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**L'ANSE AFFAIRS**

**CHURCH DIRECTORY.**  
FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—  
Pastor, Rev. P. O. Jones, pastor  
teaching every Sabbath evening at 7 o'clock.  
Sabbath school at 11 a. m. John Orr  
superintendent. Prayer meeting Monday  
evening at 7:30.  
CATHOLIC CHURCH—Father Henn  
priest. Low mass is held at 7:30 every morning  
during the week. Sunday—Low mass at  
8 and High mass at 10:30 a. m. and Catechism  
at 1:30 p. m. Vespers and Benediction at 3 p.  
m. Low mass at Pequaming, every other  
Sunday.

Go to S. T. Harris & Co's for your wall paper.  
J. B. Belange was on the sick list this week.  
Miss Elsie McKernan is home again for a short visit.  
Miss Katie Wahl is preparing to reopen her milliner shop on Main street.  
R. C. Williams attended the republican district convention at Iron Mountain this week.  
An Easter card with every pound of "Lion coffee" 25¢ a pound. J. B. Smith.  
Medard Secotte returned from Escanaba, Saturday, and will remain here for the summer.  
Mr. J. B. Graham has taken rooms in the railroad house and will move his family in from Ewen this week.  
Father Henn, formerly in charge of the Catholic church at this place, has been transferred to Manistique.  
Postmaster Denomme has had a relapse and is again confined to his bed. His case is considered quite serious.  
Two large steam channeleds arrived this week to be used in the Detroit & Marquette Brownstone Co's. quarry.

Messrs Dave and John Rowlands were in town a day or two this week. They had been out to visit their parents at Arvon.  
Gallagher, the tailor, has moved his shop into the Peppin building, on Broad street a much more pleasant and convenient location.  
Messrs. Phil Voetrich and R. C. Williams attended the republican convention at Iron Mountain this week, returning yesterday noon.

John J. Robinson came in on the evening train Sunday, and spent a couple of days with friends in town before going on to his home in Pequaming.

John Rothwell, of Pequaming, who has been spending the winter in Wisconsin, passed through here Saturday on his way to Pequaming, where he intends to put in the summer.

A cold blast from the northwest passed over this part of the country yesterday causing a perceptible shiver down the spinal column of Gentle Spring. We hope she will recover in due season.

Quite a large delegation of the members of the A. O. U. W. of this place went to Chassell, Thursday evening, to assist in instituting a new lodge at that place. We understand that the Chassell lodge will start out with a membership of 50.

The D., S. S. & A. railroad company has a gang of men at work rebuilding the temporary bridge across Falls river which took the place of the one destroyed in the wreck last fall. The one now being built is a very substantial structure.

We are sorry to see by our Soo exchanges that our old townsman, Geo. E. C. Seaman, was defeated for the office of comptroller of Sault Ste. Marie in the recent election. Mr. Seaman is both an honest and capable man, but these qualities do not always win in election matters.

Salvation Oil quickly finds its way to the seat of the disease, allays the inflammation, and, by removing the cause, effects a permanent cure. Price 25 cents.

Mr. Ruskin thinks there is a great future for American art—but he hardly realizes the enormous demand over here for Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Fresh supply of wall paper just received at S. T. Harris and Co's Drug Store.

Lace curtains, carpets and rugs at J. B. Smith's.  
Get your wall paper for 20 and 25 cents a roll at Smith's.  
Harris & Co's drug store is the place to buy your wall paper.  
Mr. John D. Rowland and family are moving into their handsome residence on Broad street which Mr. Rowland purchased from M. Gitzon last fall. A gentleman named A. Campbell takes their place in the hotel at Arvon.

**For Sale.**  
One house and lot, 75 by 50 feet situated on railroad street. Enquire of or write to,  
JOSEPH DUQUETTE,  
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**For Sale, Cheap.**  
Two Cook Stoves, 2 Heating Stoves, 2 Lumber Wagons, 2 Cutters and a lot of Blankets, Quilts, Tables, etc. Enquire of  
C. P. BLANKENHORN.

**To Test Michigan's Gerrymander.**  
A telegram from Houghton says: "As a result of the recent court decision of the Wisconsin supreme court upon the constitutionality of the legislative apportionment act, the gerrymander law of this state will be brought before the highest tribunal for a decision upon its validity. The Republican county convention, which met here Saturday to elect delegates to the state convention, appointed a committee for this purpose. It will bring up the gerrymander of Houghton county whereby Calumet township was put in a legislative district with Keweenaw."

**Democratic County Convention**  
A Democratic County Convention will be held in the L'Anse town hall, on Thursday, April 15, 1892, at two o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing two delegates to attend the Democratic State Convention to be held in the city of Muskegon on May 4, 1892. Also to select a county committee and to transact any other business that may legally come before the Convention. Each township will be entitled to one delegate for each fifty votes or moiety thereof, cast at the last general election.

TOWNSHIPS	VOTES	DELEGATES
Arvon	209	4
Baraga	341	7
L'Anse	276	6
Spurr	72	2

Dated, L'Anse, April 5, 1892.  
J. Q. MCKERNAN, Chairman.

**Designs on the County Seat.**  
According to the street rumor, which is frequently unreliable, "Uncle" Pat Nester, the supervisor elect of Baraga township, has designs on our county seat, and will attempt its removal to the other side of the bay.

Mr. Nester is a man of good executive ability, and with well directed effort will be able to accomplish a great deal for his town, without doubt; but there is such a thing as a man attempting so much as to weaken his chance of accomplishing that which he might do. Men with too much ambition have been known to overreach themselves.

It was represented to the voters of Baraga township that a vote for Pat Nester was a vote for a railroad, an extension of the water works, an organized fire company, a hose tower, an extension and enlargement of the electric light system, an equalization of the school tax, a sewerage system and good roads. When he shall have accomplished all these promised improvements he will be in good form to tackle the county seat question, but the tax payers of the county will think several times before they will consent to throwing away the present county buildings and running in debt from \$30,000 to \$40,000,000 for new ones.

**Good News for Settlers on the M. L. & I. Lands.**

Mr. Rush Culver received a letter from his attorneys, Copp & Luckett, this week, to the effect that the secretary of the interior had just rendered a decision in the McKnight case which covers every point in the M. L. & I. cases. The decision is in a case arising in Louisiana upon a grant made at the time and in similar terms to the M. H. & O. grant. The grant was afterwards forfeited for non-compliance with its terms and a subsequent grant was made to another railroad company covering some portion of this grant. The contention was made that as no judicial proceedings had been instituted to restore the title which passed by the former grant the second grant conveyed no title to these lands. This doctrine was sustained in the Rogers case and some others, but in this decision the Hon. Secretary overrules the Rogers case in express terms, and declares that railroad lands are restored immediately to the public domain by the forfeiture act, notwithstanding their certification to the state.

Messrs. Copp & Luckett will now endeavor to secure immediate action on the M. L. & I. cases and get the entries of the settlers allowed.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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**For Secretary of State.**  
Many of the friends of Mr. John W. Jochim, of this city, are desirous that he permit his name to be used in connection with the office of secretary of state, and if he will permit it there will soon be the biggest kind of a boom for Mr. Jochim in this peninsula. He is eminently qualified for the position, and the Iron Ore takes pleasure in standing by those who have proposed his name for the office above mentioned. The Upper Peninsula deserves recognition, and there is no reason why the state convention should not favor us in the direction suggested.—L'Anse Iron Ore.

**C. K. of A. All Right.**  
Patrick Bulger, president of the St. Joseph branch, C. K. of A., handed us the following letter, which explains itself, for publication:

LEXINGTON, Ky. March 29, 1892.  
PATRICK BULGER, President,  
MICHAEL CULLINEY, R. S.  
Dear Sirs and Bro's.—  
I am in receipt of your letter of the 26th calling my attention to marked item in L'ANSE SENTINEL of March 26th 1892, which reads as follows: "If rumor proves true to the effect that the officers of the Catholic Knights have looted the treasury to the extent of \$165,000 the order is well nigh wrecked. This is worse than the O'Brien defalcation." The word "if" cuts quite a figure in the above. You may say for me that the "rumor" will not prove true, and if it is rumored, that it is a false and malicious rumor, circulated by those wishing to disrupt the order. We are now in a prosperous condition, paying our death claims promptly with a sinking fund of \$180,000; and thank God honest men enough to administer the affairs of the order honestly.

FRaternally,  
JOHN BARR, S. S.  
With reference to the above the SENTINEL has this to say, that the item referred to, which was picked up from some of our exchanges, was not published for a malicious purpose, but rather to put the members on their guard in case any rottenness existed. In the absence of any proof to the contrary the above letter from the supreme secretary must be taken as conclusive that the order is all right and paying its death losses promptly. It must not be assumed that because the editor of this paper belongs to other beneficiary societies that he entertains any jealousy or enmity toward the Catholic Knights; on the contrary he has none but the best wishes for the success of the order and the welfare of its members as far as he knows them. It is a well known fact that the failure of one fraternal order through dishonesty or incompetence weakens the faith of the people in all others of a similar character; and for this reason if for no other, we should regard the failure of the Catholic Knights with much regret.

**U. S. Official Postal Guide. Just Published.**  
The report of the postmaster general just issued, states that nearly \$2,000,000 in checks, drafts and money, reached the dead letter office during the present year through improper addressings. Probably double this sum has been lost through delays and accidents resulting from carelessness in mailing and correspondence. To reduce these errors to a minimum, the government issues The United States Official Postal Guide, in an annual number published in January and monthly supplements, a book of 934 pages, containing three classified lists of the 66,000 post offices in the Union, together with postal rules and mail regulations. Every merchant, wholesale-dealer and professional man having correspondence, will find the Guide indispensable. It is also of great assistance to lawyers, printers and others in translating illegible writings. No establishment where care and accuracy are observed as rules is complete without it. The price of the Guide in paper is \$2.00; in cloth \$2.50.

**To the Hon. Board of Supervisors.**  
GENTLEMEN:—The following is a correct list of poor orders drawn by me for the month of March, 1892, viz:

Miss Harriett Head	4 00
Mrs. Mary Whiskey	2 00
Mrs. Anne Crane	12 00
Mrs. Elijah	4 00
Mr. John G. Baker	5 00
Mrs. Nancy Markson	2 00
Mrs. Anna Markson	2 00
Mrs. Mary A. Pequette	3 00
Mrs. Charles Bouchaine	14 00
Mrs. Ester Mitchell	2 00
Mrs. A. Campbell (Nestoria)	10 00
Mrs. F. Mijitz	10 00
Mrs. J. B. Beinger board and care of	2 00
Arthur Beaudette	43 50
Charles Bouchaine sickness	10 00
Total	138 50

JOHN Q. MCKERNAN,  
Sup't of Poor.

**PORTAGE ENTRY.**

Election passed off quietly here Monday.  
Charles M. Jor lost a valuable horse last Monday.

Mr. Richard Colvin has bought Mr. Thomas Skelly's house and has begun house-keeping.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. Mergen rejoiced in the arrival of a daughter, which an opinion event occurred March 30.

Mr. Theo. Ling, the Houghton undertaker, came down here Sunday and remained here to take charge of the funeral of Ida Hincley Monday.

School was closed Monday in order to give the pupils an opportunity to pay their last tribute to the memory of their deceased school mate, Ida Hincley, whose funeral occurred on that day.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Brainard came very near getting drowned, last week, in coming from Chassell to this place. They attempted to drive down on the ice with a dog team, and when near the range lights they broke through. How they ever got out is a mystery. They had to walk three miles in their wet clothes to Farmer Draper's place, the nearest shelter they could find, where their wants were attended to, and they reached home in safety with nothing more serious than a good wetting.

**IN MEMORIAM**—Died, on Saturday, April 2, 1892, of spinal meningitis, Ida, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hincley, aged seven years and eight months. Funeral services were held at the school house on Monday morning by Rev. Mr. Brainard. The services were attended by the teachers and pupils of the school in a body and a numerous throng of sympathizing friends. The remains were taken to Bangor, Mich., for interment. The deceased had been attending school as usual until Friday, Friday night at about 11 o'clock she was taken ill and died within twenty-four hours. She was a favorite among her playmates and companions and loved by all. She was the idol of her parents; her life was the flower of their love—they regret not its blossoming though its fading gives them pain.

"But I know that some glad day  
She will meet us far away,  
God will keep her sweet and fair  
So we leave her in his care."  
"Face the weal sweet bud of beauty,  
Ida, curling, rare-the-well;  
For thou wert too pure and lovely  
In a world like this to dwell."

**Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic R'y**

Direct route from L'Anse to the East, South coast, also the West and the Great Northwest.  
On and after SUNDAY, DEC. 22, 1891, Trains Leave L'Anse as follows:  
GOING WEST:  
1 25 P. M. EXPRESS, daily for Nestoria connecting with Lake Superior Limited, for Mason, Duluth and intermediate points, connecting at Mason with C. St. P. M. & O. Ry. for St. Paul and Minneapolis. Wagner palace buffet sleeping cars through to Duluth.  
GOING EAST:  
1 25 P. M. EXPRESS, daily for Nestoria connecting at that point with Lake Superior Limited for St. Ignace and intermediate points, connecting for Milwaukee, Chicago and intermediate points at Champlain with M. & N. Ry. and at L'Anse with the Michigan Central railroad for all points in lower Michigan, the east and south-east. Wagner palace buffet sleeping cars through to Detroit from Duluth.  
10 33 A. M. MARQUETTE PASSENGER, daily except Sunday for Marquette and intermediate points.  
10 33 A. M. LOCAL PASSENGER, daily except Sunday, for Houghton and intermediate stations.  
5 30 P. M. EXPRESS MAIL, daily for Houghton and intermediate stations.  
For rates, time table and other information apply to ticket agents or GEO. W. HIBBARD, N. P. & C. L., Marquette, Mich.  
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