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Yours truly,

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from Various Sources.

Register March 31.

L. O. L. oyster supper Saturday evening.

CUTTERS. A fine line for sale by G. S. Darling.

Smoke the D. & M., a strictly Union made cigar.

New line of infants and childrens shoes at Prescott's.

See our new \$1.75 shoes, leather or vesting top, Prescott's.

Hon. W. H. Simpson, of AuSable, was in the city Monday.

Too many of the kind words we think of are left unsaid.

Character is the only reliable certificate issued by the school of life.

Our new gingham are "up to date," C. H. Prescott & Sons.

Mercury took a tumble Sunday night and registered 10° below zero.

County Treasurer R. A. Richards, of AuSable, was in the city Tuesday.

The state convention of the German Aid society will meet at Alpena in June.

If fine sermons would have saved the world it would have been saved long ago.

Regular meeting of G. K. Warren Camp, S. of V., Wednesday evening, March 21.

Brevity may be the soul of wit, but when it comes to money matters there is no fun in being short.

Have you seen the universal food chopper? Call at Prescott's hardware and look at them.

Charles Vowles, formerly of this city, was married to Miss Nettie Stalker, of Turner, last week.

Fred Black, of Maple Ridge, visited his sisters, Mrs. J. H. Nisbet and Miss Mary Black, last Friday and Saturday.

All members of Grip Tent, No. 455, K. O. T. M. are requested to be present at the regular meeting next Monday evening.

Eugene Smith came down from Black River, Saturday, and spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Smith.

Mrs. O. W. Prescott has been entertaining her mother, Mrs. Sherwin, and sister, Miss Sherwin, of Cleveland, during the past week.

Miss Schlanger, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Friedman, left for her home at Pittsburg, Pa., last Friday.

There will be a meeting of the directors of the Iosco County Agricultural Society at the court house, in this city, Saturday, April 7.

Electic L. O. L. No. 309, invite their friends to attend an oyster at their hall tomorrow, Saturday, evening. Supper served from 5.30.

Benjamin La May, formerly of Arn Station, died, at the home of a relative in Bay City, a few days ago. He leaves one son and three daughters.

M. B. Smith, Butternut, Mich., says, "DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the very best pills I ever used for costiveness, liver and bowel troubles".

—G. S. Darling.

The republicans of Tawas township will hold a caucus at the town hall, tomorrow, Saturday, afternoon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for township officers.

West Branch politicians forgot all about election this year, and the parties did not call caucuses in the time provided by law, and so the election had to go by default. It leaves the village in a queer predicament.

To secure the original witch hazel salve, ask for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, well known as a certain cure for piles and skin diseases. Beware of worthless counterfeits. They are dangerous.—G. S. Darling.

Look here painters, we have a large new line of brushes, you will need some soon so call and get first choice.

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Lewis Ackerman, Goshen, Ind., says, "DeWitt's Little Early Risers always bring certain relief, cure my headache and never gripe." They gently cleanse and invigorate the bowels and liver.—G. S. Darling.

Newspapers have created Presidents and ruined millionaires; converted sinners and builded cities; inspired heroes and covered pantry shelves; blasted hopes and placed a wreath on the poet's brow; caused suicide and matrimony; made fools of princes and filled to overflowing the bustle of the freckled and coquetish hired girl.

An exchange strikes the nail squarely on the head when it says: "If those fellows who commit lawless acts that they expect the newspapers to suppress on account of the feelings or the social standing of the families, had one-half as much respect for their families as the ask the editors to have they would not commit such acts."

Wm. Orr, Newark, O., says, "We never feel safe without One Minute Cough Cure in the house. It saved my little boy's life when he had the pneumonia. We think it is the best medicine made." It cures coughs and lung diseases. Pleasant to take, harmless and gives immediate results.—G. S. Darling.

Ben Trudell, for a number of years a member of the Life Saving crew at Ottawa Point, and a Tawas boy, has been named as keeper of the new life saving station at Grand Marais. For the past four years he has been a member of the crew at Marquette. Ben has a host of friends here who congratulate him on his deserved promotion, earned after several years of faithful service.

Farm Journal is the oldest farm monthly published. But it is not old and moss grown; it is bristling and brimming over with good things. You should know it. Here's a chance. Pay up for your subscription for the HERALD one year ahead, and we will send it nearly five years, the remainder of 1900, and all of 1901, 1902, 1903 and 1904; both papers at the price of one.

Young man follow not in the footsteps of the loafer and make no example of him who was born tired, for verily we say unto you the business is overstocked and the seats on the shady side of the street are all taken and whittling places and bridge railings occupied. It is better to saw wood at two shillings a cord than to eject tobacco juice on the sidewalk and curse the administration for their mismanagement. And young man, whilst thy has left in thy skull the sense of a goose, break away from the cigarette habit, for lo! thy breath stinketh like the beam house at the tannery, and thy whole appearance is as rough as the corduroy to the trout brook. Yea, it maketh thee look like a cipher with the rim knocked off.—E.

St. Peter sits at the heavenly gate, his hands on the strings of the lyre, and sings a low song as he patiently waits for the souls of those who expire. He hears in the distance a chorus of song swell from the foot of the heavenly throne, and he smiles as the music is wafted along and he warbles a lay of his own: "There is room in this region for millions of souls, who by sorrow and woe are bereft; tis for those who have suffered the melody rolls but the kickers must turn to the left. There is room for the people who, when they were young persisted in sowing wild oats, yet boomed up their town, with sinew and tongue, but the kickers must go with the goats. There is room for the people who pointed with pride to the beauty and growth of their town, who kept singing their praises aloud till they died, but the kickers will please amble down. They say the music was all out of tune, and the angelic robe hand me down." and they'd send for a jeweler up in the moon to sample the gold in their crown. So while there is room for a million of souls who by sorrow and woe are bereft, we want no complaint of the music that rolls, so the kickers must turn to the left."—E.

A Card.

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Rey. W. E. Sitzer, W. Caton, N. Y., writes, "I had dyspepsia over twenty years, and tried doctors and medicines without benefit. I was persuaded to use Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and it helped me from the start. I believe it to be a panacea for all forms of indigestion." It digests what you eat.—G. S. Darling.

County Road Commissioners.

Pursuant to call, a democratic county convention was held at the court house last Saturday for the purpose of nominating three candidates for county road commissioners. The convention elected Clark Esmond, of Plainfield, chairman, and Edward Livermore, of this city, secretary. The usual preliminary business was then disposed of, after which nominations was taken up, and the following nominations were made:

Commissioner for two years—Clark Esmond, of Plainfield.

Commissioner for four years—Thos. W. Lowe, of Grant.

Commissioner for six years—John M. Waterbury, of Tawas City.

Corn is King.

The saying that corn is king is shown by the November statement of exports from this country to be something more than a mere rhetorical figure. The figures of this report attest the fact that this wholesome and nutritious product of American soil holds a truly royal place among the food products of the world. It shows that a large quantity of corn was exported in the eleven months ending with November 30, 1899, and at a higher rate per bushel, than in the corresponding months of any preceding year since 1895. The total export for the period named was 185,932,659 bushels, valued at \$74,742,127.

In the first eleven months of the year 1894 the total export of corn was only 37,910,232, or only about one-fifth as much as during the eleven months of this year. These figures of export relate to shelled corn. To this must be added the export of cornmeal, which amounted during the first eleven months of 1899 to 799,111 barrels. Most of the corn exported goes to Europe, where it appears to be growing rapidly in popular favor. The British Islands received nearly one-third of all sent across the seas, and Germany came next.

Thus is coming to pass the prophecy of Joel Barlow, the friend and contemporary of Washington, whose famous poem on Indian corn, published nearly a century ago, has never been excelled in gustatory literature. He predicted that the time would come when hasty-pudding and jonnycake would be the favorite and universal food of mankind. It is certain that a more palatable and healthful article of diet could hardly be supplied.—Leslie's Weekly

Banker Rout A Robber.

J. R. Garrison, Cashier of the bank of Thornville, Ohio, had been robbed of health by a serious lung trouble until he tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Then he wrote, "It is the best medicine I ever used for a severe cold or a bad case of lung trouble. I always keep a bottle on hand." Don't suffer with coughs, colds, or any throat, chest or lung trouble when you can be cured so easily. Only 50c and \$1. Trial Bottles free at G. S. Darling's and J. E. Dillon's drug stores.

Mrs. Harriet Evans, Hinsdale, Ill., writes, "I never fail to relieve my children from croup at once by using One Minute Cough Cure. I would not feel safe without it." Quickly cures coughs, colds, gripe and all throat and lung diseases.—G. S. Darling.

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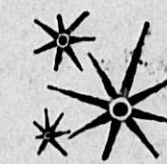
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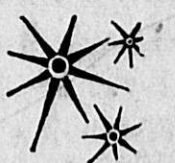
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L. J. PATTERSON, Publisher.

HON. E. J. PHELPS, ex-minister to England, died at his home in New Haven, Conn., last Friday.

Why is every 10 per cent advance in wages given special prominence in the republican press, while the 25 to 50 per cent in the cost of necessities scarcely mentioned?

BENJAMIN HARRISON's views on Porto Rico are well worth reading and considering. It was against taxation without representation that our fathers fought.

SECOND class matter, which goes at the pound rates, and which includes all the newspapers of the country, forms only one-fourth of the mail matter of the country. Yet to hear the postal reformers talk one would think it formed nine-tenths.

THE Senate sat down quick and hard on Senator Hoar's scheme to give ex-Queen Lil, of Hawaii, \$200,000, and a yearly pension of \$100,000. We haven't reached the stage yet of willingly paying pensions to ex-royalties, either white or chocolate colored.

THE indications are that there will be a lively canvass for the Iosco county delegation to the next republican congressional convention. Congressman Crump has his aids on the skirmish already, while Devere Hall and L. G. Defoe each have many admirers. George Luak has made two or three "fraternal" visits to the county and of course was not idle.

If the Supreme Court decides that Porto Rico is part of the United States, a great change in party alignment on the Philippines will be necessary. Coming before the election, such a decision would be ruinous to the party in power, while the reverse decision would be ruinous to the Democrats. It is probable, therefore that there will be no particular haste in getting a decision until after the election.

WHETHER Gen. Joe Wheeler takes his seat in the House depends upon Mr. McKinley. Under date of Nov. 28th, 1899, Gen. Wheeler forwarded his resignation as a brigadier general of volunteers from the Philippines, to Mr. McKinley. If Mr. McKinley accepts the resignation to take effect on the date, which was before the assembling of Congress, no objection will be raised to Gen. Wheeler taking his seat in the House.

THE fraternal life insurance association of Michigan and other states, according to a statement issued by Insurance Commissioner Stearns had 256,833 policies in force in this state at the beginning of the present year, the face value of these certificates amounting to \$223,673,355. In 1899 there were 68,499 certificates written for \$67,561,405. The losses paid during the year aggregated \$2,872,074.59, and the fraternal assessments levied, \$2,185,215 41.

If the democracy of Michigan are wise they will nominate none but competent and able men for state officials next fall. In years past it has been to often the misfortune of that party to nominate able men for the governorship and fill the balance of the ticket with anyone who would take it, the result being that when successful in an election they had men who wrecked the future prospects of their

affairs at the present time. SECRETARY of State Stearns reports that 2,673 deaths occurred in Michigan during the month. This is thirty seven deaths more than during the preceding month, but over 1,100 less than during the same month of the preceding year. The death rate for the month was 14.5 per thousand population, showing a considerable increase over January, whose rate was 13.0. There were 445 deaths of infants under 1 year of age, 210 deaths of children aged from 1 to 4, inclusive, and 772 of persons aged 65 years or over.

In deciding the case of Chauncey F. Cook vs. Sidney S. Hall et al., the supreme court reads the taxpayers of the state a lecture on their duties in the matter of looking after the payment of their taxes when they due. The decision deals with the buying of tax titles and declare that the taxpayers alone is to blame if his property falls into the hands of purchasers of tax titles. Cook's lands were sold for non-payment of the taxes of 1893 and 1894, the sales taking place in 1895 and 1896, and the validity of the tax deeds issued by the auditor-general for the sale of the lands is upheld.

Those republican congressmen who were opposed to the Puerto Rican bill, and who fought it hard through the debate, have been alluded to by the republican newspapers as men of sterling quality. The Adrian Press declares, however, that most of them turned out to be mere powder, for they voted for the bill because McKinley asked them to. What The Press says is true but it should not be too hard with the pewter statesman. It was no worse for them to change their minds, at the request of Mr. McKinley, than it was for the president to change his mind at request of Mr. Hanna.—Saginaw News.

THERE seems to be very little interest in the matter of electing county road commissioners this spring. The republicans failed to call a convention for the nomination of candidates, and so far as we have been able to learn will have none. The democratic convention held last Saturday did not seem to take into consideration fealty to party, but made three nominations that should receive the support of all, as the nominees are all well qualified for the position and we believe will prove careful and economical officials, and use their best efforts to build roads that will be appreciated by even those who now oppose the movement.

The Use of Portland Cement. Michigan is not the only state that is rich in marl deposits, as Indiana also has them in inexhaustible quantities, according to the forthcoming report of the state geologist. Seven large cement factories are at present in course of erection at various points in the northern Indiana and the manufacture of Portland cement seems destined to become one of the principal industries of the state.

The use of Portland cement is becoming greater each year and there is a ready market for all that can be manufactured. It is composed of carbonate of lime, silica and aluminum. The carbonate of lime is always found in marl and the silica and aluminum in the clay. In the cement industry the composition is one-fifth clay to four-fifths marl in the wet states. Its use is becoming better known from year to year and much artificial stone is now made from the cement. Ten years ago its principal use was the construction of sidewalks, and while it is still largely used for that purpose, its usefulness in many other channels of equal importance has been discovered. This company consumes annually over 6,000,000 barrels, of which fully one-half is imported, owing to the fact that the home manufacturers are unable to even keep up with the demand, for the reason that the business is yet in its infancy. The number of factories in operation in this country is twenty nine and not one of them is two years old.

The lumber supply of the central states is fast becoming exhausted, and the people will naturally be compelled to turn to some substitute presenting durability as well as cheapness.

of the world are made almost wholly of cement. In Germany, Belgium, England, France and others foreign countries its use has been more general than in this country. still we have many large buildings and public works in which cement has played an important part. An elevator is now building in Duluth of 3,000,000 bushels' capacity altogether of cement; thousand of barrels will be use, in the Chicago drainage canal, Chicago telephone tunnel and the Chicago postoffice. The Cleveland break-water alone used 100,000 barrels, and it was used in the Caxton building and the Williamson building of the same city in many thousand barrel lots. It is also extensively used in the cities of the east, and has entirely displaced the common cement made of lime mortar in all building operations where durability is considered. Germany has 120 factories for 50,000,000 population, still was compelled to import largely from Belgium last year. Its use in that country is more general than in the United States. The Belgians are entitled to the credit of first discovering and putting it to use.

The Candidate.

When the sap begins to rise and the geese begin to mate, we hear the gental carol of the county candidate. O, he's a jolly fellow and is full of gay conceits, and sees a bosom friend in every man he meets. He asks about your family, your horses and your hogs, and shows a friendly interest in the children and the dogs. O, he's a jolly gentleman, as game as a lamb, as blithesome as a meadow lark, and happy as a clam. His prospects are the brightest and his chances they are sure, and he spends his money freely and he helps the needy poor. He goes to church on Sunday and his pious traits appear, but when it's necessary he will then set up the beer. O, he's a sanguine, buoyant duck, the jocular candidate, he starts out early in the morn and stays until it's late. His patient wife unlocks the door, and with a look of pain she says; "You needn't lie to me, your leg's been pulled again."

The following extract from a letter written to the "Missionary Tidings" from a member of the Missoula Christian church, will, no doubt, be of interest to the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Egbert at this place: "The Missoula church is full of hope, and is delighted with its new minister. James Egbert, of Tawas City, Mich., took charge of the work on January 21. Every indication is for good and successful work under his care. The church feels that a guiding providence brought it and Brother and Sister Egbert together, and is of 'good courage.' The Auxiliary will respond with a willing effort to the watchward—100,000 women and \$130,000 for 1900. We trust by prayer and endeavor to make this a successful year. The money for our India orphan is being promptly paid, and India seems nearer since we work for a child of our own there."

I am also informed that the Junior C. E. will be reorganized right away; that Bro. Egbert continues the work at the Northern Pacific Hospital and that the young folks will take up the Bethany C. E. Reading Course soon. With Bro. Black at one end of the Bitter Root Valley and Bro. Egbert at the other, we shall expect a bountiful harvest for the Lord in that beautiful region.

Alabaster.

Every one enjoying the snow. Miss Laura Davis has the measles. Chas. Brown went to Bay Port last Saturday. B. F. Slingerland and Mr. Harry Franks went to AuSable last week. Miss Cora LaBarge, of East Tawas, is the guest of Mrs. T. G. McCausland. Mrs. Kane, Mrs. Shaver and Tressa Shaver called on friends last Saturday. Misses Delia and Millie Shaver and Sadie McKiddie, of Tawas visited friends here last Tuesday. The people are busily engaged in putting up ice for the summer. Some of them being compelled to bring it from Tawas.

ladies and gentlemen from the Tawas entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Binder and proceeded to enjoy themselves. After spending a very pleasant evening and partaking of a delightful supper, the guests departed feeling that the evening had been well spent.

Teachers Attention.

Regular examinations for certificates of all grades will be held in Tawas City, March 29-30 and Aug 16-17 1900.

Special examinations for the granting of 2nd and 3rd grade certificates will be held June 21st and 22nd and October 18th and 19th at Whittemore and Ausable respectively if requested by a sufficient number to warrant expense of holding same.

J. A. CAMPBELL,
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C. M. JANSKY,
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What's Your Face Worth?

Sometimes a fortune, but never, if you have a sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, all signs of Liver Trouble. But Dr. King's New Life Pills give clear skin, rosy cheeks, rich complexion. Only 25c at G. S. Darling's and J. E. Dillon's drug stores.

Mrs. Calvin Zimmerman, Milesburg, Pa., says "As a speedy cure for coughs, colds, croup and sore throat One Minute Cough Cure is unequalled. It is pleasant for children to take. I heartily recommend it to mothers." It is the only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. It cures bronchitis, grippe and throat and lung diseases. It will prevent consumption.—G. S. Darling.

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High Water Advertising Mark.
The New York Herald of April 17 printed an editorial statement that on the previous day (Sunday, April 16) its paid advertisements reached the high water mark in that journal's history. The Chicago Tribune on that same day, last Sunday, April 16, printed not only more advertisements than the New York Herald, but what is believed to be the greatest amount ever printed in a single issue of any regular main edition of a newspaper. Leaving out of account the twenty-two columns of advertising printed by the New York Herald on that day in the special section devoted to the interests of Brooklyn and New Jersey and appearing only in those editions, the record of "The Tribune" for April 16 surpassed that of the Herald for the same day by more than 10,000 agate lines of paid advertising. Even allowing the Herald its full claim, the record of "The Tribune" by more than 1,000 lines in the actual amount of paid advertising. The exact figures are given as follows: The New York Herald of April 16 printed in its main edition, exclusive of its Brooklyn and New Jersey supplements, 77,823 agate lines of advertisements. Including those supplements it claimed 88,760. "The Chicago Tribune" printed that day 88,450 agate lines of paid advertisements. The comparison should be made in lines of agate measure, because the columns of "The Tribune" are longer and contain 305 agate lines, while those of the New York Herald contain only 288 lines of agate each. For the four Sundays ending April 16, the number of columns of advertisements in the New York Herald, according to its own claims and including its Brooklyn and New Jersey special sections, was 1,067.25. In the same period of time "The Tribune" printed 1,067.25 columns of actual paid advertisements. These, reduced to agate lines, give the New York Herald 307,348 lines and "The Tribune" 339,151 lines. In "The Tribune" there were printed in that period 22,338 more agate lines than in the New York Herald. This excess was equal to eighty-one columns of the size of those of "The New York Herald." Therefore the New York Herald prints an average of 80.25 columns less each Sunday than "The Chicago Tribune."

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| Clerk. | <input type="checkbox"/> Salsada Tea. | <input type="checkbox"/> Orange Pekae Tea. |
| Treasurer. | <input type="checkbox"/> Graham Crackers. | <input type="checkbox"/> Oatmeal Crackers. |
| Justice of the Peace. | <input type="checkbox"/> Shredded Wheat. | <input type="checkbox"/> Grape Nuts. |
| Supervisor, 1st Ward. | <input type="checkbox"/> Ruby Sweet Corn. | <input type="checkbox"/> Melting Sugar Peas. |
| Supervisor, 2d Ward. | <input type="checkbox"/> R. T. Cherries. | <input type="checkbox"/> Egg Plums. |
| Supervisor, 3d Ward. | <input type="checkbox"/> Corn Flour. | <input type="checkbox"/> Cotton Mops. |
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NOTICE OF REGISTRATION.
To the electors of the city of Tawas City:
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Registration for the city of Tawas City, by virtue of the statute, in such case made and provided, will meet on
Saturday, the 31st Day of March.
A. D. 1900, from eight o'clock in the forenoon until eight o'clock in the afternoon, of said day, at the city hall, in the third ward, (in accordance with a special act of the legislature of 1899), for the purpose of completing the list of qualified voters, of said city, as required by law, and at which time and place all persons entitled to the elective franchise, whose names does not appear on the register of election for the ward in which they reside, must register their names thereat, and file with them a copy of the general election law held on Monday, the 24 day of April, A. D. 1900.
Dated at Tawas City, Mich., March, 8th 1900.
ORLANDO ELLIOTT,
City Clerk.

ELECTION NOTICE.
To the Electors of the County of Isosco:
Notice is hereby given that at the annual Township election to be held in the several Townships and City of said County of Isosco on the first Monday in April next there will be elected three County Road Commissioners, one for a term of two years, one for the term of four years and one for the term of six years, as provided by the following Report and Resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of said County, January 10, 1900.
To the Hon. Board of Supervisors of Isosco county:
Your committee on Roads and Bridges would respectfully recommend that there be elected three County Road Commissioners at the annual Township election held on the first Monday in April, 1900, and that the compensation of said commissioners be fixed at Two Dollars a day for time actually rendered to the county in the discharge of their duties; also, one supervisor, one alderman and one constable for the First Ward, also one supervisor, one alderman and one constable for the Second Ward; also one supervisor, one alderman and one constable for the Third Ward.
And that, in accordance with a special act of the legislature of 1899, said election will be held at the city hall, in the Third Ward, and that the polls of said election will be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon, and as soon thereafter as may be, and shall be continued open until five o'clock in the afternoon of said 24 day of April, A. D. 1900, and no longer.
Dated this 8th day of March, A. D. 1900.
ORLANDO ELLIOTT,
City Clerk.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.
To the electors of the city of Tawas City:
Notice is hereby given that a general election will be held in the city of Tawas City, Isosco County, Michigan, on
Monday, the 2d day of April.
A. D. 1900, at which election the following officers will be elected, viz:
Three County Road Commissioners; one for a term of two years; one for a term of four years, and one for a term of six years.
Also the following city officers; to wit: One Mayor, one Clerk, one Treasurer, one Justice of the Peace (for four years); also, one supervisor, one alderman and one constable for the First Ward, also one supervisor, one alderman and one constable for the Second Ward; also one supervisor, one alderman and one constable for the Third Ward.
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MORTGAGE SALE.
By reason of default in the payment of twenty four dollars and forty cents, claimed to be due at this date upon a mortgage given by Frank Berilinski and Victoria, his wife, to Metora Harting, dated January 6th, 1896, and recorded March 28th, 1898, in Liber 14 of Mortgages at page 270, in Register of deeds office, in Isosco county; no lawsuit having been commenced to recover the same, By virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, the premises in said mortgage described as lot 8, block 18, Tawas City, Michigan, will be sold at public auction on 26th day of May, 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, to the highest bidder therefore, at the front door of the Court House in Tawas City; that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county of Isosco to satisfy said amount with interest, costs and attorney fee at date of sale.
Dated March, 1st, 1900.
MEDORA HARTING,
Attorney.
Business Address, Tawas City, Mich.

Order of Hearing.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF ISOSCO.
At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate office in the City of Tawas City on the 1st day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred. Present Hon. E. Laidlaw Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Julia A. Esmond Deceased, on reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Clark Esmond, one of the executors named in the last will and testament of Julia A. Esmond, deceased praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that Edward V. Esmond and Clark Esmond may be appointed the executors thereof.
Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 27th day of March next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be held in the Probate office, in Tawas City and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petition should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to all persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tawas Herald a weekly paper printed and circulated in said County three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
E. LAIDLAW,
Judge of Probate.
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LOCAL NEWS
From Tawas City and East Tawas.
A maiden fair, with sun-kissed hair,
Came tripping down the street;
Her face serene, her age sixteen—
Gee whiz, but she was sweet;
On the icy walk she came down quick,
With a jolt that shook her curls;
But the words she used must be excused,
For she's one of our nicest girls.
Subscribe for the HERALD.
M. McGary has been in Alpena this week.
Democratic caucuses and convention March 22.
Frank Larabee, of Flint, was in the city this week.
Mrs. Molonzo returned to her home at Flint yesterday.
Mrs. Jane Beemer returned Monday from a visit at Bay City.
A first-class second-hand wheel for sale cheap. Inquire at this office.
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Miss Pearl Dixon is visiting Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson, at Grand Blanc.
Buy a Durant-Dort buggy of G. S. Darling and get your money's worth.
The prohibition party state convention meets at Grand Rapids, March 29-30.
Miss Corinne Benedict returned Tuesday from a visit with friends at Caro.
We are getting plenty of winter to make up for what we missed earlier in the season.
Mrs. M. D. Hurlburt left Saturday for Detroit and Cleveland to purchase her spring millinery stock.
White goods! yes, we have them and just what you want.
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If you have moved from one ward to another since last spring, remember that you must register March 31.
It is reported that the republican congressional convention for the 10th district will be held about the middle of May.
Sleigh ride parties have been the most popular amusement for the past week, there being from two to five every night.
The C. E. society, of the Congregational church will serve a 15 cent supper, at the Hurlburt building, this Friday, evening. All invited.
The citizens caucuses and convention call for last Tuesday evening was so poorly attended that an adjournment was taken until this Friday evening.
The D. & M. will sell return trip tickets to Grand Rapids, for the prohibition state convention, at one fare for the round trip. Date of sale March 28-29.
N. E. McLean, formerly pastor of the M. E. church, of this city, called on friends here this week. He is now representing the Kinsey Shirt Co., of Grand Rapids.
Alpena proposes to bore for salt. They are now corresponding with Bay City parties for information and a public meeting will shortly be held to discuss the matter.
A peoples' caucus has been called to meet at the town hall, in Tawas township, Thursday, March 22, for the purpose of nominating candidates for township officers.
After a trial lasting three days, William Derosia, was convicted in the circuit court at Alpena, Wednesday, of criminal assault on his 12-year-old step-daughter.
G. S. Darling has the finest line of carriages and buggies ever brought to Isosco county. They are the Durant-Dort famous "blue-ribbon" make and cannot be excelled.
T. E. Garber and F. B. Stickney have formed a partnership and will open a new grocery store and hardware, in the store room below the HERALD office, about April 1.
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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Welton, who have been visiting relatives and friends here for the past three months, returned to their home in Grand Marais, last evening.
The young people of the Hemlock Road Baptist church will give a supper, at the Grange hall, in Tawas township, next Tuesday evening, March 20. Everybody is cordially invited.
The social given by Vine Grange Wednesday evening was a decided success, and a most enjoyable time was had. About two hundred was present, including a large number from the Tawasess being present.
Skunk hunting is an industry which is being largely pursued in Sanilac county this winter, and many young men are making a very good thing financially out of the sale of the skins, although the work compels their retirement from society for the time being.
A "mystery supper" will be given at the home of Mrs. J. H. Botz, of East Tawas, Friday evening, March 23, from 8 to 10. A program vocal and instrumental music and graphophone selections will be rendered. Admission 20 cents. The proceeds are for the benefit of Mr. Kay's trip to Scotland.
Who says so? Farm Journal says so, and if the Farm Journal says so, it is so. You must have it; so march up and pay for the HERALD a year ahead. We have a clubbing arrangement by which we can send our paper and the Farm Journal for nearly five years, the balance of 1900, and all of 1901, 1902, 1903 and 1904, at the price our paper alone. Pay up and be happy.
Reports to the state board of health show that rheumatism, bronchitis, influenza, neuralgia and tonsillitis, in the order named, caused the most sickness in Michigan during the past week. Cerebro spinal meningitis was reported at 6 places, small pox at 9, whooping cough at 14, diphtheria at 20, typhoid fever at 31, scarlet fever at 70, measles at 97, and consumption at 144.
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"Pardon me, madam," said a next-door neighbor to the mother of a leather-tongued youngster, who lives up near the railroad track, and who is the possessor of a boy that hollers for hours about nothing, "but can there be nothing to pacify or entertain the baby? Is there anything that will please the little fellow?" "Yes sir," was the ingenious reply, "he wants the train to run over a cow."

The La Gloria colony, in Cuba, in which several Alpena farmers are interested, seems to be a rank failure. Only 70 of the original 1,000 colonists still remain at La Gloria, and the government has been asked for transportation for the destitute colonists. The Cuba secretary of agriculture says the titles of the colonists are of doubtful value. An official investigation will probably be made.—Alpena Farmer,
Friday, Saturday and Sunday, April 6, 7 and 8, the state Epworth League convention will be held in Owosso. It is estimated that fully 600 delegates will be present. Owosso is making big preparations to entertain the leaguers of the state. Among the leading speakers who will be present are Rev. Dr. William Quayle, of Indianapolis, Dr. Carlos Martin, of New York, President William Crawford of Allegheny college, Miss Anna Downey, the famous evangelist, and Rev. Joseph Berry, editor of the Epworth Herald of Chicago.

The attention of our inland fishermen is called to the fact that the use of the spear is now prohibited for four months. "It shall be unlawful for any person to take, catch or kill, or attempt to take, catch or kill any fish by use of spear during the months March, April, May and June."

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