

The Trainmen's Ball.

Society Eyent of the
Season Occurs at
the Armory.

Decorations Were Elaborate.

First Regiment Band Disperses the
Music-Special Train Is Run
From Portage Lake.

The Light Guard armory was crowded Friday evening, the occasion being the annual Trainmen's ball. The special train brought out quite a crowd from the Portage Lake towns and several people drove up from Lake Linden. The armory was beautifully decorated with evergreens and the windows were artistically draped with lace curtains. In the center of the armory hung a large car wheel, bearing the letters "B. R. T." and "97." At one end of the hall was a large locomotive and over the banquet room door hung a large banner with the inscription "Welcome by the Lodge, No. 367, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen." In all the hall presented a very striking appearance. At 12 o'clock supper was served. This was in charge of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., and although it appeared a big task to feed such a large crowd, the ladies did so in good style. It was in the early hours of the morning that the party broke up and all went home well pleased with the treatment they had received at the hands of the trainmen and voting them right royal entertainers.

The trainmen's parties are always known to be perhaps more largely attended than any other dance of the year, as the popularity of the boys composing the organization and their efforts to take care of their guests in the proper manner has made an enviable reputation for them. However, the attendance last Friday night was unprecedented and the fact that the large number of guests were taken care of in fine shape speaks very highly for the boys.

The music was the best, the Fifth Regiment band; and it was highly appreciated. The program included several selections which were well and many enjoyed the music very much with the merry dancers.

To the arrangement committee in particular for the members of the brotherhood is grateful, all of whom turned out and did their best to make the party the success it was, is due the credit for one of the most enjoyable dances of the year.

Still Have Hope.

The members of the Calumet Whist club who went to Marquette last week to take part in the tournament, have returned. The club came out next to the team and in the final score, with the Portage Lake team on top, and the team from Marquette and the Soo a tie for second place. The only team that made a record that the Calumet players beat was Escanaba, who brought up the tail end of the procession.

The local team has no apologies to make for its record, as it is well known that the home club had been but lately organized and the members have not had the practice and experience of many of the teams who took part in the tournament. Then again the club was not at all familiar with the manner of playing in regard to the arrangement of the teams. Their way of counting was also something new to the Calumet team and it was several games before they became well acquainted with the rules so that they could put up a good game. However, when the true test came they proved equal to the occasion, and by their defeating the Soo team, which was before the tournament, considered the crack team of the peninsula, that the Portage Lake team got the first place. If the Soo had beaten Calumet it would have put them ahead of the Portage Lake team.

According to the rules of the newly formed organization, which includes all the teams which took part in the tournament, the winning team must play any team in the organization within two weeks after being challenged, in order to hold their claim to the championship. The Calumet team has already challenged the team from Hancock to a match and unless some other team has a challenge in ahead of them they will meet soon and the local players will have an opportunity to redeem themselves.

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A number of the University students who have been spending the holidays with friends here left on the early morning train for Ann Arbor to resume their studies. Among the number were Howard Streeter, George Ruppe, Arthur Paul, Fred Sauer and Carlos Light.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Ritchie and infant child, of Marquette, spent New Year's with the former's parents here, returning home this morning. Mr. Ritchie is now agent for the American Express Co. at Marquette.

About thirty couples, the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Preston, gathered at the opera house New Year's eve, and danced the old year out and the new year in. The music was furnished from among those present.

John Burder, of the Carlton hardware company, was among the home arrivals yesterday from Chicago and Milwaukee, where he has been on a business visit of several days.

The largest attendance for the year was at the Skating pavilion New Year's night. The ice was in perfect condition and all enjoyed a good time.

Ed Bohenna returned yesterday afternoon from the iron country where he has been spending the holidays with friends and relatives.

Are you a member of the Y. M. C. A? If not, why not? Could you invest \$5 to a better advantage for yourself and others.

Roy Goldworthy, who is now employed at the Centennial mine, spent New Year's with his folks at Hancock.

Fred Constance, of the Carlton hardware store, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Marquette.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Shepard, of Tamarack, spent New Year's at L'Anse, returning yesterday afternoon.

Madames James Riney, Edgar Bye and Miss Kate Riney, spent New Year's with friends at Hancock.

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Mrs. A. T. James of Laurium, who has been seriously ill for the past few months is convalescent.

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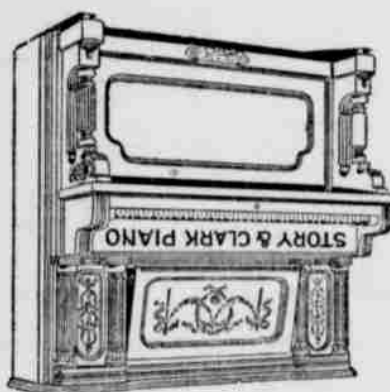
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