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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

SONS OF VETERANS.

W. E. Clarke Chap. No. 202 meets in regular session every other Wed. eve. at 8 V. H. Hall. Visiting brothers and A. R. members always welcome.

WILLIAM SMITH, Capt. Even the Democratic convention of New York: "Let the nation alone."

Cut Flowers for sale at the residence of MILLAN ROSE.

Governor Bismarck Lieutenant Governor Besow were nominated at the Iowa democratic convention on a platform declaring for local option.

For Sale or Rent. Building for sale or rent at the first of May next; centrally located between the American and Commercial Hotels. For further particulars inquire of C. H. Egan, or at this office.

The World's Fair. Are those who see the Exposition and purify the blood, make the skin clear and note its wonderful beauties. Try a bottle and you will be convinced. Sold by all druggists by City and Western-Drug Stores. Every bottle guaranteed.

Congression would only stop to think that not one man in ten thousand ever reads the Congressional Record, how quick it would be to expel the business of the session.

Those Wonderful Tablets in Town. It was said to see them in the city and West. For more information see the Little Blue Pills. Every bottle guaranteed.

The largest snow ever seen of Cape Horn, between latitude fifty degrees south and longitude 105 degrees west, rising to forty-six feet in height, and 700 feet long from east to west.

Miss Payne, residing on Elk street has opened her new parlors, the same as last year. Call the telephone number of the original Standard saloon.

A Little Theater. On your feet will give their day and make your teeth drop. See the new feature. The cause of trouble. This favorite tooth wash is sold by City and West side Drug Stores.

Settle up. Dr. A. F. Birkhoff must have a settlement with all who are indebted to him at once. Do not fail to attend to this matter promptly.

A. B. C. Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption result from a neglected cough or cold. Don't neglect but cure promptly with the famous Cherry Cough Syrup. Sold by all druggists.

"Any way to earn an honest penny" is the motto of many people, but it finds no response from the dishonest. In every smoker's mouth. Buy Her Cigars. Ask for them.

A Puzzle. To many ladies to have their hair cut on rainy days. The solution is simple. An Oil and West side Drug Stores for sale.

Professional Cards. In professional business were called down in proportion with the number of workmen during this financial flurry there would be a hard time to get down to business in order to remove the pressure.

Here's Your Chance. If you desire to buy one of the finest two story houses in Manistique which is located on Walnut street, west side, three minutes walk from the Court House. This elegant residence is finished in first-class style and contains seven large well lighted rooms, good cellar, bath, and a handsome kitchen. For further particulars apply at this office.

The Deacon of Devaler. Inasmuch as his twin brother Devaler is the offspring of a disgraced stomach, confidence is found in Devaler's Handkerchiefs. Sold by all druggists.

An eastern paper says that "twenty of the fifty veterans of Baltimore whom Hoke Smith has deprived of their pensions will have to be sent to the poor house." This gives Hoke a chance to get in a stunning rejoinder by saying that the other thirty don't have to go there.

Wanted. A teacher for school at Thompson must have 1st or 2nd grade certificate. Term nine months, to commence in September. Make teacher preferred. Apply to School Board, Thompson, Mich.

A special examination for the desiring teacher's certificates will be held in the court house, September 8th and 9th. COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Sons of Veterans. The officers upon every member of the camp to be in attendance at the regular meeting on Wednesday night of next week. Business of the convention claims attention. Bring when duty calls, and that is the word now.

"I've had some experience with cattle," said a sportsman, "and several times I have no fear of them now. I find that when a bull disputes your rights or begins to paw and get his hind up, you can always drive him away by getting the biggest stone you can handle and letting him have it in the ribs or on the head; you will be prompt about it and it won't want for him to charge."

PERSONAL PENCILINGS.

Edwin Cookson was caller Thursday. F. G. Dodge was in from his farm yesterday.

Little "Joey" Rogers now drives his own team—a goat.

George Stewart has moved from Gould City to Kennedy.

Rev. Mr. Collins, S. S. Missionary, was in the city yesterday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Roberg, on Wednesday night a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Putnam spent last Sunday at Charlevoix.

Lusky Carey, of Escanaba, was in the city a few hours yesterday.

D. W. Thompson will take the school census in this district next week.

John Godkins came up from his mill and spent Thursday night in the city.

Mrs. Bennett and her daughter Edith, of Thompson, left on the Plow for Detroit.

A valet arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Olson on Thursday morning.

Miss Edith Orr will soon leave for Hancock, where she has been engaged to teach school.

A lawyer in business yesterday morning on a mission trip to Detroit.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Martin P. Gustafson died on Wednesday last. Funeral next day.

R. M. Christie, President of the Furrow Company, and Mr. Matland, of Ngram, arrived Thursday.

An eleven pound girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bledy yesterday afternoon, at Gulfport.

Louis Myers brought down a load of potatoes yesterday and reports a fair crop in his neighborhood.

Mrs. M. A. Fox left this morning for Canada; called there by the severe illness of her daughter, Mrs. John McGregor.

Miss Nettie Stefanson, who was a compositor in the Scandinavian paper at Escanaba, returned home the fore part of the week.

Mrs. E. J. Lewis left yesterday for Chicago to purchase goods for millinery store, see the fair and her many friends in that part of the great west.

The Misses Gertrude, Mattie and Grace McDonald, of the state of New York, arrived on the Bull to visit the family of Mr. W. H. Hild.

Mrs. E. W. Brown, left yesterday morning for North Star, Heron county, where Mr. and Mrs. B. will remain through the winter. The father resides there and is quite sick.

Prof. Lag, of Gardin, was a caller yesterday. He was on his way to Sault Ste. Marie to take charge of the "Pencilings" in this region on Monday next. The Professor will continue in charge of the Gardin schools and her year. He has the reputation of being one of our best educators.

Married on Tuesday, Aug. 22, by Rev. A. Paulin, at Gardin, Mr. Ed. Charrier and Miss Adrien La Francis. There were a large number of persons present, and the two couples were well provided with occupants, several were very popular here and all wish them long and happy lives.

Next Monday evening our friends Dr. C. E. Rosen and Mrs. Emory will be invited in marriage in the city of Grand Rapids. Their many friends here will speak with gladness over this event that is to take place in the lives of these two members of Manistique Society, and will be glad to welcome them home at any time.

Mr. B. S. Trombly was a caller Wednesday afternoon. He is agent for the Harper's Publications, and entertained us with a glance over their war volume. Many of the engravings represented quiet scenes of quiet life that were in those days quite familiar with. That publication will grow even more valuable as time wears on. Thanks for Mr. T.'s call.

The Bull arrived early Thursday morning. Among the passengers, not only the usual number of men, but also Mr. A. Weston and Rev. A. Frederick, of Painted Post, N. Y.; Mrs. Leonard; Miss L. A. Rhodes; Miss Belle Baden; Mrs. N. H. Garner and two children; Miss Francis, Garner; Messrs. Lewis and Ole Carpenter, Fanny Bloomfield and another, whose names neither the Captain or our reporter could procure.

Married at the Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening last by the Rev. J. M. Rogers, Dr. Frank Rainie, and Miss Mae Hogneman, both well known residents of the city. There were a large number of invited guests present. The Dr. and Mrs. Rainie took the evening train for the west and will return here next month and will be given in their new residence on River street on the evening of the 20th. The Prospects extend to their best wishes.

Referring to the above item, party here is invited to "Foot the Bull" and if the bull named will send the chicken promised all will be forgiven.

TOWN AND COUNTRY.

For good butter go to W. L. store. There are times that call for strict economy.

A large docket in prospect for the next term of court.

Our reporter finds business very quiet at the court house.

Plasterers and brick builders are kept unusually busy.

Several more weddings in prospect before the winter sets in.

The shelves and counters are being put in the Ryan building.

Furniture stores are doing a fair business covering the city.

The Bull and horses will probably have for Tonawanda to-day.

Several more have broke camp at the lake and returned to town.

Buy and build while Ashford is selling lots on the last allotment plan.

Oak street needs grading and covering for the Oakland addition.

Next week many of the teachers are expected to put in an appearance.

The mills at Thompson and South Manistique are kept going steadily.

Now is the season for making contracts for the winter supply of wood.

The front of the Blumerson block will be built of very nice pressed brick.

The blow Wednesday prevented the Hurp from going out on her regular trip.

Brown and kept very busy at his mill tailoring establishment on Oak street.

Manistique's social circles are but dimly attended through the summer season.

Doctors always have calls, but just now there are hardly enough to go around.

The calls for room No. 1, Blumerson block, are up to receive the upper part.

And weather is a gentle reminder that out-door work ought to be ceased of a long.

The three Oak street hotels appear to be well patronized at this season of the year.

Over 600 have paid their poll-tax, and the marshal is still after the delinquents.

We hope high school district will send us the names of their newly elected officers.

The young people are completing their arrangements to attend school this winter.

People talk more encouragingly about business prospects than they did last week ago.

Messrs. Larsen & Smith began the carpenter work on German's residence Thursday morning.

Wood dropped on the streets is a bad thing to run over. There is an ordinance against such carelessness.

The man that knows that he does not owe the printer takes an interest in the "dime" so thoroughly published.

The heavy rain Thursday night left the air quite cool yesterday and warm waters were not at all uncomfortable.

Several more new buildings in prospect yet this fall. In that line Manistique is making a fair record this season.

The Vassar depot line saves several hours in getting the Prospects to Montreal instead of waiting for the mail.

Remember the confirmation services to-morrow at the Scandinavian Lutheran church. English speaking people invited.

Business moves along as usual and no one talks of a "cash down," as that appears to be a matter for future consideration.

Book agents always have just the books we want; but then we don't invest, simply because we are just out of the "muddle."

Since the cautious man began to take his money out of the bank and hide it in his sock, the burglar industry has largely increased.

Schuman & Horwitz continue to sell nice suits, all wool, complete and warranted to fit and wear well, for \$25.00. That is they defy competition.

Traveling troupes are attracting pretty fair interest upon peninsula towns this season; especially since money matters have become rather demoralized.

In time Manistique will have good streets. No better material can be got than the stone we have laid and when the work is done it will wear for many years.

The fair part of the week one boy was up before the justice for whipping another boy and liquidated the claim upon the payment of \$2.00. Bad practice even for full grown men.

Confirmation Services.

There will be three persons confirmed at the Scandinavian Lutheran church on tomorrow morning. Services begin at 10:30, Catechism and the principal part of the discourse in English. All are invited to attend. Preaching services and communion services evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Baptist Church will meet at the church hall Wednesday afternoon. All members are requested to be present.

The meetings of the Musical Society will be discontinued for the present until a suitable place for rehearsal can be secured. The society has some debts which must be paid, and all members who are in arrears for dues or music are requested to hand the amount of their indebtedness to the Treasurer at once.

F. H. THOMPSON, Sec. The Manciveness of Thompson will be invited to attend a Review here some time next month.

While you are engaged in gossip about some editor the general public remain satisfied.

The coal-belt nuisance is being abated by the annoyed citizens removing and hiding the bells. Don't blame them.

School meeting one week from next Monday. Now don't talk afterwards that you didn't know when it was to be held.

Bring on your job work now before our regular fall orders begin to come in. Now we have time to do it then we may not.

The M. E. Conference meets next month and many are the rumors as to who will sell here to take the place of S. Polkholm?

Bicycles should be supplied with lights at night. This would prevent to a great extent the danger of being run into, or running into others.

The rain Thursday evening prevented many from attending the lecture by Dr. J. Nelson Lewis, at the Presbyterian church. Those who did attend report the lecture as being very interesting.

One week more and the schools will open here. They should be attended by every person of school age in the village, and if they are not, some penalty should be appointed to ascertain the reason why.

Reader, did you know that you can buy cheaper at the W. L. store than at any other house in the city. With them clothing and dry goods are cut down a price that can be met by any of our citizens. Call there and get the reason why.

One of the lying stories out the other day that the Company would not receive persons in payment for lumber. Mr. Wickwire, of the lumber office, said to our reporter: "We at times take them to us they are the same as cash."

A letter feeling prevails in business circles here. Although many money matters are still very close, many are cause so active circulation. Put it back in the banks where it can be made use of and where interest will be added to it.

Line practicing over rigid along, and the talk last week that the works would be crippled for the want of men proved to have been only a wild conclusion; as there are all the men at work as can be profitably employed. The line made here has an established reputation for purity and fineness, and is being taken wherever needed. The annual shipments are immense.

The rain and closeness of money matters caused rather small audiences to assemble at the Temperance House Thursday night to witness the performance given by "Little Tric" Company. The performance was good; as usual, and the specialties were well put on. The audience was the largest we have seen. That troupe needed a large house, but a heavy rain during the performance of the first raising of the curtain—8 o'clock. The receipts were reported at some \$50.00.

Stop It. Small boys, some of them old enough to know better, have been in the habit of shouting carelessly and indiscriminately with the toy spring gun; and we have often thought that such carelessness would result in injury to some person. The other evening at Mr. Gagnay's was coming from his work he received a shot from one of these lads; the ball entered his face just below one eye, making a very painful wound. The ball had to be extracted by a surgeon. Such practice should be broken up, by law. Like the toy pistol and cannon; such things require careful handling and never ought to be trusted on any person. Had this boy been one inch taller, no arrow would have been cast from the eye of the spring. Stop it boys or you may get into serious trouble. The boy referred to was arrested for assault and battery.

Aphorisms—Laconic—Proverbs.

Virtue is the only true nobility. God makes, and appears shaggy. To err is human, to forgive divine. Good intention is not reformation. Science has no enemy, but ignorance can make beautiful with gentle malice. The last memories of love and tenderness.

Let this thought help us to bear with the muddy foot-prints, the soiled and torn little garments, the discolored rooms, the boisterous play.

Those of us who have been loved once disappear in the child mist that envelops the world; those of us who have known for the last time the patient responsiveness of one dearer to us than life, or love or Heaven, perhaps can tell you that the very "Town of Sorrow" when our dear are hidden from us is the remembrance of unkind speech, riskless impatience or cruel neglect, we feel as though we would barter the hopes of earth and their brightest fruition for another day with the absent loved one—Speak gently, therefore, kindly lovingly.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.
From Our Regular Correspondent.

The administration's friends are to be given an opportunity on the floor of the House and Senate to defend the somewhat remarkable pension policy adopted by Secretary Hoke Smith under Mr. Cleveland's orders.

Senator Gallinger has introduced a resolution directing the committee on Pensions to report and report to the Senate, whether the wholesale suspension of pensions which has been going on for some time at an average of something more than 150 a day, is in accordance with law, and a resolution of a similar nature will be introduced in the House as soon as the House is in condition to allow its ordinary business to proceed in the ordinary channels, which will be after the silver question has been disposed of, either adopted and committee appointed.

It is regarded as significant that the bill reported by the majority of the Senate Finance committee as a substitute for the Voorhees bill, for the unconditional repeal of the purchase clause of the Sherman silver bill, provides for free coinage at a ratio of 20 to 1. This indicates that the silver supporters have given up the idea of insisting upon the free coinage of silver at the present ratio. Speeches will from time to time be made on both of these bills, but it is not probable that the Senate will take them up to the exclusion of other business until after the House has voted upon the silver question, which will be early in next week.

A more senseless opposition has seldom been seen than that which certain demagogues and populists are making to issue currency to the full amount of bonds they have an deposit to secure circulation. At three different sessions of Congress the same identical bill has passed the Senate without opposition and if it were now a law would add \$1,000,000,000 to the money circulation immediately and probably as much more in the next three months. The only argument presented against the bill is the old one, that National banks enjoy privileges denied to others, and inasmuch as any party, at all times free to organize a National bank and get their share of the privileges, that isn't a good one. After voting down some silly amendments proposed by Senators Allen and Cockrell, the Senate has now to vote upon the request of the tax on State bank currency, which has been offered by Butler of N. C., and there will probably be more of the same sort.

The speech of Representative A. C. Sibley, of Pa., was the most vigorous one for several reasons made in the House during the past week. Mr. Sibley is a democrat, a Bible reader, a millionaire and a free silver man—the only one in Congress from the East, and his speech was at times lively and sensational. He was not quite so open in his attack upon President Cleveland as Senator Vest was, but the attack was there all the same.

The unconditional repealer now claims a safe majority in both House and Senate, but their claim of 45 votes in the Senate includes several men whose votes are very doubtful and who are counted by the silver men in every estimate they make. The trouble about getting it that the result will be in the Senate arises largely from there being a number of Senators who if they have made up their minds how they will vote have taken no action until their confidence.

Jerry Simpson's death the demagogue has a heavy blow below the belt when his silver speech he first this question at the House, in his rasping expiring voice: "Whoever heard of the demagogue party every repelling a law or making a law?" Having no answer, Jerry glared at the administration group in the House and added: "There is no democratic party any more; it is President Cleveland's party." From which it will be seen that even a man of Jerry's small caliber can sometimes perceive the true inwardness of things democratic.

This is to be the last week of the silver debate in the House, and, aside from the earnest desire of almost everybody to see the matter settled, there is no regret, for with a few exceptions the speeches have been uninteresting and commonplace. Unless all outward indications are at fault, the silver amendment will be voted down and the bill for the unconditional repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman silver bill passed by a small majority. The Republicans of the House will really hold the balance of power when the votes are taken, but they will not allow that to influence their vote.

The use of drapery in ideal art is as purely for artistic reasons as is its absence and has nothing to do with the propriety of clothing.

A peppermint distillery at Pearl, Allegan county, turned out 300 pounds of oil in 10 hours recently. The oil is worth \$2 per pound.

There are only 154 vacancies in the United States Army. The maximum limit is 25,000, and the present number is nearest to it since the war.

There is considerable to live for even after one's heart is broken, but when a man's stomach has gone back on him things look bad indeed.

After two years trial to convert the Sioux and other Indians into soldiers, the government is giving up the job and mustering them out of the service.

Rachel Post, a young Philadelphia woman, during religious excitement lately cut off a portion of her lip and then boiled it in an offering to food. She is in a hospital.

The man who, after studying a hundred women, thought he knew the sex thoroughly, admitted, on intimate acquaintance with the one hundred and first, that he was densely ignorant of the nature of any one of them.

Misletoe grows more luxuriantly in the swamps of Kansas, perhaps than any where else in the country. A lady traveling on the Gould railroad, in the northeastern part of that state, counted fifteen clumps of misletoe on a single oak tree.

John Temple Graves is the originator of the idea of forming a state by act of congress, which shall be known as a negro state, and where all good negroes will be expected to go. He thinks the colored people will jump at the chance of having a state of their own, to run as they please, removed from the influence of white voters and politicians.

An English medical journal suggests that the action of electricity on lead water pipes may sufficiently impregnate the water with lead to cause poisoning. Here is a chance for some experiments with a view to determining whether water is thus affected, or not, under the conditions named. If it is, it might result in cases of serious illness the cause of which ordinarily would be difficult to determine.—Electrical Age.

"Reader" writes us asking how long in our opinion, Congress will be in session and what they will do? Dear reader, we cannot tell. This will be the last democratic congress the United States will ever have and they will remain in session as long as possible. As to what they will do—well consider what they have already done in the last four and a half months, and draw on your imagination for the final results. In plain English, they will raise hell.—Logan (Utah) Nation.

Congressional Misters. It would be interesting to calculate and valuable to find out just how much of the people's time and money are wasted in "misters." The representative seems to have a deep rooted objection to being called plain Smith or Brown or Robinson and insists that he is called "mister" even if, as he frequently the case, he does not know why the roll is called. About two hours a day through a long session amounts to considerable wear and tear of the treasury as well as of the clerk's lung tissue.—Washington Post.

In 1874 the Canadian government advanced \$96,400 to help found a Russian Mennonite colony in Manitoba. One hundred and fifty well-to-do farmers of Waterloo, Ont., becoming security for the re-payment of the loan, the account of the society with the government was closed this year, the Mennonites have paid not only the amount borrowed, but \$38,966 interest on the same, making a total return of \$136,366. The colony is now one of the most promising on the American continent and has increased to such proportions as to overflow into different parts of Canada and the British Northwest.

There are differences in teeth. Some of a nature capable of withstanding very rough usage, while others are frail and need constant attention.

The waters of China abound in fish, and it is estimated by high authority that one-tenth of the people of that empire derive their food from the water. The coasts are crowded with enterprising and industrious fishermen, and besides the net, and the hook and great number of ingenious expedients are used to capture the fish. In the eastern provinces comorants are trained in great numbers to catch fish, which they bring to their master, who sits in a boat from which he watches at the same time fifteen or twenty of the birds.

Of all tireless things a restless man is the worst. A restless woman cannot begin to come up to a restless man. She gets physically tired out after a while and must sit down. But a man—he can go on and forever. In cars, railroad trains, theaters—in fact, wherever men do congregate—there also is the restless man, driving every one distracted with his ceaseless prying. He goes up and he goes down, but he never wearies.—New York Herald.

The Dog's Sense of Smell. It has often been proved that dogs are able to track their masters through crowded streets where it would be impossible to attribute their accuracy to anything except the sense of smell alone. A naturalist once made some interesting experiments as to this power exhibited in his own dog. In these tests the naturalist found that his dumb friend could follow in the tracks of his master, though he was far out of sight, and that, too, after eleven persons had followed, stopping exactly in the tracks made by his master, it being the deliberate intention to confuse the senses of the dog if possible. Further experiments proved that the animal tracked the boots instead of the man, for when the naturalist put on new footgear the dog failed entirely.

Decline of Profanity. The habit of swearing is dying out. It was within the memory of those who do not like to think themselves old very common. I have heard on what I am sure is trustworthy authority of a clergyman of the last generation, who, summoned to breakfast while at his morning devotions, turned upon the unfortunate messenger with the exclamation:—"you! How dare you interrupt my prayers!" Much less extreme instances are known to many of us which would now be simply impossible. Are we becoming more pious? That is not the general impression. Is the fiber of the race softening? That is often maintained, but I do not think so. The civil wars, to disprove it for Americans at least. (Or are we, as French men and women did long ago, learning more adequately to master the resources of our own tongue and becoming independent of this crude and rather stupid—to call it nothing worse—decadent—Century.

Difference in Derivation. The writer of an amusing article on apartment house life in the Cosmopolitan says: The distinction between an apartment house and a tenement house is somewhat hazy until the etymology of the two words is considered. 'Tenement' is derived from the Latin verb 'tenere' (to hold), and is the name properly given to a building that is designed to hold or give shelter to the largest possible number of persons at the least possible cost to each individual tenant. 'Apartment,' however, is an Anglicized derivation of another Latin verb, 'parsere' (to divide), and with equal propriety is applied to a dwelling house, of which the structural and social intent is to separate family from family and to gratify the desire for privacy that every household naturally feels, at the same time reducing the expense of that gratification to a low estimate that is practicable only through co-operation in the fixed charges of domestic management. Economy, therefore, is the purpose of the tenement—comfort that of the apartment."

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Who may be in Chicago during the World's Columbian Exposition. A thorough canvass of the respectable hotels, boarding and lodging houses in Chicago has been made, and to any person who brings or sends this Coupon to the Inter Ocean's World's Fair Bureau we will give our card of introduction to a first-class boarding or lodging house, without one cent of expense. Remember, you must bring this introduction coupon from your own home paper with you to get the benefits of this offer without charge.

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Hardware, Tinware, Stoves, &c.
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Tim & Jobbing Shop
In connection with the store.
J. B. Lewis

Some people buy Fruit Trees of any agent that comes along, then kick themselves afterwards because the trees die. One great trouble is the trees are exposed to the sun and wind to long before the purchaser gets them, then not knowing just how to care for them they die after they are set out. Now if you want to overcome this difficulty and get satisfaction, patronize home trade and call on **GREENWOOD & SON, Manistique, Mich.**

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Call and see us, and we will try and do you some good.
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THE SEMI-WEEKLY PIONEER

There will be very few if any camps started in the pines in September this year as there usually is in this month.

It is the opinion of some that the serious question with the laborer in the woods next winter, will be not what wages he will get, but will he get any job at all.

"Now that Holman is chairman of Indian affairs," says Sam Stephenson, "the noble red man may as well go down himself, for he is likely to be starved to death."

The girl bicyclist riders who wear knee jackets are not so noble as the other sex. They don't lie down on their machines and act as if the spinal column were made of Indian rubber.

The Governor of South Carolina is now accused of mixing too much water with his whisky in his State barrooms. It is thought that it will ruin the Democratic party in South Carolina.

There are said to be between 90 and 100 Congressmen who have notified Speaker Crisp that they wish to make a few remarks on the silver question. A large number do not care to occupy much time, however.

Two years ago and one year ago every man who wanted work could get it and get well paid for it. How is it now? Democrats say it is "the robber tariff" and "the silver bill," but both were then laws as well as now.

Orders from Washington to sub-treasurers have been issued, that gold is to be paid over the counters the same as any other money. The gold balance is slightly below \$100,000,000, and the net treasury balance is \$11,750,000.

The Republican platform of 1892 declared that "the American people, from tradition and interest, favor bimetallism, and the Republican party demands the use of both gold and silver as standard money." There is where Republicans stand to-day. They have not changed.

English mine owners have given notice of a 55 per cent reduction of the already starvation wages, and the Miners' Federation has ordered a strike of 250,000 men. And yet a great party in the United States is doing its best to push manufacturing and labor onto an English basis.

The people of this lake region are to be congratulated on the re-appointment of Congressman Sam Stephenson, of Upper Michigan, to the River and Harbor Committee in Congress. If any one can get concessions for the committee, so dominated as it is by southern influence, "our Sam" is the man. He has done much for the lake region and will do more.—Eagle.

Cortez obtained in Mexico five emeralds of wonderful beauty. One was cut like a rose; another in the shape of a horn; a third is that of a fish, with diamond eyes; a fourth like a bell with a pearl for a clapper; the fifth was a cup, with a foot of gold and four little chains, each ended with a large pearl. He had also two emerald vases worth 300,000 crowns each.—St. Louis Republic.

On the line of the Toledo, Ann Arbor & North Michigan road, north of Owosso, there are a large number of saw mills cutting mostly hardwood. The mills had been fully stocked with logs owing to the active demand for hardwood lumber during the winter, and a busy and profitable season was anticipated. The sudden dropping out of the bottom of the lumber market has forced these mills to shut down, as there is no demand for the product. This works hardly not only to those employed in these mills and their families, but in many instances to the owners who had invested considerable sums in logs in the expectation of being able to quickly convert them into lumber and then into money. This road is not an isolated example. In fact all through northern Michigan small industries particularly have been temporarily cramped owing to the panic.—Cheboygan News.



Mr. Carter's Cure

After the Grip. I got a bottle of Carter's Cure and it gave me relief at once. I have taken one bottle and I feel like a new man. It is the best medicine I ever used.

Matchwood is in ashes. Iowa Republicans named none but good men on their ticket. "Hath giveth to the poor lendeth to the Lord." Now is as good a time as any to open an account with the creator.

Gold is good money and needs just as much defense as silver. It is the purpose of the Government to start in to disorganize it will have an up-hill road to travel.

The Atlanta Constitution is hilarious as it bears the moans and complainings of millions of workers out of employment, and shouts: "Smash the tariff. Smash it, annihilate it, strike it down. The platform shall not be mutilated."

SAVILE ST. MARIE, Mich., Aug. 22.—A scaffold around the new Methodist Episcopal church gave way while a large stone was being carried upon it by eight men. Amos Hall, a Finlander, was struck by the falling stone and died in a few minutes. All the others were more or less seriously hurt. The most serious injuries were those of Ernest Webb, two ribs broken; N. Matson, scalp torn nearly off, and M. Meehan, severely bruised.

Rev. Anna Garlin Spencer, in a recent address at Chicago, said: "I see the church of the future as in a vision. It will be a place of peace and love. In it men and women will not quarrel over texts or sex. It will have its altars reared to the one God of all human souls, and will have its ritual made splendid with the prayers of all the saints of all ages and all times. It will have a glory which is the shining of the sun of righteousness. Into it men shall go, not for rest alone, but for inspiring service, for an uplifting of spirit which shall shine all lowliness of mind and all selfishness of purpose. When the church then verifies its credentials and magnifies its office, there shall be no more complaint that men and women do not come to hear. We hear it said that we have lost somewhat of the old faith and that there is a falling away of goodness. That is not true. There never was a time when men so hungered to do something for the welfare of the unfortunate. The only trouble is that the church has entangled itself in small idiosyncrasies and cheap business when it might be running its errands for God with willing feet along the world's great highway."

ED. ASHFORD DEALER IN REAL ESTATE Manistique, Mich. For Sale Cheap. House and lot in Lakeside; house new, with a good outfit of furniture, stoves, in fact almost everything in the house-keeping line, will be sold for \$350 cash. Call at once.

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CARTER'S CURE FOR COLIC, HEADACHE, BRUISES, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE LIVER AND BILIOUSNESS. It is the best medicine I ever used.

ACHE. In the back of an aching head there is where often the trouble lies. Our pills cure it while you are still in bed. They are very small and very easy to take. They do not irritate the bowels, but they give relief at once. They are sold every where, or sent by mail for 75 cents every bottle, or sent by mail for \$1.50 every three bottles.

H-O-S-E Ladies' and Children's Black and Colored Hose MUSLIN UNDERWEAR. We carry the standard muslin underwear only. The most artistic in make-up. The most perfect in fit. Every garment made on Lock Stitch machines.

Our Millinery Display the finest ever opened in this place. Lewis & Mills.

IF YOU WANT BARGAINS. Just make a mental memorandum of the following goods and their usual prices. After purchasing of us you will go your way rejoicing.

Tea Sets, Dolls, Slods, Cups & Saucers, Novelties, Rocking Horses, Manicure Sets, Toilet Cases, Shaving Sets, Photograph Albums. and 1001 other things too numerous to mention, among which is Books and Booklets. Frydell & McCullough.

WESTSIDE HARDWARE. The undersigned having entered into partnership for the carrying on of business in HARDWARE STORES, AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, PIANOS, ORGANS, SEWING MACHINES, etc. Ask for a share of public patronage and guarantee satisfaction. The firm name will be Garner & Middlebrook. N. H. GARNER, F. H. MIDDLEBROOK.

MERCHANT TAILOR. JULIUS PETERSON (SUCCESSOR TO REINWAND & CO.) offers his services to those wanting SUITS CUT AND FIT IN THE LATEST STYLE and in workmanlike manner. He carries a full line of clothes, employs most competent workmen, and makes his prices as low as can be obtained. Remember his place at Lakeside, over Thompson & Putnam's.

ANDERSON & CO. OAK ST. NEAR CATHOLIC CHURCH. Furniture, Spring Beds, Mattresses, Pillows, PARLOR, CHAMBER and DINING ROOM FURNITURE. A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES. JUST OPENED. Quality at the Top. Prices at the Bottom. UNDERTAKING A SPECIALTY.

"CUT GLASS." We have just received a selection of the "Corning Cut Glass" Which we will be pleased to show old and new customers. Nothing so elegant and tasty as "cut glass" for wedding and birth-day gifts. Call and see it at Chantler's Jewelry Store.

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YOU. We have just received a big line of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Gold plated Watches, Rings, pins Chains etc. that we will sell at prices that will suit.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS. Examination of Teachers by the Board of School Examiners of Michigan... (Text partially obscured)

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We feel safe in saying, that we can show the people of Manhattan as large an assortment of Men's, Boys and Children's Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, Shoes, Trunks, Valises, as has ever been offered in town. And the usual EXCELLENCE of our GOODS in fit, as well as MAKE-UP is fully maintained.



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THE SEMI-WEEKLY PIONEER

Moved. Dr. A. H. Johnston has moved his dental office over to M. P. Winkelman's, in the McKinney block on Cedar street.

Several vacant houses in Lakeside to rent.

Every day there are many apparent reasons why courts should be kept off the streets.

An experienced male teacher holding good recommendation, would like a situation. Apply at this.

Mr. Hayden yesterday reported seven prisoners in the county jail, the largest number we have had for a long time.

The dance at Arrowood's Lakeside Hall last evening was a decided success. Good music, good order and lots of fun.

Many inquiries for girls to do house work. The trouble here is that most of our young ladies want to keep their own houses.

We hope some one will secure the services of another correspondent at Cooke and we want one at Thompson, White, Dale, Hunt's Spur, Corinne and South Manistique. We already have an "Occasional" at Seney.

Bring on the "dollars of your father" and for every two of them you put in our hands we will send you the Pioneer for one year. It is the old set paper in the county and its subscription book is always ready for public inspection.

Illegally slaughtering of deer promises to be made quite interesting on this peninsula. State Game Warden Hampton is now in Alger county to see that his Detective Kennedy has fair play. Hampton is not the kind of a man that weakens at a shadow.

The tide has turned, the suspended banks are opening the doors again, manufacturers are starting up and we hope the worst has gone by. Confidence is the great thing required. That we will have in full if Congress will only come in the right direction.

State Game Warden, Charles S. Hampton, spent Thursday night in the city and had a long interview with the Deputy here, R. C. McKesson. Mr. Hampton is determined to put the law in full force here in regard to the illegal slaughtering of deer. He says that the arrest of Kennedy in Alger county was a part of a job, and that the judge had ordered his release. He now has detectives throughout this peninsula and the violators will be caught and punished. Mr. Hampton is not the man to fool with, and when he undertakes any duty it is with the determination to succeed. Hunters had better stop their unlawful practices, or as some of them are now, they will "go the way of the wind."

They may know and keep out of the way of the resident Deputy, but they cannot keep out of sight of Hampton's well organized detective force. The man at Antrim that said he would have put a job on Kennedy has left for parts unknown.

Gratifying. It is to be hoped that the great religious congress to be held in Chicago next month, the secular spirit that has for so long kept many Christians apart will not find place.

May it result in advancement and spiritual enlightenment to the promotion of peace and good will, among the nations and races, and to the deepening and widening of the sense of universal human brotherhood.

Among others there will be representatives of the Presbyterian, Episcopal, Independent Congregational, Baptist, Methodist, Universalist, Unitarian, Reformed Episcopal, Lutheran, Swedenborgian, Hebrew and Roman Catholic Churches and perhaps others. It is called upon to act together in a common religious fraternity and toward a common end. May great good result and that with a better understanding and larger charity the church will be made one, gain in influence and practical progress.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

King's Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Mr. King's Two States. A gentleman who remembers the family of ex-Gov. King in Bath tells the Portland Express a story which illustrates the folly of judgment from appearance. A gentleman, a stranger in Bath, called at the house and inquired for Gov. King, and Mrs. King who answered the knock at the door was in the midst of her morning work, and did not present a very impressive appearance. The governor went in and the gentleman asked if he could see Mrs. King. "I am Mrs. King." If the caller had charged her in so many words with telling a falsehood he could not have told her more plainly that he did not believe her. With a smile and a pleasant word about the weather he turned about and went down town. There befell Gov. King who invited him for dinner. He accepted. The condition of his mind when the governor introduced him to Mrs. King can better be imagined than described.

We hope that when the board of supervisors meet again they will order the public buildings re-painted.

Notes. All persons are hereby forbidden to use the Schoolhouse County Building, Park and Fair Association's race course without first obtaining permission of the Secretary.

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The Youth's Cyclopaedia, a ready reference library, embracing History, Biography, Discovery, Invention, Art and Literature. Persons who are in need of an Encyclopaedia should call at this office and examine the Encyclopaedia. A. C. YOUNG, Agt.

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"Silver" through among the public. Are a sign of the year hair restorer. It is a sign of the year hair restorer. It is a sign of the year hair restorer.

PROBATE NOTICE. STATE OF MINNESOTA. In Probate Court for the County of Hennepin.

Notice is hereby given that the will of the late John J. ... of the County of Hennepin, State of Minnesota, was admitted to probate on the 10th day of ... 1893. All persons interested in the estate of the said decedent are notified to appear at a session of said court, to be held at the court house in the City of Minneapolis, Minnesota, on the 10th day of ... 1893, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any, why the said will should not be admitted to probate. The court will then proceed to settle the account of the executor named in the will, and to distribute the assets of the estate according to the provisions of the will. Dated this 10th day of ... 1893. JEROME BOWEN, Judge of Probate.

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We will sell at low rates the balance of our stock of Spring and Summer goods, consisting of

- FANCY SATENS,
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On all other goods we will make a cash discount on all purchases.

Take advantage of this liberal offer and make money. No reserve will be made on any line of goods.

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In valuable Presents to be Given Away in Return for SPEAR HEAD TAGS.

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- 116,800 LADDER PICTURES IN ELEVEN TELESCOPE TUBES.....\$1,000.00
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A list of the people obtaining these prizes in this county will be published in this paper immediately after February 1st, 1894. DON'T SEND ANY TAGS BEFORE JANUARY 1, 1894.

MONEY

We have to have it to finish our new store building and in order to get it we will sacrifice our large stock of Dry goods, clothing, shoes, etc., etc. Its all we have and we must raise the money from it.

Yours Respectfully,
BLUMROSEN BROS.

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WE BUY IN THE LARGEST QUANTITY AND SELL THE CHEAPEST.

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We have as fine a line of shelf and heavy groceries as can be found in the country, all bought of first hands, including Provisions, Sugars, all kinds Canned Goods, Crockery and Glassware.

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Come in and see our line of these goods. We have the largest line to be found in the city which we are selling at a very low price.

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If you want to get the best goods for the least money you will buy of us as we stand back of every thing we sell and guarantee satisfaction.

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Come and see our bargains in Hosiery and Notions. We beat the world in prices. C. P. HILL, Manager