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And now the copper country is thinking of arranging a skiing tournament.

London proposes to banish "Hooligan," "Hooligan" being the bad boy and girl of the world's metropolises.

A number of cities whose fire departments hold membership in the Upper Peninsula association have already signified their intention of seeking the 1902 meeting.

The Outlook, a London publication, reviewing the trade competition between England and the United States, said Saturday:

After all, the truth probably is the natural advantages and resources of the United States so far surpass ours as to assure them the commercial pre-eminence they are rapidly attaining.

The state department expects that Count von Walderssee will give up his projected raid through the Chinese provinces, and remain at Peking.

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Upper peninsula people have had their eyes on Lansing more than ever before during the past few weeks.

MOST UNFORTUNATE, INDEED. The Marine Review, in its current number, says: It is an unfortunate circumstance that partisanship and controversy in congress has made it impossible for the president to bestow upon the naval men engaged in the battle of Santiago the rewards which they deserve.

another man concerned in the engagement. Admiral Sampson probably intended nothing of the kind.

The prospects for a speedy settlement of the Nicaraguan canal treaty by the acquisition of the British government in the Congressional amendments to the Hay-Pauncefote treaty without the presentation of counter demands has apparently gone a-glimmering.

They who fancy we are going to get anything in Alaska in return for further concessions in Nicaragua must be willing dupes.

FOOD FOR REFLECTION. It may be found in what Iron and Steel submits in this brief article: Food for reflection was contained in the sharp retaliatory action of Russia early this week in advancing duties on American manufactures of iron and steel about 50 per cent.

But the chief significance of the incident is that it is the first hostile foreign act against the rapidly growing exportation of American manufactures.

AN IMPORTANT SESSION. President McKinley has called a special session of congress to convene on March 4.

The late trend of Cuban affairs has not been reassuring. The delegates to the constitutional convention have shown that they possess short memories.

The Cuban situation is universally regarded as being very grave. The conviction that foreign agents have been endeavoring to make trouble for this country by influencing the constitutional convention adversely to the wishes of the McKinley administration has become a certainty.

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be cleared of lowering clouds for all time to come. The administration has taken one stand which is approved by all patriotic citizens.

There is a widespread sentiment in favor of the reiteration by congress of its pledge that the United States has no designs on the island.

Before there can be a Cuban constitution which will be acceptable to congress it must be understood that the United States will have four things, viz., the right to intervene, to supervise Cuba's bonded debt, to advise as to its foreign relations and to possess coaling stations.

There are now under discussion at Washington several plans for giving this country the desired control over the Cuban republic.

It used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys.

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ANOTHER STREET CAR COMES. MAKES THE SEVENTH RECEIVED BY THE NEW TROLLEY LINE.

Another car for the street railway company came into the Hancock yards over the Mineral Range railroad yesterday morning.

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SUCCESSORS TO HIS INJURIES. CHARLES FAGAN, HURT IN A RAILROAD MISHAP IN NOVEMBER, EXPIRES AT HANCOCK.

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CONGLOMERATE ROCK GOING TO MILL. BIGGER FRANKLIN PRODUCT MAY NOW BE LOOKED FOR.

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WORK ALL PRACTICAL. The character of the work done in this school differs very materially from that found in most manual training schools.

PHOENIX WORKING 100 MEN. MASS AND BARREL WORK ABOUT PAYING THE EXPENSES OF DEVELOPMENT WORK.

STANDARD OIL CROWD APPARENTLY THE ONLY OBSTACLE TO A BULL CAMPAIGN.

APARENTLY ALMOST EVERYBODY INTERESTED in the local market is willing and anxious that there should be a substantial movement in the copper shares.

UP TO THE PRESENT TIME, WITH A few exceptions, these magnates have pretty effectually kept a blanket on the market.

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TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION all these factors there seems to be ample warrant in expecting in the not distant future a marked improvement in the coppers, both in volume of trading and prices.

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A PLEASANT BANQUET. THAT GIVEN IN HONOR OF THE RED WING VISITORS FRIDAY EVENING WAS A GRAND SUCCESS. It may not be generally known that there was a banquet in Swedish Home hall last Friday evening, but such is the case. It was a part of the ski tournament, and was a very large part. Covers were laid for one hundred and there were but two vacant chairs when the company sat down. It was shortly before ten o'clock when the committee, composed of Neils Clifton, D. D. Randall and Christ Presthus, announced that the banquet was ready to be served, and the fortunate ones who had received invitations lost no time in sitting down. Caterer W. F. Beal carried out his part of the program in a most satisfactory manner and the tables fairly groined with good things. They were arranged in three sides of a hollow square. After discussing oysters, turkey, ham, tongue, salads, wines and other good things the toastmaster, Dr. T. A. Felch, rose and in a very neat speech welcomed the Red Wingites to the city and especially to the banquet. He called upon Chris Boxrud, Professor Allen, George A. Newett, C. F. Donahue, Henry Routhier, Carl Tellefsen and John W. Jochim for speeches, and all responded at more or less length. The toastmaster and Mr. Tellefsen awarded the prizes to the successful contestants, who were there, and there was much applause as each rider made his trip to the platform. Trombley's orchestra furnished music throughout the evening and this was a feature which was much appreciated by all. A very appropriate feature were the waitresses, who were attired in Swedish costume. This was an idea of Mr. Beal's and was most opportune. Mr. Magnus, a Norwegian commercial man from Chicago was present and rendered a number of songs in his native language. He possesses a very melodious voice and those who were fortunate to hear him could not be satisfied with the few selections which he gave. Among those who were present from out of town were Chris. Boxrud, G. Jernstad, Peter Thompson and Professor Allen of Red Wing and Mr. Magnus of Chicago. The party broke up at an early hour in the morning and everyone voted that the banquet given in connection with the ski tournament of 1901 was a great success.

A FORTUNE FOR CHARITY. A rich man's statement that he intends to devote almost his entire fortune to charitable works has aroused much discussion. This is because it will accomplish much good. It is a praiseworthy endeavor, but there are many other agencies which accomplish just as much good. Take Hostetter's Stomach Bitters for instance—the great American remedy. For fifty years it has cured constipation, dyspepsia and all the ills which arise from weak digestion. This medicine will keep the stomach in good shape and the bowels regular. It is a wonderful restorative tonic and health builder. It is also a preventive for malaria, fever and ague. Ask for it, and insist upon having it. See that our Private Revenue Stamp covers the neck of the bottle. TOOK FRENCH LEAVE. The trial of Matt Kivesta, charged with shooting, with intent to do great bodily harm, at Frank Tasson on the morning of Feb. 3, was called before Justice Kennedy yesterday morning and was postponed until March 11. Kivesta, it is alleged, fired five shots at Tasson while he (Tasson) was leaving the dry at the Lake Superior mine on the above mentioned date. None of the shots took effect, Tasson and Kivesta had had some words the previous day and Kivesta took this means of settling the argument. The case was brought to trial on the fourth but was adjourned until yesterday. Prosecuting Attorney Bell is appearing for the people and M. H. Crocker for Kivesta. The defendant pleaded not guilty yesterday. There are a number of witnesses for the prosecution who swear that they saw Kivesta do the shooting. When he was arrested he fought with the officers and one of his friends, Werstere Rojala, struck him. Rojala was arrested. His case was also heard yesterday and continued until the eleventh of next month. A swell line of embroidery and lace curtains are included in F. Braastad & Co.'s new goods just coming in. In ladies' underwear F. Braastad & Co. are offering some "snaps." New goods arriving daily. (2-11-14) ABOUT COUGHS AND COLDS. Bunsen's Pine Tar Cough Honey relieves the worst cough or cold almost instantly. Continued use will cure any cold, however severe or of however long standing. It will positively prevent the many dangerous results of half-cured coughs or colds. The best is the cheapest. Take Bunsen's Pine Tar Cough Honey. The Stafford Drug Co.

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It Provides for Recording of All Easy Payment Deals With City or Town Clerks and It Would Benefit Business Men of Small Cities.

INFLUENCE WORKING AGAINST IT.

Senator Gad Smith has one bill before the senate which will only be landed by the hardest kind of a fight as a tremendous opposition to it has arisen among the big business houses in the lower part of the state, particularly in Detroit. They are bringing all their influence to bear to encompass its defeat and they have succeeded in stirring up the newspapers to undertake a warfare against it. Mr. Smith's measure aims to regulate the conduct of the so-called "installment plan" business by making such transactions a matter of public record, by requiring bluffs in the office of the city or town clerk of the contracts made between a merchant and his customer, when goods are bought and are to be paid for on the "easy payment" plan.

The bill would be a distinct benefit to the business men of the small cities as it would place some check on the operations of the big metropolitan houses which scour the state, placing their merchandise at profitable prices and using the "installment" gag as a bait. Of course it has aroused determined opposition among the big houses and the papers which they are capable of influencing. Nevertheless, it would be a fine thing for the business men of every small city in Michigan and it would work the greatest good to the greatest number. Whether it will stand the fire it is now under remains to be seen. Marquette merchants, as well as business men generally in this section, will desire to see it go through.

FREE PRESS COMMENT.

The Detroit Free Press, in a recent issue, has the following comment on the measure:

"Senator Gad Smith of Marquette has introduced a bill into the legislature which may safely be counted on to cause the most vigorous opposition from business men all over the state. The first section of the bill reads as follows:

"Section 1. No reservation of title in any contract for the sale of personal property, by the terms of which the title is to remain in the vendor, and the possession thereof in the vendee until the purchase price is paid or other conditions of the sale are complied with, shall be valid as against any other person than the parties thereto, and those having notice thereof, unless such contract shall be in writing subscribed by the parties, and the same or a copy thereof shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the town, city or village where the property may be at the time

of making such contract, and such clerk shall file, keep and index the same in like manner as mortgages of personal property, and receive a like compensation therefor; but the effect of such filing shall not extend for more than one year after the time fixed for payment of the contract price, or for the performance of the other conditions of such sale, unless within thirty days next preceding the expiration of the year aforesaid, the vendor, his agent or attorney, shall make and annex to such contract on file as aforesaid an affidavit setting forth the amount of the purchase price remaining unpaid, or the conditions of such sale not complied with, upon which affidavit the township or city clerk shall indorse the time when the same was filed; the effect of such affidavit shall not continue beyond one year from the time when such contract would otherwise cease to be valid, unless a similar affidavit be made, filed and annexed as aforesaid, which shall have the like effect as the first before mentioned.

"Senator H. S. Earle brought the bill to the attention of the business men and they were up in arms in a minute. The bill was not entirely unexpected, as a tip had been received from Port Huron a few days ago that such a bill would be introduced; but when the business men heard that the bill had already reached its third reading in the senate it was felt that something must be done at once. Similar bills have been introduced into the legislature, but up to now they have always been defeated by popular sentiment.

BUSINESS MEN ACT.

"At 10 o'clock Friday morning a number of business men met at Grinnell Bros. store to discuss the best thing to be done to defeat the bill. Nearly every man present had something to say against it and it was brought out at the meeting that if such a measure should be passed it might work incalculable injury to a business which now aggregates millions of dollars annually, done by merchants in Michigan who sell goods on the installment plan or by contract. It was generally remarked at the meeting that the publicity attendant upon the filing of a contract, as provided for in the bill, would result in keeping a very large per cent of possible customers from investing in goods on the contract plan at all. The filing fee was also brought up for discussion, and caused a great deal of adverse comment.

"I. L. Grinnell, of Grinnell Bros., began almost immediately after the meeting adjourned to dictate letters to business men in the state who are interested in the defeat of Senator Gad Smith's measure, asking them to use their utmost endeavors with their own district senators to prevent the passage of the bill.

"It would do business no end of harm," said Mr. Grinnell. "What with the expense and the annoyance of filing contracts, to say nothing of the publicity which would result from it, there is no doubt that our business would be materially cut down. It would be hard to comply with the law if it should pass. Here we sell goods all over the state and if we have a customer outside of a town, we shall have to go to all kinds of trouble to locate him properly before we can comply with the letter of

the law. To me it looks like a scheme to benefit a few credit men. But I don't know why the merchants should have to go to the trouble and expense of establishing the commercial rating of people for the credit men. We do a very large business on the contract plan and we should be very sorry to see the bill go through. It would make a serious hole in that branch of our business."

"Arthur Victor, general manager of the People's Outfitting Co., which does a large business of that kind, was not notified of the meeting, nor was F. J. Schwankovsky, but Mr. Schwankovsky expressed himself as strongly against the bill. S. Summerfield, of Weil & Co., takes a great interest in having the bill fall to pass. The publicity it would give to the buyer would make many people stop doing business on the installment plan. That branch of the business is all right, too. It makes people thrifty and it is mighty seldom that people get bitten when they do that business that way. The people that the bill is going to benefit are the mortgage sharks."

MITCHELL WINS THE MILE.

Takes the Initial Event in Series of Championship Races.

George Mitchell of Marquette won the initial event in the series of championship races which is being pulled off at the Mitchell ice rink this week. His competitors were some of the best known men in the upper country and if he runs successfully tonight he will have earned the right to be considered the best racer in the bunch. The race last evening was fairly run and, while Mitchell had it in hand after the first few laps, yet he had to walk away, the finish was reasonably close. Fredstrom of Calumet finished second; Thompson of Calumet, third; Dobby of Escanaba fourth and Gilmore of Escanaba fifth. Mitchell crossed the line some twenty-five feet ahead of Fredstrom, to whom Thompson ran a close third. The Escanaba men were also fairly well up. Mitchell would have gained the victory by a larger margin had he not experienced a disastrous fall which caused him to lose considerable ground.

The race was pulled off after 9 o'clock. The men drew the following numbers: Gilmore, one; Mitchell, three; Dobby, four; Fredstrom, five and Thompson, six. Numbers four and six were sent to the north side of the rink, numbers one, three and five being kept at the south. They were started from opposite sides owing to the narrowness of the skating space. A pistol shot started them. Mitchell and Fredstrom were off together, with the latter in the lead, making pace which Mitchell followed closely. Thompson jumped away from Dobby and set a lively clip for three or four laps which led many people to regard him as the winner. However, he seemed to lose steam as the race progressed. Mitchell allowed Fredstrom to lead for a couple of laps and then he let out a few knots and passed him. He then gained rapidly until he fell, when Fredstrom again pulled to the fore. Mitchell was not long in making up his lost ground and again assuming the lead, which he held to the finish. The

race between these two men was the prettiest part of the event. Fredstrom is a swift and graceful skater and he should give a good account of himself in the next two races.

Mitchell's victory was popular. He was cheered to the echo and surprised by a big throng when he came to a standstill after his fast sprint. He, as well as the other men, showed signs of wear and it is certain that the two-mile race will prove a hard strain on the contestants. Mitchell should stand as good a show of winning out as the other men and just now the prospects about the championship will remain in Marquette are promising. However, tonight and tomorrow night may bring forth many surprises, as a two mile race is a very different proposition than one of a shorter distance. There is the chance that some of the racers were playing possum last evening.

One annoying circumstance was the fact that, on account of an injury received just before the race was called, James W. Troyer, the well known backwards skater, was unable to compete. He had ordered one of the men about the rink to nail up boards to shut off some of the ice on the corner turns. Through some misunderstanding a good sized board was nailed up in a place where it had no business to be and Troyer, speeding around the rink at a three minute gait, crashed into it. He received a heavy fall, suffering some injury to the shoulder. He was unable to skate last evening and he was not as large as the nature of the attraction demanded.

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