

# DICKINSON COUNTY HISTORY - EDUCATION

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## County Board of School Examiners and Teachers' Institutes

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The **county board of school examiners** will hold examinations at Iron Mountain from one o'clock Thursday afternoon, 27th inst. [of this month], until three o'clock Friday afternoon, 28th inst. [of this month] There will be an evening session on Thursday, and the secretary writes us that if any candidate desires it the examination will be continued Friday afternoon and evening.

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### Teachers [sic – Teachers'] Institute.

In last week's issue THE CURRENT stated that the **teachers' institute** that was to have been held in **Iron Mountain** had been abandoned, and that the institute would be held at **Escanaba**, in connection with **Delta county**, instead. We have since been informed that the **Menominee county institute** will be held at **Iron Mountain**, as at first proposed, commencing on the 24th inst. [of this month] This will prove a great convenience to the teachers of the county, as the **county board of examiners** will be there during the same week.

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The **joint teachers' institute of Delta and Menominee counties** was held at Escanaba during the week.

## General Articles

*Iron Mountain Press*, Iron Mountain,  
Dickinson County, Michigan, Volume 15,  
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page 1, column 3

## Physical Education.

A bill making it compulsory for the public schools of the state to introduce a system of physical education has been passed by both houses of the legislature at Lansing. The measure needs only to be signed by the governor to become a law, and there is little doubt he will attach his signature to it. Educators in Michigan are much interested in this new legislation and already are looking into the merits of various systems with a view of selecting the one best suited to the needs of the schools. They are especially impressed with the German system, which already is used in the public schools of many of the larger cities of the country.