

DICKINSON COUNTY HISTORY -- SAGOLA TOWNSHIP -- HOLMES LANDING NEWS COLUMNS

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NOTE: Beginning in 1904 the Iron Mountain Press began running columns from the various settlements in and around Dickinson County, Michigan. There is a great amount of detailed information contained in these columns on smaller settlements which is of great interest to historians and genealogists.

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HOLMES' LANDING ITEMS.

Frank Richards killed a **buck deer** weighing three hundred pounds last Friday.

Mr. White, of **St. Louis, Mo.**, is at present engaged in **cutting Christmas trees** for shipment to that city.

Joseph Coto commenced logging operations last week, but on account of the swamps not being frozen he could not do very much. He expects to put in about 1,000,000 feet this winter.

Daniel McAllister, of **Marinette**, was here last Friday looking after his logging crews. He had a number of sidings staked out and expects to ship the most of his logs by rail over the **Wisconsin & Michigan**.

Lorimer & Gallagher, the contractors who are building the **Nathan extension of the Wisconsin & Michigan road**, are rushing the work as fast as possible and now expect to finish operations in about two weeks. The work is under the supervision of **P.H. Kilboy**, who is a hustler. The bridge work is about finished and the structures will be ready for trains to run over in a week or ten days. The **crew of negroes** employed on the bridges had

some misunderstanding with the forman [sic - foreman] and left for Chicago, which resulted in a suspension of operations for several days. A new crew of twenty-five men arrived last Sunday morning and work is now being rushed.

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