

Short Local Items for Busy Readers.

Mabel Massi is visiting with relatives in Republic.

Dr. Larson will leave tomorrow for a short vacation trip.

Half Rates to Sons of St. George Meeting at Hancock, Mich.

Miss Winnie Harrington is in the city the guest of her brother.

Half rates to Democratic State Convention at Detroit, Mich.

Miss Zephyrina Thoin is gone to Powers visiting her sister Mrs. Ralph Prince.

Supt. W. J. Richards was at Chicago on business for his company the middle of the week.

Mrs. D. H. Margison will leave next week for Centerville, New Brunswick, to visit with relatives for the summer.

Mrs. Arnold and daughter from Beloit, Wis. are in the city, the guests of Mrs. Arnold's sister, Mrs. Thomas Conlin.

Miss Mollie Gibson, left Monday afternoon for her home in Champion, where she will spend her summer vacation.

Fred C. Roberts and John E. McGillis drove to Iron River on the Fourth to spend the day with their folks in that city.

Miss Anna Seberg will leave shortly for a year's trip abroad. She will engage a milliner to carry on her business in the fall.

Isaac W. Byers was over from Iron River yesterday looking over the field for his candidacy for representative from this district.

Miss Laura Hooper assisted on the reportorial staff of the Diamond Drill while the editor was taken up with the political campaign.

Mrs. Witmer and little child of Loving in Southern Michigan, are here for a visit with Mrs. Witmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hill.

Prof. Hill went up to the copper country on a tour for the American Book company for which concern he is at work during the vacation.

Miss Maud Harding who has been on the Mesabi range visiting friends since the latter part of the winter returned home for the Fourth of July.

In a runaway at the Columbia last Saturday, Rob Webb's horse entirely smashed his new buggy, thus necessitating his buying a new one.

A. L. Flewelling was at Bessemer the greater part of last week attending the term of the Gogebic county court where he had several important cases.

Cut this out and take it to Cole's Drug Store and get a box of Chamberlain's Stomach & Liver Tablets. The best physic. Price 25 cents.—Cole's Pharmacy.

Wm. Treblelock returned from Black Creek, Wis. where he spent the Fourth with Mrs. T. and family. He reports them all well and enjoying their visit.

Miss Daisy Uren came home from Chicago for her summer vacation last week and is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Uren, of the third ward.

Via the North-western line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip July 28 and 28, limited to return Aug. 2 inclusive. Apply to agts. North-western R'y.

Rounds out the hollow places, smooths out lines that creep about one's face; waxes roses back to faded cheeks. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cts.—J. C. Wilkinson & Co.

Via the north-western line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip July 17, limited to return until July 23 inclusive. Apply to agts. Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Chas. M. Forseth left Tuesday morning for Escanaba where he took the boat for Cleveland and Buffalo. From the later place he will go by water to Duluth to visit with his brother and sister.

When you awake in the morning feeling like the end of a misspent life, your mouth full of fir and your soul full of regrets, take Rocky Mountain Tea. Great medicine.—J. C. Wilkinson & Co.

The trip around the world which the M. E. ladies are arranging for next Tuesday evening promises to be a very pleasant affair. The crowd will assemble at the Lockwood house and make the rounds under guides.

There was quite a delegation from here to Iron River on the Fourth of July. Among others we noticed Robert Munns, Willbur Twa and Al. Charon. Mr. Munns had a horse in one of the races and as usual came out a winner.

W. W. Hendricks has moved his family to his homestead near Fortune lake and is now a full fledged moss back. He has an exceptionally fine piece of land and means to keep right on clearing until he gets it all under cultivation.

Don't be persuaded into taking something said to be "just as good" as Madison Medicine Co's. Rocky Mountain Tea. There is nothing like it. 35 cts., no more no less.—J. C. Wilkinson & Co.

C. T. Roberts came up from the Freedom just in time to join the celebration that occurred after the primaries last Tuesday evening. The Captain had dropped off at Marquette on his way here where he was summoned on the U. S. Jury. He stated to a reporter for the Diamond Drill that he has started a new shaft at the North Freedom property and has it down 190 feet. This move was made necessary because of the great inflow of water in the old shaft it being so great that he couldn't get pumps enough in the shaft to handle it. The new shaft is in the slates 900 feet away from the old one, which was in the sandstone. The new shaft is a comparatively dry one.

Wm. Holmes Jr. informed a reporter for this paper that the fine hardwood land holding of Holmes & Son west of Chicago lake has been sold to the Wisconsin Land & Lumber company, of Hermansville. The basswood and elm was cut from this land last winter and shipped to Menominee where it was sawed into lumber for the Holmes. About the only timber left on the land is maple and it is the finest maple in the land at that. The Hermansville people are providing for future wants in making these purchases.

We doubt if there is a county grounds in the upper peninsula that can show up better than the grounds about the Iron county court house. Janitor Binder is a gardener of the first water and gives a great deal of his attention to beautifying the grounds. To such a degree of excellence has he brought them that their beauty is a source of comment from all visitors of our city. Residents wishing to improve their lawns can get some good points from Mr. Binder.

Chas. Rogers was a visitor at Pentoga last Monday. The boys say that his mission to that place was to "fix" it for Mr. Sheldon and that he reported it to be sewed up in a Sheldon gunny sack with Rogers best thread upon his return here. The fact that Sheldon got three votes in Pentoga would indicate that the thread must have broken.

Tom Wills is erecting a fine residence building on fifth street in front of John Erikson's place. Henry Doupe has the contract to do the carpenter work and has the building half finished now. The boys are wondering what Tom is building that house for and some of them go so far as to hazard the guess that he is getting the cage so as to be ready for the bird.

Excursion tickets will be sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee St. Paul & Co., to all who wish to attend the greatest show on earth, Buffalo Bill's Wild West, which is to be held at Ishpeming, July 17th. Fare, one and a third. Tickets good returning on any train July 18th. For further particulars see the Agent O. V. Plee, at the depot.

The work on the Episcopal church is progressing nicely. Mr. Flodstrand has the work in hand and is doing an extra fine job. The veneering of small stones is going to make the church look fine. The wall has been carried up about four feet above the ground and is now ready for the frame work.

Captain S. C. Bennett was at Iron River last Wednesday in company with Dr. Huist and Supt. O. C. Davidson where they visited the McGillis property. The gentlemen looked the exploration over very carefully and were very favorably impressed with it.

John McGillis and Geo. Purcell were called to Iron River yesterday by the illness of Miss Lydia Purcell who the day previous underwent an operation for appendicitis. Dr. Crowell, of Iron Mountain performed the operation.

Andrew Nelson has all the carpenter work that he can attend to these days. He has two new houses to build, one of them being for Ed. Gustafson on his new lot in Maple grove. Mr. Nelson also has considerable work in hand for the Oliver Mining company at Amasa.

The department running team is in the harness practicing to enter the races at the Negaunee tournament. Captain Hans Johnson has charge of the boys and it is expected that they will keep up the former good records of the team.

Alex. Ross and family spent the fourth with his brothers in this city. Mr. Ross is now head pumpman for the Oliver Mining company at the Riverton mine. He has been in his present position for a year and likes it very much.

Alex. Rogers underwent an operation at the Iron Mountain hospital Wednesday. Reports from him say that he is getting on nicely but that he will be confined in the hospital for two weeks yet.

There was a hot time at the Columbia location last Sunday and as a result, constable Johnson was kept busy. The cause of the hilarity was undoubtedly too much election beer.

Wm. Lyons has a crew of men at work sawing wood at his new farm west of Fortune lake. Mr. L. will be in the market with a fine lot of dry wood this fall.

Mrs. A. M. Darling is in Milwaukee this week visiting friends there.

"Won't you advocate a sprinkler?" inquired several of our citizens this week as the wind blew forty knots an hour and the dust whirled down the street blinding all before it. Yes, we certainly ought to have a sprinkler in the city but our experience a year ago when we started out to advocate one was such as would chill the ardor of anyone. As a result of our advocacy a gentlemen in the city set out to solicit subscriptions and the very first man that he struck referred him to the writer as the only fellow that wanted a sprinkler and added that we would, perhaps, pay for the luxury. A sprinkler is certainly needed here but unless there is a uniformity of sentiment on the subject there is no use of trying to get one. The way that property owners do in other cities is to chip in fifty cents or a dollar per month each and pay the man that furnishes the cart. The business men would, we think, make money by paying a dollar each to a man for sprinkling the streets. We hope to see some one take the subject up and make a canvass of the city.

The base ball game which was advertised for the afternoon of the Fourth between the Negaunee club and the locals did not take place because of the non-appearance of the Negaunee. The actions of the Marquette county boys is certainly an unheard of procedure. The manager arranged for a game and the game was advertised but when the locals went to the train to meet the visitors they found that they had never left Negaunee. And this too, without even the courtesy of a message telling the local management of their action. Nothing has been heard from the Negaunee club since to explain their action so it must be charged up to pure carelessness. There will be a game of base ball at the driving park tomorrow between the local club and the Republic team. The Republic team is a strong one and a good game is expected.

John Matson, a simple minded boy about 14 years of age was drowned in the Michigan river at the Mansfield mine yesterday. Some boys were bathing in the river which attracted Matson's attention and drew him to the place. He then attempted to walk a boom stick that lay in the river. The boom was coated with slime making it as slippery as glass. Matson slipped and went into the water. He was weighted down with clothing and could not save himself. The accident occurred in the forenoon but the body was not recovered until late in the afternoon.

The street commissioner is putting in a drain in the alley between Crystal Avenue and Superior avenue near the lower end of the city. It is a piece of work that is badly needed.

Have you seen the fine pictures and the show case that McCourt has put in in the front of his studio, has some of the large size pictures on exhibition that beat anything.

John Dawson is erecting a hay shed on his farm south of town. Mr. Dawson is giving much attention to his farm and has one of the finest in the county.

We are now ready to serve lunch at all hours of the day. All home made goods at Mrs. E. N. Berg's Lunch and Confectionery room.

Mrs. Kitteridge has a couple of friends visiting her from Wisconsin.

Chas. Henderson was at Escanaba on business last Monday.

Miss Berta Vivian was at Amasa this week.

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going to give entertainments to the musical students the on the evening of the Fourth.

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There was a man hurt at the Columbia mine this week. He is in the hospital and his recovery is looked for.

Miss Henderson received, yesterday, a very fine lot of Duck hats which she will have on exhibition next Monday. Don't fail to call and see them.

Mrs. I. Cohen and children have gone to Eau Claire to visit with friends. They left Wednesday and expect to be gone several weeks during which time they will visit at West Superior and Duluth.

Duck hats will be all the attraction at Miss Henderson's millinery parlors next Monday. Be sure and call for you'll not be in the swim unless you have a duck hat.

An extremely pleasant affair was the farewell party given to Mrs. Joseph Harris, of Kenton and Mrs. B. Lieberman, of Chicago, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Warshawskey last Tuesday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. L. Harris Mr. and Mrs. Peter Warshawskey, Mr. and Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Savlan, Mr. and Mrs. Wool, Mr. and Mrs. Canon. All of the children of the guests were present also. The affair was in the nature of a garden party and was held on the lawn which was beautifully lit with colored lights.

Judge Flewelling passed upon the sanity of two men this week, one of them being John Fikes the old Slavish fellow that has been a curious character on our streets for a couple of years, always taking part when a band was out parading he immediate cause of his being sent away was an attack that he made on a child belonging to Erick Erickson. The little fellow had fired off a cannon cracker which angered the old fellow and he took after the boy with an axe has was using. It is probable that he would have seriously injured, if not killed him had Irving Jackson not interferred. The other insane patient was from Amasa.

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NOTICE—I have been appointed agent for the sale of lots in the Wagner-Carey addition with authority to sell lots at the following prices: Corner lots \$75; inside lots \$50 dollars. All persons are warned from trespassing on this property. Casper Aberlet

FROM GERMANY

Mrs. Thos. Oulette writes from Leipzig, Germany under the date of June 25 as follows: We are back to Leipzig after a week's stay at Dresden and my daughter, Myrtle, is feeling much better after a week's rest and I hope she will be able to hold out during the closing examination of the school which will occur about the 20th of July. After school we will go to the Black Forest for three or four weeks for a rest. The doctor says the mountain air is just what she wants and needs. I had intended to take her on a tour through Switzerland and down the Rhein but I have given that idea up as the doctor thinks rest will do her more good than excitement. He says further that all she needs is more rest and less practice on the piano. I have rented a beautiful little cottage with a nice flower, covered lawn and we will live by our selves after the first of July. I was afraid that I would not be able to get it or one as good after we came back from the Black Forest so I have to take it now and will close it up during our absence. Leipzig, and in fact, all of Saxony is in mourning on account of their king, Albert. He had been sick for a long time with heart disease. He was a good hearted king and his whole kingdom, and for that matter all of Germany loved him and mourn his loss.

The Americans here have been making preparations for the Fourth of July. There are quite a number of them and most all of them live in the vicinity of St. John's park, one of the nicest parks in the city. Myrtle tells me there are several of them