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...AGENTS-BUTTERICK PATTERNS...

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THE VILLAGE COUNCIL MEETS.

Dr. Mangrove Appointed Health Officer. The Various Election Committees Also Appointed.

The village council held a regular session last Wednesday evening. The usual number of bills were introduced and the reports of the street commissioner and marshal were read and placed on file.

A resolution of respect to the memory of the late August Ahlstrom, was passed.

Dr. Mangrove was appointed health officer to succeed Dr. Dubé.

Ed. Ashford, V. P. Chappel and V. I. Hixon were appointed as election committees.

Miller Rose and S. McNeil, with Theodore Holmbom, the clerk will serve on the registration board.

S. McNeil, Miller Rose, President Messerow and Clerk, Holmbom, will serve on the election board.

It was resolved that the clerk advertise for sale the 65 street lamps rendered obsolete by the advent of electricity.

Street Lamps for Sale Cheap.

Owing to the fact that Manistique now uses electricity for street lighting purposes, the village has 65 kerosene street lamps for sale cheap. The lamps are in first-class condition. The trustees of village adjacent to Manistique can secure lamps at a rare bargain. Address: Manistique, Mich.

The Winners Challenged.

The Manistique High School team hereby challenge the winning team in the game of indoor base ball this evening for a game at the opera house next Friday evening, March 2, 9 o'clock.

Geo. Nicolson, Capt. Ryan, Manager.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Fred Greenwood is critically ill.

Mr. Geo. F. Ross was in Chicago last week.

Mr. M. Blomrosen returns from the east this week.

Geo. K. Moaly was in town several days this week.

Mr. Geo. P. McCallum left for Manistique this morning.

Mr. John Ramel of Ford River is in the city this week.

D. K. Smith was in Newberry last week to visit his sons.

Mr. V. P. Chappel returned from his eastern trip last week.

Mr. George Stewart of Whitehall was a caller Wednesday.

Mr. Joseph Gibbs of Isabella, was a patronizing caller Monday.

Dr. Westcott of Hunts Spur, was in the city Wednesday evening.

Mr. D. G. Currie was in the city during a portion of the past week.

Mr. John Mosher left for the Soo this noon where he will spend a week.

Mr. Geo. P. McCallum was at St. Ignace and the Soo on business this week.

Mr. M. Blomrosen returned from the east markets last Wednesday afternoon.

The Misses Virginia and Lydia Geron are visiting relatives at Thompson this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Rooney and Miss Rooney returned to the city last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Joseph Boncher will leave for New York shortly where she goes for medical treatment.

Mr. Joe Sentry the genial and efficient advance agent for the Frank Long Co., is in the city.

Mr. H. E. Burt of the furnace company spent a portion of the past week with his family at Milwaukee.

Geo. E. Hollein leaves Sunday evening for J-tenning, Champion and other points in the iron country.

Mr. Matt Schneider goes to Minneapolis in a few days on a short business trip. Mrs. Schneider will accompany him.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McNeil and daughter returned from Kincardin, Ont., last Saturday. Mr. McNeil's health was very much improved by the vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith left for Gould City Wednesday on a short visit with relatives. Mr. Smith returned yesterday, and Mrs. Smith will return Sunday evening.

Mr. Norman McDonald a former machanic at Cooks, but now located at the upper terminus of the Soo Line's branch out of Rapid River, was a pleasant caller last Friday afternoon. He likes his new location very well and is prospering.

Capt. Joseph Fountain of Seul Chok light station was in the city this week. He reports that successful orders early this month to shut down the station until the opening of navigation. For the past three winters Mr. Fountain's station has been in constant operation, and he appreciates the respite from duty. He will make a trip to Chicago shortly.

BREVITIES.

Randell's government thermometer registered nine degrees below zero last night. The majority of the thermometer about town went as low as twelve degrees.

Owing to the fact that Rev. Branch was called to officiate at a funeral in the vicinity of Cooks last Sunday, no services were held at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church, met at the home of Mrs. E. B. Patterson this afternoon for the purpose of doing some sewing for an Indian mission school in the far west.

Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, author of "In His Steps," the story that made such a deep impression on the world, has been given full charge of The Topeka Daily Capital for the week commencing March 13th next. The Sheldon will be conducted by Mr. Sheldon along the line of what he believes Jesus would do in the way of earth and in charge of a daily paper. The experiment will elicit world interest and everybody will be anxious to obtain a copy of the paper, and see what Mr. Sheldon's ideas are. The price of subscription for the week has been fixed at 25 cents. Subscriptions will be received by Chas. R. Orr, at Orr's Drug Store, and Geo. G. Rogers, at Rogers' Drug Store, or by any member of the P. O. Society of the Presbyterian church. Subscriptions will be closed March 8th in order to prepare mailing lists.

BREVITIES.

One of the best girls in Manistique will be married next month.

We are informed that Nels Johnson is a candidate for the village presidency.

Joseph Scott is experiencing the pleasures of conducting a first-class collection agency.

Mrs. Siamous will take charge of the county house as soon as Mr. McGinnis secures a house.

The Republican village committee consists of Messrs. M. H. Quick, Ed. Ashford and Geo. E. Hollein.

Dr. McKesson the present township clerk, will be a candidate for re-nomination. He's a first-class official.

The young ladies of the Presbyterian church met about \$11.00 from the valentine social held last Friday evening.

The college social to be given at the M. R. parsonage next Tuesday evening promises to be a very pleasing event. You should attend.

Although there is plenty of good Boer sentiment in Manistique no child born so far this year will go through life with the surname "Oom Paul."

Much to the discredit of some of the newspapers in the "copper country," the Coontown 400' aggregation is receiving many favorable press notices.

A meeting having for its object the formation of an Uper Peninsula editorial association will be held at the parlors of the Nelson Hotel, Ishpeming, next Tuesday.

The question of constructing a bicycle path to Indian lake on this side of Indian river is being discussed. Harrison beach is being discussed, to become quite popular in the near future.

Township Treasurer Anderson must make his report of tax collections to the county treasurer on March 1st. It is highly necessary that all taxes should be paid prior to that time.

Manistique has a minister that voluntarily asked his congregation to reduce his yearly salary from \$1,000 to \$800 per year in order that the church would be able to get out of debt.

Mr. Ramel placed one of Hicks' barometers in the post office building. The instrument is first-class in every respect and was purchased by popular subscription. By pursuing the directions that accompany it one is able to quickly read the indications.

In many places the slabs and refuse used in building docks is being now manufactured into lath. If the slabs used in building the various piers and docks in Manistique were utilized for that purpose they would no doubt be worth \$50,000.

Recently Miss Elina Hackenbach received several copies of the Manistique Times. The papers were sent her by the chief engineer of the Brooklyn, who she met during the great naval display at New York last summer. The papers are valuable souvenirs.

The electric light company has secured a contract for lighting the Barrill Chemical Co's plant. It is the intention of the light company to increase the capacity of their plant so that additional demands will not lessen the quality of the light furnished.

On Feb. 20th a "College Evening" will be given at the M. E. church under the auspices of the Epworth League. Stories, reminiscences, and stories of college life will be given by local talent. Colleges in Ohio and Wisconsin together with several colleges in Michigan will be represented. College songs will be an interesting feature of the evening. Admission 25 cents.

Prof. Peter R. Legg of Gladstone, who is a son-in-law of William Turpin of this city, had a miraculous escape from death in the recent wreck at Ford River. He boarded the train at the switch and was just entering the smoking car when he heard the warning blast of the fast freight. He jumped off the platform just as the shock occurred and escaped. Every person in the smoking car was killed.

Here's how the cash business too often works in printing offices. If you buy of your merchant and pay cash he takes your money and gets his printing of the printer who holds him up to take printing or do without anything. In other words there are printers who run in debt and force their creditors to order printing of them. Recently we bought \$10 worth of goods of a merchant and paid him the cash. Another printer bought a job of set on talk and forced the merchant to take his pay in printing. Now the merchant to be fair should make that printer pay cash as he would do if he were a merchant in any business than to do it on a cash basis. No man should encourage the dead beat system.

THE MANISTIQUE IRON CO.

With a Capitalization of \$200,000 Incorporated.

The parties recently purchasing the Weston Furnace Co's plant, have formed a company with a capitalization of \$200,000. The stockholders and the number of shares held by each follow:

P. H. Griffin, Buffalo, N. Y., 27,500 shares; T. Guilford Smith, Buffalo, N. Y., 1,000 shares; W. P. King, Buffalo, N. Y., 1,000 shares; C. E. Lester, Buffalo, N. Y., 250 shares; and Elisha H. Flint, Detroit, 500 shares.

Ten per cent of the capital stock has been paid into the treasury.

The office for the state of Michigan for the transaction of business shall be kept at Detroit.

The furnace, we are informed, will go into blast very shortly.

DEATH OF REV. W. H. MILLS.

Passed Away in a Chair Last Monday Afternoon—After a Short Illness.

News of the death of the Rev. W. H. Mills of the Baptist church, was a shock to the community last Monday evening. For the past week the gentleman had been suffering from an acute attack of neuritis, but secured complete relief on the day of his death and was able to sit up. He was suddenly seized with intense pain and although his family applied all the remedies they could to relieve him, and as a messenger for Dr. Manstrin, who lives not far away, relief was not forthcoming.

William Horatio Mills was born at Goldville, N. Y., in February, 1814, and at the age of seventeen enlisted in the Union army, from which he was discharged after three years' honorable service.

In 1870 he married Miss Rooney, with whom two daughters survive him. He was a member of several fraternal organizations, among them being the Grand Army of the Republic.

The remains were taken to Grand Blanc, Mich., his former home, yesterday, for burial, and were accompanied by his wife and brother-in-law, the Rev. Dr. Rooney, of Manistique.

The deceased was a man of many endearing and noble qualities, and his sudden death was a shock to his hundreds of friends.

The loving wife and two daughters are assured of the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community.—Iron Mountain Press.

LAI'D TO REST.

Funerals of Seven Escanaba Wreck Victims Held Here.

An Escanaba dispatch dated Sunday says: Seven of the victims of the Peck Mountain accommodation wreck were laid to rest today, and the remaining two will be interred tomorrow.

The funerals of John Hamilton of Crystal Creek, Canada, and Theodore DuBois, of Ferrisville, were held at the same time this morning from St. Ann's church.

A triple funeral was held at the Methodist church and the three hearse containing the remains of Chas. Houston and Geo. R. Blake of this city and Emil Nelson of Ford River, were followed to the cemetery by fully 1,500 people, 1,000 of whom were pedestrians representing the Oddfellows, Jacobites and North Star lodges.

The funeral of Conductor Wm. Dillon was attended by more than 1,000 people, representing the various railroad orders and Knights of Pythias.

The remains of W. L. Hill and John Lehigh of this city will be laid to rest tomorrow. Of the seven injured the hospital physicians expect the death of Miss Seymour at any time.

Resolutions.

The following resolutions were passed by the village council at the meeting held last Wednesday evening:

The members of the Common Council have by a majority of the council, and a unanimous vote of the Council, to the satisfaction of the affected benevolent societies of this city.

With the Village of Manistique, he had such important civic relations and in his many years of residence in this village with excellent judgment, unswerving integrity, and unselfishness, and his death has been a loss to the community and to his constituents. Therefore,

Resolved, that we tender to the family of our deceased brother the assurance of our sympathy with them in their common loss and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to them and that said resolutions be spread upon the records of the council.

C. H. MESSEBAUGH, President.

W. H. BARNES, S. S. JOHNSON, MILLER ROSE, CORNELIUS KLAGSTAD, SHERMAN McNEIL, Trustees.

Ladies' Attention!

Will the ladies who have receipts for decontaminated Cook Book please send them in before Saturday, Feb. 17th. After that date it will be in the hands of the printer.

EDITH C. DUNTON, NELLIE CRANE, Committee.



Don't Monkey WITH POOR CUTLERY BUT INSIST ON "Waterville" FOR SALE AT C. L. Co.'s Hardware, A. M. LeROY, Manager.

We've 36 Large Cases of Merchandise arrived from New York, containing the latest styles and novelties for Spring. Remember these are direct from the largest and most reliable firms in the world. Everything was bought for cash and close attention paid to buying we bought cheaper than we expected and will give customers the benefit. We will be ready and pleased to show our New Clothing, Dress Goods, Trimmings, Domestic, etc. Our new Shoe line will make your feet smile. Lots of things on sale and the prices are way down; must make room for those coming. L. ROSENTHAL & CO.

BREVITIES.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gonyea, a son Sunday last.
House and lot for sale in Riverside addition. Enquire of S. M.
Letters to THE PIONEER-TRIBUNE from readers are always welcome.
Schoolcraft is the seventh county in upper peninsula in agricultural importance.
A land locker killed two wolves with a small hand saw one day last week near Bessemer.
When a man's wages increase his expenses are increased also. He doesn't save any money, you see.
Dr. Seller reports that the horses in the camp at Ross' Spur were suffering from influenza last week.
Mr. C. A. Childs has purchased an Edison Home Phonograph of the C. L. Co's jewelry department.
C. L. Co's Store are showing mercantile shirt waists and undershirts. They positively will not loose their lustre.
Washington's birthday will be celebrated at the opera house by a dance. The date is Thursday evening of next week.
The owners of the National Coöperative & Wooden Ware factory at Escanaba have decided to rebuild the plant next spring.
Wood & Thoenen's new stone hardware building at the Soo, was opened with a dance and supper last Monday evening.
Mr. Armstrong of the Zenia Insurance Co., was in the city this week, talking the loss sustained by Rev. Brown in the recent fire.
Miss McNeilin who was compelled to quit teaching school on account of the illness of her mother, is succeeded by Miss Ethel Drown.
The time to take your bicycle to the repair shop for a thorough overhauling is now. Do not wait until you are ready to use the wheel.
In the absence of the pastor, Rev. Rooney, Deacon M. H. Quick read the sermon at the First Baptist church last Sunday morning. No services were held in the evening.
Harry Work, traveling salesman for Woodward & Stone, Watervorn, Wis., was severely injured on leg and face in a railroad wreck at Nescora last week. Work is well known here.
Agents Wanted.—For the best type on the market, the "Pittsburg Visible," writing in eight at all times, exclusive territory given. Address: Binsley Hardware Company, Pittsburg, Pa.

A. S. Putnam & Co.
For Cold Weather...
Felt and Chamois Chest Protector and Chamois Uests
From soc up.
A. S. Putnam & Co.
During a storm last Tuesday the ice in the Straits of Mackinac moved out. The mail is at present being taken to Mackinac Island from St. Ignace via row boat.
It is asserted by the Keweenaw Enterprise that the Am. Iron people were subject to an outlay of something like \$8,000 on account of the docking of Nos. 1 and 2 at Milwaukee recently. This includes the replacing of the wheels, which were either broken or together or else lost; one or more buckets. At this rate there will be very little margin on the winter's business for the company in the Menominee trade.
If the carriages are to be kept running across Green Bay during the winter months something else than the present carriages will be necessary. Although the present winter has been a most favorable one in the absence of heavy bodies of snow and comparatively light ice, the Algoma has not proved equal to the emergency at times, becoming entirely helpless when caught in a flow of ice containing windrows. She may be the proper thing for the Straits of Mackinac, but certainly not for these waters.

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LITTLE LIVER PILLS.
 WE GUARANTEE THEM.
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 For Governor—CHENE, vs. OSBORN.

Convention of the Republican State League.

The annual convention of the Republican State League will be held at the Cadillac Hotel, on Thursday, February 22nd, 1900, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the transaction of such business as may properly come before the meeting, including the election of a president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer of the League for the ensuing year; there will also be elected six delegates from this state at large, with alternates, and three delegates with alternates from each congressional district of the state, to attend the National Convention of Republican Clubs at St. Paul, Minn., July 18th, 16th and 17th.

The delegates of the convention will consist of the chairman and secretary of each enrolled club of the League and one delegate additional for every fifty actual members of such club who have paid their dues and are in good standing.

WILLIAM A. HUBER,
BUYR D. CARV, Pres.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.
 Roosevelt says that he will not be a candidate for vice president.

There can be no hope for Democratic success in the absurd cry of imperialism.

Roosevelt has truly said "All good citizens should sympathize with Governor Taylor."

Mr. Angus McLeod will be renominated for the village treasuryship by acclamation.

It is rumored that Ferry and Bliss have formed a combination for the purpose of shelving Stearns.

Prof. Dels Fall of Albion college, is a candidate for the position of superintendent of public instruction.

Hon. W. G. Thompson of Michigan has been designated by the president as one of the Paris exposition commissioners.

Mr. Cornelius Klages who is a candidate for township treasurer, will undoubtedly be nominated. His qualifications are undisputed.

We think that the Republicans of the state would make a serious, if not fatal mistake were they to nominate Ferry of Detroit for the governorship.

If Houghton county persists in playing the hog in politics Congressman Sheldon may experience more or less trouble in securing a renomination.

Dun & Co.'s statement that business is 40 per cent. better than it was a year ago is not a campaign lie, but a statement of cold fact.—*Indianapolis, (Ind.) "Journal."*

John D. Rockefeller's latest gift of \$1,500,000 to Chicago university swells the total of his munificence to that institution to the amount of \$8,500,000. It could cash bribe success in an educational institution, the future of Chicago university is assured.

Dr. A. E. Burdick will accept the nomination for the village presidency if same is tendered him. The Doctor is in favor of furnishing Lakeside and other additions of the village at present without adequate protection, with as good a system of protection as is now enjoyed by the central portion of the village. He would make a strong candidate.

Nels Johnson has proven himself a wide-awake official and many of his friends are desirous that he may succeed himself as a member of the village council. The vast improvement in the village's equipment with which to fight fires may in part be attributed to him as he was and is very much in favor of anything that will insure greater safety to Manistique property.

It isn't too early to be casting around in your mind for the right man to nominate and elect to the office this spring. It will be a day that calls for the very best business talent and experience in the town, and in the selection of these men too great care cannot be exercised.

A Washington dispatch last week said that at a conference Bryan had consented to drop free silver 16 to 1. We swallow this with several degrees of allowance. Bryan without free silver would be like a wedding minus the bride and groom. Bryan without free silver would not be Bryan. Without free silver Bryan could not be nominated, and the Republicans want one more chance at him. After that he will never be able to divulge gate receipts with any county fair.—*Benton (Ill.) "Republican."*

Rev. Editor Sheldon, author of "In His Steps," will edit the "Tropic Capital" for one week according to his own peculiar ideas as to how a newspaper should be conducted. The time is too short. Should he remain in the business several years the remainder of the fraternity would be very much interested to know how he would comport himself when a dead beat subscriber, owing him about \$12 on subscription would "fire" his copy of the paper sent him with the word "refused" written thereon. We are conversant with the remark usually made. Whether or not he would make a similar remark is where the curiosity comes in.

The political situation in the upper peninsula is becoming more intricate than ever. Hon. Frank D. Mead, of Escanaba, desires to succeed Sheldon. A prominent Republican of Escanaba says "Osborn's candidacy for governor, I think, would suffer if he appeared to be using his influence in favor of Sheldon, for the reason that he is desirous to go to the convention with a solid delegation from the upper peninsula, and in order to do this he must keep his hands off the congressional fight. Delta and Menominee counties are solid for Mead, and will brook no interference. If Osborn remains neutral, there is no doubt that he can carry a solid delegation from this end of the state."

Iron has been designated the pulse of business. If this be true there is nothing the matter with business for its pulse has been remarkably strong during the past year, and if we are not mistaken that activity will increase rather than decrease in the year to come. From all sections of the country, it is reported that furnaces that went out of строя Cleveland's administration, are now being made ready to go into blast. One need not go farther than the upper peninsula to be convinced of this. The furnaces at Newberry, Carp River, and this city are being revamped and made ready to go into blast. During the Democratic times their owners were unable to operate them at a profit but now, owing to the demand, these furnace properties are becoming valuable.

SMALL PEBBLE ON A BIG BEACH.
 The coming of William J. Bryan to New York has hardly caused a ripple. He has received no such measure of attention as is usually accorded to a probable candidate for the Presidency on the ticket of one of the great parties. The reason is that every one knows that he has no more chance of being elected President than if he were not a candidate. He is a back number. He belongs among the archives, which have been relegated his rejected and discredited policy of Free Trade. The people of New York are desirous that he may succeed himself as a member of the village council. The vast improvement in the village's equipment with which to fight fires may in part be attributed to him as he was and is very much in favor of anything that will insure greater safety to Manistique property.

At Lincoln, Neb., February 19th to 22nd, 1900. Single fare for round trip from all stations on the Soo Line to Lincoln, Neb., on February 19th, 18th and 17th, good returning until March 1st. Get particulars from any Soo Line Agent.

Wood for Sale.
 Dry eighteen inch wood for sale at \$2.00 a cord.
 Mixed wood, dry, at \$1.25 a cord.
MATT SCHNEIDER.

THE KEYNOTE.
 National interest! That is the keynote of the Protective system. Free-Trade within the country is the source of national prosperity, and the larger the country the greater the prosperity. If the whole world could be welded into one nation composed of a homogeneous people with the same aspirations and bearing the same burdens, universal Free-Trade would be a blessing. But so long as there is a sharp line of cleavage produced by national boundaries and by national boundaries justice and common sense demand that freedom of trade should be confined within those boundaries. San Francisco "Chronicle."

The present village council did a very commendable thing when it purchased a fire engine, new hose, and capped several wells about town. If an effort had been made to supply Lakeside addition with fire protection nobody would have a "kick coming." The present members of that body know that protection for that portion of the town is imperative, and would, were they continued in office another term, furnish it. The present council deserves praise for what it has done for it did more toward furnishing the village fire protection during the past year than was done in the twenty-five preceding years.

ANOTHER STAFF AGAINST THE GOBELS.

The office-seeking Democrats of Kentucky, still actuated by the spirit of the dead Goebel, are trying to out the Republican officials in the state administration, below the rank of Governor and Lieut. Governor.

As the judiciary of Kentucky is thoroughly fastened to all the infamies of the Goebel election law, the Republicans of Kentucky have employed four of their ablest lawyers to obtain an injunction from United States Judge Taft of Cincinnati to enjoin the Goebel election commissioners from proceeding further in this last attempted outrage. Ex-Gov. Bradley, who appears as leading counsel in behalf of the people, declares that such an attempt is in violation of the liberties of the people of that Commonwealth as guaranteed by the constitution of the United States, and therefore that the court has jurisdiction. He cites an opinion of Justice Harlan to this effect. It is impossible to express all the villainous complications that may arise out of the Goebel election law, which was designed to enable a minority of voters to control the future politics of Kentucky.—*Evening Wisconsin.*

WINSTON HIS CHOICE.

Among the candidates for the Republican nomination for state superintendent of public instruction is Commissioner R. M. Winston, of St. Johns. From 1888 to 1891 Mr. Winston was secretary of the board of examiners of Clinton county. Since 1891 he has been commissioner of schools, being re-elected last spring by 940 majority. During these years he has been uniting in his devotion to the district schools of his county. Supt. Hammond has stated that the schools of Clinton county are the best graded and most efficiently managed of any in the state.

Mr. Winston has been an active worker and member of the Grange and Farmers' clubs and has worked to unite the interests of home and school. He devised and successfully carried out a system of traveling district libraries.

No part of our educational system needs the active assistance of the state department of instruction as much as the rural schools. The state superintendent should be a man who thoroughly appreciates the value and knows the needs of the district schools and has their interest at heart. There are few men in Michigan who possess the wide experience and the knowledge and good judgment so necessary to the office as does Commissioner Winston. He is the personal choice of the editor of this column.—*Cherboygan Tribune.*

National Creamery Manufacturers' Convention.
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A STRIBING ADDRESS.
 Hon. Chase S. Osborn Well Known at the Jackson, Mich. Station.
 Hon. Chase S. Osborn was one of the speakers at the Lincoln banquet held at Jackson. We get on the following from the Detroit Free Press concerning his address.
 Hon. Chase S. Osborn's wife is "Michigan." Mr. Osborn spoke in Michigan's first in production of iron and salt, second in copper, fifth in agriculture, sixth in manufactures, eighth in population, and is one of the very first in educational equipment, and agricultural, and of course, then, normally Republican in politics and will be just as long as our party is honest and intelligent in making progress, instead of a fulfilling that one in the progress of the nation progressing and capable in administering the affairs of the state or, in other words, the Republican party will succeed just as long as it deserves to succeed, and that should be forever.

If intelligence, industry, Michigan is second to no other state. The percentage of literacy in the state is only a little above five, or lower than Canada, Massachusetts, which is six. Our public schools are modeled their kind, our universities take high rank in the educational world, while the University of Michigan is one of the finest and best institutions of learning on earth. It is known wherever knowledge and civilization reign, its alumni are scattered everywhere and are men of influence, with food regard for their alma mater and the state that gave them.

Our state has never been the scene of rebellion or insurrection. It has always stood for the best nation standards and has always given of blood and treasure to maintain the dignity, the right and the power of the nation, and it always will. Nothing has ever occurred within its borders that amounts to national disgrace, such as the present deplorable affair in Kentucky—and God grant that Kentucky will.

There have been a few low public scandalo, and it is to be sorely hoped that Michigan citizens will do their duty to the end that there shall be no more in the future.

The state has from time to time submitted to abuses on the part of the national government giving example of courtesy and equity in the avoidance of violence to the citizens in the face of real or supposed grievous injury. This was true at the time of the boundary dispute with Ohio, when Michigan gave up a million acres of a fair and valuable strip, only receiving in recompense the Upper Peninsula, then regarded as good for nothing but cold storage, and the value of even cold storage was unknown.

After settling this terra incognita upon the state, the national government retarded its development severely by an act of such gross and starting injustice as to have no counterpart probably in the history of the country. Michigan decided to construct a ship canal around St. Mary's falls at Sault Ste. Marie. This was in 1897. Plans were made, the contract for the work was let and the contractor was given an advance of considerable money. He gathered his equipment and men and started operations, when he was confronted by an assistant quartermaster of the United States army, and stated that he had orders from Washington to the effect that the government would not permit work to be done that would interfere with or impair any improvement to be made, the construction of which was a small mill race. It was shown that the mill that was served by the race was little, old, dilapidated and almost in disuse; that both were state property; that the location of the village even intervened between the mill race and the military reservation. In consequence the contractor insisted upon going ahead and began work, whereupon the quartermaster at the fort appeared with a company of soldiers, drove the contractor and his men away at the point of the bayonet and seized the contractor's equipment. The work was stopped and the canal was not finally constructed until 1899, more than fifteen years afterward. The fact that the government never made reparation to the state is dishonorable, but it is of no moment compared with the loss to the state, to the Upper Peninsula and to the northwest by retarded development.

Important as Michigan's place is in the nation, it will be more so in the future. When the race is between the future fore the coming of all the English-speaking people, the United States will dominate politically and commercially that nation. Canada will be our Canada is in the direction of our natural expansion and it will be ours peacefully and gladly—maybe not tomorrow, but the day after tomorrow. I am an expansionist. Our country from its infancy has been a marvellous example of expansion. But I would wish expansion to be in the most natural, desirable and intelligent direction. We will need Canada, we now need the St. Lawrence basin almost if not quite as much as we need the Mississippi basin. So I would, if necessary to accomplish the bargain peacefully, exchange all our rights in Cuba, Porto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines and give a big sum of money to boot for Canada. This will come somehow, some way, some

time. Then Michigan will be the greatest central state and Detroit of Grand Rapids or Jackson, if not Sault Ste. Marie, will be the greatest city of the greatest state in the nation.

Republicans, the future is full of promise and of responsibility. There will be need for substantial patriotism, greatest intelligence, best ability, best business. Michigan can do better days in the past and I believe she will do it in the future.

WINTERAL ITTERS.
 Plenty of snow for the cedar hat's wear.
 The school of this country has an enrollment of 28 pupils.
 Mrs. Priscilla M. Manigault is visiting her daughter Mr. Bradley for a few days.

Bill is coming to spend other week, and will soon be spending both week and day.

Mr. Ledger returned from Wisconsin, last week where he attended the funeral of his father.

E. C. Payne, the station agent, is going for a visit to Manistowic friends, but will soon return.

The capacity for loss of the Michigan is ever the same. Some have to erect another hotel. Speaks well for Whitehall.

Saturday being Mr. Bradley's birthday, a number of Whitehall young people surprised him in the evening, by calling at his home. All report spending a very pleasant evening.

COOKS ITEMS.
 Plenty of sickness hereabouts; mostly grippe.

Hello! I'm glad to see you on our streets again.

Business seems to be progressing well and so on the.

A washing in the Catholic church to be looked for soon. May they ever be happy.

Mrs. Mel Lyman is out again after a week's illness of grippe. Can't keep you still long, Mollie.

Dr. Verkes and wife entertained a number of guests last evening in honor of Lily McDonald of Carven. All enjoyed themselves if you were to judge by the smiling faces.

The death of Chris. Conaghan occurred on the 8th of this month. A sad blow to his friends though not unexpected. He was a young man of sterling qualities and much respected by all who knew him.

A Hotel Hardware Store.
 Wood & Thoenen this week moved into the hardware store, now situated in their hardware store. The store is now one of the largest hardware stores in the upper peninsula. Its basement and main floors now measure 44 by 124 feet and a second floor of the new part adds a space of 44 by 52 feet. With a tin shop annex in addition to this Wood & Thoenen can justly lay claim to having a model establishment. The store is well lighted and is fitted out with substantial shelving. An elevated floor in the main floor room is used for office purposes and a big freight elevator is another convenience that finds space in the store.—*Soo Democrat.*

NEW CABLE ROUTE.
 Senator Foster Would Lay It by Way of Alaska, Siberia and Japan.
 WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—A bill was introduced by Senator Foster of Washington, providing for the construction of a government cable line from the United States to the Philippines. The distinguishing feature of the bill is that it requires that the cable shall be laid from some point on the coast of Washington, that it shall run via Alaska and north of the Alaskan islands to the island of Attu, and thence to Honolulu, then across the Pacific to San Francisco to Hawaii is provided for.

A Model Establishment.
 Brannigan & Brook, the new grocery and meat firm, opened their doors for business in the C. & B. B. B. block on Ashmun street, this morning. Mr. Ashmun street, this morning. Mr. Brook is in charge of the front part of the store which is well fitted with a complete stock of groceries and provisions, and Mr. Brannigan has a neat, commodious and well equipped meat market at the rear end of the establishment. The two departments are separated by a glass partition. The new combination store is a model one in every way and is in charge of enterprising and thoroughly competent business men.—*Soo Democrat.*

His Life Was Saved.
 Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful illness. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with typhoid fever, the ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in praise of it." This marvelous medicine is the sweetest and most reliable in the world for all throat and lung trouble. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at E. N. Orr & Co's Drug Store every bottle guaranteed. 2

To Cure a Cold in One Day.
 Take Warner's White Wine of Tar Syrup, the best cough remedy on earth. 20 and 50 cents.
 Sold by A. S. Putnam & Co.

Housework is hard work without Gold Dust!

TO WASH BRUSHES AND COMBS
 To wash hair brushes and combs, dusters, washboards, etc., use Gold Dust Washing Powder. It is better than any other powder for the purpose, as it does not soil the fabric, and it does not injure the hair. It is also good for washing clothes, and it is the best for washing dishes. It is the best for washing everything that is soiled with grease, dirt, or any other kind of grime. It is the best for washing everything that is soiled with grease, dirt, or any other kind of grime. It is the best for washing everything that is soiled with grease, dirt, or any other kind of grime.

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 Our furniture stock embraces all the latest styles and our prices are the LOWEST.
 Latest Methods of Embalming.
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Our Fall Suitings
 Comprise the latest weaves and colors. We Guarantee Fits. Our work is modeled after the prevailing styles.
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For Breakfast
 The most palatable food is Quaker Oats. Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuit and Petal's Breakfast Food.
For A Drink
 There is nothing that exceeds Parley Mocha and Java Coffee or Van Houten's Cocoa. If You Prefer Postum Cereal, it is healthy.
 Our Leader is CERESOTA FLOUR
 Which makes the same kind of bread as our best.
THE PEOPLE'S GROCERY HOUSE
 JOHN COSTELLO, Prop.

Pure Fresh Groceries
And Good Meats,
 Always on sale at our store. We always endeavor to please our customers both as to quality and price....
F. O. J. Lindsley.
 Successor to LINDSLEY & MOSHER.

Bring Back Any Thing That Does Not Suit.
 This is the policy that has made Middlebrook's store—the most successful in the city for purchasing pure groceries—has made it favorably known to all cautious buyers for miles around. Better go with the crowd and save your hard-earned Dollars. You can do it by buying your Dry Goods and Groceries from
MIDDLEBROOK,
 THE GENERAL STORE MAN.

School Supplies...
 My store is headquarters for everything in the line of School Supplies. Largest stock of Tablets, Pencils, Slates, Etc., in the city.
Archie Maclaurin,
 104 Street.

CROSSING SEIZED

General French Occupies a Position on the Belt River at Dekah River.

Colonel Hammy Had a Skirmish Sunday, Losing About Forty Men.

Another Slight Engagement Near Springfield Reported by Butler.

London, Feb. 12.—The British cavalry division under General French, Monday, Feb. 12, seized the crossing of the Belt river at Dekah River, and the British divisions are now camped.

London, Feb. 12.—(Continued from page 1.) The following dispatch has been received at the War office from General French: "The Belt River, Tuesday, Feb. 12.—Colonel Hammy, in command of a brigade of mounted infantry, marching from Orange River to Hammy, had a slight engagement Feb. 11 (Sunday) with the Boers holding the bank and threatening his right flank. With a detached portion of his force Colonel Hammy defeated the enemy, which he pushed his baggage and main body through to Hammy. The object of the march was successfully carried out. Four men were killed, 22 were wounded and 13 are missing."

NO GROUND GAINED.

Reconnaissance at Springfield Results in Heavy Loss of Lives.

London, Feb. 12.—The only war news of any kind during the morning was an official dispatch from General Buller at Chibwey announcing a reconnaissance at Springfield, resulting in the gain of ground on either side. Captain Hamilton Russell, Lieutenant G. Churchill and 10 were wounded and Lieutenant Pilkington and six men were captured by the Boers.

The dispatch contains the detailed account of what appears to be an important operation. They only took to flight on the situation by proving that the Boers were not in the neighborhood of the crossing.

From Field Marshal Lord Roberts at the Modder River, where all eyes are turned, there is no news.

A dispatch from Mafeking says the garrison there had held out since General Buller's dispatch from Chibwey, dated Monday, February 12, says: "The commanding officer at Springfield reports this morning that the Boers of the First Dragoons moving to the outpost line covering the right flank of the camp had a party of Boers near Puntberg. The Boers reached the crest of the hill first, opened a heavy fire on the squares, which resulted in the loss of one man and a horse near Puntberg. The Boers reached the crest of the hill first, opened a heavy fire on the squares, which resulted in the loss of one man and a horse near Puntberg. The Boers reached the crest of the hill first, opened a heavy fire on the squares, which resulted in the loss of one man and a horse near Puntberg.

It is not quite clear who held the dispatch as General Lytton, Hildyard, Warren and other generals are believed to be in the neighborhood of Springfield.

It is thought possible that the Lieutenant Churchill reported to be slightly wounded in Winston Churchill's brother John, who was recently given a commission in the Southern African Light Horse and who joined General Buller's command.

WILL AWAIT CONGRESS.

President Not to Send a Message in regard to Hawaiian News.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Senator Culver was at the White House during the day and had a conference with the president, in regard to the status of legislation before congress relative to Hawaiian Islands. The president has agreed to defer consideration of the expediency of sending congress to pass a temporary legislation which would enable the local government to provide for natives whose houses had been burned to stop the spread of the bubonic plague, and to succor those in distress. Senator Culver, however, expressed the belief that congress would very soon pass a bill providing for a permanent government for the islands, and that this measure would be ample to meet the existing conditions. The president therefore will await the action of congress on the pending Hawaiian legislation.

WOLCOTT DECLARES IT.

Chancellor Here on the New Philippine Commission.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The Governor Roger Wolcott of Massachusetts has declined the position of the new Philippine commission. The three commissioners already selected are Judge Taft, Professor Worcester and Colonel Charles Dwyer, the two last named having served on the old commission. It is altogether probable the president will select one member from the South and presumably a Democrat.

First Governor of Texas.

Washington, Feb. 12.—It has been practically decided by the secretary of the navy to appoint General Schroeder as the first naval governor of the Samoan island of Tutuila. Commander Schroeder is present on duty in Washington as a member of the board charged with the revision of naval regulations.

Merely Temporary.

London, Feb. 12.—A special dispatch from Singapore (Camp Friday, Feb. 9) says that General Buller's retirement was merely temporary owing to a deterioration of his health. The force of the Belandis, will soon resume operations. The casualties were mostly slight wounds.

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A BIG ARMY THERE.

ROBERTS HAS 35,000 MEN AT MODDER RIVER.

Expected the Advance to Belvoir Kimberley by Willson Begins, to be Followed by the Invasion of the Free State—Appalling Death Rate in the Heidelberg Camp During November and December.

London, Feb. 12.—Lord Roberts has published a report on the military operations in the Free State, which is a most interesting and valuable document. It shows that the British army has been steadily increasing in strength since the beginning of the year, and that the Boers have been unable to make any headway against it. The report also contains a detailed account of the operations in the Free State, and of the death rate in the Heidelberg camp during November and December.

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AN EARLY CONVENTION.

President Roosevelt believes it would be wise to change a Free State.

MISSENAUG, Feb. 12.—A Washington special to the Times says: "At a dinner given by Representative Caldwell, one of the guests was William Jennings Bryan. During the conversation it was ascertained that the president has decided that there was a strong sentiment in which Mr. Bryan seemed to share, that the Democratic national convention should be held before the Republican national convention on June 19. It is reported that the president has decided to change the date of the Democratic national convention from June 19 to June 12, and that the Republican national convention should be held on June 19. It is reported that the president has decided to change the date of the Democratic national convention from June 19 to June 12, and that the Republican national convention should be held on June 19.

BRIEF HITS OF NEWS.

The new American League of Base Ball Clubs has completed its organization. The directors of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad have declared a regular dividend of 15 per cent. A State Auditor of Minnesota has been elected. Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the National American Woman's Suffrage Association, has been elected. Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the National American Woman's Suffrage Association, has been elected.

MISS ANTHONY RETIRES.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, President of the National American Woman's Suffrage Association, has been elected.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The National American Woman's Suffrage Association has elected Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the association, to succeed Mrs. Susan B. Anthony, who has been elected to the office of vice-president. Mrs. Catt has been elected to the office of vice-president, and Mrs. Susan B. Anthony has been elected to the office of president.

BOERS SHIELDED.

British Reserves Pelted Near Beaufort.

Beaufort, Feb. 12.—The British reserves were pelted with bullets near Beaufort. The Boers were seen to be firing from a position near the town. The British reserves were pelted with bullets near Beaufort.

RECEIVED ENCOURAGEMENT.

Towns on the Route Will Help the British.

St. Paul, Feb. 12.—The Duluth, Glenview, St. Cloud and Mankato directors have in conference the directors of towns along the route of the proposed road. They have received encouragement from the British.

TO OUTFLANK BULLER.

Renowned General Joubert Has That Object in View.

Durban, Feb. 12.—It is rumored that General Joubert is marching with a column of 6,000 men to outflank General Buller.

AUSTRALIA EXCITED.

British Reserves Pelted Near Beaufort.

London, Feb. 12.—The Daily Mail has the following dispatch from Sydney, N. S. W.: "The news of General Buller's retreat has caused a great sensation here. Cardinal Moran in a remarkable speech has advocated conscription in Australia, in view of possible contingencies. He thinks it may become necessary to defend Australia and Rhodesia against the depredations of the Boers."

TO FORTIFY INSUI HILLS.

Large Command of Boers Escaped Near Xhondo.

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Heavy Bombardment at Kimberley.

Kimberley, Friday, Feb. 9.—There was a heavy bombardment yesterday and today and the fire of the Boer guns at Kimberley has been very trying.

Body Exposed.

Phisher—Gusher is not very happy in his choice of adjectives. Fisher—Why not? Fisher—Miss Gusher fished for a companion by asking him what he thought of her alippers. Fisher—And what did he say? Fisher—He said they were immense. Fisher—Why?

BREVITIES.

Story is impossible. A street lamp is being placed about the town.

The fact cannot be denied that the Boers are being pushed back to the west.

It is not surprising that only a small number of Boers are being captured.

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IN EFFECT JANUARY 1, 1903.

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9:30	MANISTIQUE RIVER	5:30
10:15	WATERLOO	5:15
11:00	MIAMI	5:00
11:45	SMITHS FERRY	4:45
12:30	ST. CECILIA	4:30
1:15	DELA SING	4:15
2:00	SMITHS FERRY	4:00
2:45	RICHMOND	3:45
3:30	MINNETONKA	3:30

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

C. W. DUNTON

Atty. at Law.

W. L. LORANGER

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

GEO. P. McALUM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

FRANK H. PETERS,

LAWYER.

J. M. SAILLER,

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON.

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Patronize the West Side Shoe Store, because they are sure to receive the values of their money. My stock of Arctic, German Socks, Shoe Pads, Rubbers, & Wooden Underwear was never more complete. Can suit you to equality and price.

Geo. MacLaurin.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSION OF THE MANISTIQUE BANK AT MANISTIQUE, MICHIGAN, at the close of business January 16, 1900.

Loans and discounts	\$20,000.00
Stocks, bonds, mortgages, etc.	21,111.25
Overdrafts	1,200.00
Partners and fixtures	31,500.00
Other real estate	31,500.00
United States bonds in reserve	50,000.00
Due from other banks and bankers	2,500.00
Checks and cash items	1,000.00
Undivided profits	1,000.00
Gold and silver	1,000.00
U. S. and National Bank Notes	6,000.00
Total	\$200,000.00
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	20,000.00
Reserve fund	50,000.00
Deposits	50,000.00
Commercial deposits subject to check	15,000.00
Commercial certificates	81,250.00
Total	\$200,000.00

FRANK R. MERRICK, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief. **GILBERT H. MERRICK, Notary Public.**

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BREVITIES.

County Treasurer Chappel is on the sick list.
The village election will be held on Monday March 12th.
Egan Towner defeated Morley Bryce in a polo race at the ice rink last Monday evening.
Frank F. Lee will have his company Monday night. Lady takes free. Please prepare for the new season.
Baitcock traps are in the field and are being set.

BREVITIES.

It is rumored that Charles B. Morrison will be a candidate for the superintendency of Manistique township this spring.
Rev. Brandt's sermon on "The Tongue" last Sunday morning was a masterpiece and would make profitable reading if published.
Rev. W. H. Mills who died at Iron Mountain last week, delivered the Decoration day address at the opera house on May 30, 1898.
A merry party was given by Rev. Casler at the M. E. parlour last Tuesday evening. Nearly 100 persons were present and a very enjoyable evening was spent.
Persons sufficiently interested in the new harness at the postoffice have become an expert in reading its indications can secure direction cards from Mr. Jesse Randle for the nominal price of ten cents.
Will the members of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid Society that have been earning and saving money under the plan inaugurated last month, please have it ready by Wednesday evening Feb. 28th. You will hear more about it later.

CASTORIAN COMMITTEE.

Mr. H. E. Barr, who for the past two years has been connected with the chemical company and later the iron company, has resigned his position and returns to Milwaukee tomorrow. During his short stay here Mr. Barr made many friends. He is a first-class business man and his Manistique friends wish him success in his future undertakings.

BREVITIES.

Mr. Joseph Walsh and his son Joseph J. Walsh leave for Duluth this evening.
Blackho, half-brother, and other relatives meeting all with us at the residence of C. L. O'Steen.
Mr. W. F. Nelson of Ishpeming has accepted the management of the Manistique Iron Co. and arrived in the city Wednesday.

BREVITIES.

The Athna Insurance Co's adjuster, Chester E. Braden's loss Thursday on a very satisfactory manner. He paid Mr. Braden \$250.00.
Owing to the fact that yesterday was a holiday the various stores and banks were not closed at 7:30 o'clock as usual. Late closing will also be in effect this and tomorrow evenings.
Mr. Corbin Kingold while not an active candidate for re-nomination as village trustee would accept the honor if same is tendered him. Mr. Kingold has a good record as an official and deserves a re-nomination.
Mr. L. Rosenthal returned from the east yesterday afternoon. While on the east he purchased a very large stock of spring and summer goods. He reports prices on cotton still as high as extremely high.

BREVITIES.

The corner's jury investigating the wreck at Ford River which last week returned a verdict holding the Chicago & Northwestern railroad company responsible for the disaster, but failed to specify which of its employees were at fault.
The Frank Long Co., so well and favorably known here, will commence a new season at the opera house commencing Monday Feb. 19th. This is one of the very best, reputable companies in the country and has been greeted with big houses everywhere this winter. Popular prices will prevail.
Take no chances but follow the ground hog's advice and invest in an ulster or overcoat. Lots of cold weather coming yet and in the meantime, don't forget that Blumrosen is the only store in town where you can have an unlimited choice of all kinds of winter garments, in any style desired, and getting closing out prices. They have just a few of those first-class, genuine, to close out in the final liquidation, to close out at less than original cost. Better call early.

BREVITIES.

Mrs. Elizabeth McEllan is seriously ill at present.
Mrs. Foley entertained the Ladies' Whist Club Tuesday afternoon.
"The Countdown 100" company went to smash at Baraga this week.
House and lot, centrally located, for sale cheap. For particulars call on C. B. Messinger.

BREVITIES.

A. L. Van Alstyne's stock of dry goods at Manistique was damaged to the extent of \$20,000 by fire last Saturday.
The Manistique Iron Co. with head quarters at Detroit, and capital of \$200,000, has been recently incorporated.
Democracy has come right down to the local level now where she hasn't a word to say except about the salt of Salt and the crime of '73. St. Paul Dispatch.
The Frank Long Company have just finished a run of seven weeks in the copper country to S. R. Onighly. Lady takes free Monday night. Refreshments now on sale.

BREVITIES.

The valentine social given at the residence of Sheriff and Mrs. Peterson Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Boreas society of the Swedish Lutheran church, was largely attended and a very handsome sum was realized for the benefit of the fund.
The committee on entertainment presented a very interesting program at the meeting of Manistique Legion No. 108, held last Wednesday evening. These programs are becoming features of the meetings of the legion and are much appreciated by the members. The next meeting will be held Wednesday evening Feb. 28th.
Rev. J. A. Braden, pastor of the Swedish Lutheran church for the past few years, preached his farewell sermon last Sunday evening. He contemplated leaving for Niagara Sunday evening and after a short stay there will go to the New England states where he has accepted a pastorate. His many friends wish him success in his future work.
The Macleboe lodge will present the drama "The Turn of the Tide," in about six weeks. The following persons will be included in the cast: Messrs. Eugene Madson, Don LaFrance, C. W. Atkins, Joe. Jennings, Clarence Scott, Ed. Corley, Joseph Scott; Messes LaFrance, Peters, and Moore and Miss Higran. A real and genuine will be held at Mrs. P. H. Peters' dining room in the McKinney block this evening. At this time the various parts will be assigned.

BREVITIES.

The snow plow was in constant service last Sunday.
The dealers in valentines report a very satisfactory trade in same.
Pillow case tubing all ready for use. Something new at C. L. O'Steen.
The National Democratic convention will probably be held on June 27th.
The store Holabomb, the present efficient values clerk will accept a re-nomination if same is tendered him.
Messrs. Joseph L. and S. F. Walsh of Flint arrived in the city this week. They are sons of Mr. Joseph Walsh.
Mr. August Miller is able to go about the house for men's errands. His friends are pleased to know that he is recovering so rapidly.

BREVITIES.

A servant girl recently gave a sick child some medicine which killed the child. It was stuff for cleaning gloves but did the child no harm.
Morley Bryce will race Egan Towner at the rink next Tuesday evening. Bryce is a fast skater and will not disappoint his Manistique friends in the coming race.
W. S. Philpot, Albany, Ga., says: "What's Lacle's Early Bile? It's no more good than any pills I ever took." The famous little pills for constipation, biliousness and liver and bowel troubles. A. S. Putnam & Co.

BREVITIES.

Mr. B. B. Baker has built a very handsome boiler for a head that he will launch on Indian Lake next summer. The boiler is one of the handsomest pieces of workmanship we have ever seen. The fuel used to generate heat is oil.
John Dier, Poseyville, Ind., says: "I never used anything as good as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is quick, breaks up and kills. Cures all throat and lung troubles. Its use will prevent consumption. Pleasant to take. A. S. Putnam & Co.
The hotel A. O. U. W. lodge has decided to make a concerted effort to increase the membership of the order. The members have been organized into two opposing forces and the side securing the least number of souls will be compelled to furnish an extra supper for the entire membership.
"I think I would go crazy with pain were it not for Chamberlain's Pain Balm," writes Mr. W. H. Stapleton, Herculano, Pa. "I have been afflicted with rheumatism for several years and have tried remedies without number, but Pain Balm is the best medicine I have got hold of." One application relieves the pain. For sale by A. S. Putnam & Co. Druggists.

Keep Your Eye Open.

And watch for our New Spring Goods which are arriving daily.

Mr. Harry Lane, who is advertised by everyone to be one of the shrewdest and tactful buyers in Upper Michigan, is in Chicago and New York buying goods for spring trade. Mr. Lane will give no pains in selecting the latest and very best assortment ever made to Manistique.

Our Stock of Winter Goods and Clothing Must Be Reduced.
We are making prices that cannot be paralleled by the strongest competitor.

ROSE BROTHERS

The Up-to-Date Store.

Pioneer-Tribune and Inter Ocean \$1.50

ZANDITON IS FREE AGAIN.
Part of his Clothing Store Was Located Yesterday.
Egan Towner.
E. Zanditon, once being merchant, has one trouble less since yesterday, when the case against him on the charge of larceny was dismissed in Judge Macdonald's court. Wm. Vobe, Zanditon's clerk, alleged that his employer had stolen his ticket. It was shown that Zanditon had purchased the watch from a Chicago firm, which had sent it to him C. O. D., as appeared from an inspection on the Western Express Co.'s books.
The greater part of the goods stolen from Zanditon's store two weeks ago, were found yesterday afternoon in O. I. Miller's office on Spruce street, and as a result of the recovery a warrant was issued for Mr. Miller's arrest, on the charge of receiving stolen property. Mr. Miller claims to have purchased the goods. Zanditon's case has been looked after by Judge Conch, whose opinions were aroused by a sudden intimacy between Wm. Vobe, Zanditon's former clerk, and A. Mr. Miller. The attorney had a

search warrant issued, and Officer W. P. Lippert located the goods. Upon a statement by the prosecuting attorney that he had investigated the case against Wm. Vobe, charged with looting the store, and found no grounds of suspicion against him, Vobe was released on his own recognizance this week, to appear before Judge Conch Monday. In the light of yesterday's developments it looks like the prosecuting attorney has been misled in the matter. Mr. Vobe evidently needs watching.
Weather Report.
We are indebted to Mr. Jesse Randle for the following report of temperature during the week ending Thursday:

Thursday Feb. 9	40	29	above
Friday	30	20	below
Saturday	11	20	4 below
Sunday	11	20	4 below
Tuesday	11	20	4 below
Wednesday	11	20	4 below

After frantic and unsuccessful efforts to organize a line of carriages through Green Bay this winter, the Ann Arbor Co. will no doubt decide to again utilize Manistique's "open all the year harbor."

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BLUMROSEN BROTHERS'

MIDWINTER BARGAINS

According to the Ground Hog, there is going to be plenty of cold weather yet.

The Ground Hog knows.

Take his advice and buy an Overcoat or Ulster. We still have quite a few on hand and are offering them at Remarkably Low Prices.

Clothing. Clothing.

Mens' heavy Price and Chinchilla Ulsters, all styles, quality and workmanship the very best obtainable, up from..... **5.00**

Mens' Fine Beaver Overcoats, well made and trimmed, regular \$8.00 coats, this sale only..... **5.98**

Mens' All Wool Chinchilla Overcoats in latest styles out, suitable for any season of the year, fully worth \$9.00 this sale only..... **7.00**

Mens' fine English Coverl Top Coats, the latest styles out, suitable for any season of the year, fully worth \$11.00 now only..... **9.00**

We are sole agents for the celebrated "Zoro Collar Ulster" - the warmest and most comfortable coat made, just the thing for this kind of weather. Call in and examine them.

Childrens heavy wool Frize Ulsters, warm and serviceable, worth up to \$4.00, this sale only..... **2.25**

Boys heavy Chinchilla and Donce Heaters, ages 3 to 15, at prices lower than original cost, at \$9.50, \$11.75, \$2.00 and..... **2.50**

Boys heavy Kersey, Tweed and Cheviot Knee Pants, ages 3 to 15, well made, worth 75c, this sale only..... **48c**

Special Mens heavy Tweed and Cheviot Suits in solid colors, and fancy mixtures, a big assortment to select from, well tailored and trimmed, right up-to-date garments, worth up to \$8.00, for this sale only..... **5.48**

Ladies Capes, Cloaks, Jackets and Collarettes.

Owing to the unusually mild and unseasonable weather that has prevailed this fall and winter, we find ourselves overstocked with the best stock of Ladies Fine Winter Garments that we have ever had on hand at this time of the year. The most popular fashions in blacks, blues, browns, tans and all the newest shades of Beaver, Kersey, Coverl Cloth and Boucle. Our custom has always been to close out all of our Winter Cloaks and Jackets Regardless of Cost, as we never carry over any garments from one season to another. So now is your chance to buy a stylish and up-to-date garment at less than manufacturers cost

A blue black Kersey Jacket, best make, all silk lined, regular tailor-made and perfect fitting, regular price \$2.50, this sale..... **7.75**

A beautifully tailored and finished blue Kersey Jacket, all silk lined, perfect fitting, regular price \$11.50, this sale..... **7.00**

A handsome dark Tan Kersey Jacket, regular tailor made, full satin lined, a beauty at \$11.50, this sale only..... **7.25**

A Black Beaver Jacket, well made, silk faced, regular price \$6.00, this sale only..... **3.50**

Ladies Boucle Jackets, all new and stylish..... **3.00**

Ladies fine Black Beaver Capes, full sweep, handseemingly trimmed in braid and jet embroideries, regular price \$9.00, this sale only..... **1.85**

SPECIAL - A handsome blue-black Kersey Jacket, well made and finished, regular price \$3.00, this sale only..... **5.25**

All o' our Childrens and Misses Jackets and long Cloaks Must Be Sold Regardless of Cost.

Felt Shoes & Slippers.

Ladies Douglass Foxed Beaver lined Felt Shoes in lace or button, worth \$1.25 to \$2.00, now only..... **.25**

Ladies Blue Beaver Slippers, warm and comfortable only..... **75c**

Mens heavy beaver lined Felt Shoes, all sizes, neat, warm and comfortable, regular \$2.75 values now only..... **2.00**

Mens heavy Felt Shoes, warm and comfortable only..... **75c**

Specialties.

Ladies heavy ribbed and fleece lined Underwear..... **25c**

Ladies all wool flannel Shirt Waist, the regular perfection brand well fitting only..... **88c**

Fine quality Crash Toweling, worth \$6, now per yard..... **50c**

Bronzed Dress Coats, all colors, double width, worth 30c only..... **12c**

Yard wide all wool Dress Flannels, plain colors, of checked, good values..... **25c**

Mens heavy wool fleeced Underwear warm and durable, worth up to 75c each, this sale only..... **49c**

Mens heavy fleeced Overalls, full sizes, well fitting and wearing, worth 75c, this sale only..... **49c**

Mens heavy all wool Sox, regular 40c quality, warm and durable, this sale per pair only..... **25c**

Don't Miss This Sale We Carry Nothing But the Best.

Call at the Big Store of

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