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CHORUS of Republican bosses, to Mr. Blaine: "You keep quiet; we'll do the rest."

"CORPORAL" Tanner is for Blaine. He is still sore where the toe of Harrison's boot struck.

ODD-Isn't it, that the only two known living sons of the American revolution should be inmates of Connecticut alms houses.

CONGRESSMAN Weadock has a bill now pending for a \$100,000 appropriation for Saginaw River. The Senate is trying to reduce the amount to \$75,000.

Of course Harrison wants the force bill enacted into a law. Nothing new in that, but it is sufficient to defeat him, if he succeeds in getting nominated.

JOHN C. NEW gives the public the startling information that "Bob" Lincoln is not a Presidential candidate, and might have safely added that he never would be.

THE sugar trust not satisfied with controlling the American market aims also to control the German market. Still Congress refuses to put refined sugar on the free list.

EVIDENTLY Mr. Harrison knows what class of newspapers are the most widely read. When he grants an interview it is invariably to the representative of a Democratic paper.

EX-CZAR Reed is quoted as saying that he would not enjoy being a Blaine shouter except for the knowledge that every Blaine yell adds to the discomfort of Mr. Benjamin Harrison.

THE Rochester merchant who gave Mr. Harrison a parlor gymnasium outfit evidently thinks him in need of training down, if he intends to fight Blaine for the Minneapolis stakes.

Is the Minneapolis convention to nominate a candidate who is the choice of a majority of its delegates, or is it merely to ratify the choice of Clarkson, Quay, Platt & Co.? Recent events indicate the latter.

WHEN the time comes, if it ever does, when the President cannot safely go anywhere in the United States without a bodyguard of detectives in citizens clothes at his heels, the country will be ripe for the establishment of an absolute monarchy.

THERE is one consolation in the present political situation. The weakest Democrat has a better chance to win than the strongest Republican. Still that is no reason why the Chicago convention should nominate a weak candidate.

THE Census Bureau investigation shows, so far, that a very demoralized state of affairs exists in that branch of the Government service. Testimony has been given showing that a woman paid \$12.50 a month to another woman, a relative of Chief Clerk Childs, in order to retain her position, and it has been shown that the chiefs of a number of the divisions regulated their treatment of the women under them largely by the liberties the women allowed them to take, and is commiseration for these chiefs to make pets

of young and pretty girls under them, allowed them to work or play as they may feel disposed. These things have been hinted at before, but now they have been told under oath by ladies of undoubted reputation. And these things, calling themselves men, are still allowed to draw salaries from the Government. It is not to be wondered at the people of the country demand a change.

DEMOCRATS are well pleased over the situation. Mr. Harrison will aid Mr. Blaine, if he is the nominee, to just about the extent that President Arthur did in 1884. Mr. Harrison would probably have lost his own State if he had been nominated, and his defeat by Mr. Blaine's peculiar methods will place that State in the Democratic column, and he has power enough to see that the man who snatched from him at the last minute that which he had been foolish enough to think was solely his personal property, is hurt in other States. In other words, Blaine secretly opposed by Harrison will be a much easier man to beat than Harrison supported by Blaine would be. The two men whom Mr. Harrison ought to blame the most are Secretary Foster and Attorney General Miller. They, by their ill-advised talk against Blaine, furnished the excuse for him to resign, which he was looking for; but he would of course have found some other excuse if they had guarded their tongues better.

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**Local and Personal.**

—Lawns are looking very pretty.  
—Firemen's Ball next Tuesday eve.  
—New York Stars in the Opera House June 18.  
—The race track in the fair ground has been partly fitted up.  
—A Crazy Lot play their return-date in the Opera House June 27.  
—A daughter of Eugene Hill is quite seriously ill with diphtheria.  
—Mrs. Wm. Dennis visited Black River on business the fore part of the week.  
—Window Curtains and Picture Frames in great variety at King's, East Tawas.  
—The M. E. Home Missionary Society held a missionary tea at the parsonage last Wednesday evening.  
—Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King were presented with a fine 8 lb. baby girl last Saturday—"finest baby in town."  
—The residence of H. N. Gardner has received a new coat of paint. Also the fence surrounding it, etc.  
—Ladies and Misses Hats for 5c., 10c., and upwards at Mrs. A. D. Swayze's millinery store for two weeks only.  
—The Baptist's Japanese entertainment which was to have been held this month has been postponed till some time in July.  
—Jas. E. Dillon has been appointed administrator over the estate of the late Mrs. J. B. Widdifield by Probate Judge Laidlaw.  
—Take that pretty baby to King's Furniture Store, and see if it would like one of his nice Carriages. Some beauties at Lowest Prices.  
—Widow Neilson's boy who broke his leg about two months ago, has been sent to an asylum where he is a great sufferer from fits.  
—Garden and sun hats for only 10c. and up to 25c., at Mrs. Wm. Dennis'. Also trimmed hats for from 75c. to \$1 and \$1.50.  
—Don't miss the Firemen's Ball in the Opera House next Tuesday evening—those who enjoy dancing. It will be an enjoyable dance.  
—Childrens Hats for 5c., 10c., 15c., and upwards at Mrs. A. D. Swayze's millinery store for the next two weeks. Must be sold.  
—The scholars of the department of Miss Greene in our schools had their picture taken in a groupe on the school grounds yesterday.  
—The graduating class in our public schools for the year 1892 consist of two members—Misses Pauline Bissette and Mame Dimmick.  
—How about the Forth of July? Isn't East Tawas going to be patriotic this year? Why not "get to gettin'" and have a rousing old celebration?  
—Have you seen Temple Emery's dog? He is a fine one of the St. Bernard species, weighing 124 lbs. Mr. E. brought him from Bay City last Saturday.  
—Mr. Wells, after having satisfactorily finished the job of moving the M. E. church, has secured a number of other small jobs of a like nature in town.  
—Ernest Anschutz left last Saturday for Alpena, whers he has secured a position in Bostwick's drug establishment. During his sojourn of nine months in this place Earnie has won many friends who regret his departure. Friday evening last he gave a supper to a few invited friends, and an enjoyable hour was spent.

—Wall Paper keeps coming in at King's. Enough styles to suit the most fastidious. Prices Low.  
—H. C. Bristol has got what he claims to be a sure cure for diphtheria. He expects to manufacture the medicine and place it on the market in the near future.  
—A raft of logs is expected to arrive from Spanish river Saturday for Beringer's mill, when operations will be actively resumed. The mill has now been idle two weeks.  
—The M. E. church is being re-plastered and papered, and the electric lights have been installed. They will be put in in chandeliers, which will be very handsome.  
—A Public Assemble under the auspices of the A. O. U. W. will be held in the Opera House on the Fourth. Light House Lodge No. 94 will have charge of the ceremonies.  
—The young people of the Presbyterian church will give an ice cream and proverb social in the basement of the church on the evening of Wednesday, 15. All are invited to have an intellectually good time.  
—Robt. Mann, formerly clerk for J. E. Dillon in his drug store, who has been at his home in Ann Arbor since leaving East Tawas, is again at work behind the counters of the above store. "Bob's" many friends are glad to see him back.  
—Miss D. L. Sickles, who has very satisfactorily taught one of the departments of our schools here for the past three years, declines to accept it for the forth year, and has accepted an offer in the Owosso schools. So we are reliably informed.  
—The Athletic base ball club was reorganized last week, and with a little practice are ready to meet any club in Nothern Michigan. They have almost consummated arrangements whereby they go to Zilwaukee to play the 4th. Why not offer some inducement for the boys to stay at home?  
—Emil Kunze also has one of those fine Swiss music boxes with the bell accompaniment, and he is going to give his customers the benefit of it. To those who purchase a dollar's worth of goods is given a guess as to the number of beans contained in a two-quart glass can. The one guessing the nearest to the number gets the music box, which will be awarded Sept. 1st.  
—It now rests with the people whether we will have one of the finest and highest class entertainments on the road here on July 25. Within the next week a subscription will be circulated or left at Dillon's drug store for the purpose of securing enough patrons to warrant a visit from the Philharmonic Club, of Detroit. They ask a guarantee for the sale of 125 reserved seat tickets at 75c. per ticket, to come. They have with them the Phenominal Boy Soprano—eleven years old, who has been singing in one of the first churches of Chicago for some time.  
—The anniversary of Baldwin Tent No. 22, K. O. T. M. was appropriately celebrated last Wednesday night in the Opera House. The shower in the evening did not prevent a goodly number from being present at the celebration, which consisted of short addresses by Rev.'s Culver, Jack and Kay, and a few selections by the choir under Prof. F. F. French, which were fine. A. E. Sharpe was chairman of the meeting. After the entertainment, refreshments in the form of eske, ice cream, etc., wers served on the stage to the Maccabees and a few of other friends. Long live the K. O. T. M.

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ROBT. ATKENS,  
Pound Master Dist. No. 2, Tawas Tp.

**Additional Local.**

—Engine 17 in charge of engineer Frank Allen, rolled off the track on the Mud Lake Branch last week while backing up with two flats. Con O'Briens construction crew all escaped injury, but Mr. Allen narrowly escaped being buried under the engine. The whole crew are good jumpers and no one was hurt. Damage to engine, \$1,000.

—Wm. Grant, formerly of Frazerville, Ont., died Sunday last at his home in East Tawas. The deceased has been lingering for about six months with that dread disease consumption. Funeral services were held in St. Joseph's Catholic church Tuesday last, and the remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery. He had accumulated quite a sum of money by hard labor, and in his will he appointed Jas. LaBerge executor who will see that the estate is properly divided among the friends of the deceased.

—Opera House, East Tawas, one night only, Saturday, June 18, The New York Stars, in a novel program of male and female impersonators, with topical songs, solos, duets and operatic gems. Here are a few of the characters: S. Homer Eaton, Boston's greatest impersonator; Dewey Heywood, flute virtuoso—six seasons with Alba Heywood Co.; Miss Effie Cave, one season soprano "Little Tycoon Opera Co." and two seasons with "Arnold Concert Opera Co.;" Miss Annie Miller, violin soloist, graduate under Prof. Jacobsohn of the Chicago College of Music; Mr. Scott Heywood, cornet soloist; Miss Inez Schultze, solo pianist and accompanist. Admission 35c. and 50c. Sale opens June 14. Tickets at Dillon's. Don't forget the date and go.

**Salt Report.**

Salt inspected during the month of May, 1892:

Manistee county.....	171 256
Bay county.....	58 992
Saginaw county.....	56 821
St. Clair county.....	33 560
Iosco county.....	33 501
Mason county.....	28 036
Huron county.....	3 520
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>385 686</b>

M. CASEY,  
State Salt Inspector.

**Village Council.**

(OFFICIAL.)

Council met pursuant to adjournment at the village hall Friday evening, March 25, 1892.

In the absence of the president and president pro tem, trustee Bonney was appointed chairman for the evening.

Present—trustees Murphy, Smith, Koenig and Bonney. Absent, Koenig and Armstrong.

Minutes of meetings of Mar. 17 and 21, 1892, were read and approved.

Moved by Koenig supported by Murphy that bill of Mr Smith for \$25 for gravel used on streets be allowed. Carried. Moved by Smith, supported by Koenig that the council adjourn. Carried.

G. W. MOUNT, Clerk.

**Not a Bad Failure.**

Saginaw, June 6.—John C. Brown, who has been extensively engaged in business for the past twenty years as a logging contractor, putting in from 40,000,000 to 70,000,000 feet of logs annually, has failed. He gave mortgages to-day to the Wells Stone Mercantile Co. for \$28,500; to McAusland & Co., for \$19,232; to Sibbey & Bearer, mortgages and bills of sale amounting to \$19,000; to Heavenrich Bros. & Co., amounting to \$26,513; and to Geo. W. Weadock for \$2,000. The unsecured claims amount to \$20,000, the assets foot up to about \$90,000, and consist of an interest in log camp equipage, horses, farm and a city residence. The liabilities aggregate about \$115,000.—Free Press.

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**LEGAL NOTICE.**

Default having been made for more than thirty days in the payment of interest over due and payable on a mortgage dated December 4th, A. D. 1889, made by William Kennedy and Hannah Kennedy, his wife, to Archibald G. VanWey, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Iosco, on the 7th day of December, A. D. 1889, in Liber 5 of Mortgages, on Page 533, for which default the said Archibald G. VanWey, by virtue of the right given him by said Mortgage, has made and hereby makes the whole principal sum of the Mortgage and the interest accrued thereon now due and payable, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, 394 and 81-100 dollars (\$394.81) for principal, interest, and taxes, and by the Mortgagee, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the amount secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1892, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon there will be sold at the east front door of the Court House in the village of Tawas City, Michigan, (that being one of the places of holding the circuit court for the county of Iosco,) at public auction to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage as above set forth, with the interest thereon and the costs, charges and expense allowed by law and provided for in said mortgage, said premises being situated in the village of Tawas City, in the county of Iosco and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Lots numbered ten (10) and eleven (11) in Block number thirty-four (34) and lots numbered thirteen (13) fourteen (14) fifteen (15) sixteen (16) seventeen (17) and eighteen (18) in block number forty-one (41), all in said village of Tawas City, according to the recorded plat thereof.

Dated May 10th, A. D. 1892.

ARCHIBALD G. VANWEY,  
CHAS. A. JAHRAUS, Mortgagee.  
Attorney for Mortgagee.

**MORTGAGE SALE.**

WHEREAS, Default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made and executed on the 15th day of December A. D. 1886, by Sarah J. Wells and Horace W. Wells, of the city of Port Huron, St. Clair County, Michigan, to John G. O'Neill of the same place, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for Iosco County, on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1886, in Liber 7 of Mortgages on page 618, and

Whereas by reason of said default there is claimed to be due at this date upon the Mortgage and note accompanying same, including principal and interest the sum of Seventy-four and 19-100 Dollars (\$74.19), and also an Attorney fee of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00), as stipulated in said Mortgage and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the same, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said Mortgage, and of the Statutes of the State of Michigan, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, on Wednesday the 10th, of August A. D. 1892, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Court House, in the Village of Tawas City, Iosco County, (that being the place in which the Circuit Court for Iosco County is held,) the premises described in said Mortgage, or sufficient thereof to satisfy said indebtedness, costs and expense of sale.

Said premises are described as: The East half (1/2), of the South East quarter (1/4), of Section Twenty-one (21), Town Twenty-one (21), North range, Six (6) East.

Dated May 4th, 1892.

JOHN G. O'NEILL, Mortgagee.  
MURPHY & GLEASON, Pt. Huron, Mich.,  
Attorneys for Mortgagee.

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