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As a result of the extension of the DSS&A Ry., there has been a rush into Gogebic and Ontonagon counties chiefly by homesteaders, but there has been considerable land opened up which is well timbered with pine and hemlock, while there are also a few good cedar swamps. The soil in agricultural localities being very productive.