentenced to pay a fine of ten dollars and costs. He paid. The offender was F. R. McClellan of Isabella. Game Warden Pettit found upon investigating the fish in McClellan's possession that sixty out of eighty-four pounds were of immature size. The fish were confiscated and today were distributed among the poor people of the city. The fish were mostly perch.

STUDENTS' DANCING PARTY IS PRETTY

The dancing party given in Clark's hall last evening by the Students' Dancing club was well attended and one of the prettiest and most enjoyable social affairs of the season. The hall was beautifully decorated and the members of the club spared no efforts in the entertainment of their invited guests. Unusually good music for the dance program was furnished by an orchestra of five young musicians, led by James Belland. Encores were the rule after each dance and the orchestra was generous in responding to them.

MOTOR BOAT RACER MAY HAVE BEEN LOST

Boston, May 28.--It is reported today that one of the motor boats competing in the Philadelphia-Havana race may have been lost. The steamship Nacoochee reported sighting the lights of one of the racing vessels off Cape Roman May 4. A moment later a signal of distress was seen and then no further signs of the boat. The Caroline is the only starter in the race not heard from. She is owned by M. F. Dennis, of New York. Among her crew is Walter M. Bieling, secretary of the Motorboat club of America.

BASEBALL TODAY'S GAMES:

(By Associated Press.) NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Philadelphia-- R. H. E.
New York.....3 9 1
Philadelphia.....2 10 1
Batteries--Mathewson and Myers; Maroney and Doolin.
At Cincinnati-- R. H. E.
St. Louis.....0 4 3
Cincinnati.....4 9 1
Batteries--Willis and Phelps; Gasper and McLean.
At Brooklyn-- R. H. E.
Boston.....4 12 1
Brooklyn.....5 11 1
Batteries--Mattern, Parsons and Graham; Berger and Bergen. (Twelve innings.)
At Chicago-- R. H. E.
Pittsburg.....0 9 3
Chicago.....9 9 0
Batteries--Leifeld, Phillip and Jipson; Richie and Archer.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
At Detroit-- R. H. E.
Chicago.....1 2 1
Detroit.....9 11 0
Batteries--White, Lang and Block; Mullen, Browning, Stange, Schmidt and Casey.
At Boston-- R. H. E.
Philadelphia.....9 12 2
Boston.....3 4 3
Batteries--Plank and Thomas; Wood, Hall and Carrigan.

At New York-- R. H. E.
Washington.....4 5 2
New York.....3 6 1
Batteries--Walker, Reising and Street; Manning, Frill, Hughes and Sweeney.
At Cleveland-- R. H. E.
St. Louis.....5 9 2
Cleveland.....1 4 1
Batteries--Lake and Stephens; Joss, Mitchell and Bemis.

SHOOTING TROPHIES ARE ON EXHIBITION

The trophies for the shoot of the Nook de Noc club are being displayed today in the window of the Mead Drug company's store and are the center of attraction for all sharpshooters. The are several individual trophies besides the silver Stephenson cup, which is an artistic creation that has been put up by Grant T. Stephenson.

Full particulars of the tournament are given on page four of this paper.

FAIR SAVINGS BANK MAKES GOOD OFFER

As an inducement to its customers and also to help out the Escanaba City band, the Fair Savings Bank will give a ticket good for the band excursion to Marinette and Menominee on Sunday, June 5, to every purchaser of men's or boy's suits costing over \$10. The announcement was made by the management of the store this afternoon and it was further announced that the offer will hold good from now until the night before the excursion. Remember--a free ticket with each suit for man or boy costing over \$10.

BODY OF DEAD MAN FOUND IN THE ROAD

After being missing for nearly twenty-four hours, Andrew Bodeen, a farmer in Bark River township was found dead in the road near his home yesterday. Death overtook him suddenly and following an examination by Dr. G. L. Trieber the cause of his demise was given out as heart disease. There were no marks of violence upon the body and nothing else to indicate that Bodeen's death was brought about by anything but natural causes.

PERU AND ECUADOR ARE AGAIN WARLIKE

Washington, D. C., May 28.--Official dispatches received today by the state department from both Peru and Ecuador, indicate that war-like preparations between the two countries are being rapidly pushed forward and that a conflict again seems to be inevitable.

AIDED IN OBSERVING DATE OF WEDDING

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sorby Call at Their Home and Congratulate Them Upon the Twentieth Anniversary of Their Marriage--Good Time Follows--Story.

Friday was the twentieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sorby and although they made no special preparations to celebrate the event their friends were not so backward, for in the evening a considerable number "just dropped in" to see Mr. and Mrs. Sorby at their home, 1910 Wells avenue, and before the evening was very old the house was well filled.

The friends told what they came for--to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Sorby upon having attained twenty years of happy married life and to help them observe so important an event in a fitting fashion. Mr. and Mrs. Sorby, while surprised at the unexpected invasion of their home, made their guests heartily welcome and the evening was passed in a most agreeable fashion with games and other social diversions.

Before the guests took their departure they were served with refreshments and as remembrances of their visit and as tokens of their esteem and good will left behind them numerous presents for Mr. and Mrs. Sorby, who expressed their appreciation in return.

An especially enjoyable feature of the celebration was the appearance of the Escanaba City band, which came to the Sorby residence about 7:30 o'clock and rendered several selections as a serenade to Mr. and Mrs. Sorby and their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Sorby have been residents of Escanaba for about twelve years, coming here from Litchfield, Minn. They have a family of seven children, four boys and three girls. Mr. Sorby is a mason contractor and is also a cement sidewalk builder. Mr. and Mrs. Sorby have since their residence here made many warm friends, who will hope that they may live to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary as happily as they did their twentieth anniversary.

BIG DANCE TO BE HELD AT FLAT ROCK

Great preparations are being made today for the dance at Duranceau's hall at Flat Rock tonight. A new floor has been put in and the entire building is being scrubbed and cleaned inside and out today. Many Escanaba people will go up to the dance. The music will be good and the weather is just right. If the weather man can keep back the rain until after midnight, the hall will be taxed to its capacity.

MOST SUCCESSFUL BREAKFAST EVER

The annual breakfast given this morning at the First Presbyterian church by the King's Sons' society of that church was the most successful affair of the kind in the history of the society. More than 200 persons were served with breakfast and they were all delighted with the menu and the manner in which it was served. From 5:30 until nine o'clock the tables were constantly filled and no one went away unsatisfied. The net receipts of the breakfast approximated \$50, which is considerable more than was realized from the breakfast last year.

SCHOOL CHILDREN GOOD ENTERTAINERS

The annual children's entertainment given in St. Joseph's hall last evening was largely attended and proved to be an entire success. The program was an exceptionally interesting one and very well rendered by the pupils of St. Joseph's school in the grammar grades. So well did the children acquit themselves that their instructors, parents and friends were delighted and the entertainment in its entirety was thoroughly enjoyed. It was a credit to all participating.

KILLS GIRL AND WOUNDS OFFICER

(By Associated Press.) Clinton, Iowa, May 28.--Elmer Lison shot and killed May Ringson in her home this morning and seriously wounded Policeman Lorenz, who was attempting to arrest him.

After shooting Miss Ringson, Lison went into another room and barricaded himself in and it was only after a fierce battle with the officers that he was placed under arrest.

PROBE OF ALLEGED REBATES NEAR END

(By Associated Press.) Chicago, Ill., May 28.--It was learned today that the grand jury which is investigating the alleged rebates that have been granted by the Illinois Central railroad have secured books and documents bearing on the subject and that the investigation will soon be closed and a report submitted.

LIVERY PUT OUT OF BUSINESS BY AUTOS

Announcement was made today that the firm of Main & Kelly, which has been engaged in the livery business in this city for a number of years, will go out of business in a few days and that the entire stock of horses and vehicles will be sold at auction on June 9.

The automobiles, street cars and other means of transportation, says Mr. Main, are to blame for the discontinuance of his business. He said that his trade has always been among the wealthier class in Escanaba and that it has been dropping off continually as new automobiles were bought.

Those who are not owners of cars are taken out by those who have them and no one wants to ride behind a horse. "Even my wife," said Mr. Main, "will ask me to take her out in our automobile and has taken a decided dislike to horses, so I am going to get out while the getting out is good." When asked what he would do in the future he said he would interest himself in some kind of automobile business.

\$1,000,000 FIRE IN MINNEAPOLIS

(By Associated Press.) Minneapolis, Minn., May 28.--Four large implement warehouses and a considerable amount of other property was burned this morning with a total loss of a million dollars. One man by the name of Christ Madison was seriously burned.

Marriage licenses were issued today to George Cole and Miss Sidney Moberg and to John Martin and Miss Ida Helm, all of Gladstone. Within half an hour after obtaining the license Miss Moberg and Mr. Cole were married, the nuptial knot being tied by Probate Judge Judd Yelland in his office at the court house.

DENIES STORY

SENATOR LORIMER OF ILLINOIS DENIES HE WAS ELECTED TO THE SENATE BY BRIBERY.

ALLEGES A CONSPIRACY EXISTS

Denounces the Chicago Tribune for Printing the Charges of Representative White That He Had Been Bribed to Vote for Him--Implies Governor Deneen in His Assertion That a Conspiracy Has Been Formed Against Him, Etc.

(By Associated Press.) Washington, D. C., May 8.--In the senate today, Senator William Lorimer of Illinois made a strenuous denial of the charge that he was elected to the office of senator by bribery, and vehemently denounced the Chicago Tribune for printing the charges of Representative White that he had been bribed to vote for Lorimer.

Senator Lorimer made charges that the whole story is but a part of a conspiracy to ruin him politically and financially because he would not become subservient to the Tribune.

Alleges a Conspiracy.
He asserted that not one dollar had been used to secure his election and that he entered the senatorial race upon the suggestion of Governor Deneen; and that because of his own difference of opinion as to the spending of twenty million dollars voted for a waterway, the governor later opposed him and joined the others in the conspiracy against him.

The resolution for investigating Lorimer's election to the senate was referred under the rules to the committee for investigating expenses.

Deneen May Make Reply.
Springfield, Ill., May 28.--Governor Deneen, when notified of Lorimer's speech today, declared that he had no reply to it until after he had read the full copy of the speech. He intimated that he would issue some sort of a statement before night.

SAYS HE WAS BRIBED TO VOTE FOR LORIMER

(By Associated Press.) Springfield, Ill., May 28.--State Senator Holtzlaw this afternoon confessed to State's Attorney Burke and later to the grand jury that he voted for Senator Lorimer and was paid \$2,500 for doing so. Holtzlaw stated in his confession that the money was handed him by State Senator John Broderick of Chicago.

Holtzlaw also stated that Broderick gave him \$700 without explanation, except that "it was coming to him." He also said he was promised \$1,200 in connection with the letting of a contract to supply furniture for the capitol.

Dona Harris, a fifteen year old girl of Gladstone, has by order of the juvenile court, presided over by Judge Yelland, been committed to the state industrial school for girls at Adrian.

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DATES AHEAD

May 30.—Dance for benefit of Escanaba City band at Peterson's hall.
 May 30-31—Nook de Nac Gun Club's shoots.

May 28 In American History.

1807—John Rudolph Agassiz, naturalist and geologist, born; died 1873.
 1813—Noah Webster, lexicographer, died; born 1758.
 1908—Lieutenant General Stephen D. Lee, distinguished soldier of the Confederate States army, died; born 1833.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
 Sun sets 7:17, rises 4:28; moon rises 11:40 p. m.; 11:22 p. m., Halley's comet sets; distance, 33,690,000 miles; sun passing Aldebaran.

Shops For Schoolboys.

New York city recently has opened the shops of its industrial schools from 3 to 5 p. m., giving boys a chance to put in two extra hours at the bench daily. The more the city educators wrestle with the problem of turning out workers from the schools the more they favor the shop idea. It is slow work, but necessary, if nothing else, is urging on the movement "back to the shop."

An ever increasing number of town and city boys from fourteen to eighteen years of age find that they must drop books for work. Offices are overcrowded and wages for beginners a mere pittance. Girls monopolize the store counters, and hard lines confront the lad who shirks work with his hands. Factories are closed to all but a few apprentices, and the manual schools are the only places where the rudiments of mechanical trades may be mastered by every ambitious boy. It is a tedious road, yet there is a living and true dignity at the end of it.

It is now given out at Washington that the United States navy ranks second among the navies of the world, Great Britain's, of course, ranking first and Germany's third. And yet Americans for a century or more congratulated themselves on their isolation, which made great armaments unnecessary.

In view of a threatened increase of rates, doubts arise as to whether wages have been raised voluntarily by some of the railways or involuntarily by the passengers and shippers.

The Ketchel controversy grows hotter and hotter without promising to reach its finish. The forbearance of the public long ago came to an end.

Taft himself springs fewer sensations than his predecessor, but his administration seems to be "up and doing" just the same.

The longer the session lasts the shorter the congressional campaign. Either way the country has congress on its hands.

President Taft, with his big heart, is one of the best friends that unworthy subordinates ever had.

A few weeks hence we'll be wishing May would "come back," standing pat on its weather.

It's up to somebody to pull the rip cord and make the price of living come down.

Much Money Spent on Rivers. To keep the rivers of the country free from snags and other impediments to navigation, the government maintains a fleet of 30 steamboats and spends \$500,000 a year.

Bricks from Ant Hills. Excellent bricks are made of the soil of ant hills in Central Africa. The natives tread it with water into a doughlike substance, which is shaped in rough wooden molds. It is then dried in the sun, and afterward baked in native kilns.

TAFT WON'T MEET COL. ROOSEVELT

Washington, May 28.—President Taft will not attend the home-coming celebration in honor of Theodore Roosevelt at New York, June 18. He will be at Villa Nova, Pa., receiving a degree from St. Thomas' college. There is strong probability that Mr. Roosevelt will come to Washington soon after his arrival. It is likely he will be a guest at the White House.

PULITZER GIVES PRINCELY GIFT

St. Louis, Mo., May 28.—Friends of Miss Eleanor Wickman of St. Louis are authority for the statement that the father of her fiancé, Joseph Pulitzer Jr., has presented her with a solid gold dinner service for a wedding gift. The service is described as being extraordinarily magnificent and very beautiful, and is said to be valued at \$50,000.

The marriage of Miss Wickman and Mr. Pulitzer will take place at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Edmond Wickham, June 1.

IRRIGATION COSTS A HEAP OF MONEY

Spokane, Wash., May 28.—United States Senator Wesley L. Jones has advised the irrigation committee of the Spokane chamber of commerce that the government high line project in the Kittitas district, in central Washington, will cost \$3,937,000 for a system covering 62,000 acres, according to an estimate by the board of engineers. The cost of the diversion works is estimated at \$2,100,000 and the storage system of \$837,000. It is expected that action will be taken after the chief engineer has conferred with engineers on the ground.

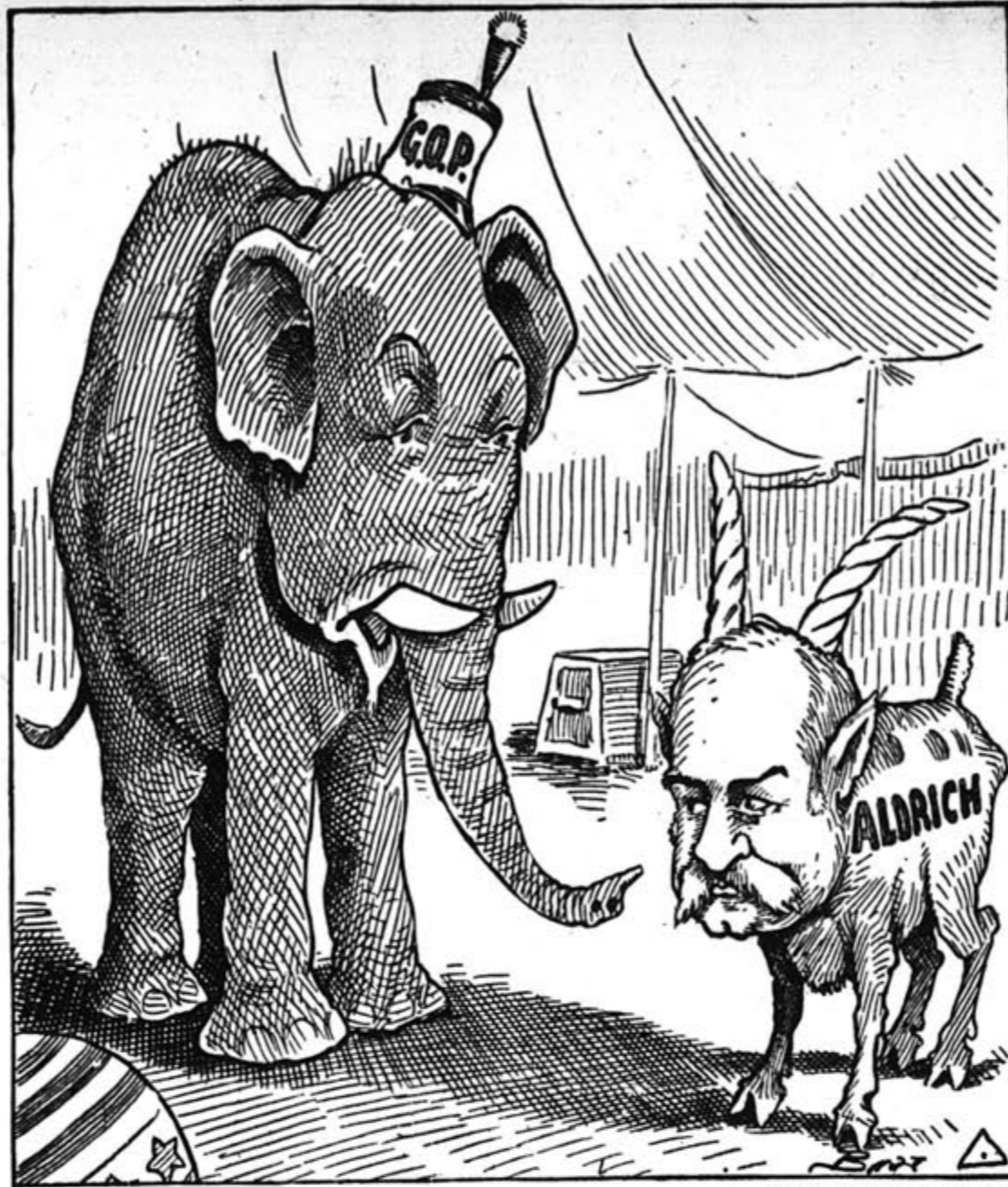
The committee has also received advices from Toppensish, Wash., that reports submitted at a meeting of the Yakima High Line Canal association show a new project, from 120 to 140 miles, covering 250,000 acres in the Yakima valley, is feasible from engineering and financial standpoints. Chief Engineer Anderson says an apple water supply will be available, whether the canal is built by the reclamation service or by private capital.

KETCHEL KNOCKS OUT WILLIE LEWIS

New York, May 28.—Willie Lewis was knocked out by Stanley Ketchel in the second round of a scheduled, ten-round bout at the National Sporting club here last night. Lewis is a welterweight and was fully ten pounds lighter than Ketchel, who weighed in at 158 pounds, according to agreement. In the first Lewis went right at his man, exchanging body blows and in-fighting. Lewis was confident in the second. He went after Ketchel furiously, but the fast pace suited Ketchel who, after several exchanges, planted a hard left on Lewis' body and followed it with a terrific right swing to the jaw. Lewis fell hard and was counted out. He lay several minutes before being revived.

The New Disease. "Telephone nerve" is a new complaint. Those who run in to a neighbor's to call up somebody without expense are the real cases, though the doctors don't include them.—Boston Herald.

THE ELEPHANT: "BUT IF YOU QUIT THE SHOW WHO'S TO BE BLAMED FOR EVERYTHING?"



VALUABLE HINTS FOR FIGHTING WHITE PLAGUE

They Are Furnished by State Association to Escanaba Anti-Tuberculosis Society.

At the meeting of the directors of the Escanaba Anti-Tuberculosis society, held in the city hall Tuesday evening, Secretary H. W. Long read a letter which he had received from Dr. A. S. Warthin of Ann Arbor, secretary of the Michigan Association for the Prevention and Relief of Tuberculosis. The letter outlined a program for the organization and work of local anti-tuberculosis associations and contained so many good things which the general public of Escanaba and every other community ought to know that some of them are here reproduced, as follows:

Organize. Get as many public spirited men and women in your community as you can to form a local committee or association. Elect officers, adopt state constitution, appoint committees on organization, finance, public meetings, publicity, schools and playgrounds, churches, stores and factories, labor and insurance organizations, sanatoriums, relief, education, legislation, etc. Have regular meetings and have the chairman of each committee report at each meeting.

Protect the Community. Make a tuberculosis census of your town or county. Enlist the aid of the physicians, if possible, and find out how many cases there are in your midst.

See that each one of these cases is properly treated and cared for and constitute no menace to the community. Get incipient cases into Howell. Provide proper food, treatment and living quarters for all poor cases. See that no case is careless. Protect the community.

Create a sentiment for the enforcement of the state tuberculosis law passed last year. Encourage the physicians in reporting cases. Uphold health officer in placarding and disinfection of houses of consumptives. See that all officers do their duty.

See that the educational law of 1895, as amended last year, is observed by your school board and by the school officers. Get reputable physicians to give talks on hygiene and preventive medicine to teachers.

Put Ban on Spitting. Work for medical inspection of the schools. Improve sanitary conditions of schools. If many cases of early tuberculosis or tuberculosis tendency in school children are discovered, provide open-air schools. See that the school inspector is a physician of the highest standing and that he carries out a thorough and careful inspection.

If there is no anti-spitting ordinance in your town, see that one is passed, and create a sentiment for its enforcement. Have anti-spitting cards distributed. See that the town is thoroughly posted or placarded.

The state board of health has made the use of the common drinking cup in any public building or railway train illegal. Create a sentiment to enforce this. See that common cups are not used in schools, churches, railway stations, hotels, theaters, etc.

Adopt educational measures to bring the facts concerning tuberculosis and its prevention to every man, woman and child in your community.

Get Busy Everywhere. Give lectures, sermons, stereopticon

shows, use the talking machine, put up illustrated posters on bill boards, use the advertising space in the local cars, put tuberculosis matter on post-cards, envelopes, letterheads, calendars, blotters, posters, etc., and keep them constantly before the public eye.

Have a press committee to co-operate with the local papers in printing local and state bulletins, as well as those of the National Association. Get a different audience for each lecture—do not lecture to the members of the local association. Go into the factories and stores, reach the laboring people. Tuberculosis is their disease particularly; they need this education more than all.

Secure the exhibit of the state board of health. Keep it for a week or longer down town in a vacant store or public building. Give a series of talks in connection with it. Have all the school children attend.

Education Most Important. Co-operate with labor unions, granges and fraternal insurance societies. Investigate the conditions of child and female labor in your community. Are the laws enforced? Should new ones be made?

Make your city a dustless one. Secure adequate oiling or sprinkling.

Investigate your milk supply. Preach the doctrine of pure milk, tuberculin-treated cattle, etc. Call the attention of dairymen to the state laws bearing upon this matter. See that the local milk inspection is thoroughly done and that no tuberculous cows are supplying your children with milk.

Develop public sentiment against

the crowding of houses. Work for building lines and limitations.

If your town is large, secure public parks and playgrounds.

Investigate the condition of your county poor house, jail, etc.

ABOVE ALL THINGS EDUCATION—MORE EDUCATION—AND STILL MORE EDUCATION.

REV. E. W. FRAZEE NO STRANGER HERE

Rev. E. W. Frazee of Bellevue, Mich., who has arrived in Escanaba to supply the pulpit of the First M. E. church during the absence in Europe of the regular pastor, Rev. Frederick Spence, is not an entire stranger here, having visited in Escanaba quite frequently during the seven years he was pastor of the First Methodist church in Menominee. He will be given a cordial welcome by old friends, and will undoubtedly make many new ones while he is here.

Mr. Frazee will begin his work here by conducting services in the First M. E. church at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning and preaching a two part sermon on "Search for Truth" and "Settled Questions." He says it has been his habit in a long ministry to always observe Memorial day and his subject in the evening will be "Our Country's Annual Remembrance of Her Loved and Honored Dead." Any of the veterans, members of the W. R. C. and others who may be able to come are cordially invited.

The Mean Thing! "John," queried her husband's wife, "if some bold bad man were to kidnap me would you offer a reward?" "Sure thing," replied the wife's husband. "I always reward those who do me a favor."—Boston Courier.

Decrease in London Crime. Burglary and house breaking are on the decrease in London.

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You no longer need wear yourself out with the weakening heat of an intensely hot kitchen. You can cook in comfort. Here is a stove that gives no outside heat. All its heat is concentrated at the burners. An intense blue flame (hotter than either white or red) is thrown upwards but not around. All the heat is utilized in cooking—none in outside heating.

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It has a Cabinet Top with shelf for keeping plates and food hot. It has long turquoise-blue enamel chimneys. The nickel finish, with the bright blue of the chimneys, makes the stove ornamental and attractive. Made with 1, 2 and 3 burners; the 2 and 3-burner stoves can be had with or without Cabinet.

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C. FLAGSTADT.

Gallantry. Gallantry is that sentiment which holds up a man of 125 pounds on a slippery walk, when escorting a woman weighing 175.—Atchison Globe.

Created a New Industry. Necessity is the mother of invention. An out-of-work engineer in North London has set up a small steam boiler on a costermonger's barrow and invites the smoking public to submit their pipes to him for a thorough cleansing by steam injection, one penny being charged.

Underground Population. There are about 26,800 worms to an acre of cultivated land.

TOO LATE May Be The Cry.

We Close Our Escanaba Store June 4th.

Every Piano Remaining in Stock at That Time Will be Shipped To Our Marquette Store.

We are Instructed by The Home Office TO CLOSE OUT THIS STOCK IF OUR PROFIT REPRESENTS NOTHING MORE THAN THE SAVING OF BOXING AND SHIPPING EXPENSES.

This Statement Direct From the Maker Means a Piano Buying Opportunity You Will Never Have Again.

Every Piano is Fully Guaranteed. You Take No Chances When You Buy a "Conover," "Cable," "Kingsbury," "Wellington," or "Euphonia" Piano. You Will Find Them in the Best Homes in Escanaba Where They Have Been in Use For Years.

Any Honest Family Can Afford to Own a Piano at the Low Prices and Easy Terms Obtainable at This

Closing Out Factory Sale

We Will Keep a Resident Manager in Escanaba As We Have For the Past Few Years to Look After the Interests of Our Many Customers. But the Store Must Go.

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Baseball Results

(By Associated Press.)
Games Yesterday.
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
At Brooklyn— R. H. E.
New York 8 9 0
Brooklyn 2 6 4
Batteries—Raymond and Wilson;
Scanlon, Wilhelm, Dessau and Bergen.
At Pittsburg— R. H. E.
Boston 6 9 0
Pittsburg 1 8 6
Batteries—Curtis and Graham;
Powell, Maddox and Gibson.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
At Washington— R. H. E.
Detroit 1 2 1
Washington 2 6 1
Batteries—Stroud and Schmidt;
Johnson and Street.
At Boston— R. H. E.
Cleveland 1 4 0
Boston 1 5 2
Batteries—Falkenberg and Bemis;
Arelanes, Smith and Carrigan.
(Game called by agreement to allow
Cleveland to catch train just as tenth
inning started.)

At New York— R. H. E.
Chicago 2 8 3
New York 1 7 1
Batteries—Walsh and Block; War-
hop and Sweeney.
At Philadelphia— R. H. E.
St. Louis 2 10 2
Philadelphia 4 6 0
Batteries—Peltz and Stephens;
Hender and Thomas.

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Minneapolis, 6; Milwaukee, 1.
Columbus, 5; Indianapolis, 2.
St. Paul, 15; Kansas City, 4.
Toledo, 2; Louisville, 0.

Standing of the Teams.
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
W. L. Pct.
Chicago 19 11 .633
New York 19 14 .576
Cincinnati 17 13 .567
Pittsburg 16 13 .529
St. Louis 16 18 .471
Philadelphia 13 16 .471
Boston 14 19 .424
Brooklyn 12 22 .352

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
W. L. Pct.
Philadelphia 23 7 .767
New York 20 9 .690
Boston 17 13 .567
Detroit 18 16 .529
Cleveland 13 16 .448
Washington 15 19 .441
Chicago 10 18 .357
St. Louis 6 24 .200

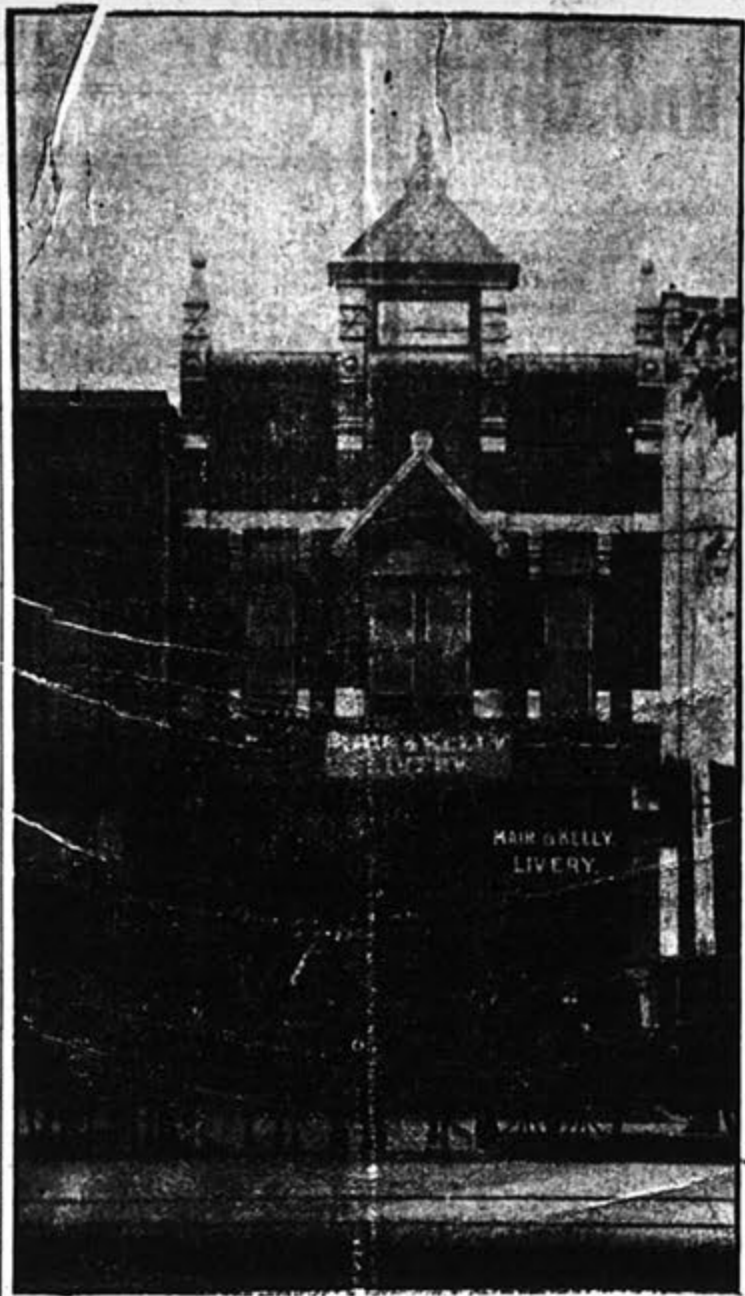
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
W. L. Pct.
Minneapolis 27 11 .711
St. Paul 26 13 .667
Toledo 23 16 .590
Indianapolis 18 20 .474
Columbus 17 22 .436
Milwaukee 15 23 .395
Louisville 15 25 .376
Kansas City 12 23 .343

Today's Schedule.
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Boston at Brooklyn.
New York at Philadelphia.
Pittsburg at Chicago.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.
AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Chicago at Detroit.
Washington at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.
St. Louis at Cleveland.
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
Indianapolis at Toledo.
Louisville at Columbus.
Milwaukee at Kansas City.

OFFICIAL FORECAST.
U. S. Department of Agriculture.
Escanaba, Mich., May 28, 1910.
For Escanaba and vicinity:
Showers tonight and Sunday. Cooler
Sunday. Moderate south winds, be-
coming brisk.
Highest temperature in past twenty-
four hours 65.
Lowest temperature in past twelve
hours 48.
Precipitation in past twenty-four
hours 0 inches.
Max. Tem. Min. Tem. Prec.
24 hours. 12 hours. 24 hours
Houghton 72 46 .0
Marquette 78 48 .0
Green Bay 72 50 .0
Temperatures at even hours this
date:
2 a. m. 48 8 a. m. 52
4 a. m. 47 10 a. m. 56
6 a. m. 52 12 m. 53
Temperatures at even hours 1 year
ago, this date:
2 a. m. 50 4 a. m. 55
4 a. m. 49 10 a. m. 65
6 a. m. 50 12 m. 61
Precipitation 1 year ago this date
0 inches.
H. S. COLE,
Observer.

FOR MORE THAN THREE DE- CADES

Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow
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Foley's Honey and Tar has been
a household favorite for all ailments
of the throat, chest and lungs. For
infants and children it is best and
no harmful drugs. None genuine but
Queer Attribute of Salmon.
Only about 20 per cent. of salmon
spawn before they return up the river
from the sea, and those that do return
after spawning are coarse, and, when
cut up, white in the flesh; in fact, are
known as bull trout, for so-called
"bull trout" are not a different kind
of fish, but are plainly salmon which
have spawned.



HAVING DECIDED TO RETIRE FROM BUSINESS, MAIN & KELLY, ESCANABA'S OLDEST LIVERY FIRM, WILL HOLD A PUBLIC AUCTION ON THURSDAY, JUNE 9, TO DISPOSE OF THEIR STOCK. AN ITEMIZED LIST OF THE ARTICLES FOR SALE WILL BE FOUND ON LARGE POSTERS OF THE SALE THAT HAVE BEEN ISSUED.

WOULD MAKE WIVES COOK.

Restriction on Marriages Suggested by
Dr. Harvey W. Wiley.
"Before a girl marries I wish that
she might have to pass an examina-
tion, an examination in domestic sci-
ence and household economy—in the
art of running the home—before she
could get her marriage license."
Dr. Harvey W. Wiley of the bureau
of chemistry in Washington so ex-
pressed himself before a packed audi-



DR. HARVEY W. WILEY.
[Good cooking from a gem of a kitchen makes happiness.]

ence of women who attended the bi-
ennial meeting of the Federation of
Women's Clubs at Cincinnati the other
morning, and his hearers made the big
building resound with their applause.
"Do we," said the speaker, "send a
man to the United States senate be-
fore he has had training and experi-
ence in managing the affairs of state?
Do we elect a man to the presidency
before he has had training in manag-
ing a bank? Do we send young men
out to preside over an institution more
important and more in need of
skilled management? To the last
question we can, alas, only answer,
"We do."
"One thing we need in the United
States is happiness, and cooking is a
more important factor in happiness
than the fine arts, for on it depends
the nutritive value of foods. And I
wish that when you clubwomen have
settled all the big affairs of state you
would direct your energies to per-
fecting this art."
"Make your kitchens the attractive
places of the homes. Put up your
hangings and your works of art out
here. Make them the place of resist-
ance of your homes, and when guests
come take them into the wholesome,
beautiful, sanitary and artistic kitchen,
with the roast beef, the fresh
chickens and the green vegetables in-
terspersed among the hangings and
the table coverings, instead of conduct-
ing these guests into the drawing
room, which hasn't been aired for a
week."

Storks Travel Far.
Four storks, which were marked
and liberated by an ornithological so-
ciety in Prussia, have been captured
and examined in the Transvaal. They
had flown about 5,600 miles.
Peculiar Form of Tobacco Using.
Hookha, the hubble-bubble or Tur-
kish water pipe, is always being smoked
by Burmese women, partly because
they like it, but mainly to supply the
men with nicotine water. This hubble-
bubble nicotine water habit is, in fact,
a lazy form of tobacco chewing. A
mouthful of the beverage is held in
the mouth as long as possible. They
carry about gourds full of it, and
claim it preserves their teeth, and it
may.—New York Press.

FINE NEW SCHOOL HOUSE PROPOSED

The village of Ontonagon proposes
to erect a schoolhouse costing in the
neighborhood of \$50,000. It is planned
to issue bonds for that amount, and
to obtain the necessary authorization
a special election has been called for
Wednesday, June 1. Additional school
facilities have long been needed.

WRESTLER ROWETT WOULD BE SHERIFF

"Jack" Rowett of Bessemer, world's
champion Cornish wrestler, is re-
ported to be a candidate for the Repub-
lican nomination for sheriff of Go-
belec county. He is a game ward-
en at present, operating in the west-
ern portion of the upper peninsula.
George Zenker of Newberry caught a
nineteen-pound muskellunge at Man-
istique lake, in Schoolcraft county,
the other day. It was the biggest
fish caught in that region so far
this season.

FAMILY CARES.

This Information May Be of Value to
Many a Mother in Escanaba.
When there is added to the many
cares inseparable from the rearing of
children that affliction of weakness
of the kidneys and auxiliary organs,
the mother's lot is far from a happy
one. This condition can be quick-
ly changed and absolutely cured by
the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. When
this is known the mother's burden
will be lighter and her home hap-
pier.
Mrs. F. St. Onge, 513 Main St.,
Iron Mountain, Mich., says: "A
member of my family suffered from
kidney trouble, the chief symptom be-
ing too frequent passages of the kid-
ney secretions. Various remedies
were tried, but nothing proved of
benefit until Doan's Kidney Pills were
used. Since they were taken there
has been a great improvement in ev-
ery way. I consider it my duty to
recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to
other kidney sufferers."
For sale by all dealers. Price 50
cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo,
New York, sole agents for the United
States.
Remember the name—Doan's—and
take no other.

Identified.
"Bless my soul," quoth the gargoyle,
peering down from the eaves at the
chauffeur who had honked, "there goes
my double!"
One of Those Good Things.
"Why are you so sore on the em-
ment magnate? He has done some good
things." "I was one of them."—Pitts-
burg Post.
Would Have Commercial Value.
The amount of carbon exhaled from
a man's lungs each day, if it could be
solidified, would equal that in a lump
of coal weighing half a ton.



TO SPEND MILLIONS IN THEATRICAL WAR

Klaw & Erlanger-Frohman Syndicate
Organizing a Combination With \$25,
000,000 Capital—Covers the Entire
Country—Five Corporations Pro-
jected to Fight Independents.

Chicago, May 28.—To end the "op-
en door" warfare which has been de-
clared by scores of theaters in small
cities throughout the United States,
the Klaw & Erlanger-Frohman syn-
dicate, frequently referred to as the
"theatrical trust," hereafter will own
theaters in every strategic city in
the country.
Twenty-five million dollars will be
invested by the syndicate in theaters
which will reach in a chain from the
Atlantic to the Pacific and from Van-
couver and Winnipeg on the north
to New Orleans and Galveston on the
south. Five companies will be
incorporated with \$5,000,000 capital
each to acquire or own theaters in
every city that is known to be a
good "show town."

These companies will build, buy or
lease theaters, and in these houses
only will their productions be stag-
ed. The "open door" of the inde-
pendent theater may remain open in
vain so far as syndicate productions
are concerned.

The plans for this great theatrical
enterprise were made at a series of
meetings which began in New York
ten days ago and adjourned to Chi-
cago, where the final steps were
taken and the incorporation papers
of the Middle West Theater company
were drawn by Attorney Levy Mayer.

The producing firms represented at
these meetings, and which will be in-
cluded in the syndicate are:

Klaw & Erlanger, Charles Frohman
Nixon & Zimmerman, Al Hayman, Wil-
liam Harris, C. B. Dillingham, Henry
W. Savage, Cohan & Harris, Freder-
ick Thompson, David Belasco, Daniel
Frohman, Joseph Brooks, H. H. Fra-
zee, George W. Lederer, F. Zieg-
feld Jr., Wagenhals & Komper, Jo-
seph Weber, Joseph M. Gaites, Augus-
tus Pitou, Frank McKee, Henry Mil-
ler, Henry B. Harris.

In all it is said the producing firms
in the syndicate represent more than
500 attractions, and most of the prin-
cipal theaters in the United States.

This company will control, either by
lease, purchase, or by building new
theaters, houses in the middle west
cities. In fact, the first step to this
end has already been taken.

The four other \$5,000,000 companies
will cover the south, southwest,
northwest and west.

Members of the syndicate already
dominate in the east, where territory
is divided between them. New ac-
quisitions will give them playhouses
throughout the country.

Then the members of the "open
door" fraternity can whistle for their
productions, or procure them from
independent managers, and there will
be no more ostracising of syndicate
companies through cancellation of
contracts, as it is claimed has been
done in the past.

MAKE A 2,000 MILE TROLLEY JOURNEY

Utica, N. Y., May 28.—Twenty-one
Utica business men are back in this
city after making a world's record in
the matter of trolley trips. They have
traveled 2,000 miles by trolley during
the last two weeks, reaching Louis-
ville on the south and Detroit on the
north. The object of the trip
was to investigate municipal condi-
tions in other states.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all resi-
dents maintaining cows, horses, etc.,
on their premises, that the alleys
must be cleaned of all manure piles
and kept clean.

That it will be compulsory hereafter
to provide covered boxes on their pre-
mises for such purposes. Signed,
H. W. LONG,
Health Officer.

Daily Mirror Glints

Newspaper Parance.



Cub Reporter (to city editor)—Tele-
phone says man has just fallen
through a manhole across the street.
City Editor (abstractedly)—Itu over
and cover it.

A High Flier.



"Was George on his knees when he
proposed to you?"
"No; he seemed to be up in the air."

A Dissenter.



"The lecturer said last night that
there are men who can't stand for
having their wives know as much as
they do."
"The trouble with me is my wife
knows too much."

Two Reasons.



"Mrs. Gobble has such a sad face,
don't you think?"
"Yes. She's either loved and lost or
loved and got him."

Definition of Music.

Music is a kind of inarticulate un-
fashionable speech, which leads us to
the edge of the infinite, and lets us for
a moment gaze into that.—Carlyle.

Incredible.
"What's the matter tonight?"
"Trolley car accident."
"Heavens! What happened?"
"I got a seat."

Triumph of Medicine.



Mrs. Rattleby—Doctor, why does
your profession take the patient's tem-
perature instead of looking at the
tongue?
Diplomatic Doctor—In the case of a
woman taking the temperature is pre-
ferable, as it is necessary for the pa-
tient to be quiet.

Furnishes the Trimmings.



Old Tightwad always goes to church
And puts a button on the plate
When he has heard the story of
The heathen in his naked state.

The First Quarrel.



Reggie—If you're never going to
speak to me again what are you wait-
ing for?
Angela—I thought you might want
to speak to me.

Normal.



Ceci—You told your mamma I was
awfully sorry for having made an
idiot of myself last night, didn't you?
What did she say?
Eilda—Said she hadn't noticed any-
thing unusual.

He Heard It.

"Has your neighbor an ear for
music?" "You'd think so if you could
hear the coal and clods of dirt rattle
against our house when my daughter
starts her early morning practice."

Her Gain.

It's bad to wake her up like that
To hear her windows crash and break;
But it will turn out for the best
If Philadelphia stays awake.

Never Loses Its Chance.
Learning is ever in the freshness of
its youth, even for the old.—Aeschylus.

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ought to have them taken. Our ex-
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tures that please.
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ter in choice groceries, flour and
fruit. We want your patronage and
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stall your plumbing, pumps and fur-
naces in such a manner that you will
heartily appreciate the excellent work-
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YOU HAVE NOT SEEN ALL
OF THE SIGHTS IN ESCAN-
ABA, TAKE A RIDE ON THE
STREET CARS; VISIT THE
ORE DOCKS OR THE NEW
DAM AT FLAT ROCK.
Escanaba Electric Street
Railway Company
WATCH FOR THE COMET
The Red Dragon of the sky. Watch
the children for spring coughs and
colds. Careful mothers keep Foley's
Honey and Tar in the house. It is the
best and safest prevention and cure
for croup where the need is urgent
and immediate relief a vital neces-
sity. Contains no opiates or harmful
drugs. Refuse substitutes.

Yes; the Merchant Who Advertises Can AFFORD to Sell It For LESS.

No matter what the article is, unless it should be something whose selling price is as fixed as that of a postage stamp, the merchant who is an enterprise advertiser is sure to sell it for less than the merchant who does not advertise.

For, in spite of his advantage in buying—buying in large quantities, for cash or short credit, taking instant advantage of buying OPPORTUNITIES—his selling-advantage is the decisive factor. For he is enabled to count his profits on a large aggregate of sales—not compelled to secure them from a FEW SALES, for he would then be taxing a small number of customers with the entire support of his business.

A store that makes a net profit of \$100 in a day from sales to three hundred customers, is sure to sell to each of those customers on a closer margin of profit than is the non-advertising store that is COMPELLED to make enough to cover a daily expense of \$50 out of sales made to fifty customers.

If you are one of the 300 daily customers of the merchant who advertises, you are paying but one three hundredth part of his store-profits on the days you buy. If you are one of the fifty daily customers of the non-advertising merchant, you are paying one fiftieth of his profits.

If you are fairly "good at figures" you will quickly convince yourself that you ought to buy advertised things!

A NATIONAL MINE BUREAU

Great Opportunity In Front of New Department.

SAFEGUARDS FOR WORKERS.

United States Authorities to Investigate All Possible Causes of Mine Accidents and Methods Best Adapted to Meet Shaft Dangers—Shot Firing That Eliminates Risk of Lives.

The machinery for the investigation and prevention of great coal mine disasters like the Cherry fire in Illinois at last has been provided by congress. President Taft has signed the law passed recently by both houses of congress to establish a national bureau of mines in the interior department, and the work of organization of the bureau will be begun soon.

Officials of the geological survey declare that no branch of the United States government will have opportunity for greater work in the preservation of human life and the protection of property from waste than the new bureau.

The facts demanded by a Chicago paper immediately after the Cherry disaster and called for by Senator Cullom of Illinois in a resolution he introduced in the senate in December, 1909, showed that the government mine rescue stations covered only a portion of the mining region of the country and that federal experts had no authority to investigate any mine disasters except those caused by explosions.

What New Bureau Will Do.

The great work that has been done in this line by the geological survey has proved the need for money and authority for the government to undertake further investigations and experiments to supply absolute data and adequate safeguards for workers in every branch of the mining industry. Mine explosions which the government now investigates constitute only 15 per cent of the accidents that happen.

The new bureau of mines will take over from the geological survey the work of testing explosives, investigating explosions, experimenting with fuels and the testing of structural materials, in which work the government has been spending \$350,000 annually for two years.

It will add to this the investigation of all possible causes of mine accidents, determination of causes of fires and like disasters, investigation of character and action of gas, dust, damp and other dangers existing in coal and metal mines and methods best adapted to meeting these dangers and protecting mine workers against them.

No Interference With State.

State mine authorities have raised objections in the past to the establishment of a national bureau of mines on the ground that it would result in a conflict between state and federal authorities. It is made clear under the new law that there is to be no attempt on the part of the government to regulate mining operations or to interfere in any way with state inspection.

Thousands of lives are lost in American mines because of lack of uniform systems of signals, standard methods of using fuses and explosives and efficient methods of mine rescue work. This lack will be supplied, it is believed, through the investigations and recommendations of the new bureau of mines. Mine rescue stations at Pittsburg, Urbana, Ill., and other points have demonstrated their great value in the protection of life and property.

The most hazardous work of the hazardous occupation of coal miners is the firing of the blasting powder, or, as it is known to miners, "shot firing." The men who do this work are similarly called "shot firers." They enter the mine after the miners have completed their day's work and gone home. Invariably the shot firer rushes his work, firing shots rapidly, creating large quantities of gases caused by the ignition of large charges of powder. Then comes an ill placed shot or badly judged shot, causing what is known in mining parlance as a "windy shot," thus providing all the elements for an explosion, which invariably occurs, causing loss of life and damage to property.

Recently there was patented an automatic electric "shot firer" by Charles I. Dodson of Kansas City, which, after being put to the practical test of a thirty days' trial in a large mine near Pittsburg, Kan., has been recommended by the United States geological survey. The apparatus takes the place of the "shot firer" and renders unnecessary his services in a coal mine, thus eliminating one of the greatest dangers to life and property in the mining industry.

The machine is a complete electric plant and has no outside assistance. It consists of a specially constructed clock and self exciting direct current dynamo, with specially constructed mechanical parts. The machine is made to operate by inserting a key and pulling up a rack bar, which on being released by the clock at any time desired descends and rotates the armature of the dynamo by being connected with gear wheels. It thus generates current sufficient to explode shots or blasts connected.

In the Game.

"I am in the hands of my friends," said the political sidestepper. "Yes," replied the harsh critic, "and every time your friends look over their hands they seem impatient for a new deal."

City's Glory Departed.

The city of Wallace, on the Danube in lower Austria, once famous and wealthy because of its millstone industry, has just seen its glory completely fade away through the closing of its last millstone concern.

King George V., Queen Mary And Their Six Children



King George V. and Queen Mary of England have long been loyal friends of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt. When Roosevelt was president he called attention to the Prince of Wales' family on various occasions and said that he considered their six children models for any family.

ALL READY NOW FOR THE BIG GUN SHOOT

Second Annual Tournament of the Nook de Noc Gun Club Opens Monday and Promises to Be Most Successful Affair—Many Marksmen Entered—List of Events.

Everything is now in readiness for the second annual tournament of the Nook de Noc Gun club, which opens Monday and continues through Tuesday.

Already many expert marksmen have entered for the several events and some fine shooting contests are assured. Traps will be open at the shooting grounds tomorrow afternoon for shooters desiring to practice and there will doubtless be not a few marksmen who will gladly avail themselves of this privilege.

The tournament will open at nine o'clock Monday morning. There will be no handicaps and money will be divided according to the Combination Jack Rabbit and Ross system. Professionals will shoot for targets only. Amateurs will not be permitted to shoot for targets only. It is required that all contestants shall enter for the entire program. Interstate rules are to govern.

For the shooters from outside the Nook de Noc Gun club has arranged to have automobiles leave the Escanaba hotels at 8:30 Monday morning for the shooting grounds, calling for shooters at the 8:50 Chicago & Northwestern train.

As many of the regular and extra events as possible will be shot off Monday. Those remaining uncompleted will be finished on Tuesday. On Tuesday also will be held the three man team shoot for the Stephenson trophy, fifty birds per man. This contest is open to any team composed of

three amateurs belonging to an organized gun club and the trophy is to become the property of the club winning three times, not necessarily in succession. Following is the complete program of events:

Event No. 1—Ten birds. Entrance, \$1.10; added money, \$5.

Event No. 2—Twenty birds. Entrance \$2.20; added money, \$5.

Event No. 3—Fifteen birds. Entrance, \$1.65; added money, \$5.

Event No. 4—Twenty birds. Entrance, \$2.20; added money, \$5. Two bronze medals for high professional and high amateur.

Event No. 5—Twenty birds. Entrance, \$2.20; added money, \$5.

Event No. 6—Fifteen birds. Entrance, \$1.65; added money, \$5.

A lunch will be served after Event No. 6.

Event No. 7—Ten birds. Entrance, \$1.10; added money, \$5.

Extra Event—Unknown pull. Fifteen birds. Entrance, \$1.65; added money, \$5.

Bronze medal to winner, open to both professional and amateur.

Event No. 8—Twenty birds. Entrance, \$2.20; added money, \$5.

Event No. 9—Fifteen birds. Entrance, \$1.65; added money, \$5.

Extra Event—Change Gun. Fifteen birds. Entrance, \$1.65; added money, \$5.

Bronze medal to winner, open to both professionals and amateurs.

Event No. 10—Twenty birds. Entrance, \$2.20; added money, \$5.

Event No. 11—Fifteen birds. Entrance, \$1.65; added money, \$5.

Event No. 12—Twenty birds. Entrance, \$2.20; added money, \$5.

Extra Event—Monto Carlo. Entrance, \$2; added money, \$5.

Iron medal to winner, open to both professional and amateur.

Gold medals—High gun professional. High gun amateur, (not including extra events.)

Bronze medals—High Run professional. High run amateur, (not including doubles or extra events.)

HAMPTON IS CONVICTED OF GRAND LARCENY

Former Marquette Convict Will Get Term in Minnesota Penitentiary—He was the Author of the "Convicts Eat Rats" Thriller and a Prison Reform Crusader.

Marquette, Mich., May 8.—David E. Hampton, one time convict at the Marquette prison, and one of the hardest nuts ever in keeping at that institution, is in line for a sentence in Stillwater penitentiary in Minnesota. He won't have far to travel from jail to prison, either, for his offense was committed in Ramsey county and he was tried in circuit court at Stillwater. He was convicted of grand larceny, for which he is likely to get ten years.

The offense proved against him was, with one Louis Spee as an accomplice, blowing a safe at Wildwood pavilion in August of last year. Hampton traveled under the name Charles D. Hall, and denied his identity. Burr Catlin, Jr., who knew Hampton here, was one of the witnesses who fixed his identity. Hampton was also liable to trial for a postoffice robbery, but the government officials decided to let the state authorities have him.

Hampton has some good friends here, not in prison, who will feel sorry to hear of his latest predicament. He will be remembered as the author of the "Convicts Eat Rats" thriller, and neither his prison crusade reform nor his brief and unsuccessful experience in Marquette politics have been entirely forgotten.

Itching, bleeding, protruding or blind piles yield to Doan's Ointment. Chronic cases soon relieved, finally cured. Druggists all sell it.

SOO POLICE CHIEF STARTS A SUIT

Owosso, Mich., May 28.—I. J. Downey, chief of police at the Soo, has begun suit in the Shiawassee county circuit court against the administrator of the estate of his father, William Downey, for \$1,500 for the support of the police chief's mother. The bill was disallowed by the probate court.

According to Downey his father left his mother soon after he was born, and when he became old enough he supported his mother until she died. Downey also claims that his father married another woman without the formality of a divorce, before his first wife died.

30,000 SALOONS IN NEW YORK CITY

Today there are fewer saloons in the thirteen southern states than in Greater New York, and only a few more than in the city of Chicago. In New York there are 30,000 places where liquor is sold, in Chicago 28,000, and the entire south only 29,000. In New York state the estimated population in 1905 was 8,160,000, and the government issued in the state that year 34,080 "special tax stamps" to persons desiring to engage in the manufacture and sale of liquor. The thirteen southern states, with 23,500,000 people, secured in 1906 less than 30,000 stamps.

Great Commercial Asset Is Palm.

The oil palm is, perhaps, the greatest commercial asset in west Africa. On the palm the African has long depended for food, clothing, shelter, fuel, utensils, tools, weapons, ornaments, medicines, and intoxicating beverages.

Sea Field's Rich Harvest.

The great North Sea fishing ground known as the Dogger bank is estimated to yield an annual income of \$3,000 a square mile.

For Our Boys and Girls

A Girl's Peep At Fairyland

Dorothy awoke with a start. Everything and everywhere was snow, snow, snow. The fairies of snowland had been more than busy in the night. Dorothy thought they must have been rushed, for every little nook and corner was decorated. Even the place where her little piggies slept had not been neglected.

Yes; Dolly had made up her mind in the two minutes she had stood before the window. She was going to the woods to see if she could find the snow fairies.

Dorothy dressed hurriedly, put on her little gum boots and slipped quietly out of the front door.

On and on she trudged. Her boots were so very heavy that it made her tired. So she leaned wearily against a pine tree which was grumbling something every time the wind blew.

A rabbit had been playing in the snow, for his footprints betrayed his many caprices. Dorothy wondered how he worked all four feet at once and whether they would not get mixed, all wanting to go first, each forgetting when it was his turn.

"Well, Dorothy, you have come at last!" Dorothy jumped and looked around in amazement, for it was a funny

placed her finger in the leaf and closed her eyes when she was told to. Nor did she open them again, not even to peep, till she heard a voice far above her say, "Now see what is before you."

Was it really or was she dreaming? For 'twas fairyland, and on a throne above her sat a queen, clothed in the most lovely gown, which reflected her every mood. Sometimes it threw forth a rosy light, showing the queen's pleasure. Then again a cold blue light would take its place, and all the little fairies would tremblingly kneel before their queen, whose every wish was law.

Dorothy looked in amazement, for the ever changing lights continually cast a rainbow splendor over the place. As the queen spoke all was darkness. Dorothy crouched against a marble pillar as though for protection.

"The leaf fairy has asked me many times for permission to show you this palace. At last I have consented. Show her all, leaf fairy."

So away they went so swiftly that Dorothy could not see half of the beautiful things around her. Soon the fairy opened a door on which funny little bells chimed out the name of the one entering.

In this room was a great spruce tree, so high that the top could not be seen. To the branches were attached by invisible wires large balls of different colors and so many that it reminded Dorothy of her own Christmas tree, only this was so much prettier.

The fairy leaf was saying, "Now I will show you yours," and she pointed to one of the balls.

Dorothy examined it and found, to her surprise, a little fairy with the letter D fastened on her dress, seated upon her colored ball. But there were black marks running through the many colors, and Dorothy noticed some were prettier than hers.

So she asked what it meant, and she was told that the fairy upon each ball on looking within could see reflected the good and naughty things each child did from day to day. If naughty a black line was drawn, but the fairy was always glad to paint the bright colors, for they were good deeds.

Two little salty tears ran down Dorothy's cheeks. She hoped no one noticed them, but she could not help crying, for her own ball had lots and lots of black lines in it.

The leaf fairy took Dorothy back to the queen, who asked her to come again in a few weeks to see the ball. Then she placed her finger in the leaf and was once more in the world of snow.

Had she gone to sleep and dreamed this? Dorothy was sure that she had not. Anyway, she hurried home as fast as she could so as to help mamma with the dishes, for she must make her ball as lovely as the rest on that beautiful tree.—Philadelphia Record

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FARM CAT REARING TWO BABY ROBINS

The Marinette-Eagle Star tells this story, which is vouched for as being true:

The strangest occurrence in animal and bird life which has come to the attention of Marinette people in many years took place recently at the farm of Fred Schutt of the Hall avenue road.

The mother of a pair of baby robins was killed, and the male robin then took up domestic duties and fed the babes and cared for them until they were able to fly feebly about.

At the same time a cat owned by Mr. Schutt was rearing a family of several kittens. When the baby robins began hopping and flying about the Schutt farm, under the watchful eye of the male bird, the cat killed the father robin and adopted the two baby birds. They were taken to the kittens' nest and there they have been cared for as tenderly as the kittens by the mother cat. Several people from Marinette have visited the farm and seen the strange family, and Mr. Schutt will undoubtedly be glad to show his pets to anyone who is sufficiently interested to visit the place.

MANY MAIL CLERKS HURT ON TRAINS

Kansas City, Mo., May 28.—Eighty-two mail clerks were injured last year by engines bumping into trains standing at railway stations according to the report of T. J. Masten, chairman of the claims committee submitted at a session of the annual convention of the Railway Mail Clerk's association of America. He said the greatest number of accidents were due to collisions of trains—143. Two hundred different kinds of accidents were mentioned in the report.

WIFE OF 91 YEARS ASKS FOR DIVORCE

Appleton, Wis., May 28.—Age has not intensified domestic felicity in the household of Mr. and Mrs. George Parmann, for the former has not only been placed under bonds to keep the peace, but he has been made defendant in a divorce action in which his wife alleges cruel and inhuman

treatment. Mr. Parmann is eighty-one years of age and his wife will need to remain on this mundane sphere only nine years longer to round out the century mark.

Mrs. Parmann asked Judge Ryan to place her husband under bonds to keep the peace, alleging in her complaint that he threatened to "beat her until she wallowed in her own

gore." Soon afterward her attorney filed papers in divorce proceedings. (Mr. and Mrs. Parmann have been married only seven years.

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CONGRESSMAN YOUNG STARTS HIS CAMPAIGN

He Will Make the Canvass in This District on His Record as a Public Official.

H. Olin Young has announced his candidacy for congress to succeed himself from the Twelfth district, which includes the entire upper peninsula.

Mr. Young has served the upper peninsula four terms, during which time his influence has steadily advanced and he has been able to accomplish many things for his district that a less experienced or a less able man could not have done.

Political conditions are such, right at the present moment, that they point to squalls on the business horizon of this country that may ruin many business enterprises and throw thousands of laboring men out of work. Able and fairminded men are needed in the councils of this nation



Congressman H. O. Young.

If this condition is to be averted, the extensive business interests and the large number of laboring people of this peninsula need a man of influence at Washington to look after their interests. Mr. Young's great experience places him in a position where he is a very valuable man to have in congress. A new man would be without influence and it would be a sad mistake for us to swap horses in crossing a stream.

Takes a Fair Position.
Mr. Young can point with pride to his record as a legislator. He has been on the job all of the time he has been at Washington. Whenever he has been found at Washington attending to the duties his position im-

poses upon him and not at home attending to private business as was the case with his opponent when a member of the state legislature and of the tax commission.

Mr. Young has been represented by some who dislike him as "a corporation man." This accusation is made more for the purpose of stirring up prejudice than to rectify the fact. Mr. Young says that he believes corporations to be a necessity and that they should be protected in the enjoyment of their rights when they obey the law. That position is a fair one and cannot be honestly controverted by anyone. But, a review of Mr. Young's record in congress will reveal that he has been equally attentive to the interests of the "plain people." He has supported every measure that came before congress for the welfare of the people.

His Voting Record.
He has supported every one of the so-called Roosevelt measures; among them the railroad rate bill, the pure food and drug law, the meat inspection law, the quarantine law, the employers' liability law, making railroad companies responsible for all injuries received by their employees in the course of their employment, with the amendment to that law just passed by the senate, giving the injured party the right to sue in state as well as federal court; the asphal law, the bill limiting the hours of trainmen, the child labor law, the provision for the investigation of the causes of accidents in mines and the establishment of a Bureau of Mines and Minerals, and all of the conservation measures dealing with the subject of forestry reservations in the west.

He has voted for liberal appropriations of money, to punish violations of law by railroad companies, large corporations, timber and land thieves, and grafters generally.

Mr. Young has but two objections urged against his being returned to congress; one that he has been a "Cannon man" and the other that he has appointed some postmasters in some places that some of the people didn't want.

PREACHERS NONE TOO WELL PAID

Washington, D. C., May 28.—The average annual salary of a minister of the gospel was but \$663 in all denominations represented in a special report on the census of religious bodies for 1906.

O. V. THATCHER TO SING 'GLORIOUS CITY'

The service at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow morning is to be very attractive. Oliver V. Thatcher will sing the selection by Gordon Temple, "The Glorious City," with violin obligato by Walter E. Martin. Mrs. Morrill and Mr. Martin will present a violin and organ duet, Mendelssohn's "Spring Song." The services will be both interesting and helpful and a large audience is expected.

The pastor will preach on a theme of interest, "The Power of Unconscious Influence."

The attendance has been unusually large at the morning service at the First Presbyterian church during the past few weeks and it is expected that there will be a capacity house, to worship at that church tomorrow.

MANY AUTO RECORDS GO BY THE BOARD

Indianapolis, May 28.—Records went down in Friday's races at the Motor speedway, the only brick track in the world. The greatest victory was in the 100-mile race for cars of 301 to 450 cubic inches piston displacement, which was won by Kincaid in a National in 1:23:43. The previous record—1:24:08—was made by Chevrolet in a Buick at Atlanta. Dawson, driving a Marmion, led from the tenth to the eighty-fifth mile and lost out through a mishap, Kincaid barely escaped crashing into Dawson's machine when the rear tire of the latter was ripped off.

In the five-mile race between cars of the same class, Kincaid won over Harroun, driving a Marmion. His time was 4:05, this bettering the former record by forty seconds. In the ten-mile event for cars of 231 to 300 displacement, Harroun won in 8:16 smashing the record of 9:03. Chevrolet, in a Buick, won the five-mile race for little cars of 161 to 230 displacement, his time of 4:41 breaking the previous record of 5:13.

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

Our Daily Short Story

A Complicated Case

The Man Who Was Accused of Having Murdered Himself.
By CUTHBERT BAKER.
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I am an unfortunate man. I never committed a crime in my life, never even did a dishonest act, and yet I am in jail accused of murder. This may not be astonishing, for many an innocent man has not only been accused of but has been hanged for murder, but what is remarkable in my case is that I am accused of murdering myself.

Perhaps this isn't quite clear. If it isn't, it is either because the case is a very complicated one or I am not in a fit condition of mind to make it clear. The only way to unravel the matter so that it can be understood is to tell the story from the beginning.

Twelve years ago I came to Merford, a young man of twenty-five, to look for a job. I had no funds, and, not getting a position at once, I ran in debt to my landlady. A month passed, and I had found nothing to do. My landlady told me that if I didn't pay up by the next Saturday night she would have me arrested for a common vagrant and swindler.

That same day while walking about looking for a job I met a man on the street who looked so much like me that I stared at him as we passed. He turned and said:

"You must be a kin of mine. You look enough like me to be my own brother."

"What's your name?" I asked.

"William Higgins."

"I am Nicholas Van Winkle."

We couldn't trace any relationship, but he asked me into a beer saloon, where we pursued that and other subjects. He was an insinuating fellow and won my confidence so far that I told him of my financial trouble. What did he do but whip out a roll of new, crisp bills and invite me to help myself. I demurred at incurring obligations to a stranger, but he insisted and finally literally forced upon me four ten-dollar bills, saying that he was sure from the likeness between us we had sprung from a common stock and he didn't propose that any kinsman of his should suffer so long as he had plenty of money. I asked him for his address that I might return the loan after getting a position. He put his hand on my shoulder and said, "I won't tell you, lest you rob yourself to pay me before you are ready." With that he went out somewhat suddenly and left me very much surprised at all that had occurred.

The only thing to do was to consider the episode a piece of good luck, and, going to my landlady, I gave her three of the bills, keeping the other for current necessities, which I purchased immediately.

The next day a policeman came to the house and produced a warrant for my arrest. The charge was passing counterfeit money, and the assessor was a druggist of whom I had bought a toothbrush and from whom I had received change for a ten dollar bill.

Of course the generosity of my new found friend was now perfectly plain to me. I didn't know and don't know now what he expected to gain by the transaction unless he hoped to use me later. My landlady on seeing me marched away by a policeman under a charge of passing counterfeit money took the bills I had given her to her bank, where they were pronounced spurious. When I was brought up for examination both she and the druggist appeared against me. I told a straight story, but without effect. Counterfeit bills had been shoved into circulation, and the police had been looking for the shover. I was held for trial and spent six weeks in jail. Then I was tried. As there was no evidence connecting me with a gang of counterfeiters, I was acquitted and released.

But one thought absorbed me—to get even with the man who had played the trick on me that had kept me six weeks in a horrible cell and ruined me in the place where I had intended to settle. I walked the streets hoping to meet him till I was so weak from hunger that I couldn't walk any longer, then gave it up. But all the while I was thinking of a plan for revenge. At last I concocted one that might catch the counterfeiter and punish him for something more than breaking the government money laws. I went to a wood in the outskirts of the town and to a tree planned a piece of paper on which I had written in a trembling hand that I was about to be murdered by a man who had forced me to pass counterfeit money, I having threatened to put the police on to him and his gang. I described the man who had given me the spurious bills. In doing so of course I described my own personal appearance, but I didn't care for that, for I proposed to disappear from the place and play dead. Having taken this the only means I could think of to gain my revenge, I converted myself into a tramp and did not stop moving until I had gone some 1,200 miles from the town where I had had so much trouble. At the end of my tramp I found a man who gave me a job, and I rejoiced that at last I had reached a haven of rest.

One morning I took up a newspaper and read the account of my own murder. Every effort had been made to

find both my body, dead or alive, and my murderer. The police had sent out thousands of circulars giving the description of him that I had written, and it had been copied in many newspapers.

I noticed one day on looking up suddenly at my employer that he was scrutinizing me. It had occurred to me before this that my giving a description of my murderer that would answer as well for me as for him might lead to serious complications. Indeed, after seeing the description of the supposed murderer in the newspaper I had become very anxious. The result was that when I saw my employer looking at me as if comparing me with the description I turned pale. He looked away, and that ended the matter, at least for the time.

Several days later a man came into the store where I worked, had some words with my employer and then, advancing toward me, eyed me sharply; then he took a printed slip from his pocket and referred to it, evidently comparing me with it. At last he took out a pair of handcuffs, put them on my wrists and led me out of the store. It didn't occur to me to protest or to ask any questions. I knew I was to be taken back to the scene of my former troubles to answer to the charge of having murdered myself.

It didn't appear to me then that I should have any trouble in identifying myself. I resolved to say that I had succeeded in getting away from the man who had intended to murder me and had left that part of the country altogether. It didn't occur to me that such a story in the face of a charge of murder would appear pretty thin. The first realization of my danger that came to me was in talking with the official who was taking me back to Merford. I told him the story just as I have thus far told it here. And what was his comment? It was this:

"Young man, if you can't make up a better yarn than that you'd better be prepared for the worst."

This startled me. I had deemed it a misfortune to be taken back to Merford on a case of mistaken identity and to be put to the trouble of an explanation, but that I would be liable to conviction for murdering my own self had appeared so monstrous that it had not even entered my head.

"If you can't prove an alibi," added my keeper, "you're gone."

"What's an alibi?" I asked.

"Being somewhere else at the time the murder was committed."

"But I shall prove that I am the man I am accused of murdering."

He turned and regarded me with a cynical smile.

"See here," he said, "I've been mixed up with cases like yours for twenty years. Juries are ready to believe a lot of rot from a prisoner with whom they sympathize, but my advice to you is not to endeavor to work off on them any such rubbish as that."

This frightened me. I leaned back on the cushion of the seat as well as my handcuffs would permit and gave myself over to the most gloomy reflections.

When we reached Merford and I had been examined, not having any means with which to employ counsel, I was assigned one. He came to the jail and heard my explanation. When it was finished he said that he would not think of conducting a case on any such improbable line as that and if I insisted on his doing so I must find another defender.

What was I to do? All these people who were used to such cases agreed that I must not claim that I was myself. I asked my lawyer whom he thought I'd better claim to be. He said that it didn't make any difference what my name was. Criminals usually had plenty of names and used such as were convenient under different circumstances. The only point in my favor, he added, was that the body of the man I had murdered had not been found. He would make as much of this as possible and expected that he would be able to get me off with a sentence of life imprisonment instead of death.

He seemed to consider this quite a comforting assurance. For myself I thought that even imprisonment for life in the case of one who had committed murder on himself or suicide, if it can be so construed, is rather hard lines. However, I told my lawyer that I wouldn't venture to suggest a line of defense to one who knew the law perfectly, and he might consider me either dead or alive, innocent or a murderer, as he saw fit. To this he replied that there had undoubtedly been cases where a lawyer knew his client to be innocent, but the evidence had been so strong against him that he has advised him to plead guilty and throw himself on the mercy of the court.

I won't go into the details of the trial. My lawyer was congratulating himself that he would get me off with a life sentence when the police, who had long suffered before the public for what was considered their negligence in the case of my murder, by continued digging in the wood where I had been murdered unearthed a body. I learned long afterward that it came from a corner of an old burial lot. But it was enough, with all the other convincing evidence against me, to hang me.

The only bit of good luck I have had at all has been the capture of the gang of counterfeiters to which my double belonged. I begged my counsel so hard to find him that to humor me he did so. The result was the bringing into court the real murderer of the man who was not murdered. Which of us would have had to swing the murder if the other one had been absent I don't know. I am going out a free man, and I propose to disfigure myself so that I will never again look like anybody.

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Superintendent Geismar of the Upper Peninsula Experiment Station Believes Its Period Dates Back to a Time Before Columbus Discovered America—Story.

L. M. Geismar, superintendent of the agricultural college experimental station at Chatham, writes as follows of the beginning of corn growing in the upper peninsula.

"It is not generally known that corn was successfully grown in the upper peninsula probably long before Columbus discovered America and by at least two tribes of Indians, the Ottawas and the Chippewas, who controlled that portion of country lying between the St. Mary's river on the east and the Escanaba and Chocomaque rivers on the west. In his relation for 1669-70 the early explorer and missionary, Father Dablon, mentions the fact that the Ottawa squaws, in digging holes in the sand to hide their corn, often found masses of copper weighing 20 to 30 pounds.

"In May, 671, Father Alouez, before a grand council of Indian chiefs assembled at Sault Ste. Marie, pronounced a panegyric on the king of France during which he said, 'You think yourselves very rich when you have 10 to 20 sacks of corn and hatchets and kettles, and other things of the kind. It is quite certain that the corn thus referred to is the same variety which is still being grown in a small way in the neighborhood of Sault Ste. Marie, in Chippewa county, the seed having been secured from Indians over half a century ago by the father of J. M. Ryan of that city. While considerable hybridized at present, this corn, as Flint variety, is still found occasionally as pure bred, and as such is readily distinguished by its peculiar satiny luster and its bright straw color."

OPEN CONFESSION GOOD FOR THE SOUL

Lansing, Mich., May 28.—State Game Warden Pierce received a letter today from a citizen of Flint stating: "Ever since I got converted to God I have felt grieved to think I violated the game laws in my early days." The writer, who signs his name and address, says he is now twenty-two years of age and from the time he was thirteen years old until he was about twenty he caught thirty to forty brook trout, shot several partridges and speared fish in the lakes in Osceola county, where he formerly resided, all in violation of law. "Now I have become a Christian for life and I want

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to be forgiven, and if there is any payment I can make I desire to do so." Pierce has not yet drafted his reply to the letter.

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