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AMASA

INJUNCTION WITHDRAWN

Taxpayers' Association Keeps Its Word With District on Resignation of Boas.

The injunction barring the board of education of Hematite township from issuing the bonds which were voted to be issued by the electors of the district was withdrawn last Monday and the board is now busy trying to sell the bonds and resume work on the building.

During the time that the injunction has been in effect there hasn't been so much as a caretaker at the premises but one will be put on right away so that the property will be safeguarded and the odds and ends about the building picked up.

It is the intention of the board to have work started just as quickly as some money can be got. When the bonds were voted a 6% bond was salable but now the conditions have changed and it is not easy to sell a bond even of that high percentage.

It is probable that some kind of a sacrifice must be made in order to get money and prepare the school for use. There will be no work done in the old building this year. That much has been decided upon by the board. They feel that it would be a waste to spend a cent there.

While the old furniture will go a long way towards equipping the rooms in the new building there must be some new furniture purchased for class rooms and other extra space which is provided in the new building but was not in the old.

There will be 18 teachers in the new building, provided a music and drawing instructor is secured.

STEALING OUR PLAYERS

Iron River and Crystal Falls Has Taken Away Amasa's Base Ball Players

From present indications it looks as if the Amasa base ball team will be disrupted by our larger neighbors, Crystal Falls and Iron River.

Crystal Falls has annexed our premier pitcher, George Premo, who made such a fine showing against the Briscoes last week. Mr. Premo has signed up and will be a regular with the Crystal Falls team, taking the place of Kinder, whose arm has gone wrong and who retires voluntarily from the pitcher's box.

Iron River takes Andrew Bloomquist and Frank Dallafior, a pitcher and a first baseman. These three men are the main stays of the Amasa team and with them out of the line-up our team will lose very much of its strength.

SCHOOL ELECTION QUIET

There was very little interest shown in the school election which was held last Monday. The board, headed by Louis Aeschliman was chosen for the full term, as per agreement without any opposing votes.

At the business meeting the sum of \$70,000 was voted for school purposes the coming year. Of this sum \$3,000 were raised for building purposes and will be used in equipping the new building.

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A big Alumni picnic was planned for last Thursday afternoon and just as those contemplating taking part were gathering at the school house a big rain storm came up and the day's pleasure was considerably marred, although all were glad to see the rain fall.

Frank Thompson has been taking the census of the school district and has just about completed the work. It will be checked over by Supt. Ellsworth and we will then know if the 441 of last year has been increased.

The marriage of Ward Wormwood and Miss Mildred Premo has been announced for next Monday and it will be one of the most important events of the year for both young people are well known in Amasa.

A charivari, which was somewhat out of place, was pulled off by the force of the Hematite Mercantile Co. store, when Miss Emma Nelson returned from a visit, which all thought was a wedding trip. Miss Emma got a real charivari, though, and she knows how to go through the real thing when the time comes.

ROAD WORK PROGRESSING

Contractors Are Getting Shaped Up Rapidly to Put on More Men

Messrs Hooge and Hicks of Iron Mountain contractors who have in hand the building of the road north, Route 69, was in Amasa last Wednesday. They have opened an office here and will make this point their headquarters while the work is in progress.

Mr. Hicks will spend most of his time on the job. He tells us that he has about 125 men working now and that it is his intention to increase the force as fast as he can get things squared away. He expects to work between 200 and 300 men on the 12 miles included in his contract.

The first company camp will be on the banks of the Nett river where water is available. The camp will be supplied from the siding at Nett to which a road has been cut for timber

supplies. The surveying crew started on the north end last week to set stakes from the north end to the Nett river and they finished up the work. They stayed at a camp maintained by section men who have the work on the north end of the road.

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COMING SOON—Harvey's Greater Colored Minstrels, City Hall Auditorium, Crystal Falls. Watch for date.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Miesher of Menominee are guests of Charles Bell at the Amasa hotel. Mr. Miesner is a boxing artist of no mean ability, having had several big matches in the ring. He attended the match at Crystal Falls last Thursday night.

Mr. Andrew Young and family of Iron River were in Amasa this week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Hughes. Mr. Young is one of the pioneers of Stambaugh township and owns valuable mineral property in the Sping Valley section.

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KEEP ON CLEARING

Triangle Ranch Management Adds To The Force During The Week.

The report this week from the Triangle Ranch is that an addition of several teams and men has been made to the clearing force and clearing operations are being pushed with all speed possible.

The land that is being cleared now is for next year's seeding and the proprietors propose to have a lot of it ready to seed.

This year's seeding is not looking bad, although the grasshoppers are bothering some. The crop is oats and peas and there is promise of a fair crop as there has been considerable moisture to care for the seeding.

The native grass on the ranch is not bad. The moisture has been sufficient to keep it pretty well advanced.

The Ranch company has not a large number of cattle this year as they intend to breed and get started in growing their own beef. They will winter over what cattle they have this year and by the time that their tilled area gets large enough to support a big herd they will have the herd for it right on their own land.

In addition to the cattle of the Ranch company, Doc Kronin has about 150 head which he is pasturing up there also. Doc will sell his cattle on the market this fall.

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Immunity of Teak and Cypress.

Of the many timbers tested in a Japanese investigation, only teak and cypress pine escape attack by termites. The immunity seems to be due neither to hardness nor weight, but to the presence of some repellent—perhaps the large percentage of benzene extract of these two woods. In Formosa, camphor green oil gives the surest protection against termites.

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Venezuela Named After Venice.

Venezuela was named from the word Venice by Alonso de Ojeda, who found the Onotas, an extinct tribe of Indians, there in 1499. They were fishermen, and built their houses on piles in the water. Ojeda was reminded by their dwellings of Venice, so he named the country Venezuela.

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HEMATITE SCHOOLS

March 23, 1921.

At a regular meeting of the board of education, in school district No. 1, Township of Hematite, held on the above date at the clerk's office. The meeting was called to order by chairman J. T. Gibson with the following members present: J. T. Gibson, J. F. Thompson, Abr. Gill, Iver Olson and Wm. Burge.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and on motion duly supported, approved as read.

The chairman read the bills for general fund and on motion by Wm. Burge, supported by Iver Olson that the bills be read. Motion carried.

Mrs. Elmer Holmberg, thrasing 12.50
C. M. & St. P. freight 192.76
H. Luukkonen, freiman 112.00
Annie Webber, P. M. stamps 3.00
Mich. State Tele. Co. Calls 3.80
Ginn & Co., Bal. of act. 4.24
American bk. Co., Express 2.52
W. M. Welsh Mfg. Co., Supplies 28.23
Standard Oil Co., Polarine M. T. 2.25
M. T. Stewart, Tuning 7.00
A. N. Palmer & Son, Supplies 2.06
Silver Burdett & Co., Books 1.88
Thurston Supply Co., Supplies 1.89
Laurerman Bros. Cloth 4.03
First Nat'l Bank, Interest 80.11
Hematite Merc. Co., Supplies 12.62
Iron Co. L. & F. Co. Lumber 95.00
Diamond Drill, Printing 74.40
Coal Bluff Mng. Co., Coal 146.74
Roy Manguson, Janitor 7.00
Triano Sandri, Labor 4.50
Theodore Thompson, Labor 18.00
Earl Heath, Teaming 40.00
Elvira Gustafson, Labor 13.00
C. M. & St. Paul, Freight 4.27

Upon motion by Wm. Burge, supported by Iver Olson that board approve the request of Superintendent A. A. Ellsworth for the present teachers and the board decided to offer the position of the present teachers for ensuing year at the present salary providing the board raise the salary of J. A. Morrison from \$1400.00 to \$1500.00 for M. T. for ensuing year.

The board decided to offer the position of Assistant Principal at the salary of \$1400.00 for the ensuing year.

April 15, 1921

At a special meeting of the board of education, in school district No. 1,

Township of Hematite, held in school house at the clerk's office on the above date.

The meeting was called to order by chairman J. T. Gibson with the following members present: J. T. Gibson, J. F. Thompson, William Burge, Iver Olson, Abraham Gill.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and on motion duly supported, approved as read.

The chairman read the bills and on motion by William Burge, supported by Iver Olson the bills were allowed as read.

General Fund

A. A. Ellsworth, Teaching 250.00
F. H. Burge, Teaching 150.00
Jullis Anderson, Teaching 150.00
Hannah Norensky, Teaching 130.00
Georgia Dufresne, Teaching 115.00
Mildred Premo, Teaching 125.00
Minnie Caspers, Teaching 125.00
George Morrison, Teaching 140.00
Theresa Webber, Teaching 115.00
Leora Ellsworth, Teaching 115.00
Agnes D. Holm, Teaching 115.00
Blanche Wormwood, Teaching 125.00
Lillian Wickstrom, Teaching 110.00
Amber Burge, Teaching 125.00
Anthea Vallean, Teaching 115.00
Georgia Dufresne, teaching 115.00
Ilma Puotinen, Teaching 100.00
Mildred Wilson, Teaching 100.00
Charlotte Mathews, Teaching 115.00
Harry Vivian, Janitor 140.00
Mrs. E. Macki, Janitor 15.00
Mrs. Isaacson, Janitor 15.00
Mrs. Gustafson, Janitor 20.00
Finnish Ten, Soc rent 15.00
L. Aeschliman, truant officer 10.00
H. Luukkonen 64.00
Marsh, Wells Hdw Co., supplies 8.62
I. Co. L. & F. Co., roofing 4.25
E. A. W. Rowles Co., sup 9.31
Mich Edu. Co., supplies 4.49
Silver Burdett Co., supplies 1.88
A. M. Parmelee, supplies 93.77
J. T. Gibson, business trip 97.85
E. Gustafson, scrubbing 8.00
Hulda Maata, scrubbing 8.95
Mich. Tele. Co., services 6.65
St. Paul, freight 4.08
A. A. Ellsworth, teaching 250.00
Florence Burge, teaching 150.00
J. Anderson, teaching 150.00
Hannah Norinski, teaching 130.00
Mildred Premo, teaching 125.00
Minnie Caspers, teaching 125.00
Geo. Morrison, teaching 140.00
Theresa Webber, teaching 115.00
Leora Ellsworth, teaching 115.00
Agnes D. Holm, teaching 115.00
Blanche Wormwood, teaching 125.00
Lillian Wickstrom, teaching 110.00
A. C. Burge, teaching 125.00
Anthea Vallean, teaching 115.00
H. Puotinen, teaching 100.00
Mildred Wilson, teaching 100.00
G. Dufresne, teaching 115.00
Charlotte Mathews, teaching 115.00
Harry Vivian, teaching 140.00
Mrs. E. Macki, teaching 15.00
Mrs. J. Isaacson, teaching 15.00
Fin. Ten. Soc. Rent 15.00
Mrs. Ellen Gustafson, salary 20.00
L. Aeschliman, truant officer 10.00

Upon motion duly supported the board granted Emil Luukkonen an excuse for not attending school, providing he will get a working permit from J. F. Mason, commissioner of schools.

Upon motion by Wm. Burge, supported by A. Gill that the board take the applications for teachers for the ensuing year under consideration and the board offer the position of Science teacher to Clifford Swanson, Marquette, Michigan, at a salary of \$1,400.00. Motion carried.

Upon motion by Wm. Burge, seconded by A. Gill, the board offer the position of History teacher, Senior and Junior High Schools to Esther Laurenson of Ironwood, Michigan, at a salary of \$1,250.00. Motion carried.

Upon motion by Iver Olson, seconded by Wm. Burge that the board offer the position of Commercial department to Lillian Anderson of Big Rapids, Michigan, at a salary of \$1,250.00. Motion carried.

Upon motion by Wm. Burge, seconded by A. Gustafson, that the board offer the position of Junior High School teacher to Mrs. McGee at a salary of \$1,250.00. Motion carried.

Upon motion by Iver Olson, seconded by J. F. Thompson that the board offer the position of Kindergarten teacher to Esther Holmes, at a salary of \$1,150.00 for the ensuing year. Motion carried.

Upon motion by Iver Olson, supported by Wm. Burge, that the board offer the position of 5th grade teacher to Charlotte Mathews for the ensuing year at a salary of \$1,150.00. Motion carried.

Moved by Wm. Burge, supported by A. Gill that the Board offer the position of the second grade teacher to Stella Robinson of Mass, Michigan, at a salary of \$1,150.00 for the ensuing year, providing her qualifications are O. K. Motion carried.

There being no further business before the board, on motion of J. F. Thompson, supported by A. Gill, the meeting adjourn.

J. F. THOMPSON,
Secretary.

HEMATITE SCHOOLS

May 14, 1921.

At a special meeting of the Board of Education of School District No. 1, of the Township of Hematite, Iron County, Michigan, held in the Secretary's office at Amasa, Michigan, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. on the above date.

The following members were present: J. T. Gibson, J. F. Thompson, Wm. Burge, Abraham Gill, Iver Olson, being all the members constituting the said board of education.

The meeting was called to order by J. T. Gibson, president. Waiver of notice of said meeting was spread upon the minute book, was read and signed as follows:

The undersigned, who are all members of the Board of Education, of School District No. 1, of the Township of Hematite, Iron county Michigan, do hereby waive notice of the special meeting of the said Board of Education, held this day in the Secretary's office in Amasa, Michigan, at 7:30 o'clock, P. M.

Dated May 14, 1921.

J. T. GIBSON,
F. J. THOMPSON,
WILLIAM BURGE,
ABRAHAM GILL,
IVER OLSON.

The following resolution was introduced by Wm. Burge who moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, it appears to the Board of Education of School District No. 1 of the Township of Hematite, Iron Co. Michigan, in a special meeting duly and lawfully assembled, that it has not on hand sufficient funds to complete and furnish a new school building now being erected, that sufficient moneys cannot be raised by taxation and that the said school building should be immediately completed, and

WHEREAS, the said Board of Education does hereby determine that it is necessary that the said School District borrow the sum of Seventy Eight Thousand (\$78,000) Dollars and issue bonds of the School District therefor, to complete and furnish said new school building, and

WHEREAS, it is further determined that said amount of Seventy Eight Thousand (\$78,000) Dollars for the purpose aforesaid be expended at once or as soon thereafter as may be.

WHEREAS, said school district has not the funds on hand to pay for such completion and furnishing of said school building and said school district is prohibited by law from raising and appropriating any other moneys and appropriating any further sums of money for such purposes by general taxation, during the present fiscal year, and

WHEREAS, provision has been made by law, whereby any school district may by majority vote, of the qualified voters of said school district, present at the annual meeting or at a special meeting, called for that purpose, borrow money and issue bonds of the school district, therefor to pay for a school house site or sites and to erect and furnish school buildings, provided that no school district shall issue bonds for an amount greater than 15% of the total assessed valuation of said district, nor that the bonded indebtedness of said school district extends beyond the period of thirty years for money borrowed.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by said Board of Education, duly and lawfully assembled in a special meeting as aforesaid that it is the best judgement of said board of education and said board of education does hereby estimate that it is necessary to raise the sum of Seventy Eight Thousand (\$78,000) Dollars for the purposes aforesaid, and to issue therefor, bonds of the said school district for a period not to exceed thirty years, in the discretion of said board of education, and to bear interest at the rate of 6% per annum.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED, that in accordance with the provisions of law a special meeting of school district No. 1, of the Township of Hematite, be held in the Town Hall, at Amasa, in said Township, on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1921, at 3:00 o'clock P. M. That due notice of special meeting be given as required by law; that the polls remain open on said day from 3:00 o'clock P. M. to 7:00 o'clock P. M. and that at said special meeting of said school district the proposition to borrow the said sum of Seventy Eight Thousand (\$78,000) Dollars and to issue therefor the bonds of the said school district, to be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of said district. The adoption of the above resolution was seconded by Iver Olson and on motion a vote by ayes and nays was taken as follows: J. T. Gibson, yes; John Thompson, yes; Wm. Burge, yes; Abraham Gill, yes; Iver Olson, yes; Nays, none. Whereupon said resolution was declared duly adopted and ordered spread upon the records.

Upon motion duly seconded and unanimously carried the president instructed the secretary to post notices of said special election as required by law.

No further business appearing the meeting was upon motion duly adjourned.

J. T. GIBSON, President.
J. T. THOMPSON, Sec.

Read The Ads

University Motto of Dutch Origin.

The motto of Harvard university, "Christo et Ecclesiae," is of Dutch origin, according to a statement made by Clifford B. Clapp of the Henry E. Huntington library, San Gabriel, Cal., in an address before the Colonial society of Boston. This motto, he said, was undoubtedly taken from an inscription on one of the portals of the Academy of Franeker, founded in 1585 by the estates of Friesland.

Seed Wheat Not Easily Killed.

Scientific farmers will assure you that the seed of wheat loses its life within, at most, ten years, but Dr. Asa Gray wrote: "In ordinary cases legitimate seeds have longest preserved germinating power; in some very well authenticated cases up to seventy or perhaps one hundred years. Nearly uniform temperature, darkness and other dryness or burial beyond atmospheric influence must favor the prolongation of vitality."

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