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BAY DE NOC ROAD

James B. Moran, of the traction company, was in the city Tuesday. He is interested, with the rest of us, in pushing the project of a transpeninsular county road from Maywood to Ogontz. He points out, what must be obvious to all, that such a highway is the concern, not only of Masonville and Bay de Noc towns and of Gladstone, but of Escanaba and its vicinity likewise; for this road will furnish direct communication not only with Delta avenue but with Ludington street, the county buildings and all the towns south and west. It is not possible that any board of road commissioners can neglect so crying a necessity when once they grasp its necessity and usefulness. Escanaba should make common cause with Gladstone and the farmers of the Bay de Noc peninsula in urging the claims of this nine-mile strip of trunk road. It is to be hoped that the county road commission, having ample funds, will inaugurate this improvement forthwith.

CALL FOR THE ROAD

The meeting of business men and grangers last Saturday evening agreed that the proposed county from Maywood through the Alton settlement to Ogontz is a public necessity, and that farmers and the people of Gladstone would alike work for it, while hearty support is promised from Escanaba. It is the only visible outlet to a whole township of fertile land.

The question of a ferry from Maywood to Gladstone also favored considered and it is quite possible that the matter will be taken up again before the ice leaves the bay. The transportation company has offered to donate the use of the dock for this public purpose.

The meeting was a well attended and harmonious one, and pleasing to those who have been working for the arrangement. Among the Gladstone men who went over were Messrs. Perry, Jackson, W. L. and F. W. Marble, Gasser, Whybrew, Messenger and Latimer.

The petition for the road was circulated Thursday in Escanaba by President A. J. Young of the business men's association, and was signed by all business men approached, over a hundred names being secured during a single day.

DRILL, YE TARRIERS, DRILL!

Rehearsals for the big minstrel show are being held in the Pythian hall in the Minnawasca block. The date is not assured yet, however. So many novel and interesting numbers will be offered, says Director Peterson, that long preparation will be needed, and it will probably be impossible to have the great cast of high priced nigritudinous performers drilled within ten days.

SAGINAW TO MACKINAW

Two hundred and fifty miles of road in a day!

That's the pace set by Northwestern Michigan farmers, who have determined to construct a highway from Bay City to Mackinaw city on June 9.

The idea comes from Iowa, where all the farmers turned to with pick and shovel and in one day built 360 miles of road straight across the state.

The plan for a bee was decided on at the convention of the Lake Huron Good Roads association, organized in Saginaw Feb. 7, when the Michigan Good roads association met and approved the Allswede bill for highways throughout the state.

BOOMING IRON RIVER

Paul Chamberlain, one of best known mining men of the Northwest, and engineer of the McGreevy Steel Co., is authority for the statement that Iron River, Mich., is today one of the greatest iron ore camps in the world.

"There are nineteen operating companies in the camp at the present time," said he at Duluth recently, "and during the past five years an immense amount of ore has been taken out.

"Work is being done at the mines of the McGreevy Steel company, J. C. McGreevy of Duluth being the head of the company. At the Purcell mine the shaft has been sunk to the depth of 175 feet and the work of hoisting ore will start in April. At the Sheridan mine the shaft has been sunk to the depth of 338 feet and will be dropped 100 feet more. It is the intention to hoist ore in June.

"A shaft will be sunk in the Boyington next month; work of diamond drilling has been going on at this property since early last summer.

"The United States Steel corporation owns the least of all the mining property in this section. An immense amount of development work has been going on for the past year, and this work will appreciably increase during the present season. The one handicap to the work in the mines, and I imagine this applies to conditions on the Mesaba range as well as at other mines, is the lack of men. Miners are being paid at the present time at \$3 per day for eight-hour shifts, and the mine foremen cannot possibly get enough labor. Added to this is the fact that the men are extremely independent and will quit when they feel like it."—Marquette Chronicle.

IRON RIVER RESUMES

Two years ago the Iron River K. P. lodge suspended; last week it resumed under a new charter with fifty new members, besides the old ones. The lodge number is 162, and it was once assigned to Gladstone, both lodges having been instituted at the same time. Gladstone was obliged to get a new seal and took the number 163. In the Iron River Reporter we find it stated that the "Knights of Pythias was instituted in the Keweenaw county, in the upper peninsula, 35 years ago, and has since attained a wonderful membership. It is recognized as one of the leading fraternal societies." Editor O'Brien has been misinformed by some zealous brother who has the honor of the founder at heart. The first lodge of Knights of Pythias was established in Washington, D. C., forty-nine years ago, February 19, 1864, to-wit:

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KIPLING HAS FIRE

Fire broke out in the building of M. P. Foy at Kipling shortly after midnight Monday morning, and destroyed it. The meat market, downstairs, was a total loss with the contents. Elmer Beaudry, who lived upstairs, was able to get out the most of his household goods. The building burned rapidly, and had there been a puff of wind, the structures on each side would have surely suffered. The inhabitants of Kipling fought the flames, and an alarm was sent to Gladstone. The Gladstone firemen responded promptly. Two teams took over the engine, but during three-quarters of an hour the building had time to fall, and no stream was thrown on it.

Mr. Foy is making arrangements to move into another building owned by him, as soon as the artisans can fit it up, and will reopen the market in a few days, meantime supplying the orders from his shop here. His loss was about \$3,000, and he carried a thousand on the building, which was a large one, and two hundred on the fixtures.

It has been suggested that as the distance from Gladstone is so great, it might be well to secure a hand engine of the old fashioned kind, which could be done at small cost, and make a reservoir. There is never any lack of willing firemen at Kipling, and the protection would be great. As in case of wounds, so in that of fire first aid to the injured is a matter requiring prompt action.

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KATZENJAMMER KIDS

Albert and Anton Mantie, aged eleven and thirteen years respectively, were arranged before Probate Judge John Stiles at Menominee to answer to the charge of attempting to wreck a passenger train of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad by placing two cattle-guards across the tracks. The younger of the pair declared he placed the guards, while the other admitted to only placing obstructions in the paths of trains. Following a severe lecture, the lads were given into the custody of their father, Anton Mantie, Sr., and placed on probation for six months, with instruction to report to the court every week. When the cattle guards were placed on the track the engine of passenger train No 213 was derailed and the track torn up for many yards. The father settled for the damages resulting to the railroad out of court.

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RECALL IS PASSED

The Michigan senate passed the initiative, referendum, and recall bills on Thursday morning after it had accepted the amendment to the judiciary exemption clause of the recall to exempt only supreme, circuit and municipal judges.

It is believed the house will concur and the measures are strongly advocated by Gov. Ferris.

REMOVES COMMISSIONERS

Governor Ferris has removed the Baraga county road commissioners, Simon Demonie of Assinins and James McKercher of Spurr from office for misconduct in office, etc. Sheriff Demgen served notice on the deposed officials last Monday.

The first charges brought against the commissioners were started at Covington in January 1912 by the members of Seward Pomona Grange; they appointing a committee consisting of Chas. H. Anderson, Hoaken Lundin and August Paulson, who made an examination and reported their findings at the April meeting of the society. Their report was presented to the board of supervisors, who finally preferred charges, which were heard before Judge of Probate Williams. It was upon this testimony that the governor acted.

McKercher's term would have expired this year. Demonie had two years more to serve.

NEW NUMBERING SCHEME

The committee on numbering the buildings of the city has drawn up a plan for submission to the council, which, it is thought, will have the desired results. The blocks from First street west, will be numbered in hundreds, and each 25 feet will have a number, even numbers on the north side of the street as now. From First street the residences can be numbered east with little trouble. Delta avenue will be the dividing line between north and south, and the Buckeye addition will begin with 500 north. The streets in the additions north of the Soo ore track can be numbered from east to west on the same plan as those in the original plat. South Gladstone will be numbered separately, and the furnace addition and other property north of the Cooperage plant will be left to another time, as they will not come in the scope of free delivery for some time. All such are near the Kipling postoffice.

PRIVATE BANK FAILS

Regarded as one of the strongest banks in Van Buren county, the Gobleville Exchange bank, operated by Stanley Sackett, closed its doors Saturday.

The bank, which has been a private institution, carries deposits from all parts of the county and nearly every business man in Gobleville was a depositor.

DEPOSIT GUARANTEE LAW

A. T. McMillen, cashier of the Wamego State Bank, of Wamego, Kas., in a letter to the American Banker, New York says: "We have the guaranty deposit law in operation in this state. Before it was adopted all the possible objections were urged against it. It is only fair to say that the prophecies of disaster have none of them been realized. The law has been in operation in Kansas for four years and we have had but one failure, and in this case it has not been necessary to draw on the guaranty fund for any money, but the delinquent banker has been lodged in the penitentiary through the efforts of the bank commission. I have no doubt he would still be at large had he not been operating under the bank guaranty law, but the banking department looked upon his offense as a personal matter, and pursued him until they put him where he belongs—so it is proven that the danger of failure under a guaranty system is much less than under the happy-go-lucky system that is now pursued.

The objections urged to a bank guaranty are more serious than those urged against parcels post or the postal savings banks. Some of us were unduly alarmed about them, but we find that our fears were without foundation.

"The suggestion that irresponsible men could open banks and transact business is not well grounded. It would be impossible under the present method of inspection, and as to rate of interest, the law could state that only such deposits as were bearing 3 per cent or less be taken. In fact, there is no point of objection to the system that cannot be readily answered, while the many strong arguments in its favor cannot be disputed. It is one of the reforms in business that is sure to come, and when it comes we will wonder why we did not have it long before."

Discussing the letter of Mr. McMillen, John F. Seeley, president of the Commercial Savings Bank of Caro, says:

"Michigan should have such a law as Kansas, with any additional safeguards thought advisable, and have it optional with banks to adopt it. I am fully persuaded that it will prevent the withdrawal of deposits in time of panic, as confidence is the great desideratum in such times, and at all times."—Michigan Investor.

READ THE RULES

The Mining Journal points out the flaw in the Webb bill which passed over Taft's veto with such a clatter. It is not unlawful to drink liquor in a prohibition state, so the individual shipments are not affected. "The law, however, affects the shipment of liquors designed for sale for the reason that the laws in all the dry states forbid the sale of liquors. But as the individual consumer may be supplied directly through all avenues of interstate commerce, including the parcel post, the practical effect of the measure is almost nil."

It is a penal offense to mail liquor, a fact which the Journal has failed to observe.

ADELBERT, HOW COULD YOU?

The Mining Journal quotes Representative A. D. Edwards as saying that the state will be unable to appropriate sufficient money to properly take care of the Newberry hospital, filled to overflow with upper peninsula patients, but it is a public necessity to appropriate \$100,000 to provide for an exhibit at the Frisco hoohah.

Really, the Delta had a higher opinion of the gentleman from the third of Houghton.

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NAME F. J. BYRNE

The Democrats of Delta county have shied their castor into the ring, and put up Felix J. Byrne of Escanaba for county road commissioner. Mr. Byrne received a majority of the votes cast by the Democrats at the primary, and that party looks to the canvassers to declare him the nominee to oppose George M. Mashek.

As is well known, the election commissioners failed to furnish Democratic ballots, and several of that party changed the heading on the Republican ballots and wrote in the name of their candidate. Undoubtedly, these ballots were not entirely legal, but neither was the exclusion of the party from participation in the election, and the commissioners could not lawfully take the word of any division of that party that they did not wish to see a candidate named. If the name is rejected, his friends promise to test the case in the courts.

It is not understood that Mr. Byrne is himself an office seeker. He is a man of long residence in the county, of business ability, and said to be free from entanglements in a political way. He is the manager of the Escanaba Credit association.

The democrats of Delta county made their closest approach in many years last fall to electing a candidate. Those most desirous of reviving the party see an excellent opportunity in the state of affairs this spring.

FROM MR. STROM

The Delta has just received from Prosecutor Strom a letter too late for insertion in full this week. It is written in a compassionate, but long-suffering tone, to rebut the unjust charges made against him of leaning to the Hammels. "Had you understood the facts properly and been able to discuss them intelligently, the article would have assumed a different form." Mr. Strom declares that the fixing of bail was done by Judge Glaser in his discretion as a magistrate, and that the bail of Walter and Roy J. Hammel "was passed upon by the deputy county clerk in my presence and with my advice, and was not subject to criticism from any source."

There is only time just at present to take up the last statement of Mr. Strom's letter.

"Your last paragraph in this article, in which you state that I assured the creditors of the Hammels that upon these new arrests bail would be fixed which it would be impossible for them to secure, is an absolute falsehood. I have never assured the creditors that I would violate my oath of office and the provisions of the state and federal constitution, by such an abuse of my authority or the criminal process of our courts. To assume that an officer would go to the length that you mentioned is a most sordid exhibition of misunderstanding of our criminal laws and the duties of the officers in charge of their enforcement."

About a month ago the writer and J. A. Stewart were in conversation with Mr. Strom in this city. Mr. Strom discussed sympathetically about the strange action of prominent citizens of Escanaba in becoming sureties for the Hammels, stated that he believed he could induce them to withdraw after arraignment of the Hammels. "Then," said he "I will demand that their bonds be increased fourfold, and I do not believe they will be able to furnish the increased bail."

Does Mr. Strom wear a Gladstone face and an Escanaba face? That a magistrate is not limited in his powers of fixing a bail bond by the ability of the defendant to procure bail is also as true as that excessive bail is not to be required. If the magistrate deems the offense sufficiently heinous, he may even increase the bail to a figure at which he knows that it can not be furnished—saving always to the defendant that right of appeal to a higher court which he possesses. Or if the magistrate, as in this case, desires to give the defendant a chance to secure bail readily, he may do so. But Mr. Strom does not explain how the Hammels are capable of giving a "personal recognition" that a court should recognize.

Mr. Strom, like other humanitarians, is not pleased by the expressions of our sentiments toward Walter F. Hammel. To quote the words of Macaulay, "The hatred which that bad man inspired had in it more of humanity than of cruelty."

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SKIN GRAFTING.

The St. Louis physician who is using cuticle from the stomachs of puppies in skin-grafting operations on the burned legs of a seven-year-old boy seems to have given a hint which will be useful. Five operations in the case already have been performed, and the little patient is reported to be doing well, the tender skin from the puppies' stomachs serving, it is said, as a perfect substitute for the human cuticle. The incident of the death of a newsboy at Gary, Ind., who submitted to the sacrifice of a lame leg that the skin might be used to save the life of a girl who had been badly burned, is fresh in the public mind. Though the boy died, the girl recovered, so the experiment in that case was 50 per cent. successful. Of course in the St. Louis case the puppies had to die, but even the most bigoted antivivisectionists hardly would object to the painless sacrifice of a few puppies to save a human life. It is an old saying that "every dog has his day." The average duration of life in dogs is so brief compared with the average duration of life in man that the slaughter of dogs to prevent the premature death of human beings may be demonstrated mathematically as a conservation of vital economy even so far as quantity is concerned, to say nothing of quality.

The highest salary paid to an American ambassador is \$17,500. It is probable that not one of them pays less than that for house rent. The diplomatic services of an American ambassador are of very little importance, says the Charleston News and Courier. He merely delivers notes, the context of which have been decided on by the president and his cabinet. Ambassadors are, however, of social importance, and social relations must be kept up. Unless the embassies are to be made mere show palaces for rich men, the government ought not only to build its own embassy buildings, but it ought to maintain them. Only in the diplomatic service has it been the policy of the United States not only not to pay servants anything, but actually to demand of them a payment for the honor of holding their positions; for that is what it amounts to. We ought either to properly maintain the diplomatic service or we ought to do away with it altogether.

Following the successful flight of an aviator over the Pyrenees from France into Spain, Jean Bielovucci, the Peruvian, who has been waiting for favorable weather to attempt the feat of journeying by motorplane from Switzerland to Italy followed the course over the Simplon Pass which was taken by Chauvez in 1910. Chauvez accomplished the task, but received fatal injuries while coming down. Bielovucci made the voyage and descended in safety. The aeroplane is becoming safer and safer in careful hands.

A Bavarian scientist proposes to establish a university of love where young men and women will be instructed in the proper modes of courtship and marriage. The object is the eventual betterment of the race, but the university will not be thronged with pupils. The ancient school established long ago and still taught by one Dame nature will continue to lead over all the scientific ones in real popularity.

A New York judge proposes in legislation for child delinquents to make the punishment fall so heavily on neglectful parents as to revive Solomon's recipe for dealing with unruly children. Doubtless, the carrying out of this idea will transfer much of the burden of discipline of youth from the state to the home, where it properly belongs, and where it will prove much more effective.

A beautiful and wealthy woman from Costa Rica has been in this country on an unsuccessful hunt for a husband. That beauty, grace and wealth could not find one may seem surprising until the fact is known that the lady wanted an ideal husband, and all of that sort are in heaven.

The American cow has a champion in the person of a scientist who declares that the disease germs are not communicated to the milk from the cow. That meek and much-maligned animal can now chew her cud in a ruminative and vindicated peace.

Since the discovery of one in New York, Chicago also has an "Arson Trust." The eastern metropolis is not going to have anything to crow over the western metropolis while the latter is awake enough to notice.

That goat which butted a rear admiral of our navy doubtless had more sense of humor than the admiral; but he lacked discretion. The consequence of his act is that the navy's goats are abolished.

WOMEN ATTACK KING

GEORGE V. OF ENGLAND TARGET FOR MILITANT SUFFRAGETTES IN LONDON.

RULER HAS NARROW ESCAPE

"Burning to Get Vote" Posted Near Two Railway Stations That Were Destroyed by Fire—Arson Campaign Is Extensive.

London, March 11.—For the first time since the militant women of England inaugurated their campaign of violence as a means of getting the ballot, suffragettes made a personal attack on King George. If the attempt had not been expected and police arrangements made to repel it, the British monarch might have suffered personal injuries at the hands of the mob of women who bore down upon the royal coach. The attack was made near Marlborough house while King George was returning to Buckingham palace after having opened the new session of parliament.

The attack was led by two women who had been standing in the line of spectators waiting for the king to pass. They were dressed in long cloaks, beneath which were hidden "Votes for Women" banners.

Just as the royal coach drew opposite the women dashed through the police lines waving banners which they had drawn from beneath their clothing.

"Give us votes," and "Sign this warrant giving us liberty," were among the shouts hurled at the king. One of the women waved a document over her head.

The police and escort of soldiers closed in about the carriage, while many men spectators ran forward grabbing the women. Many other suffragettes who had apparently been waiting for a signal rushed into the front and tried to pull the soldiers from their horses.

The women were finally overpowered and many arrests were made.

Women Burn Two Stations.

Militant suffragettes started another campaign of arson. Early this morning they set fire to the Saunderton station of the Great Western railway and burned it to the ground. Saunderton is about thirty-seven miles from London. Two placards were found in the vicinity, on which were painted the words: "Burning to get the vote" and "Votes for women."

Another station, Croxley Green, about three miles from London, on the London & Northwestern, also was burned this morning, but the cause of the fire has not been ascertained. Both Saunderton and Croxley Green were new stations.

Suffragettes burned the wooden pavilion of the Bowling club at Heaton Park, Newcastle. They left a card inscribed: "No peace until votes for women."

CONFESSES TO MANY FIRES

Benjamin Fink, Alleged Leader of Arson Trust, Involved Thirty-five Others.

South Bend, Ind., March 11.—Benjamin Fink, known also as Finkelstein, the so-called "torch" of the arson trust, is alleged to have made a complete confession to the prosecuting attorney and first assistant state's attorney of Chicago. The alleged confession involves thirty-five men among them being a number of public fire insurance adjusters.

Fink has been under arrest here for two months. He has steadfastly refused to make any statement until now, when he sent for the prosecutor.

The alleged confession tells in detail the method of operation of the arson trust. Stores were leased and fitted up with cheap furniture. Showy stock was put in. Much of it was taken out and then the places fired.

The confession tells of fires in a number of cities in widely separated parts of the country.

On motion of Prosecutor Montgomery, filed in the circuit court, all charges against Fink, locally, were dismissed, and the "Firebug" left over the South Shore line for Chicago. Fink was in the custody of a corps deputy sheriffs from the local office. Prosecutor Montgomery's motion stated Fink was involved worse in Chicago than in this city, and also that it would aid the investigation in that city if he was taken there immediately.

DYNAMITE PERIL IN WRECK

Believed That Much of 600 Cases of Explosive Remains Intact on Alum Chine.

Baltimore, Md., March 11.—Supervised by United States army engineer officers, the work of removing the wreckage of the dynamite steampship Alum Chine, which blew up in lower harbor last Friday with heavy loss of life, was begun here. The bulk of the wrecked vessel lies about twelve feet below the surface and slightly southward of the main channel opposite quarantine station. More menacing than the wrecked ship is the unexploded dynamite, several hundred cases of which are believed to have gone down packed about the freight cars on the attendant barge. Whether the cars were shattered is problematical, but the engineers are inclined to believe that the greater part of the 600 cases of the explosive on the barge lies intact at the bottom of the harbor.

LINCOLN BEACHEY



Lincoln Beachey, the "daredevil" aviator, says he will never fly again professionally, because he feels that emulation of his reckless deeds has caused the deaths of a number of young aviators.

DARROW'S OWN REMARK CAUSES TRIAL'S FAILURE

Calling McNamara Workers for Great Cause and Not Slayers Hung Jury—New Trial March 31.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 10.—Clarence S. Darrow, the Chicago attorney who defended the McNamara brothers, and who has been on trial for alleged bribery of one of the jurors in the case, was himself responsible for his failure to go free, according to one of the jurors, who requested his name be withheld. The jury, after being out 48 hours, stood 8 to 4 for conviction.

Just one declaration of the lawyer during his plea for liberty settled the case with the men who held his fate in their hands. Darrow declared that, although the bomb which destroyed the Los Angeles Times building had killed 20 men, the McNamara brothers were not murderers, but workers in a great cause.

Immediately after the verdict was announced counsel for Darrow made a motion for a new trial. There was no objection on the part of District Attorney Fredericks, and after a short parley Judge Conley fixed March 31 as the date.

GERMAN JUBILEE IS BEGUN

Splendid Army Maneuvers in Berlin Are Opening Feature of the Great National Celebration.

Berlin, March 10.—Troop maneuvers surpassing any before attempted by this country were held today as the initial step in ushering in Germany's jubilee year, the one hundredth anniversary of Prussia's war for liberation against Napoleon.

The assembling of the troops in Prussia will be followed by months of intermittent celebration culminating in a grand jubilee during the whole month of June in honor of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Kaiser's accession to the throne. During this time millions of dollars will be spent in fetes, military maneuvers, street festivals, balls and street decorations throughout the empire. A large portion of the Berlin celebration will take place in the new stadium erected at a cost of \$1,500,000 for the Olympic games in 1916.

BLAST RAZES SCOTCH TOWN

Houses, Churches and Schools Tumble Down in Irvine, Ayrshire, Near Glasgow.

Glasgow, Scotland, March 11.—A terrific dynamite explosion wrecked the town of Irvine in Ayrshire. The number of dead is not known. It is said that the injured number hundreds. The explosion occurred at Nobel's explosive works at Arder, 20 miles from Glasgow. Within a radius of several miles it had the force of a destructive earthquake. The town of Irvine was shaken to its foundations. Many houses, churches, schools and public institutions were destroyed.

Ceilings fell everywhere, partitions collapsed and scarcely a window in the town was left intact. People walking on the streets were thrown to the ground and many were seriously injured. All the inhabitants rushed from their houses in consternation. The water front and the harbor were masses of wreckage.

JURY FINDS CONWAYS GUILTY

Man is Given Life Term; Wife Gets Fifteen Years—Latter in State of Collapse.

Chicago, March 10.—Charles N. Cramer, alias Conway, and his wife, Beatrice Ryan Conway Cramer, were found guilty of the killing of Sophia Singer in a rooming house at 3229 Indiana avenue last October, and their sentences were fixed as follows:

Cramer—Life imprisonment.

Mrs. Cramer—Fourteen year term in state's prison.

Every eye in the crowded court room was directed toward the two defendants, the acrobatic clown and the lion tamer, as the verdict announcing their fate was read. Mrs. Cramer was in a state of collapse, while Cramer retained an outward appearance of bravado.

WILSON FOR REFORM

PRESIDENT WILL SOON COMPLETE DRAFT OF HIS FIRST DOCUMENT TO CONGRESS.

TOPICS TARIFF AND MONEY

Executive Will Point Out Schedules Wherein Changes Should Be Made in Import Duties—Democrats Agree on Income Tax Rate.

Washington, March 10.—President Wilson will begin preparation of his first message to congress this week. So far he has had but little opportunity to consult his cabinet or senate or house leaders about the message, but with a constantly clearing desk in front of him and a calling list reduced as much as possible, he is expected to turn his attention to the message within a few days.

It is probable that it will deal with only two subjects—the tariff at some length and currency reform briefly.

During the special session other messages may be sent to congress on various subjects, and it is likely that attention of congress will be especially called to the need for currency legislation after the house has disposed of most of the tariff schedules. Predictions are that the president will not attempt to attack the present tariff in a statistical manner, but that he will confine himself largely to an exposition of general policy and point out schedules which he believes are in particular need of reform.

Colonel House Calls on Wilson.

Col. E. M. House of Texas, intimate friend of President Wilson, led the list of callers at the White House. It was Colonel House's last talk with the president before departing for his home in Texas.

National Committeeman Edward F. Goltra of Missouri and Homer S. Cummings of Connecticut, Former Representative Pujo, who presided over the house money trust investigations; Representative Sherley of Kentucky and Moon of Tennessee, Senator Pomerene of Ohio and Governor O'Neil of Alabama all had engagements with the president. The president also received the Supreme court in the blue room of the White House.

Filipinos Send a Message.

Congratulations of the Philippine people to President Wilson were presented by Manuel Quezon, resident commissioner. Mr. Quezon left with the president a cablegram from Speaker Sergio Osmena of the Philippine assembly, expressing hope that the new administration would further the move for Philippine independence.

Agree on an Income Tax Rate.

A federal income tax, probably of one per cent, and a free sugar tariff schedule practically were agreed upon by the Democrats who are to compose the majority of the house ways and means committee in the Sixty-third congress. Tariff revision was taken up where it was dropped at the close of the last session and the Democrats will meet every day from now on to perfect their bill before the extra session begins April 1.

Representatives Garner of Texas, Stanley of Kentucky and Collier of Mississippi, chosen as the three new Democratic members, met with the committeemen for the first time.

The minimum income to which the proposed tax would apply was not agreed upon, but \$5,000 is said to have been generally favored.

FATHER IS SLAIN BY HIS SON

Youth in Chicago Shoots and Kills Parent While Defending Sister.

Chicago, March 11.—Peter Scheibler shot and instantly killed his father, Charles Scheibler, with a rifle in their home at 5806 South Fairfield avenue.

When locked up at the Englewood station the son, who is nineteen years old, asserted that the shooting was accidental. Scheibler was a printer.

When the patrol wagon arrived the son was on his knees beside the body of his father, prostrated with grief. "I didn't mean to kill father," he wept. "I was trying to save my sister Helma and the rifle went off accidentally. I was afraid at first that my father was going to kill all of us."

ICE MOVES IN SUPERIOR

Drift of Ice Off Duluth Presages an Early Break-Up Over the Upper Lakes.

Duluth, March 8.—The enormous field of ice outside the harbor has commenced to move out into the lake. The steady northwest wind has started the ice field from the shore and it is now moving eastward steadily. An early opening of navigation is therefore predicted.

A report of the condition of the ice covering the entire great lakes has just been received here. This shows that in many of the ports the ice is of great thickness, though not so heavy as a year ago.

Little snow is said to cover any of the fields.

Woman Throws Babes From Train.

Memphis, Tenn., March 11.—Mrs. Nell Hampton, claiming Gadsden, Ala., her home, is in jail here charged with having thrown her two babies off a passenger train as it passed through Milan, Tenn., at thirty miles an hour. Officers believe the woman is insane. The babies were not hurt despite the fact she threw them more than fifteen feet.

JOHN BARRETT



John Barrett, director general of the Pan-American Union, is one official in Washington whose position is safe despite the change of administration. His tenure of office is dictated by the votes of the representatives of the twenty-one republics comprising the union, the United States having no greater voice than the smallest of the countries.

116 RESCUED FROM SHIP OFF COAST OF FLORIDA

British Steamer Hits Reef and Wireless Appeal Brings Another to Its Aid.

Key West, Fla., March 11.—One hundred and sixteen passengers, all of whom were immigrants, bound from Spain to Cuba, with the exception of two first class passengers, were taken off the British steamer Lugano, ashore on the Ajax reef off the Florida coast, by the tug Rescue.

The grateful passengers were landed here by the tug. All have been housed in buildings along the docks. Transfer of the passengers from the Lugano to the Rescue was effected in two hours, small boats being used. Of the passengers rescued 12 were women, 15 children and the remaining 89 men.

Capt. Penwill realized when the vessel struck the reef that its position was serious. Distress rockets and wireless calls remained unanswered for hours.

Finally a message was picked up by the United States wireless station here. At the same time it was intercepted by the tug Rescue, bound for this port. The latter vessel immediately set out for the Lugano, and had succeeded in taking off its passengers before additional tugs sent from here arrived.

WILSON MAKES NOMINATIONS

Roper Named for First Assistant Postmaster General and Dockery For Third Assistant.

Washington, March 11.—The president sent to the senate the following nominations:

Daniel C. Roper of South Carolina to be first assistant postmaster general; Alexander M. Dockery of Missouri third assistant postmaster general; James I. Blackless of Pennsylvania, fourth assistant postmaster general; Peter J. Hamilton of Alabama, to be United States judge for the district of Porto Rico, and Dr. Charles P. Neill, District of Columbia, to be commissioner of labor statistics, a re-nomination. Assistant secretary of the navy, Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York.

President Wilson reversed his decision to talk patronage with no one and accepted from Speaker Clark and Senators Stone and Reed of Missouri the list of men they want appointed to office.

GARRISON TO RETAIN HIS AIDS

Secretary of War Announces That for Present There Will Be No Change in Department.

Washington, March 11.—Secretary of War Garrison announced that for the present he will retain the entire personnel of the war department, including Gen. Robert Shaw Oliver, assistant secretary. Secretary Garrison added that a number of changes might be made when he has "gotten better acquainted with the office."

Eight Burned in Gas Blast.

Youngstown, Ohio, March 10.—One person was fatally burned and seven others were seriously injured in a gas explosion at the Julius building, an apartment house. Mrs. Mary Malka, twenty-eight, was burned about the body and head and cannot live, physicians declared.

Illinois Men Die in Hot Springs Fire.

Hot Springs, Ark., March 10.—Charles A. Cary and E. J. Reynolds of Utica, Ill., perished in the fire that destroyed several mercantile establishments here. Their bodies were found in the ruins of an oriental goods store this m—

MEXICANS IN BATTLE

SEVEN HUERTA MEN SLAIN IN FIRST FIGHT OF SONORA REVOLUTION.

BRYAN FELICITATES WILSON

American Ambassador to Mexico Complimented by State Department on Conduct During "Trying Time" of Southern Republic.

Douglas, Ariz., March 10.—Seven federal soldiers were killed in the first battle of the Sonora rebellion at Nacoari, below here, and one American, J. S. Williams, Jr., manager of the Montezuma Copper company, was shot in the leg. It is believed that many of the federal defenders were wounded. Constitutionalist sustained no appreciable loss, and succeeded in advancing their lines considerably.

The battle began at 8:30 o'clock in the morning and continued through the day, when all communication from Nacoari was interrupted.

Rebels Precipitate Fight.

The fight was precipitated when a force of 500 rebels under Colonel Bracamonte, former prefecto of Montezuma, was marching to reinforce the rebel command which is encamped on the outskirts of Agua Prieta, and encountered part of the federal garrison of 250 rurales protecting the town.

Most of the fighting was done at long range. After the first hours the rebels began to draw in closer about the little town. It is expected the constitutionalists will take advantage of darkness to enter Nacoari, a town which they intend to capture, if possible, at the beginning of the campaign.

Autos to Americans' Rescue.

Nogales, Ariz., March 10.—To rescue Americans stranded at interior points, three automobiles left here for the south. They were sent in response to urgent appeals from Magdalena, fifty miles below the border. The Americans were passengers on north-bound trains seized by the rebel troops.

Clash of Rebels and Federals.

Monterey, Mex., March 10.—The first serious clash between federals and Carranzistas is reported to have occurred at Reata in the state of Coahuila, midway between here and Monclova. The engagement lasted four hours, the rebels offering stubborn resistance.

The losses as reported from government sources included twenty-six federals killed and eleven wounded and thirty-three rebels killed. The rebel forces have fallen back on Baján, thirty miles to the north.

Bryan Compliments Wilson.

Mexico City, March 10.—Ambassador Wilson received the following telegram from the state department:

"The department of state desires to give expression of its gratification at the very cool, capable and successful manner in which, throughout the recent difficult situation in the City of Mexico, the United States citizens there, American organizations, and especially the United States embassy and its staff, have conducted themselves. The department of state considers that if it had not had such efficient and prompt co-operation on the part of the embassy the conduct of the relations of the governments of the United States and Mexico throughout this trying time would have been less effective and successful."

OLNEY FOR BRITISH POST

President Tenders Ambassadorship to Former State Secretary Under Cleveland.

Washington, March 10.—President Wilson has offered to Richard Olney of Boston, secretary of state in President Cleveland's cabinet, the post of ambassador to Great Britain.

It is not known whether Mr. Olney will accept, and it was said that the matter had not gone so far as the sounding of the court of St. James as to Mr. Olney's acceptability.

No appointments to the other important diplomatic posts had been finally decided upon.

Some Massachusetts Democrats have felt that their state was slighted in the makeup of President Wilson's cabinet, and it is believed that this fact had some weight in bringing Mr. Olney's name to the front. Some doubt was expressed whether Mr. Olney would accept the post, because he is seventy-eight years old and has had an exceptionally active life. In official circles it was thought Great Britain would not be likely to object to this appointment, since he held two cabinet positions under Grover Cleveland. Mr. Olney's legal ability, administration advisors believe, would be of great value in the conduct of the Panama canal negotiations and they are anxious that he accept the London post.

POPE SORE THROAT SUFFERER

Pontiff Has Suspended All Audiences Until Further Notice—Condition Causes Alarm.

Rome, March 10.—It was announced at the Vatican that Pope Pius X. has suspended all audiences until further notice and that his physicians reported the aged pontiff suffering from a severe sore throat, accompanied by a considerable degree of fever.

There is great anxiety at the Vatican as the result of these reports, owing to the advanced age and generally feeble condition of the pope.

STATE BANKS DOING GOOD BUSINESS

MICHIGAN BANKING COMMISSION
ER. E. H. DOYLE ISSUES
REPORT.

GAIN OF \$4,835,907.11 SHOWN

Reserve Maintained by the Four Hundred and Forty-Six Banks and Five Trust Companies is \$63,370,382.66.

Lansing.—Since the report of the state banking commissioner, issued November 26, 1912, the Michigan state banks and trust companies show a gain of \$4,835,907.11 in aggregate business.

These figures are given in a report of the 446 banks and five trust companies doing business in Michigan, issued by Commissioner E. H. Doyle. The report shows the condition at the close of business February 4.

The loans and discounts of the commercial department amount to \$102,866,719.65, while the loans and discounts of the savings department total \$42,477,244.24. The bonds, mortgages and securities of the commercial department amounted to \$18,957,150.43, and of the savings department \$136,695,220.41.

As compared with the report of November 26, 1912, there has been an increase in the commercial deposits of \$4,010,969.72, while the savings deposits have increased \$2,285,605.57 in the same time. By comparing the last report with the statistics compiled by Banking Commissioner Doyle a year ago, an increase of \$14,052,747.23 is shown in the savings deposits and an increase of \$6,420,901.78 in the commercial accounts.

In the last year there have been increases in capital stock of the various state banks to the extent of \$2,498,206.52. Since the report of February 20, 1912, the commercial loans and discounts have increased \$10,088,988.67, the savings loans and discounts \$1,746,230.26, while the commercial bonds and mortgages have advanced \$3,970,242.24 and the savings bonds and mortgages \$12,169,833.68.

The total reserve maintained by Michigan state banks and trust companies on February 4, 1913, was \$63,370,382.66, or 19.47 per cent. The total cash reserve amounted to \$22,548,781.61, or 6.93 per cent.

These reserves are divided as follows: Savings legal reserve, \$35,102,278.83, or 16.76 per cent.; savings cash reserve, \$12,246,933.95, or 5.85 per cent.; commercial legal reserve, \$28,268,103.83, or 24.37 per cent.; commercial cash reserve, \$10,301,847.66, or 8.88 per cent.

The total reserve carried by Michigan state banks is therefore \$12,065,498.09 over the requirements of the banking law.

Based on savings deposits of \$209,418,012.62, the law requires mortgage and bond improvements of at least \$104,589,440.28. The report shows that the mortgage and bond investments exceed the requirements of the law by \$32,165,789.13. The savings investments together with the savings reserve, exceed the savings deposits by \$4,856,730.86.

Trunk Road Measure.

If Senator Allswede can so amend and broaden the trunk line highway bill as to cover practically every road in every county of the lower peninsula, he might be sure of a unanimity of support that would assure its passage.

But the senator is finding it a hard fight to satisfy 32 senators and 100 representatives without meeting the wants of the scores who flocked here for a hearing, and already the measure has been so overloaded to meet added suggestions that it may fall from sheer exhaustion. It is said, because it has to carry too great a load.

The crowning blow came when a delegation came to the public hearing in the senate and favored a change in the central meridian north and south highway which would take the road out of Senator Allswede's home village, Sanford.

This proposal, urged by Mount Pleasant, Clare, Gladwin, etc., would entirely skip Midland county and it met with a roar of protest.

The Mount Pleasant folk wanted to have the road continue north from Alma to Mount Pleasant, then to Clare, Gladwin and over to the meridian line. Under the proposed plan it cuts east from Alma and St. Louis to the meridian, and then goes north through Midland and particularly through Sanford, where Senator Allswede, author of the trunk line road bill, makes his home.

Nearly fifty attended the meeting.

Expect to Elect Potoskey Man.

Arrangements are being made by Potoskey lodge No. 629, E. P. O. E., to have a big turnout at Port Huron for the annual state convention when they expect to elect E. L. Rose of Potoskey, who is now first vice-president of the state association, to the office of state president. At the annual election of the local lodge, which comprises members from Charlevoix, Harbor Springs and other Emmet county towns, at Boyne City, officers were chosen for the ensuing year.

Wants Vice Investigation.

Using the report of the state labor commission as the basis for his action, Representative Henry Glassner of Barry county, author of the celebrated eugenics measure, introduced a resolution in the house providing for the appointment of what might be termed a legislative vice commission.

The resolution provides for a membership of three, two to be appointed by the speaker from the members of the house and one by the lieutenant governor from the membership of the state senate. Under the resolution the commission would have the power to enforce the attendance of witnesses, force them to produce books, records, etc., and to administer oath and employ necessary clerical assistance.

It is the purpose of the resolution to have the commission begin its investigation at once and report its findings to the governor, who will be empowered to make recommendations for legislative action on the basis of such action.

The report from the labor commission bearing on the causes which lead young women into immorality inspired the Barry member. He believes such a commission as his resolution provides for would do much toward curing the evils of the social and commercial system in Michigan.

Representative Montleth's bill giving the state board of health general supervision over all water and sewage plants, and the Jakway bill compelling fruit packers to inscribe their names and addresses on closed packages, were agreed to in committee of the whole.

Detroit sought to be exempted from the provisions of the Montleth bill and Grand Rapids came to the front to obtain exemption if Detroit should be favored. No effort was made to kill Jakway bill.

Representative Foot's bill providing for the creation of boards of sinking fund commissioners was passed on third reading. It especially affects Kent county, which asks for such a measure.

Defends Work of M. A. C.

President J. L. Snyder of the Agricultural college made the following statement relative to the work being done by that institution:

"We are doing more work in the state than is generally known, and I believe that a full report of our efforts, past and present, will show that our activities along agricultural lines have increased from year to year and are as extensive as our funds permit."

"It has been said that we are devoting more attention to our engineering course than an agricultural college should, and there has been a suggestion that we should divorce this course entirely. It is not generally known that the engineering course was made mandatory by an act of the legislature passed many years ago. In 1882 congress passed the Morrill act, granting states the money from the sale of public lands on condition that the funds be devoted to the promotion of schools teaching agriculture and the mechanical arts. The legislature of Michigan accepted the provisions of the act, and the college then added the engineering course in order to qualify. We are now receiving interest on a fund of about \$1,000,000 from the sale of government lands as a result.

Senator Fred Woodworth of Sanilac county, graduate of the college, made the following statement:

"As a graduate of the college, in the legislature I have done all I could for the college appropriations and each time I have found the appropriations meet the opposition of the farmers of the state because they do not have confidence in the college administration. The appropriations we have secured can be credited to the influence of the members of the state board of agriculture."

The house committee on agriculture is said to be with President Snyder and favors the reporting out of the appropriation bills carrying large sums for the maintenance of the college. However, it is stated that the farmer members in the house are opposed to allowing the entire amount asked.

Pythian Convention a Success.

Knights of Pythias from lodges of surrounding cities in central Michigan to the number of 700 attended a district convention of the order in Lansing. Members from the 11 lodges at Charlotte, Eaton Rapids, Grand Lodge, Jackson, Owosso, St. Johns, Bancroft, Albion, Portland, Mason and Leslie participated.

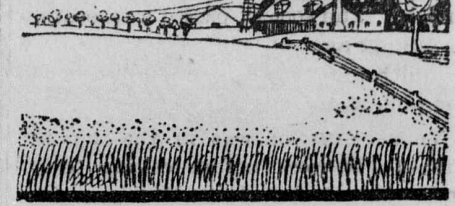
Preceding the lodge meeting members of the lodges, headed by the Lansing lodge band and the uniform rank companies of Eaton Rapids, Albion and Lansing, and prospective candidates for the initiatory ceremonies formed in parade, which proceeded to the Masonic temple. The line of march, four blocks in length, moved from the lodge rooms westward to Capitol avenue, north on Capitol to Ottawa street, eastward to Washington avenue, south on Washington to Allegan street to the Masonic temple, where the formal observances of the meeting were held.

State Y. M. C. A. Grows.

At the annual meeting of the executive staff of the state organization of Y. M. C. A., held in Lansing, it was reported that the county work far surpassed all expectations. Seven county associations were organized during the year, the membership exceeding the city associations, not including Detroit, Grand Rapids and Saginaw. Forty-eight counties have asked for organizations and secretaries and they will be accommodated as soon as possible. The state boys' campment will be held at Torch lake this year.

NOTES FROM MEADOWBROOK FARM

By William Pitt



More sheep are needed.

Slick up all the odd jobs now.

Seed Corn is a costly decoration for windmill towers.

Churn when the cream is fit; not when other things are ready.

Every farmer should raise over 100 fowls for use on his own home table.

When skim milk is to be had, use it instead of water in the poultry fattening mash.

It is best to build a round silo, because in the square silos the silage spoils easier.

Manure is one of the by-products of the dairy farmer and it represents a decided profit.

Build a warm, dry and otherwise comfortable room for the calves for the cold weather.

Keep the hogs quiet, clean and comfortable if you expect the best gain from the food supplied.

Much poultry is sold to the Chinese and at good prices. It is estimated that they consume quantities.

It is best not to put sawdust in the poultry house, as it gathers too much moisture and causes dampness.

Unless the fattening steer has all the pure water he can drink at all times he will not lay on fat quickly.

Once a day is sufficient for chickens to be fed a mash. The remainder of the day dry grain is considered better.

The man who dries his seed corn on the windmill tower ought not to complain when it germinates only 60 per cent.

For the amount of money invested in the poultry business, it pays a larger profit than any other farm specialty.

For stallions, brood mares, young horses and horses at light work, good quality clover or alfalfa hay cannot be excelled.

Mules are ready for work younger than horses. They are able to endure as much as two years as a colt will at three or four.

The coming of woven wire fences will help to keep down the weeds along the roadsides in a rather roundabout way.

No one can do the best work without good tools, and tools are never good without they are in first-class condition.

Don't select a heavy, lazy sow for a breeder. She should be mild in disposition, but possessed of sufficient energy to take exercise.

Angora goats cannot thrive if they are crowded into small space, hence they should not be kept in large flocks on the smaller farms.

For an occasional noon lunch for the layers, try some finely chopped alfalfa hay scalded and mixed in a wet mash of bran and corn meal.

When seed corn is taken in, it should not be piled up, but must be laid on racks or boards away from mice and so that the ears do not touch.

Sorghum is an excellent succulent feed for cows, horses, sheep and hogs. When fed green it saves more expensive feeds and keeps stock in fair flesh until other feeds can be gathered.

Show birds keep up well in the show room if they are given bologna sausage, bread and apples. Do not give milk after washing it, it sticks the feathers together and spoils the appearance of the bird.

Three carloads of cattle shipped from a Kansas ranch, and which had been fattened entirely on grass, showed a gain of 376 pounds per head in 165 days. The animals got no grain whatever, but were in fine condition when they reached the market.

In choosing birds for exhibition do not make the final choice until they have been seen in the exhibition coop. A bird of good disposition will make a better appearance than a cross bird of really better quality. Wash more than will be needed, as the washing also makes a difference in the bird's appearance. A bird with creamy plumage often looks better before than after washing.

Capons are profitable.

Keep all water troughs clean.

Keep something in the charcoal box.

Charcoal should be freely used in the poultry yard.

It is not so much the breed as the feed that counts in obtaining results.

It is claimed the Indian Runner duck will lay nearly 200 eggs in a year.

The tool house has become one of the important adjuncts to the modern farm.

Sulphate of iron is a preventive of hog cholera and many other diseases in live stock.

There were only 59 cow testing associations in the United States at the close of 1910.

If you only have a few bushels of corn to shell for the poultry, use the zinc washboard.

Horses urged to the limit are apt to be found a littel past that point. It is the same with growing boys.

The heifer bred too early always remains stunted in growth and her milk flow is shortened for all time.

Every farm should have a family orchard of at least a few apple, pear, plum, peach and cherry trees.

The department of agriculture has estimated that the country's annual loss by insect pests is \$420,100,000.

If the poultry house is over-crowded kill off some of the older birds. Keep stocked up with young thrifty layers.

Rye makes fairly satisfactory silage when it is cut in one-quarter inch lengths and well treaded in the silo.

A large orchard poorly planted and poorly tended will not produce as good results as fewer trees well cultivated.

Good housing is one of the essentials for egg production and consequently should be given proper consideration.

Cherries, unlike other small fruits, cannot be counted on to give heavy crops each year; consequently, the price varies.

Hot sweaty horses should not be driven into a cold stream. It is almost as bad for them as drinking while heated.

The origin of the Indian Runner duck is unknown. It is claimed they were introduced in England about thirty years ago.

Of almost if not quite as much importance as their food is plenty of exercise. Exercise and sunshine are great sheep tonics.

In the horse for active service the breast should not be over medium width and the forelegs should be reasonably close together.

The practical remedy for little pigs that are liable to be troubled with thumps is to provide them plenty of exercise and large range.

Just because a man enters a barn where cows are kept, it is no sign for him to cut loose on his entire repertory of cuss words.

At no season of the year should water stand around the trees and vines. Their roots will not stand it. There must be proper drainage.

When the pure-bred swine are kept for breeding purposes they should be given every opportunity for bone and muscle development rather than a development of fat.

Alsike clover is a perennial and can be grown on ground that is too low and moist for the medium red or mammoth, but it is grown equally well on high ground.

Keep over a few of the best ewes of your own breeding each year, even though they are not so good as you might buy. It will make your flock more uniform all the time.

In feeding the cows do not give them more than they can use readily. Any feed that is left in the mangers after the cows are through will naturally represent a certain amount of waste.

The farmer who raises fruit for his own family should have a much larger variety than the commercial orchardist, because the latter must produce enough of each kind to ship to advantage.

A drained soil readily absorbs fertilizers which may be applied to it. It is more easily prepared and requires less labor to put in condition for seed. The seed will germinate more quickly and the plant will grow more rapidly.

Rotation of crops is one of the simplest, practical methods of increasing the productivity of the farm and distributing labor. If you are not already practicing rotation in your farming, now is a good time to work out a systematic cropping scheme for your farm. A practical system of rotation can be worked out for every farm.

UPPER PENINSULA HAPPENINGS

Republic.—One of the important finds of ore in the Iron River district of the Menominee range the last two or three years is that made at the Sherwood property by the Republic Iron and Steel company. The tract is held under lease and has not yet been undertaken. The property will be one of the big mines of the region, indicative of which was the action of the Michigan state tax-commission in increasing the assessed valuation from \$75,000 to \$740,000. M. J. Sherwood of Marquette and M. H. Moriarty of Crystal Falls are associated in the ownership of the fee. The Sherwood has been tested by diamond drills. Its deposit lies 200 feet beneath the surface.

Iron Mountain.—The work of draining the open pits at the Antioine Ore company's traders mine is in progress. There is an immense volume of water to be removed and considerable preparatory work to be done before this company will be ready to produce; nevertheless, shipments by the time navigation opens will be possible. It will not be surprising if the traders send out close to \$200,000 tons this year.

Norway.—Because the workings have become too wet in some localities, the "sand" shaft near No. 5 shaft at the Steel corporation's Aragon mine is being put into service again, after having been out of commissions for two years. A unique product of the Aragon mine, or rather of its carpenter shop, is ladder have been manufactured the last year.

Republic.—The old Kloman mine here is reported to have been taken over by Chicago and other capital which intends to develop the deposit and install a concentrating plant with which to treat the product, the ore existing in association with Jasper.

Iron River.—Exploration to which unusual interest is attached is to be conducted here by the Duluth Drilling company. The Miller and Hammer properties, both within the village limits, are to be tested. It is known already that ore exists in the Miller ground. It is expected now that Hanna & Co. will be able to ship some ore from their new Carpenter mine at Crystal Falls the coming season.

Marquette.—Considerable ore is being forwarded to furnaces from the Marquette range this winter. Several of the Cleveland Cliffs company's properties are shipping to the Newberry plant of the Lake Superior Iron and Chemical company, as are the Breitung company's Hematite and the Republic Iron and Steel company's Hartford mine at Negaunee. Hanna & Co. are shipping from their American mine to the Canadian Soo.

Republic.—Formed thirty years ago for the purpose of acquiring and exploring mineral land, the Wendigo Iron company is in process of reorganization. The corporation is the owner of a twenty-two acre tract on the Michigan river, Menominee range. An application has been made for an option for a lease of this land and it is chiefly in that connection that the present action has been instituted. The company has been moribund for years. It is proposed to re-incorporate for a new term of thirty years and reduce the capitalization from \$500,000 to \$50,000. Of the seven original stockholders all but two have died. The books and records have been lost and a large part of the shares has become scattered far and wide among the heirs of the deceased organizers. The work of organizing the company is therefore difficult.

Crystal Falls.—The citizen of Crystal Falls who did not get a vote in the primary held here recently evidently did not vote, for he could have had a vote if he wanted it. Due to the failure of candidates for city offices to file their petitions in time, the electorate on primary day was confronted with six blank ballots for the republican, democratic and prohibitionist parties. It is said that nearly every resident of the city received at least one vote for some office.

Calumet.—Six persons were injured one probably fatally, in a fire which destroyed the Imperial hotel at Laurium. Eighteen other guests had narrow escapes from death when the fire was discovered. They left the burning building in their night clothes. Hilda Ala, a domestic, employed in the hotel, jumped from a third story window to the frozen ground below and will probably die from her injuries. All those injured jumped from the windows of the hostelry. The property loss is estimated at \$20,000.

In Spain, for the most part, washing is done in the old fashioned way, with cold water in large earthen tubs, generally in little wash houses on the flat Oriental roofs. Local custom is exceedingly hard to change, and the cheapness of labor obviates the use of modern machinery and time and labor saving devices.

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The Reign of Woman.

Women will serve as public porters and dining car waiters on the special train which is to carry the Illinois suffragists to the Washington parade, and except for the train crew and solitary man to shine shoes it will be an example of feminized railway transportation. The male shoeblack prompts masculine reflections on the division of mental labor under the new dispensation. But mere man may take heart. The time is still remote when there will be women at locomotive throttles or in the more responsible posts in railroad operation.—New York World.

Overloaded.
The postman, staggering under his tremendous burden, stopped at No. 23 and rang the bell.

"Here's the two dozen house blinds you ordered sent by parcel post, mam," he feebly murmured as the lady of the house came to the door, "and the patent washing machine and the new iron gate for the front yard, but"—and he smiled a feeble, wilted sort of apology—"I'm afraid you'll have to wait until my next delivery for your portable garage."

Fair Comparison.
"Do you mean to say that you compare yourself to Shakespeare?" "Why not?" inquired the manager of the Clothesline Burlesque company. "Shakespeare had pretty much my experience. The critics roasted him and the authorities were always threatening to close his show."—Washington Star.

It is surely tough luck if you are unable to mortgage your house for enough to get the kind of touring car you want.

It's Always A Good Thing

To have a Clear Horizon

at both ends of the day.

A dish of Post Toasties

for breakfast and again at the evening meal opens and closes the day with a dash of sunshine.

Toasties are bits of hard, white Indian Corn, first carefully cooked, then rolled thin and crinkly, and toasted to a delicate, appetizing brown.

Not a hand touches the food in manufacture, and it is ready to serve direct from the package—to be eaten with cream or milk—and sugar, if desired.

Post Toasties taste deliciously good and are richly nourishing.

THE GLADSTONE DELTA
CHAS. E. MASON, Publisher.

\$1.50 PER YEAR IN ADVANCE

Entered at the postoffice, Gladstone, Michigan, as mail matter of the second class.

Speaking of forecasts, one celebrated unofficial weather prophet predicted a great earthquake on March 7. And 300 tons of dynamite went off in Baltimore bay. The Marylanders will take some stock in predictions after this.

The L'Anse village caucuses were interesting. One put up a Boosters' ticket, and passed a resolution that the "Baraga Journal is a disgrace and an imposition to the people of Baraga county" and that those responsible for it "are undesirable citizens." It highly commended John O. Maxey as a public benefactor. The other, or Square Deal caucus, put up a Taxpayers' ticket. The Boosters' ticket won at Monday's election.

There is a probability that the marble quarrying industry of Dickinson County will be revived, and the old Foster quarry near Metropolitan will take on new life. A company has acquired a long lease from Houghton county, which county owns the land on which the marble range is located, and new machinery will be installed at once. The product of this quarry has in the past found a ready market, but internal strife among the former operators caused a cessation of the work.

The board of supervisors of Houghton county has appropriated \$1200 toward the salary of a county farm expert, the government furnishing \$1300. Supervisor Rourke kicked on the proposal to hire a farm expert and gave his reasons for so doing. He said that every time a lot of land owners hear of some new scheme for improving their land they come to the board of supervisors and ask them to finance it. To the motion Mr. Rourke moved an amendment, that the \$1,200 be deducted from moneys that probably will be appropriated in the future to the copper country fair and to the Upper Peninsula development bureau. Dr. Moll of Duncan sustained Mr. Rourke's view that probably the farm expert is of more importance to the county than the other two enterprises. The appropriation passed and Mr. Rourke voted for it but he said that he would vote against appropriations for the fair and the development bureau when they come up.

Work on the new township road between Gwinn and Little Lake will be resumed as early next spring as weather conditions will permit. Much work has already been done and the rock to be used has been hauled and dumped along the railroad about six weeks ago. The brushing and stumping has also been completed, and as the road is over land which is almost perfectly level, little grading will be necessary, and the work will show rapid progress when resumed. No expense is being spared in making the road a good one, and it will be one that will be appreciated by automobile drivers. The new county road which connects Little Lake with Escanaba will also be completed during the early summer months. The road is being used now by people in Turin township who travel to Little Lake or Gwinn.—Marquette Chronicle.

A. J. Ruhl, general manager of the Lake Superior Produce company, has returned to Houghton from Washington, where he submitted a big bid and procured the contract for supplying the United States Navy with creamery butter during the ensuing year. He says he believes the butter is used exclusively in the officers' messes of the navy, as it is not bought in quantities sufficient to supply the enlisted men. The contract totals 108,000 pounds. The government will pay for this Houghton butter eight cents higher than the highest New York quotations for creamery butter on the day of the bidding. It makes the price of the produce company about thirty-five cents a pound.

WILL ADVANCE PRICES

Timber operators in the Georgian Bay tract of Ontario, who are making contracts for lumber to be sold for shipment in the United States this year, are inserting a stipulation in their contracts that the selling price of their lumber will be increased to 80 per cent of whatever reduction is made in the tariff on lumber in the next congress. As the present duty on lumber is \$1.25 per thousand feet, and it is proposed to put it on a free list in the new tariff bill, the increase of 80 per cent referred to means an addition to the price of \$1 a thousand feet. It will be interesting to know how much the consumer on this side will profit by the removal of the tariff on lumber.

The main objection raised against the proposition to put lumber on the free list is that the Democrats propose to not only put rough lumber on the free list, but also finished lumber of all kinds. The claim is made by lumbermen at Bay City that it will put every box factory and wood-working plant in the Saginaw valley out of commission within two years if the tariff is removed from finished lumber and transfer this business from Michigan to Canada. This will affect the wages of 2,500 men in the Saginaw valley alone.

AN OLD TIMER



At the buffet of Fred Anderson you may meet many old timers—a hermit who has lingered in the wood for twenty years, a gentleman of France who sparkles as he leaves his glassy palace, or a northerner in dusky jacket, brown of face and bubbling over with welcome.

Bring with you old friends and make the acquaintance of my old-timers.

Fred Anderson
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G. A. WALZ

CHILLY WEATHER



Does not bother us who gather around August's cheerful fire and tell of victories won and to be won—especially the latter. My wood lot is broad and spacious, my wood pile long and broad—so gather in the warmest corner by the hearth and drink a health or two with

AUG. LILLQUIST
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COAL

PLENTY ON HAND. CLEAN AND BRIGHT, AND DELIVERED PROMPTLY.

GENUINE POCAHONTAS.

CALL ME UP WHEN YOU WANT GOOD COAL. Phone 7.

C. W. DAVIS

"ONE IF BY LAND AND TWO IF BY SEA"

quoth Paul Revere, meditating, no doubt, at the tavern, if he should take a draught of something in vigorating before starting on that cool April night.

When you reach

THE HARBOR

whether you come down the chilly street or from the windy ice field, you will be fain to stop with Andrew for a warming drink—or in the words of Paul—"two if by sea"

ANDREW STEVENSON
At the Angle of Delta

BANK HOURS

After April 1 the Gladstone State Savings Bank will close on Saturdays at 12 o'clock, noon. Banking hours thereafter will be from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon, except on Saturday, when the bank will close at noon.

March 15, 1913 April 25, 1913
Chancery Sale

In pursuance and by virtue of an order and decree of the Circuit Court for the county of Delta, in Chancery, in the State of Michigan made and dated on the twenty-first day of January, A. D. 1913, in a certain cause therein pending wherein Webster L. Marble is complainant, and the Willford and Sons Company, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Minnesota are defendants.

Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Escanaba, County of Delta and State of Michigan, said court house being the place for holding the circuit court for said County, on Monday, the twenty-eighth day of April, A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to raise the amount due to the said complainant for principal, interest and costs in this cause, the following described parcels of land, to-wit: Lots numbered One (1), Two (2), Three (3), Four (4) Five (5) and Six (6), in Block numbered thirty (30) of the original plat of the village (now city) of Gladstone in the city of Gladstone, Delta county, Michigan, on file of or record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Dated Escanaba, Michigan, March 13, A. D. 1913.

JOHN E. LOELL
Circuit Court Commissioner, in and for Delta County Michigan.

G. R. EMPSON
Solicitor for Complainant, Business Address, Gladstone, Mich.

March 15, 1913 April 19, 1913
Homestead Notice

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
U. S. LAND OFFICE AT MARQUETTE MICH.

Notice is hereby given that Joseph Anderson of Stoughton Michigan who, on February 15, 1908, made Homestead Entry, No. 12481, Serial No. 0714, for NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 Section 26, Township 40 N., Range 21 W., Michigan Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Delta County, at Escanaba, Michigan, on the 22 day of April, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:
August Froberg of Rapid River, Michigan.
Ole Stromquist " Stoughton Michigan.
Andrew Johnson " " "
Gabriel Lundgren " " "

OZRO A. BOWEN, Register.

March 8, March 22
Application to Sell Real Estate

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office, in the city of Escanaba, in said county on the first day of March A. D. 1913.

Present Hon. Judd Yelland, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of DANIEL M. HAYES, deceased.

Mary M. Hayes having filed in said court her petition praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is ordered, that the thirty-first day of March A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Gladstone Delta, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

A true copy.
JUDD YELLAND, Judge of Probate.

ELLA FRECHETTE, Register of Probate.

December 14, 1912 March 8, 1913
Mortgage Sale

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a Mortgage dated the third of November in the year one thousand Nine Hundred and Ten, executed by Augustine W. Kinne, who signs as August Kinne, a widower of the City of Gladstone, County of Delta, and State of Michigan, to John Molloy of the same place (Residence of the said Molloy being recited in said Mortgage as being the city of Escanaba said County and State) which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County of Delta, in Liber 1, of mortgages on page 419, on the 4th day of November, 1910, at 11:20 o'clock a. m. And whereas, the amounts claimed to be due on said Mortgage at the date of this notice are the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty (\$250.00) dollars principal, and interest Nineteen dollars and forty-nine cents (\$19.49) Dollars and the further sum of Fifteen (\$15.00) 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 two hundred and Eighty Four Dollars and Forty-nine cents (\$284.49) Dollars, and no suit or proceedings 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 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 Court House in the City of Escanaba in the said County of Delta, on the 12 day of March 1913, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day: which said premises are described in said Mortgage as follows to-wit: Lot number Nine (9) in Block number Seven (7), of the Original Plat of the City of Gladstone according to the recorded plat thereof, (but more properly described as Lot numbered Nine (9), in Block numbered Seven (7) of the original plat of the Village (now City) of Gladstone, Delta County, Michigan according to the recorded plat thereof on file of or record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the said Delta County.

Dated December 14, 1912.

JOHN MALLOY, MORTGAGEE
GLENN W. JACKSON, ATTORNEY FOR SAID MORTGAGEE
Business Address, Gladstone Michigan.

Personals

Charles E. and R. W. Nebel went up to Marquette on business Thursday, returning Friday.

Drs. A. H. Kimmond and F. W. Stellwagen were in Escanaba Monday evening to attend the meeting of the dental society. The society passed a resolution protesting against terms of the proposed dental license law as an indignity to the profession.

Vanner Mattson was in the city the first of the week, before leaving to resume his studies at the Michigan College of Mines at Houghton. He has been working in the Minnesota mines this year.

Maurice Gormsen, who came up from Detroit Thursday to spend a few days with his family here, returned early in the week, by way of Chicago.

Olaf Sorenson, of Rumely, was in the city Saturday evening.

Reduced prices on shoes for ladies and misses at O'CONNELL'S

Mrs. Della Martin has returned to the city from Detroit, and will take up her residence here.

Ephraim Gaufrin, who is superintendent of the city schools at Murray, Salt Lake county, Utah, was in the city Monday on his way back from the educational convention at Philadelphia, to spend a couple of hours with his brother, William E. Gaufrin.

Mrs. James R. Weddell came in from Rhinelander Wednesday to visit here for a few days.

Miss Marie Flannigan, of Marquette, has been the guest of Miss Hazel Bush this week.

G. R. Empson went up to Iron Mountain on business Thursday morning, returning Friday.

A nice Easter present, and everyone accepts it—a box of those delicious Liggett's Chocolates, 25, 40, 75c at STEWART'S PHARMACY

Charles France returned from Flint last Monday.

Mrs. James T. Jones visited last week with Mrs. Heldmann in Trenary.

Morris Lewin left Wednesday evening for Crosby, Minnesota, to take charge of the new store of Lewin & Jacobs which will open today.

Mrs. O'Connell left Thursday for Chicago to purchase summer goods and will return next week early.

Victor L. Power was elected mayor of Hibbing, Minn., Tuesday over H. R. Weirick, who has held the office six terms. Mr. Power is a son of Hon. John Power of Escanaba.

A letter from John A. Forsberg who is living on Wilton Place in Los Angeles, Cal., conveys the information that he and his family are well and that he is still employed by the same company with which he engaged in 1909.

Rev. K. M. Holmberg, who spoke at the Green Bay district mission meeting of the Swedish Lutherans in Escanaba last Thursday and Friday, has been elected district secretary. He also took part in the dedication services in that city last Sunday morning.

Free Sample of Stewart's Cold and Cough cure for the asking. (Not given to children.)

STEWART'S PHARMACY

J. S. Doherty, of the Escanaba Morning Press, was in Gladstone Wednesday seeking what he might devour. Mr. Doherty is a racy raconteur and has winning ways that assist him in managing his paper. He has a side line of politics; but these are not obtruded on the reading public.

Oscar Olson and Miss Petra Peterson were married last Saturday at the Swedish Lutheran church by Rev. K. M. Holmberg. Following the ceremony, the wedding guests were entertained at supper at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Andrew Erickson. Mr. and Mrs. Olson are now installed in their residence on Minnesota, near Sixth.

Miss Cecil Artley was very pleasantly surprised at her home Tuesday evening by about a dozen of her girl friends, the occasion being her twelfth birthday. The evening was spent in games with music, after which a delightful lunch was served, and all reported having enjoyed themselves heartily.

O'Connell's for bargains in all lines. Fine shoes at reduced prices; rugs, curtain goods and many choice items at less than cost.

Mrs. E. H. Hoyt, who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Artley for a month, has left for Pontiac, and vicinity, where she expects to stay two months visiting relatives and points of interest. Before returning to her home in Minneapolis she will come here again for another short visit with her parents.

Time For It. "I've got the dot on you." "Then I guess it's time for me to make a dash."—Baltimore American.

Father's Position. Muriel—Wasn't her father on your side. He—No; in back of me.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Rubber Talk

A good rubber goods maxim would be this: "It pays to pay enough".

We practise that when we buy and it makes us certain sure of what the goods that we offer you people are like.

There are lines of rubber goods so cheap that we do not handle them at all.

And there are others we stick to year after year and year after year these same rubber goods keep right on pleasing us and pleasing those who buy from us. So sure are we of our rubber goods that we stand ready to make good any article that does not prove up to our claims for it.

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20 LBS. SUGAR \$1.00
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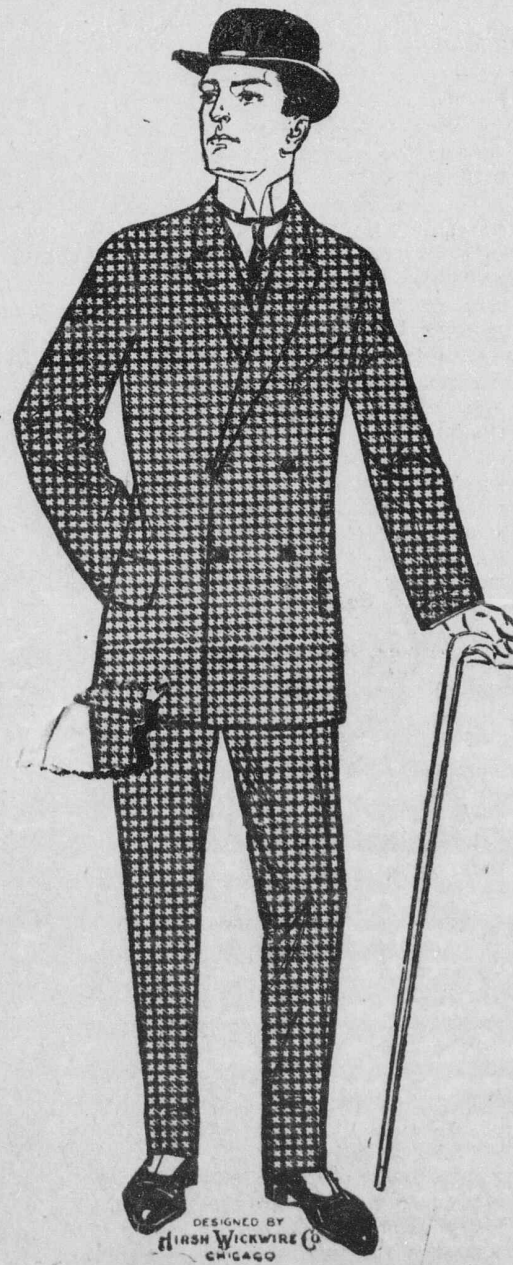
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Call today and let us start you on the road to prosperity. We not only accept your deposits, keep your money safely and render you every possible accommodation that, the best banks in the country can render, but we will take care of your valuable papers and give you our assistance in any business transactions free of charge. We invite you to make our bank your business home.

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W. W. GASSER, Cashier.

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You need it, and now is the time to place your order with us. You may have a neat double-breasted check, which is in the mode this spring, or any one of a score of designs, all up-to-the minute and nifty and tart in style and finish. The



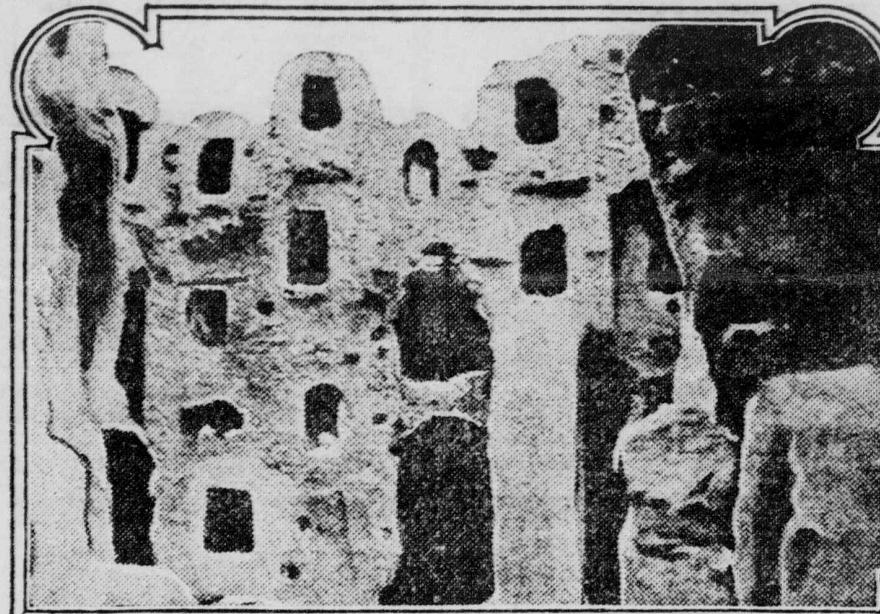
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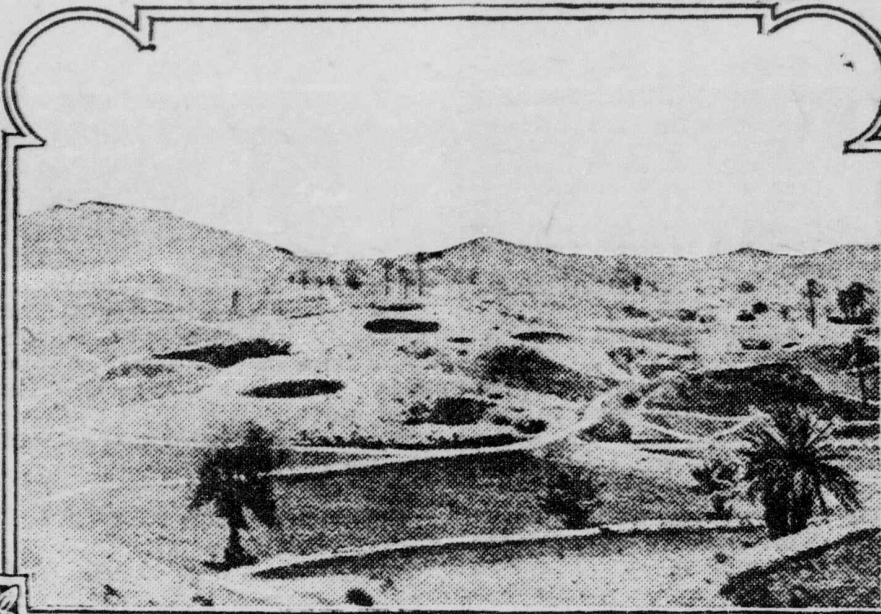
We have all the accessories in masculine wear from shoes to hats. May we ask you to call?

THE HUB

Airship Startles African Cave Dwellers



DOUIRAT, A VILLAGE OF CLIMBING TROGLODYTES



ALL THAT CAN BE SEEN OF TROGLODYTES VILLAGE OF MATMATA

AVIATION has another feat to its credit. Flying high over the deserts of northern Africa, a dirigible balloon, one of the newest of the wonderful inventions of man, has just afforded another ultra-modern contrivance—the camera—to snap a group of dwellings as old in style as any that man ever built for himself.

It was the Italian dirigible balloon "P 2" that accomplished the feat and gave the Italian invaders of Tripoli an additional reason for patting themselves on the back and feeling like the vanguard of progress. While the balloon hovered high over the arid waste that lies back of the Mediterranean coast of northern Africa, the photographer trained his camera on a lot of holes in the desert—apparently burrowed by animals. Instead of being that, however, they were all that was visible of villages teeming with human beings, of troglodyte villages, whose inhabitants dig deep into the earth to find a home just as their forefathers did thousands of years ago, when the dirigible balloon and the camera and the Italian nation were things undreamed of.

This unique picture of underground dwellings taken from a point far up in the air by the latest European visitor to the caverns has aroused renewed interest in these African troglodytes, whom only a few travelers have ever beheld.

This most recent visitor sojourned among the cave-dwellers of Matmata, back of the Mediterranean coast of Tunisia, and from these struck still further inland to the places where the "climbing troglodytes" dwell and the nomads of the desert store their grain and other valuables in storehouses which, though built above the ground, are fashioned exactly like the underground homes of their neighbors, thus leading scientists to believe that their ancestors burrowed into the ground.

Curious, indeed, are the tales brought back by this latest adventurer into the land of the troglodytes. When he approached the underground dwellings of Matmata all the women whom he encountered ran away, covering their faces as they went. He was taken into homes deep down in the earth, yet furnished with carpets hanging from the earthen walls, with modern tables and benches.

But those who went before him have given us more minute details as to this extraordinary people. In 1911 an American, pointed out on every side as the first of his race to venture into the Matmata region and the desert spaces hidden behind it, sojourned for some time with the kaid, or chieftain, of Matmata, traveled with guides provided by this local potentate far into the hinterland and gathered the materials for a long account of his wanderings, to say nothing of a splendid series of pictures. Previous to this visit the troglodytes had entertained two French archaeologists and, still earlier—far back in the nineties, when they were scarcely known at all to the outside world—they opened their curious abodes to Brunel, a Danish explorer, who also lived with the kaid of his day and gave an interesting account of what he saw.

Frank Edward Johnson is the man who can lay claim to being the only American who has lived among the caverns of northern Africa. While he was in Tripoli some years ago he became quite chummy with the kaid of Matmata, an intelligent native whom the French masters of the land had appointed to rule over an inland tribe. This native later became kaid of Matmata and, happening to read in some American magazine an article by Mr. Johnson on troglodytes, he wrote to the author at his home in Norwich, Conn., that he would improve his knowledge of the subject by paying his old friend a visit. "I am a troglodyte myself," the writer of the letter remarked. So Mr. Johnson left his Connecticut home, sailed across the sea to Tunisia, transferred to a small coasting steamboat, which landed him at the desert port of Gabes, and after a wearisome journey over the sands, found himself within view of the village of Matmata. Or rather, he didn't find himself within view of it. It was there, but he couldn't see it.

"Imagine arriving at a town of 5,000

inhabitants and not seeing a house—only a picturesque mosque built since the French occupation," he said, in an article which he wrote for the National Geographic Magazine after his return to the United States.

When he finally looked groundward and located the village, he slipped and stumbled down the sides of a huge hole dug in the ground, and found that it was a courtyard of his friend, the kaid, from which other openings led into living rooms and store rooms. Every house in Matmata is built in just this way—one large hole, left uncovered, for a courtyard, and everything else leading out of it deep into the earth.

The big holes vary in depth and width, averaging about nine yards deep and fifteen yards in circumference. In the middle of each courtyard is a square masonry trough which pipes rainwater into a large cistern. This is a most important home adjunct, as water is very scarce. Every drop of rain is carefully preserved—so carefully that the unfortunate horses, goats, sheep, and donkeys belonging to the natives are watered only once in twenty-four hours.

The kaid's dwelling is a superior sort of place with its entrance walls whitewashed and several articles of European furniture disposed about the various holes that serve as rooms. Another high-class dwelling of this underground village is that of Sheikh Ferdjani, who courteously invited Mr. Johnson to pick his way down the steep walls of the "courtyard" and pay him a visit. He describes the visit thus:

"A young man burned a handful of dried esparto grass, which flamed up brightly and showed us the steps and turns down the tunnel. I almost fell over a donkey eating its hay. Great eyes glared at me from out of the blackness. On coming into the large round courtyard one would think the sheik the father of at least twelve infants, for children from two to ten years old are curiously watching us. They are very fond of bonbons and sous. Whatever money one gives the sheik is divided among the children."

He met the sheik's beautiful little six-year-old daughter, who liked to be photographed with her playmate, little Ayesha, and her little brothers. After gratifying this taste for her a door of palm leaf boards was pushed aside and the American was ushered into the sheik's private room—or rather cave—cut out of the solid rock. In it was an old wooden chest, many guns, and a bedstead hewn out of rock, but provided with comfortable-looking native mattresses filled with wool and with native blankets. There was also an oil lamp made just like those the Greeks and Romans used.

The kaid of Matmata was very polite to Mr. Johnson. Whenever the latter traveled about in the neighborhood to look up other burrowing communities he was provided with knives, spoons, forks, and napkins by his hospitable host. He protested against this vehemently, as he was quite willing to "rough it," but the men accompanying him had received iron-clad instructions and refused to deviate from them the least bit.

Under such auspices the American had ample opportunity to study the customs of the country, and he has much that is interesting to say about them. Of the kaid's village he writes:

"Matmata has its special code of etiquette. Never approach near enough to another man's dwelling to look down into the great circular courtyard and see his women. It is not only bad form, but it is dangerous. Each dwelling has a number of white Kabyle dogs that keep a constant watch, and on your approach would fly out at you and like to tear you into pieces. Never enter a passageway to a dwelling without sending in a small boy or girl to let the women know that you are coming in."

From Matmata the American traveler went inland to Medenine, a town of most singular appearance, composed of thousands of "thoras," or cave-shaped dwellings, built above ground, and piled up on top of each other. The only way to reach the upper ones is by means of projecting stones worn smooth by long centuries of use. The inhabitants leap from one to another of these with the agility of monkeys, but to a stranger the upper layers of houses are practically

inaccessible. It is of Medenine that a French traveler said that its style of architecture is due to the fact that the forefathers of its present inhabitants were cave-dwellers and beneath their descendants their ideas of home-building, which the descendants proceeded to carry out, omitting only the mere detail of burrowing into the ground.

Medenine is only partly inhabited. Most of the houses are used for storing grain by the tribesmen of the neighboring desert. It is a silent, melancholy place, like a graveyard out in the desert.

Beyond it are numerous villages peopled by what are known as "climbing troglodytes"—cave-dwellers who dig into hillsides. They have a partially for the most inaccessible eminences. "As soon as I saw a particularly steep crag, a veritable eagle's nest, I felt sure that it was honey-combed with troglodytes' homes," wrote one French explorer, "and it usually was." The reason is that the French have only recently been able to introduce order and safeguard life in the sandy stretches where the caverns live. Before the advent of the French rule the district was the scene of continual and sanguinary faction fights between the various tribes, of sudden raids by the nomads of the Sahara, who desolated any village that they caught unprepared, massacred its fighting men and carried the rest away to slavery. Therefore the natives tunneled and scooped out every peak they could find and stationed sentinels on the top most vantage points that the ap-

proach of the enemy might be signaled in good season.

One of the most striking of these eyries is Douirat—a beehive mountain perched high over a deep ravine. It consists of countless caves and niches, dug in tiers along the mountainside, and surmounted by a "ksar" or citadel, now in ruins. "A huge, human anthill," the American traveler calls it.

Among the cave-dwellers of northern Africa is a sprinkling of Jews, who do most of the business in the underground villages. In their hands is an extensive wine trade, for though the cave-men, like other Mohammedans, are supposed not to drink the juice of the grape, they are lax in their observance of this rule laid down by the Prophet.

The people of Matmata and the rest of the troglodyte villages are miserably poor. This is true to such an extent among some of them that they look forward with joy to a flight of locusts, since by capturing plenty of these pests they can be assured of having something to eat for quite a while.

Strange as it may seem to one of the Western race, imbued with certain set ideas about the East, those who have traveled among the troglodytes assert that their women, instead of being oppressed as inferior beings by the men, possess great influence in the community. They do a good deal of the burden-carrying, to be sure, but this is because they pride themselves on their strength and insist on exerting it. Many have fine figures, clean-cut features and beautiful eyes.

GREAT MEN IN COMMON CLAY

Models by C. A. BEATY

Words by GENE MORGAN



ORVILLE WRIGHT.

The critics called him crazy when he said he would dare to take a little flyer and navigate the air, they laughed when constant mishaps to all his craft occurred, and chortled when he hollered some day he'd be a bird. But all things have a climax, he kept on sawing wood and cutting aerial dikes and finally made good. His freak machines went soaring athwart the skyline clear, no more was heard the horse-laugh, the hoot and mocking jeer. The critics crowded round him and thumped him on the back, each one said he had praised him when, everything looked black. And now he takes it easy and lets the others fly, he sells to aviators and sees them sailing by. The dollars pour in swiftly, he bears an honored name, and thus rests well contented with fortune and with fame. Old Earth now suits him plenty, he scorns the dizzy flight, the hero junk looks phony to Mr. Orville Wright. (Copyright, 1912, by Universal Press Syndicate.)

TESTING GARDEN SEED

Failure of Crop Often Attributed to Poor Stand

Vitality or Germinating Power Impaired by Various Causes, Such as Lack of Maturity, Improper Storing or in Curing.

Very often the cause of a crop failure can be attributed to a poor stand. No matter how good the soil, the seed, the season, or the cultivation, if there is a poor stand, the yield is decreased. A poor stand, writes S. Van Smith in Farm News, requires about as much time, work and expense in cultivation as a good one.

This is true in gardening as well as in other lines of crop growing.

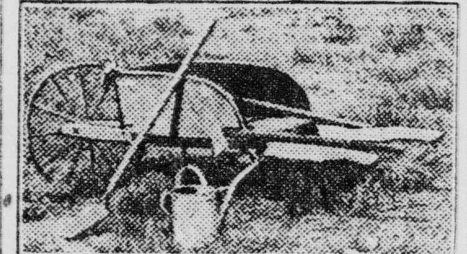
An important factor in the cause of poor stands is poor seeds. Seed may have its vitality or germinating power impaired from a variety of causes, such as lack of maturity, improper curing, or storing under unfavorable conditions. Very often the seed has spent itself germinating before it is planted, or perhaps it is too cold.

To avoid poor stands, seeds should be tested before planting. This is a very simple operation and requires but a few minutes. There are several simple methods of testing seeds, probably most of which will answer the purpose.

One of the simplest and quickest ways is to test between blotting paper. First, count out 100 seeds of the kind to be tested, taking them just as they come, and not picking out the best-looking ones. Scatter the seeds between two pieces of blotting paper from 4 to 6 inches square, and place in a common china plate, and turn another plate bottom side up over the first. If pasteboard plates can be had, they are better, especially if a large number of samples are to be tested.

In this case all the plates containing samples of seed can be stacked up, each plate being placed right side up upon the one beneath. This makes each plate a cover for the one beneath it, and holds the blotting paper down closely to the seeds, preventing too rapid drying out.

The seeds should be placed in the living room to secure a temperature favorable to germination. Care should



Essential Garden Tools.

be taken that the seeds are not kept too wet, as germination takes place more readily under barely moist conditions. Strength of such germination should be noted, for it is not enough that a seed germinate. It should germinate strongly to be a good seed. Seeds which germinate weakly in such tests may not be strong enough to make a good plant under field conditions.

If molds form quickly on the seeds they are likely to be old stock.

If 100 seeds are taken, the number that germinates can be taken as the percentage of germination. If scant, the seed should not be planted. If good, or indifferent, it may be planted, making the proper allowance germinate.

Green Alfalfa.

German experimenters found that green alfalfa put into an unlined pit in July and taken out in March had decreased in weight by practically 33-1/3 per cent. The outer layers were more or less moldy, and in some places the silage was partially charred.

Beet leaves and tops siloed in the stock on the ground in October contained 6,556 kilograms of dry matter, and about 5,222 kilograms at the end of January. Corn stover silage made in an iron concrete silo suffered only a slight loss in nutriment, as shown by experiments, and this loss was offset by increased palatability, something which always counts for much.

Good Profits in Popcorn.

With popcorn so popular an article of consumption as it is, there is no farm in any section of the corn belt that should not grow a patch to supply the family needs. Popcorn will do well on any land that will produce a good crop of corn.

It should be cultivated and cared for in the same general manner as corn, though it may be planted more closely. It ripens in about 100 days, and it should be shocked as soon as it is ripe, so that it will dry out well before husking. It will produce from 50 to 60 bushels of ears with a good stand, and this will fetch from \$1 to \$2 per bushel.

Hatching Eggs Small End Down.

A poultry authority says that if the egg is placed on one side or large end heavy yolk will settle to the bottom and come in contact with the shell, which admits the air. If it is placed on the small end, it will always have a layer of white between it and the shell.

Will Balance Own Ration.

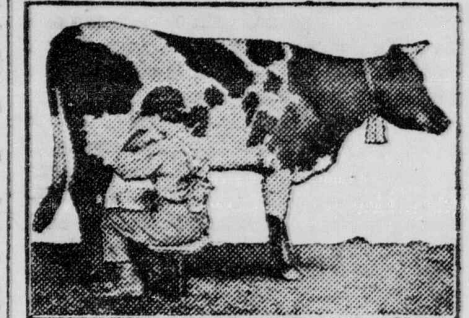
Hens will lay better when fed those foods which they like. If left alone a hen will balance her own ration with palatable foods. She does not like musty grains or spoiled meats, etc.

BREEDING STOCK FOR DAIRY

In Selection of Animals Real Test Must Be With Scales and Reliable Babcock Tester.

Prof. W. J. Kennedy of the Iowa station recommends the following in reference to the selection of breeding stock for the dairy:

In selecting dairy cattle the real test must be the scales and the Babcock tester. The cow is a machine to convert food into milk; thus she must have a large middle and a strong constitution to insure the best results. She must also have a large udder,



Profitable Type.

large milk wells, large crooked milk veins and good-sized teats.

Her head should be clean and angular in appearance, with the eyes standing out prominently. The neck should be rather long and lean in appearance. The shoulders pointed and the backbone rather prominent. The skin should be loose and soft to the touch. In selecting herd bulls either mature animals which have already demonstrated their worth as sires or younger animals from high-testing dams and sires only should be used.

The best and surest results will always follow the use of a mature sire which has sired heifers with good records. A good dairy bull should be kept until he is twelve or fifteen years old; in fact, as long as he is a sure sire. Real good sires are so rare that when we do find one he should die only of old age. All breeders of dairy cattle should secure yearly tests on each and every cow in the herd. Shorter tests do not really mean very much. It is the cow that stays by her job that is really valuable.

JUDGING THE VALUE OF EGGS

Difference in Color Is Merely Indication of Strain of the Bird and Nothing Else.

It is a curious fallacy that the brown egg is better than the white. The difference in color is merely the indication of the strain of the bird and nothing else, says a leading authority.

It is a fact that, generally speaking, brown eggs are preferred over white ones, and dealers have learned to cater to supply this demand at small cost. If their customers want brown eggs, they supply them as long as they have them in stock, and then color the white ones to fill out.

It is a very easy matter staining a white egg a beautiful delicate brown by dipping it in weak coffee or an alyne dye. Eggs colored in this way sell just as readily and please the customers as well as though they had bought genuine brown eggs.

There is quite a difference, however, in the lucrative value of very light colored yolks and those which have a rich reddish yellow color. The pale yolk indicates poor feeding and bad conditions, but the reddish, yellow yolk indicates that the hens have been fed on the right kind of rations, and are therefore better food.

Iron in the food gives color to the yolk of the egg, and anaemic persons whose diet embraces eggs should always select those of the rich reddish color, because they contain more iron than the pale ones.

In judging the value of the egg as food, therefore, do not take the color of the shell as an index of its food value, but upon its contents.

Liming Sandy Soils.

Lime may improve loose sandy soils by making them more compact and more retentive of moisture. For this purpose some form of carbonate of lime is usually recommended, and in much smaller quantities than for clay soils. Clay soils will stand more lime than sandy soils. The improvement of sandy soils will often be much greater if the lime is applied to a green crop turned under.

Lime hastens the conversion of the vegetable matter into humus, and this with the lime helps to fill the open spaces between the sand grains. It is claimed by those who have given much attention to light sandy soils that there are no other types of soils that will respond quite so readily to liming, provided the necessary vegetable matter is supplied in the form of a green cover crop turned under.

Windows in Poultry Houses.

Put the windows in the poultry houses low down to the floor, so that the hens will get the benefit of the light and sunshine when scratching for their feed.

The trouble with windows set high up is that they let the sunshine on the perches when the hens are on the floor scratching, and when they are on the roost the sun doesn't shine, so there is no equilibrium in such plans.

Requirements for Egg Production.

The secrets of egg production consist of a good supply of grit, good health, plenty of exercise, pure food, green food, fresh water, cut clover hay and green cut bone, freedom from lice, regularity in feeding, cool houses in summer and warm ones in winter, and breeding only from the best laying stock.

TWO WOMEN SAVED FROM OPERATIONS

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—Their Own Stories Here Told.

Beatrice, Neb.—"Just after my marriage my left side began to pain me and the pain got so severe at times that I suffered terribly with it. I visited three doctors and each one wanted to operate on me but I would not consent to an operation. I heard of the good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was doing for others and I used several bottles of it with the result that I haven't been bothered with my side since then. I am in good health and I have two little girls."—Mrs. R. B. CHILD, Beatrice, Neb.

The Other Case.

Cary, Maine.—"I feel it a duty I owe to all suffering women to tell what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me. One year ago I found myself a terrible sufferer. I had pains in both sides and such a soreness I could scarcely straighten up at times. My back ached, I had no appetite and was so nervous I could not sleep, then I would be so tired mornings that I could scarcely get around. It seemed almost impossible to move or do a bit of work and I thought I never would be any better until I submitted to an operation, but my husband thought I had better write to you and I did so, stating my symptoms. I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt like a new woman. I had no pains, slept well, had good appetite and could do almost all my own work for a family of four. I shall always feel that I owe my good health to your Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. HAYWARD SOWERS, Cary, Maine.

RECALLS LITERARY MYSTERY

Rev. Mr. Wolfe, Author of "Burial of Sir John Moore," Buried at Queenstown.

A literary mystery of a hundred years ago is recalled by the special centenary number, recently issued, of the New York Telegraph, an Ulster tri-weekly. In its pages April 19, 1817, under the simple head of "Poetry," appeared what Byron called "the most perfect ode in the language"—"The Burial of Sir John Moore." Byron or Campbell or any of the others to whom this poem was variously ascribed would doubtless have been proud to claim it. But the author was the obscure curate of Ballyclog, in Tyrone, Rev. Charles Wolfe, and the fame of the piece was but a posthumous fame for him. Not until his death, of consumption, in 1823, at the early age of thirty-two, did the authorship become known to the world. And Wolfe, who wrote much other verse of merit, is remembered only by that one poem which sprang from the columns of a provincial newspaper to universal recognition in the big world of letters.—London Chronicle.

Municipal Golf Courses in England. The parks committee of the Birmingham city council is considering the establishment of a municipal golf course, the proposed site being at Castle Bromwich. Edinburgh, with six public courses, claims to have been the pioneer of municipal golf. London has public courses; Nottingham has two courses and Manchester has had one since 1911. Sunderland and Liverpool have similar schemes under consideration. Several seaside resorts include municipal golf among their attractions. Brighton and Bournemouth are instances. Yarmouth has a scheme in hand and Southampton has considered a similar proposal.—London Mail.

Cowboys.

"I see Portuguese cowboys have been fighting with smugglers?" "I thought all the cowboys in the world were working for moving-picture outfits."—Denver Republican.

Eggsactly.

"Eggs are getting so expensive that fried eggs will be used next for trimming women's hats." "Why not? I should think the effect would be chic."—Washington Herald.

Literal.

"Do you like my execution on the piano?" "I must say I would have to describe it as an execution for killing time."

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The Kitchen Cabinet

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FOR THE LENTEN TABLE.

If the Lenten season were observed by all creeds it would be better for the general health. A few weeks of fasting, or going without heavy meats, is a wholesome and advantageous thing. We are all too much inclined to self-indulgence, and cutting out food is a wise arrangement.

Spanish Hash.—Chop three or four cold potatoes, a slice of onion and a green pepper. Season with salt, pepper and a dash of mace; bind together with a beaten egg and bake in a buttered pan until brown. Serve with macaroni.

Tomatoes and Eggs.—Put two table-spoonfuls of butter in a saucepan, and when melted add a cupful of the thicker part of a can of tomatoes; the juice may be used in a sauce for meat or for soup. Season with salt, red pepper, a teaspoon of sugar and a little grated onion. Stir until hot, then add four eggs beaten enough to mix the whites and yolks. When the eggs are cooked serve on buttered toast.

Cheese Pie.—To a cup of cream cheese pressed through a sieve, add a table-spoonful of sugar, the juice of a lemon, also the rind, a table-spoonful of butter, melted, the yolks of two eggs well beaten and the beaten whites folded in at the last. Salt to taste, and bake in one crust.

Fish Salads.—Cook together over hot water a table-spoonful of flour, a table-spoonful each of salt, mustard, sugar and melted butter, a dust of cayenne, a third of a cup of mild vinegar and the beaten yolks of two eggs. Stir until smooth and thick, and beat while cooling. Separate into small flakes any cold fish, add a little lemon juice and let stand an hour. Stir with a fork, add the salad dressing and a half cup of whipped cream. Place in small molds, if desired, and chill. Garnish with a sprig of parsley.

PEOPLE who have warm friends are healthier and happier than those who have none. All the wealth of the world could not buy you a friend or pay you for the loss of one.

The manner of preparation and serving of food is as important as the food itself.

PACKING THE LUNCH BOX.

If anybody thinks the packing of a dinner pail or lunch box an easy task, just let him try it for a few months on a stretch, and see how easy it is. The individual to be fed will modify the packing. A child going to school will need different food from a man. A man working in the open will need different and heartier food than the man working in an office. For a week or two one may enjoy packing a dinner box, getting a variety and making the food look attractive, but as time goes on, one runs out of ideas and the task becomes most monotonous. There are yet men who enjoy a piece of pie in the dinner pail, and do not refuse it, if it is enjoyed. In the putting up of dinners more wound from lack of thought than from want of feeling.

Sandwiches, of course, on account of their value as food and ease in which they may be packed, with their variety, will always be a popular basis to the lunch basket. The making of a sandwich is an art. Bread of various kinds may be used, white, whole wheat, graham, rye, brown and biscuits of different kinds are all used with satisfaction.

The sandwich filling is as important as the bread. The bread should be cut rather thin, spread with softened butter, and then whatever filling is desired.

Cheese makes a good sandwich filling, jams of various kinds are liked by the children and will take the place of cake most acceptably. Greasy and fried foods should be avoided, as they are hard to digest at best, and unless the luncher is working out of doors, when they will be able to digest almost any kind of food, should not be used. A piece of cake, a handful of dates, a few figs or a dish of prunes are a good addition to any lunch, as they are both nutritious and attractive. Fresh fruit, when it is obtainable, should be always added to the lunch, as it is both food and drink.

Abdul Hamid's New Prison. The Boylerbey palace at Constantinople, to which the ex-Sultan Abdul Hamid has been removed from Salonika, is generally regarded as the most successful architectural achievement of modern times in Turkey, the Westminster Gazette states. It was built by Abdul Aziz in 1866, and is of white marble throughout and essentially oriental in every respect. During his reign Abdul Hamid never resided at the Boylerbey palace, perhaps because of its association with the tragic death

of his uncle Aziz, but foreign sovereigns visiting Constantinople were always entertained there. The artistic loveliness of the palace delighted the Empress Eugenie on the occasion of her visit in 1869, though the rooms set apart for her use were furnished to exactly resemble her suite of apartments in the Tuilleries.

The peace that is unspeakable is always speaking for itself. A barrel of money has never a given any man all he wanted.

DAINTY DISHES.

When one likes a change in serving cheese the following may be one which will be pleasing. Mix cream cheese with a little cream, enough to make of the right consistency; season highly with salt and cayenne, onion juice, Worcestershire sauce and minced parsley. Form in a roll, lay on a paper dolly on a pretty plate with a small cheese knife, and pass, allowing each person to slice off as he desires. This cheese may be sliced for sandwich filling.

It may be spread on wafers and served with lettuce salad, or may be served on lettuce as a salad, with any salad dressing preferred.

Frozen Custard.—A delicious frozen dish may be prepared as follows: To a quart of milk add three well beaten eggs and a cup of sugar; cook until smooth, and freeze until like mush, then add a fourth of a pound each of walnut meats and steamed and chopped figs. Finish freezing, and serve.

Apple and Maple Sirup.—Cut eight apples in quarters, after peeling them; put into a saucepan with a cup of maple sirup, two table-spoonfuls of butter and one and a half cups of water. Bake until the sirup is thick. Serve cold, with whipped cream.

KIND words do not cost much. They never blister the tongue or lips. We never heard of any mental trouble arising from this quarter. Though they do not cost much, yet they accomplish much. They make other people good natured, they produce their own image on men's souls and a beautiful image it is.

TESTED RECIPES.

Add a little lemon juice to the butter with which lettuce sandwiches are spread.

Gelatin Ambrosia.—Soak half a box of gelatin in a cup of cold water; when well softened add two cupfuls of boiling water and three-fourths of a cup of sugar. Let this thoroughly dissolve before adding the juice of one and a half lemons with the grated rind. Strain, and when the mixture begins to thicken, put in two oranges cut in thin slices and add a half cup of shredded cocoanut. Serve cold.

Spanish Chicken With Rice.—Cut up a chicken for frying. In the frying pan put half a cup of olive oil and heat gradually, adding two bruised cloves of garlic. When the garlic is yellow, lay in the chicken and cook until well browned; add two sweet red peppers cut in strips, two white onions sliced, and continue cooking.

When the onions are brown, add four tomatoes sliced and a quarter of a pound of rice, cover with water or stock and simmer until the rice is tender, adding more stock and salt if necessary.

Indian Dressing.—Rub the yolks of two hard cooked eggs through a strainer, and add a fourth of a teaspoon of paprika, one teaspoonful of salt, half a teaspoonful of powdered sugar, a few grains each of cayenne and white pepper, a table-spoonful of lemon juice, two table-spoonfuls of vinegar, and one-half cup of olive oil. When well blended add a table-spoonful each of red and green pepper cut in fine pieces and one teaspoonful of parsley chopped fine.

Nellie Maxwell.

Woman Contractor. Scharnegendorf, a growing and fashionable suburb of Berlin, prides itself on possessing the only woman builder and contractor in Germany. This is Frau Henkel, who has now carried on her business successfully for four years. The fact that she was the proprietor and manager of the firm of Henkel became public only the other day, however. The public authorities were asked to inquire into the business, as there was an allegation that it was not an independent concern. They found that Frau Henkel was the real and effective manager, and that she employed her husband as master of the works. The suggestion that she was acting for some one else was unfounded.—Dundee Advertiser.

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MODEST REQUEST.



"Dat was an eccentric request you made of dat lady when yer asked her to give yer a smokin' jacket wid trimmings. What did yer mean by 'trimmings, pal?'" "Why, a pipe, a package of tobacco an' a box of matches."

ERUPTION LIKE PIMPLES

Wathena, Kan.—"My child's scalp trouble became so bad that I was ashamed to have anyone see him. His head had a solid scab on it. He also had a terrible breaking out on his face which was gradually growing worse. The eruption was like pimples which developed into sores when he scratched, which he did almost constantly. Baby would almost scratch himself raw.

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Literary Note.

Some authors remind you of Uncle Jim's poll parrot who got a reputation for being smart by using bad language.

Boosting a Mine.

"How's the sale of stock coming on?" inquired the first promoter. "Sold 9,000 shares this morning," said the second promoter. "That must mean a good deal of money." "Almost \$6. Come on, and I'll blow you to lunch."

Those Perilous 'Buses.

The experts from the National Physical laboratory who have been asked to ascertain how far, if at all, the motor 'buses are endangering the stability of St. Paul's cathedral, will have no simple task in apporportioning to the 'buses their share in the tremors to which the cathedral is said to be subjected. But modern methods and measuring instruments are capable of some wonderful things.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Afonso Enjoys Reminders of Danger.

King Alfonso of Spain is said to be a fatalist, and being of this temper he is able to derive enjoyment from occurrences that would frighten most people. A knife that he knocked out of the hands of an assassin is hung up in his den. The hides of two horses killed in bomb explosions have been made into rugs for his cozy corner. On his wedding day an attempt was made on his life, and the next day he visited the spot and pointed out to his young wife the spot where the assassin stood.

STRENGTH Without Overloading The Stomach.

The business man, especially, needs food in the morning that will not overload the stomach, but give mental vigor for the day. Much depends on the start a man gets each day, as to how he may expect to accomplish the work on hand. He can't be alert, with a heavy, fried-meat-and-potatoes breakfast requiring a lot of vital energy in digesting it. A Calif. business man tried to find some food combination that would not overload the stomach in the morning, but that would produce energy. He writes:

"For years I was unable to find a breakfast food that had nutrition enough to sustain a business man without overloading his stomach, causing indigestion and kindred ailments. "Being a very busy and also a very nervous man, I decided to give up breakfast altogether. But luckily I was induced to try Grape-Nuts. "Since that morning I have been a new man; can work without tiring, my head is clear and my nerves strong and quiet. "I find four teaspoonfuls of Grape-Nuts with one of sugar and a small quantity of cold milk, is delicious as the cereal part of the morning meal, and invigorates me for the day's business." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

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Last Extremity.
Clara—May I borrow your beaded belt, dear?
Bess—Certainly. But why all this formality of asking permission?
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"In every line of mental research it is admitted that prevention is more important than cure—with the exception of mental diseases," says Clifford Whittingham Beers, who created a sensation a few years ago when, under the title A Mind That Found Itself, he published a record of his years of insanity and of his awakening from mental death. "Our scientific attitude toward diseases of the mind is truly amazing. We consider them as something unavoidable. We watch stupidly the disease running its course from a slight disturbance of mental processes until the first violent manifestations of insanity. "If a man presents the slightest symptoms of pneumonia or even measles he receives immediate treatment of some kind. On the other hand, a patient who is suffering from disease of the mind, the most threatening calamity of life, must be so far advanced in the disease and so disordered in action or in speech as to satisfy a lay tribunal of the necessity of justification of the forcible deprivation of his liberty, must be told that he is 'insane,' must be 'adjudged insane' and 'committed' by a court to an institution for the insane before he can receive the treatment best adapted to the restoration of his health. "The public should be convinced that insanity is a disease like any other disease; people must be taught to seek intelligent advice promptly whenever something 'seems to be the matter with their nerves,' instead of concealing their fears for mere shame. "Had I, for instance, at the age of eighteen, when I began to worry myself into a state of depression, had access to advice and information, and had I, as a result of an established and widespread interest in mental hygiene, sought such advice as a matter of course, as persons threatened with tuberculosis now seek the help and advice they need, I am confident that I should not have suffered the affliction of mental disorder. Though I took medicine for 'nerves,' I did not find the remedy I needed, which was a verbal corrective for thought and fears which were to prove my temporary undoing. "It may take some time before a sick man is no more ashamed of calling on a physician for incipient insanity than for a cold in his head, but let us hope that time will arrive eventually. A campaign of education is sorely needed to dispel the superstitions still prevalent in the public mind as to the cause of insanity."

About Bagpipes.
The Bulgarian delegates would have been interested if they had heard before leaving that the Prince of Wales was learning the bagpipes. For the pipes are the Bulgarian national instrument, as Sir Charles Elliot shows by a striking illustration. Until lately, at any rate, the servants who waited at the porte on the grand vizier were mutes, though not, as in former times, persons specially mutilated, but children born deaf and dumb. They used a language of signs, with a special gesture to describe the representative of each nation. To indicate the Bulgarian agent they imitated a man playing on the bagpipes. It was not the Bulgarians who invented the pipes, however. They are among the oldest of musical instruments. An ancient gem shows Apollo with them, and two instruments in the Book of Daniel were almost certainly bagpipes.—London Chronicle.

Score One for the Cook.
Young housewives obliged to practice strict economy will sympathize with the sad experience of a Washington woman. When her husband returned home one evening he found her dissolved in tears, and careful questioning elicited the reason for her grief. "Dan," said she, "every day this week I have stopped to look at a perfect love of a hat in Mme. Louise's window. Such a hat, Dan, such a beautiful hat! But the price—well, I wanted it the worst way, but just couldn't afford to buy it." "Well, dear," began the husband recklessly, "we might manage to—" "Thank you, Dan," interrupted the wife, "but there isn't any 'might' about it. I paid the cook this noon, and what do you think? She marched right down herself and bought that hat!"—Lippincott's.

Left the Dean Chuckling.
The dean of the law department was very busy and rather cross. The telephone rang. "Well, what is it?" he snapped. "Is that the city gas works?" said a woman's soft voice. "No, madam," roared the dean; "this is the University Law Department."

"Ah," she answered, in the sweetest of tones, "I didn't miss it so far, after all, did I?" And the weary dean chuckled all afternoon.

Probably Not.
Wise—This is certainly a good cigar you've given me, old chap.
Guy—Great Jumbo! I bet I've got and given you the wrong one.

ORE TRAMPLED INTO PUDDLES

Economical, Though Somewhat Primitive Methods Used at Many Mines Throughout Mexico.

It was at Pachuca, Mexico, that the patio system of separating silver had its origin. This system is still followed extensively at the silver mines throughout Mexico. The ore is crushed and worked down to a state of puddle. It is then spread out to a depth of two or three feet over the paved floor of the courtyard, or patio. To this mass sulphate of copper is added in powder, about fifteen pounds of sulphate to three thousand pounds of puddle. This is trodden into the puddle by horses. Several gangs of old, worn-out horses or mules, about twelve in a gang, are seen in various parts of the patio, being driven round in circles to tread in the sulphate.

On the next day six per cent. of common salt is added and in two more days one hundred per cent. of pure quicksilver, or as much as the assay of the ore shows is required. This mass is then trodden up by horses for fifteen days. It is then wheeled to a large tank through which passes a rapid stream of water. This washes away the clay, leaving the silver and quicksilver. This residuum is poured into cone-shaped canvas bags through which most of the quicksilver runs out, and what remains with the silver is passed off with the vapor by means of heated retorts. None of the quicksilver is lost, and even the vapor is brought by cold water to its original state and used again and again. The quicksilver soon rots the hoofs of the horses and the mules, but the Mexicans themselves do not seem to be much the worse for it even though they wade around in the puddle for days at a time.—Harper's Weekly.

Can't Beat the Smokers.
Local tailors are receiving orders from their customers that at least one asbestos pocket be placed in every suit and every overcoat they make, as a result of the new "no smoking" rule of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company.

A widely known Walnut street tailor placed a large order for asbestos today, and when asked if he had been employed to make an asbestos suit he explained:

"Why, some of my customers are bringing back their overcoats to have the asbestos pocket fixed. They want the pocket as a saving in cigar bills. "There is no danger to the clothes, as there is a little flap on the asbestos pocket that makes it partially airtight, and the cigar, without air, goes out almost as soon as it is placed in the pocket. It smokes very little, and there is no danger that the conductor will attempt to put off the passenger with the asbestos pocket."

The tailor said he got the idea of the asbestos pocket from a wealthy business man who pays 50 cents apiece for his cigars, and objects to throwing away 45 cents' worth because the traction company says he must.—Philadelphia Correspondence New York Tribune.

Apple Tree Holds Record.
An apple tree growing in the Walla Walla Valley, Washington, holds the fruit-yield record. It produced nearly 200 bushels of apples last season, thus breaking its own record of 126½ boxes in 1907, the highest production, we are assured, from a single tree known anywhere in the world. This tree bore 70 boxes in 1906, 42 boxes in 1908 and 45 boxes in 1909. More than 500 barrels of fruit have been picked from it since it came into bearing in the spring of 1871.

The tree was grown without irrigation from a seedling planted in 1866. It is forty-two feet in height and its branches spread fifty-seven feet from tip to tip. The trunk is seven feet in circumference at the base and measures six feet six inches just below the first limb, which is four feet from the ground and measures four feet seven inches. The tree is sound and healthy despite the fact that it has produced fruit every season for nearly forty years.—New York Press.

Letters of Two Kings Found.
It is said that a most curious discovery has been made at Apsey house, Hyde Park Corner, the town house of the Dukes of Wellington. In the cellars there has been found all the private and state correspondence of George III and George IV. These documents, covering a vital period of over 60 years, must include Napoleonic references of great interest.

The letters, etc., have been removed to Windsor, and are now being sorted by the king's librarian. According to one of these documents the Iron Duke's name was never Wellesley. The family name was Colley, and his grandfather was adopted by an Irishman named Wellesley.

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WEEKLY NOTINGS

The report of the tournament association has been put up in the postoffice for the public information, showing a proper surplus of \$31.90 due to the association, or rather the firemen, after satisfying all claims. The treasurer, R. J. Hammel, has been more affected by charges of inaccuracy in his accounts, apparently, than by the accusations of embezzlement, which have been filed against him in the courts and has written to officers of the association assuring them that any deficiency is a mistake on his part, and not intentional. The chapter has been closed, and the association desires to express its thanks to its many willing assistants in the work of putting this city on the map of Cloverland, before it disbands.

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ERICKSON & VON TELL
"March 17 is Marco day" says the Morning Press. Will the sons of St. Patrick in Escanaba stand for this?

A meeting was held at the kindergarten building Thursday evening to which the mothers of the Camp Fire Girls of the city were invited by the organizers of the society, the Misses May, Reiser and Baker. Plans were made to provide the members with uniforms at once and for a campaign of activity.

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While reports indicate an early break-up on Lake Superior, there are no such indications in this vicinity. The ice is 25 inches thick between here and Maywood at present, according to Light-house Keeper Olhoff, who was in the city Thursday, and is not in the least injured by the recent thaw. He predicts that the bay will not be cleared of ice until the latter part of April.

Get your bit o' green on Saturday night.

The new pulpit and altar recently purchased for the Swedish Lutheran church will arrive early next week, and arrangements are being made for a dedication service on Thursday evening at 7:30. Rev. C. A. Lund of Escanaba will be in attendance. It is believed that the interior of the church will be highly improved by this latest addition. Over three thousand dollars has been spent within the year improving the property and it will be redecorated in the spring.

Three cars were derailed at the junction of the docks track with the main line Wednesday afternoon, an air brake refusing to act. One car was smashed, the others but little hurt.

The O. E. S. of Gladstone held informal reception from 3:00 to 5:00 Monday at Masonic hall for Grand Matron Minnie E. Keyes, of Olivet, and Grand Patron Holland, of Ann Arbor. About thirty Stars accompanied the guests of honor to Escanaba, where a larger reception was held. Minnewasca Chapter exemplified the work of the order at Escanaba.

While the street commissioner has kept the catch basins open where he has them, he hasn't done so where there are none. Along Central avenue, Wisconsin and other thoroughfares the water is so deep that boots are needed. The schools have been closed because the children had wet feet. There should be catch basins at several corners to protect the public health, at least.

The Delta county grange meeting will be held on April 10 at Bark River, together with the farmers' institute for this county. Leo M. Geismar and R. B. Carr of the Chatham station will be in attendance, as well as W. F. Taylor, the grange speaker.

The annual children's festival of the Sw. Lutheran church will be held, as customary, on Easter evening, when the usual full program and music will be presented.

The Masonic party last Thursday evening was a pleasant affair, though the attendance was not so large as the previous one, and all enjoyed themselves.

The first robin of the season appeared at Kipling Thursday morning, and was spied by Supervisor R. B. Beattie opposite the Cleveland-Cliffs office. All the force gazed in surprise at the optimistic visitor.

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ERICKSON & VON TELL.
So wet was the day this Friday that Superintendent Willman dismissed the schools. Every student who came had waded through slush and water and wet his feet, and the prospects of colds and coughs were more effective than the desire to continue the schedule of studies. It is not likely that there will be a vacation next week.

An Easter song service will be held a week from Sunday at Westminster Presbyterian church beginning at 7:30 p. m., under the leadership of the choir of the Christian Endeavor society. The order of service will be determined next week.

The water board failed to meet Thursday last, owing to the absence of its president, but it is probable there will be a session in a day or two.

The board of supervisors is to meet on Tuesday and there will be finance and claim committee meetings previously. It is said that no bids have yet been received for the county roads bonds.

While the city council is arranging to renumber the city, they have it in their power to do a great work for law and order. Ordinance number one provides that Tenth street shall be known as Central avenue. This ordinance has been violated, say 500 times a day for twenty years, or 365,500 times. Even the residents on the city's median thoroughfare positively refuse to obey the ordinance, and Tenth street is graven into the solid concrete. Let the council repeal this ordinance and do away with a portion of our obsolete and ineffective legislation.

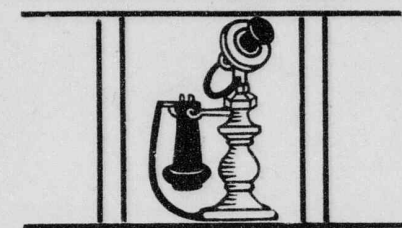
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Personals

Henry Dhondt will reopen his bakery in the building vacated recently by Krueger on Tuesday evening, with a band as the chief attraction. Everything, except his supplies, is now in readiness for business and these he expects the first of next week. The building has been totally remodeled and everything is neat and cozy. Mr. Dhondt will give his customers even better service than he has given in the past, and expects the patronage of all his friends, which will be a great help toward retrieving the severe losses which he suffered in the big fire.

Joseph Pryall was nominated Thursday by the Independent Progressive party of Escanaba for mayor, Edward Smith having refused the place tendered to him. A great many business men of Escanaba have signed a petition to the Honorable Manize Perron to be their candidate, remembering his three vigorous years of administration.

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STEWART'S PHARMACY

W. LeRoy Mallmann, a junior in the Escanaba high school, was the winner of the prize offered by the State Savings Bank, of Gladstone for writing the best essay on the subject, "Possibilities of Agricultural Development in Cloverland". He is a son of Joseph J. Mallmann, known to all in Delta county. Over eighty essays were received and considered.

Several energetic boys of the east end will get together soon and effect an organization to be known as the East End Boy Scouts.

Pictures and ornaments going cheap at **O'CONNELL'S**

Henry Lemieux a few days ago opened his cigar factory in the office building opposite the Gladstone flour mills, and is now busily at work. He will turn out two brands, the Cloverland, a ten cent cigar of Havana quality, and the Royal Bond, a five cent smoke. Mr. Lemieux is well known to the trade and well liked, as well as a skillful workman, and may expect to meet a fair measure of success in business for himself.

A meeting of the Delta County Medical society is held at Escanaba Friday evening. Whether there will be a Gladstone quota is doubtful.

Bert Naugle, a Gladstone boy fifteen years ago, was one of those who had a good view of the recent Mexican revolution and writes a Memominee friend an interesting letter. He was in the Y. M. C. A. building, which was seized by the forces of Diaz, and was simply shot to pieces by cannon fire. He was unable to get his personal belongings from his room, and took refuge with friends, finally flying the capital and suffering considerable hardships. He has now returned to work for a contracting firm by whom he is employed, finding everything in disorder. "There will be no more trouble here in the city" he says "people are entirely too awe-stricken with what has happened."

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Phil Hupy, has about completed the fitting up of his new office and has decided to stay awhile longer at the stand. It is quite neat within.

J. T. Jones returned from his eastern trip Tuesday morning and is well pleased to be home again. The inauguration was a bit strenuous, and Mr. Jones had to leave Washington the same evening or bunk on the floor, so he came away forthwith.

Mrs. T. D. Springer returned Sunday evening from St. Paul, after suffering from illness during her stay. George Springer who has been down with the grippe, is recovering.

John J. Gleason has just been elected to the presidency of the Commercial Club of Eveleth, Minn., which has been his home for some years. His portrait appears in the Duluth papers, following the elevation.

Sandy W. Peterson left Wednesday morning for Chicago where he will endeavor to secure employment.

Deputy Collector J. R. McDonald was the city Wednesday on internal revenue business.

H. O. Brotherton was in the city Monday and made a brief trip north with Alex Peterson.

Lydia, the three year old daughter of Charles Berg, died Thursday from tuberculosis. The funeral will be held Sunday from the Baptist church. A little brother died but a few days ago.

A daughter was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jacobson.

Isabel, the six days old daughter of William McDonald, died March 6, and was buried the following day.

Edna Hart was taken ill this Friday morning with diphtheria and has been quarantined.

Eli S. Eaton returned from Minneapolis Wednesday, having submitted the design of his new shingle loader to Soo Line officials for their inspection.

The ladies of the M. E. church are giving a pancake supper, with the regular old-fashioned, frosty-morning trimmings of "sassages" and coffee, at the church parlors this Friday night. And they are Cloverland pancakes, too.

A dispensation has been granted for the organization of a consistory of Scottish Rite Masons at Marquette, owing to the growth of the order in the peninsula. It is named for Francis M. Moore, a leader in the craft, and the officers are: Commander, George Tucker, Marquette; Com., R. H. Shields, Houghton; Second Lieut., A. J. Young, Escanaba.

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