

GEORGE PERRY IS AGAIN ASSESSOR

COUNCIL REAPPOINTMENTS PRESENT OFFICIAL WITHOUT A DISSENTING VOTE.

BOARDS NAMED FOR ELECTION APRIL 1

Chairman of Citizens and Republican Parties Ask of Polling Places and City Hall for Candidates and City Conventions—Report of City Treasurer Johnson.

The city council met in regular session Monday night, the mayor and all members being present. Little business outside of a routine nature was transacted and the session was very lengthy.

George Perry was unanimously reappointed as city assessor at a salary of \$200 per year. He has held the office for the past two terms.

J. P. Mason, for the Citizens' Party, and C. A. Clark, for the Republican Party, ask for and were granted the use of the ward polling places and city hall for their primaries.

First ward—John C. Young, Neil Hanson, Louis Larson and John Lutz.

Second ward—J. D. Nelson, J. D. McDonald, Carl Mason and Miles M. Brock.

Third ward—Ed Gordon, H. Mick, W. A. Miller, H. E. Hite and Martin O'Connell.

Fourth ward—J. H. Murphy, Louis Tardiff, L. F. Rawson, H. E. Rawson and August Olson.

The committee on claims and accounts reported claims against the city of \$108.08, which was ordered paid. The report of City Treasurer Johnson shows that there was \$17,172.83 in the various funds, including the balance on hand of the 1917 taxes.

CHAS. F. WILLIAMS PASSES AWAY

WIDOWER WITH THREE SMALL CHILDREN DIED EARLY TUESDAY MORNING.

Charles F. Williams died at 3:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at his home at the foot of the bluff on the road leading to Stratford. Death was caused from pneumonia which he had been ill some two years.

NOTICE OF G. EAGLES.

Brother A. Nevean will be buried at Rapid River Friday morning.

NORE MEAT.

Washington, March 1.—Temporary suspension of the meatless meal and of the special restrictions against the use of pork on Saturday was announced by the food administration.

U. S. S. NOW HOLD EIGHT MILLS OF TRENCHES ON THE WEST FRONT IN FRANCE.

NEW PICTURES PURCHASED FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOL

While in Chicago a few days ago Super E. J. Williams purchased a beautiful picture for the Central school.

DESPITE SEVERE WEATHER ATTENDANCE SURPASSES THAT OF PREVIOUS MONTH.

Total Attendance for February 1793.

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NO EASTER VACATION IN PUBLIC SCHOOL THIS YEAR

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SCHOOL IS REPORTED SHORT

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LAW CHANGED TO AID CORPORATIONS, STATE LOSSES INCURRED ON MANY MILLIONS.

In order to help the railroads and other corporations which have to pay special taxes for the Michigan primary school fund, the 1917 legislature passed a law so that the assessments should not be made final until May 10, and the taxes would not be due until June 1 and could be paid without penalty until July 1.

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This is the best all round Silo we ever saw—bar none, and it costs so little that no one with stock to feed has any excuse for being without a silo. Warm, strong, tight, durable, cheap—needs no guys, yet won't blow down.

PLANS and full directions FREE

Write "The Hemlock Manufacturers," Oshkosh, Wisconsin, for the "Old Faithful" Silo Book which gives details and contains a plan coupon. Take the coupon to your lumber dealer and he will give you the complete working plans, specifications and instructions absolutely free.

THE HEMLOCK MANUFACTURERS
(of Wisconsin and Northern Michigan) Office at Oshkosh, Wis.
We spread the good news about "Old Faithful" HEMLOCK Silos
we do so because we LOVE A GOOD DEALER.

INCREASE WEIGHT OF POST PACKAGES

GOVERNMENT WILL PERMIT PARCELS WEIGHING 10 POUNDS TO GO THROUGH MAILS.

The weight ban on parcel post packages has been modified by Postmaster-General Burleson and packages weighing as high as 10 pounds may be sent within the first three zones and to other zones, which includes foreign addresses, the parcel may weigh 10 pounds.

This order goes into effect March 15. Hereafter, a parcel weighing 10 pounds was the limit for the first two zones from the postoffice, and to other zones the weight limit was 20 pounds.

The first zone of a postoffice is any point within 50 miles of the postoffice. The second zone covers a radius of 150 miles, and the third zone has a radius of 300 miles.

This will be a great aid to local people who have been in the habit of sending parcels to the boys at Camp Custer.

JACKSON MAN KILLED IN STREET HOLD-UP

Jackson, Mich., Mar. 6.—John Lincoln, 38 years old, local bowler, was shot and killed when he refused to give up his money to hold-up men near his home. His slayers secured \$9. This was the fifth hold-up of the night, according to police records.

Dependancy Due to Constipation. Women often become nervous and dependent. When this is due to constipation it is easily corrected by taking an occasional dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. These tablets are easy to take and pleasant in effect.

COAL

BE WISE IN SEASON

We have at the present time a good supply of Anthracite and Soft Coal, and would be pleased to receive your orders.

NUT COAL, Per Ton	\$9.60
STOVE COAL, Per Ton	\$9.45
POCONONTAS, Per Ton	\$8.50
SOFT COAL, Per Ton	\$8.25
CHARCOAL, Per Bag	15c

C.W. DAVIS

1112-24 DELTA AVE. PHONE 7 GLADSTONE, MICHIGAN

No More Ford Cars! After May 1st.

How would this announcement affect you if you had been planning on buying a Ford and had just been holding back until spring had come? As far as we know there will be some Fords for delivery, but there will be four buyers for every Ford car made.

We can guarantee prompt delivery on all orders received before April 1st. Better order now and assure yourself of a car.

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TELEPHONE NO. 81-W.

Entered at the Postoffice at Gladstone, Mich., as second class matter, THURSDAY EVENING, MAR. 7, 1918

ESCANABA

Electric Cutter for R. C.

The electric cutter has arrived for the Red Cross headquarters at Ludington street and Mackway was given its initial trial in cutting garments. According to Miss Briggs, in charge of the Red Cross rooms, the cutter will be a big time saver for the institution.

Ten Days for Disorderly.

Because he was disorderly on the streets here Sunday Nick Chocq was sentenced to serve ten days in the county jail when arraigned before Police Judge C. E. McEwen Monday. Frank Mipera, also charged with being disorderly, was released on payment of \$2.95 costs.

Fighters Mailed the Court.

Because he was disorderly, knocked a tooth and a half out of my nose," as Ralph Lind charged before Police Judge C. D. McEwen Tuesday, a warrant was issued for the arrest of Nelson. Both men were dispatched to Brampton. A deputy sheriff was released to Brampton late Tuesday to arrest the man.

Held Woman to Circuit Court.

Myrle Dewey Tuesday was bound over to the circuit court under bond of \$200, on a charge of giving liquor to minors. Mrs. Dewey was arraigned before Police Judge Emil Giesner on complaint of the police authorities.

School Children Healthy.

With between 500 and 600 grad children of the public schools regularly examined, health conditions are reported to be of much higher standard than those of two years ago.

This was reported Tuesday by Dr. A. J. Carlson, city health officer, who with the assistance of Miss Anna Gendreau, city nurse, examined the children of the schools. They will examine the eyes, ears, teeth, nose and throat of all children. Where tuberculosis is suspected, the children will also be examined for any symptoms of the plague.

The city physician and nurse so far have examined all children of the Jefferson school and about half the number of the Washington school. It is estimated it will take a period of from six to eight weeks before the examinations here are completed.

28 Births; 20 Deaths.

The number of deaths in Escanaba during the month of February were exceeded by eight births, according to records for the past month compiled at the city clerk's office. There were twenty deaths and twenty-eight births. Two of the deaths were caused by tuberculosis and four were due to pneumonia. Three deaths were due to violence, an unusual number for a single month. The total number of births ends the male babies leading with fifteen, while the female newly born numbered thirteen.

Ship Two Carloads of Stock.

Two carloads of cattle driven from the farm of M. Keener, at Gardes in Escanaba, were shipped Tuesday night over the Northwestern road to the Chicago market. Mr. Keener, who

PROHIBITIONISTS TO CONSIDER MERGER WITH NATIONALISTS

Chicago, March 4.—Whether the National Prohibition Party shall continue in existence or merge with the new Nationalist Party probably will be decided at an anti-Prohibition convention which opens tomorrow. It was called at this time according to Ulysses G. Hinshaw, chairman of the prohibition National committee, so as to meet in conjunction with the Nationalist Party, which holds its convention Wednesday.

The majority of the members of the national committee of the Prohibitionist Party have openly declared in favor of a merger with the Nationalists according to Mr. Hinshaw, because the parties stand for the same fundamental principle. Both favor national prohibition, woman suffrage and public ownership of utilities.

The Nationalist Party was formed by the persons who deserted the National party at its St. Louis convention because of what they termed its disloyal stand.

DRAFTED MEN LEAD IN OFFICERS' TRAINING SCHOOL

Student standing covering the first half of the course in the officers' training school for the 8th division showed to the amusement of the instructors, that the men who came to Camp Custer in the draft are beating out the candidates sent here from various universities in the race for commissions. It is true, however, that some of the drafted men are college graduates.

Can't Sell Current Outside City.

An opinion was delivered to the city council Tuesday night by City Attorney Detrick holding that the municipality cannot furnish electric lights to patrons outside the limits of the city and that a petition from property owners on the Red River road must be denied.

25 Days; Larceny Charge.

Because complaint was made that Frank Butniski stole a suit of clothes and a pair of rubbers from Otto Lohio Butniski was arraigned before Judge C. D. McEwen yesterday and sentenced to serve twenty days in the county jail or pay a fine of \$20, with court costs amounting to \$100. In default of payment of fine and costs he was committed to the jail. Butniski pleaded not guilty but convicting testimony was given.

City Pioneer Ancestry Call.

After a prolonged illness from complication of diseases caused by advanced years, Mrs. John H. Bergman passed away at the home of her son, Otto H. Bergman, 915 South Sarah street, Mrs. Bergman had resided in this city for a number of years, and was well known to a large number of people. She was 63 years of age and is survived by her husband and one son, DeWitt Bergman, for the funeral have not been made.

DuPont-Frechette.

Belated announcement has been received here of the marriage of Miss Edna DuPont, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore DuPont of Schafer, to Mr. Roland Frechette, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Frechette of Ramoth, formerly of this city. The marriage occurred last October while the bride was engaged as organist at the Delta, where at Marquette and the groom was at that time in the employ of the telephone company.

Enrolling Men for M. S. T.

Capt. Clyde Hewitt has received the permit for enrollment to begin for the Escanaba state troops and those who wish to join are requested to be at the high school gymnasium, Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, where they will be met by Capt. Hewitt and given all information in regard to the troops.

Capt. Hewitt of the new Escanaba State Troops states that he has received considerable official information which will be imparted to the troop members pending. He has already completed most of the routine work and was not surprised when he got the order to enlist the men.

The regiment of state troops in the upper peninsula will be known as the 2nd Infantry, Michigan State Troops. There will be twelve companies of infantry and one mounted company at Calumet. The infantry companies will be in the following cities: Ansonia, Escanaba, Houghton, Iron River, Manistique, Marquette, Menominee, Munising, Newberry, Palmetto and Rapid River.

REPUBLICANS WIN IN MAINE.

Portland, Me., March 4.—Republican mayors were elected in seven of the nine cities which voted in this state today.

ANXIOUS TIMES FOR THE ADMIRAL

NOT MUCH A REAL FRIEND - THE ORDERLY WITH OUR SUPPLY OF W-B CUT.

YES-AND IF HE DOESN'T WERRY I'LL GIVE HIM A WERRY IN THE BRIM!



SEARS, ROEBUCK & CO. METHODS UNFAIR, CHARGE

Washington, March 5.—A complaint has been issued against Sears, Roebuck and Co. of Chicago, by the Federal Trade Commission, charging unfair methods of competition in the conduct of its business.

The complaint summons Sears, Roebuck and Co. to answer the charge and to advertise sugar for three to four cents a pound on condition that other groceries be bought.

Their hearing is set for April 11.

MOTHERS.

Should see that the whole family take at least 3 or 4 doses of a thoro, purifying system cleaning medicine this spring. The medicine is sure to be healthier, happier, and get along better if the stomach, bowels cleaned out, and the germs of illness, accumulated in the system, driven away. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is one of the very best and surest spring medicines to take. Get it and see the difference in the whole family. Their color will be better, they'll feel good and be well and happy. H. W. Coburn.

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS, IN OR LIENS UPON THE LAND HEREIN DESCRIBED.

TAKE NOTICE That sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued hereunder and that you are entitled to a conveyance thereof, at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the register in charge of the county in which the lands of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereon, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description of land other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land. (This notice is in accordance with Act No. 270—Public Acts of 1909.)

Description, A-11 Paid Taxes For Lot 2, Block 5 447.2; 1909, 1910, 1911 of Lonia, 2.72
Ave. Add. City 2.58 1912 of Gladstone, 2.71 1914
Delta County, 13.58 1910 Special Michigan Assessment.

All in the County of Delta, State of Michigan.
(Signed) JOHN J. MURDOCK,
Deputy Register, March 21, 1918.
Place of Business, Gladstone, Mich.
Feb. 28, 1918. March 21, 1918.

It's Time For a NEW HAT



Off with the old and on with the new. That's the spirit men—the spirit of Spring. You are probably thinking right now of buying a New Hat. If you want the Newest, come in and let us show you The New "GORDON'S" New colors, new shapes; no better Hat in America at \$3.50

Two Big Shoe Bargains

Two special lots—Men's and Women's Shoes—odd lots, not all sizes. If your size is here, you'd save money by buying several pairs.

ONE ODD LOT OF Made of Russia and Velour calf. Made of tan vici kid, cloth tops. Finished styles, good strong soles. Values to \$5.00. Special per pair \$3.23

ONE ODD LOT OF Made of tan vici kid, cloth tops. In either high or low heels, new cut spring styles, not all sizes. Values to \$9.00. Special per pair \$5.65

BUY GLOVES NOW

Beautiful quality silk, come in the new styles with large fancy pockets, button trimmed, extra good value at \$1.88

Handsome styles in plaid and fancy stripes. Beautiful quality silk, come in the new styles with large fancy pockets, button trimmed, extra good value at \$5.95

SMART LOOKING NEW SILK SKIRTS FOR SPRING

Handsome styles in plaid and fancy stripes. Beautiful quality silk, come in the new styles with large fancy pockets, button trimmed, extra good value at \$5.95

CHARMING SPRING MILLINERY

If you visit our Millinery Store you'll see a lot of smart looking New Hats—Not only are the shapes new and original, but the new shades are so combined to make them. Hats of individuality and charm.

HATS FOR ALL OCCASIONS

Made of most popular and fashionable brims, combination of materials, smartly but simply trimmed, many of them with the popular highly polished ribbons, lustrous wools, or lustrous shawls.

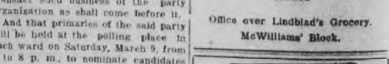
A becoming shape for every face—and hundreds and hundreds of them for you to select from.

In Particular Big Showing at \$3.95 to \$9.50

Beautiful New Spring Neckwear

For Friday and Saturday we show some of the Spring Season's most attractive styles of fine lace, georgette, organdies, also new plaid roll collars. (Display, Main Floor).

Real Good Values 48c to \$2.48



CITIZENS' PARTY CONVENTION

Notice is hereby given that a convention of the Citizens' Party of the City of Gladstone is called to meet in the city hall on Monday, the eleventh day of March, at 8 p. m. to nominate candidates for city officers and to transact such business of the party organization as shall come before it. And that generally of the said party will be held at the polling place in each ward on Saturday, March 9, from 4 to 8 p. m., to nominate candidates to ward offices, to elect ward chairmen, inspectors and delegates to the above named convention, as follows:

First, second and fourth wards, 2 o'clock, third ward, 4 o'clock.
C. P. MARON, City Chairman, Gladstone, Mich., March 1, 1918.

The Pneumonia Season. The cold damp weather of March weeks is the most favorable for the pneumonia germ. Note in the time to take care. Pneumonia often results from a cold. The quicker you get rid of the less the danger. As

soon as the first indication of a cold appears, take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. As to the value of this preparation, ask anyone who has used it.

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Personal Mention

'The Hidden Hand'—most enthralling serial pathos ever produced... Mrs. C. S. Swain and sister, Miss Beatrice Lampe of Lansing, who has been her guest for several days...

Society Notes

Kipling Pupils Enjoy Party. The sewing club of the Kipling school gave a party Friday night in honor of the boys' carpenter club...

SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES

Alice Memorial M. E. Church. 10:30 a. m. Public worship, subject of sermon, 'The Gravitation of Spirit'...

The Bank of Service

You have the right to call at the Gladstone State Savings Bank at any time and see any of our officers about any of your affairs...



The Gladstone State Savings Bank

Under Both State and National Supervision. Oldest, Largest, Strongest.

SOAPS

- THIS WEEK ONLY: 10 bars Peps Napha Soap 60c, 10 bars Kirk's White Soap 50c, 10 bars Swift's Pride Soap 50c...

"An Easy One"

- PHONE NO. 1.—For STEWART'S PHARMACY. PHONE NO. 1.—For anything you want on auto from Gladstone or by mail.

RED CROSS

The following women were at the Red Cross rooms, Tuesday: Mesdames Mathews, Mertz, Plum, Mackin, Jaeger...

Cash Prices

- We have just received a supply of Aluminum Double Boilers to be given with 5 Quaker labels and 10¢ in cash...

UPPER PENINSULA NEWS

Lansing—There was a balance of \$3,590,959.19 in the general fund of the state treasury at the beginning of business March 1...

GLADSTONE THEATRE

TONIGHT—THURSDAY, MARCH 7th. TRIANGLE PROGRAM. ALMA RUBENS in "The Gown of Destiny"...

Elof Hanson GROCERIES PHONE 43.

Member of Regional Bank Federal Reserve System. A NATIONAL BANK means Government supervision of the operations of its Banks...

Wells Woman is Some Knitter

The Weibach branch of the Red Cross chapter of this county has established an enviable record in Red Cross duties...

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine...

Dr. F. W. Stellwagen DENTIST

Office hours from 9 to 12 a. m., from 1 to 5 p. m. to 8 p. m. Delta Ave. and Ninth St. over the Blackwell Hardware Store...

FRIDAY, MARCH 8th. BLUE BIRD NIGHT

"Bringing Home Father" A dashing American romance, featuring Ames Vernon and Frank En Tarzann. FIVE REELS.

LYRIC Theatre

TONIGHT—THURSDAY, MARCH 7th

KIETH VAUDEVILLE

HARTZ AND EVANS—SONGS, STORIES AND ECCESTRIC DANCING.

'Castles For Two'

A Romance of old Ireland and America. Evening Show at 7:30. Admission—5 and 10c and War Tax

FRIDAY, MARCH 8th

PATHE PRESENTS FLORENCE LA BADIOE in "WHEN LOVE WAS BLIND"

A Gold Rooster Play in Five Acts. Evening Show at 7:30. Admission—5 and 10c and War Tax

SATURDAY, MARCH 9th

"Fighting Trail"

Episode No. 4—"THE OTHER HALF" "HAPPY GO LUCKY"—(The real drama. "MASTER PAINTER"—One reel drama. Fox Comedy—"A ROMAN COW BOY"—Two parts. Evening Show at 7:30. Admission—5 and 10c and War Tax

SUNDAY, MARCH 10th

"THE FIGHTING TRAIL"

Episode No. 4—"THE OTHER HALF" "REINCARNATION OF KARMA"—Featuring Lillian Walker. In two parts. FOX FILM COMEDY in Two Parts. MATINEE at 2:30. 5 and 10c and War Tax. Evening Show at 7:30. Admission—5 and 10c and War Tax

COMING—MARY PICKFORD in "STELLA MARIS"—Afternoon Picture. COMING—"JACK AND THE BEANSTALK"—Fox Standard Picture.

Notice of Election

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF GLADSTONE, MICHIGAN:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at the annual charter election to be held in the CITY OF GLADSTONE, on

MONDAY, APRIL 1st, 1918

The following officers are to be chosen: Mayor, in place of James T. Jones. City Treasurer, in place of Ezekiel M. Johnson. Justices of the Peace, for full term. In each ward, one supervisor, one alderman and one constable as follows:

- FIRST WARD.** One supervisor in place of Louis J. Larson. One alderman in place of Albert Smith. One constable.
 - SECOND WARD.** One supervisor in place of Carl F. Mason. One alderman in place of Clarence A. Clark. One constable.
 - THIRD WARD.** One supervisor in place of William A. Miller. One alderman in place of John Malloy. One constable.
 - FOURTH WARD.** One supervisor in place of James H. Murphy. One alderman in place of Matthew J. Miller. One constable.
- The polls of said election will be held in the following places:
- FIRST WARD—Polling place on Erie street.
 - SECOND WARD—City Hall on Minnesota avenue.
 - THIRD WARD—Polling place on Eighth street, north of Delta avenue.
 - FOURTH WARD—Polling place on sixteenth street, between Michigan and Wisconsin avenues.
- The polling places will be open at seven o'clock in the forenoon and continue open until five o'clock in the afternoon of said 1st day of April, at which hour they will finally close.
- Gladstone, Michigan, March 5th, 1918.
- ARTHUR L. WILLIAMSON, City Clerk.

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SHORT NEWS NOTES

Aviation Section. Earl Barry leaves in a day or so for Detroit to enter the aviation section of the army.

Water Board Meets Tonight. The regular monthly meeting of the water board will be held tonight. No business except of a routine nature is to be transacted.

Special Lenten Service. A special Lenten service will be conducted in the Peoples Congregational church tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. August Gronlund Operated On. Mrs. August Gronlund of the Buckeye addition was operated on Tuesday at St. Francis hospital. Excision was the removal of gall stones. She was very low yesterday but is reported to be a little better today.

Where W. S. S. Are Sold. Besides the postoffice and the two local banks, War Savings Stamps are on sale at the stores of H. Rosenblum, S. Goldstein, Erickson & VonTiel, and the Northwestern Co-operative & Lumber company.

Arrivals From Babylon. Recent arrivals from Babylon not previously reported are as follows: A son to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dredling; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hodgman, and a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Jenkins.

First Treasurer to Report. Adolph Moe of Ford River township was the first township treasurer to file his returns with County Treasurer George McKewen. Mr. Johnson, treasurer of this city, will not turn his books over until about the 15th of this month.

Name Was Omitted. The name of Mrs. J. Fitzpatrick, Wisconsin avenue, was omitted from the Civilian War Relief Committee as published in Monday's Reporter. The committee is as follows: Mrs. Jackson Stephenson, Mrs. John F. Card, Mrs. James Fitzpatrick, Dr. James Mitchell and G. K. Empson.

Doc Stark Was Busy. While Dr. Stark lost out in the race between himself and the Grim Reaper in January by a score of 5 to 4, he came back strong in February when he beat his opponent 16 to 5. Of the total of 14 births in the month, 3 were girls and seven boys, also one set of twins were included in the lot. This is a large birth rate and the month was a short one at that.

New Building an Office. Workmen have been busy the past week partitioning off an office in the new Marble-Card Electric plant. The machinery is also being placed in position and the shafts are put in place. The concrete floor is being given an application of a non-slip producing composition and shelving is being put up for the stores and the equipment material. The company expects to commence manufacturing in about a month.

Lyric Theatre. Hartz and Evans in songs, stories and eccentric dancing, a Keith vaudeville act, will close a two nights' engagement at the Lyric theatre tonight. They are reported first class. Tonight's picture is a Jesse L. Lasky feature entitled "Castles for Two," a romance of old Ireland and America. Friday night Pathe presents Florence LaBadioe in "When Love Was Blind." On Saturday and Sunday afternoon thrilling episode of the "Fighting Trail" will be shown as well as other pictures. Next Tuesday the first installment will be shown of the new four-act serial, "The Hidden Hand." A stellar attraction soon to be shown is "Jack and the Beanstalk."

METAL DISCS FOR ALL MASONIC MEMBERS

Local Masonic Lodge is Having Bronze Identification Discs for All Men in the Service.

Local members of the Masonic lodge who are in the service will carry a metal identification disc presented to them by the lodge. The pieces are of bronze and have the name of the lodge, the name of the person to whom the disc is issued and instructions to notify in case of accident or death. All lodge members will also have letters in three or four languages which will identify them in any of the lodges abroad. This is interesting and will prove of great value to the men for Masonry is very strong in Europe and every town of any size has a lodge.

STRANGER WAS TOO FILTHY FOR GLADSTONE'S CITY JAIL

Chief of Police Danielson had quite a case on his hands the other day—it was a puzzler any way you would look at it. A stranger tourist came to town on one of the nice days of the past week. He loafed around and looked suspicious to the chief and the latter took him in tow. All this talk about the city having the dirtiest jail in the upper peninsula is pure bunk—any way it appeared to be according to this stranger. He liked the jail, liked the food and was content to adjourn here

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for a while and that is where Mr. Danielson ran up against a shoe. The man was literally allowed to go, after with little crawling creature, bred from dirt. The chief turned the man loose, showed him the way out of town and told him to hurry. But like the cat with nine lives—he came back and wanted to stay in jail. It took considerable effort on the part of the chief to finally induce the man that his wife wanted her hair cut in the city's calaboose.

To Speak at Manistique. Supt. E. J. Willman will be the speaker at the Wash Day Luncheon at Manistique next Monday. The subject will be "Building a State." Mr. Willman has made a special study of political economy and those who have heard him address themselves to him to be most interesting and substantially so. His talk for Monday is a treatment of the conditions arising out of the war.

BRITISH LINER TORPEDOED; 150 MAY BE LOST

CALGARIAN FALLS VICTIM TO U-BOAT OFF THE COAST OF IRELAND.

Belfast, March 6.—The British liner "Calgarian" was torpedoed off the Irish coast. The boat was struck by four torpedoes.

Nearly 500 were aboard the ship and nearly 300 have been landed. The "Calgarian" is a converted cruiser. It was on a special trip to England with dispatches for the British government. The ship was struck by four torpedoes and the crew were rescued. The ship was carrying a large amount of mail and other cargo.

American Steamer Hit. An Atlantic port, March 6.—The American steamer "Arcturion" formerly a German merchantman, was beached and badly damaged on the British coast after being torpedoed. The boat was struck Friday, 5th. Some of the crew arrived here today.

ONE-HALF POUND SUGAR A WEEK BIG RAPIDS NEEDED

Big Rapids, Mar. 5.—Big Rapids needs but not sell sugar to anyone without sugar cards. One-half pound per week for each member of the family is to be allocated and the total weekly purchase must be bought at once. The cards are given out at the city office.

GOVERNMENT HOLDS ROADS 21 MONTHS AFTER WAR

Washington, Mar. 6.—Conferees on the railroad bill definitely approved today the agreement limiting government control to 21 months after the war.

REPUBLICAN CITY CONVENTION OF GLADSTONE, DELTA COUNTY, MICHIGAN, IS HEREBY CALLED TO MEET AT THE CITY HALL, IN SAID CITY ON SATURDAY, MARCH 9th, AT 8 P. M., FOR THE PURPOSE OF PLACING IN NOMINATION CANDIDATES FOR THE

FRESH EGGS

are coming in daily and we will be able to supply our customers even better in the future than in the past in this respect with a strong possibility that the price will lower materially in the near future. At any rate they will be as low as possible here. Fresh eggs for the meatless days with the price as low as possible is a pleasant reflection.

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city offices, as follows: Mayor, City Treasurer, and Justice of the Peace and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said convention. The number of delegates to which each ward is entitled is as follows: First ward, 2. Second ward, 2. Third ward, 2. Fourth ward, 2.

Primary elections for the purpose of choosing delegates to said convention and also for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the different ward offices are also called to be held in the several wards in this city on Friday, March 8th, between the hours of 4 and 8 o'clock p. m.

The primary election will be held in the several wards at the following places:

- First ward—Polling place.
- Second ward—City Hall.
- Third ward—Polling place.
- Fourth ward—Polling place.

Candidates for the following ward offices to be nominated:

- First ward—Supervisor, alderman and constable.
- Second ward—Supervisor, alderman and constable.
- Third ward—Supervisor, alderman and constable.
- Fourth ward—Supervisor, alderman and constable.

C. A. CLARK, Chairman Republican City Com.

COMPENSATION OF RAILROADS FIXED

PROVISION THAT NO ALLOWANCE SHALL BE MADE FOR PERIOD BEFORE CONTROL.

Washington, March 4.—Agreement on compensation for railroads while under government control is based upon the average net income for the three years ending June 30 last and substantially in the form approved by the senate, was reached today by conference on the administration railroad bill.

The house conferees accepted the senate provision that no allowance be made for money spent on improvements during the last three months preceding the federal control. This reduces the compensation of the railroads by about \$2,500,000 annually. Subject to the final approval of the senate the conferees agree to include all short line railroads under the act, instead of only the competing short line roads.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION.

Notice is hereby given that the City Clerk will be in his office from eight o'clock a. m. to eight o'clock p. m. March 9th and 10th, 1918, for the purpose of registering qualified electors. Electors may also register from 9 a. m. to 12 noon and 2 p. m. to 5 p. m. every day except Sundays by calling at the office of the City Clerk. In order to be eligible to vote at the coming election, electors must register on or before March 25, 1918. The following is a copy of Section One of Article Five of the Constitution of this State, touching the qual-

ifications of electors. Section 1. In all elections every male inhabitant of this state, every citizen of the United States, every male inhabitant residing in this state on the twenty-fourth day of June, eighteen hundred and fifty, every male inhabitant of foreign birth who, having resided in the state two years and six months prior to the eighth day of November, eighteen hundred and ninety-four, and having declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States two years and six months prior to said last named day, and every naturalized male inhabitant of Indian descent, a native of the United States and not a member of any tribe, shall be an elector and entitled to vote; but no one shall be an elector or entitled to vote at any election unless he shall be above the age of twenty-one years, and has resided in this state six months and in the township or ward in which he offers to vote twenty days next preceding such election.

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