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NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

PARAGRAPHS CONCERNING LOCAL HAPENINGS.

Interesting Items about Townspeople and Their Business and Social Affairs.

—This is rather week.

—But three more days of February.

—Local politics are moving alone slowly.

—The circuit court opened in Marquette Tuesday.

—The county board of supervisors will meet in Marquette next Monday.

—Miss Katie Maitland entertained members of the Ladies' Whist Club Monday evening.

—A handsome new bradbury piano was placed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Erickin Mathews Tuesday.

—The meetings of the Ladies' Sewing Circle and the Ladies' Aid Society at Swanson Club have been postponed for a week.

—If the old theory that a good bed of snow is followed by a fine crop, prospects are bright for farmers the coming season.

—Ed. Coughlin, a well known fishing man, died Saturday at the hospital in Escanaba after a three days' illness with diphtheria.

—The Lenten season is now in full swing and the Lent Year maiden will have to stay in her own back yard for a while. No proposals during Lent.

—A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford A. Harsche, in Houghton, Washington's birthday. February 22. Friends here extend congratulations.

—Regular lenten services are now being held in the chapel of St. Paul's Catholic church at 7:30 o'clock on Wednesday and Friday evenings of each week, beginning last Wednesday evening.

—Harvey Nelson has retired from the St. James hotel in Ironwood and the owners have again taken possession. The failure of Mr. Nelson to make the house pay is given as the reason for his retirement.—Hurley Miner.

—Hewitt, according to the latest congressional decision, you must say "the United States is"—not "are." Might as well begin right now, suppose the St. Louis Republican, by saying that, "the United States is!!" —and that's no lie.

—The members of the local Danish Brotherhood lodge enjoyed a happy time at their hall last Saturday evening, it being the occasion of their twenty-second anniversary. A number of the Brotherhood from Ishpeming were in attendance.

—H. J. Peterson, the tailor, is preparing for a fruity spring suit trade and has in stock the very best line of spring suitings ever brought to the city. If you want a neat spring suit, place your order with him now. Heat his change of ad for another column.

—A base ball team was organized among pupils of the Negaunee high school last Friday who stand prepared to contest with any other high school team in the county or Upper Peninsula. Albert Hough has been chosen captain of the team and Fred Pearce manager. All challenges should be addressed to Mr. Hough.

—Hell H. Hicks, the St. Louis wailing prophet, predicted that Pobegan would be a cold month and he is proving true. Now he tells us that Harvey will bring heavy storms, of sleet with a severe blizzard above the 45th, and a cold wave about the last of the month. Harvey, when cold, with the remnant of the March blizzard, will be full of "showers and smiles" that will take the place of snow squalls in the north, and there will be freezes late in the month.

The ski jumping and dog races in Ishpeming Monday attracted a large crowd from this city, and the hack news houses closed at noon. In order to accommodate the people to and from the ski grounds, which were located midway between here and Ishpeming, the street car company was taxed to the utmost, being obliged to bring in open cars into service.

The weather was a little too cold for the spectators, but a majority of them remained to the finish. It is estimated that at least five thousand people witnessed the ski races.

He Was Not Insane.

J. D. Murphy, a brother-in-law of M. T. Murphy of this city, and who was himself a resident of Negaunee prior to his removal to Tower, Minn., where he has been mayor of the city, may bring legal proceedings against the people who were instrumental in securing his commitment to the insane hospital at Fergus Falls. On his return to Tower this week Mr. Murphy stopped at Duluth, and the News-Tribune of Monday contains the following interview with him:

"My confinement in the insane hospital at Fergus Falls was the result of a conspiracy. I was railroaded there without being given a chance to procure counsel or see my friends in Duluth. I deny that I have been insane at any time."

The foregoing statement was made yesterday by J. D. Murphy, former mayor of Tower, and a resident of prominent citizens of that place, at the Morley union station on his return from the insane hospital on parole. Mr. Murphy was met at the station by his brother-in-law and his daughter, Mrs. Gibbs, upon his appearance looking weight 22 pounds more than he did when he went to the asylum and says he never felt better in his life. Mr. Murphy will remain in Duluth a few weeks and in the meantime he hopes to obtain his official discharge from the institution at Fergus Falls.

"I naturally feel a little 'sensitive about my unhappy experience of being sent to the hospital for the insane," said Mr. Murphy, last evening, "and I think I have been the victim of a great conspiracy.

"I had been sick in bed at Tower for the days before I came to Duluth. I had consulted a physician in the post office, who had been there for years, and my house was visited by Bishop McDevitt, who had come to Duluth at once as he wanted to see me on business. I was not surprised to receive such a message, as I have been active in the Catholic church at Tower and at the time some matters were pending. I thought I knew what the Bishop wanted to see me about, so got out of bed and made the journey. If I had been insane I would have shot the Bishop, who was simply an amiable man, as doing his work. The president have no right to do such a thing without giving a man a chance to procure counsel and his friends to see, would be fair or humanitarian.

"I am a Republican, but if President Roosevelt knew of the way I was treated he would be fair and humane."

Mike's Family Pills are the best.

An Even Break.

The Lady to applicant—But if you be really capable, why did you leave your last place?

The Cook—Faith, an' it may be for a sense reason that your aun was thrin'ty yer, I dunno.

Via Through Pullman Sleeping Car.

California Points Via Iron Mountain Route.

Leaving St. Louis 8:30 a. m. daily for Los Angeles, via Iron Mountain Route, in Tourist Sleeping Cars on this route every day for Los Angeles and San Francisco every Wednesday and Thursday. Best latter route to California. For further information address Homer Wilson, District Passenger Agent, 111 Adams street, Chicago.

Plain Language of Ours.

"Oh, don't worry about such trifles," said the girl. "Just keep a stiff upper lip and everything will come out all right." "Pshaw," muttered the other maiden, "it is a physical impossibility for me to maintain a superior labial rigidity."

In Kenmare County, Dakota,

where we now can 160 acres free land, there is a 20 bushel per acre average wheat, oats, rye, flax and other crops. Come see for yourself. Excursion March 8th. Address Geo. A. Gray, Kenmare, N. D.

Evening Herald of the case of a reporter on a Boston newspaper who had proved the correctness of his story on issue neptune in order that he might investigate alleged abuses in that institution. He lodged unannounced at mind described even his family and the specialists in mental diseases. He brought about his investigation in remarkably enough, inscuring his release after he had accomplished his object, proved to be quite another matter. In fact it was not until the reporter agreed not to publish in his paper the information he had gained that he was able to secure his release. The reporter of the institution came later, however, and was generally supposed to have been accomplished by the reporter "giving off" his information to a friend on another paper.

Lost Infant Daughter.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge Harsche died suddenly last Saturday at St. Paul, where Mrs. Harsche had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gibbs. Mr. Harsche went to St. Paul on the North Country Mail train that evening. The remains of the child were brought here Tuesday noon and after services at St. Paul's Catholic church were given interment in the local cemetery. The little girl was 4 months old and another, and older child, a son, survives. Since the funeral Mr. and Mrs. Harsche have been detained at Marquette by the serious illness of their son. However, they expect to soon return to St. Paul and probably will follow their original intention of spending the remainder of the winter in California.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS ABOUT FOLK YOU KNOW.

Mrs. Carl Moll of Kenton, Mich., is visiting at the home of her brother, C. M. MacKenzie at the Pettit.—Virginian.

Edward Jory, the Pioneer avenue carriage painter, has again resumed his work, after an illness of several weeks with rheumatism.

Miss Belle Kelly, of Marquette, was here Sunday, the guest of the Misses McDonald.

Mrs. Geo. McCombs and daughters, Margaret and Jean, spent the day here Monday, guests of Mrs. T. J. F. Jas. They attended a card party between here and Ishpeming in the afternoon.

A. E. Maitland, general manager of the Consumers Ore company's powder ties on this range, was in town last Saturday. The company operates mines at Ishpi. They will enter the ship-ping list for the first time this year.—Virginian.

John W. Boothby, now with the Lake Shore Engine Works in Marquette, has moved his household effects and family to Negaunee.

Prof. Clinton came down from Ishpeming Saturday evening and spent Sunday and Monday in Negaunee.

J. F. Jackson, of Norway, spent Sunday and Monday in town.

James Sampson, employed in the assay office at the Regent mines in this city for several years, left Monday morning for Tonopah, where he assumes a more responsible position in the Stormy Lyons mine.

Fred Eddy and Samuel Bockett, together with their families, departed for the Pacific coast Tuesday, leaving for Butte City, Montana, where they will make their permanent abode. Their household effects were shipped Saturday.

Mr. J. C. Maynard was up from Scanaba Tuesday, attending the funeral of her sister, the late Mrs. Gordon, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge Barsche.

Mr. Hawkins, who left here several days ago for Petoskey, where he has engaged in business, was called back Saturday on account of illness in the fam y.

J. D. Campbell came from Chicago Saturday and spent Sunday and Monday with his family.

Mr. Ole Martin, of Norway, arrived here Saturday evening, on a visit to her son, J. M. Pirkis.

Miss Minnie Hoffman arrived here Saturday evening from Lake Linden and remained until Tuesday afternoon visiting relatives and friends.

Charles B. Hart arrived here Saturday morning from Chicago.

J. Goldman, of Bessemer, was in town early in the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kirkpatrick were up from Escanaba Monday.

Miss Carrie Beyer, of Marquette, spent Saturday and Monday here visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Michael Sullivan.

Clifford Barron and Annie Donnelson, were among the Escanaba people who came down here to witness the ski racing Monday.

Mrs. John Strobel and daughter, Marie, have completed their visit here of Mrs. A. Barnes. They took in the ski races.

The families of Isaac Hosse and Simon Kinik now occupy the handsome new residences on the corner of Main street and Brown avenue, having moved thereto Monday.

Miss Margaret Wheeler of Ishpeming visited her grandmother, Mrs. C. Hendricksen and returned to Marquette Monday evening.

Mrs. Mack Ferguson was up from Marquette Monday visiting her mother, Mrs. Harriett Wood.

Miss Vina Gleason, of Gladstone, was a visitor in town Monday. Miss Gleason is attending the Normal school in Marquette.

Michael Shea has been quite sick at the home of his parents in Clark avenue for the past week.

Miss Sigrid Nikander, who is attending the Finnish College at Hancock, came here Saturday on a visit to her parents and returned Tuesday afternoon accompanied by her father, Mr. Werner Nikander, who will take his insurance to the copper country for the next few days.

Frank Webber, brother of our townsman, B. E. Webber, was among those from the copper country who took in the ski races Monday.

Misses Ella Ison and Lizzie Abola, of Hancock, were in town Monday, en route to Chicago. While here they were the guests of Mrs. Werner Nikander.

Mrs. J. B. Strong concluded a two days' visit here, the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Mitchell, and returned to her home in Laurium Tuesday morning.

Anna Salaulin, of Marquette, delivered another piano in town Tuesday.

Joseph Barrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barrett, former residents of this city, is dangerously ill with pneumonia at the home of his parents in Marquette. Mr. Barrett is a member of the local division of Hibernians.

Miss Ella Ison, of Hancock, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday. Tuesday she accompanied Charles Johnson to Ishpeming.

Andrew Braun, a druggist of Hancock, and Hj. Felmaly, of the Houghton National Bank, were callers in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Archambeau, of Marquette, were in town Tuesday, in attendance at the funeral of Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge Harsche's four-months-old daughter.

George A. McDonald returned home early in the week from a business trip to the Gogebic range.

Miss Anna Lemie is here from Grand Marais, visiting her parents.

John Maud McCarthy concluded a two days' visit with her cousin, Mrs. Thomas Sexsa, and returned to Marquette Monday evening.

O. W. Youngs, of Iron River, was a Negaunee visitor Monday.

Mrs. John Wilson and Mrs. Chas. Graves and baby arrived here Wednesday evening from Duluth, in response to a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. Wm. Pipes.

Michael Manning left Tuesday night for Seattle, Wash.

Miss Hazel and daughter, Cecile, arrived here Wednesday morning from Chicago.

Miss Hatchell was a passenger to Newberry by the early train Tuesday morning.

Joseph Koester, who had been confined to his home for several days with a severe cold, has resumed his work in H. J. Peterson's tailor shop.

Charles Mack, Jr., arrived here Tuesday from Milwaukee, having completed his work as meat cutter at a leading meat market at that place.

Harry Trembath returned to Houghton Tuesday morning.

Mrs. A. R. Burdick, of Sinclair Mission church, has been granted two months leave of absence and will leave next Tuesday for Gulfsburg, Ala., where he will visit his wife for a few days. From there he will visit relatives in Kansas, Nebraska and Denver, Colo., and will then proceed to Minnesota. He expects to return some time in May.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Howe, of Calumet, were visitors in town Monday, seek and departed Tuesday on a visit to Iron Mountain. Mr. and Mrs. Howe were former residents of this city.

Mrs. John Ward arrived here Wednesday morning from Crystal Falls, where she has been by the illness of her brother, Michael Shea, who died shortly after her arrival. Mr. Ward accompanied her home.

Thomas M. Wells was a passenger to Marquette Tuesday morning. He will probably visit Grand Rapids before he returns.

Charles Jost, who has been dangerously ill for several days, was reported much better yesterday.

Claude Mitchell, who had been working in the Hibbe (Ariz.) Hotel, arrived here Wednesday. He suffered an attack of mountain fever a few weeks ago and decided to return to this climate.

T. F. Cole, president of the Gilbert Lake city, was a visitor here last Friday for a few hours Wednesday evening.

Miss Alice McNabb is visiting friends in Duluth.

John Hough, of Cooke; M. M. Dunn, James Morrison, W. H. Johnson and Capt. Collins, of Ishpeming; Dr. Yeomansell, Rod Campbell and J. H. Lewis, of Marquette, and Mark Elliott, of Palmer, were passengers Tuesday evening for Grand Rapids, to attend the reorganization of the 32d Masonic degree.

A Sad Death.

Mrs. Florence Piper, wife of William L. Piper, succumbed last Tuesday morning to an illness of but a short duration, leaving besides her husband and an infant daughter two weeks old to mourn her loss, a large number of relatives, including her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Samuel Mitchell, and the parents of her husband, Capt. and Mrs. James Piper. The couple were married but a little over a year ago and the sommons brought grief to not only those connected by ties of relationship or friendship but to the community in general. The deceased was 28 years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. Piper were married Wednesday, October 22, 1902, and they have since made their home in this city. Following the removal of Capt. and Mrs. Piper to the Lincoln copper fields some months ago, the couple have occupied the Piper family residence on Cane street.

Besides her parents, Mrs. Piper is survived by eight sisters—Mrs. Sam Ross, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Drake, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Greene, Mrs. Perkins, Mrs. Olson and Mrs. Myrle Wheeler—and by one brother, Samuel J. Mitchell. Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Drake, Mrs. Perkins and Olson reside here; Mrs. Greene and Mrs. Wheeler several days ago, and Mrs. Wilson is expected in early forenoon Thursday morning. Capt. and Mrs. Piper have expressed their intention of leaving Negaunee, but the distance from Michigan's copper fields is sufficient to deter anything at time in the future, in fact they are not expected before Spring or Summer.

The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock this (Friday) afternoon, the services to be conducted at the home of Capt. and Mrs. Samuel Mitchell.

Michael Shea's Death.

The death of Michael Shea, last Wednesday morning, was a shock of Cornish Colony residents, among the many friends who had known him about the street only the day before. He had not been in good health for some time past, but no sudden a termination of his illness was not apprehended.

Deceased was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Shea and was born in Neenahne in September, 1872. He attended Sinclair school in this city and spent his entire youth here. In Neenahne in September, 1892, he married Miss Ella Ison, daughter of John and Daniel, and two sisters. The happy pair were married in quiet disposition and was not quick to make acquaintances, but those who knew him thoroughly appreciated his sterling character. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias and Modern Woodmen of America, and M. C. Kraemer, 98, of Williamsport, Pa., was likely at a point off Atwater when the alarm came from the lake. Dickinson and a young man named Foard were Allen's companions and they were endeavoring to have Allen when Mr. Yates' party reached the shore in response to the alarm. Yates and his companions found an old skiff and this they carried onto the ice, pushing it over the hard surface until the thinner ice was reached. Then their weight and that of the heavy craft broke through the coating. Three times their boat was upset and the occupants thrown into the water. On reaching the last body rode they deliberately walked ahead of the boat, holding its bow and breaking the ice by the weight of their bodies until they sank to their necks. At the end of twenty minutes they reached and rescued Allen and Foard, both nearly exhausted. Dickinson had lost his grip on the ice and had disappeared from sight a few minutes before the rescuing party reached the other two. Subsequent effort was made to recover Dickinson's body, but up to the date of the last papers forwarded by Mr. Yates the remains had not been found.

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SPALDINGS WON EASILY.

DEFEATED NEGAUNEES BY SCORE OF 29 TO 5.

Some Speedy Playing, but Game was too One-sided to be Very Interesting.

The victory achieved by the Spaldings over the Negaunees in the indoor baseball game at the Adelphi collerick last evening occasioned little surprise. The Chicago players make a fine addition of the game, while with the local team it is merely a reversal of form. The score was 29 to 5 in favor of the visitors and the home boys consider that they made a pretty good showing under the circumstances.

The attendance was very satisfactory and considerable enthusiasm was worked up at times, though the one-sidedness of the contest precluded any particular exuberance. Craig, who pitched for the Spaldings, was able to send batters back to the bench almost in rotation. Keer, who was in the box for the locals, did very good work and with more effective support the Chicago score might have been lowered a little. It is unlikely, however, that any Upper Peninsula team would prove a match for the Chicago players when the latter chose to exert themselves.

Took Part in Rescue.

The local columns of the Ithaca (N. Y.) Daily News and special dispatches to the New York city papers tell of the creditable part played by a trio of Cornell University students, among the many friends who will it. Yates of this city, in their efforts to save the life of a boatman who had been blown out on Cayuga lake last Sunday. Carl G. Allen, a sophomore from Williamsport, Pa., was skating at a point off Atwater, about thirteen miles from Ithaca, when he went through the ice. Linda T. Dickinson, a senior, whose home is in Brooklyn, Michigan, and Julian H. New York city, went to Allen's assistance. The effort cost Dickinson his life, while Allen was saved.

With Mr. Yates, who is a member of the Cornell class of '96, were G. E. Goodrich, Mt. Clemenhurst, Conn., and M. C. Kraemer, 98, of Williamsport, Pa. They had skated from Ithaca to Atwater, a distance of 13 miles, when the alarm came from the lake. Dickinson and a young man named Foard were Allen's companions and they were endeavoring to have Allen when Mr. Yates' party reached the shore in response to the alarm. Yates and his companions found an old skiff and this they carried onto the ice, pushing it over the hard surface until the thinner ice was reached. Then their weight and that of the heavy craft broke through the coating. Three times their boat was upset and the occupants thrown into the water. In reaching the last body rode they deliberately walked ahead of the boat, holding its bow and breaking the ice by the weight of their bodies until they sank to their necks. At the end of twenty minutes they reached and rescued Allen and Foard, both nearly exhausted. Dickinson had lost his grip on the ice and had disappeared from sight a few minutes before the rescuing party reached the other two. Subsequent effort was made to recover Dickinson's body, but up to the date of the last papers forwarded by Mr. Yates the remains had not been found.

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TO ST. VALENTINE.

Valentine! Saint Valentine!
A glorious day! A happy day!
Flowers, and very lovely flowers,
Because of love for one month mellow,
My lips are dumb.

O Valentine! Saint Valentine!
Thou know'st the little maid of mine,
Her name is Rose,
Be pen and fluent the phrase
Of Rose and world grown green with
Rose
Thou know'st best.

Dual everywhere are days dare above
Rose were it I have to be a rose
Or Rose to be
A great, sweet field, that is her lover-
ing
But Stephanie soft and bloom be showing,
Give me the Rose!

Oh, Phyllis fair! Oh, Phyllis proud!
Thou know'st the little maid of mine,
That I might see
Thy delicate in golden locks
To make pay heart from out its slumber—
Give me the Rose!

Yet—no, dear heart! The dream will bring
A sweeter, I wot, I could wish
Than Rose or Phyllis
You will answer to discover
Thy lips are more than happy keen,
And I am dare
Thy Valentine.

Aunt Madeline's Valentine.

AND the girl clings to this silly so-called Valentine's Day! Why she don't make her give up that poor failure and accept Harry Clark, I'd have no more to do with any of you. I go to-night unless the girl gives in. Hear your daughter; make her obey! And Aunt Madeline would not dare! Why, having her since—pretty, laughing Mrs. Harry—she would know that life would be dreary were parvenus with lar-gess at Hitty Fenn.

Hitty was the sister of two dead children, had been Aunt Madeline's protege for years. Ever since her mother's death the child had been visited and adored by the aunt of Mr. Fenn's childless widow, who, to be near her darling Kitty, had for the last three years settled with Mrs. Fenn, her liberal payment and well-chosen lodgings set the widow's sinfulness income in a way all of them appreciated. That Hitty admired Rufus "should go" meant that Jack must have stood, and go he should, that the little once could have no new suits that winter, that only have necessaries could be bought, perhaps not even these. Yet Mrs. Fenn felt called to interfere further with Kitty's choice of a husband. It was true that the 20th Rufus Hatfield seemed to others fully as good a man, kind, steady and devoted, as Herbert Mantley, who had a small salary and no bright prospects. But Kitty admiring, nately loved Herbert before Rufus appeared on the field, and she did not let love her aunt Madeline, who seemed her that Herbert would "take to drink," if her slipper proved herself and her family a mere pawn.

Aunt Madeline had never been married, and her life had not turned out well. She had had her lover, but he was not by one man, if not more, was not linked with youth of the world's goodies. She pretended to marrying her choice, regardless of wealth, and he, a weak character, could not bear trials, resorted to stimulants to drown his sin, and at last was for years dependent upon his wife for his home and support. The sick lady never married, and just when Mrs. Fenn (her sister) was dying, she begging to go to work to earn her own support, he died, leaving his one love his large fortune. Judging by her own experience Aunt Madeline could not wish for adventuring marriage for money instead of for love; but "all lovers don't turn out so," Kitty argued, and was sure that many Herbert's were not supported by sister for years and was thoroughly tired by repeated disappointments and reproaches, was very different from weak, vacillating Harry Fenn.

"I won't give him up. I might not be, I ought," the girl was just repeating when her gentle mother knocked at her door. Then Felicia was one of those women who never exceed a child's room without knocking. She respected each one's privacy, and perhaps it was for that reason, taking no liberties herself, she was so dear to her children's hearts.

"Come in, Mother," was one Aunt Madeline had been frequently heard say. Why doesn't she come to me instead of always sending for Kitty? Is she so good and I so bad?

"You won't have a choice, mother, your aunt is going to leave to-night."

"Leave? O dear! Why, mother? I have done this when you need the help she gives so much! I wish—" and Kitty's voice sounded so beatifully that Mrs. Fenn was sorry for her.

"Kitty, dear, it is a sacrifice, and one I cannot ask of you, but if you could be of your own free will you are doing a great and unselfish deed. Your aunt Madeline. Jim into his employ, your aunt would see Jack through college, you would have a luxurious home with you, darling in the man she loves. If anything happens to me and Rufus is as good as Herbert—I cannot but think your aunt would soon grow so warm for him as for your sake!"

The girl's face was white and fixed. Her broad her brothers and sister had died tragically, and then, too, had not her dying father called her "the one other good child" to them? He might have forbidden her to wed, but he had not, for he was so broken-hearted, he had to leave Kitty, who was the child he had to live for, to be a mother to them.

"My girl, you have to choose between your—dear daughter of a father's—wish—her own happiness, her bright future for the sake of your orphan brothers and sister. Kitty, you have been brave, and unselfishness and God will make such sacrifice work out for you a far more ennobling and eternal weight of glory."

These words seemed ringing in the poor girl's ears. She saw her aunt Aunt Madeline from her mother. She saw her dear brothers and sister and Rufus' sad, or Minnie of the safe refuge she could command for her if she gave up Herbert. With pale lips, the girl said:

"Call a messenger, mother; I'll speak to Aunt Madeline; only let me sit alone a while."

The mother, frightened at the girl's looks, yet knowing how good and true a man Rufus Clark was, left the room, though longing to unlock her girl to her first darling, and Kitty sat alone, not weeping now, only walking until it should grow dark that her face might not betray her.

Meanwhile Mrs. Joyce was packing her trunks and boxes, for she was a determined woman, and meant to keep her word. A friend had repeatedly urged her to come and keep "old maid Lal" with her, and sometimes when the boys were in trouble (generally through their fault) Madeline had felt inclined to accept, and had hinted as much to Mrs. Mills, who often said she would expect her "at any time." So now she telegraphed to Lal, too that she was to come by the night train, and went to work at her packing to keep down the feelings of regret and compunction that threatened to overwhelm her. She decided she would not pack all, but send or come for it, and she thought with relief that, she need not see her aunt or her nephew, for the next days; but there was Kitty, she must see her, and she was not of a disposition to cast off a friend because she came across a pink carriage, worn and faded, but one that had been kind to her, deeply chosen for its beauty to hold some dainty message.

"Harry's valentine! poor fellow, poor fellow! My poor loving Harry!" and she opened the faded envelope with fearful falling hears. It was not Harry Fenn, the drunkard, of whom she thought; it was the boy lover of her girlhood, poor Herbert. She seemed to be standing again, a loving, trusting gift of eighteen, and to see his blue eyes so full of love, so beautiful and true to her, beaming upon her, as he said:

"I wrote it myself, Pat, and I want you to keep it always—from your Valentine."

"Always—forever!" she had answered.

"Oh, a book. As there is always one that grows, and one that takes, to love and cherish. If she should ever, poor, long out her very life in devotion and sacrifice for him, and she not prove a wonderful secret happiness, even in her pain? Would she wish even now her past life different? She pressed the faded valentine to her lips.

"Aunt Madeline, I have come to say I cannot and to pack your things. I'll give up—I'll marry Rufus Clark. Herbert will understand, poor fellow. Do stay, Aunt Madeline!"

"Poor! who talked of going? What nonsense! Just because I choose to look over my things on a rainy afternoon it was perfectly dry outside, but the old lady was not bad just to 'let' a little grumble I am going! And as for Rufus Clark, let him go, my child, let him go! I suppose you want Herbert, for better, for worse, till death do part, and that the old lady's more grey hairs have helped to make her cross. Marriage is a lottery, and the wonderful marriages are not always the trusted—and—and—I suppose I am one of the feeble sons. Keep your Herbert, as I said, poor fellow, and Rufus Clark.

"The girl trusted to say, 'But Herbert is not feeble,' but she felt it would be 'worse, not all better,' to our marriage." Darling is she was wise, and let the old lady have the floor.

"Yours, dear old valentine congratulations—many happiness! I suppose, the time seem to you? And Aunt Madeline read the verses to Kitty, which were dogeared, and yellow and faded by the side of the same old book, to suit the lover's purpose. "Mere fragment! but keep your valentine, dear, when they come from your true lover! Keep it as long as you bring a sacrifice, unselfishness—all wrench, and disguised by two tears, and as I came some day."

The girl bowed her head down to the valentine—it meant, it was Aunt Madeline's bad to bachelor life, and Madeline was so sweet and dear Kitty was so good, so good—by to their one wellfed relation. To her surprise, her aunt's sweet voice the dialog room together, she young girl feminine and thoughtful, the lady with a tender light in her eyes, and a delicate flush on her pale and sweet face.

"Pa's all right, Mothers," said Kitty, formally. "Aunt Mad's going away, and I needn't worry Rufus. He'll have to wait for Minnie."

"But—I" began Mrs. Fenn, wonderingly.

"Mother St. Valentine shall be my patron saint! I forewarn!"

At which speech Aunt's flush deepened, though she tried to cause down grave fully from her former attitude.

"I will! Miss Kitty is foolish, but time will teach her her folly!" and so concluded to the contrary.

The wedding came off on St. Valentine's day, Kitty declaring that she would would bring them luck. Minnie wore her first "long dress," and Mr. Clark seemed so much richer with her wonderful wealth embellers to the bride that Aunty may still have one of her pious "marital wail." Herbert is quite of Aunt Madeline's, from seven strapping "for better" and not "for worse." He may never be rich, but he is loving and honorable, and on such wedding anniversary as she has with a valentine, which is carefully treasured. But Kitty begs to take the faded pink envelope and its enclosure. "I'll leave it to you, dear," said Aunty, as the third anniversary of Kitty's marriage, "but as long as I live I'll keep one as the other." "marital wail." Herbert is quite of Aunt Madeline's, from seven strapping "for better" and not "for worse." He may never be rich, but he is loving and honorable, and on such wedding anniversary as she has with a valentine, which is carefully treasured. But Kitty begs to take the faded pink envelope and its enclosure. "I'll leave it to you, dear," said Aunty, as the third anniversary of Kitty's marriage, "but as long as I live I'll keep one as the other."

And Kitty, remembering the dying bed, where the poor weak man had repeated the faded pink envelope and Aunt Madeline's clothes had not been so utterly worthless as some would insist, —The Housewife.

LINCOLN'S LAW PARTNER.

Hiram W. Beckwith, from 1856 to 1861 a law partner of Abraham Lincoln, died recently at St. Luke's hospital in Chicago, aged 72. Mr. Beckwith's father was one of the pioneers of Illinois, having helped to found the town of Springfield in 1819. Young Beckwith studied law under Ward H. Lamon, who was afterward the District of Columbia marshal during Lincoln's administration. He was a close friend and later became his resident partner at Springfield. In 1859 he was a member of the legislature.

From 1857 to 1902 Mr. Beckwith was president of the State Historical Society, which was organized in that year and which he was one of the founders. He left a son and two daughters.

H. W. BECKWITH.

Lincoln and the Dying Soldier Boy.

One day in May, 1863, while the great war was raging between the North and the South, President Lincoln paid a visit to one of the military hospitals, upon an exchange. He had spoken many cheerful words to the wounded soldiers, as he proceeded through the various wards, and came at last to the bed-side of a Vermont boy about sixteen years of age, who was fearfully wounded.

Taking the dying boy's thin, white hand in his, he inquired tenderly, in a tender tone, "Well, my poor boy, what can I do for you?"

The young man looked up into the President's kindly face and said: "Won't you write to my mother for me?"

"Yes! I will," answered Lincoln, and calling for a pen, ink and paper, he seated himself by the side of the bed and wrote from the boy's dictation. It was a long letter, but he faithfully transcribed as signal of reverence. When it was finished, he proceeded saying: "I suppose this is soon as I get back to my office, I shall be busy, but I will do it, dear."

The boy looked up appreciatively to the President.

"Won't you stay with me?" he asked. "I do want to hold on to your hand."

Mr. Lincoln at once perceived the inference. The appeal was too strong for him. He sat down by the side of the bed and held the hand of the dying boy. For two hours he remained in that position, and when he rose he said, "I wish I could have the boy's father."

When the end came he bent over and kissed the boy's white, cold, pure forehead. As he did so, he burst into tears; and when he came out of the room, in the hospital they were still streaming down his cheeks.

Unmoved.

"You say you saw my sister at a recent wedding?"

"Yes. It wasn't very long ago."

"But I don't remember that she mentioned seeing you."

"Very likely. I was only the groom."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

INTERESTING DALLIGH FACTS

French Artist Tells of His Experiences in Dante's Country.

Gustave Doré, the black and white artist, who is a favorite in fashionable circles, has given a short account of his tuition secret with the Dante and Dudeau d'Ures the other day. The artist merely went to the secretary's park at St. Cloud for the purpose of seeing the start of the aerial navigation, in which the Aeroplane Leopold Salvage, of Lamia, made a flight over the London Telegraph.

As the Dante and Dudeau d'Ures were setting themselves down in the car of the balloon Aero-Club the artist approached and wished them "Bon voyage." The duchess, with the sweetest of smiles, said: "Can't you come too?" and Sem felt that he could not refuse the invitation. So he went in the cloaks, and soon found himself over Chatillon. The aero had to look down, and at first it made him dizzy to do so. By degrees he got used to the dizziness and was able to see the earth under him. It looked like a large paper-mache plan of places in the Louvre museum. The trees seemed to be caterpillars and the houses mere specks. In fact, the whole thing looked pretty and artistic. Changing color from to the earth the hollowness shortest to large spaces of humanity below them, and raised where they were. They heard a voice answer—it was the voice near Arras. That was the last indication they had of the world, and, as they thought, they found themselves speeding at a tremendous rate through the darkness. Sem felt cold and numb and they had no electric lights with them. They had no fear, however, regardless of the heavy rain, which fell in torrents, and the cold, which wasn't all the time. Suddenly underneath them they heard the voice of the night. "Come on well, we are going down." Sem felt the shock of the balloon touching the earth and then bounded along for one minute, when the aero-engine was turned off and all got out. They danced for joy on the ground and had not to walk a mile from where they were. The duke and duchess invited them to a dinner of collation, and so, too, did the artist, while the capitain invited the Sem and M. Fenne, after a search of twenty minutes, discovered a native who could not speak French, English or German who addressed by the capitain in those languages, but who was able to gain in his hand and looked dangerous. He was finally sent to Chatillon with signs that a vehicle and lodging for the night were wanted. The man in the sky travelers to his hotel and then to the chateau of the duchess, where they learned that they were in Holland.

Romance of An Explorer.

Some time ago, in the Paris Gaulois, Arthur explorer, was tired the interesting fact was not romance. It was a disappointment. In love that let the romantic and brilliant writer to give explorer.

From the day that his sweetheart left the hotel for the Gaulois, Arthur Chatillo threw himself into the work of his chosen explorer. He was the soul, never sparing his health nor his wealth in the cause of science and science.

His most notable performances were the discovery of the gorilla and the journey across the heart of Central Africa. When he made the announcements of these discoveries in his books they were received with the incredulity. It was not until specimens of both the gorilla were sent to Paris and to Europe that his detractors were silenced.

He Chatillo died in St. Petersburg. He was the author of the Russian version of the St. Petersburg Geographical society. Henry H. Hayt, a warm personal friend of the explorer, was the author of an obituary.

Arthur Chatillo spent a great fortune in his explorations. He will be remembered by the Geographical society. This is accounted for by the fact that he spent every all of his vitality and fortune. His books, "The Land of the Gorilla," "Wild Life Among the Pygmies," "Lost in the Jungle," "My Journey through the Heart of the Dark Wild," "Wild Life Among the Pygmies," and a great vocabulary and grammar of the Bangala language, are worthy men, but be preferred to devote his life and fortune to scientific work. —New York World.

Gloves for Women.

"Women will go bareheaded, make no excellent and lately remedy for cases, in the Paris fashion, but they will wear gloves and for slight attacks of sore throat. Most women take care that the gloves last the first day out I longer to feel the importance of such gloves. I know a clever every four all the time of four day and by midnight attack and left four old or three days. Most of the wife is much given to indigestion, perhaps because of her sedentary life, experience has taught her that she may now not worry with impunity, provided that she swallows a cure now and then for several hours after the meal."

Cheap but Unreliable Labor.

Farm laborers in Russia may be employed at from 16 to 20 cents a day, though in many parts of the country they are scarce and unreliable.

After breathing a man often finds it too late to act.

Women's Doings.

What Makes a Woman Popular?

Which of these features is more popular in the progress of a woman? Is it her beauty? Is it her wealth? Is it her pretty lovely were called upon to vote on this question, it doubtless would cast its ballot for beauty. Beauty make the individual a parlor, let an amount of gray matter will render a woman popular with her own set or with her acquaintance either if she has no regard for the daily bumbers of her talent.

Dress is not essential to the woman of character say some, if is the man behind the gun who counts. The man under the hat, the heart beneath the corsage that unites friends and vital popularity. Yes, but who can gainsay the fact that a lovely woman is near the less lovely because she wears a becoming hat, or the two magnet because her father is well liked? It is the duty of every woman to be well dressed and the power in life of her graces will not excite a careless collar from or shoes run down at the heels. Nor is it always wise for a woman's waist to be as broad as her sleeves. A woman is not best when she is conscious of being well, and a pretty gown often enhances a good argument.

So pretty gown is, moreover, not dishonest; its graciousness, and the graciousness woman is always popular. A well-dressed woman is pleasing to herself and consequently sees only the pleasing side of life. Note in the faces of her friends. She is joyous herself and makes others feel glad in her presence (maybe is at a discount and creation are dissimilar. But a pretty frock, well fitted, which breathes of hard times and cries about of free is the woman never put in worry in her case, be she as wise as Min Minerva. An unbecoming garment will constantly remind a woman of its ugliness and make her feel ill-at-ease in society, and all the attributes of a popular woman will be lost in the sense of neglect of disapproval. She overlooks the fact that if you bring a smiling face to the place you will find a smiling smile. Friends drop away and the woman who is popular is the well-dressed friend. Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

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NOT AN AVAILABLE CANDIDATE.

The Hancock Evening Journal, in one of its lamest lame efforts, proceeded to solve the gubernatorial problem which is causing Lower Peninsula politicians so much perplexity, by placing in nomination Lieut.-Gov. Alexander Maitland, of Negaunee. The compliment the Evening Journal seeks to pay is one well merited, and anyone who is acquainted with Mr. Maitland and is familiar with the executive ability he has displayed in commercial and industrial lines of endeavor will readily admit that he would make a good governor; but the copper country paper doubtless will speedily find that it will have to look elsewhere for an available 1904 candidate.

Mr. Maitland is at present in California and so far as known there is no one here who is authorized to speak for him, but it is safe to say that he is not a candidate for the executive's chair and that in all probability it would be impossible to induce him to become a candidate. He is a man who is concerned in the management of large and important interests and these make heavy demands upon his time and energy, so that even if he were personally agreeable he might not be in a position to undertake a political task such as the copper country editor has mapped out for him.

The Hancock Journal prefaced its article with this statement of the situation:

Neither Fred M. Warner nor Justus S. Stevens, the formally announced candidates for the Republican gubernatorial nomination in the coming campaign, seems to have aroused a sufficient of enthusiasm in the hearts of the Republicans of Michigan, everywhere outside of the copper country, at least. Up here it seems to be a case of "A plague on both their houses."

Continuing, after some further comment, the Journal says:

It has a the situation, why should an upper peninsula man not be considered? The fact that too man from this part of the state has got out in the governor's chair is no indication that such will always be the case and now would not be the time for the upper peninsula to present a man for the office. We have each a man who already has been governor for a year in Lieutenant governor and in close line for a promotion. Those who know Alexander Maitland believe that if he were made governor he would speedily prove himself an honor to the state as the chief executive officer and would give the people a clean, honest, business administration when would compare well with that of any predecessor in the office.

The Evening Journal is not authorized to make any announcement on Mr. Maitland's behalf; it is speaking entirely upon its own responsibility and because the situation appears to warrant the introduction of a new name in the preliminary canvass for the nomination. That of Alexander Maitland naturally presents itself first because of the fitness of the man for the honor, the position he now holds and the esteem in which he is regarded in the part of the state where he is so prominently a figure. With a popularity of unalloyed probable strength throughout the state, just one of the elements of nominating strength, it looks to us well if it might be possible for the upper peninsula, by presenting a solid front to win and for the candidate, especially if he were a man of such strength, probity and ability as Mr. Maitland.

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New complications are added to the situation in the Far East by Japan's repudiation of a treaty with Korea, whereby the independence and integrity of the latter country are guaranteed by Japan.

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Lee M. Osborne, of the state copper mental station at Chatham, is doing some missionary work in behalf of the Upper Peninsula Agricultural Association by sending out circular letters calling attention to the meeting to be held in Marquette next Thursday afternoon, March 1.

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Upper Peninsula editors will gather at Marquette next Tuesday to attend the annual meeting of the Lake Superior Press Association. In addition to an interesting programme of papers and addresses, officers for the ensuing year are to be elected and the proposed trip to the World's Fair at St. Louis is to be considered.

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Going and Coming of People.

Rev. A. E. Mowell, of the Swedish Lutheran church, will conduct services in Michigamme and Sunday, hence there will be no services held here on that day. Mr. Mowell spent Monday in Chatham.

Robert H. Taylor, of Sault Ste. Marie, called on friends here Monday.

Mrs. William Jory and daughter, Carrie, of Swanzy, spent Saturday here, guests of Mrs. Joseph Baron.

"Uncle" Steve Harvey spent Sunday and Monday here and returned to Swanzy Tuesday.

Mrs. M. C. Arland arrived home last evening from a somewhat extended visit with friends in Dowagiac.

Isaac Hosen returned home from his Chicago trip yesterday morning.

J. D. Chubb, the architect, is in town.

Dr. E. O. Gillespie returned home yesterday morning from a business visit down the North-Western line.

Mrs. Thomas Hodge left Wednesday evening to join her husband in Helena, Arizona.

Mrs. G. L. Kuhlman writes home that she is still enjoying life in the city of Washington. The weather has been pleasant and she has not been troubled with asthma since arriving there.

Will Nido is again able to dispense mixed drinks at "The Owl," having nearly recovered the use of the fingers which were knocked out in a recent game of indoor base ball.

D. McDonald and daughter, Miss Kitty, returned home Wednesday afternoon from a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Canada and Detroit. Dan says he enjoyed the trip fairly well but that the weather was but—even worse than here.

A. M. Cyril and H. M. Henderson, of Norway, came up on a business mission last evening.

Mrs. J. H. Hough unexpectedly became the hostess for a number of lodgeseeing ladies Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Hough made her home in Ishpeming for a few years and some of her former neighbors conceived the idea of paying her a visit without the formality of notification. The surprise was complete but the visitors found a cordial welcome and a very pleasant afternoon was spent.

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	386,567 19
Loans on Policy Holders, secured by Reserve	816,591 12
Agents' Balances	11,558 72
Bonds, cash value	99,380 00
Loans on Collateral	7,600 00
Interest due not accrued	102,713 73
Rents due and accrued	1,972 00
Net Outstanding Premiums secured by Reserve Fund	27,687 69
Net Deferred Premiums secured by Reserve Fund	111,659 58
Total Assets	$8,383,318 29

LIABILITIES

Amount of Reserve Fund, American Table 4 and 3½ per cent from Jan., 1900	$7,508,105 00
Premiums paid in Advance	10,015 04
Dividends on deferred premiums	561 58
Death Losses, unofficially reported	6,050 00
All other Liabilities	14,964 56
Surplus	654,622 00
Total Liabilities	$8,383,318 29

Increase in Assets - $677,003.43
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Policies in force Dec. 31, 1903, 22,717
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Close Connections with D. S. S. & A. Lines No. 1 and 2.

Passenger & Car Ferry Service
BETWEEN
Manistique and Northport,
Winter service irregular.
Update of agents.
CONNECTIONS
at Manistique with the Line.
at Northport with D. S. & A. R'y
G. J. WILSON, Gen. Pass. Agt.
Manistique, Jan. 30 to 1, 1904.

Feb. 19—April 27.
UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Marquette, Mich. February 18, 1904.
Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the instructions of the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under the provisions of the Act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to the public land states by the act of August 4, 1892, the following named persons have applied to purchase the lots or tracts of land described as follows, in the Marquette land district, Michigan, for the timber or stone thereon, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for the timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to show that no timber has been cut on any of said tracts except for the use and occupation of the claimant, and that the land is not mineral land so far as known to the officers of the land office at the date of the date of August 6, 1892, and that the claimants have complied with the provisions of said act.
Dated February 18th, A. D. 1904.
Arne Oop. Marquette, Lot 4 of Section 1, T. 47 N., R. 29 W.

Feb. 5—Feb. 26.
Probate Notice.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss.
County of Marquette. }
At a session of the probate court, held in and for said county of Marquette, on the 5th day of February, A. D. 1904.
Present, Hon. Geo. H. Bond, Judge of Probate.
The estate of Thomas Bennetts, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Thomas Bennetts, praying for the reasons therein set forth and for the reasons therein set forth that the administration of said estate be granted to the Marquette County Savings Bank, or some other suitable person.
Thereupon it is ordered that the petition be heard at the probate office in the city of Marquette, on Friday, the 19th day of February, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the Negaunee Iron Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, for three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing.
THOMAS BENNETTS, Register.

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Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic RAILWAY.
THE Marquette ROUTE
TIME TABLE.
In effect Feb. 7, 1904.

Trains leave Negaunee
For Marquette, Ontonagon and Lower Peninsula points.
For Marquette daily ..... 7.25 a. m.
For Marquette daily ..... 2.45 p. m.
For Ontonagon and the Upper Peninsula ..... 7.25 a. m.
For Marquette daily ..... 2.45 p. m.
For Ishpeming, Republic, Humphrey and Lower Peninsula points.
For Marquette, Ishpeming, Republic, Humphrey, Marquette, Menominee, Green Bay and points south ..... 7.25 a. m.
For Ishpeming ..... 2.45 p. m.
For Marquette, Ishpeming, Republic, Humphrey, Marquette, Menominee, Green Bay and points south ..... 2.45 p. m.
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Buckwheat Cakes with ROYAL Baking Powder

Are delicious and wholesome — a perfect cold weather breakfast food.

Made in the morning; no yeast, no "setting" over night; never sour, never cause indigestion.

To make a perfect buckwheat cake, and a thousand other dainty dishes, see the "Royal Baker and Pastry Cook." Mailed free to any address.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

Friday, February 26, 1904.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures the cough caused by attack of a grippe. It heals the lungs. Sold by P. D. Kirkwood.

Stetson's influential grape juice is freely and save doctor bills.

J. H. Hamilton, The Grocer.

It isn't how much cold cream a woman puts on her face, but how much Hockey Mountain Tea she takes inside that brings her complexion back. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea combines, 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. For sale by J. K. O'Donoghue.

REPUBLIC.

It is apparent that the trade of the public merchants is not confined to the somewhat restricted limits of Republic village, for J. O. Ulberg only last week filled an order which came from Sturtice, Wyo. It was for a pair of mining boots and the gentleman used to wear in Republic before he went west to try his fortune. He said Mr. Ulberg the compliment of saying that nowhere in the west could he obtain shoes to be the equal of the Republic product. The order was filled by Mr. Ulberg. The boots had not closed a check for the proper amount and the boots went forward by the next express.

The firemen are planning to give an amateur play this spring. The preliminary work is well in hand and rehearsals will be begun before long. It has been found difficult to induce people to leave their comfortable homes on winter nights, even to witness the warmest kind of a melodrama, so the date of the production will be set well along in the spring months.

Thomas O'Brien has gone to Milwaukee, where he has accepted a position in Richard Dwyer's sample room.

Wisconsin Bridge & Iron Company workmen have arrived from Milwaukee to supervise the erection of a new shaft house.

Miss Vina Gleason, a former resident, whose home is in Gladstone, spent a few days here as the guest of Miss Magnie Wheeler. Miss Gleason is a student at the Marquette Normal.

Mr. Olette, of Marquette, was here recently to superintend the moving of some old machinery which formed part of the water works plant. New machinery has displaced about ten carloads of old rattlings, which are to be shipped to Ishpeming.

The Finnish Curet Band still probably makes its first public appearance on election day. The boys are practicing very diligently and are making steady improvement.

Mrs. M. Lally, who was recently stricken with paralysis, was not so well the latter part of the week, and it was feared she might not recover. Her sister, Mrs. Driscoll, of Minneapolis, is here to aid in caring for the afflicted invalid.

P. H. Dunn, of Negaunee, counsel elsewhere in Marquette county schools, spent Tuesday in Republic in consultation with Supt. Wallace. Mr. Dunn will superintend the work of the public schools during the absence of Mr. Wallace, who expects to leave for the Southwest toward the end of March.

Fred Schoolmann of Michigamme, was here last week in the interest of a new brand of cigars he is putting on the market. The Michigamme Army contingent, which had been holding meetings for a week or more at the Smelzle M. E. church, left Tuesday morning for Marinette. Two captains conducted the revivals, which are said to have been quite successful, there being a number of converts. There was a band of seven pieces which furnished music of an order above the average. The night tourney the close of the army's stay the band gave a concert at the church. There was a large attendance and the people were well satisfied with the musical program.

Jacob Schultzen has completed his logging operations for the present season. While it may be no means a money maker he says he will satisfy himself with the season's work.

Arthur and Fred Lawrence are among those who witnessed the skiing tournament at Ishpeming.

Peter Hubert, a former resident, who now hails from Marinette, spent a few days here.

The town closed at 8 p. m. on Washington's birthday.

For a pleasant physic take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Easy to take. Pleasant in effect. For sale by Kirkwood & O'Donoghue.

Mysterious Circumstance.

One was pale and sickly and the other fresh and rosy. Whence the difference? She who is troubled with health uses Dr. King's New Life Pills to maintain it. By gently arousing the lazy organs they compel good digestion and good health. Only 25c at Tyl Brothers' Drug Store.

Miss McDonald, of Iron River, is here for a visit with her father, Dan D. McDonald.

Miss Carrie Parr has returned from Detroit, where she took a course of instruction in one of the best schools of dressmaking in the west. Miss Parr intends to open dressmaking parlors in this village at an early date.

Thomas Pascoe went to Marquette last Monday to serve as a juror in the present term of circuit court.

At the last meeting of the Republic Fire Department Samuel Roberts was elected Fire Marshal to fill the place of John Baker, who has removed to Ishpeming.

Mrs. B. Levins returned Tuesday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Davidson, at Green Bay.

Jacob Schultzen has several fine cows he would like to dispose of, preferably to reduce the number of live stock on his farm and will make the right sort of a price to prospective purchasers who make inquiry early. Some of the cows have calves.

Mrs. Hose Gauthier, at one time proprietor of the New Pascoe House, which recently burned, was in town during the week.

Mr. Hadman, who spent considerable time canvassing in Republic, has left for parts unknown.

Mr. Murphy, who was stabbed by her at the Schultzen camp, has recovered in Marinette.

Will Cleach has gone to the Blaine region to run a diamond drill. His position is at the exploration where Mr. Hosse is employed as diamond setter.

Mrs. Carey, owner of the site of the New Pascoe House, is said to have received several offers for the property, but none have come within the price she deems the real estate is worth.

Quite a number of Republic people attended the ski tournament at Ishpeming on Washington's birthday.

Joseph Vadilyn transacted business at Ishpeming Tuesday.

Jacob Schultzen, owner of a number of horses, received from the site of the Pascoe House, which was a large possession of the upper story of the hotel, a fine Wallacebur team, in the present tenant, occupying it as a stable, and Mr. Schultzen has decided to continue the business.

The Republic boys who attend the Marquette Normal also spent Washington's birthday at their parental homes. The Misses Susie and Jennie Pascoe, Zoeller, Laura Willian, Elizabeth Hodge, Nellie Silverman and Lillian Hoggan.

Mrs. Handerson, who lives in School street, recently suffered at the hands of a burglar. The thieves also made about 50 pounds of meat on the premises. Mr. Handerson, who is employed at the Chicago & Northwestern, recommended an investment of upwards of $10 and it is a loss she can ill afford to bear.

Peter Berlin has purchased one of the Co-Operative Society's horses, formerly used the animal is said to be but not long ago. Mr. Keefel has recently made the team in hauling wood.

Winter weather seems to result in a considerable increase in the number of cases to be taken up by Judge Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold by P. D. Kirkwood.

Homeseekers' Excursions to the Northwest, West and Southwest, and Colonist Low Rate Week.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets at greatly reduced rates are on sale to the territory indicated above. Standard and Tourist Sleeping Cars, Free Reclining Chair Cars and "The Best of everything." For datewd sale and full particulars apply to Agents Chicago & Northwestern R. R.

Relief in One Minute.

One Minute Cough Cure gives relief in one minute, because it kills the microbe which irritates the mucous membrane, causing the cough, and at the same time clears the phlegm, draws out the inflammation and heals and strengthen the affected parts. One Minute Cough Cure strengthens the lungs, wards off pneumonia and is harmless and nevertheless quick in all cases of Coughs, Colds and Croup. One Minute Cough Cure is pleasant to take, harmless and invaluable for young and old. Sold by J. K. O'Donoghue.

Kidney complaints kills more people than any other disease. This is due to the disease being so insidious that it gets a good hold on the system before it is recognized. Foley's Kidney Cure will prevent the development of fatal disease if taken in time. Sold by P. D. Kirkwood.

AFTER LAGRIPPE—WEAKNESS

Usually follows hard cough and a general feeling of weakness; often leading to fatal results after the grippe has left the lungs. Scott's Emulsion of cod liver oil, hypophosphites and lime is pleasant to use for "grippe coughs" and under our strong guarantee. Scott's Emulsion is a cough if taken in time. Take no substitute.

Notice Trees Sold.

"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and extreme debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept me free from chronic constipation for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles that they are a great tonic and invigorator for women, and cannot say too other medicine can take the place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by P. D. Kirkwood.

MICHIGAMME.

Mrs. D. McMillan this week purchased from Eugene La Rochelle lot No. 8, adjoining the south side of the Northwestern Hotel on the east. The consideration is not stated, but are the purchaser's plans regarding the property made known, this is in probable that a residence building will be erected on the property before long. Mr. LaRochelle, who now makes his home in Marquette, was here Wednesday to attend to some business in the interest of the company. Mr. LaRochelle is a frequent visitor to this section of the country, having been here during the logging seasons and talking of old times.

Sofia Kolmodin, who recently returned to a Menominee man's assertion in a recent issue of the Menominee, this gold spell has been the severest ever felt in Michigamme in twenty-eg years. This man told particular stress on the character of the winter weather two years ago, whereas Mr. Mollier, who claims to be engaged in outside work at that time, remembers that it was nearly as cold as it is now or 36. The center of the railroad tracks was marked by the fact that you know the latter half of than winter and Mr. Mollier says that the cold was midsome permitted the carrying on of outside work. Mr. Mollier is a good fellow, however, and Mr. Mollier thinks the Menominee man slipped a cog in his statement. Sofia Kolmodin is ready to subscribe to the most radical expressions of opinion contrary the winter of 1904.

Rev. Kolmodin family intends to remove to Virginia, Minn., in the near future. Peter Lahan and his wife and Ladely, probably will go this week and will be followed by the family of go later. Mr. Lahaun expects upon a permanent stay in the Minnesota iron town.

Before they got to their destination the Michigamme people who set out from Ishpeming last Monday thought they would be lucky if they got to Republic. The party left Ishpeming at 8:30 and which they boarded here at 8:55 in the morning, thus making a quick trip to Ishpeming was held at Chamberlain's Drug Store. Mr. Paul Pain from the south and the morning was exciting. It has been a cold week indeed. There were about forty in the party and they had perfect weather, but the prolonged visit at Channing was very pleasant. Ishpeming was particularly somewhat at having missed the train. The Republic people will pay they will see what can be done with Michigamme. Mr. Paul Pain, the North-Western that will take them to Ishpeming on Washington's birthday, or at the very latest to travel.

Mrs. Blaine Fell of Ishpeminee, spent last Sunday as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Pain.

Mr. Dan Dunbar, has a large consignment for his books and impedimenta which he expects to have received from the great business firm of Dun & Co. Dan is a good fellow and fulfill the requirements of the market when the time comes.

Miss Sadie Dullard, a student at the Marquette Normal, spent Washington's birthday with relatives in this village.

Mrs. M. Levin has been on the sick list for a few days, but is now pleased to learn that she is improving.

A meeting of the board of education was held Wednesday evening, at which important business was transacted. The school year will be closed about the middle of June.

Patterson cuts of the Modern Tailor, Chicago, will be mailed free to any address. Patterson cuts of the Modern Tailor, Chicago, will be mailed free to any address.

Judge Milroy has had a pretty hard siege of it in his house with bronchitis, but his friends are glad to see that the judge is coming out ahead. He was a very sick man for a couple of weeks and his recovery may be somewhat slow, but the doctors assure him that he will be in good physical condition before sending.

Mrs. Scanlon will move into the Hirke house when the latter family go to their farm near Champion, as is their intention.

While he labored rapid whilst, last Monday, Levin and Ladely Pain, who have been working for Mr. Levin, for a couple of months, the factors was a little startling to men who came in third to others, it will not be many weeks now before these lighter goods will be in demand and Mr. Levin, as usual, is fully prepared for the trade.

Mr. Mowbray, in presenting the Palisades Standard Sunday Journal, just in a day here early in the week.

Arcanum Stag Party.

Jasper council, No. 1013, Royal Arcanum, shared the pleasure of a stag party last Tuesday evening with some twenty five persons and members of the order, and be one the social session was ended nearly half of the invited guests had become so well impressed with the aims of the order as a whole and with the local members of Jasper council in particular that they then and there filed applications for membership. Excellent music, tasty refreshments and a good fellowship throughout, all combined to give the members and their guests hours of fun and to win many compliments for the arrangements committee, composed of George J. Haupt, Phil Levine and Thomas Pascoe. In the card contest, Hans J. Peterson captured the prize—payment of initiation fee by the lodge.

Injuries Proved Fatal.

James Nicholson failed to survive injuries received at the Regent mines last Saturday and passed away Sunday evening. He was employed as a stakekeeper at the mines and was walking through one of the drifts when his light went out. He heard a train approaching and attempted to one side, but the room was not sufficient and he was badly squeezed.

Mr. Nicholson was a graduate of the Negaunee high school in the class of '93, and was a young man who commanded the respect of all who knew him. He was 25 years of age and is survived by his parents, two brothers and two sisters. Deceased was a member of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and the funeral was conducted under the auspices of the organization Monday morning, with services at St. Paul's Catholic church.

—Several of the Russian subjects of Gogebic county, took out citizen papers at the county clerk's office last week. Illinois is calling upon all her subjects in foreign countries to return for military duty. There are many Russians in this section of the country who have to go back to large cities, city still refuse to return. Herald-Star Press.

Second Arrival Here.

Mr. H. Bagliro of Melbourne, Florida, writes, "My doctor told me I had Consumption and nothing could save me. I took a dozen bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and I am now well and free from all cough. I feel that it saved my life." Healthy were starting. I has been on the road recovery and owes all to Dr. King's New Discovery. Guaranteed satisfactory. This great cure is guaranteed for all coughs and lung diseases at P. H. Kirkwood, Druggist. Price 50c and $1. Trial bottles free.

INVERTEBRATE LETTERS.

The following letters were uncalled for at the postoffice at Negaunee, Feb. 25, 1904. In calling for them will please say advertised.

Miss Mary Ellen Cross, Miss Mary Randall, Herbert Peters, Swanson Eng. Mat. C.

Weak Hearts

Are due to indigestion. Nineteen-twenty-fourths of all sickness and pain have been caused by what you can remember when it was simple indigestion. It is a scientific fact that all cases of heart disease, not organic, are not only curable in, but are the direct result of indigestion. All food taken into the stomach with fulness of perfect digestion ferments and sends the stomach, pulling it up against the heart. This interferes with the action of the heart, and in the course of time that interference has slight disease developed. Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, Discovery, Dyspepsia Cure and Liver Pills, will cure the worst cases of indigestion and all stomach troubles and cures the heart disease.

Kodol Digests What You Eat

and relieves the stomach of all nervous irritation and the heart of all pressure. Sold by druggists. $1.00 Size holding 2½ times the trial size, 50 cents. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure.

Prepared by E. C. DEWITT & CO., CHICAGO.

Nothing has ever equalled it. Nothing can ever surpass it.

Dr. King's New Discovery

For CONSUMPTION, Price 50 & $1.00

A Perfect Cure for All Throat and Lung Troubles.

Warranted Satisfactory. Trial Bottles Free.

FOR RENT.—A good house, suitable for a family and situate near Yeal Lake, with good barn and lot, will be rented at a low rate. Inquire of this office.

Feb 12—3w 4

PROBATE NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss.
County of Marquette. }

Notice is hereby given that on an order of the Probate Court for said county, made on the eighth day of February, A. D. 1904, six months from said date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of John C. Pelgen, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims against said estate to the Probate office, in the city of Marquette, for examination and adjustment, on or before the eighth day of August, A. D. 1904, and that such claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday, the ninth day of August, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock a. m.

Dated February 8th, A. D. 1904.

WILLIAM KELLEY,
Judge of Probate.

Feb 12 Mar 4.

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss.
County of Marquette. }

At a session of the Probate Court for said county, held at the Probate office, in the city of Marquette, on the twelfth day of February, A. D. 1904.

Present, Charles Kelsey, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Dr. Victor Vaccarella, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Antonio Vaccarella, praying that a certain instrument in writing, now on file in said court, be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of said deceased.

Ordered, that it is ordered that Monday, the eleventh day of April, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be held at the Probate office, in the city of Marquette, and show cause, if any there be why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

It is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the next of kin and other persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Marquette County Journal, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing.

A true copy. CHARLES KELSEY,
Judge of Probate.

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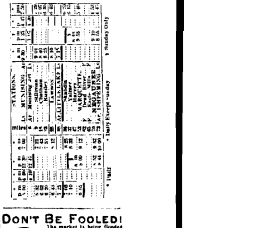
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"When a boy looks saintly send for a doctor."

A man's prosperity depend on the things he respects.

It takes many new beginnings to make a gathering rolling.

When ever humor of an actress seeking a divorce without publicity)

No man has a narrower outlook than he who is on the lookout for himself alone.

Spain has a surplus of patriotism in her treasury. Poor old grandfather Spain!

The way of the transgressor is often hard, yet he seldom complains of tender feet.

In a Bowery theater one that can burn up an audience with conscientious by little damage to the lobby.

Let us remember to scope off the tenner and throw away the shabby and get real north into all our work and worship.

Who cares if they're in to have another train? Most of us have troubles enough of our own without bothering about his.

Mr. Carnegie has now proffered his one thousand millions. Yet, that record of wine philanthropy be satisfied in all the world's history? We reckon not.

It appears that the ship-building trust expected to give Mr. Frewhouse a practical demonstration of the superiority of the Anglo-Saxon as a business man.

It is an opinion which is the harder blow to the thrifty housewife—the breaking of the treasure of her chimney or the hauptimony she has had ever and ever so long.

A New York divorce lawyer says there are between 1,000 and 1,000 "bad houses" in that city—houses in which husbands and wives never speak to one another. This tend to a twist the banalty, especially for the wives.

It is triumphant for and wide that a South Dakota man has been set free after serving a three-year term in Blaine's penitentiary for stealing a mule of the two-cent stamp. An inconsequential detail must be hilled the position.

The best sort of American—skilled farmers—are going in large numbers to the United States in large numbers; Italians arrive in French steamships by labor and smuggled Chinese, and yet Canada says she never gets the better of us in a bargain.

Dr. Watts' hymn about "The Busy Bee" is now a back number. Scientists have discovered not only disease, but laziness, among bees, and the industry of the latter is not to be commended. Science is making havoc with poetry, and the children of this age are nothing if not scientific.

The latest phase of progressive woman school is the demand to appear in corsages and coat a tailor. Mrs. John Trull, of Boston, pathetically asks: "Why, if a woman has the right to vote, has she not the right to be a member of a committee entitled to an election day, does she not also have the right to a voice in the selection of that candidate at the polls?" The question has as yet received no answer.

Praise God, the question of a national flag for Ireland, but they live and flourish in a country where flags are the chief of the state to day. They seek to poison the very sources of free government. The source is to check their devilish machinations is to inform the public mind against them that good men and women everywhere will not tolerate the presence of the burglar and the bulgarian are spurred. This would be more effective than stimulatory statutes that are to be interpreted by the courts.

The London Daily Mail finds that modern life tends to make us all lazy; that people will no longer read poetry because it requires effort; will no longer love books, dance dances or take a game of cricket seriously. And in this change there lurks a certain element of truth. The man who will show you plenty of energy when he thinks it is useful in his office, if he will not read poetry he will at least spend money learning nothing it, for the sake of the sporting excitement. If he will not dance he will buy up a whole theatrical troupe and wear himself this trying to raise money enough to keep them on the road. He no longer enjoys a quiet game of whist with friends and neighbors on Saturday night, but proposes to bim a game of bridge—and, then, too, is something he can use in his business. The fact is, the modern man is desperately lazy when he is not doing something.

Lincoln Steffens has discovered a relation between the American tendency to take the light point of view and the prevalence of graft. "It is all very well," he says, "to take the light point of view, but when your sense of humor becomes broad you will be sent almost unfitted." Betsy Jokers from the cradle to the grave, and being prone to have a laugh over everything that occurs, we naturally laugh at graft. We look on the grafter as an entertaining sort of fellow. We admit that he is very bad, but we hatch with him, smoke with him at the club and even go to church with him. Whatever we may think about him, one reason tend to show that we consider his offenses very trivial things, which should not be allowed to disturb the equanimity of the relations existing between acquaintances. As the Chicago Journal remarks, we are so dazed generally with the grafter until we are fully conscious that it is not some other person, but ourselves, that he is robbing. It is possible for us to something funny in the spectacle of another person being robbed. There is no fun in it when we are the victims. We are all the victims of grafters, but we don't realize it.

Boy wanted, at any age or breed, to fill an important position. Must have a clean face, clean hands, a clean record and a clean heart. Need not know how to spell a word or have been to school, and if he is not up-to-date as all the ways of the professional boy he necessary will be overlooked. He must be a boy who gets up cheerfully in the morning and builds the fire, sees who the boiler and fetches in some wood and does errand, who treats his mother and sisters—and every other boy's mother and sisters—with respect, and does not refer to his father as the "old man." He need not be especially brilliant at school, but he must be studious and persevering, and must show in his examinations or pass a problem until he has mastered it. He must be truthful, prompt, obedient and industrious. He is wanted at employer's interest. Boys interest and never be afraid that he is earning more than his wages. He is wanted to respect of men and in any number. Merchants want him to run the store for a few years, and unthinkably take charge of it. Newspapers want his good opinions and the reveal of the fulltom and work up in the money place at the top. He is wanted everywhere—in the law, in medical practice, in city committee-room, in our great national statesmen and build great public works. The people who are Billions, Millions, Hundreds are looking for him. They want him for Judge in the court, for senator, for Congress, Senator and President. The world has not yet found the world wants him for her instead.

A Chicago clerk who stole $12,000 from his employers at the end of a long day gave as his excuse that he "spent the money living like a white man." and that "a white man cannot live on $18 a week." Like all excuses for stealing, this is a mere one. If there was any comparative degree in excuses for stealing, this is about the poorest one that could possibly be offered. For $18 a week is immeasurably fat than the wear of a man's skin has nothing to do with the kind of work done or the thing. It is equally incomprehensible that a man who spends little more than $18 a day like a "white man," particularly when he feels the money. There is an old tradition of a Chief who thought "that your house, I must live." "I ask," said the chief, "for permission to live movedly." That may be a hard judge, but it is not unlike the right to live, but he certainly has no right to live like a white man on the money at the price of $18 a day. One thing that this speaking clerk proves was the fact and neither the common law nor statute requires a man to remain in a position where he is not worth $18 a week. He was quite free to find another other employer, or could, who might pay him according to his own estimate of the value of his services. But that he would find it easier to pay $18 a week for stealing is no doubt has an exceptional effect on his importance. The excuse, "I couldn't live on my pay," is more contemptible than the plea of the burglar, "I must have money." Many people live for less than $18 a week. It may be a hard policy for an employer of a clerk to pay less than living wages. But it is even more policy for an employer to imagine that he has any right to spend more money than he earns in order to win worth, when offered in the legitimate market.

OLD FAVORITES

The Turf Shall Be My Fragrant Shrine
The turf shall be my fragrant shrine;
My temple, Lord! that arch of thine;
My altar, Heaven! the constellation sun,
And silent thoughts my only prayers.

My chair shall be the moldy stone,
Or the wide-spreading pine
Or wine the stillness of the scene
Even more than music, breathes of Thee!

I'll seek, by day, some glade unknown,
All alone, all alone, Ha Thy Throne!
And the sole stars shall be, at night,
The only eyes that watch my rite.

Thy heaven, on which 'tis bliss to look,
Shall be my pure and shining book,
Where I shall read, at every leaf or flame,
The glories of thy wondrous name.

I'll read thy magic in the rock
Thy power in the oak, the deep-brown trunk
Thy mercy in the cross hung
Thy love in every blossom through
There's nothing bright, above, below,
From flowers that bloom to stars that
glow
But in its light my soul can see
Some sparkle of Thy Deity.

There's nothing dark, below, above,
But in it I can read a page
And merkly will thus commune with you
Thy tender shell turn all bright again!

American Aristocracy.

Of all the terrible things on earth,
The sparest one is pride of birth,
Among our "free-born citizens"
A lodge across a hundred years,
Gives one a title to be lazy, nerves
Not even a couple of notes perhaps—
A value for hauteur, the sort and pleas,
In American aristocracy.

English and Irish, French and Spanish,
Germans, Hollanders, Dutch and Danish,
Crossing their veins until they vanish,
Give no Mayflower descent,
So subtle a tangle of blood, indeed,
Mixing Plantagenet, Hun and Vandal
Is finding the circulation.

Depend upon it, my snobbish friend,
Your family tree hasn't proved, friend,
Without good reason to gravelend
Your bad is varied, at the farther end,
Of it.
By some plebeian vocation!
Or, worse than that, your honored line
Is a little drop of scoundrelism
That plugged some worthy relation!
—John H. Yates.

A BIT OF HISTORY

Jefferson, Monroe and Livingston Initiated Better Than They Knew.

Mr. Jefferson was president of the United States at that time, and he was sick with the second year of his description. He certainly did not relish the idea of a war with the government, but he was certainly did not relish to fight with any other nation, so he searched around for some kind of a compromise. He thought that if America could even even one side of the mouth of the great River and had the right of Mississippi navigation the most, it would be satisfied and would stand to all parties. So he sent James Monroe and Robert R. Livingston to France, Mr. Livingston, and saw if the two of them together could not persuade Napoleon to sell them the island of New Orleans, on which was the city of New Orleans.

Now Napoleon was the ruler of France, and he was always dreaming and seeing visions in which France was the leading nation of the world. America, he saw, was a great big country and the Mississippi River and all this country of the Louisiana purchase was the place to one Rockies. He already saw in his mind's eye the time when France would be the leading nation of the world, and he was ready to take advantage of the opportunity that he had set for himself. He saw that he had set for himself. He saw that he had set for himself. He saw

The Movement Pleases.

The good roads movement is making substantial progress according to the Chicago Tribune. It says: Among the several organizations interested in good roads building there is the New York and Chicago Highway association. This organization is endeavoring to extend the good improvements here to all parts of the country, but it is particularly interested in a good road from Chicago to New York.

While the association is making an effort to secure from Congress an appropriation to pay for part of the proposed improvement, it is exerting its influence to secure State legislation favorable to good roads and county and city appropriations for improvements along the line of the projected highway.

Recently the county board of supervisors at Elmira, N. Y., appropriated $25,000 for the construction of roads to be built in conformity with the plans of the State engineer and according to the suggestions of the New York and Chicago Good Road Association. This is one case illustrating not only the interest in the movement, but action on practical lines. Six or eight years ago residents of New York city, as soon as they passed the city limits in the northern portion, came to almost impassable roads. Streets in the city were well paved and well cared for. The roads in the zone between the city and country were neglected by neither city, nor county, nor State.

This condition led to new legislation, under which the roads leading into the cities of New York State were greatly improved. Under the influence of the New York and Chicago Good Roads Association still greater improvements have been made. While the efforts of counties are expending money for their own benefit, the improvements are made under the direction of the State engineer and with the general system of road construction in mind. This instance at Elmira, shows what is being done at the eastern end of the proposed highway from Chicago to New York city. A good deal has been done in Ohio and Indiana. How much has been done in Illinois?

Last May the Illinois Legislature passed a bill creating a good roads commission. This commission took form July 1, 1903, and the commission is under instructions to report early in a part to the next general assembly a bill for an act to amend the present road laws of the State so as to conform to the present advanced thought and requirements on the subject of road building. This is a move in the right direction. Meantime roads leading out of Chicago, with some notable exceptions are in bad condition and were those in the vicinity of New York city eight years ago. Before the State made commission act submit the report the western contingent of the New York and Chicago Good Roads Association can do much. Congress will be asked to appropriate money to aave to the good roads movement. The State of New York has not waited for national legislation. Other States have not waited. In New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, and Indiana are constructing roads with a highway to Chicago in mind. Illinois should not lag behind.

SOME DREAMED DISPELLED.

Turkey's Bad Coffee—Egypt's Bad Tobacco—No Castile Soap in Castile.

What traveler has not dreamed of sipping the real Turkish coffee in Turkey? Of smoking the celebrated Egyptian cigarettes in Egypt? Or eating rich, melting, luscious Smyrna figs in Smyrna? Of washing our hands with the only original Castile soap in fair Castile?

How do these travelers' dreams materialize? Also are they? They are but clouds and shadows. They don't come true.

How about the delicious Egyptian cigarettes? The delicate Egyptian tobacco? Alas! the native Egyptian tobacco is so bad that nobody smokes it but the natives, and not even these when they can get anything else. In Egypt, as in so many places, the best tobacco comes from Somewhere Elsewhere. The highest grade tobacco flows apparently in imported from Europe—from Roumelia. The next best comes from Northern Africa. The next lowest grade of this tobacco being known to Europeans as "Latakia," although not so called in Egypt. Persian tobacco is also imported. In short, Egypt imports the tobacco, the wrappers, the boxes and the smokers, and they never have the Egyptian cigarette.

"But still," remarked the enthusiast, "there can be no coffee like the genuine Turkish coffee. Ah, think of the Arabian nights! Scheherezade! And Lady Wortley-Mate, the English princess who were Turkish coffee, lived in Turkey for years, and sipped Turkish coffee with Turkish pashas. And of the bearded sheiks in the desert—with bubble bubble pipes—and harems of beautiful black-eyed houris—all sitting on divans—and all sipping coffee—with all the comforts of a home—out in the desert! Come, now! You must give in on the Turkish coffee."

To this I can only reply that they may have had good coffee in Turkey in the time when Sultan Harun-al-Raschid walked his city's streets incognito, but they have not now. You can get better Turkish coffee too cellars in New York than in Turkey; you can get much better Turkish coffee in the Hoffman House than you can in Stambul, Pera, Scutari, Smyrna, Beirut, Jerusalem or Cairo.

How about the luscious figs of Smyrna? Well, my experience was this: the moment we got to Smyrna the poorer grew the figs. When we reached Beirut they were pretty bad; when we were off Smyrna, the peddlers brought some aboard that were very bad; when we got ashore at Smyrna we were offered some on the quay that were still worse; when we went ashore, worse; when we got into the heart of Smyrna the figs were able to walk around the dealer's counter.

I had to be very fond of figs of Smyrna figs before I went to Smyrna.

I have not seen any since.

I shall never eat any figs.

Never mind why.

As Castile I found no Castile soap. They did not know what I meant. They had never heard of Castile soap. This irritated me, so I began investigating the Castilians' problem. I learned—or was told—that Castile soap is not made in Castile; it is not used in Castile; that it is made in Marseilles out of olive oil imported from Mitylene. Then we note this strange anomaly—the wire, given to a soap comes from a country which imports most of this particular soap, it is manufactured in a city which imports its soap, out of materials coming from a country which does not soap at all.—Jerome Hart in Argonaut.

CHANGES IN THE PEERAGE.

British Aristocracy Is Undergoing a Thorough Shaking Up Nowadays.

"Progress is revolution in disguise and by degrees," a well-known tory has recently said. "Reforms in make the poors poorless and the poor prosperous." The description will remind many of the phrase uttered by Cromwell: "There will never be a good time in England till we have done with the lords."

What is the value of our peerage of today? Lord Beaconsfield answered the question in "Coningsby" many years ago:

"Old money! Birage,' said Mr. Millbank. 'I never heard of a poor wild an ancient lineage. The end of family line of this country are to be found among the poor and the peasants. You may lay some claim to the old blood. I can point you out Saxon families in this country who are more than Normans proud the conquest; I know of some Norman gentlemen whose fellows undoubtedly came over with the conqueror, but I am sure that lineage is to me quite a novelty. No, but the thirty years' war of the roses forced up from those gentlemen. I take it, you, sir, are of a family which is as man large was almost as rare a being in England as a wolf is now.

"'I have always understood,' said Coningsby, 'that our peerage was the finest in Europe.'

"'From themselves,' said Millbank, and this seemed to be said to point their peerages. But I go to Paris. When I lived 'Hotel Lille and Albion' there were only twenty-nine bespoke at peers to be found and one of them was a man of very high illegality, for they had been attainted. Of those twenty-nine there were half that they, as the Howards, for instance, are not Norman nobility. We owe the Howards name to three sources—the solicitor of the Howards, the groom of the stole to the house by the elder Stuarts and the horse-and-housekeeping of one of the Howards. These are the three main sources of the relating peerage of England, and they are perhaps disgraceful ones."—London Truth.

These Birds Are Ingenious.

The crows of the district now will be far advanced in the art of stealing from the crowds of a country. The story is told of a pair of crows at Bentley that robbed an excursion train of its frames, entering his room repeatedly for that purpose. These birds carried off eight-four spectacle frames of gold, silver and steel, which were so carefully arranged together in their nest that it was a veritable work of art.

In the Swiss Museum of Natural History, there is a magpie's nest built entirely of clock springs. Several clockmakers' shops were near, where the master-jay scattered about the floor. This the birds had worked up together in ingenuity into a nest more than twelve crows and entirely comfortable for the little family.

Detroit, City of Hills.

The pill and civilization walk hand in hand. Anonymous may feel lofty proud of being citizens of the greatest pill-making nation on the globe. Detroit deserves a wreath of glory as the "world's most pill-producing" and most pill producer of pills. She sends forth these pellets of health in a rate of one hundred and sixty-six tons of pills a month—nearly two thousand tons a year! It is a sight for the inventive spirit of Detroit that, she concludes but a small branch herself, making the greater part to ease the ills of other places.

There is no malady on earth which the seventeen hundred varieties of pills made in Detroit will not alleviate.—Leslie's Monthly.

Not a shopper.

Sue—She's very nauntch, isn't she? Hie—Yes, indeed. She can't move her way through a crowd at shopping.—Philadelphia Ledger.

More Clergymen Needed.

The ministry is the only one of the learned professions that is not now overcrowded.

POLITICAL COMMENT.

A Twice in Seven By.

As the campaign period of the current year approaches, there is much gathering since that it is going to be hard, when we recommend our Congressmen to support the chisel of protection; "uncertain," because it is now more than a decade since the opponents of the party in power have made an intelligent and concerted effort to oust it in a battle pitched upon "tariff reform" lines; "vigorous" because the opposition, having now thrown away the weapons and abandoned the tactics that have twice brought them overwhelming defeat, are in a present desperate and determined, apparently, to turn back and only again under the only shape that has ever contributed to their political success in a stretch of forty-four years—and only twice, at that.

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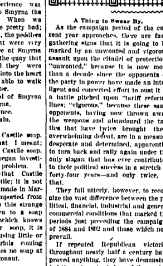
THE FORTUNE TELLER.



—Cincinnati Post.

In interview Mr. Bryan said that the future would have to supply a suitable candidate for Democracy.—News Item.

nomenclature. As often as tariff policy has been discredited by popular vote, that so often has the country's prosperity shrunk and vanished; just so often have industry and trade languished under the blight of the change; just so often have the profits of business been diminished and the earnings of the workingmen been reduced. It may be said that taught the people any one lesson more thoroughly and lastingly than another, it has strongly demonstrated the folly of attempting to impose upon the country a tariff policy not never found favor in the ballot-box.

Surely the "congaing" must small pleasure for Democrats. This is not a time to carry aid and sympathy to the party. It is a time to "speak softly" of the bridge that has brought us safely over the chasm of adversity. It is a time to try to feel its strength or its efficiency. Such have been the lessons of experience, and never found wanting. New York Commercial.

Has Been Banned.

Three cheers for the man who when it comes to making a bargain or bestow a favor—Philadelphia Ledger. Congress is developing a new tariff law which is expected to be the most effort the country has ever had. Congress is doing the duties on American imports and the duties they are imposing on the reciprocity treaty, which went into effect yesterday. This one of the most influencing duties to an amount more than equivalent to the 20 per cent preference given the United States, so our own exporters will pay as much, if not a little higher, duties than before, while the "chief" of the "pet" duties on our products will be left by the United States has been removed—except the Sugar Trust.—Michigan Farmer.

Issue Of Irreconcilable Conflict.

Before the Democratic National Convention of 1900 that party was in an extremely left ebb. It had been overwhelmingly defeated in a large majority of the States. Business was stagnant and labor largely idle. Under these circumstances the Democratic party, theoretically committed to its policies and its administration, went into a fierce battle with the Republicans and put a new leader at the front. This leader was William J. Bryan, polled the largest vote ever given a Democratic candidate for the Presidency, but also brought out the largest vote on the other side. In the popular vote the Republican majority was greatly increased. Again the combination was tried in 1904, but, though the Democratic vote was again over 6,000,000, the gap against it was widened, the majoritiesmore than a million. Populists who attended the Democratic party in 1896 and 1900 will left it in a minority of from 300,000 to 400,000.

A large number of Democrats now want to drop Bryan as a leader, and go into a process which is called "revision." This party revised itself into Populism, and now it is pressed by some of its leading advisers that it revised back to where it was before the fusion of 1896. As that was a time when the party was divided and its fortunes were desperate, the idea is without practical force. The Democratic party was divided against itself eight years ago and is in the same condition now. Revision of such

SOLDIERS AT HOME.

THEY TELL SOME INTERESTING ANECDOTES OF THE WAR.

How the Boys of Both Armies Wished Away Life in Camp—Foraging Experiences, Tiresome Marches—Thrilling Scenes on the Battlefield.

The boys were leading their rifles, early one morning that the Colonel of the regiment in which he served, was the best Colonel in the service. Finally, a fell, lank, bearded veteran with a clear, keen eye said: "I served in the Eighty-fifth Pennsylvania for four years. General Thomas was one of the finest men I ever knew. He was religious and had been a Methodist preacher. He was a soldier and a White-headed Colonel Howell was the best officer that ever commanded a regiment."

"Colonel Howell was known by the men everywhere by his long white beard and by his custom of riding in front. Once, when he was in front his call was 'Come on, boys,' and I ran up higher relative to him than to say that under his cool-headed supervision we never lost a knapsack in any battle. This means that the regiment never was in a panic, that the colonel always planned well. Colonel Howell fell mortally wounded in the battle on the rebel works at Petersburg, on the James River, in 1864, when we were Longstreet's camp back. Some of the rebel prisoners heard after 'old white beard.'

"That's all right," said Sergeant Hamilton; "you can't say too much for the best Colonel that ever lived could not prevent accidents on the part of his men. For example, in Fredericksburg, 1863, company B, Fifty-second Ohio, was on picket duty south of Nashville, covering the ground between the Franklin road and the Franklin pike. There had been continuous rain for several hours, and the ravines were full of water.

"Late in the afternoon a rebel regiment cavalry in citizens' dress had tried to get through the lines on the Gimmy Waite pike, and had three times been crossed to the Franklin pike, and following there had disappeared in ravines at dark on the Gimmy White pike. The pickets were arranged, and it was stationed midway between the two pikes. About the time I went on picket George rowlers were thrown up in the city. As the rockets went up again and again we considered the rebels with the new supposed to be rebel cavalry in front and rear. Finally, Lieutenant Jackline, in charge of the guard, became very nervous and went west over to the reserve on the Franklin pike to report the situation. He started back with the relief for my post, but lost his bearings, fell into a creek, and against his own orders as to quietness, had to call at the top of his voice to find where I was located. We were all more wrought up that night than we ever had been and talk about as thus we ever were in battle."

"Of course," said Mrs. L. Anderson, "the most trying duty for a soldier was the long, tedious, monotonous, and with a skulking enemy in front. Performing disputed duty of another sort, but it required also resolutions and resourcefulness. While we were at Big Mineville, Tenn., Joe Cahill, I have heard he dies in Chicago and myself and two companions were in the field of sweet potatoes and melons we decided to go there before dark, as we need. I suggested that we go over and get some of the melons, and we went and we were soon at work.

"The melon was about half a bushel as the sweet potatoes as you ever saw, when a rifle fellow attack the ground behind us. We saw where the rebels came from, and we saw also a rebel in the rear, and we knew that a bushwhacker would run to the house we decided to go there before dark, and we turned the corner of the house at the time the rebel came in sight, and the bushwhacker, gun in hand, caught in the act, he was greatly distracted, and we were in great good humor. As he laid had the privilege of shooting at us, we took the privilege of outbuilding certain things found in the dwelling house.

"We took half a bushel of melons, two mules, some butter in a tub, and would have been better for us to have left the rebel, if he had not been a chickens, and, loading up the old man with his own goods, rebel and all, we started to carry the bushwhacker first his white mule's four feet on the ground and the rebel was carrying the gun, with half a bushel of melons and the butter on his shoulder, I dropped my load and gave chase.

"I caught him, brought him back to the house, presented him with the gun, and we received camp without any further trouble. There was a little trouble in another house to General Nelson, who, well pleased at the capture, asked us questions as to why we were outside the lines.

"But speaking of alertness on picket, there was a case of nonalertness. If that McMinville campaign that I told the cake. General Nelson was in command of the division, and the rebel pickets all along the line preparatory to his great flanking movement, the men for outposts were very strict. A detachment from the Thirty-fifth Indiana was on outpost duty on one of the main roads leading south from McMinville. Scouting along this road, I came upon a soldier sitting upon rails skinning his mouse. He had taken his gun apart and the pieces were scattered about him.

"He was very much in earnest and was doing a thorough job. I thought it was a queer place to clean a gun and asked him how far it was to the picket line. He said: 'It is here. I am on outpost.' Just as a cheerful the devil you are,' who should come dashing up but General Nelson and staff and the field officer of the day. Lieutenant Colonel Frank H. Cahill of the First Kentucky, I was asked some leading questions by Cahill, and was asked also how far it was to the outpost. I pointed to the man sitting on the rails, who, good-natured distinguished company, was working contentiously at his gun together.

"General Nelson urged his brave manner to the contrast and asked, 'Do you know who I am?' The absorbed soldier looked up from his work and, as he remembered, I am General Nelson.' Then he said, 'Well, I'll be damned.' Then that, General, and if you will wait until I put my gun together I will escort you out of a soldier. Then came the storm. Nelson raged and swore and, pointing to the soldier, indulged in the curious gound with his own gun together. Nelson said, 'Do you think of some good men by your conscience? Do you know that I am the best Colonel in the world?' and Colonel Cahill, I'm sure, the very personification of the war spirit, said, 'Yes, I know it.'

Child's Interesting Letter.

An old letter written in New York in 1814 by a little girl of ten to her aunt, Mrs. Ann Sutherland, reads:

"We have had a great deal of rain, and Mary Ann's house is in a fine state, what wonderful, is reading Gulliver's Travels for the 1st time.

"There were some more verses just as solid. I sung just as loud as I could, and I did not hear, but everyone was doing the same thing. It was a Thanksgiving. Afterward Mr. Beecher prayed for the country, and then we all sang 'Hail Columbia,' 'The Star Spangled Banner,' 'America,' 'Yankee Doodle,' 'Rule Britannia,' 'Pop Goes the Weasel,' 'Rule Britannia,' 'Pop Goes the Weasel,' 'America,' 'Yankee Doodle

A SICKLY CHILD.

A delicate constitution exposes a child to all sorts of ailments. Its not wasted any more time and money trying to doctor such complaint separately. *Doctor the Constitution.*

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DRUGGIST AND JEWELER.

Wife Was In Fear.

Marshal Griblnk took to the county all last Wednesday an insane man named Henry Matsela, whom home is on a farm near Palmer. The man is alleged to have threatened his wife's life and she fled to a neighbor's for protection. The man was released from the Newberry asylum only six months ago and his re-commitment to that institution undoubtedly will follow as soon as the legal formalities can be complied with.

—We carry the finest line of teas and coffees in the city—of all grades.

T. H. HARRIS, the Grocer.

The Knights of the Maccabees are preparing for an informal jollification next Week-day night. Members who fail to attend will miss a good time.

Birds work for man from the first glimmer of light.

Honey Mountain Tea works for man from back day and night.

"That's why It is famous the world over."

It will set let you forever and take another course. For sale by J. E. O'Donoghue.

—We sell William's Quaker bread. One trial will make you a permanent customer.

T. H. HARRIS, the Grocer.

—The South Shore employes were paid yesterday.

—A regular meeting of the school board will be held to-night.

—Lewis Corbit received a car-load of fine draught horses yesterday.

—Julius Johnson, of the C. & N. W. depot, has taken the local agency of the Metropolitan fire extinguisher.

—The Evening Wisconsin, Milwaukee's enterprising newspaper, is distributing a map of Eastern Asia which shows in detail the Russo-Japanese war district.

—Thirty-six Finlanders of this city and six from Swanzy went to Marquette Tuesday to receive their full citizen papers. At the September term of circuit court some sixty or more Finnish members of this city will apply for like papers.

—The thanks of the IRON REPUBLIC are due Hubert Hohl, of Crystal Falls, Ill., for a copy of the souvenir edition of the Centralia Sentinel, which gives forty pages of illustrated information about the thriving Illinois city. Mr. Hohl is a former resident of Marquette county.

—A. F. Miesch, the local painter and decorator, has issued circulars announcing that he is prepared to paper, paint, do kalsomining, graining and decorating. He can clean wall paper and make it look like new, and has also a beautiful and artistic stained glass window paper for bath rooms, halls, lights and doors. He is prepared to furnish estimates on application.

FOR NERVOUS PROSTRATION—Swedish movements and massage. Facial massage a specialty, done by Mrs. Alma Stenbeck. Parlors in Demmitt Dennstedt's house, Cane street, opposite Catholic church. 127.

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It contains ALL the medicinal elements of cod liver oil, actually taken from genuine, fresh cod-livers, with organic iron, and other body building ingredients, in a deliciously palatable and easily digested form. It is therefore recognized as the

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We know VINOL will make flesh faster than any preparation containing grease. We can prove that VINOL builds strong muscles.

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Diseased nerves are due to overwork, insufficient nourishment or slow breaking down of general health. VINOL actually rebuilds the entire body and heals ragged nerves.

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Pale, haggard faces show that the blood is poor and thin, also indicate imperfect digestion. VINOL will correct such troubles as surely as the sun shines.

Nursing Mothers—Weak Mothers.

You know the life and future development of the child depend upon proper nourishment. VINOL helps mature change food into body material. VINOL costs nothing unless it benefits.

We mean exactly what we say in our agreement to refund your money if you are not satisfied after you have tried VINOL. We know VINOL is the best tonic preparation and general rebuilder of health known to medicine. We bank our reputation and fortune on its being wholesome, delicious and most efficacious, and on the fact that no other maker can produce anything like VINOL.

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—Here is a unique way for a young lady to propose and which might help some of our language girls: "Your and he saved."

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On the first and third Tuesdays of each month, December to April, inclusive, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell round trip tickets, good for 21 days, to points west and southwest for about one-fare for full round-trip excursion rates. Territory, etc. Inquire of

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M. W. Hakes, of Hubbelton, Mich. writes: "My wife had long trouble for over fifteen years. We tried a number of doctors and spent over a thousand dollars without any relief. She was very bad and I had all being when a friend suggested trying Foley's Kidney and Pad, which I did and thank God the first dose gave her relief. Two bottles completely cured her. Her health is better than for years. We have written in testimony. We shall never be without Foley's Kidney and Pad and shall cheerfully recommend it." Sold by J. E. O'Donoghue.

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Resolutions of Respect.

The following resolutions of respect were adopted at a meeting of Division No. 2, Ancient Order of Hibernians, held at their Hall Monday evening, Feb. 21st:

WHEREAS, It has pleased the Almighty Father to remove from our order our brother, James Nicholson; and

WHEREAS, In view of the loss we have sustained by the death of our one beloved brother, and the still greater loss sustained by those of the bereaved family; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the remaining members of Division No. 2, A. O. H., tender our sincere and heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved mother and sorrowing family of our departed brother in this hour of trial, of trouble and sorrow; and pray that God will comfort and console them in this hour of affliction. He is fearfully afflicted, but God knows what is best, and tolling us every one minutes and seconds be preparing to the family of our deceased brother, and published in the Iron Republic and Mining Journal, and that our charter be draped in mourning for thirty days.

MICHAEL KELLY,
JOHN HURLEY,
JOHN HARNETT, Com.

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Feb. 19—March 11

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss
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Present, Hon. Jerome Kelsey, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Albert Johnson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Charles Johnson, administrator of said estate, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to the petitioner or to some other person qualified to take the same.

It is ordered that Monday, the 14th day of March, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be held at the Probate Office in the city of Marquette, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Marquette Iron Republic, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County of Marquette, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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Judge of Probate.

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A man believed to be a fraud is operating in the vicinity of Menominee and seems to be lending some the dresses in the garb of a minister, and claims to be a state agent of the National Helping Club," alleged to be a society of people all over the United States who are banded together for the purpose of extending financial help to people placed in need by great catastrophies. His particular scent is the solicitation of funds for the Baltimore fire sufferers, which, so far as known, no appeal for relief has yet been made in behalf of the sufferers. He claims to be a clergyman from Tomah, Wis. This supposed rascal is a smooth faced man of medium build, fair complexion and has a voice of sonorous tone and slow delivery. Florence News.

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(Feb. 26—March 11)

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Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Marquette, made on the 16th day of February, A. D. 1904, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Ann Kelly, late of said County, deceased, and that the creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court, at the Probate Office in the city of Marquette, for examination and adjustment, on or before the expiration of said time, and that all claims so filed will be heard on the 16th day of August, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated February 16th, A. D. 1904.

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Judge of Probate.

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