

TODAYS TELEGRAPHIC NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

MINNESOTA

RUSHING THE ORE.

Last Days of the Shipping Season Are Being Made to Count.

DULUTH, MINN.—The utmost effort is being made by railroads to hustle forward ore before the close of navigation. This is to be expected, so far as iron ore is concerned, as most of the iron ore is sold at ore steffens in cars and dock pockets it is with the greatest difficulty that it can be moved at all. The fact that there has not been a cold day so far and the regular crews have no trouble in handling docks.

Between 700 and 800 acres of land lying on the formation of the Vermillion range, east from Ely, and most of it close to the famous "Section 30" has been optioned to the Mahoning Ore and Steel company, an independent company, the stock of which is owned by the Cambria Steel company. Several diamond drills are to be put upon the lands at once and it is the intention of the company to sink very deep in its search for iron ore.

The Zenith Furnace company, which is operating one blast furnace at Duluth and may have more later, is exploring for ore on the eastern shore of Lake Superior and will have a number of drills at work this winter. The furnace is so situated that it can use an ore of a lower grade than the eastern ore, and it can get this low grade ore at a lower price per unit, so offsetting some of the advantage of location in the Pittsburgh region.

The Millie Iron Ore company, which has had for many years a small mine in the foot wall of the great Chapin in Michigan, is reorganizing and will increase its output to 100,000 tons per year. It is now owned in New York. It pays a royalty to the Chapin Iron company for its output and mines a portion of the Chapin deposit that the latter cannot well mine.

Mesaba range mines of the Republic Iron & Steel company will produce this year about 220,000 tons of ore, a very small production for the Mesaba range. The same company has also produced about 150,000 tons production on the Marquette range. It will largely increase on the Mesaba another year, when it will produce an open pit mine, the value of which it can produce ore very cheaply.

John D. Gilchrist, manager of mines for the Colorado Fuel & Iron company has been in the Mesaba range for several weeks securing mining managers for several new properties the company purposes to open at once. Some of these are in Wyoming, some in Colorado, and some in Colorado.

The Mesaba Mining company, composed of Duluth men, is working on several old properties on the Mesaba range whose value they expect to increase by the year. It has adapted to mix successfully with non-siliceous Mesaba ore. The Nanalino is the first of these old properties and work on this is being vigorously prosecuted.

This year's shipments from the Clergue mine at Michipicoten in the neighborhood of 300,000 tons, less than expected on account of the change in mining methods carried out here and the delay in the shipping season which is now about completed.

W. F. Snyder & Co. of Pittsburgh, who have been working on the Mesaba range, have suspended operations there and have moved their outfit to the west end of the range in Itasca county, where they have taken a lease on the Arcutus mine. They will sink shafts and otherwise test this discredited ore body, which may turn out to have a good deposit.

Deposits of asbestos near the Marquette range are being opened and with great promise of success. It is considered certain by mining men that one of the valuable asbestos mines of the United States will be found there.

The Breitung Hematite Iron company is sinking a three compartment shaft near Negaunee in Marquette county, on the hoisting some good ore. It is intended that a large mine shall be opened there this winter. This is on land that was claimed by the Mesaba range company and was explored by it years ago, and with what success nobody knows, as records were kept secret.

HIBBING, MINN.—Mrs. J. Murphy, wife of Superintendent Murphy of the Stephenson mine, died last night after an illness of a few hours. She and her husband were married in 1870 and the circumstances are unusually sad. Her remains were sent to her former home at Austin, Minn., for interment.

The Northern States Iron company is undergoing extensive improvements at an additional waiting room for ladies. The Swan River Logging company has several logging camps established at various points in the Hibbing district and logs are being shipped to the Mississippi.

WILLMAR, MINN.—B. F. Miller was found guilty of the murder of William H. H. Miller, who was shot and killed on the 15th inst. Miller was fined \$50, has taken an appeal, William H. H. Miller was shot and killed on the 15th inst. Miller was fined \$50, has taken an appeal, William H. H. Miller was shot and killed on the 15th inst. Miller was fined \$50, has taken an appeal.

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It would seem at first glance that catarrh being a disease of the mucous membrane, the various sprays, etc., being applied directly to the mucous membrane of the nose and throat, would be the most rational treatment but this has been proven not to be true.

The mucous membrane is made up of paired from the blood and is made of blood disease and any remedy to make a permanent cure must act on the blood, and when the blood is purified from the catarrhal poisons, the mucous membrane will become natural and healthy.

In this climate, thousands of people suffer severely from some form of catarrh; it gets better at times but each winter becomes gradually deeper seated and after a time the sufferer resigns himself to it as a necessary evil. Catarrh cures are almost as numerous as catarrh sufferers, but are nearly all so inconvenient and ineffective as to render their use a nuisance nearly as annoying as catarrh itself. Some have used douches, sprays and powders will bear witness to their inconvenience and failure to really cure.

has a few more nuisances of similar character and another stirring up is awaited by citizens. There is complaint of illegal fishing in the northern part of this county. A double wedding was solemnized in the town of Roseland Thursday, when Henry Bjelkengren and Miss Selma Lindquist to Peter Strandberg. The brides are the daughters of Peter Lindquist, a prominent farmer in this city, also double meetings have been held at the Lutheran Free church. The following ministers made addresses: F. Aas of Christiania, A. Hillen of Hamar, N. O. Johnson of Minneapolis, C. Ytrehus of Farwell, S. Hanson of Spicer and E. Sorenson of Hoffman. Rev. G. Peterson, pastor of the Swedish Lutheran church in this city, also delivered a sermon. Rev. Mr. Holland, treasurer of Augsburg seminary, Minneapolis, will remain over Sunday to receive subscriptions for the support of a school for the blind at the seminary, the purpose of whose mission, will also remain.

PRINCETON, MINN.—Frank Newall was yesterday committed to the Ferguson hospital for the insane. He was brought down from Vineland at Mille Laes lake, where he was working on a farm. He had been in the city for some time for an ax handle Tuesday night and the front door was locked. He went to the side entrance and walked into the store, where he was picked up by a policeman to examine it, and while doing so, Mr. Daigle, the proprietor, came in and approached the man. Newall showed fight and was taken away from him by which while the two men were fighting the clerk came in and Newall was overpowered and arrested on a charge of breaking into the store. He had been acting very strangely at the house where he boarded, and when he arrived at Princeton he was examined for insanity, and it was learned that he had been at the St. Peter asylum for six months in 1901.

FERGUS FALLS, MINN.—Harry H. Harris was brought from Park Rapids Friday and bound over to the United States grand jury on the charge of forging a check for \$10,000. The order was for \$10,000 and was issued by writing the name of G. L. Osborne across the back of it and cashing it at Park Rapids. Mrs. Joseph Pierce had been ill for two days of kidney trouble, but it was not supposed her condition was dangerous. She was 56 years of age and her husband, who is also a child, John Kiewel, has decided to erect a pop factory. Thomas Ibberson returned from the northern woods to-day and brought one of the best specimens of muskrat also brought one fine specimen with him.

NORTHFIELD, MINN.—The government has called for bids for the construction of all star routes. Those in this vicinity are Shieldsville to Faribault, 9.75 miles; Moland to Kenyon, 8.75 miles; Kenyon to Northfield, 12.25 miles; Lexington to Montgomery, 7 miles. Each of these are to be round trips, six times a week. The Chicago & North Western has proposed in the improvements asked for by the city, a new brick station and better platform and cement walks. The team from the Carleton football eleven this afternoon on Laird field.

WABPETON, N. D.—Two prisoners known as Kelly and Mitchell dug their way through two feet of brick wall in the county jail and escaped. Another prisoner, gave an alarm as soon as the escape was discovered, but as yet no clue can be found. The excavation of the wall was made by using a piece of soap, which was left near by, shows that the wall was drilled through the soap to deaden the sound. A week or more must have been required to dig through the wall. Several passenger trains leave Wabpeton during the night, and apparently it was difficult to find the men. One was tried for forgery. He is accused of raising a \$6 check made by Mr. Lubenow for whom he was doing farm work this summer. The other man was found in a schoolhouse and is being held. The case will be heard at the Devils Lake term.

FARGO, N. D.—The United States grand jury completed its work and was dismissed after turning in a batch of indictments. Resolutions were adopted completely exonerating Marshal Haggart from any complicity in the case of the former deputy as a result of which the former deputy has been acquitted. Another arraignment was made in connection with the conspiracy. State's Attorney Galford of Rolla being the subject. His case will be heard at the Devils Lake term.

WISCONSIN
LA CROSSE, WIS.—The Morning Chronicle has been sold by Charles Lush to Sheriff William E. Barger and Frank M. Welch, city editor of the Republican and Leader. The new owners took possession of the paper on Monday and received an appointment as chief clerk in the secretary of state's office in Madison. Secretary C. S. V. Aiken of the La Crosse Interstate Fair association has completed the financial statement of the last fair, which shows that the association cleared \$3,000 after paying all expenses. The Wisconsin fair association has completed its long-distance line from this city to Fountain City, and from that place the line will be extended to the city of Wisconsin Dells. The system will be completed in about a month. The police have arrested six boys on a charge of breaking into the Holy Trinity Catholic church and robbing the poor box of about \$6, besides stealing candles and books. The boys also broke into the schoolhouse adjoining the church and stole books and pencils. They are all held and some of them have been in the hands of the police before.

WEST SUPERIOR, WIS.—The sudden change in board at the county jail seems to have been more or less responsible for the escape of Charles Clark, the colored man who was held for some time. In a note to the jailer he said: "I like you, I like your prisoners, but I do not like your 13-cent meals." Until last week the sound which the county jailer heard in Springfield where it will put down another well. Judge E. G. Smith of Yankton will hold a regular term of court here, beginning Tuesday, Dec. 2.

SPEARFISH, S. D.—The first issue of the Normal, a monthly publication edited by students of the state normal school, has been mailed. Gerald A. Torrence is editor-in-chief; Miss Winnifred A. Packard, business manager; O. C. Wilson, athletic editor; Miss Ella Poomey, exchange editor; Miss Mollie McArthur, society editor. In addition to these each class has representatives on the staff.

CENTREVILLE, S. D.—Two years ago Morris Steadman sold a farm of 113 acres for \$8,000, James McGinn, the purchaser, being paid \$1,000 down and being granted time to pay the remainder. The farm has just been sold at public sale for \$65,750 an acre or aggregate of \$11,374.75 for the entire tract. Thus it sold at auction for \$5,374.75 more than it was sold for at a regular sale two years ago.

ALEXANDRIA, S. D.—P. H. McDonald, an old resident of your city, was picked up in a dying condition on one of the streets of this city last evening, dying shortly afterward. Apoplexy was the cause, the stroke occurring while he was riding alone in an open buggy. He leaves a wife and eight children.

YANKTON, S. D.—Anton Glech of Lakopet, was arrested yesterday on a charge of assaulting a 2-year-old girl. There are threats of lynching. The child may die.

Since the dismissing of the murder cases the principal actions in circuit court were the quashing of the cases wherein the state brought information against Carey & Ward, Michael Magnus and Dave Donaldson alleging that they maintained saloons illegally. Errors in the writs as returned by the justices of the peace were the grounds for quashing.

STURGIS, S. D.—Rev. Father Quinlan of St. Aloysius church, aged nearly 80 years, is dead.

MICHIGAN
MARQUETTE, MICH.—A syndicate composed principally of Marquette men has organized the Lake Superior Gold Mining and Milling company to operate the La Fortuna mine in Mexico. The property is in the state of Sonora and has been worked for many years under antiquated methods. It is the expectation that with improved machinery it will turn out a bonanza, there being, it is said, over \$5,000,000 of high grade ore already in sight. W. H. Daldy of the Chicago office is in charge of the syndicate and George Barnes, cashier of the Marquette County Savings Bank, secretary.

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BERTHA, MINN.—Fred Graves, aged 24 was instantly killed by a dynamite explosion. He was warming up nine and one-half pounds of dynamite on an oil stove preparatory to blowing up stumps. The shock was so great that even at Bertha, three miles distant, people rushed out to see what had happened.

AITKIN, MINN.—Horace Berry, an old hunter, was brought down from the woods fifteen miles north of Aitkin, with one hand shot off, the result of a hunting accident. Settlers are arriving rapidly, as many as five car loads of emigrant goods being received at the station in one day.

BRainerd, MINN.—The remains of Mrs. Charles Erickson were found last night at Rice Lake. She wandered from home Thursday noon and committed suicide.

RED WING, MINN.—Ed Hanson drank two ounces of strychnine yesterday afternoon. He was 25 years old. His father lives in Minneapolis.

SLEEPY EYE, MINN.—John C. Nelson, a prominent stock buyer was run down by a runaway team and seriously injured.

OSAKIS, MINN.—John W. Moore died of liver and stomach trouble. He was one of the pioneers.

NORTH DAKOTA

YOUNG FOR SPEAKER

Valley City Papers Bring Out a Candidate Against Baker.

VALLEY CITY, N. D.—The local papers this week formally announced the candidacy of George M. Young for speaker of the next house of representatives. His friends feel confident of his success and are urging his campaign with earnestness. They assert that the fifth judicial district will be sold for him, and in daily receipt of encouraging reports from other parts of the state.

Mr. Young, it is stated, will be only practicing lawyer in the house. There is another attorney in the body, but he has not been in active practice for some years.

GRAFTON, N. D.—A telegram was received by Rev. C. D. McDonald from his son Ray, saying that he had passed the physical as well as the other examinations and had been admitted to the naval academy at Annapolis. Ray is one of sixteen out of forty who were accepted for admission. He is 18 years of age and a graduate of the city high school in the class of 1902. He is a member of the Catholic church.

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SOUTH DAKOTA

STARIRA IN THE HILLS

Reception for the New Bishop—Much Interest in the Installation.

LEAD, S. D.—Over a hundred leading citizens have been appointed on a committee of reception in honor of the Rt. Rev. J. N. Starira, the new bishop of the Lead diocese, who is expected to arrive from St. Paul to-day, to take up his residence here. The installation is arousing much interest, and people will be in attendance from all parts of western South Dakota.

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IOWA

HULL ON THE ROSTRUM

Des Moines Congressman Begins a Series of Lectures on the Philippines.

DES MOINES, IOWA—Congressman Hull has begun the making of nonpartisan lectures on the Philippines, the object of which is generally understood to be merely an altruistic desire to diffuse light on a subject more or less abstruse to the average citizen. He will make six or more of these lectures in this congressional district. The first was delivered recently at University Place church, in this city, and attracted a large audience. The captain charged him with an effort to promote a roseate view of the situation in the Philippines and with having ulterior politics up his sleeve in his regard toward the Philippines. He also praised the beautiful drives of the city and praises in high terms the conduct of the American soldiers and the American soldier police.

Superintendent Barrett, who has been in attendance at the meeting of the trustees of the state normal school at Cedar Falls, says he looks for the contract for the new \$200,000 gymnasium which the trustees have decided on, let by the middle of January. The improvement will be a modern one in all respects. It will be the first of a double gymnasium hall built at any of the state educational institutions. The plan is to have accommodations for both sexes and at the same time to have a gymnasium for the work of the cadet battalion. President Seerley has returned recently from a tour of the leading educational institutions of the east and has drawn on the contract for the new gymnasium at Cedar Falls.

The Adams Express company is under indictment at the hands of the federal grand jury for alleged violation of internal revenue laws applying to the sale of liquor. The case grows out of the alleged sale by the company of liquor & wine to the state of Iowa, and the prosecution that the express company in delivering the liquor and collecting for it actually consummated a sale and that it failed to pay the tax on the liquor. The internal revenue license fee. The case is pending in the federal district court here on a demurrer filed by the company.

The State Dairy Commission reports that there will in all probability be no attempt to have a state dairy exhibit at the St. Louis fair. He predicts that so far as the state is concerned the only exhibits in butter or dairy products will be made by exhibitors of the state under the auspices of the National Dairy association.

GRINNELL, IOWA.—William Vogt, a farmer, has sued the city for damages on account of the contamination of the water in Sioux City, which is pumped through his farm and into which is emptied the sewage of the city. Several head of cattle are alleged to have died as a result, and several others made seriously ill. The city of Grinnell has refused to pay the damages which Vogt claims. The city asserts that Vogt agreed not to bring suit provided the authorities would take prompt measures to care for the sewage, and relying on this agreement the city has expended over \$8,000 in building septic tanks which are now almost completed. Mr. Vogt denies that he ever made such an agreement. A hearing will be held on Monday on Main street. Several church people have lead the opposition to the al-lays and heretofore they have succeeded in getting the city to pay the damages which are known as the Grinnell Bowling club has erected alleys and at the opening a match game took place between the Hawkeye and Des Moines and Grinnell teams. The Des Moines men won.

SIoux CITY, IOWA.—The retail and wholesale grocery houses are engaged in a bitter war with the big retailers, who will only end when they combine and the jobbers agree to quit selling groceries at retail. Evidence of the seriousness of the struggle is the fact that the big retailers are offering sugar for \$1, and similar reductions in other prices. About half of the groceries of the town, all small, are backed by the jobbers. The big retailers are offering the jobbers for forcing these out of business. As it is the big retailers buy their supplies out of the city. A \$100,000 company has been organized to buy supplies from the jobbers for forcing these out of business. As it is the big retailers buy their supplies out of the city. A \$100,000 company has been organized to buy supplies from the jobbers for forcing these out of business.

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ESTHERVILLE, IOWA.—Free delivery of the mail will be established in this city the first of December. There will be three carriers and one substitute.

BOONE, IOWA.—Congressman Connor has announced that he will recommend the reappointment of W. B. Meaus as postmaster at this place.

HAMPTON, IOWA.—Judge Whitaker has sentenced William Rosin of Eldora to one year in the reformatory at Cherokee.

NEBRASKA

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