

Johnnie Swanson, the baggage smasher of the local Soo emporium, went to Enderlin the fore part of this week to take an examination for telegraph operator which he passed successfully. He will remain here with the Soo for some time in the capacity of operator for the present. He has been employed at the local depot only about a year and our former office "devil" may be complimented on the speedy rise in his chosen profession made during that brief period. And in this connection it may be said that his promotion comes also as a complement to the efficient tutorage of Agent McFadden who has spared no pains in assisting him in acquiring the knowledge of telegraphy.