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WISCONSIN WINS THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Northwestern Fails to Score in the Game Which Told the Tale.

MICHIGAN DEFEATED IN THE CONTEST WITH CHICAGO.

PENNSYLVANIA ONLY ABLE TO TALLY FOUR AGAINST CORNELL.

Carlisle Indians, too, Take Another Scalp—Results of Other Thanksgiving Games. Which Practically Closes the Football Season of 1897.

BATTLES ON THE GRIDIRON.

Yesterday locally wound up the football season of 1897, and definitely determined the Western college championship, Wisconsin winning the honor by defeating Northwestern and Chicago removing all doubts to the claims of the adherents of the Madison team by drubbing Michigan. Before the Thanksgiving contests the Badger and Wolverine eleven virtually stood on equal ground; their slates were free of defeat in an intercollegiate match, but both had been beaten by their own alumni. The following were the results of Thanksgiving contests:

Chicago, 21; Michigan, 12.
Wisconsin, 22; Northwestern, 0.
Pennsylvania, 4; Cornell, 0.
Carlisle Indians, 10; Cincinnati University, 0.
Nebraska, 6; Iowa, 0.
Kansas, 16; Missouri, 0.
Chicago Bankers' Athletic club, 46; Knickerbockers, 8.
Chicago Athletic club, 52; New Jersey Athletic club, 0.
Monmouth college, 12; Knox college, 0.
Dartmouth, 24; Newton Athletic club, 0.
Stanford, 28; University of California, 0.
University of Illinois, 6; Eureka college, 0.
Purdue, 6; Minnesota, 0.
Denver Athletic club, 8; Colorado university, 0.
Detroit Athletic club, 42; Cleveland Athletic club, 0.
Ohio State university, 0; Ohio Wesleyan university, 6.

CHICAGO WON OUT.

Michigan Meets Its Waterloo at Last—A Kicking Contest.

Chicago, Nov. 25.—Clarence Herschberger, fullback of the University of Chicago, made a name for himself in football history today by making three successful place kicks in the annual game between the Universities of Chicago and Michigan. One of them was so difficult that the attempt would have seemed foolhardy had not his team been so well in the lead. One was made in the first half from the seventeen-yard line and two in the second half, one from the thirty-yard line, the ball at one time being right in front of the goal posts.

But the kick which brought the twelve thousand people to their feet occurred about fifteen minutes later. The ball at the time was not more than five yards from the side lines and twenty-five yards from goal, and when the strong limbed halfback and Clarke dropped back with the evident intention of attempting a play the Chicago supporters were amazed. The ball was passed cleanly and Clarke placed it on the thirty-five yard line. An instant later the ball was sailing high in the air. It dropped squarely between the posts, and a new football record had been made.

The game, which was played in the Coliseum, was a kicking contest from start to finish, and in punts Herschberger easily showed his superiority over Harman of the Michigan team. An exchange of punts would invariably net Chicago all the way from five to twenty yards. Right end line proved to be Michigan's weakest point, and when Chicago was running with the ball most of the gains were made there. Bennett and Steckle were both worn out from the hammering directed against them. On the other end Teetzel did splendid work, and, if anything, had a little the better of the argument with Hamill.

Outside of Teetzel and Quarterback Felver, however, the Chicago players outplayed their opponents. Cunningham was utterly unable to hold big Cavanaugh, who broke through frequently. It took an hour and five minutes to play the first half, which resulted: Chicago, 11; Michigan, 0. Final score: Chicago, 21; Michigan, 12. The line-up was as follows:

Chicago.	Position.	Michigan.
Garrey	left end	Teetzel
Mortimer	left tackle	Lockwood
Speed	left guard	Ca'ey
Cavanaugh	center	Cunningham
Bowdish	right guard	Snow
Webb	right tackle	Steckle
Hamill	right end	Bennett
Quinn	quarter back	Felver
Kenney	left halfback	Stuart
Hershberg'r	right halfback	Hogg
Gardner	full back	Harman
Substitutes for Michigan—Ayles, Baker, Pingree, Barabee and Egan.		
Touchdowns, Gardner, Snow and Teetzel.		
Place kicks, Hershberger, three.		
Goal kicked, Hershberger, one; Teetzel, two. Referee, Fred Haycock, Lake Forest. Umpire, Bert Alward, Princeton.		

BADGERS CLINCH CHAMPIONSHIP.

Northwestern Succumbs to the Brawny Team from Wisconsin.

Chicago, Nov. 25.—On a field ankle deep in mud, in a drizzling rain and before a vast crowd the University of Wisconsin team today defeated the Northwestern university eleven by the decisive score of 22 to 0.

Northwestern played their best game in the first half. The fighting during the greater part of the game was in the Evanston players' territory and

WISCONSIN'S GOAL WAS NEVER FOR A MOMENT IN DOUBT.

When Wisconsin had the ball, which was most of the time, Peele, Cochems and Forrest went through the line for gains of from three to ten yards, Cochems especially distinguishing himself by his terrific line bucking. For Northwestern, Jackson, Libberton, Perry and Sloan played the best offensive game and Peitz and Captain Hunter covered themselves with glory in defensive work. Cochems made two touchdowns after long runs around Perry's end. O'Dea tried two drop kicks from field for goal, but missed them both.

Wisconsin made her first touchdown in the first half after a hard struggle by Cochems taking the ball for fifteen yards around the right end to Northwestern's one-yard line, and he was pushed over on the next line-up, Gregg kicking an easy goal. In the second half Wisconsin made her second touchdown shortly after play was resumed, and Gregg kicked goal. The third was made by beautiful runs by Peele and Cochems behind brilliant interference. O'Dea failed to kick goal. The last touchdown was made by Cochems, he making the prettiest run of the day, running thirty-five yards around the right and though the mass of Northwestern tacklers and planted the ball behind the line, Gregg kicked goal just as time was called.

ITHACANS SURPRISE THE QUAKERS.

Pennsylvania Only Succeeds in Scoring Four Points Against Cornell.

Philadelphia, Nov. 25.—The University of Pennsylvania football team defeated Cornell this afternoon on Franklin field by a score of 4 to 0. It was by far the fastest game that has been played here this season and shows Cornell to have a remarkable strong team.

There was less enthusiasm manifested by the twenty thousand people present than on last Saturday, because during the first half Cornell did all the playing, but in the second half Pennsylvania used its guards back formation with terrible effect on the Cornell line. After nearly every scrimmage in which this formation was used there would be a Cornell man stretched on the grass. These tiresome interruptions were the only drawbacks to an otherwise brilliant game. Of course there was considerable fumbling, due primarily to a slippery ball, and Weeks also made a bad mess of two quarterback kicks, but this latter, also, was partially due to the muddy ball.

The first half ended with no score and the ball on Pennsylvania's thirty-five-yard line. The individual stars on the Cornell eleven were decidedly Wilson, Windsor, Whiting and Young; for Pennsylvania Hare, Goodman and Outland did the best playing. Pennsylvania's touchdown was not made until after twenty-one minutes actual playing in the second half. For any team to hold the Pennsylvania guards back formation in check fifty-six minutes is a great feat and only demonstrates how strong Cornell's team really is.

KANSAS DOWNS MISSOURI.

Kansas City, Nov. 25.—The seventh annual football contest between the Kansas and Missouri universities was played here this afternoon, and for the fifth time Kansas was victorious, by a score of 16 to 0. The crowd was the smallest in years, there being not more than four thousand spectators. The weather was rainy, the field sloppy and the ball slippery. The Missourians, though thoroughly beaten, proved strong in their defensive work, and from start to finish contested every inch of the field. Kansas was so far superior in its play, however, that at no time during the game was its goal seriously in danger.

NEW JERSEY WAS EASY.

Chicago, Nov. 25.—New Jersey's all-star team fell before the Chicago Athletic association eleven in the game at Washington Park this morning. After a show of defense in the first few minutes of the game the Jersey men gave up all semblance of hope and let their opponents score time after time. Fifty-two points came to the Chicago team when the whistle blew, and at the end most of the spectators had already gone away in disgust. A heavy rain the night before made the track deep mire and the gridiron was marked out on the grass. Score: Chicago, 52; New Jersey, 0.

RED-MEN TAKE ANOTHER SCALP.

Cincinnati, Nov. 25.—The Thanksgiving game of football here between the Carlisle Indians and the University of Cincinnati was played in a dreaching rain. Despite the rain, however, over five thousand people saw the contest. The Indians had the worst of it throughout. First half: Carlisle, 10; University, 0. Most of the time of the last half was taken up with fighting, and no more scores were made.

NEBRASKA DRUBS IOWA.

Council Bluffs, Ia., Nov. 25.—Nebraska, 6; Iowa, 0, and again Nebraska finishes the season the unbeaten champion of the Western Intercollegiate Football association. The game was a much closer one than many had looked for, Iowa putting up a most stubborn defense. Several times the ball was secured within a few yards of the Iowa goal and forced back into safe territory. The field was in bad condition on account of rain. The attendance was large.

KNICKERBOCKERS FOT IN IT.

Chicago, Nov. 25.—Two thousand people assembled in a frizzling rain at Bankers' field this morning and saw the Bankers' Athletic club of this city defeat the Knickerbocker Athletic club of New York by a score of 46 to 8. The New Yorkers were entirely outclassed, the Bankers going through their center without difficulty for long gains.

HOOSIERS VANQUISH THE GOPHERS.

La Fayette, Ind., Nov. 25.—Purdue, 6; Minnesota, 0. The game was hard fought, but the gains of the Hoosiers were outrennered by the Gophers. Neither side was able to score in the second half.

PLANS TO WIN BY USE OF GOLD.

Spain Enters Upon a Novel Campaign Against the Insurgents.

LARGE SUMS SET ASIDE TO CORRUPT CUBAN CHIEFS.

QUEEN RECENT SIGNS TWO IMPORTANT DECREES.

Grant Application of General Laws and Extension of Universal Suffrage to the Antilles—Dynamite Scare for Consul Lee.

TO BRIBE MEN THEY COULDN'T WHIP.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Information has been received at the state department from Vice Consul General Springer, Consul Baker, and other officials to the effect that the new Spanish officials in Cuba have embarked on a novel campaign of bribery and corruption.

All the money in the military chest in Cuba has been set aside to the sole purpose of corrupting the Cuban chiefs. The Spanish soldiers are to be left unpaid; no money is being spent on active military operations, but every cent that can be scraped together is being put into a huge corruption fund, to promote treachery among the insurgents.

Even the Spanish minister's secret service fund has been tapped, and the dollars saved by the discharge of Pinkerton detectives and Spanish American spies in the cigar factories have been contributed toward the peculiarly Spanish campaign of trying to bribe the men they could not whip.

The Cuban leaders here are very much alarmed over this latest development. They say there are many impetuous insurgent leaders holding independent commands who might be tempted to surrender by a promise of pardon, coupled with a financial consideration. At the same time, they say that the principal leaders have already spurned the bribes.

A clause in the Cuban constitution, inserted by Estrada Palma, makes it a reasonable act for any subordinate to treat on any other basis than that of absolute independence, and that say that the insurgent leader who lines his pocket with Spanish gold will not live long to enjoy it.

Madrid, Nov. 26.—The Official Gazette publishes this (Friday) morning two decrees signed by the queen regent and by Premier Sagasta. The first applies to the Antilles the laws inscribed in the first chapter of the Spanish constitution, with a guarantee of the application of the general laws. The second decree extends to the Antilles the universal suffrage law of 1890. According to this law electoral qualification is held by all male Spaniards twenty-five years of age who enjoy all civil rights and have been citizens of the municipality for least two years.

The clause in relation to the tariffs in the government's proposed scheme of autonomy for Cuba provides for the creation of a mixed commission to be composed of Cubans and Spaniards, which is to fix the tariff. The rates fixed by the commission are to be adopted by the Cuban chamber of deputies and then approved by the Spanish cortes before they become effective. Should the mixed commission come to a deadlock cortes is to be the arbitrator of the questions at issue.

Premier Sagasta has received over a hundred dispatches from persons and organizations in Catalonia, Hiscay and other provinces asking that the autonomy scheme be suspended. A member of the cabinet said yesterday (Thursday), however, that opposition to the scheme must soon cease. "Naturally," he added, "the proposed reforms are opposed by a number of persons who by the past system have amassed great riches, but the government is determined to carry out what it considers a patriotic work, and its decision must be respected."

It is expected the ministry for the colonies will be abolished after the application of the reforms and that colonial affairs will be conducted by the prime minister.

Havana, Nov. 25.—A tube reported to have contained dynamite, which was found by a man, who was subsequently arrested by the private watchman, at the American consulate building yesterday afternoon near the door of the consulate, is classed in official circles as being nothing more than a joke. The man arrested is believed to be the individual who placed the tube where it was found, but in order to guard against any possibilities the Spanish officials are taking precautions to guard the United States consulate and protect United States Consul General Lee.

Pardons have been extended to sixty-nine persons "guilty of forcible resistance" in various localities of the island.

Palma, Island of Majorica, Nov. 25.—This town and its port were decorated today in honor of Weyler, who was born here. Preparations are being made to give the general a public banquet after his arrival here from Barcelona.

Lovering Verdict Sent to Alcer.

Chicago, Nov. 25.—The verdict in the Lovering court-martial has been forwarded to the secretary of war. The court held a short secret session today at which the verdict was made and dispatched to Washington. It is the general opinion that Captain Lovering will meet with nothing worse than a reprimand.

Illinois Wins from Eureka.

Peoria, Ill., Nov. 25.—The University of Illinois football team defeated the Eureka college eleven today, 6 to 0. Illinois was much heavier than Eureka and clearly outclassed her. The scoring was done in the first half. The game was played in rain and a sea of mud and was witnessed by a thousand people.

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INTERESTS IRON MEN. The Duluth Herald of Tuesday contained this, relative to the reported negotiation of the Carnegie interests for control of the Cleveland-Cliffs company's mines in this county:

The report from Cleveland that the Carnegie-Oliver interests have closed a deal for a controlling interest in the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company, which owns some of the most valuable iron mining property on the Marquette range, has awakened a great deal of interest among iron men in Duluth.

The story is to the effect that the Carnegie people are acquiring by purchase a majority of the stock of the company and in this way will gain control of the property.

While it is probably true that the Carnegie-Oliver people are figuring on getting control of the valuable mines on the Marquette range controlled by the Cleveland-Cliffs company, it is not likely they are doing so by purchasing stock. That is not their method of securing control of mines, and if stock in this company is changing hands it is being purchased by men now interested to enable them to close a deal with Mr. Carnegie, by which the latter will not be required to pay a very large portion of the purchase price in cash.

It has not been Mr. Carnegie's policy to buy mines outright. He leases them, and it will probably be found when the facts become known that he is figuring on leasing the mines of the Cleveland-Cliffs company. If a purchase price is agreed upon it will provide for the payment of it as ore is taken out and shipped at so much per ton until a certain amount has been mined, after which the royalty will be dropped to a very low figure. His recent acquisition of the Elden and Norrie mines on the Gogebic range was accomplished in this way and his properties on the Mesaba range are all operated under leases.

Iron men who are watching the movements of the Carnegie interests are becoming convinced that they are endeavoring to secure control of not only enough of the high grade ores of the Lake Superior ranges for their own furnaces, but enough to control the market and dictate the prices which their competitors must pay for ore. They are still negotiating for the control of the Pioneer mine at Ely and are looking at other properties with which the name of Carnegie has up to this time not been connected.

The Mining Journal is inclined to doubt the likelihood of the deal between the owners of stock in the Cleveland-Cliffs company and the Carnegie people through which the former will obtain control of the company's valuable mines in Marquette county. The bulk of the shares in that company are in the hands of a few men who are directly connected with the conduct of its affairs, and it is not probable that they would sell part of their shares with the certainty that they would be thus giving control of their mines to the Carnegie combine. The Cleveland-Cliffs property is not one of those that can be got hold of by picking up blocks of stock here and there until a bare majority is secured. If the Carnegie people want it they will have to buy it, and pay its value at that. It is a rich property and its present owners are believed to have no great desire to let it pass from their hands.

GAGE ON CURRENCY REVISION. Secretary of the Treasury Gage clearly defined his position as to currency revision in an address delivered Tuesday night at the annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce of the state of New York, held at New York City. The secretary takes the safe ground that the present system is radically defective in many respects, and that there is urgent necessity for its revision, to the end that it may be rendered more elastic and readily responsive to the demands of trade. He alluded to the existence in congress of obstructionist elements which would undoubtedly attempt to prevent the adoption of remedial measures at this time, some of these being opposed to any change which does not give liberal recognition to silver, and others being disinclined to have currency revision attempted now through fear of the political consequences, but insisted that it is the duty of those who have been entrusted with control of the government to attempt legislation generally conceded to be necessary, no matter what the consequences. His remarks indicate that the administration will endeavor to push its scheme of revision in face of conditions which leave little hope of its success, and in disregard of the disinclination of many influential leaders of the Republican party to have congress engage in "currency tinkering" at the coming session.

We rather admire the courage of Secretary Gage in taking the stand that he does in regard to the necessity for decisive action on the currency question, though we are not much enamored of the plan of revision that he advocates, which has in view retirement of the greenbacks and substitution thereof of national bank notes. It is very certain that no proposition which contemplates withdrawal of the greenback circulation and the substitution for it of bank notes will be well received by the majority of the American people, or will stand any show of being adopted by congress. Still, it will be well to have it subjected to discussion, and the arguments for

and against it placed before the people, in order that they may obtain all the light on the subject possible before the next general election. It is as certain as anything can be so far in advance that the currency problem and the method of solving it will be the dominant issue in that election, and the more it is discussed in the meantime the better will the voters be prepared to pass upon it intelligently at the polls.

THE NEXT CENSUS. The next census of the United States will be taken under federal auspices in the year 1900. We are close upon 1898, and it is none too soon to begin preparations for the gigantic task. Mr. Robert P. Porter, who was superintendent of the last national census, says that no time should be lost in preparing for the next, which will be the twelfth. He avers that nearly all the faults of the tenth and eleventh censuses may be traced to insufficient time for preparation and to overloading the office with non-essential inquiries and investigations. Several million dollars may be saved, he thinks, by attempting less and beginning sooner. The preliminary law should be simple and provide means for the superintendent and director to carefully prepare his plan and report the same with a bill to congress. If this is done the man who is to carry out the plans will have made them and would be able to work to better advantage. Heretofore the man responsible for the census has been given plans that were not only not prepared by himself, but by no other expert, and the law was loaded with all sorts of irrelevant questions which only took up space and conveyed no really valuable information.

It is to be hoped that no preparation and precaution will be spared to make the next census a success, as the period it embraces will round out the century, marking an important epoch.

The treasury department is now considering the construction of a puzzling clause in the wood schedule of the new tariff law, which provides that a duty of one per cent. per cubic foot shall be levied on all logs suitable for building wharves or for use as spars. This was doubtless meant to apply to logs imported for use in the construction of wharves or as spars, but a large proportion of the logs which it was intended should be admitted free of duty might be used for these purposes, and the collector of customs at Boston has called the attention of the department to the fact that, under the accepted rule for interpretation of tariff laws and regulations, round logs coming under that classification would be dutiable, no matter what use may be made of them after they are brought in. If the department affirms this view the effect will be to very considerably restrict the free importation of logs for manufacture into lumber, as the best grade of these would thus become subject to a duty that would be practically prohibitive.

It Was a Puzzle. The art of shorthand writing doesn't consist merely in taking down in phonetic characters the utterances of orator, pastor, or lawyer. It is quite as difficult to read the jumbled hieroglyphics as it is to put them on paper. Charles Dickens writes delightfully in "David Copperfield" of his early experience in this line, and no doubt his blunders and trials have been duplicated by most stenographers.

Some time ago a shorthand writer of long and constant practice, who is officially connected with a public department, had occasion to take down a report of receipts and expenditures. When he returned to his office he proceeded to make a type-written copy of the items. He worked along all right until he reached a decidedly puzzling character. It would look to the unsophisticated layman like a "p" struck by lightning and recklessly scattered. The expert stared at it with a puzzled air. There were two words there, but what were they? The vowels were eliminated and the consonants remaining were decidedly non-committal. He looked at it again. What in thunder—ah, he had it!

It was "oxtail soup." Then he looked puzzled again. What was "oxtail soup" doing in a list of stationery items? What had "oxtail soup" to do with the administration of a public office. And yet that was just what the sprawling character indicated.

He took the puzzle home with him. It worried him more than he could tell. As soon as he could get back to it he resumed the investigation. Pretty soon his daughter, a mere novice in the profession, asked what bothered him. He had about given it up. He pushed the paper toward her and pointed at the scattered "p."

"It is 'oxtail soup,'" he groaned, "and yet it can't be."

"Why daddy," she said, "it's as plain as a b." "No!" he cried. "What is it?" "Castile soap!"

And that's just what it was.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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"Waiter, salt for six here! Wilder- spin's going to give us that deadly experience of his. Now, captain, forge ahead; it's glasses round for the first man who interrupts. Touch-and-go with death, you say, and yet your hair kept its original color. How on earth was it?"

Another laugh rippled along the table, but it soon subsided. The old diver's twitching lips made it clear that his thoughts were elsewhere. He simply sat back, stared fixedly at the shaded candle before him, and broke into the silence with a steady impressiveness that soon had the company spellbound.

"You'll please yourselves about swallowing this when you've stood in my parlor and seen the newspaper cuttings on the wall, framed in a bit of the Witch's timber. As for excitement, you might'n't care to sleep through a few of the dreams I've had since. Aye, but the real extraordinary part about it was, if you like, that I should have walked into Lacy Truman's office, in Hobart town, as the clock struck 11 that morning. For I'd been hanging about the docks, hungry and savage, for weeks; and I'd left Jess—my young wife—with the words, 'that come no more.' I was simply going to steal the money to take us back to England by the next week's steamer. And I meant that."

"They were ship brokers, Lacy Truman and his brother. I walked into their outer office without being invited, up to the boss clerk, and told him in so many words I'd come to the end of my tether in that country. 'The old tale! What are you? Anything, eh?' Sit down there," he says. "I went to do it, away from me. But there it was—I had no notion of backing out then. Down I stepped, let myself go, and knew not a thing more till I found myself standing still on the bottom dizzily with the depth, sick after the suspense, and with a noise in my head as if a hundred throats had started screeching. That lasted about half a minute; then I pulled myself together, took another kink of the lifeline, and knew I was all right for Lacy Truman's job."

"Where was Saunders?" "I looked round. It wasn't like harbor wear—you could see as well as looking at daylight through tick glasses; and there was he, standing a few yards off, flashing his diving lamp ahead. We'd tumbled on a bed of sand white as snow. I could make out mighty worms and shellfish crawling over it—everything looks twice its size at that depth—and great castles of rock here and there, with sea-creeper's swaying about something lovely, and shoals of small fish zig-zagging in and out like spear-points; but ne'er a sign of our ship. Then presently I saw Saunders shaking his light and pointing. He'd located it straight away, with his experience."

"After him I goes, for about, I should reckon, fifty or sixty yards, over slimy hillocks and down bits of valleys—and there was the Witch, lying three parts over on a bit of rising ground, her main-mast pointing down at our heads—a sad enough sight. Saunders, he was up to her deck rail in a jiffy, got his grappling hook over it and thenclimbed over before I could take it in. When I followed I stopped half-way, because I felt the timbers shaking, and could almost swear there was the dull sound of an axe hacking away like fury. I just waited, and presently he comes clambering back, to put his helmet against mine, and there was a splinter of wood sticking to his axe and he was panting. 'Rotten, mate! A three-foot leak in the outer hold,' was what he shouted. 'Hatches blocked, I'm afraid. We'll have to come down again and blow a hole in her side to get at the silk. Got your line? Say when!'

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"I couldn't find it, but I found something else that made the blood tingle in me very queerly. I hadn't really expected to find only the sheers' bit of luck could have put it in my way by that light; but there, a couple of yards up the side of the forehold, were three big splintered holes, that nothing but an auger had worked through. I made quite sure of that, got my nerves set, and turned to crawl back; and there was Saunders stooping behind me. And I was fool enough to take hold of his fingers and plug them in the holes, to make him feel the inside smooth against mine. He seemed startled himself, and didn't say a word till we had clambered down to the sand again. Then, as I went to tug my line, feeling a bit nervous, he catches my arm, and put his glasses against mine."

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"Well, the moment the tide had turned, off we started, with the savage boat and a dozen others after us, to see what there might be to see. I knew Mr. Lacy had an idea the other party meant to hamper us if possible, but it didn't appear so; in less than an hour they'd made the spot. Saunders and some of the Witch's crew were straining their eyes over the side, and I saw the boat."

"There she lies, mate, in ten fathoms, or I'm a Dutchman," he says, quietly, to me. 'Can ye go the depth? Right; nothing like pluck, eh? We'll soon know all about her cargo now. Get your things on.'

"Down below I goes, and was ready as soon as he. Course, being what he was, he had the sneer of the minute he affable enough, and even a little friendly. Just before we struck our headgear on, and Mr. Truman was seeing my tube extra fast to the pumper, he pulls out a brandy bottle and offers me a mouthful offhand. I had it to my lips when somehow I caught his eyes, and that man—well he flinched."

"Have some yourself," says I, handing it back. "Always do—well, no, I won't just yet," he says, with a laugh, and tosses the bottle overboard.

"I couldn't quite get the grip of that, and perhaps it was this action that gave me a nasty, sinking sensation when I stood ready, with the helmet on and thirty pounds of solid lead on my boots, watching him go down the ladder, and coolly slide into that green ten fathoms. It was a lot over my old dock depths, and I felt a bit dreamy, so to speak, when I heard the engine start pumping away from me. But there it was—I had no notion of backing out then. Down I stepped, let myself go, and knew not a thing more till I found myself standing still on the bottom dizzily with the depth, sick after the suspense, and with a noise in my head as if a hundred throats had started screeching. That lasted about half a minute; then I pulled myself together, took another kink of the lifeline, and knew I was all right for Lacy Truman's job."

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wasn't touch-and-go with death, what was it? That he was going to do the thing I've never had a doubt; but all of a sudden there was a jerk of his line—up he went, and I, hanging on to his ankles, had sufficient sense not to let go. Up, up—and in my dreams since I've often felt the kicks he gave to get free of me. But heaven wouldn't allow it. I've no recollection of reaching the blessed surface and being hauled aboard, but it goes without saying, or I wouldn't be telling the tale now."

"Mr. Lacy told me afterwards that, when they unstrapped my things, I was black in the face and dead to the world. They thought I was going, and put back to shore at once; but, how- ever, once in my bed at home, I got back enough sense to get a certain footing that sent him off to the police hospital. The next thing I knew was that I'd been ill for a week, and that they were waiting for me to give evidence at the trial—Truman Brothers vs. the Owners and Captain of the Witch."

"It lasted days and days, and at first seemed as if it was going against us. An expert diver had gone down and made his report; but the owner calmly swore that the auger-holes were a revelation to them, and the crew did the same. Only one thing did it—their captain wasn't to be found or heard of; and in the end they got off with the suspicion of conspiracy to defraud, and the loss of the insurance money and costs. Of course, it was morally clear as daylight; they'd over-insured the cargo, and arranged with the captain to scuttle the old vessel at a certain point, and it hadn't turned out quite as they meant; but all that had to be proved, and it wasn't properly done to the court's satisfaction."

"Saunders? Well, there; my blood boils now at the thought of it—he got off scot-free, and, for all I know, walks Hobart town to this day as an honest man. I see him now, standing up there in the dock and hearing the verdict, and I'd dreamed it all—that I'd gone insane, and really owed my life to him. Never mind; it's haunted his sleep once or twice since, I will lay. You'll hardly believe that I stuck to the work after that, but I did. And what's more, mates, I've got the best part of the £300 that Lacy Truman banked for me—just put by for the day when I'll have to give up business as a deep-sea diver."

The Truth Didn't Save Him. A worthy colored deacon, who had early impressed upon him the moral of the George Washington cherry-tree story, was fortunate enough to find a fat 'possum recently. He bore it in triumph to his dwelling, and, assisted by his son, cooked it to a juicy brown.

"Now," said he, "de bes' wey ter eat a 'possum is cold; so we'll jes let him stay in de pantry an' when maw'nin' come he'll be mo' jucier den ever."

His son seemed sadly disappointed, but he made the best of it, and both retired for the night.

The old man was up early the next morning, but the boy slept on.

On opening the pantry the astonished parent discovered nothing but bones in the dish that had contained the 'possum. He brought the drowsy youngster to his feet with one vicious jerk, and, dragging him to the scene of the wreck, he said:

"What does dat mean, eh?" "The boy fell on his knees and cried: 'Daddy, I can't tell a lie; I got up in de night and eat it wid my little mout.' The old man said not a word, but dragging the boy to the front door he held him by the collar while he jerked a piece of weatherboarding from the side of the house.

"Daddy," cried the boy, "is you gwine ter lick me fer tellin' de truth, you?" "No, you kinkey-headed rebblin, you!" thundered the old man. "I swine ter frill de hide off you fer eatin' de 'possum."—Good Stories.

Spain's Navy. The Scientific American of latest issue contains a painstaking review of the comparative naval strength of the United States and Spain. It comes to the conclusion that the Spaniards would be capable of maintaining a fierce and destructive naval war for some time. As few American papers, except the Journal, have arrived at this opinion, it is worth while to indicate in just what particulars the Spanish navy is really superior to ours. The most important warships under the flag of Castile are vessels of a type entirely different from those of the new American navy. There are six of them, each of 7,000 tons displacement and twenty knots speed, with a twelve-inch armor belt and two eleven-inch guns. A craft of this design and armament would be able to pose as a battleship in combats with our best cruisers and could choose the fighting position if it met the strongest of our armored vessels. The six swift ironclads would have little to fear from our cruisers in any circumstances, and they could work havoc with our Atlantic lines of steamships. It would be well for those who wish to see an early war with Spain go to look at how agreeable it would prove to try our navy against the possibilities suggested by that fact.—Providence Journal.

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SUPREME COURT RULINGS.

Two Important Decisions on Cases Appealed from This Circuit.

The supreme court handed down an important decision, Monday, which in effect confirms that of the Houghton county circuit court in the case of Ellen Hendrickson vs. Frederick Voss and wife in favor of the latter. Mr. Voss' financial affairs have not been in the best of shape for several years, and a few years ago he deeded his home-stand, valued at \$2,500, to his wife. In November, 1885, suit was commenced by Ellen Hendrickson through her attorneys, Dunstan & Hanchette, to get aside the deed on the ground that the wife had paid no consideration. Evidence was introduced at the trial showing that Voss had borrowed money from his wife, one amount being \$700, which she secured from her father's estate and which he received shortly after their marriage. Other moneys furnished Mr. Voss by his wife were the result of her earnings while keeping boarders and other work. The victory for Mr. and Mrs. Voss is interesting, inasmuch as it gives the views of the supreme court regarding the question of a husband deeding property to his wife. The suit was brought to collect a judgment for \$1,300, which Mrs. Hendrickson had secured against Voss. Gray & Looney appeared for Mr. Voss and wife.

Tuesday, the supreme court rendered a decision in the case of Schoepfer vs. The Hancock Chemical company which cannot fail to be of much interest, especially to the legal fraternity. In the circuit court the case was taken from the jury and a verdict rendered in favor of the defendant, after which it was carried to the supreme court. The higher tribunal found the case should have gone to the jury, and ordered a new trial. The cost of having the evidence prepared for the supreme court by Messrs. Ball and Hamitzer, attorneys for the plaintiff, was \$105. It seems to have been the policy of the state during its entire history to allow court stenographers fees. The point is that should Mrs. Schoepfer win the case the Hancock Chemical company would also have been liable for this item of \$105. In this instance objection was raised to the proceeding for the first time in the history of the supreme court and was sustained, so the item of \$105 is out from the costs of the case, which will come up for trial at the next term of the circuit court. The above decision affects nearly all cases taken to the supreme court.

Tribute to Thomas Nelson.

The Boston Herald paid the following tribute to the late Thomas Nelson, treasurer of the Bigelow group of mines, who died last week in Boston: "The death of Thomas Nelson, treasurer and director, is heard with regret softened by the reflection that death gave relief from torturing pain, for Mr. Nelson had suffered long from an incurable cancerous trouble. To say of him that he was much respected for integrity is to pay the highest possible tribute. He was respected for integrity and ability and was much liked by intimate friends. He was modest and retiring and will be greatly missed. If the mantle of office so successfully worn by Mr. Nelson should fall upon Clarence Bissell, the next man in rank in the Sears building copper office, the street will recognize the fitness of the selection and cordially approve of it."

Ice Skating the Fad.

All indications point to a general revival in ice skating the coming winter. Rinks will be open at Calumet, Laurium, Lake Linden, Dollar Bay and Houghton. The new rink at Laurium is to be erected by the brass band of that village, which organization will conduct it and furnish concerts each alternate evening of the week, and no doubt the efforts of the band will be highly appreciated by a liberal patronage. The rink to be located near the site of the Eureka Iron works, west of Houghton, will be equally convenient to Hancock residents. It will be 80 by 250 feet and equipped in up-to-date style.

His Scheme a Success.

Reuben Blue, of the barge Vega, who last week tried to get winter quarters at the expense of the county by breaking the plate glass window at the millinery parlors of Miss White at Hancock, was brought before Justice Pinn, Wednesday morning. The evidence warranted his being held to appear at the next term of the circuit court, and he was accordingly bound over in the sum of \$500. But Blue was unable to furnish it, and so partook of Sheriff Lean's first Thanksgiving spread at the county jail.

Poles Will Celebrate.

Tomorrow will be the sixty-fifth anniversary of the Polish struggle to remove the yoke of tyranny, and the event will be fittingly remembered by the Polish Hussars of Calumet. Headed by the Red Jacket band, the society will parade the village to St. Anthony's church, where services will be held. The affair will conclude with a concert in the evening at the opera house.

A Blustering Consul.

Our consul at Cardiff, the Rev. D. T. Phillips, has been making a donkey of himself. He began by discoursing at public meetings about the wickedness of New York and Chicago. Then he took to diagnosing Cardiff, and Cardiff didn't like it. It is expected that this injudicious officer will be rapped over the knuckles by the Washington authorities. Here we have another example of the clergyman in public affairs.—New York Sun.

His Method.

"How did you learn to skate?" a little boy was asked. "O," was the innocent but significant answer, "by getting up every time I fell down."—Tit-Bits.

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DANCED TILL EARLY MORN.

Calumet Seer Boys and Houghton Fire Laddies Do Tactless Feats.

A grand affair, indeed, was the annual ball of the Calumet Light Guard given Wednesday evening at its armory, and it will long be remembered as one of the finest social gatherings ever held in the county. Exquisite taste was shown in the hall decorations, which were simply beautiful. The Fifth Regiment band was seated behind a screen of palms, and for the first time a great many of those present had an opportunity of judging of the ability of its new leader, Professor Scott, the general verdict being that he is a most valuable acquisition to that famous organization. Fully two hundred couples, including large delegations from the various towns throughout the county, were in attendance. The costumes worn by many of the ladies were exceedingly beautiful. Supper was served by J. P. North of the Calumet Hotel, and not until 4 o'clock did the happy gatherings disperse. The Light Guard boys are to be congratulated on their magnificent success.

Of the many successful dances given during the long career of Continental Fire Company No. 1 of Houghton, none compared with that of Wednesday evening at the Armory Opera House. Over a hundred couples were in attendance and the night fantastic to the sweet strains of the Houghton Silver Cornet band until the small hours of the morning. The arrangements for the ball were perfect in every respect and its success and the liberal patronage bestowed is a matter for congratulation for the company that will occupy a prominent position the coming year.

COPPERDOM BREVITIES.

The marriage of Jacob Messmer, Jr., and Miss Lillian Parasot of Calumet was solemnized Wednesday morning at St. Louis' church.

Thanksgiving was observed by a general suspension of business of all kinds throughout the copper country. Services were held in nearly every church and the attendance in nearly every instance was unusually large.

Copper country friends of "Jack" King, who will complete his sentence at the Marquette prison Saturday of next week, are advised that he will visit this section of the country following. King expects to get a wrestling match with Evan Lewis or "Farmer" Burns, to take place at either Calumet or Marquette within the next two months.

THE WATCH AS A CURIOSITY.

Some Facts Not Commonly Known About the Pocket Timepiece

Open your watch and look at the little wheels, springs and screws, each an indispensable part of the whole wonderful machine. Notice the busy little balance wheel as it flies to and fro unceasingly day and night, year in and year out. This wonderful little machine is the result of hundreds of years of study and experiment, says the Jewelers' Review. The watch carried by the average man is composed of ninety-eight pieces, and its manufacture embraces more than 2,000 distinct and separate operations. Some of the smallest screws are so minute that the unaided eye cannot distinguish them from steel filings or specks of dirt. Under a powerful magnifying glass a perfect screw is revealed. The all in the head is 2-1,000 of an inch wide. It takes 308,000 of these screws to weigh a pound, and a pound is worth \$1,585. The hairspring is a strip of the finest steel, about 9/16 inches long, 1-100 inch wide, 27-10,000 thick. It is coiled up in spiral form and tempered. The process of tempering these springs was long a secret, but the few fortunate ones possessing it, and even now is not generally known. Their manufacture requires great skill and care. The strip is gauged to 20-100 of an inch, but no measuring instrument has as yet been devised capable of fine enough gauging to determine beforehand by the size of the strip what the strength of the finished spring will be. A 20-1,000 part of an inch difference in the thickness of the strip makes a difference in the number of a watch of about six minutes per hour. The value of these springs when finished and placed in watches is enormous in proportion to the material from which they are made. A comparison will give a good idea. A ton of steel made up into hairsprings when in watches is worth more than 12 1/2 times the value of the same weight in pure gold. Hairspring wire weighs 1-20 of a grain to the inch. One mile of wire weighs less than half a pound. The balance gives five vibrations every second 300 every minute, 18,000 every hour, 432,000 every day and 157,680,000 every year. At each vibration it rotates about 1 1/4 times, which makes 157,200,000 revolutions every year. Take, for illustration, a locomotive with six-foot driving wheels. Let its wheels be run until they have given the same number of revolutions that a watch does in one year, and they will have covered a distance equal to twenty-eight complete circuits of the earth. All this a watch does without other attention than winding once every 24 hours.

Economized His Words.

Two dusky small boys were quarreling; one was pouring forth a torrent of vituperative epithets, while the other leaned against a fence and calmly contemplated him. When the flow of language was exhausted he said: "Are you too?" "Yes." "You ain't got nuffin' more to say?" "No." "Well, all dem things what you called me, you is."—Chicago News.

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NOTED AT L'ANSE.

P. Brennan did business at Marquette this week.

Roger C. Williams made a short business trip to Houghton this week.

Miss Mary McKernan of Hancock ate turkey with her folks here yesterday.

Miss Bertha Moore of Pequaming is the guest of Miss Lillie Thomas for a week.

Thomas Brady has been slightly under the weather the past week but is on the mend.

Thanksgiving services were held at the M. E. church Wednesday evening. Presiding Elder Joseph Frazer officiating.

Rev. Wm. Joistin brought in a nice three-year-old buck this week, the result of a two days' hunt in the vicinity of Huron Bay.

Malcolm Wallace left on Tuesday for Chicago to select a car load of horses for the livery stable which he and James Byers of Baraga purchased this week.

The Knights of Pythias "hard times" party, which was given at the town hall Wednesday evening, was a success financially and socially. The costumes were ancient and interesting, and the people were all out for a good time.

Joseph Chaput and Miss Evaline Paquette were united in marriage by Rev. Wm. Joistin at St. Joseph's church Monday morning last in the presence of a large assemblage of their friends, who wish them a pleasant journey down the stream of time.

Thanksgiving exercises were held at the several rooms of the High school Wednesday afternoon and were attended by a large number of visitors, who were highly pleased with the entertainment. The schools in general here are in better condition this year than they have been before for many years.

J. B. Eger with his wife and son Warren left on Monday's train for their home in Saginaw after a six months' stay here, during which time they made many warm friends who regret their departure and trust they will return with the robins in the spring.

Late advices from Chief Clerk Fred Dickerman of the railway mail service are to the effect that he will have postal clerks running on trains Nos. 3 and 4 between Marquette and Calumet in a few days—just as soon as a new clerk can be instructed in the work. Mr. Dickerman is an experienced man in his business and is quick to see where improvements can be made in the mail service.

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their candles and sold them for strawberries. He said they kept their fires over night by putting them out in the air and letting them freeze and then thawed them out in the morning. He said he had seen four men die of colic from eating whisky that was frozen so hard it wouldn't thaw inside of them. He said the cows all gave ice cream till they froze to death. He said he knew a clerk in a hotel on the Yukon that got rich selling the diamonds he wore, said diamonds being nothing on earth but ice crystals that didn't thaw till after the clerk had got out of the country. He said he had seen a man fall off the roof of a barn and freeze so stiff before he hit that he broke in two when he hit the ground. He said he had seen smoke freeze in a chimney till the fire wouldn't draw, and he knew of one case where the smoke froze after it got a hundred feet up and fell back on the house, knocking a hole in the roof big enough to drive a yoke of steers through. He said the reason that nights were so long in that country was that the dark got so hard the daylight couldn't thaw its way through in less than six months. He said—

"Excuse me," interrupted a friend; "did this party have affidavits with these statements?"

"He said he had, but I guess he must have froze to death hunting for them, because he never came back when I asked him to go after them for me," and the returned Chilkoot smiled a smile that was childlike and bland.—Washington Star.

THE OLD MAID. She never knew Her life to love. She never knew What other women give their all to gain. Others were fickle. She was passing true. She gave pure love, and faith without a stain.

She never married. Suitors came and went; The dark eyes flashed their love on one alone. Her life was passed in quiet and content. The old love reigned. No rival shared the throne.

Think you her life was wasted? Vale and hill Blossomed in summer, and while winter came; The blue ice stiffened on the silenced rill; All times and seasons found her still the same.

Her heart was full of sweetness to the end. What once she gave, she never took away. Through all her youth she loved one faithful friend; She loves him now her hair is turning gray.—George Barlow, in Buffalo News.

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GAG RULE STILL SUPREME

Lower House of the Austrian Parliament Again the Scene of Wild Disorder.

FOUND UTTERLY IMPOSSIBLE TO TRANSACT BUSINESS.

Members Entered the Galleries by Pitches Battles With Fists, Chairs and Exchanges of Insults Until Sittings Are Suspended.

LAW MAKERS' DISGRACEFUL DEEDS

Vienna, Nov. 25.—When the lower house reassembled today after adjourning yesterday from the scene of unprecedented disorder, all the ministers were present and the approaches to the presidential tribune were blocked, doors having been erected since the disgraceful fighting of yesterday in and about the tribune and throughout the house.

The entrance of the president of the chamber, Dr. Abrahamovics, was the signal for loud and ironical salutations which were followed by vehement Leftist shouts of "Shame." Herr Abrahamovics made an attempt to speak but Herr Wolff, the German Nationalist leader, interrupted him by shouting: "Some one else must take the chair, not this swindler." Herr Schoenerer, leader of the section of German opposition, then yelled at the top of his voice: "I demand right to speak, which I am entitled to." Thereupon Herr Wolff retorted: "There is no such right in this house. It is trodden under foot by his name."

As the uproar which followed showed every sign of increasing President Abrahamovics adjourned the house until afternoon, amid a storm of "Hurrahs" and "Bravos."

As soon as the sitting was resumed this afternoon the Leftists commenced a tremendous din, in the middle of which a German Centrist, Herr Falkenbyhn, conceived as a happy idea the proposal to cow the obstructionists by threatening their pockets. He moved that for the future disorderly members might be suspended for three days by the president, or for thirty days by the house, during which their allowance should be stopped; while members refusing to leave the chamber when requested might be forcibly expelled.

The speech was interrupted with continuance of the uproar, Herr Wolff shouting: "Let's pitch the blackguards out." The president called for order. Finally when the tumult was at its height the president declared he regarded the motion of Herr Falkenbyhn as a necessary measure of self-defense and called for the voting. The whole Right at once arose and the president declared the motion carried. The president then tried to address the chamber, but his voice was drowned in a torrent of Leftist yells and shouts of "Get out" and "Shame."

Finally the sitting was suspended for an hour, at the close of which the president returned and announced that, in accordance with the wishes expressed in many quarters, he had decided to close the sitting, to open again tomorrow.

Yesterday the members of the lower house of the reichsrath excited themselves in producing the most disgraceful scene yet witnessed in that branch of parliament. The turbulence resulted from a motion that only one of a number of similar petitions against the ordinance making the Czech language coordinate with the German in Bohemia should be read and printed. This order of the government has been the basis of the many uproarious scenes for a number of weeks, although the question of renewing the compact between Austria and Hungary, provisionally at least, has been made up in all the bitter feeling manifested by the German and anti-German elements. The members of the Left party protested uproariously against the motion referred to, stigmatizing it as "oppressive and illegal."

Finally the members became so disorderly that the president of that body, Dr. Abrahamovics, was once more compelled to suspend the sitting, and he soon afterward left the house. The departure of the president Abrahamovics was the signal for a scene of the wildest disorder. Dr. Wolff, the German Nationalist leader, clambered up into the president's tribune, seized a heavy bell and swung it to and fro, materially increasing the disorder prevailing. The bell, however, was almost immediately wrenched from Dr. Wolff's hand by Deputy Polock.

While this incident was in progress challenges to fight duels and showers of billingsgate and insults were exchanged on all sides, until the house in every way resembled an inferno. A number of Czechs and Poles made a rush for the president's tribune and attempted to tear Dr. Wolff down from the position which he occupied, and they in turn were attacked by a number of Leftists and a disgraceful scuffle was the result.

This was only the beginning of the fighting. During the preliminary scuffling some of the young Czechs struck Dr. Wolff, and this caused such an uproar that a regular pitched battle with fists followed, lasting for about a quarter of an hour. Herr Schoenerer, the leader of a section of the German opposition, seized and brandished over his head one of the armchairs, and was evidently about to hurl it at the heads of his opponents when he was seized and disarmed by Herr Hagenhofer.

By this time the order was of such a nature that even the public in the gal-

eries cried shame upon the fighting, swearing and insult exchanging deputies. A Polish member—Herr Polack—rushed upon another member—Herr Pferche—and was strangling him, when Pferche, on the impulse of a moment, drew a penknife from his pocket and opened it. He was disarmed by a colleague before any further harm was done. Herr Pferche was by that time exhausted by the choking he had received at the hands of Herr Polack and so overcame with excitement that he fainted, still further adding to the sensation. In a few minutes, however, President Abrahamovics returned and ended the disorder by closing the sitting.

HAD THINGS HIS OWN WAY.

Tommy Ryan Knocks Out His Australian Namesake.

Elmira, N. Y., Nov. 25.—Tommy Ryan knocked out Australian Jim Ryan in five rounds before the Maple Avenue Athletic club tonight. The men were matched to fight twenty rounds at 154 pounds. Tommy had things his own way, and the Australian was unable to land with any effect. The bout was witnessed by eight hundred people. Ex-Champion Paddy Ryan was referee.

Buffalo, Nov. 25.—The Express says: "Within ten days Corbett and Fitzsimmons will sign articles for another battle for the championship. This statement was made by W. J. Connor, one of the most trusted agents of Corbett and W. A. Brady, Corbett's manager. Connor refused to state the time and place of meeting to sign articles."

New York, Nov. 25.—The Herald tomorrow will say: "The published rumor that Corbett and Fitzsimmons are to be matched within ten days was news to Brady, the ex-champion's manager. Brady said he knew nothing of any such arrangement. Corbett, he added, is ready to make a match with Fitzsimmons at any time."

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 25.—Robert Fitzsimmons and Martin Julian, who showed in Lincoln with their company tonight, denied the report sent out from Buffalo that another fight between Fitzsimmons and Corbett was about to be arranged.

UTES THIRST FOR REVENGE.

A Band Reported Enroute for Scene of the Fight With Game Wardens.

Denver, Nov. 25.—Governor Adams has appointed Attorney D. C. Beaman of Denver, Charles E. Noble of Colorado Springs and Judge Joshua Walbridge of Steamboat Springs as a commission to investigate the recent Indian disturbances in Routt and Rio Blanco counties, his purpose being to determine whether any blame attaches to the game wardens for killing the Indian hunters.

No news has been received at the army headquarters of the Department of the Colorado, or at the state house, regarding the reported departure from the Utes reservation, in Utah, of a party of Indians for the purpose of taking revenge for the killing of their comrades by the game wardens. A letter to the Times from Craig, Colo., received today states the settlers are prepared for any move the Indians may make.

ARRESTED FOR BIGAMY.

Theatrical Manager Rosenberg is Charged With Being Husband to Three.

Cincinnati, Nov. 25.—Max Rosenberg, the theatrical manager, was arrested here today and is held for Indianapolis authorities. He is wanted on a bigamy charge, made by Mrs. Blanche Rosenberg, nee Mitchell, of Chicago, who says they were married Nov. 1, 1892, but after living with her while he tired of her. She says that March 1, this year, Rosenberg married Jessie Crawford, and he is said to have another wife in New York. Hypnotic influence on Rosenberg's part is alleged. Rosenberg says he was married twice, but was divorced both times, and will return to Indianapolis without requisition papers.

LEFT HIM FAR IN THE REAR.

Michael for Third Time Defeats Philadelphia's Speedy Cyclist, Starback.

New York, Nov. 25.—Jimmy Michael, the little Welchman, for the third time this year defeated Frank Starback of Philadelphia tonight. These two middle distance racers met in a carefully prepared mile contest over a carefully prepared board track in Madison Square Garden and the "rare-bit" made a runaway race of it after the second mile. He won in the good time of 50 minutes 29 1-5 seconds, thus beating his own Chicago indoor record of 52:34 2-5 by 2:06 1-5. Starback was three and one-third miles behind at the finish. Over sixteen thousand people witnessed the race.

MOD VIOLENCE FOR TWO.

More Southern Justice Dished Out to Negroes in Georgia.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 25.—An unknown negro was killed by lynchers near Black's Head this afternoon, his body being literally riddled with bullets. The victim had outraged Miss Reble Davis, the seventeen-year-old daughter of Ell Davis.

Waycross, Ga., Nov. 25.—Jerry Johnson, a negro, was lynched this evening by a mob near Screven. He was in charge of officers when the mob rode up and demanded the prisoner. The negro had been arrested for stealing a mule.

Today's Weather Prediction.

Washington, Nov. 25.—The following is the weather forecast for tomorrow for Upper Michigan: Snow; decidedly colder; northerly winds.

COMBINE TO FIGHT HILL.

Tammany Chief Croker Forms an Alliance With Senator Murphy.

New York, Nov. 24.—Richard Croker and David B. Hill are out. The Tammany chief has formed a new political alliance with Senator Edward Murphy which has for its purpose the nomination of Hugh J. Grant for governor next year, the control of the next legislature, the reelection of Murphy to the United States senate in 1899 and the selection of the Democratic candidate for president in 1900. This is a big political undertaking, but, flushed with his recent triumph in Greater New York, Mr. Croker has no fear of defeat.

Of his recognition of Senator Murphy as the Democratic leader of the state organization, Mr. Croker last evening said: "I cannot understand why any fuss is made about it. Hill never was the leader of the party in this state. I have always recognized Senator Murphy as the leader, and Hill today is just where he has always been. He is not and never has been a leader." If Croker and Murphy plan to make Hugh J. Grant their candidate for governor next year the situation may resolve itself into a fight between the city and country. The Democratic politicians who have discussed the matter agree that a battle royal may be expected next year. The friends of Mr. Hill say that he likes nothing better than a good fight within the party, and they predict that he will not give in to Murphy or Croker without a struggle.

SIX HUNDRED LOSE THEIR JOBS.

Thanksgiving Day Not a Joyous Occasion for Sugar Trust Employees.

New York, Nov. 25.—Six hundred of the 1,100 employees of the American Sugar company's refinery in Jersey City were discharged Thanksgiving eve and the remainder, Superintendent Robert Moeller declares, will be dropped within a few days. All this, according to the trust's spokesmen, is the result of a dispute with the authorities of Jersey City over the price of water. City officials are inclined to think that the sugar trust is making use of a huge bluff, with the object of forcing down the water rate. On the other hand, Lawyer Edwards, the Jersey City counsel for the trust, says its decision is final and that the sugar house in that city will be abandoned for good this week. The trust's so-called ultimatum to the street and water board is that it must reduce the water toll from seven-and-a-half to six-and-a-half cents per million gallons. It was threatened last week that the works would be closed unless these terms were accepted. But Mayor Hoos and the street and water board declared that the price fixed by them was a reasonable one and that they could not allow themselves to be held up in such a manner.

BROOKLYN "ON THE ROCKS."

Financial Affairs of the City of Churches in a Very Bad Way.

New York, Nov. 25.—For the first time in many years the salaries of city employees of Brooklyn for the month were not paid on the day before Thanksgiving. The cause of this omission was that the city had not the money in hand to pay. As a matter of fact, the salaries for November are not due until Dec. 1, but the custom has been to pay off on the day before Thanksgiving, and this year the salaries would have been paid had the comptroller enough funds at his disposal. The financial condition of the city is very bad. A crisis has arrived. The situation has not been brought about by any dishonesty, but by the failure of the property owners to pay their taxes and by the failure of boards of estimate of the past to make provision in their budgets for arrearages of personal taxes. It is said that the collections of taxes of 1896 for the purposes of 1897 are "shy" by nearly \$2,000,000. The arrearages of personal taxes and the cancellations amount to nearly \$3,000,000. Comptroller Palmer is closing up the books of the city prior to consolidation and has been brought up standing by the rickety condition of the finances.

DESERTS THE GOLD WING.

Lansing Journal Comes Out in Favor of the "Bryantics."

Lansing, Mich., Nov. 25.—The Lansing Journal, owned by ex-Postmaster Louis E. Rowley, was one of the most vigorous and uncompromising gold Democratic newspapers in the country during the last campaign. Wednesday Editor Rowley created a genuine sensation by publishing a four column editorial in which he puts the paper squarely in the regular Democratic column, and swears allegiance to the national organization, its policies, and its leaders. It declares for Democratic "reconciliation and reunion, the excuse for its conversion being that "the shameful excesses of Republicanism are worse than any threatened evils of Populism, and even free silver would be a tolerable alternative to the present reign of demagogism and incompetence at Washington." "What making this change of policy," the Journal takes occasion to say in the last campaign "of gold Democrats were fighting for what they believed to be the true principles of the Democratic faith, and the silver wing of the party is credited with the same sincerity of purpose."

COMPETITION FOR THE MONOPOLY.

Wealthy Milwaukee Men Plan to Build a New Street Car Line.

Milwaukee, Nov. 25.—It is likely the local street railway monopoly will have an active competitor for street railway traffic within the next eight months. The Citizens' Traction company recently applied for a street railway franchise from the Milwaukee common council on a large number of streets paralleling the present lines of the Milwaukee Electric Railway & Light company. When the franchise ordinance was first introduced in the council the attorney for the new company refused to disclose the names of any named parties who are backing the proposed enterprise. Now, however, it is authoritatively announced that the parties back of the new venture are Herman W. Falk, Otto Falk, together with other members of the Falk family, and E. A. Wurster, all wealthy residents of this city. As the Falks stand well in Milwaukee and many of the aldermen are in favor of the construction of a competing street railway line it is considered probable that the franchise will be granted.

ANSWERS IN THE NEGATIVE.

Canada Refuses to Stop Pelagic Sealing as United States Requested.

COMES BACK, HOWEVER, WITH A COUNTER PROPOSITION.

Stated It Contains Another Plan Whereby All Pending Disputes Can Be Settled—Other Gossip from Uncle Sam's Headquarters.

NEW MOVE IN DIPLOMATIC GAME.

Washington, Nov. 25.—"The reply has been prepared by the Dominion government and forwarded to Washington," states an Ottawa dispatch, "in respect to the negotiations which are now going on between both countries. The government will not say what the reply is until the reply reaches Washington, but it is understood that it is a refusal to stop pelagic sealing for a year, as the United States requested. While the question depended upon this, and therefore it would appear the negotiations are to fall of their own accord, however there is a report that Canada has proposed an alternative proposition for the consideration of the United States, which could be laid before congress at its next sitting and passed in time to deal with the pelagic sealing and questions in dispute at the next session."

SHAKE-UP IN THE CABINET.

McKenna's Promotion Will Probably Result in Several Changes.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Attorney General McKenna's successor may not come from the Pacific coast after all. Until within a day or two Judge Waymire of San Francisco undoubtedly had the lead, but now the president seems inclined to come farther east for the new cabinet officer. It has been represented to him that California ought to be satisfied with securing a Republican member of the supreme bench and a cabinet place for the opening of the administration. There is a possibility that the new attorney general may come from the Missouri or Mississippi valley, with Nebraska, the Dakotas, Minnesota and Wisconsin in the foreground. There is still some possibility of a general shakeup in the cabinet. Secretary Bliss is not at home in the interior department. A proposition has been made that he should take the navy, Secretary Long become attorney general, and a Western man found for the interior department. Secretary Long has not made a shining success with the navy department. Assistant Secretary Roosevelt has been the practical head of the navy. He would do the same thing under Mr. Bliss, but there would be less clashing than at present. Western people interested in the forest reserves, railroads, public lands, Indian reservations, and mining claims have complained that Secretary Bliss is not in sympathy with the section he is supposed to deal with, and no one admires this more readily than the secretary himself, who has always wanted to manage the navy. At the same time Secretary Long would be perfectly willing to take up with the department of justice which of late years has been a good stepping stone to better things. Attorney General Olney became secretary of state, and Attorney General McKenna is to go on the supreme bench, so Mr. Long thinks there may be a chance of promotion for him. It is a matter of current gossip that Secretary Bliss is the one member of the cabinet who does not particularly relish Washington life, and there is a bare possibility that he may step out altogether.

MCKINLEY IN GOLD.

\$1,050,000 Statue of the President to Be Placed on Exhibition.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Ada Rehan in silver is to be outshone by William McKinley in gold. The actress' statue in silver, exhibited at the World's Fair in 1893, is to be eclipsed by the president of the United States, who will furnish the figure for a life-size statue of solid gold. This will be the most costly lump of precious metal the people of the modern world have ever seen. So says F. D. Higby of Chicago, who has been retained by western men to furnish such a statue for exhibition at the Paris exposition in 1900. Mr. Higby is in the city to get the consent of President McKinley to pose for the figure. He said: "You know that I designed and built the Montana statue for which Ada Rehan posed. I suppose it was because of my experience that I have been retained to build this statue, which, with the base, will be about seven feet in height, and which will contain bullion to the value of \$1,050,000. While it was designed primarily first to exhibit this gold statue at Paris in 1900, the directors of the Pan-American exposition, to be held in Cayuga island, in the Niagara river, in 1899, are anxious to have it completed in time to exhibit there first. It is likely that this arrangement will be made. I cannot divulge as yet who the capitalists are who are back of the project, but there are a half-dozen of them, and everything is ready to begin work on the statue as soon as a design is completed."

"BASEST OF KINGDOMS."

President McKinley Hears His Pastor Rub It Into Spain.

Washington, Nov. 25.—At the Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal church, where the president attended services today, Rev. Dr. Johnston read the Thanksgiving proclamation of McKinley and said in issuing it the president showed piety and wisdom which augured well for the nation. In the course of his remarks, speaking of perils that threaten the nation, he referred to

Spain as "a burnt-out nation," and "the basest of kingdoms."

The White House was quiet all day, being very much like Sunday. Some executive clerks were in their offices attending to mail and correspondence which was pressing, but none stayed all day. The president also looked over some work on hand. There were only a few visitors during the day, and those came by appointment. Thanksgiving dinner was served at the usual White House hour, 7:30 p. m. President and Mrs. McKinley had as their guests Vice President and Mrs. Hobart, Ensign and Mrs. Smith, the latter a daughter of the late President Hayes, and Mr. and Mrs. Abner McKinley, Miss Barber and Master Garrett Hobart.

Hawaii and Japan Making Up.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Hawaiian Minister Hatch, who has just arrived from Honolulu, expressed the opinion today that the trouble between Japan and Hawaii has been smoothed out and can be settled now without difficulty or irritation. Japan seems, he said, to be disposed to have the matter settled in an amicable spirit as possible. The amount claimed by Japan as damages is not exceeding \$200,000.

Recommendations for Alaska.

Washington, Nov. 25.—It is expected the president will pay more attention than usual to Alaska in his message to congress. He will especially dwell on the need of legislation to secure better government there and secure the government against extensive timber depredations.

HORSE WENT OVER THE BRIDGE.

Two Ohio Girls Killed and Mother Injured in a Runaway.

Middletown, O., Nov. 25.—The Misses Mary and Katie Seaman were drowned this afternoon and their mother is in a dangerous condition, as the result of a runaway. They were driving across a bridge when the horse became frightened and plunged over the guard of the bridge into fifteen feet of water. The ladies went down with the horse and wagon. The screams of the ladies brought help to the scene, but not in time to save the daughters, whose dead bodies were recovered. The mother was rescued with great difficulty and is still in a serious condition.

China Preparing for Trouble.

London, Nov. 25.—A special to The Times from Hong Kong says: "It is reported here from Canton that the viceroy of the province of Quang Tong, with a Chinese admiral and general, is preparing defenses and river forts on Canton river, as a result of telegrams received from the north."

Yokohama, Nov. 25.—The Kiao Chau

affair is seriously occupying the attention of the Japanese government and the representatives of Japan abroad have been instructed to ascertain the position of the powers.

Berlin, Nov. 25.—A Hamburg

correspondent denies there is any foundation for the rumor that the United States will interfere in the Kiao Chau affair.

Salutes the Austrian Flag.

Vienna, Nov. 25.—Dispatches received from Messina, Asia Minor, announce that as a result of the decision of Turkey to grant the demands of Austria for redress in consequence of the ill-treatment of Herr Brazzaville, agent for the Austrian Lloyd Steamship company at that port, and subsequent insults complained of by the Austrian consul there, the flag of Austria was duly saluted at Messina yesterday by Turkish guns, with all the ceremonial demanded by the government of Austria.

Perils of the Sea.

Boston, Nov. 25.—Captain Robinson, of the Clyde line steamer George W. Clyde, which arrived today, reports that last Sunday, between Romaine and Frying Pan lightship, he passed a quantity of wreckage, consisting of a vessel's jib boom and what appeared to be a white painted booby hatch; he also passed through about 150 barrels, which apparently contained resin. No distinguishing marks were visible.

Advertising Pays.

Janesville, Wis., Nov. 25.—Levi Losh-brought, a wealthy farmer, residing three miles from Belvidere, Ill., yesterday met Mrs. Mary Frances Stoops of Minneapolis here, and they were married at the Railroad Hotel by Justice M. P. Richardson. The groom inserted an advertisement in a Chicago matrimonial paper, which the bride answered, and the wedding followed. The groom has a farm of 300 acres and the bride has a row of flats in Minneapolis.

Airship to the Klondike.

San Francisco, Nov. 25.—H. S. Maxim, superintendent of construction of the Atlantic & Pacific Aerial Navigation company, announces that his company has under construction an airship in which it expects to carry provisions and passengers to the Klondike. The vessel is supported by a cylindrical gas bag and driven by a naphtha engine. It is expected to attain one hundred miles an hour.

Albanians in Revolt.

Constantinople, Nov. 25.—In consequence of a revolt of the Albanians of the districts of Ipok and Diakova, northwest Scutari, large bodies of Bulgarian and Servian troops have been ordered to proceed to the disaffected district.

Death of Dr. Raymond.

Chicago, Nov. 25.—Dr. Miner Raymond, one of the founders of Northwestern University, at Evanston, died this morning after a lingering illness.

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SAYS DURRANT IS INNOCENT.

Widow Forbes Believes Her Husband Committed the Murders.

Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. 25.—The widow of Arthur Forbes, alias J. E. Blanthier, who was arrested at Meridian, Tex., charged with having murdered Mrs. Philippina Langfelt in San Francisco, and who committed suicide in the Bosque county jail, has been located in this city by the police officials. The woman now goes by the name of Ada Taylor. She says that she married Arthur Forbes at Little Rock, Ark., in 1892, and that they taught in the public schools in Bosque county in 1896. They had some trouble, during which Forbes shot her three times. About that time Arthur Forbes, alias Blanthier, was arrested, charged with the murder of Mrs. Langfelt, and he was lodged in jail, where he subsequently suicided by taking morphine. Mrs. Forbes says there is no doubt as to Forbes being the murderer of the San Francisco women; that he often told her that he was well acquainted with Minnie Williams and Blanche Lamont, having been introduced to them by Theodore Durrant; that he often referred to the murders in such a manner that she was convinced that he knew something of them. Mrs. Forbes, or Ada Taylor, says that one of her trunks is still in San Francisco, where it was used in evidence during Durrant's trial.

OBJECTS TO BEING CARTOONED.

A California Chinaman Brings Suit for Ten Thousand Dollars.

San Francisco, Nov. 25.—Goldberg, Bowen & Co. has been made defendants in a novel suit. The plaintiff is Nong Fong, a Chinese student at Palo Alto. Last summer while pursuing his studies at the university Nong Fong wooed and married a Caucasian girl, Emma Allen House, also a Stanford university student. The affair created quite a stir in the college town and Goldberg, Bowen & Co., who publish a trade journal known as The Art Domestic, at the same time gave room to a few lines of verse in which the incident was celebrated as "The Wooing and the Wedding of Nong Fong." The verse was accompanied by a half-page cartoon all of which, in the judgment of the bridegroom, had the effect of disturbing his peace of mind, giving him great anguish and holding him up to the ridicule and contempt of the community to the extent of \$10,000.

The M. T. C. Press.

Pittsburg, Nov. 25.—The Methodist Episcopal congress opened this morning with the religious service supposed to have been used in synagogues in the time of Christ. The services, which were deeply interesting, were conducted by Dean Marcus Pouell, of Boston university. After religious services a number of papers were read.

Lost 's Life in Skating.

Florence, Wis., Nov. 25.—W. F. Campbell, principal of the Florence high school, was drowned while skating on Fisher lake. The body was recovered. Mr. Campbell was a graduate of Wisconsin university and was thirty-two years old. He leaves a wife and four children.

ON THE CHICAGO BOARD.

The leading grain futures ranged as follows:

Table with columns: Opened, High, Low, and Close. Rows for Wheat, Corn, and Cash Quotations.

METAL PRICES.

New York, Nov. 24.—Pig iron warrants, weak; \$6.05 bid, \$6.95 asked. Lake copper, dull; 10.65c. bid, 10.75c. asked.

COPPER STOCKS.

Boston, Nov. 24.—The following were the closing prices of copper mining stocks:

Table with columns: Stock Name and Price. Rows include Allouez, Atlantic, Boston & Montana, Butte & Boston, Calumet & Hecla, Centennial, Franklin, Kearsarge, Osoelco, Quincy, and Tamarac.

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WANTED-Desirable room with fire.

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TO RENT-Good office rooms in the Mining Journal building.

FOR SALE-Farming and timber lands.

FOR SALE-One fine freshly painted top buggy.

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Money for the Fair. If a fair is again made a regular feature of Marquette it will be possible to obtain a fund for it from another source than gate receipts or subscriptions.

Photograph Social. The photograph social, held in the parlors of the Presbyterian church, was largely attended.

Weather forecast: Warmer; snow flurries or rain. Yesterday's temperature: 7 a. m., 19 degrees; noon, 29 degrees; 7 p. m., 26 degrees; maximum, 26 degrees; minimum, 19 degrees.

City Brevities. Mrs. Geo. Loomis has gone to Jackson. C. W. Given of the Soo was a visitor here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bradford and Miss Bradford are visitors in the city. Al Westlake reports deer very plentiful around Deerton, and hunters, too.

Charles Johnson of Rock River spent Thanksgiving in the city visiting friends. Walter Stafford of Milwaukee spent yesterday in the city visiting his brother, E. O. Stafford.

Miss West, who has been visiting with Mr. Boxer and family, has returned to her home. Mr. and Mrs. Norton entertained a party of twelve at the Hotel Marquette at a Thanksgiving dinner.

Frank L. Needham, wife and baby, came down from Ishpeming to spend Thanksgiving with Marquette friends. About twenty-five couples from Marquette attended the Conductors' Brotherhood dance at Escanaba Thanksgiving eve.

Porter Bingham left yesterday for his home in Alpena. Mr. Bingham had charge of the Longyear dock the past season. Ed Maney, clerk in the general freight office, D. S. & A. railway, returned last evening for his home at Duluth.

J. C. Fitzgerald, chief clerk in the traffic department of the Wisconsin & Michigan railway, left for Chicago last evening. W. J. Olcott and family of Duluth and Miss T. F. Olcott and Mrs. Ellis of Ishpeming were Thanksgiving day visitors here.

A social hop was given at the Hotel Janzen last evening. About thirty-five invited couples, in addition to the guests of the hostelry, took part in making the event a pleasing one. Thanksgiving at the Branch state prison was the occasion of a holiday for the prisoners. They were served a good venison dinner. Those at the county jail gave thanks over a dinner of turkey and vegetables.

The funeral of the late Alfred Thurlby was held Wednesday afternoon from St. Paul's cathedral. Archdeacon Robinson officiated. The A. O. U. W., the G. A. R. and the Boys' Brigade attended the services as orders. At the grave the G. A. R. services were used and a firing party from the brigade fired a salute to the dead.

Marine Matters. Passed the Canal. Sault Ste. Marie, Nov. 25. [Special.] -Up-Stimson, 11:30; Gilbert, 12; Appomatox, Nicholas, America, 2; Kirby, Hartnell, 3; Northern Wave, 3:40; Wallula, 4:40.

Port List. L. S. & I. dock: Arrived (Wednesday) -Robert Wallace, David Wallace, R. T. Ranney, Traveler, J. M. Hutchinson, Twin Sisters; (Thursday)-Roby, Stafford, Francomb, McWilliams, Cadillac, Forest City; cleared-R. T. Ranney, for Huron, O.

D. S. & A. dock: Arrived-Joseph Paige; cleared-Joseph Paige, for Detroit. Lumber docks: Arrived-none; cleared-none. Coal docks: Arrived-none; cleared-none. Spear's dock: Arrived-none; cleared-none.

Midlake and Harbor Cossip. The Warmington is still tied up to the dock, and will in all probability spend the winter in port. The Norwalk came in yesterday from Munising. She is laying at Spear's dock taking on lumber to complete her cargo.

The steamer J. H. Devereaux finished unloading her cargo of coal at the coal pier. The J. H. Sawyer, Choctaw and Continental are awaiting their turn at the derricks. Captain Shoemaker of the revenue marine service has issued orders to the cutters on the great lakes to go into

quarters Nov. 30. The Fessenden will lay up at Detroit, the Calumet at Chicago and the Gresham at Milwaukee. Two of the Lake Michigan and Lake Superior Transportation companies steamers are considered about as good as secured for the St. Joseph and Chicago routes. They will connect with the Vandalia and Big Four systems. They are the Jay Gould and either the City of Traverse or City of Duluth.

A few coal cargoes for the head of Lake Superior are still on the market. Rates on first class cargoes are unchanged at sixty-five cents to Milwaukee and seventy-five cents to Duluth. All the Lake Superior boats that have been chartered up to date will get loaded this week and they are all figuring on coming down again, as some of the local owners have found it to be very expensive to lay up at Lake Superior ports.

Slowly Tuning Into Chalk. A St. Louis Man Dying from a Puzzling Malady. Frank Ritter, one of the oldest and best known saloonkeepers in St. Louis, is turning into chalk.

Day after day he is dying, inch by inch, in the heart of busiest St. Louis, and science confesses itself puzzled beyond power of helping him. Special attention has been attracted to Mr. Ritter's case at the present time by a visit to his place of business recently of a number of delegates to the convention of the Southern Surgical society to view his strange malady. All united in pronouncing it one of the most remarkable cases on record. For the benefit of the doctors Mr. Ritter traced his name in chalk by simply rubbing his hands against a table.

Five years ago Science told Ritter that he would die young. Since then it has cut off his left leg in eight chalky sections. Now the right foot and part of the right leg is like that of a marble statue and time is coming, once more, when that limb must be taken away. Both of the hands are so affected that their usefulness is nearly past. Science has given it a name that the victim has already forgotten, because he believes in enjoying life so long as it may last. The disease is called calcification by Dr. Elisha Gregory, who pronounces Ritter's case the most perfect type of gout known to the savants. Eight times did the surgeon's knife cut blocks of chalk from the man's left leg before it was finally removed above the knee. Morphine in sufficient quantities to have killed four ordinary men was administered, because Ritter is a man with such a marvelous constitution that a small amount could not even stupefy him.

Still he lives while dying just across the street from the money change. Since 1866 he has kept a saloon on Locust street, between Fourth and Fifth. Any day, from 10 o'clock in the morning to 5 in the afternoon, he plays base in the same arm chair, his back to the same window, through which for years here has streamed over him a flood of daylight. Here he sits until noon, sometimes on the passing show and jibing those who wear long faces. In his own face there is the expression of a contented man. He says that he is content and has no complaint; glad that he can enjoy that rarest of all privileges, the privilege of living and having joyful friendships. "Many are dead," is his argument; "I am only half dead."

Job could not have been more afflicted in body than Ritter, but Job lifted up his voice and said: "Let the day perish wherein I was born." But Ritter thinks that he could have taught Job a lesson. Fortune has emptied its treasures into the stout-hearted old German's lap. It is still pouring in upon him. If business prosperity should suddenly cease, there would be no need of worry, for goodly bags of coin in vaults not many steps distant make him easy for his life. Everything has smiled upon him except the results of his gout.

Hope is not a virtue with Ritter, though he has not given over attempting to save his life by every honest effort. Some time ago a German friend told him of a new discovery, made some four years ago in Berlin. It is called Piperazine, and costs \$5 an ounce. Its properties are said to be those which will dissolve chalky substances in the human body. Ritter is now trying it, though he rather looks askant at its claims.

Dr. Elisha Gregory, who has been attending the chalk patient for fifteen years, gave a scientific explanation of the strange case. "It is a very rare occurrence," he said. "Indeed, an extraordinary case, and may be pronounced the most perfect type of chronic gout on record. It is a calcification. Gout, you know, is nothing else but chalk. This calcification is caused by the lime salts of the body entering into the gouty limbs, which are perfectly passive and, therefore, unable to throw off the accumulation, so that the lime drift is converted into chalk, the vitality in the passive limbs being so low that there is no resistance. A live tree would assimilate these natural salts, which would pass off as they do in a human. Naturally, a dead tree, being inactive and, therefore, quietly submitting, takes on the form of calcification, and then you have what is commonly known as petrified wood."

"Calcification is the result, in other words, of a premature senility in the body or any portion of it, produced, of course, by disease. Sometimes the calcification appears in bunches and clots and again in solid form. Ritter is the most perfect type of calcified man I have ever known, so far as it has extended."

"His arteries were so fragile, that is so chalky, that when several amputations were made, it was only with extreme difficulty that they could be kept from breaking off. "He is, in my opinion, a remarkable man. Every mental faculty is wide awake and he is a capable man, more so than most people who are physically perfect. Above all he is a contented man-perfectly satisfied with his life, and that, to me, is a continuous source of wonderment. Contentment, sir, is the most seductive quality in all nature. If a man can only be content, disease does not matter. The triumph of mind over matter is the most beautiful thing in all nature to contemplate. Why not be satisfied? Ritter is a man whose mind is triumphant over his bodily infirmities. While he is wasting away, his constitution is vigorous. And again there is another thought suggested by so strange a case. "His return to the other world is only

premature in that he is going back now, in life, to the man's brother, the rock, whence he came, and that, after all, is the most enduring form of all nature. Truly, I think Ritter can teach the world a lesson of nobility of character in the face of so-called suffering."

Frank Ritter was found at his saloon on Locust street. He drives down there every day of his life, weather conditions not considered. He has an elegant residence at No. 4,339 Morgan street, appointed with every luxury that money can supply, yet he prefers the busy hum of life, the warm pressure of a friend's hand, the glad sparkle of a life joy to beaming eyes, yet none have so bright a face and so warm a welcome as he. In a comfortable phaeton, with a gentle pony, he makes the long drive alone, and reaches the saloon at 10 o'clock to the dot. Then he rests in the oaken arm chair beneath a window in the rear, and there receives his friends who want counsel, wit or quiet talk. He can tell of the old days on the Mississippi, when steamer life was princely, and many things of romantic interest in these dull days of grind.

"Yes, I am content," he said. "What's the use of being any other way. It can't be helped, so we might as well make the best of it. I am glad that I'm alive; there are a whole lot dead, and I'm only half dead," and Ritter laughed at his own joke.

"Yes; if these pieces of chalk were taken from my hand now and exposed to a white hot air, you could readily write your name on a blackboard. What brought it? I don't know. The doctors don't know, and I guess it don't make much difference any way. I never think about it. I have got plenty of friends, and I am getting along in life when a man hasn't many more years to live. I was born in 1831, and came to St. Louis from Paducah, Ky., in 1845. From that date to 1866 I was on the river, working in a cabin boy to be a steward. I was at the battle of Vicksburg-that is, on a steamer, and didn't take part in it. This disease of mine began about fifteen years ago. It didn't amount to much at first, but grew right along. I have had my leg cut eight times, and then the doctor shook his head one day.

"I told him I knew what he was thinking about. It was about taking the leg off. He said yes, and I told him to go ahead. So there you are. It came off. Oh, yes, it goes right along. I am trying Piperazine. I don't know what it will amount to. Come around some time and take lunch with me."

Ritter is now in a condition that prevents him from moving around without assistance, but he is still jovial and is glad that he is living.-St. Louis Star.

WHAT TO EAT IN HOT WEATHER. Healthful Dishes That Can Be Prepared with Little Fire. During the hot months the diet should consist largely of dairy, cold, lean meat, green, succulent vegetables, and fruits. It is a popular fallacy that the free use of sub-acid fruits during hot weather causes disturbance of the bowels. No diet is more healthful than ripe fruit provided it is properly masticated and swallowed before or after bread and butter, but never with it.

The lighter wheat preparations, such as farina, wheatlet and glutena, should be substituted for the heat-giving oatmeal for breakfast. Cook enough one morning to last two, as they are just as palatable cold as they are hot. While fried food may seem a little out of place in the warm weather there are certain light dishes that may be utilized for breakfast. Cornmeal or hominy croquettes, or even rice croquettes, may be made the day before and simply fried at serving time. Squash and cucumbers may be dipped and fried. In the chafing-dish one may have chipped beef, creamed or fricasseed barbecued beef, cold mutton warmed in a little tomato sauce, and dishes of eggs, such as omelets, scrambled eggs, creamed eggs or poached eggs.

Fruit should be served in a flat dish, with, if the weather is particularly hot, a little chopped ice sprinkled over it. Fruit that is very acid should not be served too cold. Powdered sugar and cream should accompany the fruit course. In the place of chops or steaks we may have eggplant, broiled or fried tomatoes, pan-fried tomatoes, a dainty omelet with peas, omelet with asparagus tips, or with parsley, followed by the fruit. Corn oysters and corn fritters may also take the place of meat. Coffee, tea, chocolate and milk are, of course, in summer, as in winter, the breakfast beverages.-Mrs. S. T. Rorer, in Ladies' Home Journal.

For the Evening. Inexpensive evening gowns of figured taffeta are effectively trimmed with a cluster of half-inch bias satin folds around the skirt, and have the satin for the belt. Mauve China crepe forms an evening waist, made high, with long sleeves. Skirt is of white taffeta figured in mauve and green. Sash, belt and collar are of green velvet ribbon, and lace ruffles appear in the wrists and collar top. Black velvet dog collars are becomingly worn with light silk gowns. A black velvet belt is also distinctly French in effect.-Dry Goods Emporium.

Cocoonut Balls. Grate a cocoanut; add to it half its weight of sugar; then stir in the whipped white of one egg. Roll the mixture into balls and bake in a moderate oven 20 to 30 minutes. If the mixture is too soft to hold its shape add a very little flour.-N. Y. Ledger.

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WANTS TO PLAY THE CHAMPIONS.

A High School Team at Madison, Wis., Would Like to Meet Ishpeeming's Eleven.

The manager of the Ishpeeming High school football team received a telegram Wednesday from the Madison High school team, asking that the local eleven go to that city Thanksgiving to play a game. The manager of the team offered, but it was no inducement, as the team disbanded for the season after he game with the Mining school eleven. Even if the team had remained together the boys would not play the Madison eleven, as the latter do not belong to the Michigan-Wisconsin High School league. There are three or four members of the team who are not up to the standard in their studies and for this reason the faculty is violating the rules of the league by allowing them to play. Then there are two or three men in the team who play regularly with the Wisconsin university team. While this would not make any difference with the local players, as they are not afraid of being defeated by the combination, they would be thrown out of the league in case they went against the Madison eleven, and would be debarred from entering the athletic meet at Madison next spring. They don't want to miss that event, as they feel sure that they are going to have a good time there the coming spring.

Trouble With the Teamsters.

F. Braastad & Co. have had quite a little trouble with their deliverymen of late. A few weeks ago four or five of the teamsters at the grocery store gave up their jobs because the foreman wanted them to observe certain rules, and on Wednesday four of the men who drive the coal and wood teams quit work without giving notice. Ex-Marshall John Westgren has charge of the latter teamsters and he and the men had some difference relative to the work. John had given the teamsters orders to make certain reports to him but they paid no attention to the request. When he reminded the men that they would have to obey orders they all threw up their jobs. There was no difficulty experienced in getting men to fill the vacancies.

A Monster Calf.

Joe Lefler had quite an attraction at his meat market on East Division street Wednesday. It was the carcass of a calf which he raised. It was just eight weeks old and weighed 150 pounds dressed. This is the largest calf for its age ever seen in this city. Mr. Lefler had a beauty two years ago, but it fell far behind this one in weight, age considered.

ISHPEEMING IN BRIEF.

Mrs. Frank Needham spent Thanksgiving with friends at Marquette.

Miss Susie Maroney will spend the next few days with friends in Escanaba.

Bishop Vertin will confirm a class of thirty young people at St. Joseph's church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Professor Hardy spent Thanksgiving with his folks at Chicago and he took in the great Michigan-Chicago football game there.

George Sheldon, Ernest Anderson and George Buzzo came down from the Mining school to spend Thanksgiving with their folks.

Some forty or fifty members of the Swedish Home society of this city attended a meeting of the Swedish society at Marquette Wednesday evening.

Ed Cronin has been ill and confined to the house the past few days. Mrs. Cronin got home Wednesday from the copper country, where she spent the past few weeks.

All work at the Winthrop open pits was suspended Wednesday. Mr. Braastad says he expected to receive an order for another cargo or two before the shipping season closed.

F. Braastad will leave today for Chicago to attend the banquet to be tendered Nansen there tomorrow. This will be a brilliant affair and will be attended by prominent men from different parts of the country.

The members of No. 3 hose company of the fire department were called out Wednesday evening to put out a blaze started by a defective chimney in Mrs. McCormack's dwelling on South Pine street. The damage was confined to the cutting of a small hole in the roof where the blaze had started. The firemen did good work in preventing the fire from spreading.

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THE FIREMEN'S BALL.

It Brought Out a Large Gathering and Passed Off Very Joyously.

The crowd that turned out to the firemen's ball Wednesday evening at the A. O. U. W. hall was sufficient to render dancing rather uncomfortable at times. There were over one hundred couples present, in spite of the fact that some fifty or sixty couples from here went down to attend the Brotherhood ball there the same evening.

The dance was continued from 9 until 4 o'clock, so that all present had all the dancing they could stand. The music furnished by the Twin City orchestra was favorably commented on by the dancers.

The hall was brilliantly lighted with electricity and gas and the decorations were in red.

The banquet at the Nelson House was a fine one and the firemen and their friends were delighted with it. The menu cards were red, the decorations were also red and the waitresses were attired in red dresses. The numerous trumpets owned by the department were displayed with exquisite taste about the dining room. These with the other effects gave the room a very attractive appearance.

SIDNAW LOCALS.

Mrs. Disbro is reported convalescing. Mrs. Muskatt's father and mother from New York state are here visiting.

Mr. Cameron takes Mr. Podesta's place as foreman at the Booth & Tucker mill.

A. G. Johnston spent the first of the week here, while his brother Robert went deer hunting.

The Swedish people held a church reunion here last Saturday and Sunday. A number from Trout Creek attended.

Thomas Miller, a former resident of this place, but now of Munising, mingled with friends here the first of the week.

The ladies of the L. O. T. M. have given a masquerade ball Thanksgiving evening. The Corbin orchestra furnished music for the dancers.

H. C. Stewart, our postmaster, can tell you of a fourteen-mile walk and that he saw nothing but tracks. 'Tis not what it is cracked up to be, he admits.

R. E. Stephenson of Ontonagon, who was taken to Menominee about six weeks ago to be treated for hemorrhage of the stomach, passed through here last Wednesday fully restored to health. He was en route for Ontonagon, where he will again assume his duties with the Diamond Match company. George Schriver filled the vacancy during the absence of Mr. Stephenson.

It is rumored that a change in the proprietorship of the Manning building is contemplated which will, if effected, be followed by the establishment there of a saloon. If it should appear that this is to be attempted the people of the place should protest against the outrage of putting a saloon right by the school house, where the bad language and bad example of its patrons will poison the minds of the children attending school, and make their protest effective. A man's conscience must be indeed calloused to permit him to think of such a thing, and the citizens of Sidnaw owe it to themselves and their children to see that the building is put to no such use, no matter who owns it.

ONLY ONE WAY TO TRAP COONS.

This Way Was Discovered by an Observant Pochuck Mountain Hunter.

"If any one ever told you he trapped a coon in the woods he told you what never happened," said a Pochuck coon hunter to a New York Sun correspondent. "Coons can't be trapped except in one way, and I never found a coon hunter yet who knew how it was done. You may track a coon to his home in some crevice of a rock, which is a favorite retreat for him if he can find one; place your trap in front of the hole and disguise it as much as you may—cover it a foot deep with leaves if you like—but that coon will never leave that hole as long as that trap is there. He will starve first. The coon has keenest scent of any animal. He can smell the iron of that trap, and he seems to know the danger it threatens him with. He knows it will be death to leave the hole and he prefers death by starvation to being trapped. I have tried iron traps and snares and all sorts of devices, but never could succeed in fooling one of these little beasts into getting caught by any of them.

"It isn't often you see a coon in the daytime, but you may if you know where to look for them. If there is a creek anywhere in which crawfish abound, you may see some epicurean coon fishing for them almost any day along in the afternoon, if you hide at the side of the creek and keep very quiet. The coon is particularly fond of crawfish. He eats his fishes for them is to wade in the creek, generally going down stream.

"The crawfish live under stones on the bottom. The coon feels with his forepaw under each stone he comes to, thrusting one paw under from one side and the other paw from the other side. It is a comical sight to see a coon fishing for crawfish. He keeps his head high in the air, moving it up and down and to and fro, his eyes evidently gazing at nothing, every sense seeming to be concentrated on the business beneath the water. You can tell instantly when he has fastened on to a crawfish, for the expression on his face changes at once from the dull, vacant stare to one of brightness and animation. He draws the crawfish out of the water, and standing erect on his hind feet, rolls it smartly between his paws. This crushes the shell and claws of the crawfish and makes the sweet meat accessible. The coon eats his capture with great relish, and then begins the search for another one.

"While watching a coon fishing in this way one day I got the idea of trapping coons. I thought that by placing a steel trap on the bottom of the creek where coons found the crawfishing good they

might be deceived, and, more than likely, caught. I made the experiment. I sank two traps at different places on a favorite crawfishing route for coons, and the same afternoon found a coon in each trap. I have trapped hundreds of them since then, and that is the only way you can trap a coon."



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7:15 a.m.	Summit	6:25 "	...
7:45 a.m.	Beaver	6:55 "	...
8:15 a.m.	G'd Marais June.	7:25 "	...
8:45 a.m.	Seney	7:55 "	...
9:15 a.m.	State Road	8:25 "	...
9:45 a.m.	Star - Y	8:55 "	...
10:15 a.m.	Linton	9:25 "	...
10:45 a.m.	Camp 7	9:55 "	...
11:15 a.m.	Ar. Seney	10:25 "	...
11:45 a.m.	Lv. Ar.	10:55 "	...
12:15 p.m.	Lv. Germfask	11:25 "	...

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In and About Negaunee

THE JONES SNOW PLOW.
It Will be Exhibited in Negaunee and Other
Places in the U. P.

R. C. Chamberlin of Calumet was
here Wednesday endeavoring to sell the
city one of the Jones patent snow plows.
This is a new plow, invented by F. B.
Jones of Bessemer, Mich., a short time
ago, and is manufactured by Benjamin
Gerhardt of Racine, Wis. Mr. Cham-
berlin says the manufacturer guaran-
tees that the plow will do more work
with better satisfaction than one hun-
dred men with shovels and it can be
drawn with one horse. The agent is
loaded down with testimonials from the
leading business and professional men
of the Gogebic range who have seen the
plow operated in the towns up there.
They all say it is a money saver for the
purpose of removing snow from the
streets or sidewalks.

Mr. Chamberlin recently disposed of
three of the plows in the copper country
and says he is sure of selling at least
five more up there if the device proves
what he claims it is. Just as soon as
there is sufficient snow on the ground
the manufacturer is going to send one
of the plows through the upper penin-
sula and have it operated in the differ-
ent towns give their people a chance
to examine it thoroughly and see it work.

Though it is not likely this city will
want a new plow Mr. Chamberlin said
that the Jones' plow would be exhibited
here just the same. The plow in use
here is one of the best in the upper pen-
insula and the authorities have been
perfectly satisfied with it. It is not un-
likely, however, that in case the Jones'
plow is superior to it that a reason-
able sum can be saved every winter
by its use one will be purchased. If
the manufacturer can show where half
the saving claimed can be effected by
the use of his plow the city will certainly
be in the market for one of them.

The manufacturer of the Jones' plow
claims that all the sidewalks in a city
of 10,000 population can be cleared twice
a week for four months during the win-
ter season for less than \$200. This is
figuring on allowing \$3 per day for a
man and one horse. It is claimed that
it is not necessary to follow the plow
from two to four men shoveling the
snow that falls on the walk back of it.
In towns where all the plowing is
done with the hose team the cost of
clearing the walks can be reduced to a
very small amount.

When Mr. Chamberlin called on
Mayor Kirkwood his honor seemed
greatly interested in the plow and he
said he would like to see it operated.
He is satisfied with the plow now owned
and used by the city, and thinks there
is no better, but is open to conviction
on that point.

The Train Was Crowded.
The crowd that went from this county
to the ball given Wednesday night un-
der auspices of the Brotherhood of
Railway Conductors at Escanaba was
larger than expected. Over fifty cou-
ples went from Ishpeming and Negaunee
was represented by over fifty cou-
ples, while there were several couples
from Marquette. There were three
coaches and a baggage car on the spe-
cial train which left Ishpeming at 7
o'clock. All of these were crowded and
a number had to stand up going down.
The ball was so largely attended by
people from Escanaba and other towns
near there that there was very little
comfort dancing in the big rink. In
spite of the jam those present from here
had a good time and they did not regret
taking the trip.

Fifty Families Supplied.
The contributions for the poor of the
city received Wednesday afternoon at
the High school building were fully as
liberal as was expected. The names of
about fifty families in need of assist-
ance were handed in. All of these were
given a very generous supply for
Thanksgiving. The principal things
donated were articles of food, among
which were turkeys, chickens, beef, etc.
Some clothing was also sent around.

Gave a Basket Social
The ladies of the Swedish Lutheran
church society gave a basket social last
evening at the church. Though the af-
fair was gotten up on short notice there
was a very large attendance. The
amusement provided was of a novel
character and all present had a most
happy time. The ladies added a few
dollars to the church fund as a result
of the social.

None of His Business.
Colonel Western was walking up St.
Louis avenue, when he saw a gentleman
in front of him whom he took to be his
friend. Overtaking him, he gave his
supposed friend a fearful slap on the
back. The man turned around very
much surprised, and lo and behold! he
wasn't Jones at all.

"Excuse me, sir. I thought you were
Jones," exclaimed Colonel Western.
"Well," replied the stranger, rubbing
his shoulder, "why do you try to break
his back that way?"
"Excuse me, sir, what I do to Jones is
none of your confounded business," re-
torted Colonel Western, haughtily.—
New York World.

Beyond the Pale.
"Kind lady," said the tattered man,
"you see before you an outcast in a
double sense. I am not allowed to mix
with good society, and even my
other tramps refuse to associate with
me."
"My, oh my! What dreadful crime
have you committed?"
"Why, mum, one day when it was
thundering and lightning most terrific I
took refuge in a factory. They'll never
forgive it, mum."—New York Journal.

No Martyr.
"I asked the young woman in front of
me to remove her big hat so I could see
the stage."
"Did she do it?"
"No; she said if she held her hat in
her lap she couldn't see the stage her-
self."—Chicago News.

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cure. 25c. The Genuine has L. B. Q. on each
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PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

—Prof. Marsh, who holds the chair of
paleontology at Yale, has drawn nosal-
ary for his services since 1866.

—Mr. Ruskin's health has improved,
and he is interesting himself in the pub-
lication of the addresses delivered by
him at Oxford on landscape painting.

—Franchetti, the banker composer,
is building an opera house at his coun-
try seat, where he can have his own
works performed without subjecting
them to the judgment of managers.

—Miss Mary Rachel Dobson, the eld-
est daughter of Austin Dobson, the
English poet, has joined a missionary
settlement for college women in Bom-
bay. She is a graduate of London uni-
versity.

—Miss Nellie Patterson, a young
woman of Mount Carmel, Conn., has
completed a four-years' apprenticeship
to the machinist trade and proposes to
undertake toolmaking as her special
line of work.

—Assistant Secretary of State Day
is a baseball crank. When Judge Day
was a student at the University of Mich-
igan he played on the 'varsity nine and
he has never lost interest in the sport.
He seldom misses a game in Washing-
ton and is usually accompanied by one
or more of his four sons.

—An evangelist named F. W. Sand-
ford has established an institution in
Durham, Me., to which he has given the
queer name of "The Holy Ghost and
Us Bible school." His followers believe
that all other Christians except them-
selves are on the wrong road. Sandford
casts out devils every day and claims
to be in personal communication with
God.

—Louise Michel, the anarchist, was
mugged the other day at Lille, where
she was to give a lecture. A crowd of
a thousand persons met her at the rail-
road station with cries of "Down with
Louise Michel!" "Down with anarchy!"
"Hou! hou!" "Duck her, duck her!"
and had to be scattered by a large force
of police. Her lecture in the evening
was listened to without interruption,
but there was a row at the close.

MISSIONARY BANKING.

Methods by Which \$5,000,000 a Year
is Distributed All Over the Earth.
It is estimated that about \$5,000,000
a year is sent abroad by the treasurers
of the different foreign missionary
boards of this country and with such
an amount the matter of exchange and
other items of expense becomes of con-
siderable importance. This money is
sent to all corners of the earth, and
the handling of it keeps busy a great
many clerks.

Each foreign board treasurer seems
to have his own way of transmitting
money to foreign fields. Nearly 30
years ago the Methodists adopted a plan
which their secretaries declare cannot
be improved upon. The plan is this:
A secretary draws a three-day draft on
the treasurer of his own board. This
draft he mails to a missionary in some
part of the globe. The missionary
cashes the draft at any local bank. No
missionary is permitted to draw on the
treasurer of his home board. Only a
board secretary is authorized to sign a
draft.

Some advantages of this plan are:
1. The saving of the cost of a bank
draft, because the secretary uses his
own draft. 2. The saving of interest
while the money is in transit. 3. A
gaining of time. To illustrate the lat-
ter advantage it is useful only to point
out that, were a draft purchased at a
bank, the money or its collateral would,
of course, have to be forthcoming to pay
for it. Under the plan in use the sec-
retary sends the draft to the missionary
whether he has the ready money or the
collateral in hand at the moment or not.
One to three months are required for
the mails to bring the draft back. By
that time the money is in hand.

The American Church Missionary so-
ciety, which is auxiliary to the Pro-
testant Episcopal board of missions, two
years ago adopted a plan somewhat
similar to the foregoing. Previous to
that time it had been buying London
exchange and paying many dollars an-
nually for the same. Now the secre-
tary issues a letter of credit to the treas-
urer of the mission, in Brazil, for ex-
ample. On this letter the treasurer re-
ceiving it draws drafts up to its amount,
which drafts he gets cashed at his local
bank at the current rate of exchange.
The same advantages in saving of cost
of exchange, in interest, and in time
accrue as under the plan employed by
the Methodist board.

The Presbyterian board still uses
drafts on London. The treasurer of the
foreign board draws a draft on the
English bank. In this bank he keeps a
balance by buying bills of exchange
here. As interest is allowed on bal-
ances by the London bank, little is lost
except the cost of the bill of exchange.
Under all of these plans the amount
the missionary gets varies of course
with the fluctuation in the exchange
rate. For instance: In October, 1895,
the Presbyterian foreign board sent
£200 to Brazil, and it netted \$350 au-
reus. Last October it sent the same
sum and it netted 6,000 milreis, a differ-
ence of almost \$200.

In Africa the drafts of the Methodist
board are similar, in both appearance
and availability, to United States
money. Some are issued for as small
a sum as 25 cents. They pass as readily
as currency all along the coast and in
many parts of the interior. Often they
are many months, in some cases years,
in being returned to the home office for
redemption.—Church Economist.

Obvious.
Laura—I wonder why they refer to
courtship as "parking?"
Nonie—It arises from the usual con-
dition of the gas in the room, I sup-
pose.—Pittsburgh News.

News to Him.
"Papa, how do the people for the
weather bureau find out what the
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QUEEN CITY GAVE THANKS

Day Was Generally Observed Though People Celebrated it in Various Ways.

GOOD CHEER AT CHARITABLE AND PENAL INSTITUTIONS.

Devout Folks Listened to an Eloquent Address by Rev. E. A. Elliott, the Newly Installed Pastor of the Methodist Church.

OUTLINES OF THE DAY'S CELEBRATION.

The Presbyterian church was packed to the door to hear the Rev. E. A. Elliott preach his first Thanksgiving sermon in Marquette. Mr. Elliott was assisted by Rev. Spencer, pastor of the church, and Rev. Snow, pastor of the Baptist church. The service was of deep interest. The music was of the best, and all present were grateful for the privilege of giving thanks.

The speaker took his text from Eccl. 7th chapter and 19th verse: "Say thou, what is the cause that the former days were better than these? For thou dost not not enquire wisely concerning this."

Thousands of years ago there were those who claimed that the past was superior to the present. There are people today who advance the same idea. This world as yet is not perfect. God, through human agencies, is busy with it still.

It is in process of redemption, recovery and regeneration. The speaker then spoke of the advance our world had made in things material. Our planet had practically been made over again to suit our modern life. He contrasted the comforts and conveniences of today with those of a few generations ago, portraying the improvements made along all lines pertaining to our material civilization.

So accustomed do we become to these things that we are apt to lose appreciation of their wonder and their beneficence. Along lines intellectual the world has also progressed. In intellect of the world we have childhood, youth and manhood. Humanly has passed the block building period and now today has learned to think deeply consecutively, profoundly, to examine evidence, to understand the philosophy of things. The intellect of man has developed from the alphabet of infant years to read with Kepler, God's thoughts after Him in the grand marches of the stars.

Morally and religiously we have advanced.

The world was immeasurably worse five hundred years ago, only the people then had no way of finding it out. Today nearly everything is revealed by the omniscient eye of the press. Contrast the past with the present and we see that the moral ideal is the mightiest power in the world.

Religiously we have advanced. Today men look away from the sign to the thing signified. The tendency is to "ring out the old, ring in the new, ring out the false, ring in the true."

We are not now fighting dead dogma and cold creeds, but unbilled alive. Men no longer rest on antiquated and superficial systems of thought. Never was there more of the religion of Christ than there is in the world today.

Surely we have reason to be grateful for the marvelous advancement along all lines. This national recognition is a blessed heritage left us by our fathers. Had they been men without heroic virtue; had they worshipped gold instead of God; had they banished Bible and Sabbath, we had not endured as a nation.

We are grateful to them and to all the past for what we have and are.

We owe to humanity under God our brains, our education, our skill with hand or mind. Personally we have much to be grateful for; we have enough to make us happy and glad, if we but take a careful inventory of all our mercies.

The finest things in the world are ours. Home, friendship, love and truth. And all the finest things of life, of God and the service of humanity, are ours.

Goes to Coldwater.

J. B. Montgomery of Michigamme, county commissioner of schools, has been given the superintendency of the state school at Coldwater, in the lower part of the state. He will give up his position as county superintendent, also as superintendent of the Michigamme school, and assume charge of Coldwater institution.

Mr. Montgomery's removal will necessitate the appointment of a county commissioner to succeed him. The selection will in all probability be made at the January meeting of the board of supervisors.

At present the position is worth \$1,200 a year, but the occupant is not required to give his entire time to the work. The unexpired portion of Mr. Montgomery's term will undoubtedly be filled out under the former arrangement, but there is a growing sentiment on the board in favor of requiring the superintendent to give his whole time to the work, and raising the salary to a figure which will command the services of a good man.

This reform is especially urged by the county supervisors, as the district schools come directly under the superintendent's charge.

Several booms have already been started for prospective candidates.

A Successful Ball.

The Ancient Order of Hibernian held their annual ball in the Casino rink Thanksgiving eve. The ball was one of the most enjoyable ever held in the city. The rink was tastefully decorated with flags, bunting and evergreens. The floor was perfect and music of the highest order. Over one hundred and twenty-five couples were on the floor during the evening.

The grand march was led by John Coughlin and Miss Glenn, and John Crowley and Miss Hennissy.

A supper was served by the ladies of the auxiliary in the vacant store in the opera house block. Nearly all of the dancers partook of the refreshments.

Assembly Hop.

The ladies of the Assembly gave a pleasing hop at Fraternity Hall last evening, which was participated in by over one hundred couples. Professor Muhlbauer's full orchestra was in attendance and Joe Hogan officiated as prompter.

Among those present from up-the-

road were: J. M. Perkins, Carl H. Cooper, H. B. Krogman, J. Mitchell, A. F. Maitland and T. P. Tillson and wife of Negaunee, and Miss Sedgwick, Miss Walters, Mrs. Barbour and George W. Hayden of Ishpeming.

Maney-Fitzgerald Nuptials.

A very pretty wedding was celebrated at St. Peter's cathedral at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning. Rev. Father Keul making James Maney, chief clerk of the general passenger department of the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic railway, and Miss Florence May Fitzgerald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fitzgerald of 321 North Front street, man and wife in the presence of a large assemblage of their friends and well-wishers.

The bridal party entered the church promptly at the appointed hour. The maid of honor was Miss Lulu Fitzgerald of Duluth, a cousin of the bride, who wore pink tulle of silk, covered with white organdie, and carried pink carnations. Immediately following her was the bridesmaid, Miss Harriet Sullivan, her costume being of yellow silk, covered with white organdie and lace, while her flowers were Marechal Niel roses. The groom, supported by his brother, Edward Maney of Duluth, as groomsmen, followed. Last came the bride, leaning on the arm of her father. She was handsomely gowned in a costume of white brocaded satin en train, with pearl trimmings and chiffon, her hand bouquet being white brides roses.

Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents on Front street, where an elaborate wedding lunch was served. The table decorations were of white roses, carnations and smilax. Mr. and Mrs. Maney stood to receive the congratulations of their friends under an arch of ground pine in the parlor. Evergreens and caryanthemums comprised the house decorations.

A beautiful array of wedding gifts was in evidence, many being from friends at a distance. An elegant onyx table from Mr. Maney's railroad associates was one of the most beautiful presents, while many pieces of furniture, bronze clocks and a large collection of silverware and cut glass made the room in which the presents were displayed a source of admiration for all.

At 1:30 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Maney took the train for Detroit, enroute to Cleveland, Chicago, Niagara Falls and New York city. Returning about Dec. 15, they will be at home to their friends at 321 N. Front street. A merry party of friends escorted the newly wedded couple to the train and their carriage was liberally sprinkled with rice, and the traditional old shoes were also in evidence.

Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding were James Fitzgerald of Chicago, brother of the bride; Edward Maney and Miss Lulu Fitzgerald of Duluth, and Mr. and Mrs. James Clancey and Mr. and Mrs. N. Lemay of Ishpeming.

Hoard-Saddler.

Frank H. Hoard and Elizabeth M. Saddler were married yesterday at the residence of Father Keul, who performed the nuptial ceremony. Dr. Boyce was best man and Miss Florence Manhard was bridesmaid. A wedding party was held at the residence of Mrs. Hoard, 318 Bluff street. About fifty friends of the young couple were entertained.

There were many costly presents given the young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Hoard will go east today.

Had a Rough Time.

The Niagara, one of the finest steel steamers on the lakes, came in early yesterday morning out of the storm. The captain says that it was one of the worst gales he had ever passed through. The snow and sleet were blinding, coming down so thickly that he found it impossible to proceed on his way. He had hard work to make the harbor. The boat was up near the brakewater before they could see the light. She was covered from bow to stern with ice. The captain reports that other boats were out in the gale, and that nearly fifty were laying behind Whitefish Point, waiting for better weather. The boat has a cargo of coal and is going to Duluth.

Sweet Rosy O'Grady.

Rosy is one of a party of three that Marshal Downing of Ishpeming brought down to the county jail yesterday. They are disorderly persons who were taken from the "Halfway house" near Champion and will spend ten days in the county jail and is expected to leave the county afterward. Frank Cory and Laura Mason are Rosy's companions in durance.

Swedish Crown Social.

This society held a very successful dance at Fraternity Hall Thanksgiving eve. About one hundred couples were assembled in the hall, thirty-five of these having come down from Ishpeming. The music was furnished by the Zryd family.

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