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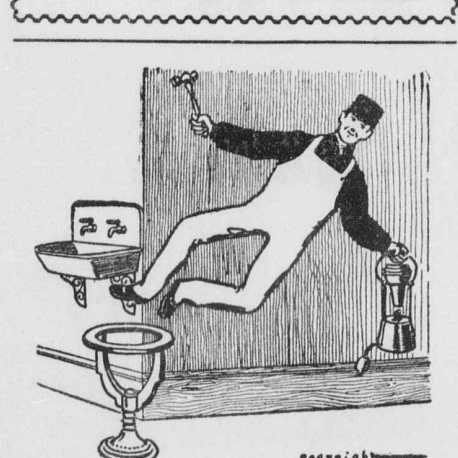
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## ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

"Uncle Josh Spruceby," the first of the many rural plays now being presented in the different cities, will be seen at the Gladstone Theater for one night only, August 12. This production is said to be different from all others as it contains much comedy as well as pathos, and the realistic saw mill scene is said to be the most exciting and intense effect ever produced. The scenes of the play are laid in Vermont and New York, which gives ample opportunity for portraying the simple rustic characters in country as well as the many incidents that befall the simple country folks that visit the metropolis. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

Two peddlers arrived in Manistig last week who claimed to represent the Gately Co. When informed they must take out a license they exhibited a real or a fake telegram from their house and pretended to show fight. The village authorities, however, called their bluff and put them under arrest on a charge of violating the village ordinance which provides that peddlars must take out a license. As the men had no money Justice A. L. Johnson, before whom they were taken, allowed them to go upon their promise to leave the city at once.

John Rough, junior member of the firm of Caron & Rough for fourteen years, has sold his interest in the business to Frank Caron, his partner. The interests of the firm included 320 acres of land near Cooks, 135 head of cattle, ten horses, general store, farm machinery, etc. The consideration is not given. These gentlemen have been associated together for thirteen years, six years of the time at Ford River switch and seven years at Cooks. They have been successful, as their interests show. Mr. Rough returns to his home at Negannee.

During the engagement of the "Uncle Josh Spruceby" company at the Gladstone Theater for one night only, Friday, August 12, a big street parade will be given at noon, and press agent Heckman promises this will be something new and unique. The company carries a big band, dressed in the garb of the rustic and the other in military costume. During the parade the band gives a splendid concert which attracts much attention and generally draws a crowd that reminds you of a Barnum & Bailey circus day.

"Protection our Proper Permanent Policy," is the title of the recent speech of Congressman McCleary, of Minnesota, which has just been published by the American Protective Tariff League. One copy free to every applicant. Send postal card request for free copy of document No. 82. Address W. F. Wakeman, secretary, 339 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

A Detroit publication sends out a half-page advertisement and offers in payment one hundred and fifty free guesses in a "prize contest." It is not wonderful that country publishers are rich beyond the dreams of avarice. They get a great many free guesses, rich, juicy and nourishing; in fact they are kept guessing "what the world is coming to."

Congressman McCleary states the protection principle clearly. "We who thoroughly believe in protection are reluctant to see a single day's work for America's done elsewhere than in America. We stand by the proposition that the people of the United States can do their own work, fight their own battles, solve their own problems."

Soren Johnson is putting a new floor throughout the second story of his building on Delta avenue and has doubled and deadened it also. Gormsen has the work in charge and is taking particular pains because the supervisor is much interested and may use the rooms himself.

Sam Bushnell, of the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron Co's machine shop, is taking his first vacation in two years and will spend a week camping with his mother at Little Lake.

Mrs. Stephen Kohler asks that anyone who was indebted to her husband will be kind enough to pay the amount at once, for the money is greatly needed.

Mr. F. C. Williams, who has been spending some days at the home of Hon. T. W. McDonough, returned to Farwell, Mich., Monday morning.

Boulanger says that hogs cut their throats when they swim, but the water has been too cold this season to give us any relief.

C. N. Yokom, of Gladstone, becomes superintendent of the Winthrop school at Ishpeming, succeeding W. W. Sears.

Harry S. Latham arrived here Tuesday morning from Minnesota to visit with his mother and daughter.

Sixteen inch summer wood, full cord, delivered to any part of the city, \$2.50. Call up C. W. Davis, phone 7.

Mrs. T. D. Springer left early last week for Wells, Minn., where her mother is dangerously ill.

A pleasant party of gentlemen, with Alderman Henke as chaperon and piece de resistance drove to South Gladstone yesterday to size up the celebrated hill at the foot of Lowry street and estimate the damage. It was decided that there is plenty of sand on the spot to supply all wants and that it is indestructible. The alderman thinks a sandpaper factory would do well there and is trying to interest Walter Hammel to the extent of furnishing the capital. Supervisor Johnson thought he could slip down there some moonlight night and grade the hill when no one is looking. Hon. Peter Laing, as is usual, said little, but he thought the hill a trifling matter that a couple of honest farmers would eat up in a week with a pair of old plugs and a scraper. Mr. Hammel thought the hill too pretty to destroy and wanted it left as Nature made it. The city attorney thought the city had no riparian rights five hundred feet back from the beach and was in favor of standing pat. The city clerk had his writing tools along, but did not mingle in the dispute. The reporter listened to the remarks and, like Alderman Gormsen, was of the same opinion as before. What the result will be no one knows; but let us hope that the city council, in its saner moments, may adopt Alderman Gormsen's view of the best manner of getting down from Lowry street to Bay Road.

The Adventists have been holding their meetings regularly three times a day during the week. Several days still remain to them here, as the encampment will last until next Monday night. All are invited most cordially to attend their meetings, which are held at 10:30 a. m., 3:00 and 8:00 p. m. The evenings have been devoted to the subject of the prophecies and their fulfillment. They are pleased with the number of citizens who have regularly attended and listened with interest to their expositions. They are always pleased to set forth their doctrines to seekers after information, and will even call at their homes if so requested. After the breaking up of the encampment Mr. Harris will remain here, as he has work here and east.

Powell's Corn Cure, a positive cure for soft and hard corns. Why be bothered with Corns when you can cure them for 15 cents? Powell's Drug Store.

Business has been exceedingly rushed at the docks this week, as several big boats came in a bunch. Traffic is steadily increasing and this is a good sign. The arrivals this week were the Soo Line boats Huron, St. Paul and Rhodes, with coal and merchandise; they all took out flour. A big new boat came in Monday, the Wisconsin, of the Hawgood Transportation Co's fleet. She is a sister of the Umbria and very similar to the Etruria. She was launched last fall at Superior, and this is her first appearance here. She brought in 6,700 tons of coal, considerably less than her full capacity, and cleared light.

For a dull season there is much improvement going on in the city; new houses, additions and other work are to be seen in different directions. But there is not so much as there ought to be, for money is decidedly scarce. The depression is general from the Atlantic to the Pacific; but this makes it no pleasanter in this little town. It is to be hoped that the re-opening of the furnace will not long be delayed.

Mr. Edward VanKeulen, who for the past year and a half has been employed as stenographer in the office of the Northwestern Cooperage & Lumber Co., and resided at Mr. J. N. Fox's, left this morning for his home in Grand Rapids where he will visit with relatives for a time, after which he will take a position at New Castle, Ind., as general manager. His friends here wish him success.

McDonough & Nebel, after waiting for a week or two for the Oconto dredge, learn that it is sunk and unable to begin the work on the bay shore. Another is to be procured from Wisconsin and may be had within a week or two. In the meantime little can be done on the road. This mishap is hard on the contractors who supposed that they had a dredge ready to begin at once.

Now is the time to get your winter's supply of wood. C. W. Davis has birch and maple 16-inch wood at the following prices delivered: 1 cord, \$1.75; 2 cords, \$3; 3 cords, \$4.50.

A bread and cake sale will be held Saturday afternoon at three o'clock in Scott's store, Minnawasca block, by the ladies of the Congregational church.

Jacobson's house at Ninth and Minnesota is well along and Forsberg is making it look very pleasant from the street.

Thos. R. Sheppard has put in a fine cement walk for George Ward in front of his residence on Wisconsin avenue.

Mrs. John McCarthy, of Appleton, Wis., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McDonough.

Phil Goldstein returned last night from Big Rapids, where he has been studying.

Mrs. Dickey left yesterday for her home in Baltimore.

It will be noted that the city council is advertising for bids for the excavation of Lowry street at South Gladstone. This excavation is intended to grade down the hill, leading to the Bay Shore road. The specifications call for a cut of over eight thousand yards. This cut will extend north some five hundred feet from the foot of the hill, will be seventy feet wide and twelve or fifteen feet deep at the deepest. It will cut off the Lake street drive and prevent access to the city along the south shore, the pleasantest drive in the city. Half the money it will cost would construct a grade ending at the corner of Lowry street and Avenue B, just at the top of the hill, and leave open the choice of either road, north on Lowry street or east to Lake street. The latter route would lead directly to the center of the city and is all improved except about half a mile. It is, beyond a cavil, the cheapest and handsomest roadway that remains to be finished within the city limits. The great argument for the construction of the Bay Shore road is the beauty of a route along the shore. To leave it at the end of Lowry street and drive north along the railroad track seems a wanton waste of natural advantages. Besides, the proposed cut will make a great ditch in the pleasant plateau and ruin the adjoining property. In winter it will be filled with drifting snow, and the roadway in spring will be washed out by the rush of water, whose work may now be plainly seen on the brow of the hill. Altogether there are so many objections to the wasteful project under contemplation, with absolutely none in its favor, that it seems impossible that it can ever have been carefully considered. To overcome a hill of some twenty feet elevation it is in contemplation to incur an expense of not less than a thousand dollars, and more likely twice or thrice that sum.

According to the Soo News explorations are to be made near Neebish Island for gas and coal. A prominent business man says the work will be started as soon as machinery can be brought to the ground, which will be started within the next thirty days. He would not give the exact location of the proposed operations, but admitted that it would be within 25 miles of the Soo, in a southerly direction. Several years ago, while boring a well at DeTour, a gang of men discovered indications of a coal deposit. The discovery at the time occasioned some comment, but the matter was allowed to drop without following up to see what might be found. For several weeks past, however, men have been at work there boring a well, and every piece of rock and earth brought to the surface is critically examined. Symptoms of coal have been found already and the investigators hope to strike a vein in a few days. The whole affair has been kept secret until the present time.

According to the recent state census the population of Iron Mountain is 8,585. This is a decrease of 657 in four years, the federal census takers in 1900 finding 9,242 persons residents in the city, hence the present returns are disappointing and in some quarters their accuracy is questioned. No town relies on official figures, even when there is no boom on.

Ground has been broken at Escanaba for the construction of a two-story brick building with a frontage of fifty feet at 1807 and 1809 Ludington street for Joseph I. Perow and John O'Meara. The structure will cost \$10,000. It will contain two stores on the ground floor and living apartments or office rooms above.

In these days of hurry and hustle, it is very essential that a young person have some special preparation for usefulness in business. There is nothing that will qualify a young man or woman for a good position, like a thorough course in Green Bay Business College. Catalog free.

The new house of S. G. Nelson at Wisconsin and Central has set the fashion for cement walls for cellars and basements, and there will be more of them hereafter. When the house is finished it will be one of the handsomest in the city as well as one of the best arranged.

Rev. Carl Martin arrived Thursday morning from St. Hilaire, Minn., and has entered on his duties as pastor of the Missionkyrk. He is not a stranger here, having been here for a part of last October. There has been no minister here since last fall.

The berry pickers have been doing a lively business for the past few weeks. The heavy rains have made both raspberries and blueberries unusually plentiful and large, and the whole town has been out in sections after them.

There are many handsome yards on Wisconsin avenue, with well kept lawns and bright flowers. Among them is that of Alderman Burrows which looks as if Andy did something besides attending to the wants of Lady Gladstone.

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During the past month the Garth mill was more than once robbed of belting and tools. After the last theft, which was rather bold, the owners engaged Officer Murker to investigate the case. The clue was very slight, as practically all that was known was that the thieves had escaped to Gladstone in a sailboat. By patient work, in spite of the difficulty of obtaining any information from the neighbors, Mr. Murker located the owners of the boat, and after a trying investigation and the issuing of a warrant for several men, five Swedish Finns from the Buckeye Addition were arrested Monday and Tuesday. Their names were given as John Helsing, Edward Jackson, John Ohman, Christ Lunstrom and Charles Gustafson. They were charged with statutory burglary, and their hearing adjourned until next Tuesday. They were identified by two Chicago boys who were camping in the neighborhood, and confessed. Upon their returning the belting and paying the full damages and costs, the prosecution was dropped. The stolen property was valued at \$235. The company rewarded Mr. Murker for his efforts. He did as good a piece of detective work on the case as a Nick Carter in the stories, and he deserves credit accordingly.

T. H. Noble, superintendent of the woods operations of the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company, who visited Cuba last spring for the purpose of investigating the estate of Vista Alegre, which it is proposed to make the basis of a Cuban-American company in which American capital shall be invested, has lately summarized his observations on the trip in the form of a report, which is one of the most exhaustive statements of Cuban industrial and commercial conditions ever compiled by an upper peninsula man. The Mining Journal prints several columns of extracts, all of which are good reading; for Mr. Noble is a keen observer and is clever with the pen. He thinks that raising horses would be very profitable in Cuba and that there are openings for American capital and enterprise in many lines which await the impetus of alien energy.

Supervisor John Latimer, of Brampton town, went to Escanaba Thursday morning on business for the estate of Clement Dubrill of which he is administrator.

Try Powell's Glycerine and Quinine Hair Tonic, none better, every bottle guaranteed. 25 cents small size, 50 cents large size.

Mrs. S. Goldstein and Vetta returned Tuesday from Minneapolis, where they had been visiting Mrs. Kellie.

Mrs. Schram and Miss Lottie Schram arrived from Chicago this week to visit with Mrs. W. F. Hammel.

C. A. Clark is entertaining his sister, Miss Clark, of Detroit, this week.

Powell's Headache Powders are the best.

### PUBLIC NOTICE.

Gladstone, Mich., Aug. 3, 1904.  
Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be accepted at the office of the city clerk up to 5 o'clock p. m. on the 15th day of August, 1904, for the moving of 8216 cubic yards, more or less, of dirt at the foot of Lowry street, Gladstone, Mich., according to plans and specifications now on file in the city clerk's office.

The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
By order of committee,  
19 W. A. NARRACONE, City Clerk.

### TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

The regular teachers' examination for Delta county will be held at the court house in the city of Escanaba commencing Thursday, August 11, at 8:30 a. m. The reading will be based on Act 3, Julius Caesar.

P. R. LEGG,  
Co. Com'r of Schools.







# JAPS OCCUPY HAI CHENG CITY.

The Mikado's Victorious Armies Are Closing in on Gen. Kuropatkin.

## STRIKE AT MAIN FORCE.

Goal of the Japanese Is Not Port Arthur but to Annihilate Gen. Kuropatkin's Command.

## BALTIC FLEET IS DELAYED AGAIN

Tokio, Thursday, Aug. 4.—The Japanese, victors at the battle of Simon cheug, have advanced and occupied Hai Cheng.

New Chwang, Wednesday, Aug. 3.—(Delayed in transmission.)—Gen. Kuropatkin with 100,000 men is now behind the Russian forces. Gen. Oku, with an army of 50,000 men, is on their front, while attacking them on the left. Gen. Nodzu will lead his division of 50,000 men.

Gen. Kuropatkin's Fix. If Gen. Kuropatkin is defeated in this battle, he must either move westward or surrender.

The foreign military attaches are with the second army on route for the front to witness the battle.

Japanese troop ships are expected here tomorrow.

## Port Arthur Not the Goal.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 4.—The army organ makes no effort to foreshadow events of the immediate future in the far east and gives no clue to Gen. Kuropatkin's intentions, but it declares that events of the last ten days demonstrate conclusively that the Japanese objective, since the beginning of the war, had been to strike the main army of the Russians and not, as popularly supposed, to take Port Arthur.

## Japs' Plan of Campaign.

The paper says the Japanese general advance began July 23, the taking of Ta Tche Kiao being a signal for the final struggle in the valley of the Liao river. On July 31, after six days' preparation, the armies of Gen. Oku and Nodzu moved against Hai Cheng. The same day Gen. Kuropatkin began his advance upon Liao Yang. Pushing the position of the Russian eastern army at Yenze pass and that of Gen. Nodzu's main army at Yushan in reserve. The Japanese "Yushanlinzi."

## Japanese Have Strength.

This paper estimates the strength of Kuropatkin's army at 12,000 men, of which number 50,000 are on the high road to Liao Yang, 30,000 on the Salinas-zia-Liao Yang road, 30,000 on the road to Mukden and 10,000 in reserve. The paper does not give the figures of Gen. Oku's and Nodzu's armies, which are believed to bring the total close to 200,000.

## Baltic Fleet Again Delayed.

The sailing of the cruiser division of the Baltic squadron has been postponed for a fortnight. The cruiser Oleg and the transport Kamyshka are ready to go into commission. The vessels now commissioned are the battleship Alexander II, the battleship Surovirov, the armored cruiser Admiral Nakhimov, the battleship Navarin, the battleship Orel, the armored cruiser Atropa, the battleship Souvarov, the battleship Orel and two other cruisers, with quite a flotilla of torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers.

# PEACE IS IN SIGHT.

The Packing House Strike Leaders Look for Renewal of the Negotiations.

## MAY EFFECT A SETTLEMENT

Certain Powerful Outside Influences Have Been Brought to Bear on the Packers.

## PEACEMAKER'S IDENTITY SECRET.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 4.—According to the leaders of the packing-house strike certain powerful influences have been brought to bear on the packers, and peace negotiations will probably be renewed tomorrow afternoon between the strikers and their former employers.

The announcement was made by President Schardt of the Federation of Labor and J. J. Keppler, business agent of the machinists' union. Neither Mr. Schardt nor Mr. Keppler would reveal the identity of the peacemakers, but said that the men who are about to intercede were not identified with any of the other peace efforts.

Mr. Keppler said that President Donnelly would return to the city today, and that the matter would be laid before him. "I believe the parties who are trying to bring about another conference mean business," he said. "The labor men will meet them more than half way."

## SENATOR G. F. HOAR ILL

Denied at Home That Condition Is Serious, Although Alarming Reports Are in Circulation.

Worcester, Mass., Aug. 4.—Reports in circulation that Senator George F. Hoar is seriously ill were denied at the senator's residence today. He has been troubled with lumbago all summer, but is not confined to his room, and it is stated is improving daily.

Worcester, Mass., Aug. 4.—Senator George F. Hoar, who is in his seventy-ninth year, has been taken suddenly ill at his home in Oak Avenue. His unexpected illness has greatly alarmed the household, and his condition is considered serious.

The senator's daughter, Miss Mary Hoar, who has been at Pigeon Cove, was summoned home by wire.

At the senator's home Miss Hoar refused to give out anything concerning her father, further than the fact that he was holding his own.

—Mosquitoes are killing cattle on the Gulf coast.

# MANY INJURED IN A RAILWAY WRECK.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 4.—The south-bound passenger train on the Louisville & Nashville, which left Cincinnati at 6 o'clock last night, collided with a north-bound passenger near Horse Cave, Ky., at 2 o'clock this morning. Thirty-two passengers and four trainmen were injured.

# STONE AMERICANS

The City of Port Au Prince, Hayti, Is in Great Disorder.

## SYRIANS ARE ATTACKED.

Government Sends Police, After the Energetic Remonstrances of the Diplomatic Corps.

## SEEK REFUGEE IN U. S. LEGATION.

Port Au Prince, Hayti, Aug. 4.—The city of Port Au Prince is in a state of great disorder. Bands of soldiers throwing stones prevent the Syrians from re-opening their stores.

American citizens have hoisted the stars and stripes over their residences and a number of them have sought refuge in the American legation, driving there in carriages flying the American flag and pursued by the populace throwing stones.

Owing to the energetic remonstrance of the diplomatic corps the government has decided to take measures to protect the peaceable inhabitants and strong patrols of police have been sent to protect the Syrian stores.

## STEMPOMER HELD FOR GIRL'S DEATH.

She Is Accused of Giving Young Woman Poison and Then Forging Note Telling of Suicide.

Hartford City, Ind., Aug. 4.—Mrs. William R. Krauss, wife of a druggist, was arrested on the charge of killing her stepdaughter, Christina Krauss, 18 years old, who died Tuesday from strychnine poisoning. The girl was supposed to have committed suicide, and Mrs. Krauss produced a note purporting to have been written by her, saying she could not live without her lover, whose attention had been forbidden. It is now said that Mrs. Krauss sent a boy with a note to the store for strychnine, and that both notes were written by the same person.

## OLD MAIDS MUST WED.

Girls Admitted to Mysteries of Club Promise to Use All Means to Get Husbands.

Kenosha, Wis., Aug. 4.—At the annual meeting of the Old Maids' league of Bristol, held last night, four of the leading young women of the village were elected to membership. Before they were admitted to the mysteries of the organization each of the girls was forced to take an oath that she would use all honorable means to become a wife during the next twelve months.

The girls initiated under this original obligation were Misses Lulu Leebottom, Lydia Curtis, and Jessie and Jennie Garland. It is claimed that none of the girls is engaged to be married, but the work of the league has been so successful in the past that wagers of two to one are made that all the girls will be married before the end of the year.

## BIG DEMOCRATIC RALLY.

Bryan to Speak at La Crosse on September 17—Anderson Undecided About Gubernatorial Race.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 4.—[Special.]—The Democrats of this section of the state are preparing for a monster rally on the occasion of the meeting of the congressional convention here September 17. It is planned to have W. J. Bryan here on that day to win over, if possible, all Democrats who would otherwise vote for La Follette. A large Parker and Davis club will also be organized on that date. Dr. W. A. Anderson will not state whether he will be candidate for gubernatorial nomination.

## JEALOUSY LEADS TO SHOOTING.

Walter Ralston Wounds Sweetheart Who Went Riding with Rival.

Charlton, Ia., Aug. 4.—Maddened by jealousy, Walter Ralston, 21, shot her on her return home. She probably will die. Her companion escaped. Ralston is under arrest.

## TWO RIVERS BOY DROWNED.

William Kafka Meets Death While in Bathing.

Two Rivers, Wis., Aug. 4.—[Special.]—William Kafka, the 12-year-old son of Mat Kafka, a resident of the Fourth ward, was drowned yesterday while bathing with a number of boys. His body was recovered.

## INFANTA TO MARRY PRINCE.

Persistent Rumor That Marriage Is Arranged for King's Sister.

Madrid, Aug. 4.—Despite official denials, the newspapers insist that a marriage has been arranged between the Infanta Maria Teresa, sister of King Alfonso, and Prince Ferdinand of Bavaria.

## CATHOLIC PRIEST WAS A JEW.

Convert from Old Faith Is Made Pastor of Terre Haute, Ind., Church.

Terre Haute, Ind., Aug. 4.—Rev. Charles Oppenheim, who has been assigned to the pastorate of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church in this city, is a convert from the Jewish faith, and formerly was a reporter on an Albany (N. Y.) newspaper.

## SHOWER OF SMALL FISH.

Finny Tribe Fall in Abundance During Rain in Russia.

Bialystok, Russia, Aug. 4.—During a downpour of rain here there was a regular shower of small fish.

# RUSSIAN FLEET TRIES TO ESCAPE

Port Arthur Ships Try to Get Out of Harbor but Are Driven Back on Back.

## JAPS ON THE ALERT.

Russian Troops at Port Arthur Have Been Driven Back to Last Line of Defenses.

## SURRENDER SEEMS LIKELY.

Tokio, Thursday, Aug. 4.—10 a. m.—twelve torpedo boat destroyers, four torpedo boats and some gunboats emerged from the harbor at Port Arthur on the night of August 1, but were driven back again by the Japanese warships on guard outside.

New Chwang, Aug. 3.—(Delayed in transmission.)—The Russian troops at Port Arthur have been driven back to the last line of the defenses. The Japanese attacking force has 350 guns in action.

# GIRL WANDERS ALL NIGHT IN A FOREST.

Two Hundred Bayfield People Search for Many Hours for Missing Maid—Exhausted When Found.

Bayfield, Wis., Aug. 4.—[Special.]—Miss Lily Swanson, aged 17, became lost in the woods yesterday while out picking berries and was found today after a constant search of many hours by a party of the town's people numbering nearly 200. The girl was in the woods all night and walked nearly seven miles before coming out into familiar country. Striking a traveled road in the early morning she walked in the opposite direction from town and finally came upon a farmer's house. The girl was nearly exhausted when found.

# TAGGART CHOOSES CAMPAIGN AIDS.

Delancey Nicoll Is Vice Chairman and Tim Ryan of Wisconsin Is on Executive Committee.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 4.—Chairman Taggart of the Democratic national committee this evening announced the following officers of the Democratic national committee and the following members of the national executive committee:

National committee—Delancey Nicoll, vice chairman, New York; George Foster Peabody, treasurer, New York; Executive committee—W. F. Sheehan, chairman, New York; August Belmont, New York; John R. McLean, Ohio; United States Senator Thomas S. Martin, Louisville, Va.; Col. J. M. Gaffey, Pittsburg, Pa.; former United States Senator James Smith, Jr., Newark, N. J.; Timothy E. Ryan, Waukegan, Wis.

Following the announcement of the appointments, Chairman Taggart made the following statement:

The campaign executive committee will have the advice of Senator Gorman's judgment and experience in the campaign, he agreeing to keep in close touch with the management at all times. Such other committees as are deemed necessary will be appointed later. The executive committee will meet at the Hoffman house, New York city, Monday morning, August 8, at 11:30 o'clock.

Concerning the work outlined at the meeting of the executive committee at New York Monday next, Chairman Taggart said:

## IS NO PLACE FOR GAMBLERS.

Michigan City, Ind., Gives Hot Reception to Members of the Talent.

Michigan City, Ind., Aug. 4.—An army of professional gamblers, card sharps and confidence men, more than 100 of whom were from Chicago, flocked to the city yesterday night in the deed of a carnival company, which is here for this week. They had no sooner arrived and prepared for business than the board of police commissioners held a special meeting and issued a sweeping order that gambling would be permitted. The police immediately put the order into effect, driving every gambler out of the city.

## MAY LOSE HER PROPERTY.

La Crosse Woman Had Deeded House to Stepson Who Committed Suicide.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 4.—[Special.]—Trust put in a stepson who afterwards committed suicide, has left Mrs. Anna Holmbo without the home which she purchased here in the deed of a carnival company, which is here for this week. They had no sooner arrived and prepared for business than the board of police commissioners held a special meeting and issued a sweeping order that gambling would be permitted. The police immediately put the order into effect, driving every gambler out of the city.

## TEN UNDER ARREST.

Suspects Taken in Connection with the Robbery of Illinois Central Train.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 4.—In their efforts to run down the four bandits who on Monday night robbed the passengers of an Illinois Central express train near Harvey, Ill., the Chicago police have rounded up ten suspects. So far as known the prisoners have been identified by any of the victims of the robbers and all are being held pending developments.

## GOAT EATS DYNAMITE; LIVES.

Delaware Animal Is in Sole Possession of Premises.

Wilmington, Del., Aug. 4.—A goat, which on several occasions has made good its reputation for eating things, yesterday consumed two sticks of dynamite and is in sole possession of the premises.

## Cut by a Scythe.

Mondovi, Wis., Aug. 4.—[Special.]—The 7-year-old son of C. K. Edson, a prominent farmer of Chimmey Rock, ten miles east of here, nearly had his left leg severed by a scythe in the hands of an older brother. It was accidental.

# KERN NOMINATED BY HOOSIER DEMOCRATS.

Indianapolis Man Is Named to Head the Ticket—Enderose Parker for President.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 3.—The second session of the Democratic state convention met today to adopt a platform and nominate a state ticket. Alonzo Greene Smith of Indianapolis, who presided at the first session, continued as permanent chairman. The same delegates were present that composed the first session, May 12, when delegates to the national convention and convention committees were selected. The platform adopted by the resolutions committee was adopted unanimously. It heartily approves and endorses "the old and conservative declaration of principles by the Democratic national convention at St. Louis and the sturdy and able statesmen, Alton B. Parker and Henry C. Davis," National Chairman Parker, was heartily endorsed. John W. Kern of Indianapolis was unanimously nominated for governor.

The other nominations are: Secretary of state, Edward J. Fogarty, South Bend; treasurer, D. Allen Frankfort; auditor, J. B. Riggs, Sullivan.

## COWLEY FATHER NAMED.

Extremely High Churchman Is Episcopal Coadjutor Bishop of Springfield, Ill.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 3.—Rev. Edward Osborne of this city, who has been elected bishop coadjutor of the Episcopal diocese of Springfield, Ill., is the superior of the American branch of the society of mission priests of St. John the Evangelist. The headquarters of the organization are at Cowley, St. John, Oxford, England.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 3.—Rev. Edward Osborne, rector of the Church of St. John the Evangelist of Boston, Mass., was elected bishop coadjutor of the Episcopal diocese of Springfield.

# LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

MILWAUKEE, AUGUST 3, 1904. EGG AND DAIRY MARKETS.

MILWAUKEE—Eggs—Market firm. Striped fresh laid, loss off, cases returned, 16c; dirties and seconds, 12c; checks, 11c.

Butter—Steady; fine, good is meeting with a very good demand; creamery, extra, 15a, 17c; prints, 18c; firsts, 15c; seconds, 14c; 14c; 15c; 16c; 17c; 18c; 19c; 20c; 21c; 22c; 23c; 24c; 25c; 26c; 27c; 28c; 29c; 30c; 31c; 32c; 33c; 34c; 35c; 36c; 37c; 38c; 39c; 40c; 41c; 42c; 43c; 44c; 45c; 46c; 47c; 48c; 49c; 50c; 51c; 52c; 53c; 54c; 55c; 56c; 57c; 58c; 59c; 60c; 61c; 62c; 63c; 64c; 65c; 66c; 67c; 68c; 69c; 70c; 71c; 72c; 73c; 74c; 75c; 76c; 77c; 78c; 79c; 80c; 81c; 82c; 83c; 84c; 85c; 86c; 87c; 88c; 89c; 90c; 91c; 92c; 93c; 94c; 95c; 96c; 97c; 98c; 99c; 100c.

Cheese—Steady; American full cream, new goods, 12c; Young Americas, 8c; 9c; 10c; 11c; 12c; 13c; 14c; 15c; 16c; 17c; 18c; 19c; 20c; 21c; 22c; 23c; 24c; 25c; 26c; 27c; 28c; 29c; 30c; 31c; 32c; 33c; 34c; 35c; 36c; 37c; 38c; 39c; 40c; 41c; 42c; 43c; 44c; 45c; 46c; 47c; 48c; 49c; 50c; 51c; 52c; 53c; 54c; 55c; 56c; 57c; 58c; 59c; 60c; 61c; 62c; 63c; 64c; 65c; 66c; 67c; 68c; 69c; 70c; 71c; 72c; 73c; 74c; 75c; 76c; 77c; 78c; 79c; 80c; 81c; 82c; 83c; 84c; 85c; 86c; 87c; 88c; 89c; 90c; 91c; 92c; 93c; 94c; 95c; 96c; 97c; 98c; 99c; 100c.

WATERLOO, N. Y., July 31.—Sales of cheese offered, and all sold excepting 44 lbs. at 8c; 45 lbs. at 7c; 46 lbs. at 6c; 47 lbs. at 5c; 48 lbs. at 4c; 49 lbs. at 3c; 50 lbs. at 2c; 51 lbs. at 1c; 52 lbs. at 10c; 53 lbs. at 9c; 54 lbs. at 8c; 55 lbs. at 7c; 56 lbs. at 6c; 57 lbs. at 5c; 58 lbs. at 4c; 59 lbs. at 3c; 60 lbs. at 2c; 61 lbs. at 1c; 62 lbs. at 10c; 63 lbs. at 9c; 64 lbs. at 8c; 65 lbs. at 7c; 66 lbs. at 6c; 67 lbs. at 5c; 68 lbs. at 4c; 69 lbs. at 3c; 70 lbs. at 2c; 71 lbs. at 1c; 72 lbs. at 10c; 73 lbs. at 9c; 74 lbs. at 8c; 75 lbs. at 7c; 76 lbs. at 6c; 77 lbs. at 5c; 78 lbs. at 4c; 79 lbs. at 3c; 80 lbs. at 2c; 81 lbs. at 1c; 82 lbs. at 10c; 83 lbs. at 9c; 84 lbs. at 8c; 85 lbs. at 7c; 86 lbs. at 6c; 87 lbs. at 5c; 88 lbs. at 4c; 89 lbs. at 3c; 90 lbs. at 2c; 91 lbs. at 1c; 92 lbs. at 10c; 93 lbs. at 9c; 94 lbs. at 8c; 95 lbs. at 7c; 96 lbs. at 6c; 97 lbs. at 5c; 98 lbs. at 4c; 99 lbs. at 3c; 100 lbs. at 2c.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 3.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 12c; 13c; 14c; 15c; 16c; 17c; 18c; 19c; 20c; 21c; 22c; 23c; 24c; 25c; 26c; 27c; 28c; 29c; 30c; 31c; 32c; 33c; 34c; 35c; 36c; 37c; 38c; 39c; 40c; 41c; 42c; 43c; 44c; 45c; 46c; 47c; 48c; 49c; 50c; 51c; 52c; 53c; 54c; 55c; 56c; 57c; 58c; 59c; 60c; 61c; 62c; 63c; 64c; 65c; 66c; 67c; 68c; 69c; 70c; 71c; 72c; 73c; 74c; 75c; 76c; 77c; 78c; 79c; 80c; 81c; 82c; 83c; 84c; 85c; 86c; 87c; 88c; 89c; 90c; 91c; 92c; 93c; 94c; 95c; 96c; 97c; 98c; 99c; 100c.

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NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Butter—Steady and unchanged; receipts, 10,399. Cheese—Irregular; receipts, 6,038; state full cream, small colored fancy, 8c; fair to good, 7c; 8c; 9c; 10c; 11c; 12c; 13c; 14c; 15c; 16c; 17c; 18c; 19c; 20c; 21c; 22c; 23c; 24c; 25c; 26c; 27c; 28c; 29c; 30c; 31c; 32c; 33c; 34c; 35c; 36c; 37c; 38c; 39c; 40c; 41c; 42c; 43c; 44c; 45c; 46c; 47c; 48c; 49c; 50c; 51c; 52c; 53c; 54c; 55c; 56c; 57c; 58c; 59c; 60c; 61c; 62c; 63c; 64c; 65c; 66c; 67c; 68c; 69c; 70c; 71c; 72c; 73c; 74c; 75c; 76c; 77c; 78c; 79c; 80c; 81c; 82c; 83c; 84c; 85c; 86c; 87c; 88c; 89c; 90c; 91c; 92c; 93c; 94c; 95c; 96c; 97c; 98c; 99c; 100c.

MILWAUKEE LIVE STOCK MARKET. HOGS—Receipts, 7 cars; market firm. Light mixed, 5.15c; 5.10c; fair to choice medium, 4.75c; 4.70c; 4.65c; 4.60c; 4.55c; 4.50c; 4.45c; 4.40c; 4.35c; 4.30c; 4.25c; 4.20c; 4.15c; 4.10c; 4.05c; 4.00c; 3.95c; 3.90c; 3.85c; 3.80c; 3.75c; 3.70c; 3.65c; 3.60c; 3.55c; 3.50c; 3.45c; 3.40c; 3.35c; 3.30c; 3.25c; 3.20c; 3.15c; 3.10c; 3.05c; 3.00c; 2.95c; 2.90c; 2.85c; 2.80c; 2.75c; 2.70c; 2.65c; 2.60c; 2.55c; 2.50c; 2.45c; 2.40c; 2.35c; 2.30c; 2.25c; 2.20c; 2.15c; 2.10c; 2.05c; 2.00c; 1.95c; 1.90c; 1.85c; 1.80c; 1.75c; 1.70c; 1.65c; 1.60c; 1.55c; 1.50c; 1.45c; 1.40c; 1.35c; 1.30c; 1.25c; 1.20c; 1.15c; 1.10c; 1.05c; 1.00c; 95c; 90c; 85c; 80c; 75c; 70c; 65c; 60c; 55c; 50c; 45c; 40c; 35c; 30c; 25c; 20c; 15c; 10c; 5c; 0c.

CATTLE—Receipts, 3 cars; steady; calves steady; butchers' steers, medium to good, 10c to 12c; 13c; 14c; 15c; 16c; 17c; 18c; 19c; 20c; 21c; 22c; 23c; 24c; 25c; 26c; 27c; 28c; 29c; 30c; 31c; 32c; 33c; 34c; 35c; 36c; 37c; 38c; 39c; 40c; 41c; 42c; 43c; 44c; 45c; 46c; 47c; 48c; 49c; 50c; 51c; 52c; 53c; 54c; 55c; 56c; 57c; 58c; 59c; 60c; 61c; 62c; 63c; 64c; 65c; 66c; 67c; 68c; 69c; 70c; 71c; 72c; 73c; 74c; 75c; 76c; 77c; 78c; 79c; 80c; 81c; 82c; 83c; 84c; 85c; 86c; 87c; 88c; 89c; 90c; 91c; 92c; 93c; 94c; 95c; 96c; 97c; 98c; 99c; 100c.

MILWAUKEE HAY MARKET. Timothy, steady; carlots, choice timothy, 12.00c; 11.75c; 11.50c; 11.25c; No. 2 timothy, 8.50c; 8.25c; clover and alfalfa, 7.50c; 7.25c; new timothy hay about 1.00 less.

Prairie hay steady; choice Kansas, 10.50c; 10.25c; No. 1 Kansas, 9.50c; 10.00c; No. 2, 8.50c; 9.00c.

Straw, steady; rice, 9.00c; 8.75c; oats, 7.50c; 7.25c; wheat, 6.50c; packing hay, 4.50c; 5.00c.

## MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 3.—Close—Wheat—No. 1 northern, 1.10c; No. 2 northern



BEAUTY AND LOVE.

Beauty is the child of Love—
What he looks upon is fair,
Though it is but a shadow
Of a lock of faded hair.

TEA LEAVES.

She sat listlessly in the drawing room.
Tea had been brought in, but she lay
back in her chair indifferently, even lack-

you ever had your fortune told by tea
leaves?
He shook his head. "Never," he said.

She took it from his hand and twisted
it round and round, as she had done
her own, and then she dried the last

Let the fickle god depart—
All that's fair in darkness dies,
For of all he is a part,
And alone all beauties.

JOANNA'S ON THE BEACH.
The sea-gulls circle in delight
And swirl about each other,
The breeze springing to greet the slight—

Why does she dawdle, when a score
Would writhing, a moment more—
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the smallest in existence and a beauti-
fully formed animal was roasted to
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Oh, long ago
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When prairie schooners traced
The trackless west

Another way
The life of travel turns,
And one who stays,
At home these days

Miscellaneous Items.
Minnesota has 10,000 Indian mounds.
There are 5000 irrigated farms in Oregon.

A looking glass trunk has been or-
ganized in Belgium. The German explor-
ers Natrabals now make birds take

A New York woman known as "Old
Sal" has saved about \$5000 in the
strategy business of matching buttons.

The Bible publications of the Oxford
University Press have been issued for 300
years and can be published in 150 lan-
guages and dialects.

Among the sights in Paris is a rat
pound, where the services of the rodents
are utilized for removing the flesh from

The chemist Lauthin, in Sweden, has
discovered a large deposit rich in uran-
ium, the element in which radium usually

Silk cocoon cultivation is becoming one
of Serbia's national industries. Last
year there were collected in that king-
dom 345,000 pounds of silk cocoons.

Bare massages have been so success-
ful in London sanitariums that the
"art of massage" is to be taught in New
York schools for the blind.

An action in admiralty was commenced
in the United States district court by the
Knickerbocker Steamboat company,

An interesting event which will occur
late next autumn will interfere with the
tour of Miss Mary Mannerling, a popular

At Los Angeles, Cal., a large concrete
cylinder chimney has recently been erect-
ed which is 180 feet high above the base

Near Ketschian, Germany, is 5535
feet deep, and for geological research
only. The drilling was begun in 1880,

For years past the Swiss peasants
have had almost a monopoly in the mark-
ing of certain toys. Now in the vast

Massachusetts scientists are making
collections of rain water for testing pur-
poses. The plan is to analyze the rain

The savings tribes in the interior of
Brazil are exceedingly fond of roast
meat. Humboldt estimated that one

One of the popular errors concerning
the swift is the belief that it is a swallow,
and it is called the chimney swallow

According to the latest census China
has a population of 426,445,000. Thus
the Chinese empire contains more than

It is claimed that blast furnaces may
in the near future be great gas producers,
while the production of pig iron will be

A remarkable phenomenon was re-
cently observed on the Canadian coast.
A streak of "red water" was noticed some

A satisfactory highway can be built
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## AFTER THE THIRD ATTACK ON NANSHAN HILL.



Every man who took part in the third attack on Nanshan Hill fell before the Russian fire; and in the lull which preceded the advance of the next Japanese line, the Russians could be seen peering over their earthworks at the scene of awful stillness.—London Illustrated News.

### THE SORROWING MOTHER.

Last night I dreamed he came to me;  
I held him close and wept and said:  
"My little child, where have you been?  
I was afraid that you were dead."  
Then I awoke; it almost seemed  
As though my arms could feel him yet,  
I had been sobbing in my sleep;  
My tears had made the pillows wet.  
I cannot think of him at all  
As the bright angel he must be,  
But only as my little child  
Who may be needing me.  
Do not make him grow too wise,  
Angels—ye who know;  
I am dull and slow to learn,  
Telling here below.  
Do not fill his heart too full  
With your heavenly joy,  
Lest the mother's place be lost  
With her little boy.  
Those may dare to doubt who have  
Their loved ones here below;  
For me, I do not now believe,  
—Katharine Pyle in Harper's Bazar.

### A Little Palmistry

WHAT is your particular line of robbery?" he asked as he approached her small, canopied table at the charity bazaar.  
"Palmistry," she returned smilingly.  
"Shall I read your hand? It costs half a crown."  
"I'm afraid you might discover my true inwardness. Let me read yours. I'll pay you just the same."  
"Very well," she said readily. He sat down opposite her at the little table and she placed her hand on the small velvet cushion.  
"A dark gentleman loves you," he began promptly.  
"Which one?" she inquired demurely.  
"Several. They are all villains. Avoid them."  
"Thanks. That is very important. What else?"  
"A blonde gentleman also loves you. He is about my height and color."  
"I shouldn't call you a blonde, exactly."  
"Well, then, I shouldn't call him a blonde, exactly."  
"Is he a villain, too?"  
"Not at all. You will be very happy if you marry him."  
"He hasn't asked me," she said.  
"No; but he's going to."  
She studied her own hand.  
"I see him," she cried. "How wise you are! He is now far from here."  
"He isn't"—indignantly. "He is very near."  
"Oh, then it can't be the same one."  
"The one I mean is the one you should marry," he said.  
"Oh, yes, now I see the one you mean," she said. "There, on that cross line. But he is very attentive to a short, blue-eyed lady."  
"Not at all. She's only a—"  
"Sister to him?"  
"No; not even that. Just a calling acquaintance."  
"But he calls her by her first name."  
"That's what I meant by a calling acquaintance. But how do you know he does?"  
"I've heard him," she said with positiveness.  
"I thought this was palmistry?"  
"Oh, so it is. Well, I find it in the line under this finger."  
"Well, they're old friends, you see."  
"But you said she was only a calling acquaintance."  
"I was looking at the wrong line," he said hastily. "Let's go on. This not exactly blonde gentleman is going to be very wealthy. He will give you every luxury."  
"How about all the dark gentlemen?" she inquired. "Some of them are wealthy already."  
"They will lose it all—last winter you were quite ill."  
"You know that, anyway," she remarked.  
"I am judging by a small break in

the life line. The not-exactly-blond gentleman sent you flowers."  
"Yes. It was very kind of him. So did the dark gentlemen."  
"That's meant nothing."  
"Undying devotion."  
"How nice! That must be the blonde gentleman who is so far away."  
"It isn't either! It is the one who is very near."  
"You seem to read a good deal about other people in my hand," she observed.  
"Maybe I wasn't looking at it as altogether your hand," she said audaciously.  
"Whose would it be, pray?"  
"Suppose we call it mine. One ought to be able to read one's own hand pretty well, you know."  
She withdrew her hand.  
"In my hand?"  
"In mine."  
"Is it the same thing?" he begged.  
"How about the blue-eyed lady's hand?"  
"She can give it to one of the dark gentlemen."  
"Well, that might be good arrangement. But as to giving mine to the blonde gentleman—"  
"Yes?" eagerly.  
"That," she said mischievously, as she arose, "isn't a question of palmistry. Besides, you've had your money's worth already. Here comes one of the dark gentlemen."—Home Monthly.

### RIVER MONSTER IN AFRICA.

Amphibious Animal Is Between an Elephant and Hippopotamus in Size.  
If Sir Harry Johnston had not recently returned from Uganda with the first skins of the okapi there would be more reason for receiving with incredulity the story of a French traveler, says M. Trilles, writing from Njole, that while exploring the northern Congo three years ago he heard from the natives of "an enormous amphibious animal something between the elephant and the hippopotamus in size, and in nature very ferocious toward man." Unbelieving, he paid little attention to what had been told him.  
"However, later, when in the neighborhood of Djali, near the Great Falls, the accounts were given with more detail. The animal in question, or at least one of its species, lived near the source of the Mourk; it lay in wait for the canoes, upset them, and in preference attacked the women and children. Twice the natives fetched me to see it as it slept on the sandbank. But on each occasion it had disappeared when I got there."  
"On returning from my travels I asked many questions about this animal, but it was unknown. On the coast I never heard it spoken of. But since my arrival here I have had repeated descriptions of it. The people of the upper Ogue give it the name of the nzemedzin (the water tiger). Sergeant Sans of the Njole tirailleurs shot one recently at less than twenty meters, but, unfortunately, the wounded animal escaped him."  
"The people here make out that the nzemedzin is smaller than the description given by those of the interior. Its color is a light tawny gray, dotted with black spots; the hair rough, instead of smooth, as in the other; the tail long and powerful, the paws short and webbed and fitted with very sharp nails six or eight centimeters in length. The nail is horny, as in the tiger. The animal only lives near waterfalls and is carnivorous. It snatches women and children as they bathe and detest even the crocodile."

### ATHLETIC GAMES IN SYRIA.

Customs of the Orientals Undergoing Gradual Transformation.  
Oriental peoples are very averse to physical exercise of any kind, says the World To-Day. Their idea of enjoyment is to sit under an awning and play backgammon. That a man should go out and run around a track in shameful nakedness and this with a hope of gain, only confirms them in the belief that all Americans are mad. But they are imitative people, and years ago the influence and example of the

younger teachers got a few of the preparatory boys out for footraces. That day, for Beirut at least, the death blow was struck to the picturesque dress of the Orient. You can't run a 100-yard dash with long, baggy drawers and a silk gumbaz that flops around your ankles. Even if you "gird up the loins," by tucking your skirts into the sash, the effect is more startling than speedy. So, one by one, the students ordered trousers from the city tailors. At first they were poorly cut and viewed with suspicion; but to-day there are not three men in the collegiate department who wear the old costume, and many of the students dress with taste and an elegance that their professors cannot afford to emulate.

Tennis and basketball soon won their place in the students' favor; and now we have gymnastic apparatus and a regular graduated athletic director, who has learned physical culture and boy nature through a long experience in the gymnasiums of America. But it was football that did the most toward unification. The value of teamwork is a new idea to eastern college men. The old ideal was that of "every man for himself." It has been so since the time of Alcibiades and Absalom. If it had not been so the history of the world might have been different. It was comparatively easy to see the joy of winning a footrace or a tennis match; but to play an untheatrical part in a football game, obeying a captain and working for the good of the side, that was a very different thing. We always play the "association" game, and it used to be the ideal of every player to get the ball and carry it down the field all by himself, while the audience cheered "Bravo, Jerry!" So we arranged matches with the crews of visiting British frigates, and from sad experience our boys learned the value of back plays and frequent passes, and began to see dimly the truth that good football is played, not with the legs or the mouth, but with the head, and that hard teamwork is far better than grandstand plays. That lesson may change the map of Asia some day.

### The Advantage of Being Ill.

One of the greatest difficulties in life is illness when the hands are full of work, and of business requiring attention. In many cases the strain and anxiety, which causes resistance to the illness, is even more severe, and makes more trouble than the illness itself.  
Suppose, for instance, that a man is taken down with the measles, when he feels that he ought to be at his office, and that his absence may result in serious loss to himself and others. If he begins by letting go, in his body and in his mind, and realizing that the illness is beyond his own power, it will soon occur to him that he might as well turn his illness to account by getting a good rest out of it. In this frame of mind his chances of early recovery will be increased, and he may even get up from his illness with so much new life and with his mind so much refreshed as to make up, in part, for his temporary absence from business. But, on the other hand, if he resists, worries, complains and gets irritable, he irritates his nervous system, and, by so doing, is likely to bring on any one of the disagreeable troubles known to follow measles; and thus he may keep himself housed for weeks, perhaps months, instead of days.—Leslie's Monthly.

### Confidential.

Little Willie—Say, pa, what is a remote period?  
Pa—A remote period, my son, is the period due at the end of your mother's remarks. Remember, however, I am giving you this explanation in strict confidence.  
In an Assured Position.  
Mrs. Cobwigger—So your husband thinks his position in society is now secure?  
Mrs. Newrich—Yes. He is so sure about it that he has stopped hiring a dress suit and is having one made to order.—Judge.  
He who serves his friends is a busy man.

## VICTORIES FOR KUROKI.

### Japanese Defeat Russians in Two Separate Battles.

### BATTLE LAST TWO DAYS

Simu Cheng Has Fallen Before Repeated Attacks of the Mikado's Forces.

Tokio, Aug. 2.—1 p. m.—It is reported here that after three days of desperate fighting the Japanese have captured Shantaikow, one of the important defenses of Port Arthur.  
[Shantaikow is situated on the railroad leading from Port Arthur to Khechow and is between Inguria bay and Victoria bay, but closer to the former than to the latter. Roughly speaking Shantaikow is about ten miles from the actual fortress of Port Arthur. It is a position of great natural strength, commanding a broad plain leading to Wuchiatin, another strong position on hills about four miles from the fortress.]

St. Petersburg, Aug. 2.—8:20 p. m.—It is officially announced that the Russians have fallen back from Yangze pass, but are holding their positions on the Saimatsza road.

Tokio, Aug. 2.—Noon.—After two days' fighting Gen. Kuroki has defeated the Russian forces in two separate actions fought at Yushulizku and the Yangze pass.  
[The Yangze pass, or Yangze pass, is situated thirty miles east of Liao Yang. The Russian army engaged there is generally known as the eastern army and was commanded by the late Lieut. Gen. Count Keller, who was killed by the explosion of a shell.]

Yushulizku is a village near Simoucheng, four miles south of Hahoyen, where the Russian forces have apparently sustained a defeat.  
St. Petersburg, Aug. 2.—A report from an apparently reliable source is to the effect that Gen. Kuropatkin's main force has been rapidly moving north for several days. According to this report no troops proceeding to the front from the east had gone past Harbin in the last three days. They will be detained there and every available piece of rolling stock will be rushed south empty for the removal of troops at Liao Yang and other points to the northward, leaving a skeleton force to contest the Japanese advance on vital positions.

London, Aug. 2.—A dispatch to a news agency from Tokio says there is reason to believe that after two days' fighting the Japanese occupied Simoucheng, this cutting off Gen. Stakelberg from Gen. Kuropatkin.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 2.—5:45 p. m.—Gen. Kuropatkin reports that the Japanese have occupied Hahavien, thirty miles east of Liao Yang.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 2.—The feeling at the war office here was distinctly gloomy this morning. No official telegrams had been received by the general staff from Gen. Kuropatkin, who was communicating direct with the Emperor, but from private sources at the front it already was apparent that Simoucheng, fifteen miles south southeast of Hai Cheng, at the juncture of the Feng Wang Cheng-Sinyen roads, had been lost, Gen. Stakelberg's outposts having fallen back to Hai Cheng.

No word was received enabling the staff to either confirm or deny the reported capture of the late Gen. Count Keller's position at Hahavien, east of Liao Yang, and Yangze pass, thirty miles east of Liao Yang, but telegrams being continued on both the southern and eastern fronts, the object of the Japanese in the east being to flank Gen. Keller's corps from the south and north, which is easily possible.  
The progress of the enveloping movement may have forced the corps to retire on Liandianshan, which is the next position in the direction of Liao Yang. Official dispatches detailing the engagement are hardly expected till the evening.

The failure of the garrison of Simoucheng to retreat along the northern road probably was due to the presence of the Japanese column flanking the late Gen. Keller's corps from the south. In view of the inability of the Russians to hold Simoucheng it is considered unlikely that Gens. Zarubaitoff and Stakelberg will attempt to offer stubborn resistance at Hai Cheng. It is possible that they are already retiring on Aushanhan (also written Anshantschan), half way between Hai Cheng and Liao Yang, as indicated in these dispatches last night.  
There is reason to believe that two of Gen. Oku's divisions are advancing from New Chwang on Hai Cheng with the view of flanking and cutting off Gen. Stakelberg's retreat, but this movement is not likely to succeed on account of Stakelberg's ability to retire northward on Aushanhan.

An interesting detail evidencing the fierceness of the artillery duel south of Hai Cheng, July 31, is the fact that the Russian batteries on the left flank fired 482 shots in four hours.

Three Armies in Attack.  
St. Petersburg, Aug. 2.—Gen. Kuropatkin has been fighting three Japanese armies since Saturday. Hai Cheng is the center of the present operation, and the reports indicate that the Russian forces are facing the gravest situation that has developed during the war.

Military critics here do not believe that Gen. Kuropatkin can escape a general engagement with the Japanese, and with Gen. Oku hammering away from the south and Gen. Nodzu and Kuroki operating with driving movements of great force against the sides. If one of the latter should break through the southern force would be doomed.

Jap Victory Not Confirmed.  
The report received from Tokio that Simoucheng actually had been forced did not become generally known. The general staff remained in session until almost 2 a. m., and on adjournment it was stated that nothing beyond the day's official dispatches had been received.

Falling Back on Mukden.  
It is asserted by some that for several days the main body of the Russian army has been moving north towards Mukden and that when the present line to the southeast is forced the Japanese will find their way to Mukden.

Should this prove to be so, Gen. Kuropatkin will doubtless be obliged to evacuate the immense quantity of stores accumulated at Liao Yang.

### SIX WARSHIPS WILL COAL AT CHERBOURG.

Russian Fleet Is Expected to Stop at French Port in a Day or So.

Cherbourg, France, Aug. 2.—A trustworthy report is current here that six Russian warships are expected to coal at this port shortly.

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Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 1.—Robert E. Pattison, who was twice Democratic governor of Pennsylvania and twice comptroller of Philadelphia, died early today at his home in Overbrook, a suburb of this city. Pneumonia, complicated with a weakness of the heart, was the cause of death. He was 53 years old.

Mr. Pattison was a candidate for governor on the Democratic ticket against Gov. Pennypacker in 1902 and had not

stroy the immense quantity of stores accumulated at Liao Yang.  
Fight Rages on Two Fronts.  
In the meantime fighting is raging on both fronts and still continues. The latest reports contain nothing yet contradictory of the rumors that Gen. Kuropatkin has been defeated. According to Kuropatkin's official dispatch to the Emperor the battle began for the possession of the important position at Simoucheng, which is located at the juncture of the Feng Wang Cheng and Sinyen roads.  
Decisive Moment Arrives.  
All the military critics this morning take the view that the decisive moment of the campaign has arrived. The army organ says that Gen. Kuroki prepared for his advance by drawing in his forces, which were scattered over a front of forty miles. The paper says it is evident that a large Japanese force is working along the Saimatsza-Liao Yang line. It expresses doubt, however, which advance of the enemy will push home and whether it is Kuroki's intention to try to flank Kuropatkin north or south of Liao Yang.  
The Russ says: "The decisive moment has arrived, but, judging from the latest reports, the Russians have retained their positions and this time it will not be in order to retreat."  
Repulsed Jap Attacks.  
All the newspapers were late in publication this morning, the editions evidently having been held back in hope of the receipt of later advices from the front. The only special dispatch published was one appearing in The Official Messenger under date of Hai Cheng, August 1, referring to events of the previous day. According to this dispatch numerous assaults were made upon the positions of Lieut. Gen. Count Koppen and Lieut. Gen. Zassaltch, all of which were repulsed.

Attacks Supply Train.  
The Japanese on July 29, the dispatch says, fired upon a supply train running south of Hai Cheng and a car was wrecked but no one was killed.

The Official Messenger publishes the notice of the release of the steamer Malacca, which was seized in the Red sea by the Russian volunteer fleet steamer St. Petersburg, and reviews the case. The article concludes thus:  
"The arrangements for her inspection and release now is taken in abrogation of Russia's rights, which she still maintains, and search them for contraband destined for the enemy."

The End Is at Hand.  
Shan Hai Kwan, Aug. 2.—Simoucheng has fallen and the beginning of the end is at hand.  
For two days Kuropatkin's forces have been fighting fiercely, despairingly, stubbornly contesting inch by inch the resistless onslaught of the three separate Japanese armies which are closing in upon them.

But once again the stalwart Russian soldiers have been compelled to retire before their little opponents.  
Brings Armies Together.  
The capture of Simoucheng brings the two southern divisions of the Japanese army into communication and enables them to move together on Kuropatkin at Hai Cheng.

Fourteen miles of deadly battle, this is what Kuropatkin's forces are facing. He allowed his army to become entangled in a trap. The trap has been sprung and three mighty Japanese armies are fighting to wipe out his men and deal a death blow to the Russian campaign in the far east.

Likes cornered rats his men are waging desperate battle at Hai Cheng in an endeavor to break the wires of the trap.  
Trap Too Strong to Shatter.  
But the trap is too strong, the plans of the Japanese too cunningly laid.

Kuropatkin's position at Hai Cheng, precarious enough before, has become almost impossible with the approach of a new Japanese army near Tolin, to the north, threatening the Russian communication. Kuroki is threatening Liao Yang and has managed to get a strong force between Hai Cheng and Mukden. That Kuropatkin will be forced to strike for Liao Yang and make a last desperate stand there is the expectation of the Japanese generals, and they are devoting all their energies to one mighty attempt to finally crush him at Hai Cheng.

Will Be Deciding Struggle.  
It will be the decisive struggle of the war, the final contest toward which every movement of the Japanese army has been directed—a piece of strategy which, if successful, will be a triumph for the Japanese unexcelled in the history of warfare.

If Kuropatkin's armies be crushed by this piece of strategy the entire Russian army may capitulate and the war be ended without waiting for the result of the terrific bombardment of Port Arthur.

Eluding the Japanese.  
Vladivostok, Aug. 2.—The Vladivostok cruiser division returned to port at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The cruisers were in perfect condition. They captured, during their cruise, the steamer Arabia and destroyed some schooners, a small Japanese steamer, one German steamer and one British steamer. The last mentioned two were carrying contraband material and had nearly reached their destination—Yokohama—but were almost without coal and it was therefore impossible to send them to Vladivostok.

The cruisers steamed up and down in front of the Japanese capital, but saw nothing of the enemy's warships.

Although the Russian vessels had only three doors through which to get home, the straits of Korea, La Perouse strait and Tsugara strait—which apparently could easily have been barred by Vice Admiral Kamura's vessels, had luck pursued the Japanese admiral, and the Russian cruisers had no difficulty in eluding him.

Prinz Heinrich Incident Closed.  
St. Petersburg, Aug. 2.—The officials of the German embassy here have no information concerning the report from Vladivostok that a German ship was sunk by the Vladivostok squadron.

The correspondent of the Associated Press learns that the steamer Prinz Heinrich incident is considered closed, the volunteer fleet steamer having on board the two sacks of retained mail of the Prinz Heinrich, has been instructed to put them ashore at the first port for forwarding to their destination. The only question remaining is that of damages which, it is expected, will be settled amicably and without difficulty.

The United States government has been informed that no decision relative to the release of the Portland and Asiatic line steamer Arabia can be rendered until after her trial before the prize court.

The admiralty has not yet received official confirmation of the sinking of a German steamer by the Vladivostok squadron and her name has not been revealed.

King Christian Is Ill.  
The Ruler of Denmark Is Forced to Give Up His Trip to Jutland.

Berlin, Aug. 2.—The correspondent of The Lokal Anzeiger at Copenhagen telegraphs that King Christian is not in good health, and that consequently the King has abandoned his intended journey to Ribe, Jutland, to dedicate a church.

Union Is Stopped BY FEDERAL COURT.  
Joseph Leiter Obtains Injunction Preventing Unions from Picketing His Coal Property.

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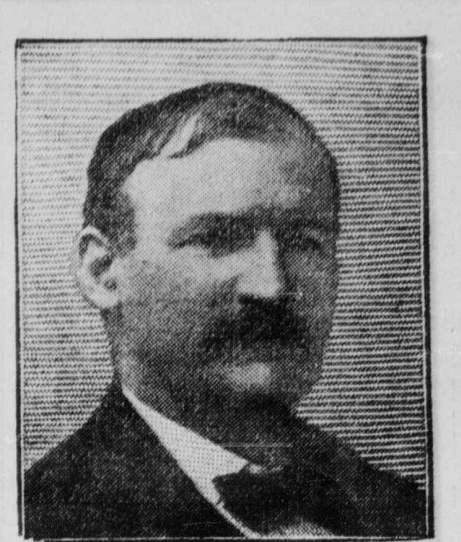
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been a well man since his laborious campaign in that year, when his tour of seven weeks covered nearly every county in the state. He was a member of the committee on resolutions of the recent Democratic convention at St. Louis, and his health failed under the strain. He remained in St. Louis a few days after the convention to rest, and, returning home, resumed his business, dividing his time between this city and New York.

There was some talk of nominating Mr. Pattison for the presidency. Last Friday pneumonia developed and heart complications aggravated Mr. Pattison's illness. Yesterday his condition was encouraging, but late last night he collapsed. Saline injections were resorted to, but the patient sank rapidly and died shortly after 6 o'clock today.

## CZAR IS IN MOURNING.

Emperor of Russia Attends Funeral of His Dead Minister of Interior—Assassin Not Dead.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 1.—8:18 p. m.—The Associated Press is informed on high authority that the report of the death of Von Plehve's assassin is untrue.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 1.—M. von Plehve, minister of the interior, who was killed by an assassin's hand last Thursday, was buried with the impressive ceremonies of the Russian Orthodox church.

High mass was said in the state chapel adjoining the ministry of the interior. Emperor Nicholas and the dowager Empress stood with the widow and the children of the minister at the foot of a great mound of flowers, on which rested the casket. Among those present were members of the imperial family, the foreign representatives, including Spencer Eddy, charge d'affaires of the American embassy, ministers of the empire, generals, admirals, nobles, governors of distant provinces, like those of Astrakhan and Irkutsk—in fact, all high officialdom, not even omitting Genghis Khan, a lineal descendant of the Napoleon of Asia, who is now a major general in the Russian service.

The Emperor was visibly moved and upon the conclusion of the mass he followed the casket, which was taken up on the shoulders of the ministers and borne down the marble staircase to the street. The body was interred in the adjoining cemetery, where repose the remains of many of Russia's greatest men, and at a point within a stone's throw of the grave of M. Simons, a major general in the Russian service, who was M. von Plehve's predecessor, and who also fell by the hand of an assassin less than two years ago.

Murderer Removed to Jail.  
The murderer of M. von Plehve has been removed from the hospital to the Wyborgsky prison. The police know the alias under which he traveled, but say that they are not yet satisfied regarding his identity and decline to reveal the alias on the ground that it might defeat the ends of justice.

There is no longer any doubt that the police for some time have had knowledge of the existence of a plot by a band of international anarchists in Paris and Vienna. The leading conspirator, it is said, was a man whom the Russian government tried to extradite last fall. Some of these conspirators arrived a week ago, and police thought that all of them had been taken into custody.

It is said that 1000 persons have been arrested in connection with the assassination of von Plehve.

It is imperative that the Emperor select a successor to M. von Plehve immediately, and it is considered certain that he will do so this week.

Finnish Professor Exiled.  
Helsingfors, Finland, Aug. 1.—Prof. Gummerus of the University of Finland has been exiled to Russia, being the fourth professor from the institution to be exiled since the murder of Gen. Bobrikoff. Nothing is known here of Legio, the alleged name of the assassin of Minister von Plehve, though rumors are afloat that he was here three weeks ago.

Mentioned as Plehve's Successor.  
St. Petersburg, Aug. 1.—As von Plehve's successor as minister of the interior, M. Kristi, the governor of Moscow, is now also prominently mentioned.

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Work will be commenced on cheese factory Monday, and it will be finished in about three weeks. The site chosen is on the bank of the river by the bridge, opposite Cole's. It will have a ten horse power boiler and two 400 gallon vats, and will be able to handle 8000 pounds of milk a day. The company will hire a competent man to take care of the plant. John Darrow is the secretary and treasurer. The plant was sold by E. McIntyre, manager for the Green Bay Mfg. Co., who also furnished the factories at Perkins and Schaefer. The one here is the largest of the three.

Frank Smythe, Will Cullman, Louisa and Clara King, Julius King, Nellie Cavill, and Annice Desmond went berrying Monday at Garth. At about two o'clock in the afternoon they had collected all the berries they needed and the gallant Captain Smythe started to return in his new sailboat. When he had, by judicious tacking, gone as far as Maywood, he decided that it would be easier to row the rest of the way. He arrived in good season, at about half past eight. If the international yacht races be held next year, it is probable Capt. Smythe will accept a position as skipper of the cup defender.

Five men were arrested in Gladstone Tuesday for the robbery of the Garth mill July 13. The warrant was taken out by E. L. Soules, agent, on behalf of Cyrus A. Barker, the new owner. The mill had been robbed steadily for some time. The belting had been stolen out of the mill, as well as tools, to the extent of some hundreds of dollars. They confessed and the prosecution was dropped on their paying all damages and costs.

The L. O. T. M. M. will have a deputy great commander here soon to do organizing. The lodge will take instructions in the new class work furnished them. The floor work is all new. The lodge is booming right along, with an initiation nearly every meeting, and have passed their 116 mark. They lay claims to be the largest lodge in the city.

A party was given at the opera house Tuesday by the Misses Effie and Clara Holmes. About thirty were present. As is usual with Rapid River festivities, all present enjoyed themselves the whole evening. Tropic's orchestra furnished the music.

S. F. Anderson, Patrick Callahan, and Gust Darling went fishing Sunday. Mr. Anderson when he returned, proudly exhibited a string of thirty-two fish, as the results of two hours' sport. The others merely took a rest.

The three-year-old son of Jos. Neuroh of Perkins met with a bad accident last Friday. While the mower was cutting grass in front of the house, he got before the blades and his left leg was badly cut. He is doing well now.

John Peep, of DePerre, came here Sunday and visited with his son Charles this week, returning Friday. Alvin Peep has so far recovered from his injuries that he can be around.

J. J. Ackley returned Wednesday from the expo. He reports that St. Louis is even more torrid than the future abode of sinners.

Daniel Wicklander and party, with Escanaba friends, about sixteen in all, left on a fishing excursion Wednesday afternoon.

It is rumored M. Schraw is preparing to manage a dramatic company soon, and that he will also be leading man in a thrilling play.

Deputy Sheriff Hill returned Saturday. The man for whom he was looking had succeeded in disappearing.

Mrs. E. L. Calkins gave a lecture here Friday on temperance, under the auspices of the local W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Patheath and children, of Chicago, came Monday to visit D. Wicklander two or three weeks.

The Modern Woodmen initiated three candidates Tuesday and have six more clamoring for admittance.

Elmer Olson went to Gladstone Friday. He has accepted a position as fireman on the Soo.

Wednesday the quarantine was removed from the houses of J. E. Tropic and Alex Monk.

The poolroom was closed this week, as it was not a very lucrative proposition.

Ben Munn moved Wednesday morning to Perkins, where he secured a position.

Abe Buchman returned from Traverse City Tuesday to stay two or three weeks.

Judge Sinnitt went to Escanaba Sunday night and returned next morning.

M. O. Whipple attended the Adventist meeting at Gladstone Sunday.

Peter Jonas went to Gladstone Saturday to have his eyes treated.

A. P. Waldo went to Escanaba Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Margaret Murchie left Wednesday for Sturgeon Bay.

Mrs. J. Hocks and Miss Ella drove to Gladstone Saturday.

Mrs. John Hocks left for Sturgeon Bay Wednesday, and will be gone a few days.

Sunday the Rapid River team defeated the Richters, by a score of 13 to 6. Cole's home run was the principal play of the game. Wells has applied for a game here this Sunday. Aug. 14 Rapid River will play the Wolverines of Escanaba.

L. C. Jerome received this week a full blooded shorthorn Durham bull, registered stock, from Janesville. The animal is eight months old and weighs six hundred and twenty-five pounds.

The land on the corner next Darrow's barn, belonging to the school district, is for sale. It has a good house and a flowing well upon it. It is held at \$2000, according to Mr. Darling.

Mike Thomas, Herbert and Henry Thomas, Walter Darrow and Walter Schramm, went camping on the Whitefish Tuesday and will be gone a week or so.

Archie and Napoleon Boudah returned from Canada Monday after a month's stay. Mrs. A. Boudah arrived the next day, having stopped in the Soo.

W. Walkup went to Gladstone Thursday and visited the docks. He is of opinion that a farmer has certainly a much pleasanter job than a coal heaver.

Mrs. Kate Carmody returned Saturday from Stephenson, after a delightful visit, and Miss Stella Coburn returned home Monday.

Richard Buerger left last Saturday for his home in Wausau. Mr. Dasler returned Tuesday, much improved in health.

The Escanaba Lumber Co. closed its shingle mill at Masonville Wednesday for a time, as its logs were not available.

The Perkins game has been postponed and Manager Caswell is of opinion that the other side is afraid to face the music.

Mrs. Walter Fax and Miss Dona White are visiting H. W. Cole for a few days.

John McPherson closed his store this week and left for Munising.

John Darrow transacted business in Escanaba Wednesday.

Ed. Short and William Sampson went farming this week.

Mr. and Mrs. August Schramm visited Gladstone Sunday.

C. Bellstrom went to Gladstone Tuesday on business.

Mrs. John Fish was quarantined for diphtheria.

D. C. Dillabough left for Little Lake Monday.

B. Buchman left last Friday for Mt. Clemons.

B. Cleveland left Thursday for the west.

## The City Council.

Council met Monday evening with all present except Ald. Gormsen.

Bills allowed were:

Light and Water Dept.	\$734 87
Fire department	136 11
Volunteer firemen	13 00
Street Com's pay roll for July	714 37
C. W. Davis, sidewalk plank	35 51
J. E. Clow & Sons, flag pole	149 35
A. J. Bellaire, supplies	1 20
Ed. Gignere, killing dogs	10 00
J. T. Whybrew, dog to dump	1 00
W. J. Mick's, provisions to poor	5 00
John Fontanna, police	4 00
Nels G. Nelson, police	2 00
W. A. Narracong, postage	60
H. J. Theriault, frt. on culverts	21 68
J. S. Craig, 12 days with ass't.	80 00

Committee on finance asked for more time to report on sidewalk tax of Prosper Duchesne; granted.

Committee on streets and bridges presented estimates and profile for road at South Gladstone, 8,216 yards, recommended that Lowry street be cut to grade established on profile, filling the road on the beach as far as may be possible with material thus obtained, and further recommended that they be authorized to ask for bids for the work; report was accepted and adopted and the clerk was instructed to advertise for bids. The mayor and street committee were instructed to confer with the county board and raise, if necessary, the grade of the rip rap on the Bay Shore road.

The mayor and clerk were authorized to issue a new bond to W. A. Foss to refund one of \$1198.78 now due.

The committee on public property was authorized to erect the flag pole in front of the city clerk's office.

Council adjourned.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,  
Land Office at Marquette, Mich.,  
July 3, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the circuit court for Delta county, Michigan at Escanaba, Mich., on August 22, 1904, viz: Homestead application No. 10572, of Zephir Teller, for the ne 1/4 of ne 1/4 section 23, township 32, range 43 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Louis LaBranche, George LaBranche, Celestin Boissonau and Edras LaBranche, all of La Branche, Michigan.

THOMAS SCADDEN, Register.

First publication July 16, 1904.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,  
Land Office at Marquette, Mich.,  
July 6, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the circuit court for Delta county, Michigan at Escanaba, Mich., on August 22, 1904, viz: Homestead application No. 10330, of Richard Johnson, for the e 1/2 of nw 1/4, sw 1/4 of ne 1/4, section 22, township 43 north, range 24, west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Henry Werkheiser, of Cornell, Mich., John Kreeke, of Northland, Mich., August Meisner, of Cornell, Mich., Charles Olson, of Escanaba, Mich. 20 THOMAS SCADDEN, Register.

First publication July 30, 1904.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,  
Land Office at Marquette, Mich.,  
July 13, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the circuit court for Delta county, Michigan at Escanaba, Mich., on September 6, 1904, viz: Homestead application No. 7745, of David Presse, for the sw 1/4 of nw 1/4, section 18, township 42 north, range 21 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Henry Marchand, George Friday and Eugene Cass, of Rapid River, Mich., Alexander LeBeau, of Perkins, Michigan.

THOMAS SCADDEN, Register.

First publication July 30, 1904.

TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1878.—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,  
Marquette, Mich.,  
July 29, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as amended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892, Mary Heyman, of Escanaba, county of Delta, state of Michigan, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 1188, for the purchase of the nw 1/4 of se 1/4 of section No. 8, in township No. 42 n, range No. 24 w., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the clerk of the circuit court for the county of Delta, at Escanaba, Mich., on Tuesday the 4th day of October, 1904.

She names as witnesses: Leo Kohlberger, of Cornell, Mich., Charles Gunter, Louis G. Kirshine and Adelard Gabourie, of Escanaba, Mich.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 4th day of October, 1904.

THOMAS SCADDEN, Register.

First publication June 18, 1904.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated the twenty-second day of May, A. D. 1903, made and executed by Julius Dietel and Marie Dietel, his wife, of Maple Ridge Township, Delta county, Michigan, to Samuel Hammel, of Appleton, Wisconsin, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for the county of Delta, State of Michigan, on the 29th day of May, A. D. 1903, in Liber W of Mortgage on page 406, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at this date for principal and interest the sum of one hundred, seven dollars and fifty cents (\$107.50) and the further sum of fifteen dollars as an attorney fee, as provided by said mortgage, making a total amount of one hundred twenty-two dollars and fifty cents, and no suit or proceeding at law having been taken or instituted to recover the debt now remaining unpaid, secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative, now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute of the State of Michigan, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the premises therein described or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due as above set forth together with the costs and expenses of sale and monies to be paid for taxes, if any, to protect the interest of said mortgagee, at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the city of Escanaba, county of Delta and State of Michigan, (that being the place wherein the circuit court for the county of Delta is held) on the twelfth day of September, A. D. 1904, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of said day, which said premises described in said mortgage are as follows: All those certain pieces or parcels of land lying and being situated in the township of Maple Ridge county of Delta and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: The south-west quarter of the south-east quarter and the south-west quarter of the north-east quarter of section four (4) in township forty-two north of range twenty-three west.

Dated Gladstone, Mich., June 17, 1904.

SAMUEL HAMMEL, Mortgagee.

G. R. EATWELL, Attorney for Mortgagee,  
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