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## BUCKEYE STAVE MILL DOWN WILL BE REBUILT SPEEDILY

Fire destroyed the Buckeye stave mill at an early hour Wednesday morning. The blaze originated in the second story of the mill, presumably from a hot box, and had gained an immense start when discovered. The wind raging a short time before had fortunately died down, and the light rain of the evening had dampened all surfaces, or the contents of the yards would probably have been destroyed, as well as a large part of the town. The fire department responded promptly, and laid their hose from the hydrant in the yard. Had the new main extensions been completed, it would have been a little advantage. The fire engine was also put into operation, and water furnished from the mill's pumps. To save the mill was impossible, even with far more water, but the fire was kept from spreading to the new mill or any of the stock. The wind rose again, but the building was nearly flat, and the danger was finally overcome. The fire was watched by a large crowd for a couple of hours. Its glare was enormous soon after the alarm, but died rapidly away.

A second alarm was sent in from the Buckeye Wednesday morning. The department responded again immediately with hose and engine; but the fire, in a tie pile, was not serious.

The destroyed mill will be rebuilt as soon as practicable, with more modern machinery and increased capacity. The insurance will probably be adjusted next week, and the work of construction will be pushed vigorously. About three months will be required. The old mill was in operation about fifteen years, and has since the start been one of Gladstone's most important industrial features.



Mrs. Mary Kee died Tuesday at her son William's home at Fayette, at the age of seventy-nine. Born in Ireland, her parents came to Toronto when she was an infant; and she resided in Ontario for the greater part of her life. For the last two years she has lived at Fayette. Her funeral was held Friday morning from the home of Dr. Kee in this city. Among relatives who attended were two daughters, Mrs. Guest, from Ontario, and Mrs. Joseph Clifton, from St. Thomas, S. D., accompanied by Mrs. Tisdall, of the same place.

## FOR RENT.

The second story at 725 Delta Avenue, formerly Soren Johnson's. Ten rooms, all modern improvements. Apply on the premises. 21tf

## Book Auction Back in 1732.

John Montgomery, governor of the province of New York, died on July 1, 1731. In the New York Gazette of May 8, 1732, is the following advertisement, the first of the kind:  
"On Thursday, June 1, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, will begin to be sold at public auction a collection of valuable books belonging to the library of his excellency John Montgomery, Esq., late governor of New York, etc., deceased. A catalogue of the books may be seen at the Coffee House in New York, with the conditions of sale."  
This is also the first instance where the word "auction" appears, "vendue" being the term in general use.

## CHEAP LOTS.

Lots owned by C. W. Davis for sale on easy terms. C. A. CLARK, Agt

Lot 15	Block 44	Lot 9	Block 60
" 4	" 53	" 4	" 69
" 11	" 60	" 8	" 70
" 5	" 69	" 12	" 71
" 6	" 69	" 8	" 76
" 3	" 70	" 9	" 76
" 23	" 75	" 13	" 76
" 5	" 77	" 14	" 76
" 11	" 78	" 3	" 77
" 2	" 81	" 9	" 78
" 8	" 84	" 13	" 78
" 9	" 84	" 14	" 78
" 10	" 84	" 3	" 79
" 11	" 88	" 5	" 81
" 24	" 91	" 4	" 87
" 25	" 91	" 12	" 87
" 26	" 91	" 6	" 92
" 16	" 92	" 7	" 92
" 21	" 92	" 1	" 95
" 22	" 92	" 2	" 95
" 23	" 92	" 3	" 95
" 4	" 95	" 14	" 95
" 5	" 95	" 10	" 97
" 1	" 98	" 9	" 98
" 2	" 98	" 10	" 99
" 3	" 98	" 1	" 100
" 4	" 99	" 2	" 100
" 4	" 103	" 3	" 100
" 7	" 53	" 4	" 101
" 12	" 74	" 10	" 101
" 27	" 91	" 11	" 101
" 1	" 81	" 3	" 107
" 13	" 63	" 4	" 108
" 14	" 68	" "	" 108

## PLENTY OF COAL

Clean and Bright. Prompt Delivery.

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GENUINE Pocahontas

CALL ME UP WHEN YOU WANT COAL.  
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Prices: 20-25-30-35-40c a lb.

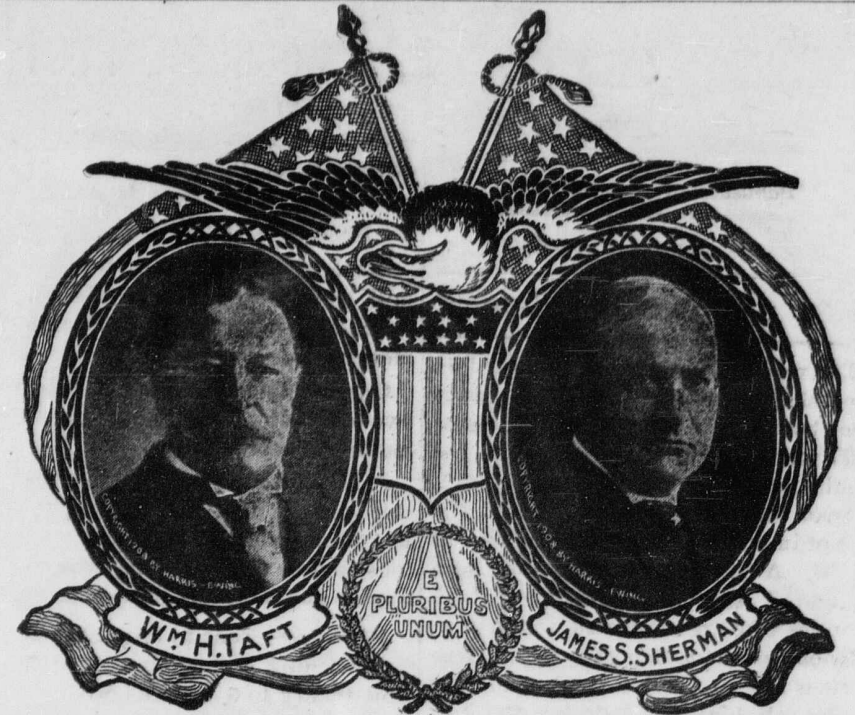
## GLADSTONE GROCERY CO.

P. J. LINDBLAD PROP.  
PHONE 51

## HANSON'S PRICE

Potatoes, per bushel.....90c  
Beets, per peck.....25c  
Carrots, two bunches..... 5c  
Green Onions, 2 bunches.. 5c  
Cucumbers, 3 bunches.....10c  
Gem Melons, each..... 8c  
Osage Melons, each.....12c  
Watermelon's, about.....30c  
Wax Beans, per pound.... 8c  
Green Peas, per quart.... 5c  
Ripe Tomatoes, per lb.... 7c  
Calif. Pears, per doz.....25c  
Calif. Peaches, per doz.....25c  
Calif. Plums, per doz..... 8c

**ELOF HANSON**  
PHONE 48.



Primary reform, like most reforms, is threatened with disfavor because of the unscrupulous interests which seek to cloak themselves behind it. The "Direct Nominations League" is a case in point. It serves as a pretext for scattering over the state from the Soo a mass of personal campaign literature devoted to one end—the nomination for a third term of Fred M. Warner. The question of promoting primary reform; making nominations easier for honest and capable men, or less complicated, annoying and expensive to the people, is disregarded. Everything that makes for satisfaction of the governor's personal ambition is very good; everything else is very bad. If the stars in their courses fought against Warner, the editor of the D. N. L. bulletin would pronounce the plan of creation a contemptible and unpatriotic failure. At the same time, after long and continued effort to frame a measure insuring their leader's success, the Warner forces begin to fear the engine they have set in motion; to prepare for Warner delegations to the state convention, less the "unanimous will of the people" should fail to agree with their own.

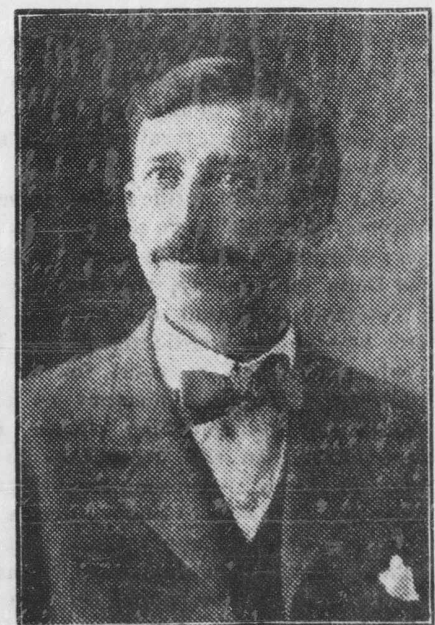
N. J. LaPine skirmished around last Saturday to fill his petitions, and found but little trouble in doing so.

Dr. Bradley has been making a tour of the upper peninsula, and wherever he has been he has made a favorable impression on the people he has met. His visit has been a vote-getter, and it would not now be surprising if he went out of the peninsula with a good sized majority.—Iron River Reporter.

Joseph J. Mallmann, now treasurer, will make a strong run September 1. Mr. Mallmann is, perhaps, known to fewer personally in Gladstone than in almost any other part of the county, but he has not a few friends here who may be depended on to swell his vote. He has been a resident of Garden, Nahma, and Masonville townships, as well as of Escanaba, where he has a wide circle of acquaintance. He was for some time in the field for the office before he became deputy; and the county board expressed public sentiment in appointing him to the vacancy. It will be creditable to himself and the county, as well as to the party if he is successful at the primaries, and consequently at the election.

## REGISTER OF DEEDS.

Charles W. Malloch, the register, is well known to the voters and an introduction is unnecessary. When the register's office was set apart in 1904, Mr. Malloch was chosen as a man of integrity and careful attention to business. He has given his full time and attention to keep the records in an accurate and convenient manner; those who have dealt with the office testify



to the courtesy and accommodation they have found there. The office is comparatively a new one and has yielded a very small recompense for the work of the register. Mr. Malloch is fairly entitled to re-election, and from accounts, he will secure it without serious opposition.

According to careful inquiry among the leading politicians of the copper country, both republican and democratic, the feeling in this district among the republicans is for Dr. James Bradley for governor. The democratic leaders admit this, although they believe that more Warner sentiment should prevail. It is believed, too, by copper country leaders among both parties that the upper peninsula, will go Bradley by a large majority, although at Menominee, the Soo, and at Marquette there is Warner newspaper support. And it is generally believed that throughout the state Dr. Bradley will easily get his necessary 40 per cent at the primaries on September 1. W. L. Stannard and others of the copper country who have recently been through the lower peninsula, declare that in the cities it is five to one for the doctor, while the upper peninsula will likely go 60 per cent Bradley. W. J. Galbraith sets it in the copper country as follows: Fred M. Warner, 10 per cent, Horatio S. Earle, 15 per cent, Dr. James B. Bradley, 75 per cent. A careful canvass of the district, shows that feeling to be divided in about this proportion.—Mining Gazette.

Sheriff Aronson is one of those officers of whose re-election there appears to be little doubt. More malice has been shown against him than any of the other of the candidates, by those who found him too honest and resolute to become their tool: it was first endeavored to maintain that he has served a second term, and when the law as well as common sense rejected this plea, the opposition resorted to personal assaults. That this short sighted policy has enlisted support for Mr. Aronson cannot be doubted. He is well known throughout the county; has been for many years, and will bring a majority in all probability, out of every township and a heavy one from Gladstone.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

A Convention of the Republicans of Delta County, Michigan, is hereby called to meet at the Court House in the City of Escanaba, Michigan, on Tuesday, the 8th day of September, at 11:30 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of selecting Eight (8) delegates to the Republican Twelfth congressional district Convention, called to convene in the City of Marquette, Michigan, on September 12th, 1908, and Eight (8) delegates to the 30th Senatorial Convention yet to be called, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said convention.

The respective Townships and Wards will be entitled to representation in said convention as follows:

Township	Delegates
Baldwin	1
Bark River	2
Bay de Noc	1
Cornell	1
Escanaba	1
Brampton	1
Fairbanks	1
Ford River	2
Garden	2
Maple Ridge	1
Masonville	2
Nahma	2
Wells	2

## ESCANABA CITY.

First Ward	2 delegates
Second "	2 "
Third "	3 "
Fourth "	3 "
Fifth "	4 "
Sixth "	3 "
Seventh "	1 "

## GLADSTONE CITY.

First Ward	2 delegates
Second "	2 "
Third "	2 "
Fourth "	1 "

Dated Escanaba, Michigan, August 17, 1908.

By order of the Republican County Committee,  
**M. PERRON,**  
Chairman.  
**H. T. HANSON,**  
Secretary.



# COMING CAMPAIGN RUN BY YOUNG MAN

**FRANK HITCHCOCK, REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CHAIRMAN, HAS JUST TURNED FORTY.**

## RISE HAS BEEN METEORIC.

Comparatively Unknown Four Years Ago, He is Now Known as the "Steam-Roller Man."

## IS METHODOICAL AND CAREFUL.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 19.—[Special.]—The selection of Frank Harris Hitchcock as chairman of the national Republican committee, gives most general satisfaction at the national capitol. His selection, undoubtedly made upon the suggestion of the Republican nominee for the presidency, William Howard Taft, is a triumph for the young man in politics. Like the Republican national convention, which was very largely made up of young men, who but a score of years ago were casting their first votes, the campaign of 1918 will largely center around comparatively young men of whom Frank Hitchcock is one of the best examples.

**Settles in Washington.**  
Hitchcock, although just turned forty years of age, has accomplished much since he arrived at legal age. Born in Ohio in 1877, his early education was obtained in Boston where he fitted himself to enter Harvard, from which he graduated in 1891. He graduated from the Columbian University in law in 1894, the institution which has since changed its name to George Washington university. He was admitted to the bar of the District of Columbia the same year of his graduation and three years later was admitted to practice in the supreme court of the United States.

Hitchcock came to this restless community immediately after his graduation from Harvard, taking a position in the agricultural department where it was his business to tell an expectant public just how many bushels of wheat or corn had been shipped to foreign markets, how many hogs had died in transit, and to incorporate in statistical reports a lot of other information valuable to persons in trade but extremely tiresome to the average reader. Destiny, however, had picked out for Hitchcock a very much different career from that of a government statistician which seemed to be his caliber when in Wilson's farm department.

## Selected by Cortelyou.

Four years ago when his distinguished predecessor—George Bruce Cortelyou—wanted a man for assistant secretary at the New York headquarters, Hitchcock was selected and the current of his life thereby changed. The new national chairman early developed a genius for politics, having been a good deal of a politician in the early days at Harvard. While with Cortelyou he showed ability of the very first order. He was a hard worker, full of initiative, chockful of ideas, an unremitting toiler, a gift for organization, splendidly trained for administration, card-index man, in a sense, but his index stands for system, thoroughness and persevering industry absolutely essential factors for the great game which he is to play for his chief during the next four months.

## Rise Is Rapid.

Frank Hitchcock was comparatively unknown four years ago. Today he occupies the place formerly filled by such masters of political sagacity as Matthew S. Quay, Mark Hanna and Henry Payne, leaders who will be remembered as long as the Republican party endures. Frank Hitchcock represents in the best sense of the term "addition, division and silence." He adds and he divides and always keeps a silent tongue and the practically unknown of four years ago is now called the "steam roller man" of Chicago and the chairman of the national Republican committee.

There is no sound in the world in which a man could attain to such heights in so short a time and with his comparative youth as in Frank Hitchcock. In appearance, Frank Hitchcock has the manner of a young man, but his long, steady blue eyes, a well set up figure showing power in repose, and before he went to work for Uncle Sam was fond of sports, especially of the Harvard distinction of being the heavy-weight boxer of that institution. His selection as chairman of the national committee, it is confidently believed, will show the wisdom of Judge Taft's far-sightedness.

## SOO TO ENTER DULUTH.

Minnesota District Court Gives Railway Right of Way Into the City.

DULUTH, Minn., Aug. 19.—Through an order of the district court yesterday afternoon, the Soo road secured a right of way into Duluth. The court, after appraisers submitted a report on lands condemned from the Inter-State bridge to the Duluth Union depot, and the damages assessed, and on stipulation of the attorneys for the Northern Pacific, the Great Northern and the Soo the order was filed by the court giving the Soo road the desired land.

## FIND NEW EXPLOSIVE.

Invention of German Tears Krupp Armor Plates to Pieces—Results Are Sensational.

MUNICH, Aug. 19.—A new high explosive of a power beyond anything hitherto used in the German army was tested near here yesterday in the presence of the artillery proving commission from Berlin, representatives of the Bavarian war ministry, the imperial navy, and the fortress and ordnance departments, with what are described as sensational results. Three shells exploded by electricity tore Krupp armor plates to pieces. The explosive is the invention of Fritz Gebre.

## A Pertinent Query.

"Ferdinand Schumacher, the oatmeal king," said an Akron grocer, "was a conservative. The man who founded the enormous breakfast food business, loafed fast."  
"I once tried to get him to join our golf club. But he poked fun at us golfers. He told a golf story that he had heard in Scotland."  
"A player asked an old friend to come and have a game of golf with him."  
"What a golf?" said the friend.  
"Come to the links," said the player, "and I'll show you."

"To the links they went. The player took a pinch of moist sand from a trough, built a tiny hill of it, and on top of the hill set his ball. Then he made a terrific swing, and missed."  
"He tried again, and again missed."  
"A grand game, golf," said his companion.  
"He made a third stroke, and missed for the third time."  
"Oh, my, a grand game, golf," his companion repeated. "But what's the use of the ball for?"—Akron Beacon.

## FIND SMUGGLING PLOT

CHICAGO AND BOSTON SOCIETY WOMEN ARE INVOLVED.

Mrs. Emily Crane Chadbourne of Chicago and Mrs. "Jack" Gardner of Boston Pay Fines.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 19.—Mrs. Emily Rockwell Crane Chadbourne, now a resident on the north shore, daughter of Richard T. Crane, president of the Crane Manufacturing company, and Mrs. "Jack" Gardner of Boston are the principals in a sensational case of "beating" the custom laws of the United States.

It is alleged that Mrs. Chadbourne brought into this country as her household goods, under a false declaration, nearly \$100,000 worth of articles belonging to Mrs. Gardner on which she placed a valuation of \$8,000.

It has now been learned that the goods have been seized by United States Collector Ames and are now confiscated by the government. An agent acting for Mrs. Chadbourne or Mrs. Gardner, it is stated, paid the government \$70,000 in fines and penalties and Mrs. Gardner will have to pay \$30,000 additional if she wishes to secure possession of the property.

## PROBING STAMP FRAUD

RUSSIAN OFFICIALS UNCOVER COLLOSSAL SWINDLE.

Business Was Lucrative and Rivals Cut Prices, Which Lead to the Discovery.

MOSCOW, Aug. 19.—The Moscow police are only on the threshold of their investigation of the fraudulent postage stamp business for which thirty persons were yesterday reported as having been arrested. It is believed that the operations which consisted in the systematic traffic in canceled stamps will develop into one of the most colossal swindles of recent times in Russia. The figures already reported of 4,000,000 stamps cover only the sales at Moscow for three months.

The operations of the swindlers have been traced back over a year. Two well known merchants of Moscow are among those arrested. The business was so lucrative that a rival organization recently entered the field at Moscow and began to cut prices, which led to the discovery of the swindle.

The canceled stamps were procured through members of an organization posing as philatelists, were sent to a workshop in Warsaw for cleansing and sold through a commission in postoffice or direct to commercial houses by wholesale. The band tried last summer to interest a revolutionary organization by offering a commission on sales but the offer was refused.

## TWO KILLED IN AUTO.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN GLEUK OF MINNEAPOLIS VICTIMS OF TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Occupants of Machine Are Hurlled Against Station by Force of the Collision.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 19.—John Gleuk, a wealthy Minneapolis brewer, and his wife were instantly killed early today at Cottagewood, Lake Minnetonka, in a collision between their automobile and a train on the Minneapolis & St. Louis railway.

Hurlled Against Station.  
Mr. Gleuk and his party were en route to the city and at the railroad crossing near Cottagewood, their automobile was caught on the track by the train and hurled against a small station on one side. Mr. Gleuk was instantly killed and Mrs. Gleuk was pinned down under the debris which speedily took fire from the ignited gasoline from the automobile. She was dead when taken out.

Mr. Gleuk was secretary and treasurer of the brewing company bearing his name and was an old resident of Minneapolis.

## DIVINE KILLS HIMSELF.

Rev. James Duane Phelps, Treasurer of Syracuse University, Is a Suicide.

Two Seriously Hurt.

The other occupants of the Gleuk automobile were Mrs. Edward Lebaire of New York city, sister of Mrs. Gleuk, and her 2-year-old daughter. Both received serious injuries which may prove fatal.

Utica, N. Y., Aug. 19.—Rev. James Duane Phelps, treasurer of Syracuse university, shot himself in his room in the Wurzel hotel, this city, some time during the night and was dead when his room was forced open today. He left a note saying he did not wish to live any longer. Rev. Mr. Phelps formerly was connected with the Northern Christian Advocate.

Advertise in this paper, and make your wants known to your home people.

# SPRINGFIELD SEES EXODUS OF TROOPS

GOV. DENEEN ORDERS DEPARTURE OF FIRST, THIRD, FOURTH AND FIFTH.

## LEAVES 1500 MEN ON GUARD.

Reduction of Military Force Saves State \$20,000 a Day—Troops Prevented Long War.

## LYNCHING PROBE IS STARTED.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 19.—Coincident with the departure for their homes today of the First and Fourth infantry regiments, which have been on riot duty here, it was announced that the Third and Fifth infantry regiments will depart tomorrow. This will reduce the military force here to about 1500 men, an ample number, to handle the situation which has shown a much less serious aspect since the meeting of the special grand jury.

The determination to follow up today's departures with two more on the following day, was reached at a conference of Gov. Deneen, Maj.-Gen. Young and Adjt.-Gen. Scott last night, but it was not announced until this morning. The riots are now regarded as history, and business men anticipate an early resumption of the normal amount of business. The reduction of the force will save the state about \$20,000 a day, it is stated. The National guardsmen have worked hard and effectively since their arrival, and their personal conduct, according to officers and citizens, alike, has been exemplary.

## Troops Stopped Disorder.

The effect of the news that the troops had begun to depart was anxiously watched by the state and city authorities. Since the determination of Gov. Deneen to establish order at all costs was evidenced by the summoning of 4200 soldiers to the city, there has been a notable decrease in the mob spirit here. At the same time threats as to what would happen when the troops left have been numerous and widespread and there is a well defined fear that the lawless individuals who have not yet been apprehended may endeavor to renew the disturbance later this week.

A counteracting effect is looked for from the special grand jury which yesterday indicted George Richardson for the alleged assault upon Mrs. Babel Hallam and which today began to consider the evidence against the rioters. The appeals of Gov. Deneen, the chamber of commerce, ministers and associations and other civic bodies, that citizens generally furnish information to the state's attorney concerning the riot, have met with such prompt response that the authorities are encouraged in the belief that the better elements of the community are aroused to the danger which threatens them unless the mob spirit is quenched.

## Lynching Is Investigated.

The inquiry into the lynching of Scott Burton was brought before a coroner's jury this morning but there was a noticeable lack of definite testimony. Most of the witnesses described the scenes in the "Black Belt" but when questioned as to the identity of members of the mob their memories failed them. If this condition continues, the chances of convicting the persons charged with leadership in the riots will be remote.

The morning hours today were the most quiet which the city has experienced since the troubles began. An inspection of outposts after midnight showed that the streets were deserted and that the sentries and patrols were finding little to occupy their attention. Occasionally a shot was fired at corners, but in all cases nervous militiamen had mistaken shadows for lurking marauders.

## No Firing at Pickets.

There was no indication whatever of a renewal of the situation at pickets, which caused so much commotion yesterday morning. The readiness of the militia to return such fire had discouraged the individuals who had attempted to terrify the troops by attacks from ambush. The only untoward incident occurred at Woodside, a mining district where stones were thrown at deputy sheriffs who had been sent to guard mine shafts there. The deputies fired in the direction from which the missiles came and there was no further trouble.

## SIX NEGROES BURNED TO DEATH.

Tragedy Follows Driving of Blacks from Mines in Tennessee.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 19.—Six negroes are reported to have died as victims of a race clash in this neighborhood. They were in a cabin near the mining camp of Jellico, when the structure was burned by angry whites, and, it is said, all perished. Three mining camps were cleared of negroes in the district along the Clear Fork extension of the Louisville & Nashville Southern railway. The whites ordered the negroes out and the blacks, fearing serious trouble, left. Many of the negroes and their families are camped along the railroad and in small towns. Notice has been served on all negroes within a thirty-mile radius to get out in three days, and even Jellico and La Follette are threatened.

## FRANCO STILL ACTIVE.

Former Premier of Portugal Is in Paris and Will Continue Active in Native Land.

PARIS, Aug. 19.—The Patrie today says that Senhor Franco, the former premier of Portugal, who fled from Lisbon at the time of the assassination of King Carlos last February, has arrived in Paris from Italy. At the Spanish frontier he met a number of his friends with whom he discussed plans for the continuance of his political activities in Portugal.

## New York in the Lime Light.

Would the decent people of New York state really like to have the country say that they would let the gamblers defeat Gov. Hughes for re-election?—New Bedford Standard.

## A German Negro.

"It doesn't matter much how good the company or how charming the sights," writes an American from Berlin, "we all feel just a wee bit homesick once in a while. I felt that way the other night, and suggested a vaudeville show in an

open-air theater as a cure. A negro sat next to me, who seemed to be deeply interested and laughed heartily at the jokes and burlesque. A cakewalk was the last number of the first part. The music was good, but the stage business was 'rotten,' and I expressed my opinion to that effect to our swartzy neighbor. He gave me a vacant stare and spoke German to me. It seemed natural to us that a negro could not speak English, but he explained that he came to Berlin from Africa years ago and could speak only German. How should he know anything about it? And still it seemed unnatural to us."

# TWENTY-SIX GIVEN DEATH SENTENCE

RUSSIAN MAGISTRATES SET REGISTER RECORD FOR ONE DAY.

## EXECUTIONS WILL CONTINUE.

Newspapers Refuse to Publish Statistics of This Kind on Account of Ban.

## ATTEMPT LIFE OF POLICE CHIEF.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 19.—The handing down of seven more sentences of death was reported today, making the total for one day, yesterday, throughout the empire twenty-six, and constituting a sinister record. One sentence was signed at Kharkov, two at Saratov, three at Kiev, five at Warsaw, five at Piusk and ten at Lodz. The two men sentenced at Saratov were former sailors attached to the Black Sea fleet and had been found guilty of taking the lead in an attempt to pillage an estate. The three men at Kiev were found guilty of attempting to murder a forester; the five Warsaw men were convicted of robbery accompanied by violence and the ten men at Lodz were condemned for an armed attack on a railway train. The dispatches do not mention the reasons for the Kharkov and Rusk sentences.

## Refuse to Publish Sentences.

There were two executions yesterday at Warsaw, one at Tiflis and several at St. Petersburg. The newspaper have ceased to publish statistics of this kind, in order to maintain their circulation in the provincial cities, where the publications of death-sentences is prohibited. This regulation does not apply to St. Petersburg or Moscow, but even so the papers, because of their out-of-town circulation, have eliminated any reference to these matters.

## Attempt to Shoot Chief.

A second unsuccessful attempt was made last evening to assassinate the chief of police of Pyatigorsk, M. Von Oglio. Three men emptied their revolvers at the chief, but failed to hit him. The police shot down two revolutionaries, but the other two escaped. A dispatch received here from Tcherdyn gives an account of an armed collision between the inhabitants of the neighboring cities, where the ownership of a piece of disputed land. Two men were killed and several were seriously wounded. Ten of the leaders have been placed in jail at Tcherdyn.

## DISPUTE IS UNSETTLED

HOLLAND-VENEZUELA TROUBLE IS ONE OF NATIONAL HONOR.

It Cannot Be Settled by Arbitration, Is Decision of Cabinet of the Netherlands.

THE HAGUE, Aug. 19.—After a nine-hour session during which the dispute between the Netherlands and Venezuela was canvassed exhaustively in all its phases, the cabinet dispersed shortly after midnight last night and Minister for Foreign Affairs Van Swinderen proceeded to the royal chateau at Het Loo to acquaint Queen Wilhelmina with the result of the council. The terms of the Netherlands answer to the letter of President Castro of Venezuela were fully discussed, and it is understood that the actual text as well as broad lines of action drawn up to meet any possible eventualities were agreed upon.

In diplomatic circles here the view is entertained that the present difficulty between Holland and Venezuela is not of a nature to be settled by arbitration, and in explanation it is pointed out that the dispute is not of a private commercial character, but one of national honor, which has arisen between Venezuela and Great Britain, Germany and America. In these cases the government in question sought satisfaction for claims, but Holland claims against Venezuela. It is maintained here that the present question is rather one of sovereignty and national honor, matters which are not susceptible of solution by arbitration.

## UNCOVER LARGE FRAUD.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 19.—With the arrest of President John S. Fouse of the Gibraltar Beneficial society of Pittsburg and the closing of the concern's offices the police claim to have run to earth one of the biggest insurance swindles of recent years. It is claimed that 10,000 poor people in Pittsburg have been robbed for the last ten years.

Information also was made against William Fouse, vice president and Charles Sumner, secretary, but they have not been located.

The technical charge against the officers is conducting an insurance company illegally and without a license issued by the state.

## TURTLE SEIZES GIRL.

ELWOOD, Ind., Aug. 19.—Gwendolyn Washburn, an 18-year-old girl, had a narrow escape from drowning in White river, south of Omega, Sunday afternoon. The girl with a party of campers was endeavoring to escape the intense heat by spending the afternoon in the water. The girl was in water that reached almost to her shoulders when suddenly she disappeared. When one of the young men dived for her he found that she was being drawn down the river by an unseen force. Bringing her to the surface he called for help. When she was dragged to shore an immense turtle was clinging to her foot, one of her toes being in its mouth. Miss Washburn was rolled on a log and worked with for seventeen minutes before she recovered consciousness.

# MAY BLOCKADE PORTS

DUTCH GIVEN FREE REIGN IN VENEZUELA.

Only Provision Is That No Military Occupation Is to Take Place.

THE HAGUE, Aug. 18.—With the single proviso that no military occupation of territory must occur, the government at Washington is understood to have given the cabinet of the Netherlands a free hand to deal as it sees fit with President Castro of Venezuela.

The recent interview between Arthur J. Beauprie, the American minister, and the Netherlands prime minister, was cordial and Mr. Beauprie was able to assure the Netherlands statesman that the Netherlands had the sympathy of the state department and that no objection would be raised to a blockade or other maritime measures against Venezuela; in short, that the United States was ready to allow the Netherlands' fleet perfect liberty of action provided no territory was seized.

The Netherlands cruiser Friesland does not sail for the Caribbean before the end of next month.

## HAW A GOOD SPENDER.

Mother Claims He Owes Her \$209,674.21, Charging About \$18,000 as Interest on Notes.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 18.—Monday, September 7, has been set for the first meeting of the creditors of Harry K. Thaw in the bankruptcy proceedings. Counsel for Thaw called on Referee Blair and the date for the meeting was agreed upon. It is said here that Thaw will be here at that time. At this meeting, a trustee is to be selected by the creditors or in the event of their failure to do so, referee Blair will appoint one. The meeting is to be held in Referee Blair's office.

The claim of Mrs. Mary C. Thaw against her son Harry K. Thaw, was filed today before Referee Blair. Her claim is for \$209,674.21; said to have been loaned on promissory notes, of which the claim states there were twenty-four ranging from \$500 to \$20,000 given in June 28, 1906, and August 8, 1907. All but one of the notes are dated in Pittsburgh.

Thaw in his schedule of liabilities gives his indebtedness to his mother as \$191,500, but in Mrs. Thaw's claim, he is charged with interest.

## KAISER FREES ROBBER.

"The Captain of Coepnick," Who Worked Smooth Trick, Liberated from Prison.

BERLIN, Aug. 18.—William Voigt, "The Captain of Coepnick," has been liberated from prison by order of the Emperor. Voigt is a shoemaker. In 1906 he impersonated a captain of grenadiers, produced a forged order authorizing him to take command of a detachment of twelve men whom he met on the streets of Berlin, and proceeded to Coepnick, a small town near here, where he arrested the burgomaster and the treasurer of the town and took possession of the cash, amounting to about \$1000.

Soon all the world, including Germany itself, was laughing at the absurdity of the affair, for it was not long before the nature of the trick was discovered. Voigt was sentenced to four years' imprisonment.

## STUDY FRENCH BANKS.

National Monetary Commission Will Continue Their Investigation in Paris.

PARIS, Aug. 18.—Congressman Theodore E. Burton had an interview today with M. Pallain, governor of the Bank of France and other French financiers in connection with the work to be taken up in this city by the subcommittee of the national monetary commission of the United States. Several members of this committee are due here from London August 22 to continue their investigations.

## BALLOONS WILL RACE.

At Least Three Nations to Be Represented in Endurance Contest in Ohio August 29.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 18.—The Aero club of Canada today entered in the international balloon race to be held here August 29, the "King Edward," a craft of 80,000 cubic feet, which will be piloted by Lieut. Bennett of the signal service and a famous aeronaut. This makes three nations represented, as Capt. Augustus Mueller will be with his "Ville De Dieppe" of Ville De Dieppe, France.

## TAFT SENDS HIS REGRETS.

Residential Nominee Is Unable to Go to Utica.

HOT SPRINGS, Va., Aug. 18.—Mr. Taft has written his regrets at not being able to participate today in the Sherman notification ceremonies at Utica, N. Y. The letter containing his sentiments on the occasion was made public here today. It reads: "I sorely regret that I am not able to be present at the interesting ceremony to take place today when you are to be formally notified of your nomination as vice president. It must be full of pleasure to you to receive from your neighbors and friends who have known you all your life long, an expression of confidence in your character and admiration for your ability and public services. The American people will read with the greatest interest what you have to say in respect to the issues of the campaign, and I doubt not they will be aroused with the highest ideals of the Republican party."

## Playing Allegro.

When the mother returned from a shopping tournament the first thing that met her eyes was a lump on little Willie's forehead.  
"For goodness' sake!" she said, "How did he get it?"  
"Tis from th' boom he got" the new nurse explained. "Ye would me, ma'am, to lit him play on the piano if he wanted to an' wanst, whin he was slidin' on the top he slid too far, ma'am."—Judge's Library.

Advertise in Your Home Paper

# Is Pe-ru-na Useful for Catarrh?

Should a list of the ingredients of Peru-na be submitted to any medical expert, of whatever school or nationality, he would be obliged to admit without reserve that the medicinal herbs composing Peru-na are of two kinds. First, standard and well-tried catarrh remedies. Second, well-known and generally acknowledged tonic remedies. That in one or the other of these uses they have stood the test of many years' experience by physicians of different schools. There can be no dispute about this, whatever. Peru-na is composed of some of the most efficacious and universally used herbal remedies for catarrhal diseases, and for such conditions of the human system as require a tonic. Each one of the principal ingredients of Peru-na has a reputation of its own in the cure of some phase of catarrh or as a tonic medicine.

The fact is, chronic catarrh is a disease which is very prevalent. Many thousand people know they have chronic catarrh. They have visited doctors over and over again, and been told that their case is one of chronic catarrh. It may be of the nose, throat, lungs, stomach or some other internal organ. There is no doubt as to the nature of the disease. The only trouble is the remedy. This doctor has tried to cure them. That doctor has tried to prescribe for them.

No other household remedy so universally advertised carries upon the label the principal active constituents, showing that Peru-na invites the full inspection of the critics.

## CALIFORNIA BROWN PELICAN.

Method of Fishing Attracts Attention at Seaside Resorts.

The pelican familiar to the visitor at the seaside resorts of southern California is known as the California brown pelican. Its length is from four to five feet, and his wings and tail are silver gray streaked with seal brown. The breeding range of these interesting birds is off the coast of Mexico and lower California. May and June are the nesting months. Occasionally they build their nests in low trees, but ordinarily it is on the ground. It is a loosely constructed affair, built of weed stalks and sticks, and lined with grass.

At the seaside the pelicans are seen lazily flying through the air. It is their fashion to fly one behind the other. Each, following the signal from the leader, gives five or six strokes, and then all soar in unison. At feeding time their wont is to drive the fish by a noisy beating of the wings to a point close in shore, where the birds will dive from considerable heights. This performance is quite spectacular, as with closely folded wings the bird drops as a ball headforemost into the water. Under the water they evidently turn a somersault, as the bird invariably emerges head first.

The pouch or game bag of the pelican will hold ten or fifteen pounds of fish, and as the bird is provided with no means of defense, he is the victim of sure-things operators and confidence workers in the form of the predatory gulls. Too lazy to fish for themselves, these thieves will pursue and attack the pelican, causing him to dive as a matter of self-protection. So closely are the pelicans pursued by their more agile enemies that finally, half exhausted, they give up the trophies of their chase. This they do with a cynical smile as they see their hard-earned gain snatched by the gulls.—Los Angeles Times.

## Growing Lettuce While You Wait.

"Yes," says a florist, "I can work miracles in my business. For instance, I can grow you lettuce while you wait—sweet, crisp lettuce that you may eat for your dinner with the broiled spring chicken."

"I do it in this way. I take a handful of lettuce seeds that have been soaked overnight in alcohol, and I plant them in a box containing three inches of loam and quicklime. I water this soil, and in ten minutes the seeds burst."

"They burst, and in twenty minutes two tiny leaves push through the earth. The leaves grow and multiply. In an hour they are as big as half-dollars. Then you may pluck and eat them. They are delicious—a fairy salad."  
"Sometimes, when I give a dinner party, I have one of these little prepared lettuce beds in the center of the table. The guests see the lettuce grow, and when the times comes for the salad course, there is their salad brought forth, all ready for them to pluck."

## SELF DELUSION.

Many People Deceived by Coffee.

We like to defend our indulgences and habits even though we may be convinced of their actual harmfulness.

A man can convince himself that whisky is good for him on a cool morning, or beer on a hot summer day—when he wants the whisky or beer!

It's the same with coffee. Thousands of people suffer headache and nervousness year after year but try to persuade themselves the cause is not coffee—because they like coffee.

"While yet a child I commenced using coffee and continued it," writes a Wis. man, "until I was a regular coffee fiend. I drank it every morning and in consequence had a blinding headache nearly every afternoon."

"My folks thought it was coffee that ailed me, but I liked it and would not admit it was the cause of my trouble, so I stuck to coffee and the headaches stuck to me."

"Finally, the folks stopped buying coffee and brought home some Postum. They made it right (directions on pkg.) and told me to see what a difference it would make with my head, and during that first week on Postum my old affliction did not bother me once. From that day to this we have used nothing but Postum in place of coffee—headaches are a thing of the past and the whole family is in the health."

"Postum looks good, smells good, tastes good, is good, and does good to the whole body." "There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.







# Doings of the Week in and About Gladstone

News Items That Are of General Interest to Our Local Readers.

## The Gladstone Delta

Published Every Saturday.

CHAS. E. MASON, Publisher.

\$1.50 per Year in Advance.

The road to Marquette is reported in good shape as far as the Delta county line; but what is known as the Goose Lake road in Marquette county is not readily passable. The Marquette county road commission has estimated the cost of improving four miles of this at \$3,000. A petition has therefore been circulated among residents of both counties who are interested, to the commission, to carry out this plan. This route is not properly a local road, but a through highway between the two counties, and should be kept in good condition. It is to be hoped the Marquette officials will take the matter up.

The Lutheran ladies' aid will serve supper in Swenson's hall Labor Day from 5 to 8.

Work has been progressing vigorously on the G. A. A. ball park, and the fence is well under way. It is expected to arrange a game with the Tigers on Labor Day.

The state railroad commission came through here Tuesday noon. The Soo's business car picked them up at North Escanaba, whence they had come from Channing, and took them to the Soo.

In addition to the immense property in the city saved by it, Tuesday's rain should be given credit for checking forest fire all round the city. The smoke rolled over the bay from both sides of the bluff. Maywood was reported in grave danger Tuesday morning.

Norris & Rowe's circus, which will be remembered by several citizens of Gladstone, was attached in Minnesota for its printing bills.

Swan Chelander has finished the concrete work on his cellar, which he has put in with his own hands. The southeast corner is set off for a root cellar, and the space adjoining is built into a milk room. The whole cellar is so arranged that it may be washed out with the hose and drained and the arrangements for keeping it cool and clean are ideal. Mr. Chelander is very proud of it.

Fred Bendure, hunter, sportsman, artist, and raconteur, (to say nothing of the championship) is also inclined to turn musician. He must do that or take an axe to his prize.

The dance was broken up at Wasa Hall Wednesday morning by the fire. The alarms were unheard, but the fire team plunging by sounded like a runaway, and after the investigation, the waltzing terminated abruptly, ten minutes ahead of minutes.

Rev. H. H. Harris has accepted a call from the First M. E. church of Evanston, Ill., and leaves for his new home in three weeks. He will attend the conference at Calumet September 9 and officiate at Evanston the following Sunday. He and Mrs. Harris will be missed in Gladstone society, of which they have been for three years useful and much appreciated members.

P. W. Peterson who has purchased the saloon business at 725 Delta, long popular as the Arctic Paradise, or Thor's Vacation, arrived here Wednesday morning and took personal charge of his property. Peter, long one of the "dock boys" is welcomed by all the east end.

There will be trouble ahead for anyone who sings of the beauties of a jug of rum in the toolroom. The national association of brewers is condemning the product of the distilleries, also.

Some of the employees of the stove mill slept through the disturbance; their surprise on going to work in the morning was not small.

Gaspard Lacombe installed this week two box ball alleys, which have been much frequented.

J. H. Norton was sent to Escanaba this week by Justice Huber. His mind has recently become affected by delusions, and he frightened his relatives by threats and a display of firearms.

The Tigers went to Rapid River Sunday morning and defeated the second nine there 7 to 6, after a hotly contested game of 14 innings.

A new line of picture postals is about to be placed on the market. A big advance sale has been made at the axe factory.

A report spread around the axe factory Wednesday that the ghost of a cat is haunting Genung. This is manifestly incorrect; the ghost of Genung, with the aid of a park of artillery, was trying to scare the cat to death.

The Tigers play the Continentals Sunday at South Park. This is one of the few teams they have not yet met and defeated.

W. F. Hammel this week purchased the Pennock lots at Seventh and Wisconsin, and will build him a house suited to his needs. Plans have been drawn and are in the contractors' hands.

Richard Nebel and Rufus Siple have gone into partnership as cement contractors. They are now putting in two hundred feet of walk about the Siple premises.

The congressional convention for the Twelfth district will meet at Marquette September 12, and will nominate Congressman H. O. Young to succeed himself. Delta county will have eight delegates.

Mrs. Anna Mae Dickey of Chicago is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Davidson. She will sing at the First Baptist church next Sunday, and our citizens will be pleased to learn that they will have the opportunity of hearing this gifted vocalist.—Maistique Pioneer-Tribune.

Transfers reported by Beach this week: lots 26, 27, 28, block 5, Buckeye, to Colis Isaacson; 11 and 12, block 30, to John P. Holm, corner Eighth and Superior; 3 of 91, next J. A. Martin, to W. H. H. Wellstead; 12 of 88, next his home, to Constant Wilmut; no 1/4 sw 1/4 section 3, 40-22, on Day's river, to Peter Nordstrom.

A generous confession disarms slander.—French Proverb.

**ELECTION NOTICE.**  
Michigan Department of State, Lansing.

To the Sheriff:  
You are hereby notified that a General Primary election will be held in this State on the first Tuesday in September, 1908, for all political parties for the purpose of nominating candidates for the office of Governor and Lieutenant Governor, also for nominating candidates for any political party which has voted in favor of the direct nomination of its party candidates in counties or districts as prescribed by Act No. 4, Extra session, 1907.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereto affixed my signature and the Great Seal of the State, at Lansing, this thirty-first day of July in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred eight.

C. J. MEARS,  
Deputy Secretary of State.

To the Electors of the county of Delta, and the Clerks and Inspectors of election of the several townships and cities thereof.

You are hereby notified that in conformity with the above notice, a primary election will be held in the County of Delta on Tuesday, the first day of September, 1908, and also on said day for nominating candidates of the Republican party to be voted for by the enrolled Republican electors of said party for the following offices: Representative in the State Legislature for the Delta Representative District comprising Delta County, Judge of Probate, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer for the full term, County Treasurer to fill vacancy, Register of Deeds, Prosecuting Attorney, two Circuit Court Commissioners, two Coroners and County Surveyor.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereto set my hand at the City of Escanaba, this fourth day of August A. D. 1908.

FRANK W. ARONSON,  
Sheriff of the County of Delta,  
Michigan.

## THE COUNCIL'S PROCEEDINGS

Gladstone, Mich., Aug., 17th, 1908. City Council met in regular session. Present, Mayor Miller, Ald. Clark, Eaton, Fulton, Murphy, Noblet and Theriault. Absent, Ald. Folsom and Green.

Communication from J. C. Young relative to the use of Delta avenue on Labor Day for races and amusement and for donation to aid in the celebration of Labor Day, was read.

Moved by Ald. Clark, supported by Ald. Theriault, that the use of Delta Ave. be granted the Labor Unions for such races and amusements as will be approved by the Mayor and that the balance left over in the Fourth of July fund be donated to them.

Yeas, Ald. Clark, Eaton, Fulton, Murphy, Noblet and Theriault (6). Nays, none (0). Motion declared carried.

Communications from J. A. Dresser and G. W. Ackerman, in relation to auditing city books, were read and no objections being offered were ordered placed on file by the mayor.

Committee on Streets and Bridges made the following report:  
Gladstone, Mich., Aug. 17th, 1908. To the City Council, Gladstone, Mich. Gentlemen:—

Your committee on streets and bridges would respectfully report that the sidewalk on the north side of Delta avenue between Ninth street and Central avenue, lots 13 to 24 inclusive block 47, is in a dangerous condition and we therefore recommend that the same be condemned.

JOSEPH EATON } Com.  
JAMES H. MURPHY }  
Moved by Ald. Eaton, supported by Ald. Murphy, that the report of the committee on streets and bridges be accepted and adopted.

Yeas, Ald. Clark, Eaton, Fulton, Murphy, Noblet and Theriault (6). Nays, none (0).

The following sealed bids for doing the city printing for the ensuing year were opened and read:  
Gladstone, Mich., Aug., 17th, 1908. W. A. Narracong, City Clerk,  
Dear Sir:—

I will do the city printing for the city of Gladstone until the first day of June, 1909, for Forty Cents per folio.  
Yours truly,  
CHAS. E. MASON.

Gladstone, Mich., June 24th, 1908. To the City Council, City of Gladstone. Gents:—

I beg to submit the following bid for the city printing of the city of Gladstone for the ensuing year.  
Council proceedings.....per folio \$0.10  
Water Board proceedings " " .10  
Ordinances " " .10  
Tabulated Statements " " .10  
Table Work " " .10  
Monthly reports " " .10  
Annual reports, if any " " .20

Job work at regular commercial rates. Legal notices at regular legal rates.  
Yours truly,  
I. G. CHAMPION.

No objections being offered the Mayor referred the bids to the committee on rules, ordinances and printing.

Moved by Ald. Noblet, supported by Ald. Fulton, that the matter of accepting Delta avenue pavement be referred back to the committee on streets and bridges.

Yeas, Ald. Clark, Eaton, Fulton, Murphy, Noblet and Theriault (6). Nays, none (0). Motion declared carried.

Moved by Ald. Eaton, supported by Ald. Murphy, that the Council adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.  
W. A. NARRACONG,  
City Clerk.

**MERCHANTS, ATTENTION.**  
Wanted by the Marble Safety Axe company, several hundred shipping cases. We can use Dry Goods, Boot and Shoe, or Hardware Boxes, steadily. If you have a surplus, call us up and tell us what you have. It will pay better than burning them. tf

**EXCURSION**  
TO FAYETTE AND NAHMA  
ON THE STR. MAYWOOD  
SUNDAY, AUGUST 23.  
Leaves Gladstone at 8:15 a. m. Returning leaves Garden at 6:30 p. m. Every body go. Band on board. Round trip  
75 CENTS.

**Concrete Work**  
We are now making contracts for this work. We know how to do it and can show you specimens.

**Sidewalks and Foundations**  
Our work is the best and our figures reasonable. If you intend to improve your property, let us know and we will make you a price. 21

NEBEL & SIPLE.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

A convention of the Republicans of Delta County, Michigan, is hereby called to meet at the Court House in Escanaba, Michigan, on Tuesday the 8th day of September, 1908, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of selecting Seven (7) delegates to the State Convention, called to meet at the City of Detroit, Michigan, on the 29th day of September, 1908, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said convention.

The respective Wards and Townships will be entitled to representation in said convention as follows:

Baldwin, Township.....	1 delegate
Bark River ".....	2 " "
Bay de Noc ".....	1 " "
Cotnell ".....	1 " "
Escanaba ".....	1 " "
Brampton ".....	1 " "
Fairbanks ".....	1 " "
Ford River ".....	2 " "
Garden ".....	2 " "
Maple Ridge ".....	2 " "
Masonville ".....	2 " "
Nahma ".....	2 " "
Wells ".....	2 " "

ESCANABA CITY.	
First Ward.....	2 delegates
Second ".....	2 " "
Third ".....	2 " "
Fourth ".....	3 " "
Fifth ".....	4 " "
Sixth ".....	3 " "
Seventh ".....	1 " "

GLADSTONE CITY.	
First Ward.....	2 delegates
Second ".....	2 " "
Third ".....	2 " "
Fourth ".....	1 " "

By order of the Republican County Committee,  
M. PERRON,  
Chairman,  
H. T. HANSON,  
Secretary.

Dated Escanaba, Michigan, August 17th, 1908. 23

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STATE OF MICHIGAN.  
Twenty-fifth Judicial Circuit. In Chancery.

ANNA SARRASIN, Complainant,  
vs.  
HENRY SARRASIN, Defendant.

In this cause, it appearing from the affidavit on file, that the defendant, Henry Sarrasin, is not a resident of this State, but that his whereabouts are unknown, therefore, on motion of Cummiskey & Spencer, solicitors for complainant, it is ordered that the defendant enter his appearance in said cause on or before five months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be published in The Gladstone Delta, a newspaper published and circulated in the County of Delta, said publication to be continued once in each week for six successive weeks.

Dated this 30th day of July, A. D. 1908.  
J. W. STONE,  
Circuit Judge.

CUMMISKEY & SPENCER,  
Solicitors for Complainant. 25

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STATE OF MICHIGAN.  
The Circuit Court for the County of Delta

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BALDWIN vs. ALFRED E. BESSON.

To whom it may concern: Take notice that a writ of attachment was issued, in said cause, from said court, on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1908, at the suit of said plaintiff and against said defendant, for the sum of two thousand nine hundred dollars, and that said writ was made returnable on the 17th day of August, A. D. 1908.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1908.  
JOHN POWER,  
Attorney for Plaintiff. 27

First publication August 22, 1908.  
MORTGAGE SALE.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the fifth day of March, A. D. 1906, executed by Solomon Lacombe and Libbie Lacombe his wife, of the township of Masonville, Delta county, Michigan, to Benjamin Meloche, of the city of Escanaba, in said county and state, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds, of the county of Delta, in Liber T of Mortgages, at page 161, on the 20th day of April, A. D. 1903, at 3 o'clock p. m.

And whereas, the said mortgage has been duly assigned by the said Benjamin Meloche and Alexina G. Meloche his wife, to Thomas Kennedy, of Escanaba, Delta county, Michigan, by assignment, bearing date the 10th day of August, A. D. 1905, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds, of said county of Delta, on the 18th day of August, A. D. 1906, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. in Liber V of Mortgages, on page 9, and the same is now owned by him.

And whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date of this notice, is the sum of four hundred and eighty-four dollars and forty-nine cents, of principal and interest, and the further sum of one hundred and three dollars and fifteen cents, for principal and interest, for taxes paid upon the lands described in said mortgage, which said mortgages had defaulted in the payment of and which, by the provisions of said mortgage, is made an additional lien upon the premises in said mortgage described; and also the further sum of twenty dollars, as an attorney fee, stipulated for in said mortgage; and the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage is the sum of six hundred and seven dollars and sixty-four cents; and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law, to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale and in pursuance of the statute, in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the courthouse, in the city of Escanaba, in said county of Delta, on the seventh day of November next, at ten o'clock of the forenoon of that day; which said premises are described, in said mortgage, as follows:

The south half (8 1/2) of the north half (N 1/2) of section six (6), in township forty-two (42) north of range twenty-one (21), west of Michigan Meridian, in the township of Masonville, Delta County, Michigan, and containing one hundred and sixty acres.

Dated this 20th day of August, A. D. 1908.  
THOMAS KENNEDY,  
Assignee of Mortgagee.

JOHN POWER,  
Attorney. 33

**IT'S SUMMER NOW**  
You expect your summer's work and earnings to carry you through the winter. So it is with life—the summer days of youth is the time to lay by the harvest to carry you through the winter of old age. There is no better way to accomplish this than by putting a part of each month's earnings into a bank. In years to come the competence thus saved will make the winter years of life all the more enjoyable. It's summer now and time to begin to save. **START with a Dollar.**

**3 PER CENT. ON SAVING DEPOSITS**  
Exchange Bank, Gladstone.  
W. L. MARBLE, President. W. A. FOSS, Cashier.

**We Appreciate**  
your patronage, and for that reason we try to serve you so that you will appreciate our methods. Nothing is neglected to please our patrons, to give them their money's worth, and whenever an opportunity presents, to look out for their interests.

Respectfully yours,  
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**\$4.00 PER ACRE** for half interest in 5760 ACRES in solid body; owner will sell his whole interest: fine soil; excellent water; one mile from railroad town.

We also have small tracts at low prices and easy terms. See us before you invest in lands.

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ESCANABA, MICHIGAN.

## YOUR UTMOST EFFORT



Cannot remove ALL danger of fire, from within and without. Your house, your store and your goods are continually in danger. Do you ever think of this when you hear the fire bell? Though you should never have a fire, the cost of insurance would be saved by the relief to your mind.

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**THE PIONEER GROCERS**  
We Treat You Right.

**LUMBER** AND LATH  
SHINGLES  
MOULDINGS, WINDOWS AND DOORS,  
WHITE PINE AND YELLOW PINE FINISHING.  
BUILDING PAPER, LIME, HAIR AND CEMENT.  
Let me figure on your house bills. Goods and prices are right.

Hard and Soft Coal  
16-inch Hemlock and Maple Mill Wood.  
PHONES 7 AND 115. C. W. DAVIS.

**REAL ESTATE** Business and Residence Lots for sale on easy terms. C. A. OLARK, Agt.

## 725 DELTA

The old stand with new vigor. All you ever found at the Arctic, with the energy of a new administration.

Old customers are welcome, and their habits known. New ones will soon be old ones.

P. W. Peterson, successor to Soren, is quite as anxious to satisfy you.

Drop in again.

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FOR THE LADIES.

The Screech-Owl's Troubles. Screech-owl in de basswood trees, Jes' as he's a't' it kin be...

Dar's nuffin at all dat's trouble' him. He picks a com'fable leafy limb...

Dar's a heap o' folks, twix' me an' you. Out acts pretty much like de screech-owl...

Half Fares for Women. As I entered the restaurant, a commotion was raging at the pay desk...

Woman, about 35, whose accent announced that she was "made in Germany"...

But later in the day I looked into the club, and I found my friend Edmunds telling some yarn...

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"The conductor gazed upon her as if she was a mad thing, and with little ceremony, said, 'Stow your gab; if you're a suffragette, out you go; I am not 'Hasquith.'"

"How we all laughed! Don't you think it is comic that a woman should get hold of a crazed notion like this? If she does not want to take half the pay of a man for the same work, why does she? There is nobody to blame but herself."

"She might be, for there is sense in her proposal, at any rate. I have often told you that if a gross of boxes are worth fourpence for packing, the employer has no right to give a man fourpence for doing the work of a woman."

"Of course, you are so mighty solemn. Now I should have thought you would have seen the joke of this, even in the severest light of common sense."

"My dear Edmunds, so I might, but the joke is always on one side. It is more monotonous than the advertisement of an undertaker. I should have thought even a London club would weary of the same story."

"My dear fellow, don't weep. What will you have to drink?" "I did not drink. I did weep. The saddest thing of all to me was the fact that Edmunds is a most affectionate father to his three girls."

When the Girl Guest Arrives. The girl guest is delightfully welcomed by the family for the coming with her sweet, winsome ways, fresh, pretty clothes and her presence in the home is appreciated by all.

observe the cordial greeting and their appreciation of hospitality is keen, so be sure that every effort is put forth to make the visits most enjoyable.

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each seeking a job, and he was so round and rosy and blue eyed, that my soul very much missed the sight of him.

"I do you think he will be reliable?" "I asked a man who was standing near, very much amused my parting. Before the man could say a word the youngster piped up, 'Yes ma'am—I'm reliable.'"

"Rather a broad interpretation, wasn't it?" queried the business woman smiling. "The other shook her head, 'I am not sure. That child caddled for me all the rest of the summer and his very presence filled me with a sense of security.'"

"It's easier to say yes than no, I suppose," said the business woman, as she consulted her watch and drew down her veil. "I makes you seem more amiable for the time being, of course. Are you going my way?—I must be off."

SIZE OF BABYLON. Much Conjecture Swept Away by Recent Explorations. The report of the German Oriental society on the extensive explorations carried out on the ruins of ancient Babylon...

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OF GENERAL INTEREST

Miss Sadie Roland, aged 35, 35 inches tall, and weighing only 30 pounds, perhaps the smallest woman in Ohio, died in the county jail at Fort...

Arrivals from the county seat of Stanley county in South Dakota report that the prisoners in the county jail at Fort Pierre threaten to go on a strike unless the members of the city council...

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decent exposure. Director Lang said: "I took a look about town where people were going to hang and I want to say that some of the bathing costumes were the flimsiest affairs I ever saw. They were absolutely indecent, and I have decided to put a stop to it."

Inviting the brothers in his lodge to gather around him, Joseph Sandlin, a charter member of the Red Men, at Advance, Ind., climbed into a coffin which he had made to his order...

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some aquatic heroism before an audience of four intensely interested young women from New York. The girls paid \$10 for the exhibition. The two fishermen and the party of young women were in separate rowboats near the shore...

Harrison Bowser, who lives near McGraw postoffice in Pennsylvania, some days ago went to a celebration where he looked on the wine. When he reached home and could not find his wife, he came to Kittanning and inserted in the second paper an "ad" that his wife had left his "bed and board."

What is believed to have been a burglar's hoard of stolen silver was discovered by Samuel Wallace, of York, Pa., while removing building stone from a quarry at Owl's Valley. Under a large stone, which he pried out, Wallace found seventeen pieces of solid ware...

EUROPEAN PICKPOCKETS. Trouble They Cause Travelers—Offering Reward for Stolen Articles. "The American who travels in Europe and does not keep the most watch on his valuables is almost sure to be relieved of his personal belongings by pickpockets," said W. E. Mighell, vice-president of the San Francisco chamber of commerce...

"The light fingered gent are active everywhere from London to Cairo, but I will give the palm for boldness and audacity to the professionals of Italy, where the plunder of pockets has been reduced to a fine art. I am a careful man and do not need to have constant warnings against pickpockets, and yet in the great piazza of Venice I was robbed last summer of my letter of credit for \$10,000. There was an enormous crowd that had gathered about the band play, the day being Sunday, and I was jostled two or three times by a huge fellow with a big black mustache, finally seeing that he was doing it purposefully, I lost my money. I addressed a hot remark to him, at which he exclaimed: 'Pardon, monsieur,' dropped his umbrella at my feet, and went to get another. I got in some way to get my letter of credit, although it was in an inside pocket. It caused me a lot of trouble, the sending of many cables and some money. I was so angry that I will never stop and the thief profited nothing."

"In Rome last Christmas day I went out for a ride in the suburbs to see some rare paintings in an old church. Wishing to see the country I hired a straggler car that was densely packed. The air was pretty crisp and I wore an overcoat closely buttoned. How on earth could I make away with it, get my watch to my life's end, but he did the trick, as I found on getting off the car."

"Had it been only an ordinary timepiece I would never have heard of the loss, but it was an unusually fine watch and I valued it much more than the \$300 it cost. The manager of the hotel, whom I consulted, advised me against reporting the theft, saying that the local pickpockets operated in gangs, and that within an hour after being taken the watch probably was in some other city. This I thought well to me, so I hunted up the United States resident consul and narrated my story to him. He gave me precisely the same advice as the hotel man. Still unpersuaded I called on the chief of police. That official was polite, but he wanted me to deposit the \$100 reward. I was willing to pay. I saw no advantage in this and told him I'd think it over."

FOUND THE DIAMOND. Remarkable Luck of a Railway Official. Talk about finding the proverbial needle in a haystack! It was done by a New York Central official. Not long ago a woman passenger on a fast express just leaving the outskirts of Schenectady attempted to open a car window. The window struck for a moment half way up, as car windows will, and then crashed down on her fingers, knocking from its setting a diamond valued at \$500. The diamond went out of the window, of course. Luckily, the unfortunate passenger thought to pull out her watch and note the time at which the accident happened. She got busy with the telegraph line. The first station at which the train stopped she telegraphed to the Grand Central station, giving particulars of her loss and the exact time at which it occurred. With visions of a damage suit ahead, some quick witted official rushed an order to Schenectady, and a young engineer in the maintenance of way department, accompanied by a couple of section hands, was sent hurrying down the line on what he thought was a "New man's search; but six miles out of the Electrical city he found the diamond in the track ballast.—New York Tribune.





Three hundred years ago Samuel de Champlain, the French explorer, founded the settlement of Quebec. In commemoration of its tercentenary the city of Quebec recently had the greatest celebration in its history, and one of the greatest ever held in the New World. The city gave itself up to festivities for ten days, and Canadians of both British and French ancestry joined in making the event one to be remembered. The celebration was attended by the Prince of Wales, by representatives from all the principal governments and by the greatest collection of warships, comprising English, French and American vessels that ever gathered in the St. Lawrence river. The United States was represented by Vice President Fairbanks and Rear Admiral W. S. Cowles, brother-in-law of the President.

Civil, religious, military and naval authorities participated in the various ceremonies and festivities. There were huge and costly pageants, fetes, military parades and naval reviews to charm both eye and ear. The celebration was attended by nearly all Canada, and thousands of expatriated Canadians gathered from the va-

rious foreign countries in which they have made their homes. The landing of Champlain on the shore of the St. Lawrence and his selection of the spot on which Quebec, the oldest French settlement in Canada, is built, were reproduced. A great historical pageant was given, illuminated floats representing different events in the history of Quebec. There were parades in which the various crack Canadian regiments took part. Premier Laurier and other noted speakers made addresses. There was a review of the English, French and United States vessels in the St. Lawrence river. Thanksgiving mass was held on the Plains of Abraham by the Catholics of the city, headed by the Canadian primate, and thanksgiving services were held in the Episcopal cathedral. There was a great shore parade and a scene enacted representing the landing of Wolfe's force, the ascent up the heights and the battle of the Plains of Abraham. Then farewells were exchanged and the British squadron took its departure. The next day the French vessels followed suit, and finally the New Hampshire heaved anchor and bade farewell to Quebec.

### Evolution of the Street Car

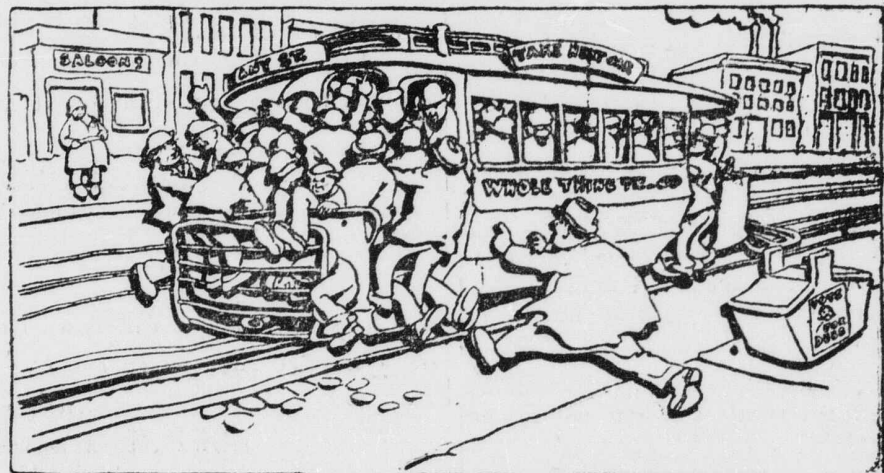
Three hundred years ago an English coal miner laid some wooden beams in the muddy road leading from his colliery, for the wheels of his coal carts to run on; the other day a coal mine owner from the same country boarded an electric car in New York and made a tour of the subway. The boards in the muddy road were the ancestors of that street car, writes B. R. Wilson.

The little expedient of the English miner, which made heavy hauling light, marked the beginning of the "tramway," the great-grandfather of the railway, the thing which made street cars possible. These wooden beams served their purpose very well until they began to wear out. Inventive genius was equal to the occasion; the wooden beams were plated with iron. Thin iron bands were fastened to the top of the beam to take the wear of the cart wheels. This was all right as far as the top was concerned, but the wooden beams rotted on the bottom; so they made them out of iron entirely and laid them on short pieces of wood which could be cheaply replaced when they rotted. To keep the wheels of the coal carts from running off the rails was the next problem, and they solved it by putting flanges on the outer sides of the rail. In 1789 William Jessop, the father of the street railway, took the flanges off the rails and put them on the cart wheels and the real evolution of the street car began.

A clumsy omnibus car drawn by



IN THE OLD DAYS THE PASSENGER WAS IN DANGER OF FALLING OFF.



BUT NOW HE CAN HARDLY GET OFF WHEN HE WANTS TO.

The most popular of these improvements were the "dummies," steam engines mounted on wheels and boxed up to make them attractive. Their popularity was short-lived in the cities, however, but suburbanites consented to ride behind them long after they had disappeared from the city streets. But

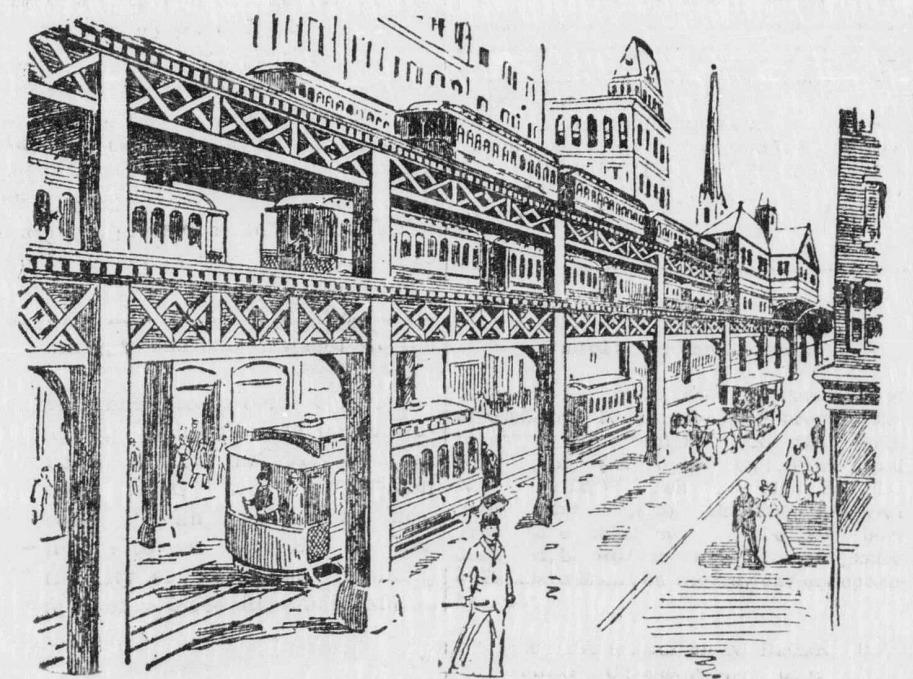
Sprague's electric railway, however, was about twenty years wide, and it was filled with numerous attempts to help the eager passengers to hurry. The first cable road was laid in San Francisco in 1873 by Andrew S. Hallidie, Henry Root, Asa E. Hoery and William Eppelsheimer. The originator of the idea, however, was E. S. Gardiner, of Philadelphia, who suggested the plan some time prior to the actual building.

The cable served its useful purpose for eighteen years, when it was electrified by the motor car promoters; that is, electric conductor rails were strung in the cable conduit and the wire rope hauled out. The dynamo had been perfected and electricity was a commercial motive power; therefore, the electric street railway of 1888 was a success. Before that, attempts had been made to operate street cars by various kinds of magnetic engines. In 1835 Thomas Davenport, a blacksmith, built a railway in Springfield, Mass., over which he operated a car driven by an electric magnet motor, and twelve years later Prof. Moses Farmer brought out another electro-magnetic motor, but they never passed beyond the experimental stage.

The real beginning of the American electric street railway system was the Union Passenger Railway of Richmond, Va., equipped by Lieut. Sprague and opened for service on the first day of February, 1888. It was a "trolley" line—"trolleys" is the word in use now. City officials soon saw the danger of overhead wires in the crowded city, and their precautions led to the underground system, a system that is familiar to all.

until Lieut. Frank G. Sprague, U. S. N. (resigned), built the first successful electric railway in 1888, the "dummies" were the only things the suburbanites had to ride behind.

The gap between the "dummies" and

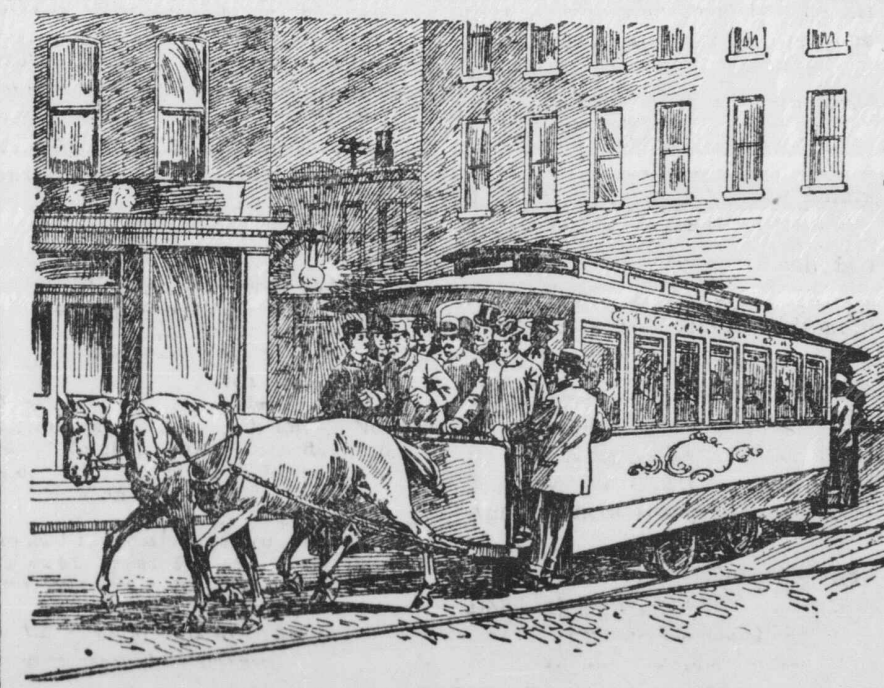


PROPOSED NEW DOUBLE-DECKED "L" ROAD IN NEW YORK CITY.

horses made trips over this railway, carrying passengers. The car was a big stage coach, or rather three stage coaches in one, for there were three compartments, each of which resembled a small stage coach, and it had the name "John Mason" painted above the center door.

About twenty years later the Sixth avenue street railway was built and the street car craze began. It really amounted to a craze, for thirty street car companies began business during the next five years. During the ten years from 1860 to 1870 eighty-five street railways were built. The census twenty years later showed 769 street railways in operation. In two years this number increased to 987.

The street railway was a success, therefore it was the object of various attempts at improvement, for in America, whatever is a success must be improved. People wanted to go faster than the poor horse could pull the car, and so many were satisfied to go slow that the little car the one horse pulled would not hold them all. They made larger cars and hitched two horses to them, but two horses could not go any faster than one horse since they had doubled the size of the car; so inventive genius kept the patent office up nights examining their claims for improvements in street railways.



A RELIC OF BYGONE DAYS IN CHICAGO.

## REPUBLICANS OPEN CAMPAIGN SEPTEMBER 15

LEADERS IN WEST AGREE UPON THAT DATE AT MEETING WITH HITCHCOCK.

BLOCK OUT THE DISTRICTS.

Senator Borah of Idaho Is Regarded as Valuable Asset for Spell Binding Work.

ALL LEAVING FOR UTICA, N. Y.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 17.—The Republican speaking campaign in the west will not be opened until about September 15. That date was agreed upon today at a conference of political leaders with Chairman Frank H. Hitchcock of the Republican national committee.

The organization of the western speakers' bureau cannot be effected by Mr. Hitchcock until he comes west again in about ten days. It has been expected that Senator Borah of Idaho would assume the direction of the bureau, but the announcement was made today that there has been such a demand for him to speak in all parts of the country that it had been decided he was too good an asset for speaking purposes to admit of his being tied down to organization work.

Under the original plans, Senator Borah was to have offices in Chicago and undertake to block out the western country into areas and shape the speaking policies for each section according to the issues therein, while Gen. T. Coleman Du Pont of Delaware, who has his office at the New York headquarters, would look after the machinery of the bureau. Senator Borah is to make several speeches in the early campaigns in eastern states, but he has agreed to remain here for a time and get the speakers' bureau organized for the west. He will be assisted in this work by Col. Cecil A. Lyon of Texas.

Minister Will Speak.

Rev. Dr. John Wesley Hill of New York, who will open the speaking campaign in Vermont, has been here several days in conference with the political leaders, and left for the east today. After he finishes in Vermont he will go to Maine. A plan for the gathering of campaign funds in the various states was formulated at a conference today. The national committee in each state will be authorized to select a treasurer for his state, who will be financial agent. This agent is to solicit and collect contributions which are to be turned over to Mr. Sheldon, the national treasurer, or Mr. Upham, the assistant treasurer. The disbursement in the states will be made under the direction of the state chairman.

All Leave for Utica.

Mr. Hitchcock and several of his assistants left Chicago at 2:30 p. m. today for Utica, N. Y., where they will attend the ceremonies connected with the nomination of Mr. Sherman of his nomination for the vice presidency. From Utica the chairman will go to New York for a day and then to Boston where he is to meet the national committee and state chairman for the New England states.

## TAFT PREPARES SPEECH

CANDIDATE WILL DELIVER ADDRESS TO VIRGINIANS.

Receives Letter from Admiral Cervera Expressing Wish for His Election This Fall.

HOT SPRINGS, Va., Aug. 17.—The speech he is to make to the Virginia Republicans who are coming here Friday next was the engrossing subject with William H. Taft today. The address is to be the first political utterance of the candidate since his Cincinnati speech of acceptance, and will be the only speech of his character he will make until his campaign opens in Cincinnati the first week in September.

Although it is quite common for Mr. Taft to receive letters from the Philippine islands expressing a desire for his political success, he was somewhat surprised today to receive one written by Admiral Cervera of Spanish war fame, expressing the same sentiment. "I pray for the election of Senator Taft for President," writes the admiral. "I should have written you a letter, but have not had time. I know very little personally about the United States and cannot for that reason, give an opinion of my own concerning the election. But there is no doubt from what I hear about his election, because he is a very distinguished man."

## MARRIED FIFTY YEARS.

Chicago Couple Celebrate Golden Wedding—Milwaukee Woman a Daughter.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 17.—[Special.]—Mr. and Mrs. Gottfried Christian Anling of Forest Park celebrated their golden wedding anniversary almost in sight of the place where they were married. All of their children who are living, nine in number, thirty-seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren, were present. Mr. Anling is now 76 years old. His wife is 67. Eleven children were born to them. The nine who are living are: Mrs. Hermann Weiss, Milwaukee; Mrs. Louis Guenther, Orange, Cal.; Albert Anling, Leyden; William Anling, Leyden; E. C. Anling, Oak Park; Mrs. Fred Wehrmann, Oak Park; Rev. Hermann Anling, Berlin, Germany; Mrs. Martin Dressler, Forest Park; Mrs. Charles Bellink, Oak Park.

Had Her Choice.

"I see that your little sister took the smaller apple," said an experienced mother. "Did you let her have her choice, as I told you?" "Yes, mother," her son replied brightly. "I told her if she didn't choose the better Aming, Leyden, she should choose the smaller one, and she chose the smaller, mother!"—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Freedom and License.

"These Paterson anarchists," said H. K. Adair, the western detective, "talk about the same ideas of freedom and the

privileges of a free country as my little boy Bill has."

"The United States is a free land ain't it, pa?" said Bill the other day and he looked up from a circus poster full of cuts of somersaulting acrobats, of balloon races and of elephants revolving two by two in the "Merry Widow" waltz.

"Yes, Billy boy, this is a free country," said I. "Then," said Bill, "why don't they let a feller into the circus without payin'?"—Washington Star.

## THINK GIRL MURDERED

GRANDNIECE OF LATE WILLIAM MARSH RICE FOUND DEAD.

Victim Was Last Seen with Young Man—Telltale Note Found at Her Home.

PALMER, Mass., Aug. 18.—That Miss Faith Davis, the 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Davis, whose body was found Sunday morning in the pond connected with the electric light station, was murdered and that she did not commit suicide, is the belief of the police officers who are investigating the case.

Miss Davis was a grandniece of the late William Marsh Rice of Texas, for whose murder Albert T. Patrick is now serving a life sentence in Sing Sing prison. The mother of the dead girl inherited a large share of her uncle's fortune and a portion of this would have gone to her daughter.

Miss Davis left home Friday afternoon during the absence of her sister, Miss Gertrude Davis, her parents and youngest sister being at Cape Cod. She left a note under the sugar bowl on the table which read: "Have gone for a little walk up by the new house on the Warren road. Will be back soon." That note was not discovered until Saturday, and meanwhile search was instituted for her.

It is said on good authority that no water was found in the girl's lungs. This leads to the belief that she did not meet death by drowning, but that the body was thrown into the pond. It was discovered that the girl was alive at late as Saturday afternoon. She was seen by Mrs. Mary Deland, who lives on the Warren road, passing her house with a young man.

"The young people appeared very friendly," said Mrs. Deland. "I did not know the young man, but could tell him again if I saw him."

Prints of a girl's shoes and man's shoes have been discovered on the banks of the pond, which is a small one and unfrequented. The girl left home without a hat and with no money, and the note was apparently written in good faith.

## MORE SHIPS FOR JAPS.

Mikado's Government Making Plans to Construct Two Large Fighting Vessels.

BERLIN, Aug. 18.—A news bulletin of the German naval league distributed today makes the following statement: "It has been confirmed that Japan, in addition to the battleships already known, is to build two other vessels of this type. The keel of one will be laid in July and the other in the autumn. Both the ships will be built in Japan. Their displacement is to be 20,000 tons, speed 20 knots and main armament 12 guns of 7.10 inches each."

## WILL PROBE CHARGES.

Department of Justice to Investigate Existence of an Alleged Theater Trust.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 18.—In view of the representations of theatrical managers of the existence of an alleged theatrical trust, the department of justice will investigate the charges. So far no inquiry as to the so-called combine has been inaugurated and no time has been set for starting the work. Officials of the department of justice not having gone into the question of their powers in the premises.

## WOMAN SAVES HUSBAND

Jerseyville (Ill.) Society Member Drags Man with Clothes Ablaze from Building.

JERSEYVILLE, Ill., Aug. 18.—While the other guests, men and women, fled in terror, Mrs. Edward B. Griggs dragged her husband from the blazing Jersey Creek clubhouse, on the Illinois river, near Hardin, last night, and with her bare hands beat out the flames leaping from his oil-saturated clothes. Griggs was burned from head to foot and his injuries are believed to be fatal.

## AIRSHIP ON LONG TRIP.

German Military Dirigible Remains in Air for Six Hours Under Perfect Control.

BERLIN, Aug. 18.—The military steerable balloon which sailed away from Tegel at 10 o'clock last night returned at dawn this morning to the balloon enclosure, having been in the air something less than six hours. The balloon had sailed to Neustadt and back and during the time it was in the air it traveled 20 miles an hour.

## BALDWIN TO BUILD AERIAL LINE.

Will Construct Ships to Fly Between Boston and New York.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 18.—At a banquet given by him at the National Press club last night, Capt. Thomas S. Baldwin, who has just delivered a dirigible balloon to the United States army at Fort River, announced that he had given a contract, soon to be signed, to construct airships for the aerial passenger line to ply between Philadelphia and New York, incorporated in Massachusetts about six weeks ago by Charles J. Glidden, famous as an automobilist and aeronaut.

The passenger airships will be of the present Baldwin type, semi-rigid, with gas bags of the latest vulcanized silk material, with balloon nets and netting. They will be from 150 to 200 feet in length, and each will be capable of carrying twenty to thirty passengers or more. They will equal or even surpass the length of the Zeppelin airship recently destroyed, and consequently will be capable of carrying more passengers. The number of airships to be constructed will not be determined upon until Capt. Baldwin meets the representatives of the company at Boston.

Advertising pays. Try it.

## BOAT BLOWS UP HURLING MANY INTO THE LAKE

BOILER OF MICHIGAN STEAMER EXPLODES AND A PANIC FOLLOWS.

ONE DEAD, DOZEN MISSING.

Victims Cling to Wreckage Until They Are Rescued by Nearby Farmers.

ENGINEER WAS FIXING LEAK.

TRAVERSE CITY, Mich., Aug. 17.—Mrs. Isabel La Bonte of this city was killed and a score of passengers were injured today by the explosion of the boiler of the passenger steamer Leelanau, bound from Leland to Fouché on Carp lake.

Following is revised list of dead and injured:

The dead: LA BONTE, MRS. ISABEL, 35, Traverse City.

The injured: John Harting, Leland, dying; Russell Mills, Ann Arbor, scalded, condition critical; Stanley Mills, Ann Arbor, scalded, serious; A. B. Cook, Traverse City, badly scalded; Miles, Atwood, Leland, slightly scalded; Richard Stevens, Leland, slightly scalded; Mrs. Ralph Hastings, Traverse City, badly injured; Ralph Hastings, city treasurer, Traverse City, slightly injured.

Ten others are slightly hurt. Carp lake lies in the northern Michigan resort district, being located in the peninsula just northward between Lake Michigan and Grand Traverse bay. Among the passengers of the Leelanau were a number of resorters from other states, but the list of casualties contains only the names of Michigan people.

Heavy Steam Pressure.

Having on board many pleasure seekers bound for Traverse City to attend a wild west circus, the little steamer was plowing down the narrow lake with a steam pressure of eighty pounds trying to make up the time that had been lost on the earlier stages of the trip. As she was passing Bligh the engineer discovered a loose bolt in the engine and shut off the steam to remedy the defect. It was while he was working at the loose bolt that the explosion occurred. The boiler gave way with a crash, tearing off the top of the engine and demolishing the pilot house and the forward upper works of the steamer but leaving Engineer Edward Hardy unscathed by the havoc that swept before him.

Force Directed Forward.

The force of the explosion had all been directed forward. Mrs. La Bonte, sitting near the pilot house conversing with her brother, Charles Mosier, captain of the boat, was blown far out into the water, terribly mangled, and John Harting, who was at the wheel, was probably fatally injured. All those injured were sitting in the forward part of the boat.

Many were thrown into the water and clung to wreckage until rescued by farmers living along the shore, although some were able to swim ashore. The injured were brought to Traverse City.

The steamer was towed to a wharf and tied up for repairs. She is 51 feet long and with 12 feet beam and was rebuilt last season.

## BUY BALDWIN BALLOON

AMERICAN GOVERNMENT ACCEPTS CAPTAIN'S DIRIGIBLE.

Receives 15 Per Cent. Less Than Regular Price as Ship Is Slower Than Navigator Thought.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 17.—The army airship board today decided that Capt. Baldwin's dirigible balloon had met all conditions entitling him to the amount agreed upon for its purchase. The board calculated that the airship had maintained an average speed of 13.75 miles an hour while in the air 2 hours 1 minute and 50 seconds. This speed being slightly more than the required 70 per cent. of the maximum speed of 19.61 miles an hour. Capt. Baldwin will receive \$57,375.00, which is 15 per cent. less than the amount he would have received had he reached a maximum speed of 20 miles.

## SING ESPERANTO HYMN.

This Marks Opening of Universal Language Congress of 1600 Persons in Dresden.

DRESDEN, Aug. 17.—The fourth international Esperanto congress was formally opened here today with the 1600 persons in attendance singing the Esperanto hymn. The delegates were welcomed by representatives of King Frederick August of Saxony and the municipality. Dr. Zamenhof, the inventor of the Esperanto language, made an address on the ideals of Esperanto. The United States is represented at the congress by Maj. Paul F. Straub of the army medical corps.

## WRIGHT IS UNDECIDED

War Secretary Not Yet Thoroughly Posted in Matter of West Point Hazing.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 17.—Secretary Wright had a communication today from Col. Scott, superintendent of the military academy at West Point, concerning the eight cadets suspended on a charge of hazing, but it did not contain just the information which the secretary desired. He was therefore, unable to make any announcement concerning the status of the cadets until later in the week.

A Economical Suitor.

It was fair time in Selkirk, and Sandy and his sweetheart were wandering round arm-in-arm, enjoying the sights. Presently they espied a smart looking pie shop, which they promptly entered. Sandy ordered one pie, sat down and commenced to eat it. Meanwhile the girl looked shyly on.

"It's fine, Sandy?" she timidly asked. "Ay, 'tis awful fine, Jennie!" he answered. "Ye should buy one!"—Penny Pictorial.

"Tie but a step from a counting scene to a scene in court.—Smart Set.







## NOTICE OF ENROLLMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the Boards of Registration of the several wards of the City of Gladstone, constituting a Board of Enrollment, will be in session in the several wards of said city on Saturday, August 29th from 8 o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of enrolling the names of all legal voters, members of whatever political party, who may make proper application for such enrollment. The Boards of Enrollment will be in session in the respective wards at the following places:

- 1st Ward, Polling place, 5th street.
- 2nd Ward, City Hall, Minnesota Ave.
- 3rd Ward, Polling place, 8th street.
- 4th Ward, Polling place, Minnesota Ave.

W. A. NARRACONG,  
Dated Aug. 20, 1908. Clerk of the City of Gladstone.

## NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION.

To the qualified voters of the City of Gladstone, County of Delta, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that a primary election will be held in the said city on Tuesday, September first, 1908, for the purpose of voting for the nomination of candidates for the offices of Governor and Lieutenant Governor of said State by the qualified enrolled electors of all political parties. Also for the purpose of voting for the nomination of republican candidate for Representative in the State Legislature from the Representative District of which said city forms a part. Also for the purpose of voting for the nomination of the following Republican candidates for county offices of Delta County: Judge of Probate, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer for full term, and County Treasurer to fill vacancy, Register of Deeds, Prosecuting Attorney, two Circuit Court Commissioners, Surveyor and two Coroners. Also for the purpose of electing delegates to the next ensuing republican county convention which will be held for the purpose of electing delegates to the Republican State Convention for nominating State officers. The number of delegates to be elected to said republican county convention from each ward in said City of Gladstone is as follows:

- First Ward, 2 Delegates.
- Second Ward, 2 Delegates.
- Third Ward, 2 Delegates.
- Fourth Ward, 1 Delegate.

The polls of said election will be held at the following places in the respective wards:

- First Ward, Polling Place, Fifth Street.
- Second Ward, City Hall, Minnesota Ave.
- Third Ward, Polling Place, Eighth Street.
- Fourth Ward, Polling Place, Minnesota Ave.

The polls of said election will be open at Seven o'clock in the forenoon, and will remain open until five o'clock in the afternoon of said day of election.

Dated this 20th day of August, A. D. 1908.

W. A. NARRACONG,  
Clerk of the City of Gladstone.

### PETER JENSEN, CANDIDATE FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

The nomination for the office of Representative is important and should not be overlooked by the people of Delta county in their excitement over other county offices.

It is well known and undisputed fact that ninety per cent of the people must earn their bread in the sweat of their brows, therefore we believe that the man who has gone through that school is best qualified to represent the common people. Peter Jensen is the only one of the candidates who have gone through that school of life; therefore he possesses the best ability to render good judgment upon any question that may come before the state legislature, to the best interest of the people of Delta county. New legislation will undoubtedly come before the legislature, which will be of much importance both to organized townships and incorporated cities. Mr. Jensen has been elected and re-elected to office, both in the township of Bay de Noc and the city of Escanaba, obtaining valuable experience in public affairs which is of good assistance to any man who seeks to represent the people. Mr. Jensen believes that the present law that provides for the public sale of state lands at Lansing is a law that discriminates against the poor and common people and favors those who have got plenty. And if nominated and elected, he will do all in his power to have such land sold at the court house in the county where it ought to be sold giving the people of smaller means an equal chance to go and bid upon a parcel of land, and not be subject to the cost of making a trip to Lansing.

Mr. Jensen is a man of good, honest and clean character. Cast your vote for him on September 1, and your vote will be for the best interests of the people.

#### WANTED.

Board and room with private family. Box 766.

#### WANTED.

Situation as housekeeper in town or on farm. Mrs. Siabert, 1457 Wis. Ave.

#### BOYS WANTED.

A few boys between the ages of 16 and 20 can find steady employment in the factory of the Marble Safety Axe Co.

#### FOR SALE.

Two fox hound pups, 2 months old. Box 294.

First Publication August 22, 1908.  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
United States Land Office at  
Marquette, Mich., August 14, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Gust Nelson, of Escanaba, Mich., who, on July 23, 1908, made Timber & Stone Sworn Statement, No. 045, for  $\frac{1}{2}$  of  $\frac{1}{4}$  of sec. 24, Township 41 north, Range 25 west, Michigan Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final timber and stone Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clerk of the Circuit Court, at Escanaba, Mich., on the 30th day of October, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
John Moe, John J. Ackley and Louis Anderson, of Escanaba, Mich., and William Swainston, of Woodlawn, Mich.

JAMES J. DONOVAN,  
Register.

First publication July 25, 1908.  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
United States Land Office at  
Marquette Michigan, July 20, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas Goedert of Gladstone Mich., who on February 28th, 1908, made Homestead Entry No. 7388, Serial No. 0122, for  $\frac{1}{2}$  of  $\frac{1}{4}$  of sec. 2, Township 41 N., Range 23 W., Mich. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clerk of the Circuit Court, at Escanaba Mich., on the 8th day of September, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
Nels A. Froberg, Joseph A. Richard, Roy Thorbahn and Charles Froberg of Gladstone Mich.

JAMES J. DONOVAN,  
Register.

First publication July 25, 1908.  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
United States Land Office at  
Marquette, Michigan, July 20, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that John Jones of Ogontz, Mich., who on March 28, 1901, made Homestead Entry, No. 10198, Serial No. 0130, for  $\frac{1}{2}$  of  $\frac{1}{4}$  of sec. 18, Township 40 N., Range 20 W., Mich. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clerk of the Circuit Court at Escanaba, Mich., on the 8th day of September, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
Ole Nelson, Henry Dansey, John Weiwrew and Max Constino of Ogontz, Mich.

JAMES J. DONOVAN,  
Register.

First publication July 25, 1908.  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
United States Land Office at  
Marquette, Michigan, July 20, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Christopher Westrope of Cornell, Michigan, who on May 29, 1901, made Homestead Entry, No. 10191, Serial No. 0130, for Lot No. 1 and  $\frac{1}{4}$  of  $\frac{1}{4}$  of sec. 22, Township 41 N., Range 23 W., Michigan Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clerk of Circuit Court at Escanaba Michigan, on the 8th day of September, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
Alfred Mallette, Edward Mallette, William Wiseman, John E. Lauscher of Escanaba Mich.

JAMES J. DONOVAN,  
Register.

## RAPID RIVER

Escanaba possesses a strong ball team; not denied; she admits it herself. She also is to be complimented on the character of her captain; whose unflinching sportsmanship, strict deference to the rules of the game, clean and courteous language, moral and physical courage, and running ability, have endeared him to the people of Rapid River.

All are for Bradley in Rapid River. If every town in Michigan were like this one, the doctor would get, not forty, but ninety, per cent of Michigan republicans. He is the right man for governor, and we know it, here in Rapid River.

Joseph J. Mallman, who is running for the second term as treasurer, is nowhere better known or better liked than in Rapid River. He is regarded as one of the family, and the boys here will turn out and give him every vote they've got a week from Tuesday.

Johnson boys have built a mill. It's either running or keeping still; for when it's going it makes a noise. And they're proud of the mill, those Johnson boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Corbin, W. J. Miller and Miss Lizzie Hruska, spent the week outing at Hamilton's.

Miss Hazel Baker is visiting Rapid River friends this week.

Joseph Simon made a trip to Gladstone Tuesday and viewed the process of making the Marble pistols. He is much pleased by the test, which exceeded his expectations; the power of the Game Getter is remarkable.

William Palidor, a woodsman, was recently injured by the fall of a tree. Coming to town, he paid little attention to his hurt until he became senseless. Removed to the Laing hospital, it was found that his skull is fractured from front to rear. An operation was performed to remove the pressure of the bone, but inflammation had set in and his condition is critical.

Mesd. Gartland, Cole, Darling and Buchman spent Wednesday at Hamilton's camp.

Mrs. Clark returned Monday to her home in Escanaba.

Gene Rushford was operated on this week for an old injury of the ribs, which was giving him trouble.

A dog belonging to Allan Hopkins disappeared Tuesday; and it was feared he had been stolen. The next day the Lotus brought him back from Garth. He had crossed the bay by swimming, under the most powerful of emotions.

Fire broke out Tuesday evening in the sausage room of Scott's butcher shop. Although discovered almost immediately, it had quite a start. The rain prevented its spread to adjoining buildings; and first the chemical and then the engine subdued it. Loss covered by insurance.

Messrs. Darrow and Goodman returned this week from their western trip.

Mrs. Jurtl, of Kewaunee, visited here from Thursday to Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. Hruska.

For Sale, an excellent Jersey Cow. Apply to NELS BLAIR.

Mrs. R. Wicklander underwent an operation in the hospital this week.

Walter Darrow leaves Saturday for Ellwood, Ind., to visit.

Michael Collins, of Bailey's Harbor, visited here this week.

The electric theatre, which has been fitting up for three weeks, opened Wednesday. The admission is ten cents, and it has proved quite an attraction.

Rapid River goes to Niagara Sunday to play. Niagara is a strong team, and has booked a large number of first class attractions.

Nels Blair returned Tuesday from the Soo, where he has been working.

J. E. Tropple came up Wednesday from Gladstone. He moved his chest of tools into the mill which burned, a few hours previously to the fire.

A son was born August 13 to Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Bergman.

A sidewalk has been built along the south side of Michigan west from the road.

John Baptist has been doing an excellent business in the second-hand line. His store is quite a convenience to those who wish to sell some article for a small sum rather than have it lie around.

A son was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vietzke.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shipley left Monday for Munising, returning Thursday after a visit with friends.

The tank behind the fire hall is now a dull black. Diagnosis, paint.

Claude Ackley left again for Idaho Thursday night.

Mesd. Levi and Andrew Barboo visited in Escanaba Wednesday.

Miss Alice Chandonette returned Tuesday from Escanaba. Her sister Agnes is here from Minneapolis on a visit.

Mrs. F. Cardin is visiting at the Danforth settlement.

Christoff's house was moved this week to the corner of Jennie and Wisconsin.

## Personals

James and Mae Grilla returned Saturday from a three weeks trip in lower Michigan and Canada. Miss Florence McLean of St. Ignace and Mr. Frank McDonald of Hot Springs, Ark., returned with them to spend a couple of weeks.

George L. Francis returned Friday with his family from camping at Maywood.

Mart Hollister arrived Sunday from Marion, Ind., to visit a couple of weeks.

Charles Brant and Ed. Nylander were called to Marquette Monday.

Miss Hilma Ostergren, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Oak, returns Monday to Chicago.

Fred Bendure this week reclaimed the fine electro photoengraving of himself recently published in these columns. If no owner appears in two weeks he will keep it as his own.

Charles France has accepted a position with the Marble Axe Company.

16 inch Hemlock wood, full cord \$2.75  
16 inch Maple and Birch mill wood \$1.75 per single cord, \$5.00 per full cord delivered to any part of the City. Call up C. W. Davis, phone 7.

Ed. Simons is convalescing from an attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. H. C. Henke and children left Wednesday for Milwaukee to visit for a couple of weeks.

Abe Cohen and Sam Levine, of Chicago, arrived Wednesday to visit their cousins, Albert and Myer Rosenblum. The four will camp at Maywood for a while, beginning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Empson, with the children, left Thursday evening for Salt Lake City. They will return about the middle of September.

Rev. G. C. Empson made a trip Wednesday to Escanaba.

Burt is installing complete sanitary fixtures and plumbing in Lillquist's stand for Louis Tardiff.

Alex Peterson came in last Friday from Gogebic where he has been employed for some months examining timber for Bonifas Brothers of Garden.

The Misses Esther, Ruth, and Agnes Lindblad left Tuesday by boat for Marinette, to stay two or three weeks.

Rev. C. R. Martin writes from Stanton, Ia., that his new church is completed and services were held in it last Sunday.

W. L. Marble, Jr., left Monday on a brief business trip through the copper country.

Miss Hettie Goldstein spent Friday in Escanaba.

John Juley and George DeLair of Green Bay arrived Thursday to visit R. B. Baird.

Mrs. Linnie Jones, Charles and Helen McDonald of Warren, Ind., are visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jones, for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldstein are camping this week at Maywood.

Charles Walz returned Saturday from Maywood, somewhat lame, but otherwise rested.

The Yantic returned Saturday with the Naval Reserve. Lieutenant Mason, accompanied by Mrs. Mason, went up with her to Duluth next day.

Mrs. J. T. Whybrew returned Thursday, called by the illness of her son Albert, who, however, is less seriously affected than was thought.

Mrs. W. McNeen and son Laurence, and the Misses Lillian and Florence Johnson, of Lawrence, Ia., are visiting Dr. Bjorkman.

Andrew Marshall and family returned Thursday from Sister Bay; Mr. Marshall has acquired a pair of crutches and a sprained knee; the fork of his bicycle broke and he took a severe header.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Laing and Mrs. W. L. Marble returned Thursday evening from Mt. Clemens.

Mesd. Rosenblum and Wiggins returned Saturday from their stay in lower Michigan.

Miss Inez Jackson returned Wednesday to her home at Rockford.

Rev. Geo. C. Flett and family returned Friday morning after a three weeks' vacation in Illinois and Wisconsin.

John Hample, who has been ill with rheumatism, is out again.

J. A. Stewart and family left Monday via Alpena for Detroit. From there they go to Kingston, Mich., and will return in a month. Henry Nankervis is in charge of the prescription counter.

A marriage license has been issued to Marshall Supry and Delia Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Klingenberg returned west this week.

Miss Agnes Wilford is spending a vacation in Rapid River. Born Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. N. J. LaPine, a son.

Clayton Campbell, of Manistique, is visiting friends till Monday morning.

## LET IT BE REMEMBERED

That if you do not have that job of plumbing or sewer connections made right you will regret it later.

I am now ready to figure with you on any sewer connection and assure you that if I do the job it will be O. K. I refer to my past work in this city, which is giving satisfaction.

Good work and best of material, fair and square treatment, are appreciated, I find, and you can do no better than to place your contracts with me.

H. J. KRUEGER,  
CITY PLUMBER.

Headquarters for Plumbing,  
Heating and Sheet Metal work.

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PHONES } RESIDENCE, 105.  
OFFICE, 260.

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The BEST BOARD in the city.

Sample room fully stocked with the best—  
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Fresh beer always on tap.

COMFORT and CLEANLINESS are always to be found at The Harbor.

ANDREW STEVENSON,  
PROPRIETOR.

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to the customer who purchases most goods from us between now and February 7, 1909. The amount to be shown by cards, on which the purchases are punched. These may be given to your friend or society. The one who has most will receive the Piano.

All purchases from our attractive line of Jewelry and Novelties will be credited five times the amount. See our display.

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We have done several more good jobs of plumbing and connecting since we saw you. Ask any of our patrons how the work is for style and price. Then ask for figures on a job for your own place.

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