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CANDIDATE BRYAN'S VISIT

He Failed to Help His Case in Escanaba and the County.

POLITICAL MATTERS IN GENERAL

A Monster Parade and an Enthusiastic Meeting Last Night.

GLADSTONE MAKES A GOOD SHOWING

The Demand of the Silverites Met by Mr. McGee—F. A. Maynard Captures an Audience—The Silverites Hold Large Meetings—Notes.

Mr. Bryan arrived, ten minutes behind schedule time, last Wednesday and pretty much the whole population of the city was at the railway grounds to meet him, impelled in part (no very large part) by sympathy with his candidacy and in part (much the larger part) by mere curiosity to see the man who sprang, at one bound, from obscurity to national—notoriety.

The merely curious were satisfied; they saw the man and "sized him up"; the sympathetic were disappointed; there was no enthusiasm to begin with—gold colors were too much in evidence in the crowd—nor did the brief and perfunctory speech delivered by Mr. Bryan excite any. Cheers there were, of course, when Chairman McKenna introduced him, but they were faint and not long continued; the crowd was cold and nothing occurred to warm it up; even the introduction of Mrs. Bryan by the chairman failed to do it.

The affair, altogether, was ineffective to promote Mr. Bryan's candidacy; he "did not make a vote." Indeed, it is safe to say that he lost strength. One staunch democrat, after it was all over, said "If that's the best the democratic party can do for a presidential candidate I believe I'd better vote for McKinley;" and he is no "gold democrat." either, but one who, if the candidate had impressed him favorably, was ready to swallow free silver. The truth is that Mr. Bryan is a much over-rated man and our democratic friends are just awakening to the fact. One man is said to have remarked "McKinley is cunning, to keep that man out making speeches for him." Mr. Bryan's voice showed the effect of much hard use and he showed the effect of the strain of continuous travel, talk and hand-shaking, but the wonder is that he endures the strain and fatigue as well as he does; not one man in ten thousand could do his self-imposed task without a physical collapse.

On the platform with Mr. Bryan (besides Messrs. Somer and McKenna, who had gone out on the range to meet him) were Messrs. Richard Metz, of Gladstone, Charles J. Stratton, of Bay de Noc, and Ephraim and Gallup, of this city.

The demand of the silverites, "Why don't the republican speakers discuss the money question?" was fully met and answered by the speaker who occupied the platform at the Peterson Wednesday evening. The meeting was held upon scant notice and without flourish of trumpet or street parade, but the house was full and the audience in good humor. After a song by the Glee club, the speaker, Mr. Charles A. McGee, was introduced and showed at once that the money question was to be his principal theme and that he understood it in all its bearings. He exposed and exploded the theories of the silverites that the business depression of the past three years was the result of the so-called "democratization of silver" and that the restoration of "good times" could be brought about by the free coinage of the white metal. He was frequently interrupted by questions, some pertinent and others utterly irrelevant, to each of which he made prompt and effective answer, in manner as each deserved, and the plaudits of the audience gave evidence that his bits went home. On the whole the meeting was a success and the argument convincing. It is proposed that Mr. McGee shall speak again at a future day and it may be that a joint debate, with a silver orator, may be arranged for. Mr. McGee spoke at Gladstone on the following evening. It might be mentioned that he is not a stranger in Delta county, being a son of James McGee, formerly superintendent of the business of the Bay de Nocquet Co. at Nahma.

The republican rally Tuesday evening was "a rouser." The McKinley club paraded with torches, led by a band and a mounted escort of forty; the opera

house could not contain the crowd; the Glee club was on hand in force and gave "The Democratic Boat" ("a wreck from stem to stern"), and other campaign songs, and Hon. Fred A. Maynard captured his audience by a speech replete with telling points and delivered in a manner which kept its attention and elicited frequent and tumultuous applause. His description of Bryan was felicitous—"a lawyer who never practiced his profession—a man who was never in business, and whose only success was the stampeding of the Chicago convention by borrowed rhetoric."

The McKinley clubs of this city and Gladstone had prepared a magnificent reception for the republican candidate who were expected here last night—Pinegrove, Dunstan and Sheldon—but Mr. Pinegrove missed his share in it, having been compelled to return to Detroit, from the Soo, and forego his visits to our city, Iron Mountain and Ironwood.

However barring that disappointment, the affair went off as planned and was the finest turn-out of the season. Ford River and Wells sent mounted contingents, two hundred in all; the Gladstone McKinley and Flambeau clubs (the latter ununiformed in gold colors) came down nearly two hundred strong; our own clubs were out in full force, some seven hundred torches, and the people crowded the opera house until no more could get in. Bands accompanied the Ford River and Gladstone delegations and the Flambeau club marched to music by its own drum corps.

After the parade was over the speaker of the evening, Hon. T. B. Dana, was introduced by Hon. O. B. Fuller and for an hour held the attention of the audience by a speech in which he paid most attention to the real issue between the parties, that of protection to American industries, treating the silver business (as it deserves) as a trick and device to distract the attention of the voters from the failure of the democratic tariff scheme and the distress that failure has brought upon the country. It was a sound, logical and convincing argument and was frequently applauded.

Mr. Sheldon was presented to the audience and excused himself—the hour was already late—and the meeting broke up with cheers for the speaker, the ticket and the G. O. P. Of course the Glee club was on hand and contributed, as usual, to the evening's entertainment.

Chairman White and McKenna have arranged for a joint discussion of the question of the free coinage of silver and it is to come off—no preventing provisions—on Friday of next week, Oct. 23, at the Peterson opera house. It is understood that the silver side will be represented by Hon. Tim Tarney and the gold standard by Charles A. McGee, in which case the debate will be lively.

The following are the stipulations made by Chairman White in accepting the challenge made by Chairman McKenna:

1. Each party shall select one speaker to represent it in the discussion, and the discussion shall be confined to the particular question under consideration.
2. Each party may prepare such questions, pertinent to the issue, as they shall desire, not exceeding a given number to be agreed upon, say 25, to be propounded to the representative of the opposite party at the discussion, who shall answer them in the most clear, direct and concise way possible.
3. If either speaker shall object to any question propounded to him as not being pertinent to the issue, such question shall be referred to a board of referees, to consist of three representative citizens of Escanaba, chosen, one by the republican party, one by the democratic party, and the two thus chosen to select the third member, and their decision shall be final upon any and all questions submitted to them.
4. After the questions are all asked and answered, or the speaker shall have a given time, say 15 minutes on a side, in which to close the debate.

The silverites of Gladstone came down, some two hundred strong, on the Lotus Tuesday evening expecting to hear Hon. Martin Magnus, of Montana. In that they were disappointed, but John Sourwine and other speakers made amends as best they could.

A friend hands us a copy of the Chicago Record containing its inquiry into the wages of labor in Mexico, the substance of which will be found in the supplement with this issue. The source of the information is different but the facts are the same.

The Iron Port takes a world of comfort and no little pride in the work of "the boy from Nahma" who spoke Wednesday evening. He beat the "Platte boy" at every point.

With Maynard in the opera house and Sourwine in the hall, and a shouting crowd packing each to the doors, the old rink was brimfull of noise Tuesday evening.

Hon. Martin McGinnis will speak for Bryan and free silver to-night.

OUR COUNTY LEGISLATORS

They Hold a Four Days' Session This Week.

PHILLIPS SUCCESSOR APPOINTED

The Equalized Valuation of the County. Petition for New Township Referred to Committee for Investigation—Proceedings.

The supervisors were a trifle dilatory about showing up on Monday (those from the townships near by were the ones; McPhee and Hazeo, who have the most travel, were on hand) and nothing was done until afternoon and not much then. On Tuesday morning the board was "all there," however, and work was tackled in earnest. The assessment rolls were received and referred to the committee on equalization; claims were turned over to the auditing committee; reports of various officers were received and properly referred or otherwise disposed of. Among the reports was that of the county clerk, which gave the sum of the orders drawn upon the treasurer during the fiscal year at \$26,283.57; the number of marriage licenses issued 159, the number of births reported as 485, and of deaths as 122.

C. J. Stratton, Louis Jenson and Wm. P. Derry were chosen county assessors, with C. W. Malloch as alternate, and Peter R. Legg was made county examiner of schools.

Then came up the report of the committee on salaries of officers—that committee consisting of Gleason, Cotterill and Bessop—and after considerable debate the salaries were fixed at figures which will be found in another column. The county pays its servants good wages; whether it always gets good service is "another story."

Then came the choice of county physician (the place being vacant by the resignation of Dr. Phillips) and the choice fell to the firm of Reynolds & Cotton, Dr. O. E. Younger; it was strongly but not quite strongly enough supported.

The report of the treasurer was received and referred to the proper committee and the board took a recess until two p. m.

Upon reassembling at dinner the report of the committee on equalization was received, considered and adopted, as was also that of the committee on justices' reports. A report from the board of county road commissioners was received and referred to the committee on finance. The petition of free-holders of Bark and Ford River townships for the transfer of territory from the latter to the former was referred to a special committee—Leighton, Cotterill and Farnsworth—for investigation and report and the petition for the erection of Murray township was disposed of in the same manner, the committee consisting of Craig, Bessop and Jaeger. The county attorney was called upon for his opinion with regard to raising money for the county road system and the pay of the commissioners was fixed at \$3 per day and expenses while in actual service, which closed the business of the day.

The following is the equalized valuation of the county:

Adrian	102,856
Bark River	120,659
Bay de Noc	21,523
Charlevoix	108,012
Fairbairns	89,705
Ford River	178,576
Gardes	15,047
Maple Ridge	94,415
Mason's	202,811
Nahma	212,625
Sack Bay	7,116
Wells	25,548
Essex	1,004,211
Gladstone City	22,258
Total	2,919,944

The board completed its labors and adjourned on Thursday evening. The business was of a routine character and not of especial interest.

Literary Notices.

The stories in McClure's for November will comprise, in addition to the first installment of the Kipling serial, two dialogues by Anthony Hope, a true story of railroading in the Rocky mountains, in winter, by Cy Wainman; a romantic story of a diamond robbery; and a Thanksgiving love story. There will be, also, an account, by Miss Tarbell, of Lincoln's nomination in 1860, drawing largely on the personal recollections of the men who were most instrumental in securing the nomination. The paper will be fully illustrated. McClure's is always good; the November number will be exceptionally interesting.

F. J. Lumber Killed Ewees. Clerk, Farnam & Co., of Ewen wrote to the American Economist concerning their town and business as follows: "In July, 1892, our saw and shingle mills were running full blast and we highly

remunerative, while our men received average wages of nearly \$2 per day. In July, 1896, our mills had closed. Why? Because there was no profit in the business. We could not stock, we could not manufacture, we could not sell. We had ten men employed about the mill and yards, watching against loss by fire, feeding horses that were eating their heads off, and occasionally engaged in loading cars, filling orders as we could beg them, while lumber was sold by us on an average of \$4 per thousand less than in 1892. These figures are not fancy, but absolutely correct. Our town is dead, nor will it revive until the majority of the American people can see that we should employ and pay our own citizens."

Notes of Escanaba.

And every other city are often judged by the perfumery and stationery they use. A delicate perfume signifies a delicate taste. Many when purchasing perfumery try to buy a strong odor thinking it will last longer. It is not the strength of the odor that makes the quality of the goods. The delicate odors manufactured by Penand Lantier and Roger and Gallet of Paris, France, and such American perfumes as Palmer, and Lazzala, have this lasting quality. These goods are kept at Ellsworth's Drug Store and the ladies see especially invited to call and see them. In addition to these you will find everything in manicure goods. Nail powder, nail paste, manicure scissors, files, knives and polishers.

Now a word for stationery. There is just as much style in stationery as there is in dress. When a lady goes in to a store and asks for stationery, the storekeeper is foolish to think that he can sell her "any old thing" just because it is stationery. If he wants her trade he has got to keep up in it, and have the "proper thing" in stock. This is just what Ellsworth is doing. Ladies, if you want to get the latest things in Perfumery and Stationery go to Ellsworth's. Why? Because you can't find them anywhere else. Ellsworth has always endeavored to keep the best line of these goods in the city, and has always succeeded, but this year he is making an extra effort as his goods will show. He doesn't boast of the largest line north of Milwaukee but does claim the best assortment in the city of Escanaba.

Call and receive a sample bottle of "Rubidentine" the finest tooth preparation ever made.

Notice of Re-Registration.

Notice is given that, an entirely new registration of the electors of the city being required by law, the boards of registration of the several wards of the city will be in session on Saturday, Oct. 31, and on Monday, Nov. 2, from eight o'clock in the morning until eight o'clock in the evening of each of those days, to make such registration. The places where the sessions will be held are:

First ward—Council Chamber, 408 Ludington street. Second ward—Hose House on Campbell street. Third ward—Hose House on Mary street. Fourth ward—Hose house on Charlotte street. Fifth ward—North Star building on Ludington street. Sixth ward—No. 309 South Fannie street. Seventh ward—No. 605 Stephenson avenue.

Previous registration will be taken on account of at this time; each elector must appear in person before the board of the ward in which he resides upon one of the days named and be registered anew to be qualified to vote at the coming election. Let no one neglect the duty.

The Sheridan Filled With Water.

The Sheridan mine, owned principally by Escanaba people, is full of water, and there is little to warrant resumption at an early date. The company lacks money with which to prosecute the work in a way that would give a profit were the market right, and the property is in need of an entire new equipment of machinery. They added another level last winter, upon which the ore bodies were larger and more regular than upon any found up to that time. Some portions of the deposit were not of as good grade as the average of the level above, sulphur being the trouble, but the conditions were not discouraging as compared to workings on other levels. The mine is made up of small pockets, and these have been so numerous that there has been no trouble to secure a product fully equal to the call for the ore. There is between 3,000 and 4,000 tons of ore in stock at the mine. Capt. Gulgen is still in charge.—Ispering Iron Ore.

County Officers' Salaries.

The supervisors overhauled the payroll Tuesday and fixed the salaries of county officers for the coming year as follows: Treasurer \$1,400; clerk \$1,200; attorney, \$1,000; physician \$1,500; school commissioner \$500; superintendent of hospital \$1,200; sheriff \$2,000; superintendents of poor \$100 each; members of board of assessors \$3 per day and mileage.

STE. ANNE'S NEW CHURCH

The Edifice Being Completely Re-Constructed.

HELP GIVEN THE CONGREGATION

A Solid Stone Foundation and a New Spire, Together With Handsome Windows Changes Its Appearance—Interior Finish.

The repairs to—it might almost be said the re-building of—Ste. Anne's church progresses favorably and will be completed about Christmas time; the new stone foundation is finished and room is provided for a basement, the finishing and furnishing of which will, however, be deferred until next season. The old spire has been taken down and a new one will be built from the ground up, in which will be a spacious vestibule level with the floor of the auditorium; the old windows will be replaced by stained-glass, memorial ones, all of which have been donated to the church and all but two of which are gifts from persons not members of the congregation. The auditorium itself will be entirely renovated, a new, steel, ceiling taking the place of the old, the altar will be rebuilt and beautified, and the whole interior finished in white and gold, making for the congregation of Ste. Anne's a religious home of which it may well be proud, and in which it may worship contentedly.

Upon the opening of the coming season, besides the completion of the basement, the work of veneering the walls of the edifice with brick will be undertaken and pressed to completion.

The work has been greatly facilitated by the devotion of the members of the congregation who have given liberally both of their substance and of their labor (the hauling of the stone for the foundation was done gratuitously), and the generosity of persons not members either of the congregation or of the Catholic communion (the lumber required for the work was a free gift and the windows have already been referred to), for all of which the congregation and its pastor are profoundly grateful.

When the church is again ready for occupation, that is about the date of the great christian festival of Christmas, a grand sacred concert is proposed, in which all the choirs of the city will be invited to participate.

Our "Poor Man's Friend."

A contractor who undertook the "Saw Mill Creek drive" last spring was unfortunate therein and the men whom he employed were compelled to look for the money they had earned to the parties who owned the logs. There were twenty-four of the men and the average of their claims was \$45. These claims they placed in the hands of the man who poses as "the poor man's friend" with the understanding that his charge for collection would be ten per cent. of the amounts collected, but when the collection had been made and the money was in the collector's hands the man whose claim was \$45 was handed \$30—the collector's charge was thirty-three and one-third per cent of the claim instead of ten. The Iron Port has the facts from the contractor, Fred Eastwood, and from some of the men, with the request that they be made public through its columns. The men who were thus "skinned" are: Chas. Grimes, Martin Dempsey, Wm. Dempsey, Ed. Sterling, Jim Gimes, Pike Johnson, Tim Curran, Wesley Miller, Wallace Bridge, Chas. Hicks, Anthony Arwens, Ed. Venne, Wm. Rowe, Fred Quiche, Joe Quiche, Harry Bagnall, Robert Bridges, Sam Johnson, Odie Malock, C. E. Edwards, E. H. Edwards, Victor Anderson, Homer Pickett.

The Board of Education.

The board of education was in session Thursday evening. A resolution concerning the qualifications of teachers adopted and forwarded for approval to the state board. The report of the treasurer for six months showed receipts \$4,085.56 and expenditures \$4,042.33—balance on hand \$43.33. Bids for coal were received and the matter turned over to the purchasing committee with power to act.

The Season's Ore Shipments.

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eru railway for damages on account of the killing of her husband a year or so ago. The company at one time paid her \$100 in full settlement of her claim, but a lawyer at Norway has offered his services to the widow and will endeavor to collect a large amount from the company.

Agricultural Society Election.

The annual meeting of the Delta County Agricultural Society occurs during the first week in November, at which time directors and executive officers are to be chosen. The day set by the by-laws is the first Monday. It is earnestly hoped that the stock-holders will be present in force and that an energetic set of officers will be chosen; to place the society on a paying basis there is still much to be done and success will depend largely upon the character of the management during the coming year. The retiring officers have labored diligently, under discouraging circumstances at times, and now desire to be relieved; they have done well, have laid a foundation on which their successors can build, and are entitled to the relief they ask for.

The name of D. A. Oliver is mentioned as a candidate for the presidency (President Glavin refusing to be considered for re-election), and The Iron Port seconds the nomination; he is "full of day's work" and will, if chosen, use them for the upbuilding of the society and the promotion of its purposes.

There's A Chance For a Row.

Unless William Peters, the republican nominee of the second district of Marquette county for representative in the state legislature, is withdrawn from the ticket the courts will be applied to for a mandamus to compel the board of election commissioners to substitute the name of John Jones for that of William Peters on the official ballot. Jones has served the district one term in the same capacity and is a strong party leader. At the district convention he is alleged to have received a clear majority of votes cast on an informal ballot, but the opposition secured the nomination of Peters on a formal ballot. The nominee is a clerk in a state department at Lansing and Jones alleges he has voted there, thus losing residence in his district and rendering himself ineligible for the office of representative of that district. The case is in the hands of attorneys and steps are being taken to prove Peters' ineligibility.

Lighting Plant Burned.

About ten o'clock this morning fire broke out in the boiler room of the electric lighting plant and burned with great fury. Before a stream of water could be got upon it the flames had destroyed the entire north end of the building, containing the boilers, and had damaged the engine and dynamo room to a great extent. The damage is very great, probably amounting to nearly a total loss. What the result will be—whether the company will rebuild—is a matter of conjecture. Officers of the company will be here in the morning and doubtless an effort will be made to have the city take up the lighting business. In the meantime we are to have no electric lights for some time and lamps are in great demand. Examination indicates that the machinery at the lighting plant is very little damaged, though the building is a total loss.—Gladstone Delta, 10th.

The Lora Wrecked.

The Lora came to grief on Thursday of last week when twelve miles of Sturgeon Bay in Lake Michigan. Her engine was totally disabled and the steamer lay rolling in the sea for six hours before the steamer Alc Soper responded to her signals of distress and towed her into port. She was bound from Sturgeon Bay to Manistee with a load of merchandise and it is said her engine was reduced to just so much scrap-iron by the accident. She was towed to Manitowishkegan for repairs. A new engine will be put in her and her length will be increased from 183 feet to 223 feet, an addition of 40 feet. New decks, cabins, etc., will be built on her and the rebuilding and refitting will cost at least \$10,000.

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DEED OF A DRUNKEN FATHER.

The Dasher Out the Brains of His Little Babe.
Newark, N. J., Oct. 9.—John Wurga, a laborer, while in a drunken frenzy Thursday afternoon ran to his home at No. 41 Rutgers street, picked up his eight-months-old child and dashed out its brains on the floor. The murderer then seized his six-year-old son and fled. The police are in pursuit of him.
Wurga is a Polak, 39 years old and a harnessmaker. He has been out of work and for four days had been drinking. His wife went out in the morning as usual, leaving him at home with the baby girl, Sadie, and his five-year-old son, Frank. At noon some of Wurga's friends came into the house and beer was sent for. In a short time Wurga, already half crazed by a long spree, quarreled with the men, and Rose Barber, an occupant of adjoining apartments, went in to save the children from harm. She grasped the baby and Wurga pulled the child from her arms and dashed it upon the floor, crushing its skull so that its brains passed out on the carpet. Wurga then seized his son Frank and dashed from the house, after which all trace of the man vanished. Half a dozen witnesses of the murder have been locked up.
Wurga returned to his home at midnight with the child and was promptly arrested and formally committed for the grand jury.

DU MAURIER IS DEAD.

The Celebrated Artist and Author Passes Away at London.
London, Oct. 9.—George du Maurier, the artist and author, who has been suffering for some time with heart and lung troubles, died at 2:30 o'clock Thursday morning. His death was peaceful.
[George Lewis Palmella du Maurier, artist and author, was born in Paris, March 6, 1834, and educated in that city, but was a British subject. His grandparents on his father's side were emigrants from France during the reign of terror. He went to England at the age of 17 and studied chemistry under Dr. Williamson at University College, London. Afterwards he studied painting in Paris under the famous M. Gleyre, also in Antwerp and Düsseldorf. He first began to draw on wood in England for Once a Week, afterwards for Punch and the Cornhill Magazine. Subsequently he joined the Punch staff. Since that time his weekly drawings made him one of the best known and most admired of contemporary artists and satirists. Mr. Du Maurier has illustrated "Esmond," the "Story of the Feather," Thackeray's "Ballads" and many other books. He was also an associate of the Royal Society of Painters in Water Colors. A special exhibition of his works was held at the rooms of the Fine Arts society in 1884. In 1881 Mr. Du Maurier published a novel, "Peter Ibbotson," in Harper's Magazine, and in 1884 his novel "Trilby" appeared. The opening pages of his latest work, "The Martian," appeared in the October number of Harper's Magazine. Mr. Du Maurier has lectured occasionally on subjects connected with his work as an artist.]

GOES TO BALTIMORE.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 9.—Baltimore won the Temple cup by winning Thursday's game from the Cleveland. This is the third season of the Temple cup games. Baltimore has played in all of the contests for its possession, losing in 1894 to New York; in 1895 to Cleveland, and in 1896 will take the cup home with them. The game was a fine exhibition for six innings, neither side scoring during that period. Corbett was in the box for the Orioles and was invincible. Once, with a man on second and third and only one out, he kept the Spiders from scoring. He struck out eight men and added to the glory of his performance by hitting safely every time he was at the bat, one of the hits being a sharp, clean two-bagger, in addition to which he stole a base prettily and played a general high-class game. Cuppy pitched beautiful ball for six innings, only four hits being made off him up to the seventh. In the seventh, a double, followed by a long single and three outs, resulted in two runs. Corbett singled in the eighth, and after McGraw had flied Keeler and Jennings fumbled, Kelley fanned and Doyle singled, three runs scoring. The final score was: Baltimore, 5; Cleveland, 0.
The President Off for Washington.
New York, Oct. 9.—Commodore E. C. Benedict's steam yacht, Oneida, which left Buzzard's Bay, Mass., early last Tuesday morning with President Cleveland, Mr. Thurber (the president's private secretary) and Mr. Benedict on board, arrived Thursday evening. The president and Mr. Thurber were driven to the residence of Mr. Cleveland's physician, Dr. William C. Bryant, on West Thirty-sixth street. After dinner the president, accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. Bryant, Miss Bryant and Mr. Thurber, witnessed "The Geisha" at Daly's theater. At the close of the performance Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Thurber were driven to the Pennsylvania depot in Jersey City, where they took the midnight train for Washington. Mrs. Cleveland spent Thursday with friends at Lakewood, N. J., and did not accompany the president to Washington.

Preacher Badly Beaten.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 9.—Rev. Lang, an evangelist, has been holding a revival at Seward, 20 miles south of here, on the Santa Fe. Wednesday night he delivered a sermon, and in it declared that "all women who dance are immoral." A storm broke at once and Lang was chased to the Santa Fe station by 50 enraged church members. At the station he was beaten almost to a jelly by two farmers and a number of women. Subsequently he was rescued from a coat of tar and feathers by a Santa Fe train crew.

Burned by Insurgents.

Key West, Fla., Oct. 9.—Advices from Cuba say the insurgents have burned the magnificent tobacco and sugar estate of Santa Rosa in Matanzas, which cost over \$1,000,000 and belonged to Miguel Aldama. The insurgents have burned the tobacco and sugar estates of Santa Rosa at Cuevillas and of Puerto at Cayal, Matanzas. Estimated loss, \$250,000.

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Star Crystal with prize 35c
Calumet 1 lb cans 20c
" 9 oz. " 12c
" 6 " 9c
Boss, 1 lb. cans 10c
Hurrah, 1 lb cans 10c
Royal 16 oz cans 42c
Dr. Prices 42c
Beat 'em All with 4 pos glass-ware 49c

Candy and Nuts.
Mixed Nuts, per lb. 10c
Premium Chocolate, 1-2 18c
" 1 lb 32c
German Sweet Chocolate, per cake 6c

Cocoa.
Van Houten's, per lb 75c
" 1-2 lb 42c
" 1-4 lb 21c
Stolwick's, 1-2 lb 40c
" 1-4 lb 18c

4X COFFEE, per pkge 18c

Cocoanut.
Shredded.
Schepp's, 1-4 lb pkgs, 7c, 4 for 25c
" 1-2 lb pkgs, 14c
Dunham's, 1-4 lb pkgs, 7c, 4 for 25c
" 1-2 lb pkgs 14c
Wetmore's, 1-4 lb pkgs, 7c, 4 for 25c
" 1-2 lb pkgs 14c

3 lbs Rice. 10c

Drugs and Patent Medicines.
Winslow's Soothing Syrup 15c
Castoria, per bottle, 20c
Hamburger Drops 20c

Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup, 17c
Jamaica Ginger 20c
Essence Peppermint 9c
Ammonia 10c
Smith Bro's Cough Drops 4c
Insect Powder, per box 8c
Silver Polish, per box 10c
Other patent medicines at half price.

Extracts.
Lemon, 4 oz. 9c
Vanilla, 4 oz. 9c
Rose, 9c
Orange, 15c
Raspberry 15c
Cinnamon 15c

Farinaceous Goods.
Rice, 3 lb for 10c
Oat Meal, per lb. 2c
Pettijohn B food 10c
Corn Meal, per lb 15c
Hominy, per lb 3c
Pearl Barley 3c
Dry Peas, qt. 4c
H. P. Beans, qt. 5c
Potato flour, pkg 8c
Sago, per lb 4c
Tapioca, "Pearl" 5c
Flake, pkg 5c

Lamp Chimneys, Sun & Hinge, No. 1 5c
Lamp Chimneys, Sun & Hinge, No. 2 5c
Pure Lard in pails 6 3-4

Whole Spices.
Allspice 10c lb
Cloves 10c "
Pepper 10c "
Cinnamon 15c "

Our Line of Smoking and Plug Tobaccos will sell at Cost.

Teas.
Tea Dust 10c
Japan Tea, worth 50c, at 35c
" " 35c, at 25c
" " 25c, at 18c
Gun Powder " 50c, at 35c
" " 40c, at 30c
" " 35c, at 25c

Washing Powder, Gold Dust, per pkg, 17c
Washing Powder, Kirkoline, per pkg 16c

Silk, Twist and Thread at Cost.

Other line of Groceries not mentioned equally as low in price. Legal tender taken in exchange for merchandise. We have added a special bargain counter, which is a wonder for cheapness. Goods on this counter will be sold for less than they can be bought elsewhere. Respectfully submitted.

G. W. MERRILL,
803 Ludington St.

To Those Who Want the Best:

In the line of Drugs we are headquarters for everything, and wish to impress upon the minds of all that we retire to no rear seat in the rush for business. Our goods are warranted to be **Pure, Fresh, Crisp and Sparkling** While for accuracy—we well we are positively accurate and that's all there is to it. Come and see.

J. N. Mead, Druggist.

Crockery.



There's a Pleased Expression
on the face of everybody who sees what we are now offering in the crockery department. Many bits of daintiness—often rare daintiness from over the sea—are now on sale at prices that are unusual even for the common sorts, because we want to make stock-adjustments and have everything ready for the new arrivals for the Holiday business. These prices ought to induce buying for future needs.

Frank H. Atkins & Co.
404-405 Ludington St.

ERICKSON & BISSELL,
GROCERS.

Now is the time to buy FRUITS for Canning or Preserving, and at our store may be found

Peaches and Grapes

And other Fruits suitable for those purposes and the Sugar to 'do them up' with. New Potatoes and all Fresh Vegetables every day.

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CANDIDATE BRYAN'S VISIT

He Failed to Help His Case in Escanaba and the County.

POLITICAL MATTERS IN GENERAL

A Monster Parade and an Enthusiastic Meeting Last Night.

GLADSTONE MAKES A GOOD SHOWING

The Demand of the Silverites Met by Mr. McGee—F. A. Maynard Captures an Audience—The Silverites Hold Large Meetings—Notes.

Mr. Bryan arrived, ten minutes behind schedule time, last Wednesday and pretty much the whole population of the city was at the railway grounds to meet him, impelled in part (no very large part) by sympathy with his candidacy and in part (much the larger part) by mere curiosity to see the man who sprang, at one bound, from obscurity to national—notoriety.

The merely curious were satisfied; they saw the man and "sized him up"; the sympathetic were disappointed; there was no enthusiasm to begin with—gold colors were too much in evidence in the crowd—nor did the brief and perfunctory speech delivered by Mr. Bryan excite any. Cheers there were, of course, when Chairman McKenna introduced him, but they were faint and not long continued; the crowd was cold and nothing occurred to warm it up; even the introduction of Mrs. Bryan by the chairman failed to do it.

The affair, altogether, was ineffective to promote Mr. Bryan's candidacy; he "did not make a vote." Indeed, it is safe to say that he lost strength. One staunch democrat, after it was all over, said "if that's the best the democratic party can do for a presidential candidate I believe I'd better vote for McKinley," and he is no "gold democrat," either, but one who, if the candidate had impressed him favorably, was ready to swallow free silver. The truth is that Mr. Bryan is a much over-rated man and our democratic friends are just a wakening to the fact. One man is said to have remarked "McKinley is cunning, to keep that man out making speeches for him." Mr. Bryan's voice showed the effect of much hard use and he showed the effect of the strain of continuous travel, talk and hand-shaking, but the wonder is that he endures the strain and fatigue as well as he does; not one man in ten thousand could do his self-imposed task without a physical collapse.

On the platform with Mr. Bryan (besides Messrs. Somer and McKenna, who had gone out on the range to meet him) were Messrs. Richard Merz, of Gladstone, Charles J. Stratton, of Bay de Noc, and Ephraim and Gallup, of the city.

The demand of the silverites, "Why don't the republican speakers discuss the money question?" was fully met and answered by the speaker who occupied the platform at the Petoskey Wednesday evening. The meeting was held upon scant notice and without flourish of trumpet or street parade, but the houses were full and the audience in good humor. After a song by the Glee club, the speaker, Mr. Charles A. A. McGee, was introduced and showed at once that the money question was to be his principal theme and that he understood it in all its bearings. He expounded and exploded the theories of the silverites that the business depression of the past three years was the result of the so-called "demonetization of silver" and that the restoration of "good times" could be brought about by the free coinage of the white metal. He was frequently interrupted by questions, some pertinent and others utterly irrelevant, to each of which he made prompt and effective answer, in manner as each deserved, and the plaudits of the audience gave evidence that his hits went home. On the whole the meeting was a success and the argument convincing. It is proposed that Mr. McGee shall speak again at a future day and it may be that a joint debate, with a silver orator, may be arranged for. Mr. McGee spoke at Gladstone on the following evening. It might be mentioned that he is not a stranger in Delta county, being a son of James McGee, formerly superintendent of the business of the Bay de Noquet Co. at Nahma.

The republican rally Tuesday evening was "a rouser." The McKinley club proceeded with torches, led by a band and a mounted escort of forty; the opera house could not contain the crowd; the Glee club was on hand in force and gave "The Democratic Boat" ("a wreck from stem to stern"), and other campaign songs, and Hon. Fred A. Maynard captured his audience by a speech replete with telling points and delivered in a manner which kept its attention and elicited frequent and tumultuous applause. His description of Bryan was felicitous—"a lawyer who never practiced his profession—a man who was never in business, and whose only success was the stampeding of the Chicago convention by borrowed rhetoric."

The McKinley clubs of this city and Gladstone had prepared a magnificent reception for the republican candidate who were expected here last night—Pinegrove, Dunstan and Sheldon—but Mr. Pingree missed his share in it, having been compelled to return to Detroit, from the Soo, and forego his visits to our city, Iron Mountain and Ironwood. However barring that disappointment, the affair went off as planned and was the finest turn-out of the season. Ford River and Wells sent mounted contingents, two hundred in all; the Gladstone McKinley and Flambeau clubs (the latter uniformed in gold colors) came down nearly two hundred strong; our own clubs were out in full force, some seven hundred torches, and the people crowded the opera house until no more could get in. Bands accompanied the Ford River and Gladstone delegations and the Flambeau club marched to music by its own drum corps.

After the parade was over the speaker of the evening, Hon. T. B. Damon, was introduced by Hon. O. B. Fuller and for an hour held the attention of the audience by a speech in which he paid most attention to the real issue between the parties, that of protection to American industries, treating the silver business (as it deserves) as a trick and device to distract the attention of the voters from the failure of the democratic tariff scheme and the distress that failure has brought upon the country. It was a sound, logical and convincing argument and was frequently applauded.

Mr. Sheldon was presented to the audience and excused himself—the hour was already late—and the meeting broke up with cheers for the speaker, the ticket and the g. o. p. Of course the Glee club was on hand and contributed, as usual, to the evening's entertainment.

Chairmen White and McKenna have arranged for a joint discussion of the question of the free coinage of silver and it is to come off—no preventing provisions—on Friday of next week, Oct. 23, at the Peterson opera house. It is understood that the silver side will be represented by Hon. Tim Tarasay and the gold standard by Charles A. A. McGee, in which case the debate will be lively.

The following are the stipulations made by Chairman White in accepting the challenge made by Chairman McKenna:

- 1. Each party shall select one speaker to represent it in the discussion, and the discussion shall be confined to the particular question under consideration.
2. Each party may prepare such questions, pertinent to the issue, as they shall desire, not exceeding a given number to be agreed upon, say 25, to be propounded to the representative of the opposite party at the discussion, who shall answer them in the most clear, direct and concise way possible.
3. If either speaker shall object to any question propounded to him as not pertinent to the issue, such question shall be referred to a board of referees, to consist of three representative citizens of Escanaba, chosen, one by the republican party, one by the democratic party, and the two thus chosen to select the third member, and their decision shall be final upon any and all questions submitted to them.
4. After the questions are all asked and answered, or a speaker shall have a given time, say 15 minutes on a side, in which to close the debate.

The silverites of Gladstone came down, some two hundred strong, on the Lotus Tuesday evening expecting to hear Hon. Martin Maginnis, of Montana. In that they were disappointed, but John Sourwine and other speakers made amends as best they could.

A friend hands us a copy of the Chicago Record containing its inquiry into the wages of labor in Mexico, the substance of which will be found in the supplement with this issue. The source of the information is different but the facts are the same.

The Iron Port takes a world of comfort and no little pride in the work of "the boy from Nahma" who spoke Wednesday evening. He beat the "Platte boy" at every point.

With Maynard in the opera house and Sourwine in the hall, and a shouting crowd packing each to the doors, the old rink was brimfull of noise Tuesday evening.

Hon. Martin McGinnis will speak for Bryan and free silver to-night.

OUR COUNTY LEGISLATORS

They Hold a Four Days' Session This Week.

PHILLIPS SUCCESSOR APPOINTED

The Equalized Valuation of the County. Petition for New Township Referred to Committee for Investigation—Proceedings.

The supervisors were a trifle dilatory about showing up on Monday (those from the townships near by were the ones; McPhee and Hazeo, who have the most travel, were on hand) and nothing was done until afternoon and not much then. On Tuesday morning the board was "all there," however, and work was tackled in earnest. The assessment rolls were received and referred to the committee on equalization; claims were turned over to the auditing committee; reports of various officers were received and properly referred to or otherwise disposed of. Among the reports was that of the county clerk, which gave the sum of the orders drawn upon the treasurer during the fiscal year at \$26,283.57; the number of marriage licenses issued 159, the number of births reported as 485, and of deaths as 122.

C. J. Stratton, Louis Jepson and Wm. P. Derry were chosen county assessors, with C. W. Malloch as alternate, and Peter B. Legg was made county examiner of schools. Then came up the report of the committee on salaries of officers—that committee consisting of Gleason, Cotterill and Besong—and after considerable debate the salaries were fixed at figures which will be found in another column. The county pays its servants good wages; whether it always gets good service is "another story."

Then came the choice of county physician (the place being vacant by the resignation of Dr. Phillips) and the choice fell to the firm of Reynolds & Cotton, Dr. O. E. Young being strongly but not quite strongly enough supported. The report of the treasurer was received and referred to the proper committee and the board took a recess until two p. m.

Upon reassembling for dinner the report of the committee on equalization was received, considered and adopted, as was also that of the committee on justices' reports. A report from the board of county road commissioners was received and referred to the committee on finance. The petition of freeholders of Bark and Ford River townships for the transfer of territory from the latter to the former was referred to a special committee—Leighton, Cotterill and Farnsworth—for investigation and report and the petition for the erection of Murray township was disposed of in the same manner, the committee consisting of Craig, Besson and Jaeger. The county attorney was called upon for his opinion with regard to raising money for the county road system and the pay of the commissioners was fixed at \$3 per day and expenses while in actual service, which closed the business of the day.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Valuation. Total: 2,910,944

The board completed its labors and adjourned on Thursday evening. The business was of a routine character and not of especial interest.

Literary Notices.

The stories in McClure's for November will comprise, in addition to the first installment of the Kipling serial, two dialogues by Anthony Hope, a true story of railroading in the Rocky mountains, in winter, by Cy Watrous; a romantic story of a diamond robbery; and a Thanksgiving love story. There will be, also, an account, by Miss Tarbell, of Lincoln's nomination in 1860, drawing largely on the personal recollections of the men who were most instrumental in securing the nomination. The paper will be fully illustrated. McClure's is always good; the November number will be exceptionally interesting.

F. J. Lumber Killed Even. Clark, Farnam & Co., of Ewen wrote to the American Economist concerning their town and business as follows: "In July, 1892, our saw and shingle mills were running full blast and we highly

remunerative, while our men received average wages of nearly \$2 per day. In July, 1896, our mills had closed. Why? Because there was no profit in the business. We could not stock, we could not manufacture, we could not sell. We had ten men employed about the mill and yards, watching against loss by fire, feeding horses that were eating their heads off, and occasionally engaged in loading cars, filling orders as we could beg them, while lumber was sold by us on an average of \$4 per thousand less than in 1892. These figures are not fancy, but absolutely correct. Our town is dead, nor will it revive until the majority of the American people can see that we should employ and pay our own citizens."

Notes of Escanaba.

And every other city are often judged by the perfume and stationery they use. A delicate perfume signifies a delicate taste. Many when purchasing perfume try to buy a strong odor thinking it will last longer. It is not the strength of the odor that makes the quality of the goods. The delicate odors manufactured by Penand Lantier and Roger and Gallet of Paris, France, and such American perfumes as Palmer, and Lazalle, have this lasting quality. These goods are kept at Ellsworth's Drug Store and the ladies are especially invited to call and see them. In addition to these you will find everything in manicure goods. Nail powder, nail paste, manicure scissors, files, knives and polishes.

Now a word for stationery. There is just as much style in stationery as there is in dress. When a lady goes in to a store and asks for stationery, the storekeeper is foolish to think that he can sell her "any old thing" just because it is stationery. If he wants her trade he has got to keep up in it, and have the "proper thing" in stock. This is just what Ellsworth is doing. Ladies, if you want to get the latest things in Perfumery and Stationery go to Ellsworth's. Why? Because you can't find them anywhere else. Ellsworth has always endeavored to keep the best line of these goods in the city, and has always succeeded, but this year he is making an extra effort as his goods will show. He doesn't boast of the largest line north of Milwaukee but does claim the best assortment in the city of Escanaba.

Call and receive a sample bottle of "Rabidentine" the finest tooth preparation ever made.

Notice of Re-Registration.

Notice is given that, an entirely new registration of the electors of the city being required by law, the boards of registration of the several wards of the city will be in session on Saturday, Oct. 31, and on Monday, Nov. 2, from eight o'clock in the morning until eight o'clock in the evening of each of those days, to make such registration. The places where the sessions will be held are:

First ward—Council Chamber, 408 Ludington street. Second ward—Hose House on Campbell street. Third ward—Hose House on Mary street. Fourth ward—Hose house on Charlotte street. Fifth ward—North Star building on Ludington street. Sixth ward—No. 309 South Fannie street. Seventh ward—No. 605 Stephenson avenue.

Previous registration will be taken on account of at this time; each elector must appear in person before the board of the ward in which he resides upon one of the days named and be registered anew to be qualified to vote at the coming election. Let no one neglect the duty.

The Sheridan Filled With Water.

The Sheridan mine, owned principally by Escanaba people, is full of water, and there is little to warrant resumption at an early date. The company lacks money with which to prosecute the work in a way that would give a profit were the market right, and the property is in need of an entire new equipment of machinery. They added another level last winter, upon which the ore bodies were larger and more regular than upon any found up to that time. Some portions of the deposit were not of as good grade as the average of the level above, sulphur being the trouble, but the conditions were not discouraging as compared to workings on other levels. The mine is made up of small pockets, and these have been so numerous that there has been no trouble to secure a product fully equal to the cell; for the ore. There is between 3,000 and 4,000 tons of ore in stock at the mine. Capt. Gulberg is still in charge.—Inspeking Iron Ore.

County Officers' Salaries.

The supervisors overhauled the payroll Tuesday and fixed the salaries of county officers for the coming year as follows: Treasurer \$1,400; clerk \$1,200; attorney, \$1,000; physician \$1,500; school commissioner \$500; superintendent of hospital \$1,200; sheriff \$2,000; superintendents of poor \$100 each; members of board of canvassers \$3 per day and mileage.

STE. ANNE'S NEW CHURCH

The Edifice Being Completely Re-Constructed.

HELP GIVEN THE CONGREGATION

A Solid Stone Foundation and a New Spire, Together With Handsome Windows Changes Its Appearance—Interior Finish.

The repairs to—it might almost be said the rebuilding of—St. Anne's church progresses favorably and will be completed about Christmas time; the new stone foundation is finished and room is provided for a basement, the finishing and furnishing of which will, however, be deferred until next season. The old spire has been taken down and a new one will be built from the ground up, in which will be a spacious vestibule level with the floor of the auditorium; the old windows will be replaced by stained-glass, memorial ones, all of which have been donated to the church and all but two of which are gifts from persons not members of the congregation. The auditorium itself will be entirely renovated, a new, steel, ceiling taking the place of the old, the altar will be rebuilt and beautified, and the whole interior finished in white and gold, making for the congregation of St. Anne's a religious home of which it may well be proud, and in which it may worship contentedly.

Upon the opening of the coming season, besides the completion of the basement, the work of veneering the walls of the edifice with brick will be undertaken and pressed to completion. The work has been greatly facilitated by the devotion of the members of the congregation who have given liberally both of their substance and of their labor (the hauling of the stone for the foundation was done gratuitously), and the generosity of persons not members either of the congregation or of the Catholic communion (the lumber required for the work was a free gift and the windows have already been referred to), for all of which the congregation and its pastor are profoundly grateful.

When the church is again ready for occupation, that is about the date of the great christian festival of Christmas, a grand sacred concert is proposed, in which all the choirs of the city will be invited to participate.

Our "Poor Man's Friend."

A contractor who undertook the "Saw Mill Creek drive" last spring was unfortunately therein and the men whom he employed were compelled to look for the money they had earned to the parties who owned the logs. There were twenty-four of the men and the average of their claims was \$45. These claims they placed in the hands of the man who posed as "the poor man's friend" with the understanding that his charge for collection would be ten per cent. of the amounts collected, but when the collection had been made and the money was in the collector's hands the man whose claim was \$45 was handed \$30—the collector's charge was thirty-three and one third per cent of the claim instead of ten. The Iron Port has the facts from the contractor, Fred Eastwood, and from some of the men, with the request that they be made public through its columns. The men who were thus "skinned" are: Chas. Grimes, Martin Dempsey, Wm. Dempsey, Ed. Starling, Jim Grimes, Pike Johnson, Tim Curran, Wesley Miller, Wallace Bridges, Chas. Hicks, Anthony Amiens, Ed. Venne, Wm. Rowe, Fred Jutche, Joe Quirbe, Harry Bagnall, Robert Bridge, Sam Johnson, Odell Malock, C. E. Edwards, E. H. Edwards, Victor Anderson, Homer Fichett.

The Lora Wrecked.

The Lora came to grief on Thursday of last week when twelve miles of Sturgeon Bay in Lake Michigan. Her engine was totally disabled and the steamer lay rolling in the sea for six hours before the steamer Alci Soper responded to her signals of distress and towed her into port. She was bound from Sturgeon Bay to Manistowic with a load of merchandise and it is said her engine was reduced to just so much scrap-iron by the accident. She was towed to Manistowic for repairs. A new engine will be put in her and her length will be increased from 183 feet to 223 feet, an addition of 40 feet. New decks, cabins, etc., will be built on her and the rebuilding and refitting will cost at least \$10,000.

The Board of Education.

The board of education was in session Thursday evening. A resolution concerning the qualifications of teachers adopted and forwarded for approval to the state board. The report of the treasurer for six months showed receipts \$4,085.56 and expenditures \$1,042.23—balance on hand \$43.33. Bids for coal were received and the matter turned over to the purchasing committee with power to act.

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era railway for damages on account of the killing of her husband a year or so ago. The company at one time paid her \$100 in full settlement of her claim, but a lawyer at Norway has offered his services to the widow and will endeavor to collect a large amount from the company.

Agricultural Society Election.

The annual meeting of the Delta County Agricultural Society occurs during the first week in November, at which time directors and executive officers are to be chosen. The day set by the by-laws is the first Monday. It is earnestly hoped that the stock-holders will be present in force and that an energetic set of officers will be chosen; to place the society on a paying basis there is still much to be done and success will depend largely upon the character of the management during the coming year. The retiring officers have labored diligently, under discouraging circumstances at times, and now desire to be relieved; they have done well, have laid a foundation on which their successors can build, and are entitled to the relief they ask for.

The name of D. A. Oliver is mentioned as a candidate for the presidency (President Gilavia refusing to be considered for re-election), and The Iron Port seconds the nomination; he is "full of day's work" and will, if chosen, use them for the upbuilding of the society and the promotion of its purposes.

There's A Chance For a Row.

Unless William Peters, the republican nominee of the second district of Marquette county for representative in the state legislature, is withdrawn from the ticket the courts will be called upon to issue mandamus to compel the board of election commissioners to substitute the name of John Jones for that of William Peters on the official ballot. Jones has served the district one term in the same capacity and is a strong party leader. At the district convention he is alleged to have received a clear majority of votes cast on an informal ballot, but the opposition secured the nomination of Peters on a formal ballot. The nominee is a clerk in a state department at Lansing and Jones alleges he has voted there, thus losing residence in his district and rendering himself ineligible for the office of representative of that district. The case is in the hands of attorneys and steps are being taken to prove Peters' ineligibility.

Lighting Plant Burned.

About ten o'clock this morning fire broke out in the boiler room of the electric lighting plant and burned with great fury. Before a stream of water could be got upon it the flames had destroyed the entire north end of the building, containing the boilers, and had damaged the engine and dynamo room to a great extent. The damage is very great, probably amounting to nearly a total loss. What the result will be—whether the company will rebuild—is a matter of conjecture. Officers of the company will be here in the morning and doubtless an effort will be made to have the city take up the lighting business. In the meantime we are to have no electric lights for some time and lamps are in great demand. Examination indicates that the machinery at the lighting plant is very little damaged, though the building is a total loss.—Gladstone Delta, 10th.

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ON THE KANSAS PLAINS.

BY THOMAS E. MONTFORT.



JAKE GRABER had sold his ranch and was going back east to his old home. Jake Atkins, Ike Bowles and all the rest of the cowboys on the ranch knew why Sam was going away.

The cowboys watched Sam as he rode away in the thickening shades of evening. They looked after him until he was lost in the distance, then quietly rested on the grass, smoking their pipes and thinking of their own old homes away off in the eastern states.

"One o' them pizen, onery squatters," he said, "an' he's got to be scattered out o' thar."

"I'm with yo' thar, boys," Dick Buster chimed in. "I ain't got no earthly use fer squatters, an' I never see the time yit when I wan't ready to help chase one o' 'em off the range. Le's go down an' start 'em."

"All right," came in a chorus from the force as the boys sprang to their feet ready to move down on the unfortunate homeseeker.

"Not so fast, fellers," old Jake commanded, in a tone of authority. "I'm in for givin' the chap a chance, so I say give him a notice to git up an' move on by mornin'."

Jake began work with a scrap of paper and a stub of pencil, and after several minutes' hard and close application produced a notice warning the squatter to leave the range before morning or suffer the consequences.

Old Ike stepped promptly out, and he and Jake set off across the prairie in the direction of the timber. It was but a little way, and a few minutes brought them in sight of the old wagon with its torn and stained cover.

Jake threw the paper into the wagon.

ing. Ike grumbled all the way back, of course, about fooling away time on the squatter, instead of burning his wagon and driving him off right then.

uoble, and he was slow about speaking. However, with him duty came before anything else, and in this case he knew full well what his duty was.

"Boys," he said at last, "I hate like the dickens to cut up rough with that squatter, an' I wish he'd had sense enough to leave without trouble; but he's still thar, an' we got to git him away, an' as mild means didn't do no good, we got to try some other kind."

"Such as shootin' an' burnin'?" old Ike suggested, rubbing his hands together and smiling with satisfaction. "That's the sensible plan, every time, you bet."

Jake was about to make a further statement, but he was interrupted by the appearance of a little boy who came running across the prairie from the direction of the old wagon.

"Please, sir, my ma is sick, an' there's nobody but me an' her; an' some men come an' threw this paper in the wagon, an' I don't know what to do."

"Then she ort to have some doctor right off, ortn't she?"

"I know whar thar's some," Jake's tones were so kind and gentle that the child took fresh courage, and looking up into his face again he cried:

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"Yes, sir," he answered. "He died more than a year ago out west where we'd took up a claim."

Jake left the wagon and the child followed him. He took his hand and led him a little distance away where they could converse without the woman hearing them.

"Yes, str, it is. Do you know him?" Without replying old Jake turned and walked back to his companions.

"What's Sam Graber got to be fetched back for?" Ike questioned.

"I reckon four is enough to keef for the woman," Ike remarked, "so I'll jest go 'long of you, Jake."

Five minutes later Jake and Ike went galloping across the prairie in the direction of the little station of Round-up. There was a 40-mile stretch of road before them, and the dust lay thick and the sun poured down in burning rays, but they cared nothing for that.

"Please, sir," he said, "you won't let the men hurt us, will you? We won't stop there long, an' we don't want none of the land, an' as soon as my ma gets better we'll go away."

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FOREIGN GOSSIP.

Algers is becoming an important coaling station, many English, German and Belgian steamers preferring it to Gibraltar and Malta, as more central.

—This year's performance of "The Nibelungen Trilogy" at Bayreuth has resulted in a considerable deficit, which it is hoped will be made up by the "Parafal" performances next year.

—The following are said by a Swiss hunter to have been found near the nest of an eagle he recently discovered in the Alps: A hair, 27 chamois' feet, 4 pigeons' feet, 30 pheasants' feet, 11 head of fowls, 18 heads of grouse, and the remains of a number of rabbits, marmots and squirrels.

—It is to be planted at the root of Bob Toombs' oak on the campus of the University of Georgia. The tree is associated with an escapade of Gen. Toombs in his college days.

—An old gentleman of Kestenholz, in Belgium, who had lived in perfect harmony with his wife for 55 years, celebrating his golden wedding five years ago, disagreed with her lately as to the disposal of a piece of land which he did not wish to leave to a daughter who had misbehaved.

"PARADISE" OF EAST AFRICA. Description of Zanzibar Island and Its Present Condition.

It may help some to understand how glorious a victory was that which England achieved over Zanzibar, to recall something of the sultanate which was recently forced to surrender to British guns.

The sultan has several so-called palaces scattered about the island, but does not dwell in them for any length of time. One of these is reserved for balls and fetes, he himself living in a neighboring house connected with the palace by inclosed bridges.

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After the excavation had been extended through the frozen gravel a layer of sand (unfrozen) was revealed, and it was in this that water was found.

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PAYING OFF THE EMPEROR.

Business Salary of Wilhelm Carried to Him in Strong Boxes.

Emperor William receives his salary quarterly in advance. The money is twice counted by different functionaries at the national treasury, and is afterward placed in a number of strong boxes and carried to the royal mail wagon, waiting at the door between a troop of mounted gendarmes.

Two days afterward the court functionaries receive their pay, but although the emperor receives his salary in advance, not one of the employees are similarly favored, so that the emperor is practically always three months behind in the payment of his household.

At no great court in Europe are the salaries so low as at that of Berlin, the so-called great dignitaries having to satisfy themselves with a pittance of \$2,000 a year, while the minister himself receives but \$3,000.

Over and beyond the civil list received by the emperor from the treasury of the empire and that of the kingdom, he draws from the war department full salaries for the different commands he assumes.

Out of this civil list the emperor is expected to pay the allowances of the various members of his family. But this is not a heavy drain on his purse.

FAMOUS NATURAL CURIOSITY. Vermont Has a Well Where Ice Forms at All Seasons.

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ELECTRICAL FLASHES.

All the street railways of Monterey, Mexico, have been bought up by a local capitalist, who will equip them with electricity and give the city what, it is said, will be the first electric roads in Mexico.

A Hungarian Keely named Hertz has patented in France a cheap electrical storage battery, in which electricity is generated by the vibrations of the transverse rays disclosed by Roentgen's experiments under the pressure of atmospheric air.

In use on the electric street railway of Biddeford, Me., is a peculiar track tester, based upon an adaptation of the telephone.

Roentgen's rays have brought a sanguine Frenchman into trouble. Having read that observers at Vanderbilt university had discovered that the rays would destroy hair, he advertised that he would guarantee to remove the mustaches and whiskers with which some French women are adorned.

No Time Should Be Lost. By those troubled with constipation in seeking relief from Hostetter's Stomach Bitters.

I CAN recommend Piso's Cure for Consumption to sufferers from Asthma.—E. D. Townsend, Ft. Howard, Wis., May 4, '94.

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The Iron Port

THE IRON PORT CO. Publishers LEW. A. CATES, Editor and Manager

No attack upon McKinley being worth making, the popocrats attack Mark Hanna, alleging oppression of employes. As to the employes of the Winthrop and Chapin mining companies (those in which Mr. H. is interested), none are more and few are as liberally treated, a fact well known and vouched for. As to ill-treatment of sailors, Richard Powers, late president of the Seaman's Union, says:

"Knowing the history of the Lake Seamen's union from its organization to the present, and participating in its struggles when to do so involved danger and sacrifice, I can truthfully assert that never in all this time, nor at any other, has that organization ever had any trouble with Mark A. Hanna. All assertions to the contrary are falsehoods, manufactured for political effect and with a desire to mislead working people, and I denounce them as such."

The evidence of Mr. Powers is corroborated by T. T. Lewis, president Ohio State Trades' assembly, and secretary Ohio Miners' union, who says, further "that the statistical investigation of the workshops and factories for the city of Cleveland, made by the labor bureau was likewise under my direction. The reports based upon this inquiry are on file in Columbus, and they will show that Mr. Hanna paid the highest standard wages for labor performed in industries in which he was interested."

Mr. Hanna is not a candidate for office and the attack upon him was uncalculated for, but it is well that it was made when it calls out such evidence from such witnesses.

Edwin F. Uhl, whom the democrats of Michigan have heretofore delighted to honor and who now represents the U. S. at the German court, was appealed to by Dan Campau for funds. He refused to contribute giving this as his reason: "The platform of the Chicago convention is democratic in name alone. Its spirit, its essence, its tendency are un-democratic, un-American, revolutionary, and loyal democrats are charged with a grave and special obligation to see to it that no such noxious growth shall; in the name of democracy, be engrafted upon the body politic."

Geo. F. Parker, consul at Birmingham, was also appealed to by Mr. Campau, and he too refuses to contribute to aid a "platform a menace to the country, a knife—ready whetted for the throat of industry—put into the reckless hands of a candidate skilled in naught save the arts of the demagogue and the fanatic."

It having been alleged that an employe of the South Shore railway had been discharged because of his political belief, Mr. Fitch, the general manager, makes positive denial saying "While I honestly believe that any railroad man, who votes free-silver, will vote directly against his own interests, every man in the employ of the Duluth, South Shore and A lantic railway can vote exactly as he sees fit without any fear of losing his position. No man has ever been or ever will be discharged by this company on account of his politics. If any head of department having authority to discharge employes ever discharges a man on account of his politics, I will discharge that head of department and I will restore that man to his position." That's the kind of "intimidation" Mr. Fitch practices.

The fact is apparent that the country is and has been engulfed in one of the worst panics in its history, and that this condition of affairs can be directly traced to the cumulative effects of a debasement of the currency, and the menace of a descent to the silver basis, under the operations of the silver purchase and inflation act of 1890. Similar policies are again proposed and if their advocates are successful, it will demonstrate nothing more forcibly than the fact that a nation does not gain anything by experience.—Green Bay Advocate.

"Open the mints to free coinage" shrieks the silverite, "and 1,000,000 miners will go to work in the mines and the demand for products will be unprecedented."

This is a fair sample of the sort of buncombe the silverites indulge in. Subject it to a superficial analysis and it appears too ridiculous to be considered seriously by a sane man.

Suppose the opening of the mints

to silver coinage would give employment to a million miners, what then? Why, the average per diem of miners is \$3. The miner will work 300 days a year. A million miners at \$3 a day would earn \$3,000,000 a day; working 300 days or a year they would earn \$900,000,000.

Now the total value of the product of the silver mines of this country is worth from \$80,000,000 to \$70,000,000 annually, and if that were doubled by free coinage the value would be from \$120,000,000 to \$140,000,000, which would entail upon the mine owners a net loss of \$700,000,000 annually for miners' wages alone. If the number of miners be reduced to 100,000 the showing will be relatively as absurd. The simple truth is that all the boostings of the silverites are as empty of reason as this one is. They will not stand the test of analysis.

This is how Secretary Morton, of the agricultural department, puts it: "A dollar with too much purchasing power is as impossible as a square meal with too much nutritive power, an acre of land with too much productive capacity, or an advocate of populist schemes of finance with too much logical ability. When humanity becomes too good for heaven, money may become too good for the industrious and capable farmers and wage-earners of America but not before."

Mark Hanna has been regarded as a very shrewd business man, but if Peter Witt tells the truth when he says that Mr. Hanna offered him \$5,000 to keep silent during the campaign that opinion must be revised. The question in that case would be which was the bigger fool—Hanna for making the offer or Witt for refusing it. It is safe, however, to suppose that Witt lies.

Bryan pursues a double line of argument. He says that it will be easier for the poor man to pay his debts in a lighter dollar. Accused of repudiation, he says the silver ounce will rise in a few months to \$1.29 in gold. If that is true the silver dollar will be just as hard to get as the gold dollar. One statement contradicts the other.

"That some may be rich shows that others may become rich, and hence is just encouragement to industry and enterprise. Let not him who is homeless pull down the house of another, but let him labor diligently and build one for himself; thus, by example, assuring that his own shall be safe from violence when built."—Abraham Lincoln.

In private life Maj. McKinley is the model citizen, as in public life he is the model statesman. The people know he is honest, brave and true. And they are going to elect him president of the United States on the third day of November next. It is so decreed, and so decreed for the good of this country.

Archbishop Ireland sinks the churchman in the citizen and as a citizen protests against Bryanism and popocracy. He declares that, "the days of the civil war excepted, at no time has so great a peril threatened the country as that involved in the present political campaign."

President Cleveland does not deem it consistent with strict propriety to mingle actively in the pending campaign, nevertheless he lets the public know, by a letter to the Chicago sound money league, that he is opposed to Bryanism and Bryan.

Bryan ought not to talk of "coercion" and "intimidation" of voters; he knows that the thing is impossible and should leave such folly to those who are not as well informed as himself.

"If you want the people to have silver, why don't you give it to them at the market price?" shouted a New England Yankee to Bryan when he was making a speech at Alton, N. H.

Tanmany threatens to read David B. Hill out of the democratic party unless he scrambles upon the Chicago platform, p. d. q., and David laughs and "winks the other eye."

Coined gold, when used in largo payments, does not go by tale but by weight, at its bullion value. Nobody objects to silver on the same terms.

No, the country is not going to be ruined. It will get a bad setback if Bryan is elected but even in that case it will not be ruined; it can't be.

There is no denying that surface indications point to McKinley's success.—Detroit Tribune.

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COUNTY TICKET.

- Probate Judge... THOMAS B. WHITE. Sheriff... FREDERICK M. OLMSTED. County Clerk... OSCAR V. LINDEN. County Treasurer... EMANUEL M. ST. JACQUES. Prosecuting Attorney... IBA C. JENNINGS. Circuit Court Commissioner... ALPHA C. BARRAS. County Surveyor... JOHN S. CRAIG. Coroners... HARRY L. HUTCHINS, HENRY MCFALL.

Bank Statements.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

The First National Bank

Table with financial data for The First National Bank, including assets like Loans and Discounts, U.S. Bonds, and liabilities like Capital Stock and Surplus Fund.

Legal Notices.

First Publication Sept. 12, 1896. Notice is hereby given to the creditors of the estate of John Schmidt, deceased, to present their claims to the probate court...

First Publication Sept. 26th, 1896. PROBATE ORDER FOR HEARING FINAL ACCOUNT.—State of Michigan, county of Delta, ss. Probate court for said county.

First Publication Oct. 10th, 1896. Notice is hereby given to the creditors of the estate of Benjamin L. Hayden, deceased, to present their claims to the probate court...

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That's About the Proportion. The third day of the Chicago Record's postal card election in 20 wards of Chicago resulted as follows: McKinley, 11,329; Bryan, 8,892; Palmer, 306; Levering, 89; Scattergood, 14.

MORTGAGE SALE—Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the seventeenth day of April A. D. 1896, executed by Wm. H. Hanna and Hannah Hanna his wife, of Escanaba, Michigan, to Abram Shapman, of Detroit, Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds in the county of Delta in Liber "N" of mortgages, on page 39, on the first day of May A. D. 1896, and whereas the said mortgage has been duly assigned to the said Abraham Shapman to Horace I. Benton, by assignment bearing date the fifteenth day of July A. D. 1896, which said assignment was recorded in the office of the register of deeds in the county of Delta in Liber "T" of assignments of mortgages on page 120, and said mortgage is now owned by said Horace I. Benton, and whereas said mortgage expressly provides that should default be made in the payment of the interest or taxes or any part thereof, when the same are payable as provided in said mortgage, and should the same or any part thereof remain unpaid for the period of thirty days, then the principal sum with all arrears of interest or taxes thereon, at the option of said party of the second part his legal representative and assign become due and payable immediately thereafter. And whereas default has been made for more than thirty days in the payment of a part of the said interest and the taxes, therefore the assignee of said mortgage hereby declares the whole of the principal sum together with all arrears of interest and taxes due and payable immediately. And whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of two thousand seven hundred and six dollars and fifty cents (\$2,706.50) of principal and interest and the further sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) taxes assessed against the property described in said mortgage, and provided for in said mortgage, and the further sum of thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage, and the whole amount claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage is the sum of twenty-nine hundred and forty-one dollars and sixty cents (\$2,941.60) and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said bill of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Escanaba in said county of Delta, (that being the place where the circuit court for Delta county is held) on the fourth (4) day of November A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day. Which said premises are described in said mortgage as situate in the city of Escanaba county of Delta and state of Michigan, to-wit: The west half of lot number eight (8) of block number twenty-nine (29) of the village of Escanaba, according to the recorded plat thereof. Dated August 5th 1896. HORACE I. BENTON, Assignee of Mortgage. A. R. NORSTUP, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage.

MORTGAGE SALE—Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the sixteenth day of September A. D. 1896, executed by the said Mary A. Synons of Escanaba, Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds in the county of Delta, in Liber "N" of mortgages on page 100, on the tenth day of October A. D. 1896; and whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of four hundred and fifty nine dollars and twenty-nine cents (\$459.29) of principal and interest, and the further sum of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage, and which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said bill of sale contained in said case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Escanaba in said county of Delta state of Michigan, (that being the place where the circuit court for Delta county is held), on the nineteenth day of October A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day. Which said premises are described in said mortgage as situate in the city of Escanaba county of Delta and state of Michigan, to-wit: The south half of lot number six (6) of block number seven (7) of Selden's addition to the city of Escanaba, formerly village of Escanaba, according to the recorded plat thereof. A. R. NORSTUP, Attorney for Mortgagee. MARY A. SYMONS, Mortgagee. Dated July 22, 1896.

First Publication Oct. 10, 1896. STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss. COUNTY OF DELTA.

At a session of the Probate court for said county, held at the Probate office in the city of Escanaba on the 6th day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six. Present, Hon. Emil Glaser, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of John Schmidt, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Rilla Schmidt praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be granted to Rilla Schmidt, the executrix in said will named.

And it is further Ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the "Iron Port", a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

EMIL GLASER, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.)

First Publication Oct. 10th, 1896. ORDER FOR PROBATE OF WILL—State of Michigan, county of Delta, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for said county held at the Probate office, in the city of Escanaba on the 10th day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six. Present, Hon. Emil Glaser, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of John Walsh, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Catherine Walsh praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be granted to Catherine Walsh, the executrix in said will named.

And it is further Ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the "Iron Port", a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

EMIL GLASER, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.)

First Publication Sept. 10th 1896. MORTGAGE SALE—Whereas default has been made in the payment of money secured by a mortgage dated the thirteenth day of August A. D. 1895, executed by William J. Marvies and Auguste Marvies a his wife, of Escanaba, Michigan, to Horace I. Benton of the same place, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of Register of Deeds in the county of Delta, in Liber "M" of mortgages, on page 97 on the first day of September A. D. 1895, and whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of one hundred seventy-one dollars and twenty cents (\$171.20) of principal and interest, and the further sum of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; Whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said bill of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in said city of Escanaba and county of Delta (that being the place where the circuit court for Delta county is held) on the 10th day of October A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit:

At and unto the parcel of land lying and being in the city of Escanaba, county of Delta and state of Michigan, to-wit: Lot number nine (9) of block number eighty-three (83) of proprietors' first addition to the village of the city of Escanaba, according to the recorded plat thereof. Dated at Escanaba, Mich., Sept. 10, 1896. HORACE I. BENTON, Assignee of Mortgage. A. R. NORSTUP, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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Whenever Danger Threatened the Country They Have Rallied to Its Support.

HARD TIMES AND THE CAUSE.

Employment of Labor in Mechanical Industries and Not Debased Money is Needed.

Whenever danger threatened our institution the farmer has always rallied to the support of his country.

In the present campaign we are confronted by an issue that affects every class of our citizens, hence, there is an interest in the outcome more intense than in any campaign since 1860.

The magnificent scheme was outlined by Mr. Bryan in his Madison square speech when he said: "At the present time and under the present law, a silver dollar when melted loses nearly one-half its value."

This is the silver miners' scheme as outlined by Mr. Bryan. The people are invited to loan the resources of this government to a silver syndicate in order that it may be able to take all the silver that is offered to the world to fix the price and compel other nations to pay that price.

That present conditions are hard, especially among the farming class, every one admits. There is undoubtedly a cause for this abnormal condition.

They fail to show how that legislation reduced prices; they simply assert that it did. They fail also to show why prices continued to decline after coinage of silver was resumed in 1878.

During the years 1878-79 and 80 it is known that over 600,000 mechanics left the factories and shops of New England and the middle and older Western states to locate on the lands in Kansas and Nebraska and the Dakotas.

What we now need is to reverse this condition of affairs and secure less producers and more consumers of farm products. If by any way we can do this, we will have accomplished something practical in correcting the ills our farmers have to bear.

There is a well established principle in political economy often referred to by Southern States as the "protective tariff" which is the greatest possible division of labor.

class to become farmers or producers of farm products.

The year 1892 shows a record of marvelous activity in the direction of securing a larger division of labor by employing more in our mechanical industries.

In 1892 the policy of protection was reversed and thus the laborers from the shops and factories were freed from their necessity to go out upon the lands and become producers instead of consumers.

The effect of production upon the products of the farm can be summed up in a few words. First, will it increase or diminish the number engaged in producing the products of the farm?

When you have answered these two plain propositions you will be master of the entire argument of protection and free trade, so far as the farmer is concerned.

The employment of labor in our mechanical industries and not the free coinage of silver is the thing that interests the farmer and is to secure for him the prosperity he so much desires.

NO MONEY IS TOO GOOD.

Maj. McKinley Recalls the Days of State Banks and Wildcat Currency.

Maj. McKinley said to a delegation from Indiana which visited his home on September 23:

I believe in America for Americans—native-born and naturalized. (Applause.) I believe in the American pay roll. (Laughter and applause.) And I do not believe in diminishing that pay roll by giving work to anybody else under another flag while we have an idle man under our flag.

Four years ago the laborer was agitating the question of shorter hours. We then had so much to do. I have heard no discussion of that kind for four years. (Laughter and applause.)

To the second complaint that our money is too good, it would seem to be enough to say that the money of any country cannot be too good; and that no nation ever suffers from having its medium of exchange of the highest and best quality.

Every mother of a family has ever before her the dread possibility of the death of the one whose labor provides the means of living.

In many cases, the insurance policy is the only thing of value the husband and father can leave to the wife and children.



Socialist—The reason I'm a Bryan man is because I want to cut down the wealth of these plutocrats. Workingman—Yes, I've thought a bit about that, but it strikes me a good deal like biting off one's nose to spite one's face.

WOULD AFFECT WOMEN

Free Silver Issue of Vital Import to Wives and Mothers of Wage-Earners.

HIGH PRICES AND LOW WAGES.

Working Women will Also be Far Worse Off Than the Men.

While the value of the wages earned by everyone who works for a living will be greatly reduced by the free coinage of silver, the working women will be far worse off in this respect than the men.

One principal cause of this disadvantage is that the women employed in productive industries have not the organized unions with which to sustain their interests.

The wages of women workers have, indeed, advanced along with those of men, though not to a corresponding figure, and the labor unions have regard in some degree for the wages of female operatives as well.

Mr. Powderly, who says the Bryan free-silver panic would be worse for labor than all the strikes ever known, will come in for the abuse of the Debits, who want strikes galore, free silver, free run and a general break-up.

Mark Hanna is firmly of the belief that the only effective confidence restorative is put up at Canton.

ADVISES FIRST VOTERS

Maj. McKinley's Felicitous Remarks to a Delegation of Young Buckeyes.

TRUE WORTH OF SUFFRAGE.

Precious Privilege of Being Able to Vote for Protection and National Honor.

The first visitors to Maj. McKinley's home on September 23 were members of a big delegation of voters from Wood county, O.

"Mr. Parker, Ladies and Gentlemen: I am very glad to meet at my home this representative delegation from Wood county. I cannot imagine a body of citizens more representative than that which I see before me here today—men and women, old and young, workmen and farmers, men of every profession and calling in your county, and it indicates to me that no matter what may be asserted in other quarters of the country there is no such thing known as 'classes' in Wood county.

"I fear sometimes that few of us estimate suffrage at its true worth. It clothes us with sovereignty. It is a guaranty to our liberties and institutions and is our surest safety. It is the constitutional mode of expressing the popular will.

With the privilege comes grave responsibilities in its use. It should express the intelligence and judgment and conscience of the voter. It should never be employed for any base use.

Neither free silver nor any other cheap-money device can bring prosperity to a nation burdened with a tariff which operates adversely to the interests of its own people.

DEEDS NOT WORDS.

What McKinley Did for Destitute Miners Less Than Two Years Ago.

While Candidate Bryan is going about the country telling fairy tales of what he and his policy will do for the poor, the question naturally arises: "What has he ever done for the working poor?"

His most loyal supporters make no claims that he has ever shown this feeling for his fellowman until now. In fact, he has no record of ever having gone out of his way to do anything for what he calls the "masses."

In speaking of his Maj. McKinley, the Grand Rapids Herald says: "No account of McKinley's connection with labor problems would be complete without some mention of the tireless energy which he displayed in securing relief for the 3000 miners in the Hocking valley mining district who erip in 1885 were reported out of work and destitute.

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A SONG OF THE CAMP FIRE.

Oh, the sparkle of the camp-fire on the sheltered woodland shore, With its light for a background, and the lake spread out before,

THE LIGHT-KEEPER.

BY CLIDE FORD.

There is a lighthouse with ranges behind it at the point where the river spreads into Mud lake as it bears down from the Soo.

But the time was when there was not so much difference between the world of men and the world of this one lonely man, when the house of the lighthouse keeper of the point was as full of life and happiness as river homes on other shores of the same waters.

One summer day a boy came to the lighthouse keeper's home, and the world was cheerier than ever then. But though one would think that happiness, if it stayed anywhere, ought to cling to a solitary home on Sugar island, it did not stay.

Joe was ready to graduate from the high school. It had been in Billy's stipulations with the family that his boy should be kept in school, and if ambition ever came to Billy's soul it took shape in the one desire of seeing Joe finish a school course.

A CAPITOL GUIDE.

Quiet New Englander Who Pilots Visitors About Places of Interest. There is a man at the capitol, once a guide, a character much in demand with tourists.

Throughout the evening Billy sat as it were in a dream. It was very warm, and everybody else was uncomfortable and uneasy, but not so Billy.

Two more years went by. Billy still lived his lonesome life, and Joe had become a clerk in a shipping office. In the years since Joe had been in town the keeper had managed by scraping and pinching to save some \$700 in addition to what he had paid out for him.

One day an upgoing steamer left a letter for Joe from his father. It told him about other things that in a week or so he would come up and arrange for starting him in business, and would he say to Mr. Simonson, the cashier, that he might expect him then.

Again Billy made arrangements to go to the Soo. He rowed out and hailed a passing barge, whose captain he knew, and his boat was towed up for him.

"I have taken the \$700; you will pardon me if I have anticipated your plans for me. Don't worry about me. I have left for good." It was signed "J."

Only One Kind of Diamond. About every year a new variety of "diamond" is put on the market, usually accompanied by guarantees that it contains such and such per cent. of carbon.

NEW FALL GOWNS.

Handsome Brocades One of the Most Attractive Trimmings. Very rich brocades introduced with a plainer silk or cashmere have a very good effect.

Another pretty costume where a little brocade comes in most effectively, has a plain skirt of bisque cloth, with long, tight-fitting sleeves of the same, finished by a fall of lace over the hands.

A really delightful little dinner frock for a debutante, which has recently been sent over, is of pink satin. A large choux of the satin is placed at the left-hand angle of the square neck.

HYGIENE OF THE NURSERY.

Rules Which Should Be Followed in the Care of Children. Regular habits, proper food and long hours of sleep are necessary conditions to a healthy infant.

QUEER WILL OF A SUICIDE.

Count Clavel Wishes His Ashes Buried by the Pacific. One of the strangest wills ever offered for probate was filed in the Coos county (Or.) court recently.

The will was filed by John F. Hall, who is appointed executor, with R. E. Shine and Dick Cousane as appraisers of his property. The total of his property in Switzerland amounts to about \$10,000, and that in Coos county to about \$20,000.

The testator then bequeaths various sums to relatives and friends. To his mother he gives 500 marks as restitution for Christmas and New Year's presents.

Lack of Ambition in Villages.

Of many villages it is true that they are the very incarnation of depressing ugliness. Most of the houses are without paint, and present such a tumble-down, frowzy appearance to the visitor that he is only too glad when he can depart.

Baldness and Vanity.

Baldness is supposed to be an indication of intelligence, yet a man will comb a few long hairs over a bare spot on his head and think he is deceiving people.

FIRST-CLASS PASSENGERS.

How Corpses Are Transported on Railway Trains. Every corpse that is shipped on the railroad is charged for as a first-class passenger. The full fare is charged whether the body be that of an infant or a full-grown man.

In addition to the bodies forwarded there were several hundred received for burial in Denver. This means that the baggage men have a cadaver for company daily, and sometimes several a day.

The railroads have adopted certain rules governing the transportation of corpses, one of which reads as follows: "One full regular first-class ticket, limited, will be honored for the transportation of the corpse of a person of any age in baggage cars, when accompanied by a passenger in charge on the same train."

One of the local ticket agents the other day picked up the stub of a "corpse" ticket he had just sold and called attention to the word, which in that case was printed with a rubber stamp in purple ink.

SCIENCE OF CLOUDBURSTS.

Prof. Cleveland Abbe Corrects Some Impressions About Them. "Cloudbursts are doing lots of mischief this summer," said Prof. Cleveland Abbe, of the weather bureau.

The destructive power of the cloudburst depends largely upon topographical conditions. Suppose that one strikes a narrow valley, discharging a vast quantity of water.

Handkerchief Embroidery.

Young women who embroider their own handkerchiefs use for the material a linen cambric, heavy or very sheer, according to the use of the handkerchief.

Sweetmeat Roll.

Roll a strip of puff-paste to an eighth of an inch in thickness; spread with jam; roll and pinch the ends to keep the sweetness from coming out.

AN ICELAND FARM.

In approaching an Icelandic farm certain formalities must be observed. You should not descend from the pony, even though you know quite well that you are to remain; nor should the packs be taken off.

Opposite the church stand the house buildings. Facing the path are five small wooden gables, connected by thick walls of turf and stone.

Above all is the turreted roof, with its many eaves and peaks. Little windows peep out from among the grasses, and often the earthen walls slope so gradually to the ground that it is hard to tell where the house ends and the tun, or home grass lands, begin.

The Icelandic pastor is really a farmer, and must work hard on the land which accompanies every church living. In order to eke out his small stipend.

The Mean Thing.

"Yes," said the lovely woman, "it was very lonely living in the west. No neighbors to speak of."

Spread of the Cottage Yell.

Thoughtful persons are deterred more and more from going into the country by the spread and development of the cottage yell.

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 36 inch heavy weight Cloaking, former price, 50c, panic price, per yd. 35c
 With every Dress Pattern sold at this sale, we will sell Dress Lining at 2c per yd., Silesia at 5c, worth double.
 36 in Taffeta, former price 15c; panic price per yd 9c

Domestic Department.

10 yds of German Blue Print, former price 12 1/2c, panic price 5c
 Best Amoskeag Apron Checks, former price 6c, panic price 3 1/2c
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 Ladies' ribbed and fleeced " 25c " 16c
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 Ladies' Medicated shirts & drawers " 1.25 " 75c

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 Ladies' Fedora hats in all the latest styles
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 Men's all wool suits in black, blue, single or double breasted, such as was \$10.00; panic price
 Washington beaver overcoats in gantly made and trimmed; price \$12.00, panic price
 Overcoats, made of highest grade wets, Covert Cloth, Etc; good panic price
 Overcoats in dark colors, velvet trimmed such as brought up panic price for same is
 Men's ulsters; of all kinds from that can be found in town; in 5.00 to 20.00; panic prices in
 Overcoats. We have some that all good coats, worth from \$8.00 panic price sale, take them at
 Men's Oil Grain Working Shoes, Fine shoes, good wearers, panic price
 Mackinaw Jackets in fancy colors go under our panic prices on price from
 German Socks as low as 49c; we first class such as were 1.50
 Men's all wool heavy weight socks them is, per pair
 Men's rubbermen rubbers, in good sold last winter at 1.50; our The largest and best selected city in all styles, all go at price
 Men's all wool underwear during at, each
 Men's heavy ribbed all wool panic sale, each
 Men's all wool heavy weight S Jersey over shirts and all other all going at panic prices, in flannels, which are now better
 Men's Pants in all wool heavy rip, a good woods pants; or Men's Pants, heavykersevs, all 2.00; our panic price
 Men's good heavy winter capes; ing our panic sale will go a Suspenders, panic price, per pair Suspenders, heavy working, p All wool, hand knit mittens; p

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Dress Goods Department.

All Wool mixture, former price, 50c, Panic Price, per yd 39c
 Checks and mixtures, " " 20c, " " 12 1-2c
 All wool covert cloth, " " 35c, " " 25c
 Black & white checked Flannel, former price, 35c, panic price 24c
 56 inch all wool Cloth, former price, 75c, panic price per yd. 49c
 36 inch heavy weight Cloaking, former price, 50c, panic price, per yd. 35c
 With every Dress Pattern sold at this sale, we will sell Dress Lining at 2c per yd., Silesia at 5c, worth double.
 36 in Taffeta, former price 15c; panic price per yd 9c

Domestic Department.

10 yds of German Blue Print, former price 12 1/2c, panic price 5c
 Best Amoskeag Apron Checks, former price 6c, panic price 3 1/2c
 Shaker Flannel, all colors, former price, 12 1/2c, panic price 9c
 Quilting Calicoes " 8c, " 4c
 36 in heavy unbleached sheeting " 7c, " 4c
 Toweling " 5c, " 1c
 Best Ger. Knitting Yarn, per lb " 50, " 39c
 Saxony " skein " 8c, " 4c
 Extra heavy Cotton Flannel yd " 12 1/2c, " 7c

Underwear Department.

Good quality, all sizes, former price 20c up, panic price 8c up
 Boys' camel's hair all sizes " 30c " 21c
 Ladies' ribbed and fleeced " 25c " 16c
 Ladies' all wool fleeced " 75c " 48c
 Camels Hair, flat goods " 1.00 " 74c
 Ladies' Medicated shirts & drawers " 1.25 " 75c

Notion Department.

Dress braids, per roll 4c
 Colored Silk crocheted balls 5c
 Mixed colors, cotton crochet balls 5c
 Hair Pins bone, doz 10c
 Tape, roll 1c
 Hook and eyes, with hump, card 1c
 1 lot of corsets, panic price 33c
 Ladies' Flannelette Wrappers 99c
 All wool mittens, per pair 9c

Oil Cloths and Carpets.

1 yd wide floor oil cloth former price, 25c, panic price 18c
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 2 yd " " 75c, " 48c
 Table Oil Cloth " 18c, " 10c
 Hemp Carpet, 1 yd wide 12 1/2c
 Ingrain Carpet 19c

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Child's shoe .42
 Ladies Vici Kid 1.19
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Cloak Department.



Handsome Lady's Jacket like above cut worth \$10.00 panic price \$5.00
 Silk lined tailor made latest style, worth \$15.00, panic price 9.75
 Misses' all wool beaver, former price \$7, panic price 3.98
 Children's Gretchens 1.49
 All wool flannel .95
 1 lot of 150 coats and capes, to close 1.19

Comforters and Blankets.

1 lot of comforters for this sale at a panic price 89c
 Better grade, former price \$2.00, panic price 1.33
 Next " home made, " 2.50, " 1.99
 Double blanket " .50, " .35
 An extra all wool blanket " 1.99
 Fancy striped blanket " 97c

In our millinery department we have 150 trimmed hats, panic price
 Ladies' Fedora hats in all the latest styles
 Children's & Misses' Tom O'Shanahan hats
 Men's Wool Suits in heavy weight, double breasted or round cut, such as from \$7.50 to \$8.50, panic price
 Men's all wool suits in black, blue, single or double breasted such as was \$10.00; panic price
 Washington beaver overcoats, handsomely made and trimmed; price \$12.00, panic price
 Overcoats, made of highest grade, best, Covert Cloth, Etc; good panic price
 Overcoats in dark colors, velvet trimmed such as brought up panic price for same is
 Men's ulsters; of all kinds from that can be found in town; in 5.00 to 20.00; panic prices
 Overcoats. We have some that are all good coats, worth from \$8.00 panic price sale, take them
 Men's Oil Grain Working Shoes
 Fine shoes, good wearers, panic price
 Mackinaw Jackets in fancy colors go under our panic prices on price from
 German Socks as low as 49c; we have first class such as were 1.50
 Men's all wool heavy weight socks, them is, per pair
 Men's lumbermen rubbers, in good sold last winter at 1.50; our city in all styles, all go at panic price
 Men's all wool underwear during at, each
 Men's heavy ribbed all wool panic sale, each
 Men's all wool heavy weight Socks
 Jersey over shirts and all other all going at panic prices, in flannels, which are now being
 Men's Pants in all wool heavy rip, a good woods pants; our Men's Pants, heavykerseys, all 2.00; our panic price
 Men's good heavy winter caps; our panic sale will go at
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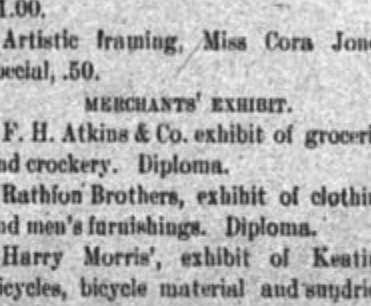
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Category	Prize	Value	Winner
CATTLE	1 4 yr. old bull, half Jersey, Andrew Rhinoldson	\$2.00	Andrew Rhinoldson
	1 yearling cow, 6 yrs., Clifford Barron	\$3.00	Clifford Barron
	1 2 yr. old cow, 6 yrs., Clifford Barron	\$3.00	Clifford Barron
	1 3 yr. old cow, 6 yrs., Clifford Barron	\$3.00	Clifford Barron
	1 4 yr. old cow, 6 yrs., Clifford Barron	\$3.00	Clifford Barron
	1 5 yr. old cow, 6 yrs., Clifford Barron	\$3.00	Clifford Barron
	1 6 yr. old cow, 6 yrs., Clifford Barron	\$3.00	Clifford Barron
	1 7 yr. old cow, 6 yrs., Clifford Barron	\$3.00	Clifford Barron
	1 8 yr. old cow, 6 yrs., Clifford Barron	\$3.00	Clifford Barron
	1 9 yr. old cow, 6 yrs., Clifford Barron	\$3.00	Clifford Barron
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	1 5 yr. old horse, 6 yrs., Clifford Barron	\$3.00	Clifford Barron
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Poultry	1 White rose comb poultry, Ned Connelly	\$1.00	Ned Connelly
	1 Honduas poultry, Fred Erickson	\$1.00	Fred Erickson
	2 Plymouth Rock poultry, Glavin Bro's	\$1.00	Glavin Bro's
	1 Silver spangled poultry, H. W. Cole	\$1.00	H. W. Cole
	1 3 long green cucumbers, F. Goetche	\$1.00	F. Goetche
	12 Boston squashes, W. F. Johnson	\$2.00	W. F. Johnson
	2 pumpkins, P. Van Valkenburg	\$1.00	P. Van Valkenburg
	6 citrons, P. Van Valkenburg	\$2.00	P. Van Valkenburg
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Panic Sale.

PANIC PRICES PREVAIL AT THE DOUBLE STORE


of KRATZE, 508-610 Ludington St., Escanaba.

Dress Goods Department.

All Wool mixture, former price, 50c, Panic Price, per yd 39c
 Checks and mixtures, " " 20c, " " 12 1-2c
 All wool covert cloth " " 35c, " " 25c
 Black & white checked Flannel, former price, 35c, panic price 24c
 56 inch all wool Cloth, former price, 75c, panic price per yd. 49c
 36 inch heavy weight Cloaking, former price, 50c, panic price, per yd. 35c
 With every Dress Pattern sold at this sale, we will sell Dress Lining at 2c per yd., Silesia at 5c, worth double.
 36 in Taffeta, former price 15c; panic price per yd 9c

Shoe Department.

Child's shoe .42
 Ladies Vici Kid 1.19
 " Crescent 1.39
 " Blucherette 1.34
 The Queen 1.21
 Wool lined slippers .89
 Wool lined shoes 1.24
 Ladies' Rubbers 24c
 Child's Rubbers 18c



In our millinery department we will give you choice of 150 trimmed hats, panic price 1.59

Ladies' Fedora hats in all the latest shapes, Children's & Misses' Tom O'Shanter's, panic price from 21c up
 Men's Wool Suits in heavy weight, single or double breasted or round out, such as sold in good times from \$7.50 to \$8.50, panic price 3.90
 Men's all wool suits in black, blue or fancy chevriots, in single or double breasted sacks; price in good times was \$10.00; panic price 5.75
 Washington beaver overcoats in black and blue, elegantly made and trimmed; price in good times was \$12.00, panic price 6.25

Domestic Department.

10 yds of German Blue Print, former price 12 1/2c, panic price 5c
 Best Amoskeag Apron Checks, former price 6c, panic price 3 1/2c
 Shaker Flannel, all colors, former price, 12 1/2c, panic price 9c
 Quilting Calicoes " 8c, " 4c
 36 in heavy unbleached sheeting " 7c, " 4c
 Toweling " 5c, " 1c
 Best Ger. Knitting Yarn, per lb " 50, " 39c
 Saxony " skein " 8c, " 4c
 Extra heavy Cotton Flannel yd " 12 1/2c, " 7c

Cloak Department.



Overcoats, made of highest grade Kerseys, Meltons, Thibets, Covert Cloth, Etc; good times price, \$15.00; panic price 8.75
 Overcoats in dark colors, velvet collars, neatly made and trimmed such as brought us in good times, \$7.50; panic price for same is 3.25

Men's ulsters; of all kinds from the cheapest to the best that can be found in town; in good times prices were 5.00 to 20.00; panic prices range from 2.90 to 14.00

Overcoats. We have some that are slightly damaged, all good coats, worth from 8.00 to 12.00; during our panic price sale, take them away for 1.25

Men's Oil Grain Working Shoes, panic price 85
 Fine shoes, good wearers, panic price 1.00

Mackinaw Jackets in fancy colors, or black. No one can go under our panic prices on these. They range in price from 1.19 to 2.19 for the best

German Socks as low as 49c; we have them in all wool, first class such as were 1.50; our panic price is .89

Men's all wool heavy weight socks; our panic price on them is, per pair .19

Men's lumbermen rubbers, in good quality, same as were sold last winter at 1.50; our panic price, per pair 1.14

The largest and best selected stock of shoe pads in the city in all styles, all go at panic prices.

Men's all wool underwear during this panic sale will go at, each .45

Men's heavy ribbed all wool Underwear, during this panic sale, each .48

Men's all wool heavy weight Sweaters; our panic price is .98

Jersey over shirts and all other kinds of overshirts are all going at panic prices, including our heavy buffalo flannels, which are now being sold at 1.19

Men's Pants in all wool heavy weight, warranted not to rip, a good woods pants; our panic price 1.10

Men's Pants, heavykerseys, all wool, such as sold for 2.00; our panic price 1.49

Men's good heavy winter caps; always sold at 50c; during our panic sale will go at .24

Suspenders, panic price, per pair .09

Suspenders, heavy working, panic price per pair .11

All wool, hand knit mittens; panic price, per pair .33

Underwear Department.

Good quality, all sizes, former price 20c up, panic price 8c up
 Boys' camel's hair all sizes " 30c " 21c
 Ladies' ribbed and fleeced " 25c " 16c
 Ladies' all wool fleeced " 75c " 48c
 Camels Hair, flat goods " 1.00 " 74c
 Ladies' Medicated shirts & drawers " 1.25 " 75c

Notion Department.

Dress braids, per roll 4c
 Colored Silk crochet balls 5c
 Mixed colors, cotton crochet balls 5c
 Hair Pins bone, doz 10c
 Tape, roll 1c
 Hook and eyes, with hump, card 1c
 1 lot of corsets, panic price 33c
 Ladies' Flannelette Wrappers 99c
 All wool mittens, per pair 9c

Handsome Lady's Jacket like above cut worth \$10.00 panic price \$5.00
 Silk lined tailor made latest style, worth \$15.00, panic price 9.75
 Misses' all wool beaver, former price \$7, panic price 3.98
 Children's Gretchens 1.49
 All wool flannel .95
 1 lot of 150 coats and capes, to close 1.19

Oil Cloths and Carpets.

1 yd wide floor oil cloth former price, 25c, panic price 18c
 1 1/2 yd " " " 50c, " 30c
 2 yd " " " 75c, " 48c
 Table Oil Cloth " 18c, " 10c
 Hemp Carpet, 1 yd wide 12c
 Ingrain Carpet 19c

Comforters and Blankets.

1 lot of comforters for this sale at a panic price 89c
 Better grade, former price \$2.00, panic price 1.33
 Next home made, " 2.50, " 1.99
 Double blanket " .50, " .35
 An extra all wool blanket 1.99
 Fancy striped blanket 97c

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