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INTRODUCTORY.

In presenting the fourth volume of the Alpena City Directory, the publishers feel confident it will meet with the approval of its patrons and the public. In the present issue such changes have been made as, in the opinion of the publishers, tend to improve the general features of the work, and the utmost care has been taken to obtain full and correct information in every department. The directory contains 319 pages, of which the first 52 are devoted to useful miscellaneous information relating to the city and county in general, and embrace a street and avenue guide, ward boundaries, city and county officers, police and fire departments, churches, banks, schools, newspapers, railroads, cemeteries, public buildings, halls, etc., secret and benevolent societies, steamboat lines, miscellaneous societies, postoffices in county, townships and township officers, circuit courts, justices, bands, etc., etc. Succeeding these are 235 pages, containing an alphabetically arranged directory of the inhabitants of the city, followed by a list of all persons engaged in business, classified under their respective callings, occupying 25 pages.

This edition of the directory shows 6,206 names, which, with the multiplier of 24 persons to each directory name—the lowest used in any city in the United States—gives a total population of 15,515. Sincere thanks are tendered to those who, by their patronage and support, materially aided the publishers in their work, and to those who kindly assisted in collecting the data required in the preparation of this volume.

In due time the fifth volume of the Directory will be issued, in which still further improvements will be honestly and energetically attempted, and every effort made to make it a complete epitome of the business interests of the city.

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ALPENA CITY DIRECTORY.

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MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENT.

STREETS AND AVENUES.

EXPLANATION.

An order was passed by the City Council authorizing the numbering of all streets of the city, and designating Chisholm street a dividing line for all streets crossing it, or running North and South, and Second street for all streets running East and West. The system adopted is the same as used in Philadelphia and other large cities, known as the "decimal" system—one hundred numbers being allowed for each block. In cases where vacant lots, etc., occur, the usual numbers have been allotted them. On referring to the following guide, it will be noticed that the names of all streets and avenues follow each other in strictly alphabetical order, without regard to location:
Adams, from Long Lake ave east to Huron, between Bolton and Monroe.
Albert, from Taylor north, between Beebe and Huron.
Alfred East, from Dock east to Mill, 1 north of Beebe.
Alfred West, from Dock west to Huron, 1 north of Beebe.
Au Sable, see Sable.
Baldwin East, from 2d east to State, 1 south of Campbell.
Baldwin West, from 2d west, 1 south of Campbell.
Barry, from city limits and Thunder Bay shore, northwest to 1st, between Mason and Parson.
Beebe East, from Dock east to Mill, 1 north of Norwegian.
Beebe West, from Dock west, 1 north of Norwegian.
Beech, from Fletcher north to Long Lake ave, 5 west of Dock.
Bingham East, from 2d east, 1 south of Wisner.
Bingham West, from 2d east, 1 south of Wisner.
Birch East, from Dock east to Trowbridge road, 1 north of Hueber.
Birch West, from Dock west, 1 north of Hueber.
Bismarck, from 3d west to Potter, between Lincoln and Campbell.
Blair East, from 2d east, between Crapo and Wisner.
Blair West, from 2d west, between Crapo and Wisner.
Bolton, from Long Lake ave east to Huron, between Adams and Owen.
Bosley East, from Dock east, 1 north of Alfred.
Bosley West, from Dock west, 1 north of Alfred.
Bradford, from 10th west, 9 south of Chisholm.
Bridge, from Richardson's mill northwest, 7 northwest of Dock.
Broadwell, from Thunder Bay shore northwest, 13 northeast of Fletcher.
Campbell East, from 2d east to State, 1 south of Lincoln.
Campbell West, from 2d west to Washington ave, 1 south of Lincoln.
Campbell Track, from E K Potter & Son's mill southeast to Thunder Bay, between Campbell and Baldwin.
Catherine, from south end of 8th to Potter's mill, 1 north of Washington ave.
Cavanaugh, from Washington ave northwest to 11th, 1 south of Tuttle.
Cedar, from Fletcher northeast to Long Lake ave, between Pine and Beech.
Charlotte, from Washington ave north to 11th, 1 west of Miller.
Cheboygan, from Lake northeast, between Presque Isle and Mackinaw.
Chisholm East, from 2d east, 2 south of the bridge.
Chisholm West, from 2d west, 2 south of the bridge.
Clark East, from Dock east to Mills, between Lake and Norwegian.
Clark West, from Dock west to Taylor, between Lake and Norwegian.
Clinton, from Baldwin southwest to city limits, between State and 1st.
Commercial, from Fletcher northeast to Taylor, between Pine and Merchant.
Crapo East, from 2d east to State, 1 south of Baldwin.
Crapo West, from 2d west to 3d, 1 south of Baldwin.
Dawson, from Taylor north to Owen, between Long Lake ave and Beebe.
Dock (continuation of 2d), from Thunder Bay river northeast to city limits.
Dunbar East, from 2d east to State, 1 south of White.
Dunbar West, from 2d west to 4th, 1 south of White.
Eighth North, from Chisholm north to the river, 6 west of 2d.
Eighth South, from Chisholm south to city limits, 6 west of 2d.
Eleventh North, from Chisholm north to Oak, 9 west of 2d.
Eleventh South, from Chisholm south to city limits, 9 west of 2d.
Elizabeth, from Cavanaugh west to Potter's mill, 2 north of Washington ave.
Farmer, from 6th northwest to 12th, between Plains and Tuttle.
Fifth North, from Chisholm north to River, 3 west of 2d.
Fifth South, from Chisholm south to city limits, 3 west of 2d.
First North, from Chisholm north to the river, between 2d and State.
First South, from Chisholm south to city limits, between 2d and State.
Fletcher East, from Dock east to Gilchrist's mill, between the river and Oldfield.
Fletcher West, from Dock west to Beech, between the river and Oldfield.
Fourteenth North, from Chisholm north to the river, 12 west of 2d.
Fourteenth South, from Chisholm south, 12 west of 2d.
Fourth North, from Chisholm north to River, 2 west of 2d.
Fourth South, from Chisholm south to city limits, 2 west of 2d.
Gilchrist, see Miller.
Herman East, from Dock east, 1 north of Birch.
Herman West, from Dock west, 1 north of Birch.
Hitchcock, from 2d east, 1 north of White.
Hueber East, from Dock east to Towbridge road, between Bosley and Birch.
Hueber West, from Dock west, between Bosley and Birch.
Huron, from Taylor north, 1 east of Albert.
Lake East, from Dock east to Mill, between Miller and Clark.
Monroe, from Long Lake ave east to Huron, between Taylor and Adams.
Ninth North, from Chisholm north to the river, 7 west of 2d. Ninth South, from Chisholm south to city limits, 7 west of 2d. Norwegian East, from Dock east to Mill, between Clark and Beebe.
Norwegian West, from Dock west to Commercial, between Clark and Beebe.
Oak, from 10th northwest to 11th, between Minor and the river.
Oldfield East, from Dock east to Mill, between Fletcher and Miller.
Oldfield West, from Dock west, between Fletcher and Miller. Oliver, from Lake northeast, between Pond and Presque Isle. Owen, from Long Lake ave east to Huron, 1 north of Bolton. Parson East, from 2d east to State, between Bingham and Barry.
Parson West, from 2d west to city limits, between Bingham and Barry.
Pine, from Fletcher northeast to Lake, between Commerce and Cedar.
Plains, from Washington ave northwest to 11th, between Saginaw and Farmer. Pond, from Lake northeast, between Bridge and Oliver.
Potter, from Campbell northeast to Washington ave, 3 east of Potter's mill. Prentiss, from State, opp Hitchcock, east to shore of Thunder Bay.
Presque Isle, from Lake northeast, between Oliver and Cheboygan. Railroad, from Campbell Track northeast, parallel with State. Richardson (continuation of Lewis), from 1st southwest to State, 1 south of Dunbar.
Twelfth North, from Chisholm north to Minor, 10 west of 2d.
Twelfth South, from Chisholm south to Tawas, 10 west of 2d.
Walnut, from Oldfield northeast to Long Lake ave between 
Beech and Bridge.
Washington ave East, east from S 2d to Chisholm.
Washington ave West, west from S 2d to city limits.
Water, from 2d east to Thunder Bay shore, 2 north of Chis-
holm.
White East, from 2d east to 1st, between Hitchcock and 
Dunbar.
White West, from 2d west to 3d, between Hitchcock and 
Dunbar.
Wisner East, from 2d east to State, between Blair and Bing-
ham.
Wisner West, from 2d west to city limits, between Blair and 
Bingham.

WARD BOUNDARIES.
The First ward comprises all that part of the city included
in the following boundaries: Commencing at a point in the
center of Thunder Bay river and the center of Second street,
thenes west along the center of Second street to a point where it
intersects the quarter line of section 27 in said city; thence
west along said quarter line to the west line of section 28;
thenes south on west line of section 28 to the southwest cor-
er of said section 28; thence east on south line of sections 28
and 27 to the shore of Thunder Bay; thence along the shore
of Thunder Bay to the center of Thunder Bay river; thence
up the center of Thunder Bay river to the place of begin-
ning.
The Second ward includes all that part of said city within
the following boundaries: Commencing at a point in the
center of Thunder Bay river and Second street; thence along
the center of Second street to a point where it intersects the
quarter line of section 27; thence west along said quarter line
to the west line of section 28; thence north on the west line
of section 28 to the northwest corner of section 28; thence
east along the north line of section 28 to a point in the cen-
ter of Thunder Bay river where the center of said river intersects
the north line of section 28; thence along the center of said
river to a point where the center of river intersects with sec-
tion line between sections 21 and 28; thence east along said
section line to the northwest corner of northeast quarter of
northeast quarter of section 23; thence south on quarter line
to southwest corner of northeast quarter of northeast quarter
of section 28; thence east on quarter line to a point where it
intersects the center of Fifth street; thence along the center
of Fifth street to a point where it intersects the center of
Maple street; thence along the center of Maple street to a point
where it intersects the center of Washington avenue; thence
east along the center of Washington avenue to a point where
the center of Washington avenue intersects the center of
Plains street, to a point where the center of Plains street
intersects the center of Fifth street; thence along the center of
Fifth street to the corner of lots 20 and 21, in block 8, city of
Alpena; thence on the line between said lots 20 and 21 to a
point in the center of Thunder Bay river opposite said line;
thenes along down center of Thunder Bay river to place of
beginning.
The Third ward includes all that part of said city
included within the following boundaries: Commencing at
a point in the middle of Thunder Bay river opposite a line
between lots 20 and 21, in block 8; thence along between
said lots 20 and 21, in block 8, to Fifth street; thence along
the center of Fifth street to a point where Fifth street inter-
sects with the center of Plains street; thence along the center

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The Fifth ward includes all that part of the city within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the shore of Thunder Bay directly opposite a line between lots one and two in block one of Wade's addition of the city of Alpena; thence along in a direct line to the corner of lots one and two; thence on a line between said lots to Mill street; thence to and across Mill street to a point where Mill street intersects the center of Lake street; thence along the center of Lake street to a point where the center of Lake street intersects the section line between sections 22 and 23; thence north on said section line between sections 22, 23, 15 and 14, to the northeast corner of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 15; thence west in a direct line to the northwest corner of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 16, thence south along the west line of sections 16 and 21 to the center of Thunder Bay river; thence down along the center of Thunder Bay river to a point in center of said river directly opposite boundary line of the Gilchrist lumber dock; thence along the outside boundary line of Gilchrist lumber dock and the shore of Thunder Bay to the place of beginning.

The Sixth ward includes all that portion of said city lying on the easterly and northerly side of said Thunder Bay river and not included in said Fifth ward.

**CITY OFFICERS.**

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Mayor—Michael O'Brien.
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Comptroller—George B Holmes.
Treasurer—Wm H Post.

APPOINTIVE OFFICERS.
City Attorney—Frank Emery.
Street Commissioner—Zephirin Beaudoin.
Marshal—E A Westropre.
Police Justice—Ranald McGillis.
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3d Ward—James Bowden, John B Placie.
4th Ward—Frank Guyott, Martin Crawford.
5th Ward—John J Murphy, Alex Campbell.
6th Ward—Alex Daoust, Max Englefield.

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Presentation of communications.
Presentation of petitions.
Reports of officers as follows: 1. Comptroller. 2. City
Attorney. 3. Police Justice. 4. Other officers.
Reports of committees in the following order: 1. Ways and
Means. 2. Streets and Sewers. 3. Fire Department.
Resolutions and miscellaneous.

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5th Ward—M N Bedford. 6th Ward—John Mueller-
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