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# Royal Baking Powder

**ABSOLUTELY PURE**

## Semi-Weekly Democrat.

Will locate at the "Soe."  
Blumrosen Bros. have decided to open a store at South St. Marie and have rented a room in the Power & Lipsett block. M. Blumrosen, of this city, informs us that they expect to open at the "Soe" about May 1. Barney Blumrosen, who has managed their lab and store since they opened there will have charge of the new concern, leaving the business at Ashland to be managed by M. Krako. Blumrosen Bros. are enterprising business men, are good buyers, keep an excellent line of goods and believe in making their money by honest dealing. "Barney" will move his family to the new location and has arranged for a pleasant place to live.

alike are fastening to the grave. Know the place that knows us will soon no more. The valleys that smile with fragrant and beautiful flowers, and the stately hills that are carpeted with luxuriant verdure, will fade from our eyes. Time and the wait for no one. Let the Lord reign in Manistique—let God evangelize the world.  
F. A. ROGERS.  
Dissolution of Partnership.  
Norman McDonald and David Spodman, doing a general merchandise business under the firm name of McDonald & Co., Cooks, Mich., have this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent. Norman McDonald will continue the business, pay all indebtedness and collect all bills due the firm.  
NORMAN McDONALD.  
DAVID SPIDMAN.  
Cooks, Mich., April 1, 1905.

## High Items.

Business at Cook's is brightening up. Reported that fifty coil kilns will be built this season, and a mile of rail road track also.  
George Roberts is making calculations of farming this summer, and thinks of lumbering one more winter on the Manistique river. He has lately purchased a span of heavy horses from Esnabets that weigh over 3,000 pounds. They are good ones and no mistake. His farm on the east end of camp in which Mr. Van Winkle's land is was erected. The county line between Delta and Schoolcraft runs along the buildings, something in one county and the balance in the other. Mr. Roberts has done lots of hard work in his life-time.

Many people are making great efforts to spend Easter in a proper way. Plenty of eggs and appropriate exercises.  
I arrived in Manistique yesterday, which was Friday. Am staying at the St. James. Have seen a good many that know.

The night in town to be in the main Army meeting. Their methods are very entertaining and much good is being performed. It was my first among them. Have been invited and will attend again.  
This morning I saw the pastor of the Baptist church, and had a very pleasant conversation with him. Had met him at his church over one year ago. He came from Bay City, lower Michigan. All things permitting I expect to attend services with his congregation tomorrow. He is an able pulpit orator.

I think a great deal of Manistique and should be well pleased to have my home here for a while at least. Fine advantages are given to the sober and serious mind. Good meetings of all denominations, excellent Sabbath schools, and splendid public schools. Hope to devote my time pleasantly and profitably in visiting everything of this description during my sojourn here, which will last about one week.

I observe quite large numbers of people in the city. A good many men have gone on the drive, which is hard, dangerous work. It is said that some have returned from the rivers. One should know how to ride a log and swim, and then find employment at something else.

And so little Claude Douscher has gone the way of all the earth. Loved so well and gone so soon. A tender flower plucked in the morning of life. Mauldittide love, freed from the chains of a log, earthly career. Gone to gleams a light on the evergreen-hor. Anguish about chanting songs of the resolved. A silver chord is thrown to a sorrowing mother and an afflicted father, to follow the pathway of a noble child and obedient son who is safely within the porter's gates. No mourning—no parting tears.

As fine progresses, I will inform you concerning anything of interest that may occur under my observation while among you in Manistique.

We are somewhat dark, with rain. Snow and ice are breaking from the woods and help to swell the streams.  
Today is Sunday. Last evening I attended the Salvation Army meeting. Those industrious and deeply interested ladies keep many young fellows and other ones away from bed places. Large audiences greet them every night and they will do Manistique no harm. A credit to any place.

This forenoon very beautiful and impressive services, which had the pleasure of attending, were held at the First Baptist Church. The building, which is very neatly and attractively arranged within, was nicely filled with people. Eight gentlemen and ladies with the organist, composed the choir. Very sweet melody indeed, followed by the congregation. How essential that we improve all our golden opportunities as they are passing by us. This evening I expect to go to church at some place in town, and tomorrow I must begin to visit the schools. Two buildings remain to be touched.  
Monday morning, April 15. Last night I went to the Salvation Army meeting held in the Opera House, which was filled almost to overflowing. A perfect sea of people came to the services. The young and the old

We thus express our many to the hundreds of Ladies who have visited our store during the past week. The liberal patronage they have given us is a clear proof that they were well pleased with all our goods and prices, and especially our

## MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

which has no equal, only the very newest ideas in hats and Bonnets are exhibited.

We are showing the handsomest line of Spring Wraps and Gapes in the city, and we are sure to please you if you want the latest.

## ROSE BROTHERS.

Beggs' Cherry Cough Syrup relieves that soreness and smothering sensation in your lungs. Safer, surer and quicker than any medicine on the market. Every bottle guaranteed by Gray Drug Store and West Side Drug Store.

Lohani's "No Limit" cigars are the smoker's delight.

Free Pills.  
Send your address to H. E. Bucken & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of constipation and sick headache. For some proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels, greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. Sold by A. S. Putnam & Co.'s Drug Store.

According to the law as passed by the late congress a salar or season man must collect his wages by the time of stepping ashore. It also exempts a seaman's clothing from being attacked by boarding-house keepers.

Kansas wheat is said to be a failure. Street railway laborers are arrested at Toledo, Ohio, for working on Sunday.

The Yankton Indian reservation will probably not be opened for settlement before June 1.  
A bull escapes from the ring at a bull fight in Barcelona, Spain, and makes interesting for the spectators.  
A Wisconsin sheriff is to be tried in South Dakota this week on a charge of attempting to kidnap a prisoner.

The Pension Butcher Shop.  
The Judge Long pension case is still on or hanging in the court of appeals today, and whatever the decision there may be it will be appealed to the supreme court. The pension commissioner will not be satisfied unless he has exhausted every possible means to beat Long, and the latter, though hardly disabled physically, has light enough in his mind to go to a finish with Lechere. It is not for himself alone that Judge Long is making this contest. It is not for the thousands of deserving pensioners who have been treated worse than dogs by the present commissioner. More than once the latter's decision has been overruled and many times has been sharply called down by members of his own party for his arbitrary and abusive conduct. Let alone the commissioner, perhaps, need not have so an earnest and well-headed, but Hoke Smith is his superior, and he is by education and choice a later of union veterans.—Detroit Journal.

To Make Pure Blood  
There is no medicine before the people equal to Hood's Sarsaparilla. It has exhausted every possible remedy and it possesses peculiar merit which others try in vain to reach. It really makes the weak strong. Do not neglect to purify your blood this spring. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla now.  
Hood's Pills become the favorite cathartic with every one who tries them. 25c. per box.

## KNOW THE WORLD OVER



Washburn-Crosby's  
**BEST FLOUR,**  
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

The Washburn Mill are the largest flouring mills in the world, having a flour capacity of ten acres. Daily production amounts of Fourteen Thousand barrels. Every barrel and sack is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. The finest quality of superfine flour are ground in our mills. It makes clear, white, larger loaf than any flour sold.  
GIVE THIS FLOUR A TRIAL AND YOU WILL USE NO OTHER.  
WHITE MARBLE LINE CO., Ag'ts, Manistique, Mich.

Seed Potatoes for Sale.  
I have for sale the "six weeks" market potatoes in large or small quantities, at 50 cents a peck. From that kind of seed you can raise ready for market in six weeks.  
R. S. RUEGLES.  
Notice.  
To WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—On and after this date, the undersigned will not be responsible for debts contracted by his wife, Ione Mies.  
HENRY A. MIX.  
Manistique, March 23, '05.

All Free.  
Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now the opportunity to try it free. Call on the advertiser Drogist and get a free bottle. Free. Send your name and address to H. E. Burken & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Free, as well as a copy of tracts to Health and Household Instructor, Free. All of which is guaranteed to do you good and cost you nothing. A. S. Putnam & Co.'s Drug Store.  
Notice.  
To WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—The undersigned cautions the public not to purchase an organ or any furniture from Joseph Mathis, as the property is owned by me.  
LOUIS MATHIS.  
Manistique, March 23, 1905.  
Appetite and Strength Restored.  
"Last spring I lost my appetite and even a 'very little work fatigued me. I began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla and Loon felt as though I could do as much in one day as I had formerly done in a week. My appetite is good since I used Hood's Sarsaparilla."—Ray S. Andrews, Harford, Mich.  
Hood's Pills cure billowness, indigestion.

## Millinery . . . .

This week we inaugurate a great Special Sale of Trimmed Hats, we have hundreds to make your selections from, all  
**MODELS OF PERFECTION AND BEAUTY,**  
at \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.75.  
Special Sale of Flowers - at 20, 25 and 35c. up  
Same line of Children's Mill Hats worth 50 to 75c. 25c. each  
Same line of Infants and Children's Silk Bonnets, worth \$1.00, \$1.50 at 75c  
Our Ladies Caps and Children's Hatters is the most complete line in Manistique.

## Blumrosen Bros.

The report of State Salt Inspector Hill shows the following inspection of salt in Michigan during March: Bay, 37,125 barrels; Saginaw, 21,274; Manistee, 9,064; Milland, 2,006; Mason, 13,235; total, 82,698, as against 60,969 in February.

Have you a dark, greasy skin with pimples and eruptions? These are forerunners to inform you your liver and kidneys are affected. One bottle of "Hood's Blood Purifier and Blood Maker will remove the cause and the skin become clear and bright. Sold by City Drug Store and West Side Drug Store.

## New Goods! New Goods!

AT THE  
**Chicago Lumbering Co's Store.**

We have been receiving New Goods every day for the past two weeks, and we now have a complete line, including

Dry Goods in all the latest Checks and Plaids, in all wool Dress Goods and Silks.

also we have the . . .  
Neatest and Prettiest Line of Wash Goods

ever brought to the city, including . . .  
GREYSONS, ORGANDAS,

FRENCH GINGHAMS, AND WHITE GOODS

We have also a nice line of New Laces, Embroideries, Handkerchiefs, Etc.

We have just received a fine line of  
Men's, Boys and Children's . . . . Clothing

Good all-wool Suits for 10, 12 and 15 Dollars that were sold last year for 15, 18 and 20 Dollars. Now is the time to buy a suit, they were never so cheap before. We have the largest line of Suits in the city and DEFTY COMPETITION, either in Styles, Workmanship or Price.

In Hats and Caps . . . .  
and all kinds of Men's Furnishings our lines complete Latest Styles and New Goods.

Groceries . . . .  
We have a complete line of these goods all bought of First Hands, and in prices we defy competition.

We have just received a big line of new Garden Seeds in Bulk and large pack 25c, also "Salzer's" Timothy and Clover Seed, Guaranteed Pure.  
**C. L. Co's Store.**

### Insist on ARM AND HAMMER SODA in packages

BEWARE of imitation trade marks and labels.

Costs no more than inferior package soda—never spoils the flour, keeps soft, and is universally acknowledged purest in the world.

Made only by CHURCH & CO., New York. Sold by grocers everywhere.  
Gifts for Arm and Hammer Soda of valuable Recipes—FREE.

### Do you want the WALL PAPER? Cheapest and Best

The undersigned having secured the Agency for the Sale of ALFRED PEATS, Chicago and New York, Wall Paper, has just received a complete line of samples displaying over 300 New Patterns, including the famous \$1,000.00 PRIZE DESIGNS.

If you need of Wall Paper in any quantity do not fail to see these samples. They represent the finest and most complete line ever manufactured, at prices marked in plain figures which!

Defy Competition! Good paper 3c. per roll . . . Gold paper 4c. per roll and upwards.

Samples displayed at your home if desired. Call on or address  
**D. J. WARD, - Manistique**

### HAVE YOU SEEN OUR . . .

## New Spring Dry Goods?

Look at our Easter Window as you pass by the Store.

Do you know for sure where you can buy a Suit of Clothes and know that you "are not left" before you get them on your back? If you do not, try us.

Put YOUR NAME on our GROCERY LIST.

# The Weston Lumber Co's Store.