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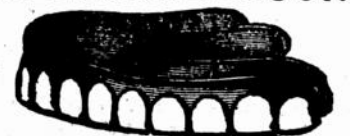
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THE ENTERPRISE? If not, why not?
All the news. \$2.00 per year.

Overflow Local.

Belts! Belts! Belts! At Hall's.

Buy your suit at 25 per cent off at Hall's.

Register of Deeds Palmer was up from Duluth over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Shea, of Com-
modore, were in Duluth the first of
the week.

Miss Mabel Reid left Monday for
her home at Cleveland, Ohio, for
the summer.

W. T. McCarthy, the diamond drill
contractor, was a business visitor to
Duluth Saturday.

The Chisholm electric plant is
now in working order, and the Her-
ald says show up to the satisfaction
of citizens.

Mrs. A. P. Belanger left Monday
for Hudson, Wis., where she will
take a course of treatment at the
sanitarium.

The burning out of the grates in
the new mill caused a temporary
delay in the operation of the plant
Monday night.

E. Mehtonen calls your attention
to the fact that he is starting a suit
club, and if you would like to get in
on a chance now is the accepted time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bean, of West Con-
cord, are visiting their daughter,
Mrs. J. M. Todd. Mrs. S. Roberts, of
West Superior, and Mrs. Geo. Ban-
card, of Superior, accompany them.

Mrs. M. C. Palmer suffered a se-
vere attack of heart failure on Wed-
nesday, and for a time her life was
nearly despaired of. Many friends
are pleased to learn that her condi-
tion is greatly improved.

The deal for the transfer of the
Sullivan corner to Ed Finch was
perfected on Tuesday. In the deal
Mr. Sullivan acquires title to the lot
adjoining the Tornquist livery on
the west, and in conjunction with
Mr. Griffith contemplate the erec-
tion of a double brick block. Mr.
Finch will also improve his corner
later in the season.

Messrs. O. P. Johnson and T. S.
Ware, of Minneapolis, were Virginia
visitors Wednesday, looking over
the situation in quest of a business
location for a general merchandise
establishment. The gentlemen will
visit other range points; but are fa-
vorably impressed with Virginia and
may decide to establish here pro-
vided a location can be secured.

The proposition of a free reading
room in the city is not a new one,
but the time for the revival of the
idea was never more opportune.
Our new industries have not only
given the city an air of stability,
but have brought to us scores of
young men whose only method of
passing their evenings is in the sa-
loon or the card room. To many a
library or reading room would be
a source of pleasure and intel-
lectual and moral advancement, and
would tend to bring and retain with
us the better class.

John Larson was taken to Duluth
yesterday morning by Deputy Sher-
iff Wesenberg to be examined as to
his sanity. Mr. Larson had been
acting strangely for some days and
the authorities had decided upon their
duty, but Larson did not take kindly
to the idea of being cared for and
when the officers appeared crawled
into the second story of his place
on Central avenue through a
man hole, using a gun in keeping
the crowd at bay for several hours.
Axel Carlson finally ascended to the
loft and gained mastery of the de-
mented man.

State Coal Royalties Fixed.

The board of arbitration to whom
was left the problem of establishing
a royalty rate for coal mined from
state lands, met in Duluth Friday
last and fixed the price at 7 1/2 cents
per ton.

Last winter when Duluth men
leased extensive tracts of land in
Aitkin county for coal explorations
the prospective industry was given
a severe jolt through the insistence
of state officers that the royalty on
all coal mined on state lands should
be the same as the royalty on iron
ore, 25 cents per ton. The matter
was finally adjudicated by an agree-
ment to leave the question to an ar-
bitration commission of three. The
state land commissioner selected
the Hon. George Egerton, St. Paul,
and the Quodenaw Coal Co. chose
Thomas A. Merritt, of Duluth. The
third member of the commission was
chosen by these two was ex-Senator
Hodge, of Pine City. The commis-
sion was guided in its deliberations
by statistics from other coal pro-
ducing states west of the Pennsylv-
ania fields. In Michigan it is 8
cents per ton, in Kentucky 10 cents,
and in Iowa 6 to 20 cents.

Lake Superior Mining Institute.

A. J. Yungbluth, secretary of the
Lake Superior Mining Institute, has
issued the following circular:

"By vote of the council it has been
decided that the eighth annual
meeting of the institute be held on
the Marquette range, beginning on
Tuesday, August 18, 1903.

"The matter of arrangements is
now in the hands of a local commit-
tee, and no pains will be spared to
make this meeting interesting and
enjoyable to members and their
guests.

"Members preparing papers will
please advise the secretary of the
title, so that due announcement can
be made as early as possible, and
the papers printed in advance for
distribution in advance of the meet-
ing.

"The addresses of the following
members are desired, as mail sent
to their registered address has been
returned: A. F. Ames, S. T. Beattie,
M. M. Drake, John H. Pearce, Philip
S. Smith, E. T. Ward and N. J. E.
Welsh."

All goods marked in plain figures
and you can figure your own dis-
counts. Hall.

Lays With the Receiving Ports.

"The question of whether the Lake
Superior region will forward as
much iron ore this year as last will
depend on how well they take care
of the product at the other end of
the lake route," says a well informed
vessel man. "There has been con-
siderable talk lately to the effect
that shipments this year will be
several million tons less than in
1902, and it may turn out that way.
But it is safe to say that there will
be no decrease this year if the re-
ceiving docks and furnace yards
will stand the pressure of the ship-
ping ports on Lake Superior. The
only fear that they may not is that
much of our last season's tonnage
has not been consumed. The short-
age of coke had much to do with
the lack of consumption during the
winter, and the effect is likely to be
felt in decreased shipments of ore
from some points. But as a gen-
eral proposition the ore shipments
from Lake Superior are pretty sure
to equal those of last year."

Greatest Discount Sale yet at
Hall's.

Officials Visit the Ranges.

Officials of the steel corporation
and allied interests have been on a
tour of inspection of the company's
Minnesota roads and mines the past
week. The party included James
Gayley, first vice president of the
steel corporation; D. M. Clemons,
president of the Pittsburgh steam
ship company; D. G. Kerr, ore agent;
Judge Reed, president of the Pitts-
burg, Lake Erie & Bessemer road;
C. D. Fraser, secretary of the Oliver
Iron Mining and Minnesota Iron
companies; T. F. Cole, president of
the Oliver Iron Mining and Minne-
sota Iron companies; W. J. Olcott,
president, and W. A. McGonagle,
vice president of the Duluth, Mis-
sabe & Northern road; F. E. House,
president of the Duluth & Iron
Range road; A. B. Wolvin, vice
president of the Pittsburgh Steam-
ship Co.; L. W. Powell, assistant to
President Cole, and others.

Call and see our bargains. Hall.

Accepts New Position.

O. B. Warren, for a short time
superintendent at the new Higgins
mine, being opened by the steel
corporation, has resigned to accept
a position as agent for the fee own-
ers of the Pillsbury mine and the
Longyear and Bennett properties,
with headquarters at Hibbing. Mr.
Warren, previous to coming to Vir-
ginia, was superintendent of the
Penobscot.

Get your suit cleaned and pressed
at Hall's.

Commence Shipments from the Troy.

The Troy mine, a Pickands-Mather
property adjoining the Fayal, com-
mences shipments, to dock this
week.

The Troy is an underground propo-
sition, a good body of high grade
ore being proven on the forty. The
mine is being opened and develop-
ed under the direction of Capt. T. J.
Nicholas.

Buy your boy a suit at Hall's.

Working on New Option.

The Co-Operative Mining Co. has
quit work on the southwest quarter
of section 36, 53 17, east of Sparta,
and this week commences work on
lands in section 27, same township.
The new option embraces lands con-
sidered fairly well located.

Buy your furnishing goods of
Hall.

Catholic Social.

The ladies of the Catholic Church
will hold a social at the new Prija-
novich building, ground floor, Sat-
urday evening, June 27. A cordial
invitation extended.

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We are now prepared to sell lots in the townsite of Hannaford
and are offering them at the following very low prices:

Business Lots on 80 Foot Avenues:
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Next to corners, \$60 each.
Inside lots, \$50 each.

Residence Lots on 66 Foot Streets:
Corners, \$50 each.
Next to corners, \$40 each.
Next but one to corners, \$35 each.
Other inside residence lots, \$25 each.

The above ridiculously low prices will prevail only for a
short time, and those who buy at once will not only benefit by the
natural increase in values, but the money derived from these
early sales will be used to further promote the welfare of the
place in the grading of streets, building of steamboat landings
and other needed improvements.

Arrangements have about been perfected which will result
in the starting of a second sawmill at an early date.

Plats may be seen at the Enterprise office and full particulars
may be learned by calling us up by telephone at Eveleth, No. 112.

D. W. FREEMAN & CO.



HANNAFORD

If you don't see what you want
ask for it. Hall.

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE

To Sell Intoxicating Liquors.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,)
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS,) ss.
VILLAGE OF MT. IRON,)

Notice is hereby given that application
has been made in writing to the Village
Council of the said Village of Mt. Iron and
filed in my office, praying for License to Sell
Intoxicating Liquors for the term commencing
on July 8th, 1903, and terminating July
7th 1904, by the following person, and at the
following place, respectively, to-wit:

CHAS. OAKMAN,

Ground floor of that one story frame build-
ing situate on Lots 15 and 16 of Block 14, Vil-
lage of Mt. Iron, county and state aforesaid.
Said application will be heard and deter-
mined by said Village Council of the Village
of Mt. Iron, in the Council Chamber in said
Village of Mt. Iron, County of St. Louis and
State of Minnesota, Monday, the 6th day of
July, A. D. 1903, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. of
that day.

Witness my hand and seal of the Village
of Mt. Iron, this 22nd day of June, A. D. 1903.
FRED R. MOTT,
Village Recorder.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Duluth, Minn., April 1, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance
with the provisions of the act of Congress of
June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of
timber lands in the States of California, Ore-
gon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as
extended to all the Public Land States by act
of August 4, 1892,

EDWARD J. WHALEN,

of Duluth, county of St. Louis, State of Min-
nesota, has this day filed in this office his
sworn statement No. 7707, for the purchase of
the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 25 and E 1/4 NE 1/4 of
Section No. 26, in Township No. 60 N.,
Range No. 19 W., 4th P. M., and will of-
fer proof to show that the land sought is
more valuable for its timber or stone than for
agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim
to said land before the Register and Receiver
of this office at Duluth, Minn., on
Tuesday, the 13th day of Oct. 1903.

He names as witnesses:
Frank Bellinger, of Duluth, Minn.
John Cameron, of " "
Wm. Getzenberg, of " "

H. H. Bartlett, of " "
Any and all persons claiming adversely
the above-described lands are requested to
file their claims in this office on or before said
13th day of Oct. 1903.

Smallwood & Sen, Attorneys. Wm. E. CULKIN, Register.
June 5 aug 7

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Duluth, Minn., May 13, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance
with the provisions of the act of Congress of
June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of
timber lands in the States of California, Ore-
gon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as
extended to all the Public Land States by act
of August 4, 1892,

ALBERT F. OLSON,

of Duluth, county of St. Louis, State of Min-
nesota, has this day filed in this office his
sworn statement No. 7196, for the purchase of
the N 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section No. 22, and
NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Section No. 23, in Town-
ship No. 61 N., Range No. 19 W., and will offer
proof to show that the land sought is more
valuable for its timber or stone than for ag-
ricultural purposes, and to establish his claim
to said land before the Register and Receiver
of this office at Duluth, Minn., on Fri-
day, the 17th day of July, 1903.

He names as witnesses:
Chas. S. Olson, of Duluth, Minn.
Edward Lamb, of " "
Wm. Gallagher, of " "
Dan McDonnell, of " "

Any and all persons claiming adversely
the above-described lands are requested to
file their claims in this office on or before
said 17th day of July, 1903.

Wm. E. CULKIN, Register.
May 15-July 17

Duluth & Iron Range Railway.

AM PM	STATION	AM PM
7:30 8:15	Duluth	12:00 6:30
8:30 4:20	Two Harbors	11:00 5:30
9:30	Drummond	9:50
10:20 6:10	Allen Junction	8:15 3:50
10:50 6:45	Rivabik	8:40 3:15
11:02 7:05	McKinley	8:30 3:07
11:15 7:15	Sparta	8:15 2:55
11:30 7:30	Eveleth	8:00 2:45
11:25 7:25	Virginia	8:05 2:40
10:30 6:10	Allen Junction	9:15 3:45
11:10 7:00	Tower Junction	8:00 2:50
11:15 7:05	Tower	8:15 2:55
12:05 7:55	Ely	7:25 3:00

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