

## GENERAL AND ARMY OF 1,000 MEN MAY BE IN HANDS OF THE REBELS

FEDERALS CANNOT EXPLAIN DISAPPEARANCE OF GENERAL AND ARMY WHO LEFT OJINAGA TO ASSIST REFUGEES

## AMERICANS FLEE FROM CITY OF TAMPICO

United States Has Increased Border Patrol and Gives Warning to Both Mexican Armies

(By Associated Press.)

Ojinaga, Mex., Dec. 13.—The federalists cannot explain the disappearance of General Mercado, the ranking officer of the northern army, along with a thousand federalists. It is believed that he has been intercepted in the mountains.

Mercado and his men left the fort to go to the assistance of the refugees. The forts and breastworks of the federal army is ready for the expected attack from the rebels. The guns are upon a high hill and trained in such a way that it will be impossible for the rebel army to get up the hill without being in constant range of the field pieces.

The United States has increased the border patrol and notified the Mexicans that no bullets must reach American soil.

## PLEADS GUILTY TO ROLLING A "DRUNK"

Man Who Escaped Death in Storm Through Lucky Circumstance Is Sent to Jail

David McNellis pleaded guilty to a charge of petit larceny this morning before Judge McEwen and was sentenced to spend ninety days in the county jail.

August Froberg was the victim of the "rolling." He had consumed more than his share of the red stuff and fell in a local hotel. When McNellis with another helped to lift the fallen man McNellis noticed his pocketbook lying on the floor. He appropriated the contents. Froberg said he lost \$51 but McNellis insisted that there was but \$21 in the purse.

McNellis is the Escanaba man who through lucky circumstance escaped death on the steamer Price in the big November storm.

The steamer was in Milwaukee with a load of coal. When the steamer cleared McNellis was not about and he was left behind.

The Price foundered on the return trip from Ashabula to Superior.

## ROYAL ARCH MASONS ELECT 1914 OFFICERS

Officers for ensuing year chosen at annual meeting held last night

The members of the Delta Chapter of Royal Arch Masons elected the following officers at the annual meeting last night: Miles Haring, high priest; John S. Lindsay, king; E. D. Thompson, captain of hosts; F. H. Atkins, principal sojourner; A. T. Hoffman, royal arch captain; H. B. Essington, master of third veil; O. V. Thatcher, master of second veil; W. J. Clark, master of first veil; O. B. Fuller, treasurer; A. H. Rolph, secretary; O. B. Fuller, trustee for three years.

## WILL WED THIS EVENING

James Holmes of this city and Miss Lillian Jones of Ogonts will be married this evening at eight o'clock by Judge Glaser. Mr. Holmes is well and favorably known in this city and Miss Jones is one of Ogonts' most esteemed young ladies. They will make their home in Escanaba.

## WELLS SCHOOLS CLOSED WHILE FURNACE IS BEING REPAIRED

The furnace at the Wells school is undergoing repairs and for that reason the schools in the village have been closed the past three days. They will reopen on Monday next.

## RECOVERS FROM OPERATION

The many friends of Aaron Digre will be glad to learn that he has completely recovered from the operation for appendicitis which he underwent at the St. Francis hospital and that he is now at his home.

## START VESPER SERVICES

Begin Tomorrow at Presbyterian Church—Interest in Boys' Conference

There will be no Sunday evening service at the First Presbyterian church Sunday. Vesper services are to take the place of the evening services during the two months of the winter, January and February. The Boys Conference meeting will begin tomorrow at 4:30 and should be attended by everyone interested in the boys of Escanaba.

The boys have been doing big things and have been planning bigger things than most of the older people have thought. They are laying plans to handle the biggest Boy's conference the Upper Peninsula has ever had. It is a big job but the boys are anxious to show that they are big enough for the job they have set themselves to handle. The union service will be held tomorrow afternoon at the Presbyterian church, everyone will be welcome.

## SANTA CLAUS ON STREET

Followed by Nearly Three Hundred Youngsters He Creates Great Excitement

Santa Claus created a great furore at the Fair store this morning and on the street this afternoon. The store became so crowded with children after dinner that business had to be suspended for a short time and to relieve the congestion Santa Claus took a walk with fully three hundred youngsters following.

Fearing that some of the youngsters might meet with an accident because of the crowd Mr. Salinsky took the entire crowd to the Bijou theatre where they witnessed a show at his expense. Upon leaving the theatre each youngster was presented with a sack of candy. Tomorrow Santa Claus will be at the Fair store between the hours of 9 and 11 a. m., and 2 and 4 p. m. This will give the mothers a chance to take the little ones to the store.

## FUNERAL OF A. M'GUIRE

Held at Eight O'clock This Morning in St. Patrick's Church

Funeral services were held this morning in the St. Patrick's church over the body of A. McGuire, a brother of George McGuire of this city.

The services were held at eight o'clock and were conducted by Father Barth. Burial was made in St. Joseph's cemetery.

The body arrived here this morning over the Soo line from Minneapolis where death occurred.

## LUMBER SHIPPING IS OVER FOR THE SEASON

Wells Hardwood Flooring Mill Had Average Season—Weather Causes Dullness.

The shipping season at Wells closed on Thursday when a lumber barge cleared for Manitowoc. Although there is but little activity at the Wells hardwood flooring plant just now the season was well up to the average. The present dullness is due to the continued mild weather, which prevents the moving of logs in the woods.

## BREAKING NO RECORDS

Mercury Fell Ten Degrees Short of Record December Heat Mark Yesterday

Although yesterday was one of the warmest December days this section has enjoyed in many years it was far from being a record breaker. The mercury reached the '54 mark. Continued mild weather is promised by Weather Bureau.

## NO DOUBT CONCERNING THE AUTHENTICITY OF FAMOUS MASTERPIECE

"MONA LISA" PICTURE FOUND IN POSSESSION OF ITALIAN BEARS THE SEAL OF THE LOUVRE

## FINGER PRINTS GIVE FURTHER PROOF

Prisoner Says He Stole the Picture as an Act of Patriotic Vengeance

(By Associated Press.)

Florence, Italy, Dec. 13.—The authenticity of "Mona Lisa" which was found yesterday in the possession of Vincenzo Perugia, was confirmed by experts after an examination today. The picture has the seal of the Louvre and other galleries in which it has hung.

The prisoner says that he stole the picture as an act of patriotic vengeance for Napoleon's depredations in Italy and displayed the utmost indignation at his treatment by the police for his "patriotic sentiment."

Paris, France—Fresh proof that Perugia stole the "Mona Lisa" was established today when finger prints taken when he was convicted of carrying fire arms without a permit, were compared with those on the frame from which the picture was cut. A representative is on the way to Florence to get the picture.

## BUILDING COMMITTEE INSPECTS NEW ADDITION

Addition to the County Poor House is Accepted—Board Members Enthusiastic

The building committee of the county board of supervisors this afternoon visited the poor farm and carefully inspected the addition just completed. The members of the board were enthusiastic over the new quarters and it was formally accepted.

The addition will be open for the use of the inmates in a few days.

## CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Richards of Foster City Will Celebrate Their 9th Wedding Anniversary Monday

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Richards of Foster City, will on Monday, December 15, celebrate the ninth anniversary of their wedding. Fifty invitations have been issued to the friends of the young couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Richards were in the city shopping yesterday. They have many friends here who wish them all the joy life holds.

## ATTENTION ADVERTISERS

During the Christmas rush all advertisers must have copy in this office before ten o'clock of each day to insure publication that day. Copy coming in after that hour will be handled only when it is possible to do so.

## TWELVE DAYS TO CHRISTMAS

DEC. 13



Santa Claus Will Soon Be Here. Buy Your Presents Now.

## WETS ARE VICTORIOUS

Win Out in Twenty Out of Twenty-six Districts in Saskatchewan

(By Associated Press.)

Winnipeg, Dec. 13.—Twenty-six local option election questions were held in Saskatchewan yesterday. The temperance forces carried six towns. Nine municipalities, that were formerly dry, went wet. Eleven contests to prohibit licenses in liquor selling municipalities were won by the saloon forces.

## TO CONFISCATE GUNS

Police Will Take Guns From Those Found Shooting Within the City Limits

Chief of Police Iverson has issued a warning to the youngsters of the city concerning the shooting in the borough. The county on sparrows has caused the boys to disregard the ordinance as to air rifles, etc., and they have been rather reckless. The police will confiscate guns found in the hands of those shooting within the city limits.

## SESSIONS AT THE ROLLER SKATING RINK

The Peterson roller rink will be open this evening and for beginners tomorrow morning. Sessions will be held Sunday afternoon and Sunday evening. The crowds are growing nightly.

## LOPEZ ALIVE AND IN MINE WHERE FUTILE SEARCH WAS PURSUED

MINER SAYS HE HAS TWICE SEEN FUGITIVE WHO MURDERED 6 AND THAT HE EXPECTS TO SEE HIM AGAIN

## FOLLOWED THE POSSE THROUGH "INE"

Claims Lopez Says He Will Die Fighting and That the Mine Will be His Grave

(By Associated Press.)

Bingham, Utah, Dec. 13.—A stimulus has been given to the hunt for Ralph Lopez, the desperado, who has been defying the posse in the Utah Apex mine. According to a story told by Sam Rogers, a miner, he has talked with the man twice and is going to talk with him again tonight.

Rogers says that Lopez declares that he will die fighting. In the conversation yesterday Lopez said, "I know that I am cornered and that this mine will be my grave. I could have killed a number of the members of the posse and followed them many times in the last five days."

Continuing, Lopez said, "I am not going to take my own life, but will fight to the end and when I cash in it will be at the hands of the members of the posse."

## CAPTAIN M'KINNON STILL IN MENOMINEE

Fails to Put in Appearance for Trial at Marquette Yesterday—Didn't Have The Funds

Captain Donald MacKinnon of Menominee, who has been summoned to appear in Marquette yesterday for trial before Steamboat Inspectors York and Gooding, failed to put in his appearance.

When questioned as to why he had not gone to Marquette he explained that when the barge Plymouth went down he had lost every cent he had in the world and that he wasn't prepared to walk to Marquette. He advised the inspectors to that effect, saying that if the government wanted him at Marquette the government could pay his expenses. He will probably be forwarded the necessary funds for his transportation.

## SPECIAL SERVICES AT SALVATION ARMY WILL CONCLUDE SUNDAY NIGHT

Thomas Griffin, the converted gambler and drunkard of Chicago, will conduct services tonight and Sunday night at the Salvation Army hall. The Sunday night services will be the last which Griffin will conduct here.

## THE BANNER CORN YIELD

(By Associated Press.)  
Fond du Lac, Dec. 13.—Paul Koechnick, aged 20, whose home is in the town of Eden has captured the Wisconsin record for the largest corn yield. He raised 133 bushels and 39 pounds on an acre. The former record was 127 bushels.

## OLD ENEMIES OF MRS. YOUNG FROM THE BOARD

Mayor Harrison of Chicago Accepts Resignation of Five School Trustees

Chicago, Dec. 13.—The resignations of five members of the school board, all of whom are said to have voted against the reelection of Mrs. Ella Flagg Young as superintendent, were accepted by Mayor Harrison, to take effect at once. The men are: John C. Harding, Charles O. Sethness, Harry A. Lipsky, James B. Dibelka and Henry W. Huttman. The resignations had been held by the mayor since the appointment of the board. In accepting these resignations, Mayor Harrison stated plainly that he would remove other opponents of Mrs. Young if he had the power.

Mrs. Young intimated that she would consent to return as superintendent of schools, if John D. Shoop, the newly elected superintendent, should resign and if she could be assured of the support of the entire board. "I should never consent to return without the complete co-operation of the entire board," she said. "If Mayor Harrison could overcome what seems to be impossible and adjust matters so there would be harmony on the board, I feel that I could accept my former position."

Two thousand women called a mass meeting at which they expressed their wrath at the forced resignation of Mrs. Ella Flagg Young from the superintendency of the public schools.

Resolutions were adopted calling a special session of the legislature to make the board of education elective instead of appointive.

## NEVER SOLVE MYSTERY

Mysterious Disappearance and Reappearance of Bob Baffles All

Eight weeks ago "Bob" disappeared as mysteriously and completely as though swallowed by the earth or wiped off the face of the globe by an unseen hand. Yesterday he returned just as mysteriously as he had disappeared. Unable to speak or write he cannot make known his whereabouts during his absence, the mystery will probably never be solved.

On the night of October 12, just 421 years after Columbus discovered America, Bob walked from his home. Just eight weeks later he returned, wan and haggard, bearing every evidence of fearful suffering and abuse.

He alone knows the suffering, the tortures that he endured during those eight weeks and he can't tell. It might be well to explain that "Bob" is a collie dog. His return, however, to his home at the corner of Campbell street and Wells avenue, was almost as much an occasion for joyous celebration as though a prodigal had returned.

## CIGAR MAKERS ELECT

Officers of Union Chosen at Meeting Held Last Evening

At a regular meeting of the Cigar Makers Union held last night the following officers were named for the ensuing year: John Petry, president; Arthur Fish, vice president; Emil Johnson, recording secretary; Walter Lippold, financial secretary; Edmund St. Johns, treasurer; Albert Vesina, sergeant at arms.

## DISTRIBUTING CHRISTMAS SOUVENIRS

Christmas greetings from the American Express company are being distributed in the city by the company's agent in this city, Roy E. Sackett. The souvenir is in the form of neatly gotten up booklets in which the advantages of the "American" service is extolled. Mr. Sackett has proven his efficiency during his short service as agent here and reports a growing business.

## RUNAWAY HORSE HITS LADDER AND PAINTER FALLS TO HIS DEATH

PECULIAR ACCIDENT RESULTED IN FATALITY AT MARINETTE YESTERDAY AFTERNOON AT 1 O'CLOCK

## MOTHER AND DAUGHTER SLIGHTLY HURT

Horse Takes Fright at Automobile and Crashes into Ladder on Which Man is Painting

Marinette, Dec. 12.—A runaway horse at 1 o'clock yesterday colliding with the ladder on which A. Hurning, Marinette, was standing while painting his house, 906 Pierce avenue, threw him to the sidewalk nearby and he suffered severe injuries to his head and body which resulted in his death about 1:30 o'clock, after he had been taken to the M. & M. hospital.

## Auto Frightens Horse

Mrs. Kelsenmeier Forbinsky and a little eleven-year-old girl were riding along on Pierce avenue with a horse and buggy when an automobile passing them frightened the horse. The animal started wildly and ran onto the sidewalk in front of the Hurning home, where Hurning was engaged in painting. The horse collided with the ladder, causing Hurning to be thrown from a distance of about ten feet upon the ladder, to the sidewalk. The man fell heavily and suffered a bad gash over his left eye and severe internal injuries and bruises to his body. Dr. M. D. Bird was called to the scene shortly before 1 o'clock but the unfortunate man passed away after being taken to the hospital.

The exact distance Hurning was up on the ladder is not known but, according to Mrs. Forbinsky, who was thrown out of the buggy with the little girl, he occupied the ninth or tenth rung. Mrs. Forbinsky suffered slight injuries in being hurled from the buggy but the little girl escaped unharmed. The horse stopped in the yard next to the Hurning home.

## Buggy Demolished.

Although few people witnessed the accident, a large crowd soon gathered. A large clot of blood, mixed with green paint, showed that Hurning bled profusely. Little remained of the woman's buggy, which was literally smashed to pieces.

Hurning was 52 years old and married. He had been separated from his wife for a number of years. She and her two sons, William and Albert, are residing in the west. His occupation had been that of painting.

## CHURCH CROWDED AT FUNERAL SERVICES

Last Rites Over Body of Edward Cooney Held This Morning at St. Patrick's Church

St. Patrick's church was almost filled this morning when the last services over the body of Edward Cooney were held by Father Barth. The large attendance at the services and the many floral offerings showed the esteem in which the deceased was held. Burial was made in St. Joseph's cemetery.

His determination to do his duty whatever the cost resulted in Cooney's death. When the heavy train, on which he was head brakeman ran away on a steep grade he did not jump as he might have done, thereby saving his life, but stuck to his post and endeavored to set the hand brakes on the cars. After the crash he was found unconscious alongside the wreck. A heavy bolt had been driven through the back of his head. Despite his fearful injury he was conscious before he died and told about him where he lived and where his brother might be found. He lived for five hours after the accident.

## AMERICANS LEAVE TAMPICO

Washington.—Rear Admiral Fletcher has cabled from Tampico that he has ordered all Americans out of the city. He has already transferred 500 to battleships as the situation is becoming worse. All the Americans are safe according to the cablegram. There is no cessation in the fighting. All prisoners are hanged as fast as captured and many on both sides have been shot.

WHICH IS THE MOST BEAUTIFUL OR DO THEY SHARE THE HONOR?



Miss Vera Maxwell, on the left, and Mrs. Leonard M. Thomas, on the right, whom Paul Helleu, the famous French painter of beautiful women, selects as the most beautiful women of the United States. Helleu declared many times that Mrs. Thomas was the reigning beauty of America, but latest reports from Paris credit him with now asserting that Miss Maxwell, actress, takes the palm in that respect. While Helleu hasn't said so, he probably means that the two beauties share the honors.



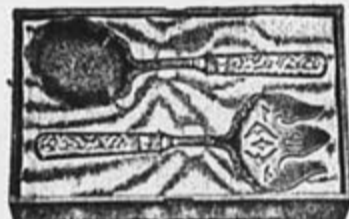
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## For Christmas

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Salad Fork or Spoon—Fancy Pattern Nickel Silver Fork heavily silver plated, selected Pearl handle, Sterling Silver Ferrule—Packed in fancy box, each **2.75**

Rogers Butter Knife and Sugar Shell. Fancy Chased pattern, either dull or bright finish. In fancy lined box, set **1.00**

Butter Knife, only, Pearl Handle. In fancy box each **1.25**



Cold Meat Fork, Fancy pattern Nickel Silver Fork, heavily silver plated. Selected Pearl Handle, Sterling Silver Ferrule—Packed in fancy box, Each **2.00**

Cake Knife Silver plated blade, Sterling Silver Ferrule, Pearl Handle, in satin lined box, each **2.75**

Salad Forks and Spoons. Fancy patterns, Ebony handles, each **90c-1.50**

Rogers Table Spoons, Triple Plate Silver, Grenoble and Hanover patterns, bright or dull finish, per set of six **3.00**

Rogers Tea Spoons, Description as above, per set of six **1.50**

Childs 3 Piece Sets, Silver or Pearl Handles, in fancy box. Per set **50c-2.75**



Rogers and Landers, Frary & Clark Silver plated Knives and Forks with Pearl solid or hollow silver and celluloid handles—Both plain and fancy patterns, per set \$2.50 to **2.00**

Rogers Individual Salad Forks Heavily silver plated, Beautiful patterns, both dull and bright finish In fancy box, per set of six \$2.50 to **2.25**

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### Church Notices

**The First Methodist Episcopal Church**  
King D. Beach, pastor.  
Mrs. P. A. Lint, musical director  
"What Shall I Believe Regarding the Future Life" will be the topic of the evening sermon at this church on Sunday evening at 7:30. This is the concluding sermon of a series that has proved very helpful; to all of us, at least occasionally there comes many serious questions concerning immortality; some of these questions the pastor will answer at this meeting. The audiences Sunday evening are large, the spirit of the gathering is splendid, and all are invited to the inspiration of them.

At the morning Worship with Sermon, the pastor will preach on "The Application of Christian Principles to a Neglected Question." The choir will render an anthem "I will give you rest" by West and Mrs. Leo. Sawdy will sing "Gallies" by Combs, accompanied by Mr. Dan Dewey on the Cello.

The choir will also have special music in the evening, particularly an anthem "Tarry Thou With Me Oh My Savior" by Bartlett. Bible School meets Sunday at 9:30 a. m., Junior League at 3 p. m. On Monday evening the young people gather for their social meeting, beginning at eight o'clock.

On Wednesday evening the Children's Cantata entitled "Sleepy Santa" will be given by over 40 children of the Bible School. This is a most pleasing children's entertainment, far above what one would naturally expect.

On Thursday evening at 7:30 and lasting for one hour, is held the Prayer meeting.

#### First Baptist Church

Morning worship 10:30.  
At this time the pastor will speak upon the question, "What do we mean when we say a person is spiritual?"

Every pupil should be in his place at 12 o'clock so as to become familiar with the Christmas music to be used in our Christmas program. The young people hold their meeting for prayer and conference at 6:30. At the evening preaching service at 7:30 the pastor will take for his text words found in 1 Timothy 6:12.

All are welcome. Come.  
F. W. Ainslie, pastor.

#### Christia Science

325 S. Fannie St.  
Services 10:45.  
Subject: God the Preserver of Man.  
Wednesday meetings, 7:45.  
All are welcome.

#### First Presbyterian Church

The pastor, Rev. P. B. Ferris, will preach on Sabbath morning on the theme "Our Friendly Foe." The quartette choir will sing special musical selections. The Bible school will meet at 12 o'clock. A good old-fashioned Christmas celebration is being planned for the school with Santa Claus, and a Christmas tree. This will take place on Tuesday, Dec. 23.

Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock the boys of the Saginaw convention will hold a service in place of the regular vesper services. A program is being arranged. They have chosen Pros. Atty. T. E. Strom to give a 15 minute talk at this time. Five of the delegates will give talks and the whole service should be most inspiring. No boy of the city and no one, interested in the boys, should miss it. An offering will be taken for the Boys Conference fund to be held in Escanaba early in March.

#### Rev. P. B. Ferris pastor

#### Wells Church

On Sunday evening next the pastor will take for his subject "The Temptation of Jesus." We sometimes read of Jesus being led into the wilderness to be tempted of the Devil, and read it as though it had no relation to our needs whatever.

That the tempter of Jesus is the tempter of mankind today; that the problems we have to face were faced by Jesus long ago, is the opinion of the pastor, and is responsible for the subject being taken this week.

The Sunday school opens at 10:30 a. m. The preaching service at 7 p. m.

#### Alfred Wood, pastor.

**St. Stephen's Episcopal Church.**  
Cor. Ayer and Wocott streets.  
Sunday School at 11:45 a. m.  
Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30.  
You are kindly invited to these services.

#### W. J. Datoon, Rector

**Norwegian Lutheran Church.**  
Corner of Wells avenue and Norris street. Services Sunday morning at 10:30; evening services at 7:30; Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening.  
Rev. O. Dahlager, Pastor.  
E. Lidence, 1511 Wells avenue.

**Swedish Lutheran Church.**  
Corner Mary street and Wells avenue. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 10:30 a. m. Evening services at 7:45 p. m. Luther League, every other Friday evening in the church. Dorcas society, one meeting each month as per announcement. Busy Bees, every other Saturday afternoon as per announcement.  
Rev. C. A. Lund, Pastor.

**Salvation Army.**  
Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8:00 p. m. at Salvatio. Army Hall, No 500 Ludington Street. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Young People's Legion at 6:30 p. m. Salvation meetings at 8:00 p. m. All welcome.

**St. Joseph's Church.**  
Rev. Father Julius, pastor; Rev. Father Marcellin, assistant, Low mass at 8 a. m. High mass at 10 a. m. Vespers and benediction at 3 p. m.

**St. Patrick's Church**  
Sodality Mass, 7:00 a. m.  
Parish Mass and Sermon 8:00 a. m.  
Children's Mass and Instruction 9:15 a. m.  
High Mass and Sermon 10:30 a. m.  
Sodality Conference and Benediction 2:30 p. m.  
Meeting Co. A. 7:30 p. m.  
Meeting Co. B. Monday 7:30 p. m.  
Holy Hour Friday 7:30 p. m.  
Daily Masses 7:15 and 8:00 a. m.  
Rev. F. X. Farth, pastor.  
Rev. Feldhaus, assistant.

**St. Anne's Church.**  
Father Marceau, pastor, Father Blin, assistant. Sunday, Low mass at 8:00 a. m. High mass at 10:00 a. m. Baptism and catechism at 2:00 p. m. Vespers and benediction at 3:00 p. m. Daily mass at 8:00 a. m.

**Swedish M. E. Church.**  
Corner Wells avenue and Fannie street. Regular services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at eight o'clock.  
Wm. Lundin, Pastor.

### AN AERONAUT

By FRED L. YOUNG

When the steamer Orinoko, on her way from Naples to New York, stopped at Gibraltar a man came aboard with a number of boxes, which were marked "Machinery." He was a pleasant spoken, half-fellow-well-met sort of person, who made acquaintance rapidly with the other passengers. He bet freely on the daily run of the ship and if he won opened wine to celebrate his good luck and if he lost opened wine to celebrate the winner's luck. In either case he opened wine. Billy Mickleton, the gentleman referred to, soon became known as the best fellow on the ship.

"What's in all those boxes, Mickleton, you brought aboard with you?" asked a passenger.

"When we approach the Atlantic coast you'll all know. I'm going to make an experiment that will attract the attention of the world."

"Why not tell us now?"  
"I'm under contract with a New York newspaper to keep the secret till the last moment. The paper is to have the exclusive rights of publication."

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### At the Store Ahead

## Jolly Old Santa Claus

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You can see his works on every hand. He it is that prompts you to give for the pure joy of giving that suggests remembrance as an antidote for probble heart aches, that spreads happiness throughout the land.

Christmas would not be Christmas without him—this genial spirit of generosity and thoughtfulness, and here are the very best things he has to offer—useful things that will not soon be cast aside.

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Tool Chests, with tools 50c-\$2.75	Coaster Sled, 3 sizes \$1.00-\$1.75	Drawing Boards, \$1.25 and \$2.25
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Sterling Air Rifles 350 shot \$1.00	Writing Desks 75c to ...\$4.00	"Stoves" of Iron 25c to ...\$3.50
Drums—all sizes 10c to ...\$2.50	Collapsible Go-Carts, 75c to \$2.25	"Trunks", all sizes 75c to \$2.75
Rocking Horses, \$1.50 to \$7.50	Games of all sorts 10c to ... 50c	Dishes, china or tin cets 15c-\$1.50

## The Ed. Erickson Company

Nothing so absorbs people as curiosity, and the Orinoko had not long passed Madeira before everybody was talking about Mickleton and the experiment he was going to make. Some believed it to be a trial trip of a new kind of boat, whose parts were packed in the boxes. Others guessed that he had invented a light submarine to be put in the water when the ship was off Sandy Hook and, moving under water, beat her to her dock. A third crowd guessed that Mickleton intended to be shot out of a mortar from the ship's deck and come down with a patent parachute.

When the ship was 500 miles from port Mickleton secured the permission of the captain to remove the contents of the boxes to the upper deck. When they had been unpacked and carried to the deck Mickleton set to work and put together an aeroplane. The passengers gathered about him to watch, some who knew something about aeroplanes curious to see the machinery put in. But Mickleton waited till they all turned in for the night to do this work, and when they came on deck in the morning they found the aeroplane concealed under a canvas cover.

The captain kindly ordered the ship's carpenter to make a passage for the machine by taking down the stern rails and otherwise render a start possible. When all these things were done and the passengers had nothing to do but wait they crowded around the aeroplane and pilled him with questions. "Is it a new power you're going to test?" "Are you going in ahead of the ship or going to make a transatlantic flight?" "Is it to break a record for speed or for height or for distance?" Mickleton said that it grieved him not to be able to satisfy them, but that he was dependent on the newspaper with which he had made his contract for funds to carry out his experiment and if he let out anything he would forfeit a small fortune. When a man became too persistent Billy opened a bottle of wine.

Fire Island was sighted at 9 o'clock in the morning. At 10 Mickleton was ready for his flight. The last article he put on his machine was a small box. He opened it and showed provisions. From the size of the box it might contain food and drink to last a week. It was evident from this that the flight was to be a long one, and it was the opinion of most of the passengers that Mickleton was intending to make straight across the Atlantic back to Gibraltar. If necessary he would have stopping points at the Azores and Madeira.

Just before starting Mickleton went to the wireless office and sent a message in cipher to a New York newspaper. If any one had any doubts as to the truthfulness of the aeronaut's excuses for not telling his intention this removed them. Leaving the wireless office, he returned to his aeroplane, went under the canvas, made a final inspection of the parts, then removing the cover, got aboard. Sailors on a run pushed him along the deck; he caught the air, hardly striking the water surface, then rose gradually.

The ship was steaming westward along the Long Island coast. The aeroplane, rising, turned toward the land, passed over the eastern end of the island and gradually passed out of sight. The Orinoko reached Sandy Hook about noon, but, being delayed at quarantine, was not docked till the next morning. Every passenger was on deck and eager to read the account of the aeroplane flight, the start of which he had witnessed. Not a single newspaper mentioned it.

Mr. Mickleton passed out of the minds of the passengers of the Orinoko as he had passed out of their sight over Montauk Point and was forgotten. But the time came when they read the newspaper account, which was a very different one from what they had been told about. It reported how the slickest smuggler working between Europe and America, who had long evaded customs officers, had been caught red handed. Among his smuggling devices the article gave an account of his getting a million dollars' worth of diamonds in free of duty by means of an aeroplane from the deck of a liner.

Wheat Disappears.

A really extraordinary disappearance of wheat has taken place, the world over, since last harvest. Preliminary receipts in the United States from July 1 to April 26 exceeded any previous record, aggregating 346,233,000 bushels, or 132,000,000 bushels more than last year; yet the visible supply at the end of the period was only 7,000,000 bushels more than last year.

The world's shipments in the same time aggregated 543,000,000 bushels—this also being the largest on record, and an increase of 108,000,000 bushels over the previous season, also 10,000,000 bushels more than the record exports of two years ago—yet the European visible supply at the end of the movement was 1,500,000 bushels less than a year ago. This shows a greater disappearance of wheat in proportion to the movement than has ever been known. It indicates an enormous consumption; also the necessity of continued large crops to keep supplies anywhere near a normal basis.

Do your Xmas shopping early.

### COUPON

Six of these coupons and ten cents, when presented at the office of The Escanaba Daily Mirror are Good for One Genuine ROGERS SILVER-PLATED SPOON

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1913.

### THE ALGONQUIN

114 N. HARRISON AVE.  
Rates \$1.00 and \$2.50 a day ROOMS WITH BATH  
Telephone 853

### The Oliver Hotel

Miss J. A. Marchant, Prop.  
American Plan Rates \$1.50 Per Day  
ESCANABA, MICHIGAN.  
Do your Xmas shopping early.

George Brown's Office Boy.  
George Brown writes the editorials and attends to the exchange work of a big metropolitan daily newspaper, all of which compels him to read oceans of other papers. It was his habit to send his office boy to the postoffice every day to drag back a tremendous bundle of papers.

One day the boy, who was red-headed and hot-tempered, received his bundle in the corridor of the postoffice, cut the strings and scattered the newspapers in wild confusion all over the floor. After that he ran wild among them, kicking them and slapping them about.

An official of the postoffice called up Brown's office with the purpose of informing him that he had sent a crazy boy to the office and that he had scattered the papers all over the building. Brown was not in when the call was made, but later the official of the postoffice informed him that, when remonstrance was made to the boy, he exclaimed wildly:

"That fool gets too many papers, anyway! I'm onto him. I'm the only person on the newspaper that knows he don't read half of 'em."—Popular Magazine.

F. R. Davenport, Field Superintendent of the Old Line Life Insurance Company of America, is spending several days in the city on business.

### Phelp's "Dollar a Pound" Chocolates

in fancy boxes make an Appreciated Xmas Gift

#### SPECIALS FOR SUNDAY

Strawberry Ice Cream  
Caramel Walnut Fudge  
and Orange Ice

On account of the ever increasing number of families who order our ice cream combinations for Sunday dessert we must request that your order be in by 10 a. m. Sunday.

## Hoyler Baking Company

607 LUDINGTON STREET

### HILL DRUG STORE

Special Sale of Ladies' Watches for the Holidays. Brooches Bracelets, and Rings also. See our line of Gold, Silver, Ivory and Brass Novelties, the latest for Christmas Gifts.



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Music is the one thing that banishes home monotony, care and trouble, and brings amusement, pleasure and refinement. Your children will find sublime pleasure in the study of Music, of Harmony, Melody and Rhythm.

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### Call at Our Store and Inspect

Our line of Pianos and Player-Pianos and prove for yourself what flawless materials, finished skill and close supervision of details can achieve, of some of the greatest Piano manufacturing concerns in the world.

### We Do Not Claim to be the Only House

Selling good goods (no, we only wish there were more of them handling nothing but staple goods), but we do claim our goods superior to anything ever sold around here, at prices much less than inferior goods have been sold for.

### Our Goods Come Direct from the Factories

To us, and are not shipped around from one place to another in some effort to be disposed of, with additional railroad charges added to the price of the instrument before you get it (but direct), in carload lots at prices as low as they can be bought for by anyone.

### ALL WE ASK

Of you is to call at our store and inspect our line. We have the best goods the market affords and all brand new, and at prices which can not be duplicated by anyone.

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## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS THE PEOPLE'S MARKET PLACE

**WANTED—HELP**

**ANTED—Lady Traveler;** for 1914, a beginner; salary commission and expense money. Liberal offer and agreement. **McBrady & Co., Chicago.** 347

**ANTED—Salesman,** for general mercantile trade in Michigan. to sell a proposition of merit. Attractive commission contract for 1914. \$35.00 weekly for expenses. **Miles F. Bixler** Wholesale Jewels, 136-50 Carling Building, Cleveland, Ohio. 347

**ANTED—Salesmen,** \$75.00 per month and all expenses to begin. Experience not absolutely necessary. Send orders from dealers for for cigarettes; Cigars; Snuff; Smoking Chewing tobaccos. **Penn Company, Station 6, New York, N. Y.** 252-407

**ANTED—Men at once to learn the Barber Trade.** Jobs always waiting for wages than you can earn with trade. Tools given. Few weeks complete. Drop a card for particulars. **Moler Barber College, Milwaukee, Wis.** 351

**ANTED—Roomers and boarders at 111 Wells Avenue.** tf.

**ANTED—Suite of modern rooms for light housekeeping.** Inquire phone J. Only two in family. tf.

**FOR RENT—ROOMS**

**FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with or without board.** Inquire of Mrs. Green 211-Rose street. 249.

**FOR RENT—Four room flat with modern conveniences at 210 North Oak Street.** 254-349

**FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms with modern conveniences, suitable for light housekeeping or rooming at 20 North Oak street.** 347

**FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with all modern conveniences; also rooms**

1406 Ludington street. 1329-tf.

**FOR RENT—Warm rooms with or without board.** Apply at 1221 Escanaba Ave. 142-294tf.

**FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at the Addison rooming house,** 308 South Charlotte street. Electric light, bath, every modern convenience. **Mrs. E. A. Valentine, proprietor.** 213-353

**FOR RENT—HOUSES**

**FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms with all modern conveniences, heat included at 915 Wells avenue.** 247-349

**FOR RENT—House with all modern conveniences at 512 South Charlotte street.** Inquire of Judge Yelland. 250-tf.

**FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with all modern conveniences at 314 South Georgia street.** 360

**FOR RENT—Four rooms, suitable for light housekeeping.** All modern conveniences. Inquire at 702 Wells avenue. 347

**FOR RENT—Six room house.** All modern conveniences. 319 North Birch St. Inquire at 900 Ludington street. 347

**FOR RENT—Neat cottage, suitable for small family at North Escanaba corner Merriam and McLain streets, water and electric lights, recently rebuilt throughout, \$10.50 per month.** Inquire of G. F. McEwen. tf.

**FOR RENT—House at 217 North Jennie St. Bath, toilet and lights.** Phone 183-L Gladstone. 211-tf.

**FOR RENT—Modern eight room house with furnace, gas and electricity. One of the best rental homes in the city on Wells avenue.** Inquire at Mirror office. tf.

**FOR RENT—Six room modern house at 1010 Fourth street, \$12.50 per month.** Inquire of Kratzke Bros. 193-tf.

**FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with all modern conveniences; also rooms for light housekeeping.** Inquire at 1406 Ludington street. 1329-tf

**FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms modern conveniences.** Inquire at 906 Hale street. Phone 497-L. 233-tf.

**FOR RENT—One seven room house and one five room house.** All modern conveniences at corner of Hale and Wolcott streets. Inquire Kratzke

brothers. 244-tf.

**FOR SALE.**

**FOR SALE—A coal stove heater in good condition.** Cheap for cash. Inquire of Fred Harris 601 Ogden Ave. 248-351

**FOR SALE—Steel range in good condition.** Sold cheap if taken at once. Call No. 9. 233-tf.

**FOR SALE—A modern new seven room cottage in good location.** Reasonable price on easy terms. Inquire at 702 S. Jennie St. or to office of Arntzen Bros. 148-tf.

**FOR SALE—Owing to leaving the city I offer my property for sale at 1010 Second St. Located one block from Street car line. Full basement and furnace. Gas and electric light, South front, full lot, modern in every way, for full particulars, see me at 903 Ludington St. W. W. Berry. 137-tf.**

**FOR SALE OR RENT—Mercantile building No. 1623 Ludington street.** Terms reasonable. Inquire Joseph Hess at same number. 1399-tf.

**FOUND—Boston bull pup, about six months old.** Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for advertisement. 245-347

**STOLEN**

**STOLEN—A rug was stolen at 323 Rose street, between seven and ten o'clock last night, the party was seen taking it off the lawn by one of the neighbors and if they don't return same they will be reported to the officers.** 253-347

**LOST**

**LOST—A brown collie dog answering to name of "Bob".** Any information would be greatly appreciated, 630 Wells Ave., Phone 229J. tf.

**LOST—One gentleman's grey suede glove on Ludington or Campbell street.** Finder leave at this office or phone 577-L. 198-tf.

**LOST—An old bicycle with tape on hind tyre.** Any information or finder will receive reward. Bolger bicycle shop.

Army guns all over Christendom will soon be longer of barrel, shoot straighter, farther and swifter than ever before. The old ones shot straight, swift and far enough here before to suit the man in front of it.

**Proposals for Grading the Whitefish Hill on the Manistique Trunk Road**

Sealed proposals for grading on the Manistique Trunk from Station 343 to Station 361, a distance of 1800 feet, Delta County, Michigan, will be received by the Board of County Road Commissioners of said County, at the office of the County Clerk, at Escanaba, until 10 a. m. Monday, December 22nd, 1913.

Plans and specifications are on file at the County Clerk's office. A certified check for ten per cent of the must accompany each proposal, and contractor will be required to furnish bonds.

All bids to be marked on the outside "Bid for grading Whitefish Hill." The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Dated, Escanaba, Michigan, November 23th, 1913.

**John A. Semer,**  
Clerk of Board of County Road Commissioners.

**How Brazilians Bag Wild Fowl.**  
From "The Log of a Rolling Stone," by Henry Arthur Broome, comes the following curious mode of bagging wild fowl in Brazil by way of economizing ammunition:

"The expedient is to get hold of a very large pumpkin and, after scooping out the meat and seeds inside, to cut two little eyeholes in it and then place it on the hunter's head. He then wades through the sedge and flags into deeper water up to his neck, where the wild fowl are feeding, who gather that it is merely a pumpkin innocently floating on the surface. The hunter then soon gets into the midst of his quarry and, seizing them by the legs, pulls them quietly under water, where he tucks them under a belt fastened round his waist, and as their companions presume that one unfortunate bird after another is only diving for food the hunter gets a waistful in no time and returns well satisfied to the shore."

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS**

The tax roll for the township of Wells is now in my hands for collection, taxes can be paid at my office at Wells, Mich., any week day between the hours of 8 a. m., and 6 p. m.

**C. W. KATBS, treasurer.** 242-353

There are only seven thousand stars visible to the naked eye, says astronomers. We saw more than that number the first time we put on a pair of skates.

**Light Plant Hums Itself.**  
An automatic electric lighting plant, designed for private house use, is mounted on two cross girders for convenient portability, and comprises an oil engine, dynamo, automatic starting switch and water tank.

The small battery also supplied has a capacity much below that of the lighting plant. The apparatus is so designed that while the battery is charged and not at work the engine is at rest, and it continues at rest while the lamps turned on are being fed sufficiently by the stored current.

But when the battery voltage falls below a certain point the automatic switch sets the machinery in motion. The starting current—quickly cut off by a time-limit circuit breaker—turns the dynamo, and this starts the engine, which runs as long as needed.

When the lessened use of current permits the battery to become sufficiently charged the switch stops the engine.

**Why Youngster Was Mad.**  
"You're a nice little fellow," said the new pastor to the small son of the household where he was making his first call. "Come over here and shake hands and let's get acquainted, won't you?"

"Nope," was the grudging answer. "Won't, either."

"But why not, sonnie?" from the

## IN ONE MINUTE. CLOGGED NOSTRILS OPEN HEAD-COLDS AND CATARRH GO—TRY THIS

**Breathe Freely! Clears Stuffed-up, Inflamed Nose and Head and Stops Catarrhal Discharge. Cures Dull Headache.**

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

Several decades ago there were more than forty million bootjacks in America, and today there is not one. The universal wearing of shoes relegated the bootjack to the woodpile. A few million were hurled at the midnight cat.

**BERRY JEWELRY CO.**  
**Will Close Business on Dec. 25**

It is our intention to give you, from now until we close, an opportunity to realize the full meaning of a closing out sale. Here is something that was never done before. Other jewelers may tell you it can't be done, but we will prove it to you.

*Diamonds and all Gold Jewelry at 10 per cent above cost. All Plated Jewelry at Cost. Hand Painted China, Cut Glass and Plated Silverware at Cost and Below Cost. All Fancy Goods at Cost.*

All Fixtures are For Sale. 2 Safes For Sale. 50 Yards of Linoleum For Sale. Store Room for Rent. All watches and jewelry left for repairs must be called for or will be sold for the price of repairs.

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Lightning is said to differentiate between trees as well as men and women. Some years ago Mr. McNab, a fellow of the Botanical Society of Edinburgh, investigated the generally received opinion that neither the beech nor the birch is ever struck by lightning. He collected information regarding lightning struck trees throughout Great Britain, and found no single instance of either of these species being struck.

People continue to die from reaching for bichloride of mercury tablets in the dark. About the only way to stop this practice, though many have been suggested, is to connect the receptacle of such tablets with a battery sufficiently powerful when the tablet is reached for to make the patient stop and reflect.

William Church Osborne's statement that \$50,000,000 a year can be saved in the distribution of food in New York city suggests that he save it, take a million or so for his own reward and reduce the price of food for the rest of the sum.

The hen is now one of the most important members of the community. Her product may come high, but we must have them, and our complete subjection to her industry makes her justly proud.

FATAL DEFICIT



First Sport—Think Bruisem will ever become a great pugilist? Second Sport—No, he's come first.

John Bright and Queen Victoria. In the "Life of John Bright" the author relates that the great man's first visit to Queen Victoria was an ordeal, but it passed off well. The incident was described in a letter from Lord Granville to Mr. Gladstone in which the writer says: "The beginning of dinner was awful—the queen with a sick headache and shy—Princess Louise whispering unintelligibly in my ear and Lady Clifford shouting ineffectually into the still more impenetrable receptacle of sound belonging to Charles Grey, Bright like a war horse clamping his bit and dying to be at them. At last an allusion to children enabled me to tell Bright to repeat to her majesty his brother's observation. "Where, considering what charming things children were, all the queer old men came from." This amused the queen, and all went on merrily.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Official.

Escanaba, Mich., Dec. 2, 1913. A meeting of the Common Council of the City of Escanaba, was held in the Council Chambers on the above named date.

Present: Mayor Chatfield; Ald. Bittner, Noreus, Cuthbert, Stratton, Sheahan, Swan, Wickert, Fryal, Folio, Smith, Garrity, Strom and Buchholz—13. Absent: Ald. O'Hanley—1.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were approved as read. To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Escanaba.

We, the undersigned residents and taxpayers of the City of Escanaba, respectfully petition your honorable body to repeal ordinance number 178, an ordinance heretofore passed whereby the taxes of said City shall be paid twice a year.

(Signed) Bonander Smith, Judd Yelland, F. J. Van Cleave, L. M. Beggs, A. F. Snyder, A. Baum, John Colbert, Thomas Richer, John H. Gaffney, L. A. Erickson.

And seventy (70) other signers. Ald. Noreus, seconded by Ald. Swan moved that the petition be tabled.

Ayes unanimous. Escanaba, Mich., Nov. 24, 1913. To the Board of Public Works, Escanaba, Mich.

Gentlemen: I was present last Monday when the Street Commissioner removed a cover of the manhole on the sewer at the intersection of Ludington and Campbell Streets.

I was surprised to note that the sewer was flowing the full capacity of the pipe, showing that the sewer is inadequate to take care of the sewage in this part of the city.

The New Delta Hotel will be opened shortly and naturally the sewage from same will greatly increase the congestion of this sewer.

A study of the map of the sewer system of our city shows that the congestion in the Ludington Street sanitary sewer is caused by the water from the Escanaba Manufacturing Company's plant, which could just as well go into the Escanaba Avenue storm sewer.

The map shows that this water comes down Stephenson Avenue and Escanaba Avenue to Georgia Street where it connects to Ludington Street sanitary sewer.

As a suggestion to your Honorable Body, I would consider it policy in order to avoid this congestion to close connections on Georgia Street and connect sanitary sewer on Escanaba Avenue and storm sewer at that point, and lengthen sewer from its present outlet into deep water.

As a taxpayer, I consider this a proposition worthy of recommendation, and sincerely trust your Board will take action on this matter at once to remedy the evil.

Respectfully yours, W. Finnegan. To the Honorable Mayor, O. P. Chatfield, and Members of the Common Council:

Gentlemen: We, the members of the Board of Public Works, believe that the suggestion of Mr. Finnegan relative to connecting the sanitary sewer with the storm-water drain at the intersection of Georgia Street and Escanaba, will not only relieve the sanitary sewer on Ludington Street, but will also give the sewage from the north side of the city a larger outlet, and thereby alleviate the trouble experienced in the past from the Stephenson Avenue sewer.

Therefore, we recommend that the City Engineer and Street Commissioner be directed to make the necessary changes under our supervision.

Respectfully yours, Board of Public Works. By Peter Olson, President. Ald. Smith, seconded by Ald. Folio, moved that the above matter be referred to the Mayor, City Attorney, Board of Health and Sewer Committee.

Motion carried. A communication from T. R. Hasley of Marquette, Mich., offering to prepare a sewer map of the city as required by the State Board of Health, for the sum of \$300.00 was read.

Ald. Noreus, supported by Ald. Swan, moved that the communication be referred to the Finance Committee, City Attorney and the Mayor.

Motion carried. Escanaba, Mich., Dec. 2, 1913. Honorable O. P. Chatfield, Mayor, and Members of the Escanaba City Council:

Gentlemen: We wish to call the attention of your Honorable Body to our Lighting account for the month of October, 1913, amounting to \$609.58 that you approved of and ordered paid, also our Lighting accounts for November, amounting to over \$700.00.

We have been informed by the City Clerk that the City Attorney advises that there being no credit to the Lighting fund, the above accounts should not be paid from the General Fund. This being the case, we respectfully call the attention of your Honorable Body that a fund should be created at once to take care of the Lighting accounts, or money borrowed to pay same, otherwise the finances of our Lighting plants will be seriously crippled.

Ald. Smith, supported by Ald. Pryal, moved that the action of the council relative to the communication of T. R. Hasley of Marquette, Mich., be rescinded.

Motion carried. Ald. Smith, supported by Ald. Stratton, moved that the matter of preparing a sewer map for the State Board of Health be referred to the Finance Committee, Mayor and City Attorney, and if found necessary to file said map with the State Board of Health, that the City Engineer be instructed to draft the same.

Motion carried by the following vote: Ayes—Ald. Bittner, Noreus, Cuthbert, Stratton, Sheahan, Swan, Wickert, Fryal, Folio, Smith, Garrity, Strom and Buchholz—13.

Escanaba, Mich., Dec. 2, 1913. To the Honorable, the Mayor and City Council, City.

Gentlemen: Permit us to call attention to the illustrated Souvenir Edition of the Escanaba Journal, which we are now printing, and which we expect to have completed and circulated before the holidays.

We send herewith a few sample pages which will give you an idea of the high standard of the work on the edition. We shall have from 20 to 30 pages of illustration and descriptive matter of Escanaba, Delta County and the Upper Peninsula, in addition to the many pages of the paid-for pages descriptive of our industries, business houses, etc.

An especially interesting feature of the number will be a full page map of Escanaba as it was in 1851. The Souvenir Edition is being printed on the highest grade of plate book paper and will be bound in heavy sun-bleached covers, making it something that will be of interest and value, and something which every citizen will take pride in showing to his friends.

We shall be pleased to have your honorable body take two pages of space in the edition, at the regular price of \$65.00 a page. On these two pages we should like to print the picture of each member of the council, and also give a write-up of some special matter that will not appear in the regular space devoted to Escanaba.

We know that this Souvenir Edition will be the most meritorious paper descriptive of Escanaba and Delta County that has ever been published, and we believe that the charter and purpose of the edition justified your honorable body in taking two pages of space.

Very respectfully, Escanaba Journal. Ald. Smith, seconded by Ald. Noreus moved that the proposition of the Escanaba Journal be referred to the Finance Committee.

Ayes unanimous. Gladstone, Mich., Nov. 29, 1913. Honorable Mayor and Common Council, Escanaba, Mich.

Gentlemen: We respectfully call your attention to the fact that we have not received the amount we have coming from the City of Escanaba, on the Butcher Creek Drain contract. We have waited long and have tried to be patient, hoping that your Honorable Body would come to a payment in regards to the same.

Is it asking too much of you to have your action on the same at this council meeting? Respectfully requested, Charles E. Nebel & Sons.

Ald. Stratton, supported by Ald. Noreus, moved that the communication be tabled. Escanaba, Mich., Nov. 18, 1913. To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council, City.

Gentlemen: I desire to ask your consent to allow me the services of an assistant in the Treasurer's office, beginning December 15, 1913, to January 15, 1914, to assist in getting out the Tax Roll, and help with the collections. I find it impossible to get out the work alone and to satisfy the public within the short time allowed. The work will be much heavier this year and I am unable to procure assistance out of my salary and therefore ask you to lend me your support in this matter, during the time mentioned above, so that I may give satisfaction to the public as I find the work at this time too heavy to be done in such a short time without assistance.

I trust you will grant this petition. Yours truly, Charles E. Connahan, City Treasurer.

Ald. Garrity, supported by Ald. Smith, moved that the request of the City Treasurer be referred to the Finance Committee.

Motion carried. A communication from the Cash Mercantile Co. claiming \$10.00 for groceries furnished Mrs. Gust Johnson was read.

Ald. Garrity, supported by Ald. Stratton, moved that the communication be referred to the Poor Commissioner.

Motion carried. Escanaba, Mich., Dec. 1, 1913. To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council, City.

Gentlemen: Following is a report of dairy inspections and milk tests made during the month of November: E. Holzgrebe, State Road S. Severson, State Road C. Anderson, 1114 Wells Avenue.

A. Valentine, Charlotte St. Stephenson Milk. Green Bay Milk Co. Emil Johnson, 1818 Wells Ave. Jas. Utt, 618 Murray Ave. Emil Peterson, 1906 Wells Ave. Wm. Flavin, 423 Sarah St. Peter Gardner, 321 So. Fannie St. Adam Gross, 601 Ruth St. Nels Johnson, 314 No. Oak St. Nick Jungles, 208 Frank St. Mrs. A. Shando, 230 Frank St. Gust Anderson, 310 No. Oak St. Ed. Peterson.

Nick Boures, 612 Murray Ave. Mrs. Martin, 613 No. Oak St. Alfred Carlson, 620 Stephenson Ave.

Mr. Roman, 316 Elm St. Of which all were found satisfactory and up to the standard. Dr. Firkus, City Milk Inspector.

Ald. Folio, seconded by Ald. Stratton, moved that the report be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried.

The monthly report of Justice Emil Glaser, Justice C. D. McEwen and Chief of Police, Andrew Iverson, for the month of November, were read.

Ald. Swan, supported by Ald. Cuthbert, moved that the reports be accepted and placed on file. Ayes unanimous.

Ald. Bittner was excused. Escanaba, Mich., Nov. 29, 1913. To the Honorable, the Mayor, and Common Council, City.

Gentlemen: The following is an estimate of work performed by G. Hogan, contractor, on Sanitary Sewer in alley of Blocks ten and eleven (10 & 11) of the Smith-Dunlap Addition, to the City of Escanaba, Mich., to-wit:

28.7 feet of 8 in. pipe at 55c per foot ..... \$15.79 1 Manhole at \$28 ..... 28.00 2 Lamp holes at \$5.00 ..... 10.00 Total estimate ..... \$43.79 All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. E. McDonald, Engineer. Ald. Smith, supported by Ald. Folio, moved that the report be accepted, and the Mayor and Clerk authorized to issue an order for the payment of the said amount.

Motion carried by the following vote: Ayes—Ald. Noreus, Cuthbert, Stratton, Sheahan, Swan, Wickert, Fryal, Folio, Smith, Garrity, Strom and Buchholz—12.

James Powers, Poor Commissioner, submitted his bills for the poor Department, amounting to Three Hundred and Ninety-eight and 10-100 (\$398.10) Dollars, for the month of November.

Ald. Folio, supported by Ald. Smith, moved that the report of the Poor Commissioner be accepted, and the Mayor and Clerk authorized to issue order for the several amounts.

Motion carried by the following vote: Ayes—Ald. Noreus, Cuthbert, Stratton, Sheahan, Swan, Wickert, Fryal, Folio, Smith, Garrity, Strom and Buchholz—12.

PARK BILLS. John Nordin, 11 days at \$2.00. \$22.00 Christ Kuence, 13 hours at \$3.00 3.90 Tim Magher ..... 5.50 Michigan State Telephone Co. .... 7.50 Home Electric Co. .... 44.47 C. A. Johnson ..... 2.11 Coleman Nee ..... 1.00 I. Stephenson Co., Trustees ..... 5.60 Fred LaLonde ..... 44.80 Total ..... \$136.88

Ald. Stratton, supported by Ald. Sheahan, moved that the bills be allowed, and the Mayor and Clerk authorized to issue orders for the payment of the amount.

Motion carried by the following vote: Ayes—Ald. Noreus, Cuthbert, Stratton, Sheahan, Swan, Wickert, Fryal, Folio, Smith, Garrity, Strom and Buchholz—12.

Statement of Bills Against the Carnegie Public Library for the Month Ending November 30, 1913, and Allowed by the Board of Trustees.

Post Publishing Co. .... \$ 13.24 Wagenvoord & Co. .... 43.95

BOOKS Baker & Taylor Co. .... 126.61 C. A. Nichols Co. .... 12.00

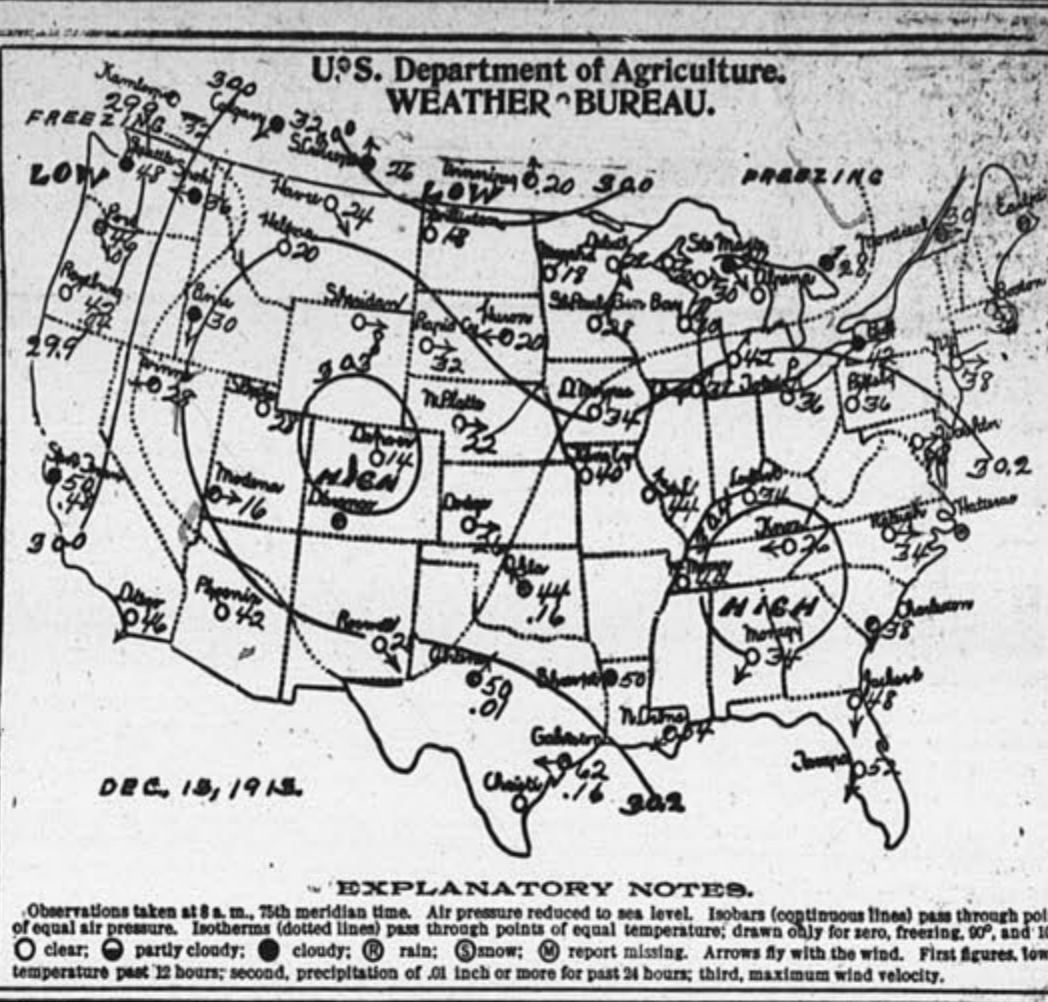
EXPENSES Mike Fleming (Freight and cartage) ..... 3.87 I. Stephenson Co. .... 2.75 American City ..... 2.00

SUPPLIES Hanrahan Brothers ..... 2.00 Salaries ..... 175.00 J. J. COX, President. LURA E. BRUBAKER, Secretary.

Ald. Folio supported by Ald. Stratton, moved that the bills be allowed, and the Mayor and Clerk authorized to issue orders for the payment of the said amounts.

Motion prevailed by the following vote: Ayes—Ald. Noreus, Cuthbert, Stratton, Sheahan, Swan, Wickert, Fryal, Folio, Smith, Garrity, Strom and Buchholz—12.

The following bills audited by the Auditing Committee for the month of November, were read: GENERAL Robert Kirby, Hermansville, Mich., Wood ..... \$ 94.97 A. & J. DeGrand Co. Wood ..... 84.90 Marc Pepin, Wood ..... 24.00 Thomas Richer, Hack hire ..... 3.00 Oscar Erickson, scavenger work ..... 23.50 The City Drug Store, drugs ..... 8.45 Escanaba Hardware Co. Supplies ..... 37 James Powers, Poor Commissioner, attending meetings of the Board of Health ..... 6.00 Andrew Iverson, Chief of Police, attending meetings of the Board of Health ..... 6.00 Dr. A. S. Kitchen, Health Officer, attending meetings of the Board of Health ..... 6.00 Peter Groos, Drugs ..... 8.00 Escanaba Daily Mirror, Council proceedings ..... 28.10 The Mead Drug Co. office supplies ..... 3.50 Farrell & Lohmiller, Fumigators ..... 2.45 Albert J. Pepin, Stamps and express, also \$3.00 cash paid to Johnson & Carlson for repairing table ..... 8.80 Mrs. Martha McDonald, nursing diphtheria patient ..... 9.00



Groos Drug Store, Fumigator and memo, book ..... .75 The Fair Savings Bank, supplies ..... 3.16 Escanaba Journal, Printing ..... 2.70 Finnegan and Galster, Insurance ..... 48.75 L. J. McMartin, rent fourth ward voting place ..... 25.00 Doubleday Bros. Rubber stamps ..... .60 Andrew Iverson, Photographs ..... 4.00

POLICE Victor LaPorte, Tandem attachment ..... 6.00 Geo. McCarthy, special police duty ..... 2.50 Jos. Carney, special duty ..... 2.50 Otto Scheriff, special police duty ..... 2.50 Axel Johnson, meals to prisoners ..... 7.60 Thomas Richer, livery hire ..... 2.00 Escanaba Hardware, Bulbs and batteries ..... 8.95 Escanaba Electric & Garage Co. Presto Light tank ..... .85

STREET John Alton, labor ..... 43.75 Jos. Badger, labor ..... 40.25 Jos. Bernette, labor ..... 35.00 T. Beauchamp, labor ..... 38.50 James Collins, labor ..... 49.20 Erick Nordin, labor ..... 50.00 William Burnham, labor ..... 15.00 C. E. Kuptsen, labor ..... 45.00 Joseph LeFebvre, labor ..... 37.63 Joseph Rousseau, labor ..... 50.00 Aleck Manzier, labor ..... 35.00 E. C. Wickert & Co. horse feed ..... 28.20 A. Baum, supplies ..... 8.20 F. J. Sheedo Co. repairs ..... 1.25 Escanaba Hardware Co. supplies ..... 1.70 V. DeGrand, Lumber Co., lumber ..... 4.84 John Biecher, Stone crushed ..... 261.25 C. E. Kuptsen, repairs ..... 1.75 Delta Hardware Co. supplies ..... 1.15 J. H. Londo, horse shoeing ..... 6.00 Wm. Firkus, drugs ..... 3.25 Z. Chenier, hay ..... 26.92 Geo. Hogan, supplies ..... 13.66

Escanaba Hardware Co. supplies ..... 6.86 Kratze Bros. Molasses ..... .50 C. Maloney & Co. feed ..... 20.00 John Carlson, building sleigh box ..... 4.00 E. C. Wickert & Co. hay ..... 221.58 J. H. Londo, Horse shoeing ..... 6.00 C. E. Knudsen, repairs ..... 2.75 Hansen & Jensen Oil Co. Oil ..... 6.00 J. G. Hanson, painting ..... 9.50 Wm. Firkus, drugs ..... 11.77 Mary Heyman, Laundry ..... 7.95 Mark River Bridge & Culvert SEWER Co. culvert ..... 55.40 Bonander Smith, Inspector ..... 36.00 W. E. McDonald, salary for services as engineer ..... 78.00

Ald. Swan, supported by Ald. Pryal, moved that the bills be allowed, and the Mayor and Clerk authorized to issue orders for the payment of said amounts.

Motion carried by the following vote: Ayes—Ald. Noreus, Cuthbert, Stratton, Sheahan, Swan, Wickert, Fryal, Folio, Smith, Garrity, Strom and Buchholz—12.

The following bills were read: Escanaba, Mich., Dec. 2nd, 1913. Hon. Mayor and Common Council, Escanaba, Mich.

Gentlemen: I hereby propose to furnish fifty (50) cords of four foot dry hardwood for \$4.25 per cord, F. O. B. Escanaba.

Yours truly, CHARLES GUNDERSON, Schaffer, Mich., Nov. 29, 1913 To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council, City.

Gentlemen: I agree to furnish you with two hundred (200) cords of hardwood, four foot long, at \$5.15 per cord F. O. B. Escanaba.

FRANK PUDWIN. Ald. Noreus, supported by Ald. Stratton, moved that the bids be referred to the Purchasing and Finance Committee.

Motion carried. Ald. Smith, seconded by Ald. Stratton, moved that the bills against the Escanaba Lighting Plant, amounting to Five Thousand Five hundred twenty and 63-100 (\$5520.63) dollars for the month of November, be allowed, and the Mayor and Clerk authorized to issue orders for the payment of said amounts.

Motion prevailed by the following vote: Ayes—Ald. Noreus, Cuthbert, Stratton, Sheahan, Swan, Wickert, Fryal, Folio, Smith, Garrity, Strom and Buchholz—12.

Folio, Smith, Garrity, Strom and Buchholz—12. Ald. Folio, supported by Ald. Smith, moved that the Mayor, City Attorney, and a committee of three to be appointed by the Mayor, look up the assessed valuation of the Riparian Land & Lumber Company, and also ascertain the names of the members of said Company.

Motion carried. The Mayor appointed on said committee, Ald. Folio, Sheahan and Buchholz—3.

Ald. Smith, supported by Ald. Sheahan, moved that the meeting adjourn. Motion carried.

A. J. PEPIN, City Clerk. O. P. CHATFIELD, Mayor.

Medical Specialists. What makes a doctor a specialist? Can any physician or surgeon who toady behind him take a course in Harley street or neighborhood and practice as a specialist? He can do so, but it by no means follows that he will be recognized as a specialist by the profession.

To win the professional status of specialist a man must hold or have held a professorship at a medical school or an appointment at a hospital in connection with the disease or group of diseases in which he professes to specialize.

Further, he must conform to certain rules of professional conduct. He must not take a less fee than 1 guinea—2 guineas is the rule in London, and some charge 3 or even more—for a consultation, save in extraordinary circumstances. He must not see a new patient except on the introduction of the patient's own medical man. If called to a case the patient's medical man must be present or the specialist will decline to see the sufferer.—London Tatler.

Use the Want Ads to find lost articles—for any honest finder will look for your ad. Do your Xmas shopping early.

VANDERBILT HAS WISE GR

Possesses Sure Way of Telling Whose Riches Are Newly Acquired.

Newport, as all the world know getting more and more overrun the nouveaux riches. The nouveaux riches are buying up the finest estates, and the old and exclusive port families are retiring to mortared resorts. Alfred G. Vanderbilt, at one of dinners at his luxurious New farm, said of a nouveau riche was assuming an extraordinary dash for all things common plebeian: "This chap's way of turning up nose reminds me of a groom of who used to say: "Keep your eye on what a man up his nose at, and you'll know he's been raised on."

Novel Church.

Without sectarian ideas or doctrinal teaching, a gospel meeting held all the summer months in unique Boardwalk church at Atlantic City. This year—the fifth of church's existence—services are conducted each Lord's day morning the Bijou theater—a room used for moving pictures. The Rev. R. Elwood is the founder and pastor is a church without a choir, office single member and without a constitution. The business men of Atlantic City, as well as the vic think it worth while, and maintain gospel light-house by the sea. Ninety per cent. of the audience is new Sunday. Persons gladly turn in the boardwalk at the call for worship. The audience is reverent, though metropolitan. One Sunday morning a test was made every civilized try was represented in the large congregation, as well as most of states of the Union—Christian aid.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

A. L. LAING, M. D. C. M. Practice Confined to Surgery and

Diseases of Women. Office over Groos' Drug Store, Ludington street.

Office hours from 1 to 3 and 7 to 8 p. m. except Sundays. Consultation hours at Laing Hospital, 806 South Mary street, from 9 to 12 a. m. every day including Sundays.

DR. W. B. BOYCE Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist

GLASSES FITTED Office hours: 9 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 p. m. 1015 Ludington St., Escanaba, Mich.

DR. LOUIS KRATZE PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

Office hours: 1 to 3 and 7 to 8:30 p. m. Phone 824. Office over West End Drug Store

Dr. A. J. Connelly DENTIST

Office over Young & Fillions Store Hours 9 to 12 a. m., 1:30 to 4:30 and 7 to 8 p. m. Phone No. 874.

Watch the Want Ads when you want work—for many employers make urgent calls thru them.

DR. C. M. CUTHBERT DENTIST

Phone 35-L. Masonic ESCANABA, MICH.

DR. R. E. HODSON Over Old Postoffice. Bell Phone and 471-J. Hours: 9 to 12 a. m.

to 4:30 and 7 to 8 p. m. ESCANABA, MICH.

DR. WM. FRASER DENTIST

Over State Savings Bank Building, Escanaba, Michigan.

DR. GEORGE BAETLE Over Finnegan's Drug Store

NORTH ESCANABA, MICH.

Wm. H. Winge FOQT SPECIALIST

Graduate Chiroprast and Podiatrist 12 Years Practice. Med. Dept. Army. Corns, etc., removed quickly. No pain, infection or inconvenience at "THE ANNEX" BARBER SHOP 709 Ludington St. Office hours: 11:30 a. m. 1 to 5:30 and 7 to 9 p. m. Other hours and residence calls by appointment

The House of Features **BIJOU** The House of Features

**TO-DAY ONLY**

**"A WOMAN SCORNED"**  
2 Reel Great Northern Feature

**"A Vegetarian's Dream"**  
**"BILLY AND THE BURGLAR"**

**"A Pawnee Romance"**  
A Big Comedy

**5 Reels—A Feature Every Day—5 Reels**

ADMISSION : : : : 10 Cents

### POOR COMMISSIONER HAS CITY POOR LIST

James Powers Has Compiled List for the Woman's Club

Poor Commissioner James Powers stated to a representative of The Mirror yesterday that he had compiled a list of the dependent poor of the county and city and that he would gladly furnish the list to any member of the Committee of the Woman's Club that has charge of the distribution of Christmas bounties to the poor of this

city. Mr. Powers has been asked by Superintendent of Schools F. E. King to superintend the delivery of the Christmas baskets filled by the school children. Mr. Powers has consented and will see that the baskets are hauled from the various school buildings to the Salvation Army hall from which point they will be distributed. A city team will be used in the hauling.

Isadore Miller the local representative for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company and Dr. O. B. Lambert the examining physician, left for Detroit, where they will attend a convention on Monday, Dec. 15.

### RESOLUTION OF RESPECT

WHEREAS, The great and supreme Ruler of the universe has in His infinite wisdom removed from among us one of our worthy and esteemed fellow-laborers, Sever B. Jensen; and, Whereas, the long and intimate relation held with him in the faithful discharge of his duties in this Union makes it eminently befitting that we record our appreciation of him; therefore,

RESOLVED, That the wisdom and ability which he has exercised in the aid of our organization by service, contributions, and counsel, will be held in grateful remembrance;

RESOLVED, That the sudden removal of such a life from among our midst leaves a vacancy and a shadow that will be deeply realized by all the members and friends of this organization, and will prove a serious loss to the community and the public.

RESOLVED, That with deep sympathy with the bereaved relatives of the deceased we express our hope that even so great a loss to us all may be overruled for good by Him who doeth all things well.

Cigar Makers Union of America, Local No. 288.  
WALTER LIPPOLD,  
Fil. & Cor. Sec.

Do your Xmas shopping early.

### NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Escanaba, Michigan, for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before it, will be held at its banking house in the city of Escanaba, on Tuesday, January 13, 1914, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 4 p. m.

LESLIE FRENCH, Cashier.  
347-354-361-310

Mrs. A. E. Willman of Negaunee returned to her home today after a week's visit in the city with friends and relatives.

### LOCAL BREVITIES

Edgar Leuson, of Menominee, who recently has his foot amputated at the Francis Hospital, is greatly improved.

John Fosterling, who submitted to operation for appendicitis at the Francis hospital two weeks ago, has been removed to his home on North Georgia Street.

Fresh milk from the country delivered daily by James Ferguson, 618 Stephenson avenue. Phone 665-J. 255-352

Henry Almonroder and son have returned from a visit with friends and relatives at Milwaukee and Janesville.

Mrs. A. M. Snyder and Mrs. C. E. Snyder left for their homes at Oshtemo, having spent the past few days in the city.

ORDER YOUR CHRISTMAS VICTROLA NOW AT GRINNELL BROS. 218-356

Mrs. Martin Rood of Bark River spent the day in the city on a shopping trip.

Miss Florence Heaton is visiting at Marinette over Sunday.

Mrs. Frasen returned to her home at Bark River after a few days spent in the city.

Mallette left last evening for a business trip to Chicago.

ORDER YOUR CHRISTMAS VICTROLA NOW AT GRINNELL BROS. 218-356

Mrs. Henderson of Bark River was in the city today.

Art Garry of Green Bay left for his home this morning, following a visit to the city with Mrs. W. B. Walker.

Miss Josie Tesch left for her home at Oshtemo this morning, after a brief visit in the city.

Wash clothes made to look like new at the Panatorium, 420 Ludington Street. Cleaning, pressing and repairing. Phone 250-J. 610-tf.

Miss Agnes Burke of Shafter is visiting at her home in the city over Sunday.

Mrs. E. J. Kirkpatrick and daughter and grand daughter, Miss Olive Martin left this morning for a visit at Green Bay and Chippewa Falls.

Miss Winifred Harvey left last evening for Milwaukee, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. W. J. Hodson.

M. Leuson of Menominee returned to her home last evening, having been in the city to visit with her mother who is ill at St. Francis hospital. Miss Anna Abenstein left for a several days visit at Milwaukee last evening.

Miss C. Bonifant of Garden, was in the city last evening between trains, enroute to Watersmeet, where she will visit with relatives.

The Misses Ruth and Hazel Hayward of Lathrop arrived in the city last night for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Wade.

Mrs. Esther Pallon and Mrs. K. Cripe of Oshtemo, Mich., were in the city yesterday and left last evening for a visit with relatives at Fort Wayne, Ind.

Mrs. T. J. Curran returned this morning from a visit at Lathrop.

Miss Eva Sturgeon has returned from Vancouver, and will visit with her mother in the city, over the holidays.

Miss Rose Sederlund left this morning for a short visit at Fond du Lac.

Miss Rose Miller is visiting at Marinette over Sunday.

Miss Belle Craig spent the day with friends at Marinette.

Mrs. August Ahlin of Bark River was in the city today.

Mrs. Jack Johnston of Green Bay arrived in the city last evening for a visit at the home of Mrs. M. Brown, Murray Avenue.

Adolph Wickland, who has been ill at his home on North Mary street, is greatly improved.

R. R. Kimball returned last evening from a business trip through northern Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Burr and son have returned to Duluth after a month's visit at the home of W. E. Gosnell of South Oak street and with other friends in the city.

Miss Anna Nelson of Sweden arrived in the city last evening for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. Smith.

Mrs. J. J. Cox has returned to her home in the city from a visit at Milwaukee and Baraboo.

Miss Clara Wickert, a teacher employed in the local public schools, is ill at her home on South Jennie Street with typhoid fever.

### NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS

On the 15th of this month I am going to leave for Florida where I will spend the winter. Before I go I would like to have all my accounts settled. If you are indebted to me please come in and pay your bill and if you have an account against me bring it in and get your money.

Herman Bittner.  
234-347

### W. THURTELL

The Well Known Optometrist is now in Escanaba at 905 Wells Ave., ready to serve the public by a thorough and up to date method of testing the eyes and furnishing glasses to correct all refractive errors. Tel. 16L for private calls. All work guaranteed. 217-tf.

# Most Ideal Xmas Gifts

To be Had in Our FURNITURE SECTION

Our display is now at its best. We are prepared to meet every need for useful, practical gifts. We have chosen our stock with the greatest care, selecting choicest and most attractive merchandise.

A visit to our Furniture Section (third floor) will do much toward solving your problem of "what to give." With every article purchased here, you have that positive assurance of quality and value which have been associated with this store for the past fifteen years. You take no chances whatever here, no matter what you buy, you can depend on it being right in both quality and price.

### SPECIAL VALUES



Everyone Makes Acceptable Gifts--Buy Now

**Fine Rockers**  
\$6.40 fumed oak rockers with upholstered seats, now only **4.90**

**Fine Rockers**  
\$15.50 Early English Rockers, Leather with upholstered loose cushions, only **12.00**

**Fine Rockers**  
\$19.00 Mahogany Rockers, Seats and back, upholstered, fine grade tapestry **15.50**

**Parlor Tables**  
\$8.25 Mahogany Parlor Tables 24x24 inch top, pedestal base—only **5.95**



Here we list a few of the many articles of practical Christmas Gifts

At every price they are the best possible values. You cannot make a mistake selecting gifts from this line.

- Ladies' Sewing Rockers from \$1.65 to **\$4.25**
- Children's Large Arm Rockers from 75c to **\$3.00**
- Large Arm Rockers in golden oak from \$2.75 to **\$6.00**
- Fumed Oak Rockers, plain seats from \$4.50 to **\$6.75**
- High back, wood seat diners, per set, from \$5.40 to **\$16.00**
- Golden Oak Library Tables, now from \$8.00 to **\$24.00**
- Fumed oak Cadillac Desk Library Tables from \$14.50 to **\$27.00**
- Pedestals, oak and mahogany, new styles, from \$3.25 to **\$14.00**
- Quarter sawed oak Buffets, highly polished from \$23.00 to **\$40.00**
- Dressers, solid oak, very fine from \$14.00 to **\$27.00**
- Mahogany Dressers, all big values from \$18.75 to **\$65.00**
- Newest Idea Kitchen Cabinets from \$7.50 to **\$36.75**
- Beautiful line Framed Pictures from 25c to **\$6.50**
- Full line Bissell's Carpet Sweepers at \$2.50 to **\$5.00**
- Folding Card Tables, best on the market at \$1.75 to **\$9.00**
- Big line genuine Brass Beds at \$15.50 **\$38.00**
- Felt Mattresses, full line, big values at \$9.00 to **\$20.00**
- The world famous O' Cedar Mops, here at 75c to **\$1.50**

### SPECIAL VALUES



They All Make Suitable Gifts for Someone

**Writing Desks**  
\$8.75 Ladies Fumed Oak Writing Desks, now marked special at **6.95**

**Sewing Basket**  
\$14.75 Mahogany Ladies Sewing Baskets, now reduced to only **9.95**

**Oak Davenport**  
\$55.00 Fumed Oak Davenports—upholstered Spanish Leather, now **35.00**

**Shirtwaist Box**  
\$3.50 Shirt Waist Boxes—This one makes a fine gift—now reduced to **2.29**

### Gift Suggestions

Children's Chairs and Rockers, painted Red and striped, prices at 19c, 23c, 29c and **33c**

Quartersawed oak Rockers—upholstered in best quality leather, big values at \$7.65 to **18.00**

Fumed Quartersawed Oak Rockers—upholstered Spanish leather special values at \$5.50 to **30.00**

Make Selections Now While Lines Are Complete-- Will Deliver Goods Any Time You Say



## Here's a Gift the Men Will Like "PRANA" Carbonic Syphon

Makes Sodawater Right in Your Home

For any aerated or mineralized water. Ordinary syphon heads cannot be removed for cleaning the bottle during refilling. You have to remove the head of a Carbonic Syphon before you can fill the bottle. With this syphon you can make all kinds of fancy drinks, Ice Cream Soda, Iced Teas, all Mineral Waters and sweet flavored drinks and still wines sparkling.

Price, \$3.50

**Ellsworth's Drug Store**  
701 Ludington Street

### Gift Suggestions

Fumed Oak Dining room chairs, seats upholstered in Spanish leather per set of 6 from \$18.75 to **38.00**

Quartersawed Golden Oak Dining room Chairs, highly polished box seat—Upholstered black leather per set \$18.00 to **28.00**

Round Dining room Tables—Pedestal Base, quartered oak—special values from \$17.00 to **45.00**

# ROYAL Baking Powder

Absolutely Pure

The standard Baking Powder of the World for purity and strength. It always makes wholesome food. The official reports show Royal Baking Powder highest in strength, purest in quality, most economical in use. For making pure, wholesome and palatable food, the great superiority of the Royal Baking Powder over every other leavening agent is indisputably established.

OFFICIAL FORECAST

Escanaba, Dec. 15, 1913.  
For Escanaba and vicinity:  
Fair tonight and Sunday.  
Observations taken at 7:00 a. m.

Highest	Lowest	Precip.
Temp.	Temp.	itation
yester-	last	last
day	night	24 hrs.
Escanaba . . . . . 45	30	0
Green Bay . . . . . 48	30	0
Houghton . . . . . —	28	0
Marquette . . . . . 48	34	0

Temperatures at even hours this date.

2 a. m.	8 a. m.
33	25
4 a. m.	10 a. m.
32	34
6 a. m.	12 m.
31	39

Temperatures at even hours one year ago this date.

2 a. m.	8 a. m.
15	17
4 a. m.	10 a. m.
17	19
6 a. m.	12 m.
18	22

Precipitation one year ago this date 0 inches.

"Santa Claus Banks Here"

## CHRISTMAS TWO Weeks Away

The "deciding days" of December are here again. The merchants of Escanaba have anticipated your wants,—their stocks bigger, better, brighter than ever before. In choosing appropriate gifts this year follow the rule:—modestly within your means, buy sensibly,—if you would give greatest pleasure to those whom you cherish as true friends. Be generous,—that is the true Christmas spirit. But remember,—extravagance is waste, not generosity. Your CHECK ACCOUNT with this bank will be useful before Christmas,—the week after and every day of the year ahead. Be your Christmas shopping right by making arrangements to pay all purchases with checks on this bank.

### First National Bank

ESCANABA, MICH.  
United States Depository

Capital \$100,000.00      Earned Surplus \$100,000.00

OLDEST, LARGEST AND STRONGEST BANK IN DELTA CO.

### KRUEL BROTHERS SHOW "WHAT'S IN A NAME"

Arraigned for Smashing Spitoon Over Head of Fellow Countryman

Had the Immortal Bard been present at the hearing of Nick and Julius Kruel before Judge McEwen this morning he would have been convinced that there is no need of altering that line "What's in a name?" The Kruel brothers were arrested on a charge of assault and battery on complaint of Mike Lubo. One of the brothers, Lubo maintained, had ruined a first class brass spitoon by bringing it down on top of his head, tearing away a piece of his scalp. Lubo was otherwise badly beaten up and his testimony was directly contradictory to Shakespeare's poetry. Both men were found guilty and were fined \$10 and costs each, the costs amounting to \$5.95 in each instance.

Remember the CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS CANTATA TO BE HELD AT The First M. E. Church, Wed. Eve., Dec. ADMISSION 25c Parents are urged to be present

### TRAPPED TEN BEAVER

Peter Paquette Has Ten Hides Canceled at the County Clerk's Office

Peter Paquette of Cornell has started out this season to maintain his supremacy as the champion trapper in this section. Paquette's ten fine beaver hides canceled county clerk's office. Last Paquette trapped the limit of together with many other fur animals. Miss Mary Lusardi of spent the day in the city on a shopping trip.

Mrs. Joseph Frasseau and Mrs. Joseph Miner of Brampton left for their home this afternoon, having spent the past few days in the city. Mrs. Frank Richards of Brampton was in Escanaba today. Miss Margaret Heaton of Maple Ridge was in the city today on a shopping trip. FOUND—Set of pocket tools. Owner may have same by calling at the Mirror office for his property and paying for this advertisement. 257-350

### CHILDREN SMOKING CIGARETTES

The police of the city should make an occasional visit to the North Western passenger station. This morning a half dozen boys were sitting in the men's waiting room, all smoking cigarettes. They ranged in age from about twelve to sixteen. Where they are getting their cigarettes might be a nice problem for the police to solve. Mrs. S. J. Spargo and son Samuel are spending a few days at Swansey.

### CITY NEWS.

Don't fail to attend the children's Christmas Cantata at M. E. church Wednesday evening, December 17. 258-351

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### JOHN LAVALLE IS DEAD

Schaffer Farmer Died Yesterday Morning at the Home of His Son

John Lavalle died yesterday at the home of his son Henry, near Schaffer, of apoplexy. The deceased had been ailing for some time but his death came unexpectedly. The deceased was seventy years of age and had made his home with his son the past eleven years. He is survived by his wife and several children. Funeral services will be held Monday morning in the Sacred Heart church at Schaffer. Mrs. John C. Watson left for Lansing today, where she will spend a few days. Miss Lempi Blake of Maple Ridge spent the day in the city. Mrs. E. J. Bergman, Mrs. J. H. Boyle, Mrs. J. Frechette and Mrs. W. A. Herbert of Bark River motored to Escanaba yesterday in the Bergman auto. Rev. P. E. Ferris left this morning for Iron Mountain to attend a called meeting of the Lake Superior Presbytery.

### BURDENS LIFTED

From Escanaba Backs—Relief Proved by Lapse of Time.

Backache is a heavy burden; Nervousness, dizziness, headache. Rheumatic pain; urinary ills; All wear one out. Often effects of kidney weakness. No use to cure the symptoms, Relief is but temporary if the cause remains. If it's the kidneys, cure the cause. Doan's Kidney Pills are for kidney ills; Read about your neighbor's case. Here's Escanaba testimony. The kind that can be investigated. J. H. Carroll, 207 S. Jennie St., Escanaba, Mich., says: "Some years ago I was troubled by too frequent passages of the kidney secretions, and a dull pain in the small of my back. I felt weak at times and I didn't rest well. Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills, I decided to try them. Several boxes freed me from kidney complaint, and I now feel better in every way. I am pleased to confirm the statement I gave some time ago, publicly recommending Doan's Kidney Pills." If your back aches—if your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mr. Carroll had—the remedy backed by home testimony. 50c all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

### FUNERAL OF JOHN RENO

Funeral services over the body of John Reno were held this morning at nine o'clock in the Holy Family church at Flat Rock, Father Beauchaine officiating. Burial was made in the Flat Rock cemetery.

### FOLLEN HAD TRAVELED FAR

Over Nearly Four Hundred Miles It Made Its Way to Fertilize Similar Tree.

In Paris dwells a man interested in rare and exotic plants, says the Christian Herald. A friend who had been in the Amazon brought him home a rare tree. In the winter he keeps it at the hothouse, but when summer comes he carries it into his garden. So beautiful is the bloom that he gave garden parties that men might behold the wondrous flower. One summer's day he noticed a strange thing that set his pulses throbbing—a singular fruit had begun to set. Sending for an expert, they took counsel together. They knew that this was the only tree of the kind in Paris, and they could not understand from whence had come the pollen that had fertilized the plant. At length they published the story in the papers, and that story brought the explanation. A merchant wrote that years before he had brought to Marseilles a young plant from the Amazon. The pollen of that tree, nearly four hundred miles away, had been carried on the wings of the wind over hill and vale and found out the blossom that awaited its coming.

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