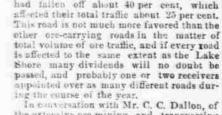
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firm of M. A. Hanna & Co., he ventured to say that the production of Lake Superior ore during 1881 would probably fall 3,000,-000 tons below the output last year, and that the prices of ore would in all likelihood be a 1889, which were about \$1 per ton below the prices of 1890. It is his belief that the revenues of the different carrying companies reduced amount of traffic, and the lowering

lightly on the matter. It is his opinion, and he stated he had been looking for its fulfilment for the past two years, that the South-He would not for a moment discharge the pre-emineat natural resources of the South, but the improbability, so far determined, of the conversion of Southern crude material into pig iron, equal in quality to that made in the North, precluded the chance of the South seriously injuring Northern mer-

small proportion that no fear need be enter-tained of its ever totally displacing Northern-made iron. In an interview with Mr. Walter Runyan, of the ore mining firm of Runyan, Stubbs & Mack, he fully agreed with Mr. Dalton, as far as the restriction in the production of ore was concerned, as well as the after had effects on the revenues of water and rail transportation companies, re-

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perior district great sha is were necessary to be snuk from 500 to 1,000 feet in depth, in order to get at the vein. The cost of mining was almost double that in the South, the workmen being paid from \$2 35 to \$2 50 per day, and it was necessary to haul the ore to the surface, load it in railway cars and haul it to the lakes, dump it into vessels transporting it hundreds of miles, shoveling it out of vessels on to the docks, reloading it on railway cars and distributing at far-way inists-in all, conding it six different times and carrying it probably a theasand rifles under the expense of highly paid la-

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