

Over \$500 Stolen.

Calumet Post Office Entered During the Night.

The Safe Also Blown Open.

And the Money and Other Papers Taken—No Clue As to Who the Robbers Are.

This morning when Clerk Williams and Mail Carrier Allen entered the postoffice to attend to their regular duties they found that some thief or thieves had been there during the night as the safe door was open and some of its contents scattered on the floor, beside which was a big sledge and a screwdriver. They at once notified Postmaster Grierson and he communicated the facts to the sheriff.

It is supposed the robbers gained admission by raising up the sash of the window on the north side of the office, the catch not having been fastened, as the marks of the screwdriver are plainly visible on the sill of that window. The safe had been opened by the use of glycerine, the combination lock on the outside having evidently been knocked off with the sledge, and then powder run into the lock through the holes made by pulling out the combination; after the outer door had thus been opened three holes had been drilled in the inside door, the lock of which was easily opened in the same manner as the outer one.

The burglars took two drawers from the safe with their contents and left everything else after looking it all over. One of the drawers contained about \$110 in postoffice money and \$50 in money-order cash and the other had \$321 of Postmaster Grierson's money. This drawer was used by Mr. Grierson for his business as agent for the Home Insurance Co. The stamps in the safe were left untouched as was also the big batch of registered letters and the money orders. There was some money-order change in the safe but it was untouched.

There is scarcely any clue to work on, but it appears rather strange that none of the company's nightwatchmen saw anything suspicious, as some of them are at the bank corner a great deal of the time.

The burglars left their sledge, screwdriver and a large pocket knife. A piece of dirty soap, evidently used in getting the powder into the holes, was also lying on the floor. The screwdriver and sledge were recognized by James McHardy, the blacksmith, as belonging to him and the burglars must have taken them from his place last night, as the tools were used yesterday in the shop. The most peculiar part of the whole affair was that the sledge was the same one used when the old postoffice was burglarized several years ago.

This morning some men at work in the field near the old base ball ground found the two drawers and lock-box. The cash was all gone, but several checks and insurance receipts, which would be valuable to the robbers, were left in the drawers.

Another Calumet Boy.

The last number of "The Banker, Merchant and Manufacturer," published in Chicago, under the head of "Eminent in Engineering," gives an account and portrait of Frank C. Osborn, C. E., and after referring to the works done by the Osborn Co., of Cleveland, says, "Frank C. Osborn, C. E., the head of the firm, is a man of long experience in his profession. He is a graduate of the Rensselaer Polytechnic institute and has learned his business by long practical experience, having been connected at different times with the Louisville Bridge and Iron Co.; the Keystone Co., of Pittsburgh, and the King Bridge Co., of this city. With the last he was chief engineer. Mr. Osborn's fame is national and even international in its scope for he is not only a member of the Civil Engineer's club of Cleveland and the American Society of Civil Engineers, but also a fellow of the Imperial Institute of Great Britain and a member of the British Institute of Engineers," etc.

It gives the News great pleasure at all times to announce the good fortune of our Calumet boys, or girls for that matter, and if at any time our readers come across accounts of the progress made by any former Calumetites we should feel obliged if they would forward the same to this office for publication.

Look After Your Children

The News lately called attention to the fact that a Miss Morrison, daughter of Captain Morrison, of Crystal Falls, who had started out alone to look up a good place for berry-picking, was assaulted and murdered. It now appears that a young man named Peter Bonn, whose mother lives at Norway, and who was the first person to point out the body, has confessed that seeing the young lady leave the high road he followed her and after making some insulting remarks, which were repulsed, assaulted and then choked her to death. The incensed citizens of the place, after the fellow had confessed, made some threats of lynching him; it is to be hoped, however, that cooler heads will be able to control the crowd and that the law will be allowed to take its course and that this great

State will not be disgraced by lynching. Young girls in this neighborhood can be seen every day starting out on a berry picking expedition and as this place just now is infested with a lot of tramps it is to be hoped that the heads of families will see that their children on these excursions are properly chaperoned. The fate of the girl who some years ago was found murdered between the Calumet dam and Red Jacket, almost within call of help, is recalled by Miss Morrison's death and parents should bear in mind that history might repeat itself.

For the Reunion.

Extensive arrangements are being made by Red Jacket lodge, A. O. U. W., for the annual reunion to be held here August 25, and no efforts will be spared to make the celebration a memorable one in the history of the lodge. A committee consisting of Messrs. Grigg, Chynoweth, Ellis, Cuddihy, Brennan, DeGooyer and Kemp has the affair in charge.

A letter received from Quincy lodge states the organization there will attend to a man and the Houghton and Lake Linden lodge has also decided to attend in a body. The other lodges in the Upper Peninsula will also send delegations, although a large attendance is not expected from the iron country.

The Fifth Infantry band has been engaged for the occasion. The parade will occur early in the afternoon and the remainder of the day will be spent at the Tamarack park. The Degree of Honor ladies will serve supper at the park and there will be dancing and other amusements.

July Weather Report.

The report of the local weather observer for July presents some interesting facts and figures. July was the hottest month of the year up to date. The mean temperature for the month was 67.58° which is about the average for July. The 3d of July was the warmest day of the month when the mercury got up to 92° in the shade. The coolest day was the 12th when it dropped to 50°. The mean maximum temperature for the month was 75.96° and the mean minimum temperature was 59.19°.

There was not much rain during the month, the total precipitation amounting to 3.8 inches. The most rain came down on the 21st of the month when 1.06 inches fell. The number of clear days during the month were 22 which is a good record. Six days were partly cloudy and three cloudy. The prevailing winds were southeast, southwest and west.

There was a very pleasant dancing party given by a number of Calumet young men at the School Hall last evening and attended by about forty couples, including a large number from Hancock, Houghton and Lake Linden. Carkeet's Ideal orchestra furnished music and it was fully up to the standard. Dancing was indulged in from early in the evening until one o'clock. Light refreshments were served.

Mr. Edward Carter was united in marriage to Miss Emma Richards last Tuesday evening, the ceremony being performed at the home of the bride's parents on Mine street. The Rev. J. M. Kerridge was the officiating clergyman and a member of friends of the contracting parties were present. The newly wedded couple will reside in Laurium and start in life with the best wishes of numerous friends.

A new bakery will be opened in Red Jacket next Monday when M. L. Hanna will commence business in the Wilkins' block near the News office. Mr. Hanna has named his shop "The Palace Bakery" and as he is a man of experience in his business is certain to enjoy a good trade.

Four of Ishpeming's fastest bicycle riders arrived yesterday afternoon to take part in the races at the Athletic park this afternoon. The day is an ideal one for bicycle riding and some good races are sure to take place.

Dr. McLeod received a telegram yesterday from Dr. Jones stating that Mrs. Jones had undergone a successful operation for appendicitis and was doing very nicely which will be good news to her many friends here.

The funeral of the infant son of William Carmichael was held yesterday afternoon. Services took place at the residence and were in charge of Rev. J. M. Kerridge. The remains were interred at Lake View.

A report was freely circulated about town this morning that the Tamarack store had been entered and robbed. The report proved to be entirely without foundation.

Mr. Mark Cunningham, with the Saginaw Courier-Herald, has been here on a vacation, but will probably return home on Monday unless he can get an extension of leave.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—A second hand bicycle at a reasonable price. Must be in good condition. Call or address (X) care of "News."

Most of the Calumet people who attended the firemen's tournament at Ironwood returned yesterday and report a good time.

Miss Julia Olson returned yesterday from an extended visit with relatives in Wisconsin.

The Local Churches

And the Services to Be Held in Them Tomorrow.

The Reporters and Interviews.

Senator Mark A. Hanna and Party Visited the Metropolis Today—Other Local Events.

CALUMET METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Classes will meet at 9 a. m.; preaching service at 10:30; Sunday school at 12 m. Evening service, at 6:30. Rev. E. W. Frazee will preach in the morning, and Pastor Kerridge in the evening on "Moral Decisions."

This (Saturday) evening the official board will hold a meeting.

Young people are cordially invited to attend the devotional meeting of the Epworth League Tuesday evening at 7:30.

General prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend any or all of the services of this church.

FIRST LAURIUM BAPTIST.

Services at this church, Sabbath morning at 10:30; Sabbath school at 11:45; evening services begin at 7. Preaching by Mr. William Taylor.

All are welcome, but especially so are any strangers who may be in town transiently or otherwise.

RED JACKET CONGREGATIONAL.

Preaching at 10:30, Sabbath school at 12 m. Junior Endeavor meeting at 4 p. m. Public service at 7; preaching by the pastor.

Christian Endeavor meeting at 7:30 Monday evening, and regular mid-week prayer and praise service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

The public will be cordially welcomed to any of these services.

TAMARACK JUNIOR M. E. CHURCH.

Services tomorrow will be as follows: Class meeting, at 9 a. m.; Sunday school at 2 p. m. There will be preaching at 3 by Rev. Frazee at the Junior grove, and at 6:30 by Brother Champion.

Ladies' class Tuesday evening at 7:30, Epworth League Wednesday evening at 7:30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

The public will be cordially welcomed to any of these services.

GERMAN REFORMED.

Services in the First Congregational church of Calumet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Sunday school every Sunday afternoon in the basement of the church at 2 o'clock.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Services will be held as usual tomorrow morning and evening. Colonel Smiley will preach in the morning and evening. Bible school and bible classes at 11:45. All the usual services will be held during the week. Everybody welcome. Morning worship, 10:30; evening, 7.

CENTENNIAL M. E. CHURCH.

Class meetings, 9 a. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.; preaching at 6:30. Preaching by Rev. E. W. Frazee every two weeks on Wednesday night.

All persons interested in the christian religion are cordially welcome to attend these services.

SALVATION ARMY.

Knee drill at 7 a. m.; at 10:30 a. m., holiness meeting; junior soldiers' meeting, 1:30 p. m., all children welcome; christian praise meeting, 3 p. m.; salvation meeting at 7. All are welcome.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL.

Services at Christ church (Protestant Episcopal):

SUNDAY.
Holy communion..... 9:30 a. m.
Morning prayer..... 10:30
Sunday school and rector's bible class..... 2:30 p. m.
Evening prayer..... 7

WEDNESDAY.

Bible class..... 7:30 p. m.

FRIDAY.

Preparation for holy communion..... 8 to 10 p. m.
All seats are free, and strangers cordially welcomed.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

Services in the Presbyterian church tomorrow morning at 10:30, evening at 7. Sabbath school at 11:50. Y. P. S. C. E. Tuesday evening at 7:30; weekly prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30; boys' brigade bible drill Sunday evening at 7; military drill Friday evening at 7. Everyone cordially invited to all the services of this church.

TAMARACK METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Class meetings at 9 a. m., preaching at 10:30 a. m. by Rev. J. M. Kerridge and at 6:30 p. m. there will be a missionary meeting, with music and addresses by Revs. F. A. Walker, of Hancock, and A. J. Poligaze, of Osceola. Sunday school at 2:30.

Week-day meetings: Monday evening, regular meeting of the Epworth League Wednesday evening, ladies' class meeting; Thursday evening, general prayer meeting.

The public is invited to attend these services.

REV. E. W. FRAZEE, Pastor.

Distinguished Visitors.

Calumet entertained some distinguished

visitors this morning when United States Senator Marcus A. Hanna and party visited the city. The party arrived at Portage Lake last evening in their yacht, the Comanche. This morning a special train over the Mineral Range brought them out from Hancock accompanied by Supt. Shields. The party is composed of Senator and Mrs. Mark Hanna and their two daughters, Misses Ruth and Mabel, Mr. and Mrs. Gosline, Miss Lucia McCurdy and Mr. H. R. Perry. The yacht crew also came out on the special train and visited the mine with the party.

Supt. Duncan met the party at the depot where three large conveyances awaited them. They visited the Red Jacket shaft, the Superior engine house and the various other points of interest about the mine. To most of the party the machinery was interesting as none had ever visited the mine before. After visiting the mine the entire party took dinner at the Calumet Hotel and returned to Hancock on the special train at 2 o'clock.

The party is making a tour of the great lakes on the yacht. The last stopping place before coming to the copper country was at Marquette. They will go from here to Duluth and make the return trip on the north shore, stopping at Port Arthur. After touring the lakes the yacht will go to Buffalo where President and Mrs. McKinley will join them and go to Cleveland.

The yacht is one of the finest that ever came into Portage Lake. Twenty-one seamen are employed on board.

Interviewers Apt to Pull the Long Bow.

The State Republican gives an interview with Labor Commissioner Cox, in which that gentleman is made to say, "You reporters are quick to catch up the sayings of public men, and especially State officials, and you are often compelled to draw largely from inference and general indications to complete your reports and make them spicy and readable." In this Mr. Cox was right, and consequently much of the stuff that is being repeated and published as coming from Governor Plagie probably was never uttered by that individual. During the last campaign much was published about the governor's sayings, and when the News stated to a personal friend of the governor's that such sayings were, in its opinion, at least very impolitic, was told, "Why, on one occasion I was in the governor's room at his residence when a reporter was ushered in to his presence, and heard every word that was said and was considerably surprised the next morning to see an account of the interview in a Detroit paper. Why, the reporter had stated things that were never even referred to at the interview." It is now going the rounds that the governor is reported as saying that he is going to see that Senator Burrows will not be re-elected; which report is being used as political capital against the governor.

In the interview with Mr. Cox, as published in the State Republican, appears the following, and if Mr. Cox's statement is true it gives the lie to the report, and which, in a spirit of fairness, we reprint. The interviewer asked Mr. Cox:

"Who will be the next United States senator from Michigan?"

"I don't have the making of United States senators as any part of my work," replied Mr. Cox, "but I would be glad to believe that the millennium had arrived if all were agreed upon the same candidate, for any place, even in their own party. It never was and never will be so. Each individual is rightfully entitled to his own preference and choice until the majority, in convention, caucus or election, shall fix the choice of the party. Then is a reasonable time to expect a general agreement and then is the time when I shall be able to answer your question as to who it will be."

"Well, then, who will be the choice of the Pinckney people?"

"The Pinckney people, as you choose to style them, are the majority of the republicans of the state of Michigan and their choices will be as numerous as there are candidates in the party. None of the governor's friends have committed themselves that I know of, and I do not think they will for some time to come. The governor has his American right of choice, the same as any other republican, but I have never heard him express it, even when he has been in the most confidential mood and with his closest friends. I have heard the candidacy of senator Burrows, John Patton, William Alden Smith, Col. John Atkinson and other good republicans discussed by the governor, but never a choice expressed. It is too early even for speculation."

Field's Minstrels Tonight.

The company known as Al G. Field's real minstrels arrived in this city this morning after giving a very enjoyable performance at Hancock last evening. The company could not bring out their special cars over the Mineral Range and left them at Houghton. The street parade this morning attracted no little attention and the band concert at the corner of Fifth and Oak street was very highly spoken of. The entertainment at the Opera House this evening promises to be well attended.

The company is one composed entirely of artists and the entertainment they give is out of the ordinary and peculiar in itself. The wardrobe, stage effects and everything pertaining to the entertainment has been gotten up regardless of cost. Seats have been on sale for the past few days at Ryan's and have gone like hotcakes.

New Engine House.

The Tamarack mining company is making some extensive improvements at No 5 shaft on Lake Superior road. Beside a number of new residences which have been erected for the company's em-



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ployees at the shaft, work will shortly be commenced on a large engine house. Piles are being driven at the shaft for the foundation for the new engine and work on the building will be commenced soon. It will be built of stone and will replace the temporary engine house which was put up when the shaft was commenced and which has proven inadequate for further sinking.

Quite a few members of the Sacred Heart church congregation, mostly residents of Laurium, are not satisfied with having the new church built on the site chosen and last night several members of the congregation living in Laurium held a meeting and decided to build a church in Laurium next summer. An option has been obtained on a piece of property on Hecla street. It is not intended to restrict the membership of the new church to Irish and German, but it is to include all the nationalities in Laurium.

The News has been asked more than once this morning whether Marshal Ward would give it his opinion that the burglary committed at the postoffice during last night was no robbery, but only a free advertising job for the United States.

The Hancock & Calumet railroad has the construction train at work on the Fulton division.

Miss Libby Dawe, of Blue Jacket, has been visiting Lake Linden friends for the past few days.

Problem of Living.

The strong yearning for the life of Washington or of New York is the mark of a centrifugal tendency which is reasonable and easily understood. The same thing appears in all rich countries. The well to do English try to spend part of the year in London, the French in Paris. They do it and keep their country homes besides. Our westerners have a more difficult problem. They are much farther away from their social and political centers than most of the French or the English, and the idiosyncrasies of the American climate complicate their home coming. Consider the case of the rich people of the great Ohio cities. The Cleveland man who has struck Standard oil, or politics, or something, and has become solvent beyond the dreams of avarice, develops a lawful desire to live at the center of things and builds a house in New York or Washington, which is his headquarters from November to May.

He still has a house in Cleveland, but when is he going to live in it? Not in summer, for his neighbors who stay at home in the winter come east to the seashore in the summer. He may find Cleveland attractive in the late spring and the early fall, but the chances are that his family will tell him that it doesn't pay to travel so far and open and close a house for such short periods. The upshot of it must tend to be that the shutters stay up on the Cleveland man's house in Cleveland, and that he lives elsewhere, and merely goes home to vote or on errands of business. And why doesn't he give it up altogether? Because considerations of trade or sentiment or of politics forbid. It pays to be a representative man and hail from somewhere, and Ohio is a good state to hail from.—Harper's Weekly.

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THE CHICAGO MARKET.
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	Opening	Highest	Lowest	Closing
Wheat Sept.	71 1/4	71 3/4	71 1/4	71 1/2
Sept. Corn	26 1/4	27 1/4	26 1/4	26 3/4
Sept. Oats	27 1/4	27 3/4	27 1/4	27 1/2

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