

# Hancock Department

## SIX HUNDRED KNIGHTS ATTEND

### Meetings and Banquet Held by Knights of Columbus

The observance of the tenth anniversary of the organizing of the Hancock Council of the Knights of Columbus yesterday was one of the biggest fraternal gatherings ever held in Hancock, the various meetings and banquet that were features of the occasion being attended by over six hundred members of the order. Those present included a number of high state and national officers and visiting members from Illinois, Wisconsin and Minnesota, in addition to the large delegations from the copper and iron countries of upper Michigan, every council of the order in the northern part of the state being represented.

The visiting lodges were met at the station yesterday morning by the local knights and escorted to the Kauth hall, from where they marched to St. Patrick's church to attend the special mass celebrated in honor of the occasion. Rev. T. J. Atford, pastor of St. Patrick's was the celebrant, with Rev. A. J. Rezek as deacon. Rev. Johnsen of Norway, sub-deacon; Fr. Miller of Dollar Bay, master of ceremonies; and John Holstad, of Hancock, who will shortly complete his studies for the priesthood, as assistant master of ceremonies. Rev. A. J. Rezek of Houghton preached a masterly sermon on the subject "The State of Grace."

The afternoon meeting at the Amphiphone hall in Houghton continued until after 6 o'clock and was a most interesting and impressive ceremonial occasion, a class of seventy candidates being initiated in the second and third degrees by teams from Menominee and Detroit.

A sumptuous banquet served by the ladies of St. Joseph's church in German hall concluded the day's doings, and was a splendid crowning feature to a day of unusual interest. Over five hundred sat down to enjoy the repast and the program of addresses and music that followed. Addresses were made by Deputy Supreme Knight Martin Carmody of Chicago, State Deputy Thomas H. Lawler of Lansing, John M. Rush of Ironwood, district deputy for upper Michigan, and others. Judge O'Brien, in the absence of George F. Monaghan, who was unable to attend, spoke on the subject "American Citizenship," and Dr. P. Scholer also made an address. The other toasts and the musical numbers were given according to the program previously published and the gathering was one of unalloyed pleasure and interest.

Deputy Supreme Knight Carmody left last night to return to Chicago, and State Deputy Lawler for Detroit. District Deputy Rush also left last night for his home at Ironwood.

## THREE CONVENTIONS ARE NOW ASSURED FOR HANCOCK

### SONS OF ST. GEORGE LATEST TO SELECT THIS CITY FOR 1913.

The project to make Hancock a big convention city in the summer of 1913 met with further encouragement on Saturday by the announcement in a message from Senator W. Frank James, that the Grand lodge of the Sons of St. George of Michigan had decided upon Hancock as the place for holding the annual meeting and reunion next year. This news is very pleasing, as the Sons of St. George gathering is one of the largest fraternal reunions held in the upper peninsula. Another feature of local interest at the Negaunee reunion was the election of J. T. Vickers of Quincy to be grand lodge sentinel.

The plan to make a convention city of Hancock next year came about gradually, and almost spontaneously, the announcement of the determination of the Eagles and the German Aid societies to seek the annual conventions of those organizations being followed by similar action on the part of other societies, including the Sons of St. George, the Italian Federated societies and the Hancock firemen. Three of these campaigns, each conducted separately and independently by the members of those organizations, with the moral support of the citizens at large and formal invitations extended by the mayor and greater Hancock club, have proven successful, and the many state conventions are assured.

The German Aid societies of the state, known as the Arbeiterbund, voted by a large majority in favor of Hancock at its convention in Saginaw, the action resulting largely from the earnest effort of Charles Horst and Fred Poin, the delegates of the local society. At Traverse City a spirited campaign conducted by C. E. Rosseau and Con J. Kouach, prominent Eagles, was similarly successful, and resulted in Hancock's selection while the activities of the Sons of St. George at Negaunee added a third to the list of state conventions to be held here next summer.

These conventions were won in the face of strong opposition from other towns seeking the honor, and therefore while the Hancock firemen realize that they will have a stubborn fight at Oshkosh to land the tournament for 1912, they are confident that their claims will be given fair consideration and are hopeful of a favorable vote at the convention of the firemen. The more conventions that are secured, the bigger will be the arrangements made to entertain them and the more gorgeously will the city be decorated in honor of the visitors, and the fact that three societies have seen fit to select Hancock for their state conventions will prove a strong factor, it is presumed, by directing the decisions of others.

## CHAUTAUQUA SUCCESSFUL.

### Surplus Will Be Used to Secure Good Attractions Next Summer.

The copper country came to a close on Saturday night after a successful series of concerts and lectures at the Electric park. The final addresses were given by Dr. H. V. Adams in the afternoon and by Colonel Hub Seeds in the evening, both of which were ably presented and full of interest and ideas of value and thoughtfulness. Col. Seeds spoke on "The Mistake of Life Expended," and in the course of his remarks lauded Alfred Vanderbilt and William Carey on account of their diverse proceedings. The lecturer presented his subject in a cheery, lively, witty manner that held his audience in a pleased and delighted mood, and made his lecture one of the most popular of the week.

The musical features of Friday and Saturday comprised concerts and prelude by the Metropolitan Ladies quartette and orchestra, an organization of pronounced ability and artistic merit that added much to the interest and pleasure of the Chautauqua. Altogether the assembly was one of the most successful yet held by the Copper Country Chautauqua association, and at its close the chairman, Rev. James Pascoe, announced that the surplus over expenses would be applied to the fund for securing a good list of speakers for next year. He expressed the thanks of the association to the Houghton county traction company and the manager of the park, P. O. Mayotte, for their assistance in making the Chautauqua a success.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC.

The annual picnic of the St. George's Episcopal Sunday school of Hancock will be held Wednesday next at Electric park, the pupils and others attending leaving here on the 9:25 car from Houghton. On Saturday next, July 27, the Prewable Sunday school will hold its picnic at Electric park, going by special street cars.

On Tuesday evening at the Powable Methodist church an address on missionary work in the far east will be given by Miss Crook, who has recently returned from Darjeeling, India, where she has been engaged in missionary work. She will appear under the auspices of the Women's Home Missionary society.

Waino Jansberg left Saturday afternoon on the Northwestern train for Chicago to take a position in the office of the South Shore colonization bureau, relieving his brother George, who has returned to Hancock for a vacation.

## EAGLES ANNUAL PICNIC IS FINANCIAL SUCCESS

### OUTING AT DRIVING PARK ATTENDED BY BIG CROWD YESTERDAY.

The picnic held yesterday afternoon at the driving park by the Hancock Aerie of the Fraternal Order of Eagles was a success in every way, the attendance being large despite the cool weather. The financial outcome was satisfactory.

The members of the aerie met at the lodge room at about 1 o'clock and headed by the Hancock city band marched a couple of hundred strong to the park, where the fun immediately commenced. The band rendered several selections, and dancing on the stand erected last summer was in order for the rest of the afternoon and evening.

The big sporting features of the afternoon were the motorcycle race and the tug of war. There were three entries for the former, which was won by Burman's Indian machine from South Range, the other competing machines being so far outdistanced in the four miles of the race that the South Range machine, passing the others twice, practically beat them twice in the one race.

The tug of war was won by the Hancock team, whose husky members had no difficulty in dragging the members of the Hubbell and the Calumet teams across the line in quick time.

The baseball game between the Hancock Independents and the Red Jacket team was won by Red Jacket, by the score of 12 to 1.

## COPPER COUNTRY CARRIED OFF PRIZES AT NEGAUNEE

Prizes for membership and growth were presented at the Sons of St. George reunion at Negaunee Saturday. They were in silver loving cups, Trevelyan lodge, of Ishpeming received the first prize for the greatest growth in the past year. Its membership was increased from 370 to nearly 400. It is one of the largest lodges in the organization. The Mistletow lodge, of Hancock received second prize, and the Duke of Wellington lodge of Trumountain the third prize.

The Cornish wrestling tourney proved to be a much more interesting event than was at first anticipated. It would be there were thirty-two entrants, from all parts of the upper peninsula. The first prize, \$75 was won by Charles Chapman of Trumountain; the second prize, \$50, by Manny Pope of Ishpeming; the third prize, \$20 by Richard Johns of Gwinn; a fourth prize of \$20, by Albert Davey of Calumet.

## WINONA MAN IS DROWNED WHILE IN SWIMMING

### JAMES WHITE, WHO CAME HERE FROM CORNWALL SHORT TIME AGO, IS VICTIM.

James White, of Winona aged 29, a single man, was drowned about 7 o'clock last evening, while bathing at Twin Lakes. The deceased was about sixty feet from the shore at the time. He was seen by two onlookers to throw up his hands in distress, and immediately disappeared from view. The remains had not been recovered this afternoon. Under-sheriff Sheridan has gone to Twin Lakes with a set of grappling irons, and is searching for the body.

White came to this country about nine months ago from Cornwall, and previous to one month ago was working at the Baltic mine. For the last four weeks he had been in the employ of the Winona Mining company. He had no known relatives in this country. An inquest will be held following the recovery of the remains.

## HANCOCK BREVITIES

Mrs. Andrew Gonnard left Saturday afternoon for a brief visit with friends in Marquette.

Contractor Verville is erecting an addition to the Ellice store to be used for office purposes.

Mrs. T. J. Starrett returned yesterday from a month's visit at Detroit, and at Toronto, Ontario.

Miss Mary Manthe of Ashland is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Mitchell of Hancock street.

J. N. Will of the cash register agency here, has left for a trip to Chicago, from where he will go to the N. C. H. factories at Dayton, Ohio.

The members of the Hancock Boy Scouts are camping for two weeks at the White City. The boys left Saturday in charge of John Marshall.

The funeral of Mrs. Frank Lilla of Colmar, who died Saturday at the age of 51, was held this afternoon from the Finnish Lutheran church, interment taking place at Lakeside cemetery.

Mrs. Harvey Hanns will arrive here the latter part of the week and will be joined on Saturday by her husband, who has taken a position with the Detroit Bridge and Steel company. They will leave next Sunday for Detroit by boat and make their home there.

A camping party consisting of Mrs. A. Ricard of Houghton, Misses Margaret and Pila Harrington, May Dwyer, Agnes and Anna Kouach, Nancy Conway, Alice and Mary Lowney, and Messrs Russell Conway, Ed. Stehlin and Marvin Coen, leave this afternoon for a two weeks' outing at White City.

Beginning this evening and continuing to and including Wednesday evening, Miss Madie Neville of Hancock will appear at the Savoy theater in songs and stories and recitations. The changes started recently by Manager Gottelman at the Savoy are earning completion, a feature being the arrangements of incandescent lights in the lobby, which will give the front a very brilliant appearance.

## TORCH LAKE

### HUBBELL PULLS DOWN HANCOCK'S PERCENTAGE

### DEFEATED VISITORS YESTERDAY BY 9 TO 5 SCORE. TAMARACK DEFEATS HUSTLERS.

Torch Lake fans saw some good baseball yesterday afternoon at the Caladonia park and on the town lot in Lake Linden. The center of attraction was the game in which Hancock and Hubbell contested for the honors. Hancock, the league leaders, came down with a perfect percentage but went home with that record shattered. Hubbell won by the score of 9 to 5.

Joe Brisson did the pitching for the victors, Oliver Baril catching. For the visitors Peterson did the mound work, Lamouette catching. The score by innings:

R H E  
Hancock ..... 000000000-5 9 1  
Hubbell ..... 002130300-9 11 2

Two-base hits were made by A. Hanner and Brisson for Hubbell; three-baggers, M. Peterson, Hancock, Will Hanner, Hubbell; left on bases, Hancock, H. Hubbell, 1. Double plays were made by Hancock in two instances as follows: Royce to Linder to Peterson; Royce to Peterson to Royce. The game was umpired by George Werner.

**Hustlers are Defeated.**  
The Hustlers and Tamarack Colts played a seven inning game, the Colts winning by the score of 2 to 1. The contest was a good one and thoroughly enjoyed by many fans. The Colts made one run in the first inning and another in the third, while the only score brought in by the Hustlers was in the seventh. Parks brothers formed the Hustler battery and Gamash and Lem for the Colts. The Hustlers had five hits while the Colts got three each. Each team made three errors.

**Leaders Defeat Juniors.**  
The Leaders carrying off the honors from the Tamarack Juniors in a battle on the Lake Linden grounds, the score being 7 to 5. The contest was hard fought and while the Leaders were ahead throughout the game it looked in the ninth inning as though the Tamaracks would tie the score, but they were held down by good pitching and fielding. For the victors Dougherty pitched in the box while U. Roharce caught for him. The battery for the Tamaracks was Molthen and Stroel. The score:

R H E  
Tamarack ..... 101901000-7 6 3  
Leaders ..... 100202110-5 8 4

Two-baggers were made by Lamotte for the Leaders and Pretter for Tamarack. Jenks of Tamarack also made a three-base hit, Dougherty fanned 10 and Molthen 4, while Dougherty hit two and Molthen one.

**Clippers Win 10 to 6.**  
The Clippers walked away with the Red Sox in a game which resulted in a 10 to 6 score. The boys were not evenly matched, the visitors being much heavier and faster than their opponents. The youngsters of the Red Sox team played good ball, however. Joe Ramerschen did the pitching for the Sox while Longpre caught. Ed the victors Ed. Billon pitched and Courchene caught.

The score:

R H E  
Clippers ..... 021111010-10 12 2  
Red Sox ..... 100001112-6 8 4

## LEADS FOR DIAMOND RING.

### Miss Clara Molthen Jumps Into First Place in Contest.

A change has been made in the race for the \$100 diamond ring contest which is being conducted by the Hubbell Eagles. The result of the contest is as follows:

Clara Molthen ..... 312  
Lizzie Volmer ..... 244  
Elsie Rose ..... 237  
Eva Donovan ..... 212  
Emma Lajeunesse ..... 205  
Matilda Fountain ..... 180  
Josephine Perreault ..... 137  
Blanche Godin ..... 45

The girls striving to win the ring are working hard and great interest is being taken in the contest.

## ENJOY OUTING TODAY.

A large number of members of the Holy Rosary congregation went to White City this morning for their annual outing. The trip was made on the barge Pilgrim.

Although the morning was rather gloomy for an outing of this kind the attendance was as large as expected. Refreshments were served aboard the craft and at White City there was amusement for all.

## TORCH LAKE BREVITIES.

Mrs. Frank Pain and daughter Emma have returned from an extended visit in Milwaukee.

Leonard Leich has returned from Dodgeville and other cities in Wisconsin where he spent the past three weeks.

The members of the Rebekah lodge of Lake Linden will hold their picnic tomorrow. The trip will be to White City on the international and a large

crowd plan on going. Hart's orchestra of Hubbell will furnish music for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Hedling will leave today for Milwaukee where they will be present when their daughter makes the veil at a convent in that city.

One of the best attractions for the theatergoers of the Torch Lake town will be this evening when the Laurium Amusement company will present the Prescotts' mind-players at the opera house. They have played before packed houses at Laurium during the past week and their acts are well worth the price of admission. In addition to the acts in which the Prescotts will figure there will be special moving pictures, the feature of which will be two reels showing the well known drama "East Lynne."

## POULTRY

### DIFFICULT TO RAISE TURKEY

### Overfeeding and Vermin Among Principal Causes of Mortality—Chicken Hens Poor Brooders.

(By A. GLAIGHER, Ohio.)  
Turkey hens, as a rule, lay their eggs very early in the season, it is best to remove the eggs from the nest soon after they are laid, and replace them with hen eggs.

Be careful not to let a turkey hen see you near the nest, because turkeys are very cunning and resent intrusion. Wrap the eggs in paper and place in boxes one layer deep. They should be turned carefully, every day until placed for hatching. Turkey eggs will keep in good condition for 21 days when cared for in this manner. It is never advisable to keep eggs longer than is necessary.

Some people hatch their turkey-eggs with chicken hens, but we do not think it a good practice on account of the fact that the poulters are apt to get lousy. We had an experience of this kind a few years ago. In spite of the fact that the poulters were thoroughly dusted with powder every few days they began to droop and die.

As a last resort we used olive oil and found it excellent. Do not use too much oil. Lard, or any kind of animal grease will kill young poulters almost as fast as the lice will. Vegetable oil is different from animal oils. Never use kerosene.

Spread the wing and raise the short feathers on the shoulder, directly over the large quills. If a young turkey has lice, they will be found there. Also around the tail or wherever there are large feathers. One application of the oil is usually sufficient unless the lice are very numerous. Remember, lice are fatal to turkey poulters, so they must be kept free from them.

Never use oil or grease upon a setting hen. If she has lice, use a powder. Oil, upon the shell of an egg renders it worthless for hatching. One of the first things young turkeys need is sunshine. It is a waste of time to offer them food before they are 48 hours old. Turkeys need fresh air both day and night, but they must not be allowed to get damp.

The first feed is usually hard-boiled eggs, crushed, mixed with dry bread crumbled fine and sprinkled with clean coarse sand. Rice, properly cooked, is good for young turkeys, and pin-head oats, or coarse oat meal is also good. Corn is too fattening for growing turkeys and commercial

Goose eggs require 30 days for incubation, and it is customary to hatch at least some of them with hens, since the geese are heavy and often not inclined to set.

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A Narragansett Gobbler.

have always been inclined to feed too much and too often.

When turkeys have free range, which they ought always to have when the weather is suitable, they require very little grain. Grass and insects are their natural food.

Clover for Egg Production.  
Clover is as much an egg producer as it is a producer of milk. It is rich in nitrogen and mineral matter. Having a high nutritive ration, it is equal to barley, and almost as high as wheat. Its action is to extend the food ration, reduce the too concentrated grain food, and prevent the accumulation of internal fat. The second crop, or "proven" clover is the best. Clover should be cut when in full bloom. Let it grow until the first blossoms begin to turn brown.

Obtaining Fertile Eggs.  
If you are working for fertile eggs for hatching purposes, see to it that too many hens are not given to a single male. The fault of overcrowding is one of the most fruitful sources of eggs that will not hatch. With most breeds 12 is a good average.

## DOULTRY NOTES

Keep the brooder houses in a clean sanitary condition, and never overcrowd.

Burnt corn has been used to good advantage. This is one way of supplying charcoal.

When you are through hatching, market all the cocks that you do not intend to use next year.

Combine the dairy and poultry plants on the farm. In other words, feed the milk to the chickens.

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Once a day is sufficient for chickens to be fed a mash; the remainder of the day dry grain is considered better.

Too many people who get good returns for a small flock figure that the returns for a large one will be in proportion.

In giving medicine to a fowl, commonly speaking, what would be considered the dose for a child is about right for a fowl.

The small potatoes and other vegetables that are not suitable for human food can be fed to the chickens to splendid advantage.

Lice increase very rapidly on the sitting hen. Thoroughly insect powder her before setting, and a couple of times during the sitting period.

Charcoal is an excellent feed for the hens and should be before them at all times. They will not eat very much of it but they should have free access to it.

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## GOOD CARE IN HOT WEATHER

### Constant Attention Must Be Given That Hens and Young Chickens Have Plenty Fresh Water.

During the spring and summer months constant care must be taken to see that the hens and young chickens have plenty of water and shade. The hens cannot manufacture eggs without a liberal supply of water, as a large per cent of eggs is composed of water. The growing flock, too, will not develop properly if half furnished from thirst. This may mean no winter eggs from the pullets.

If one would take the best care of the flock he should give it fresh water in the morning and just after noon. The water that stands in a fountain very long becomes stale and unhealthy. Water should always be pure and the vessels clean. It is wise to keep the water vessels in the shade of the house or trees all the day.

This leads to the important question of shade. No fowls will do well in warm weather without sufficient shade. I have made it a special point to notice my hens in the summer, and I have discovered that along toward the middle of the day they will seek shelter from the sun's hot rays. They will either retire to the shade of a tree or the shelter of the poultry house. They prefer to get away from the house if they can find suitable shade elsewhere. If no trees are growing in the yard and there are no bushes or shrubbery of any kind where the flock may find shade it will be well to construct an artificial shade by setting posts into the ground, one at each corner of a parallelogram plot. Nail crosspieces to these and place boards on them. Here the hens may find retreat from the hot sun.

## CHICKENS OF SUPERB BREED

### Single Comb White Leghorns Grow Fat and Mature Early—Birds of Solid Color Best.

(By M. C. ROBINSON.)  
For chickens that will grow fast and mature early we know of no breed superior to the Single Comb White Leghorns. You will find it much



Single Comb White Leghorns.

easier to breed birds of solid color and keep them true to type and markings than to breed the colored breeds. Stick to one breed and pure bred at that and you will get chicks all of a color and besides you will get more eggs and have much greater success in every way than you will to breed mongrels.

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## WANTED TO CLIMB TREES.

### Man With Bad Case of Willies Taken Into Custody Yesterday.

Harry Bauchard, suffering with a bad case of the "d. l. k." was taken in charge yesterday on Hancock street by chief of Police Rodgett, while in the act of trying to climb a tree to escape from a big fellow in a brown suit whom he inclined was pursuing him. A short time previously the man had rushed into the Priest residence and asked to be allowed to hide in the cellar. He was out of breath and perspiring from his exertions when picked up and taken to Houghton.

## WALTER LARSEN WEDS.

Walter Larsen, son of Alderman and Mrs. Peter Larsen of Hancock, was married last Thursday in Chicago to Miss Louise Nadreau of Marinette. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Larsen left for New York, from where they will next Saturday for Europe. After a period of travel through Germany, France and Italy, they will stop at Berlin, where both will pursue musical studies.

## Classified ads bring results

## NO REASON FOR IT

You are shown the way out. There can be no just reason why any reader of this will continue to suffer the tortures of an aching back, the annoyance of urinary disorders, the dangers of serious kidney ills when relief is so near at hand and the most positive proof given that these ills can be cured. The following is convincing proof.

Miss Mabel James, 279 South St. Houghton, Mich., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are a good kidney medicine, and I recommend them highly. I had dizzy and nervous spells, my back ached and the kidneys were inactive. Morning I would feel all tired out. I finally used Doan's Kidney Pills and they soon made me well. I have had no return of my trouble."

The above statement was given August 24, 1910, and when Miss James was interviewed on November 14, 1911, she said: "I can still endorse the merits of Doan's Kidney Pills. They have proven satisfactory in every way. I have received permanent relief through their use."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

## SLAM 'ER OVER

By GEO. S. APPLEGARTH

**S**ome baseball fans pretend to claim they like the scientific game; jabber, quiver an fade-away; sacrifice an' signal plays; slide, retired one, two, three; but nix fer me, bo, nix fer me—

Me fer the old-style game, to wit: **Slam 'er over an' make 'em hit!**

Ah me, fer the games o' yesterday, the good ol' games that they used to play! Plenty of action, slides an' steals; Runners a-trompin' each other's heels; Air full o' liners, fliers an' like; Triple an' homers an' blame few strikes; Heigho, fer the game o' the ol' back lot! Where they put 'er over an' let 'em crawl!

**B**y hex the real ol' fashioned fun is fer 'em hit an' let 'em run, An' I hear the tune o' the luff, smooch; When the horsehide meets the busy a-b; Two men out an' three on the bag; Next man riddle the ball i' rag; That's the playin' I make y' about, So put 'er over an' let 'em cleat!

Any o' it goes in the game o' life. In all the hurry an' worry an' strife, The good ol' plan remains the same, Nine times t' one if you hit the game. Don't go beamin' around the bush, Don't go stallin' on no four-flush, But slam right up an' speak right out, Slam 'er over an' let 'em cleat!