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## GENERAL AND LOCAL.

School cantata Jan. 20.  
Fire insurance. F. F. French.  
Child's rockers at Armstrong's.  
Fire insurance. Henry Hanson.  
Herb Horn was in Bay City, Tuesday.  
C. V. Hicks, pianos and organs Alpena, Mich.  
Mrs. Albert Syze, of Hale, was in the city yesterday.  
Will Seiloff and Fred Rempart left for Flint, Tuesday.  
Frank Beedon, of Hale, was in the city Tuesday evening.  
Don't miss the school cantata, "The Rose Queen", Jan. 20.  
Ludwig and Janssen Pianos, for sale by C. V. Hicks, Alpena.  
H. K. Gusten, of Alpena, was a business visitor here Monday.  
A new line of rocking chairs at a right price at Armstrong's.  
For a nice kitchen cabinet go to Armstrong's furniture store.  
Attorney Edwin Rawden has been at Jackson on business this week.  
"The Rose Queen" a chorus of fifty voices, Saturday evening, Jan. 20.  
Headquarter's for ladies' and gents' shoes and rubbers is at Nels Brabant's.  
The solos in "The Rose Queen" will be worth the price of admission. Time, Jan. 20.  
Harry Schlanger, of Omer, attended the Masonic meeting at East Tawas Monday.  
Mother would enjoy a pair of those fur top slippers which can be had at Brabant's.  
Leather upholstered chairs and rockers, great variety at King's Furniture store.  
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Grabow, of Lansing are visiting relatives and friends here this week.  
Men's fine dress shirts, coat style, of a beautiful tie, go to Brabant's and get the very latest.  
Bissel's sweepers, pneumatic cleaners, Victor and Edison phonographs and records at King's.  
Wm. H. Murphy returned last Friday from a visit with his son Fred and family at Boyne Falls.  
Large lot cured cement blocks, tile and dressed sheeting lumber for sale, A. Barkman, East Tawas.  
Mrs. Hugh McCarrroll was called to Monticello, Iowa, yesterday, by the serious illness of her mother.  
Just received, a new line of couches, on which we will save you some money at Armstrong's furniture store.  
FOR SALE—A work horse weighing about 1500 pounds. Inquire of Nelson Johnson, Baldwin township.  
The new county treasurer, Joseph G. Dimmick, assumed charge of the office at the court house Wednesday.  
Pictures, finest ever shown in this vicinity, 10c. to \$10.00. Your picture framed at King's furniture store.  
George A. Prescott, Jr. is attending the Michigan Live Stock Association at the Agricultural college this week.  
FOUND, A sum of money in this city, which owner can have by identifying. Inquire of Peter Grice, Tawas City.  
A social and dance will be given at Grange hall, on Meadow road, Tuesday January 17. All are cordially invited.  
Mrs. J. H. Davis and mother, Mrs. Rutterbush, were called to Bay City Tuesday evening by the death of Lawrence Rutterbush the latter's son.  
Senator Collins, of Bay City, will introduce a bill to have the candidates for supreme court judges nominated by the primary system.  
The West Branch Herald-Times celebrated its 33rd birthday last week. The Herald-Times is one of the best of our local exchanges.  
For Sale—The timber on the south 1/2 of N. W. 1/4 and west 1/2 of N. E. 1/4, section 6, town 22 north, 7 east. Inquire of George Lake, R. D. 1, Tawas City.  
The annual banquet of the Iosco County Normal to the board of supervisors was held at the school building Wednesday evening and was much enjoyed by all. The refreshments were excellent and the addresses afterward were timely and enjoyable.

The Michigan Central is preparing to place a large force of men at work cutting the winter's supply of ice on George's lake, Ogemaw county.  
Rev. W. S. Sayers, of Detroit, will hold Episcopal services as follows: Jan. 15th at Rose City, 17th at Taft, 18th at Whittemore, 19th at Omer, and on the evening of the 22nd at East Tawas.  
Montmorency county will vote on local option the coming spring, the board of supervisors of that county having been ordered by the circuit judge to submit the question to the voters.  
Everything indicates that the meeting of the Northeastern Michigan Editorial Association at Standish, on the 24th inst., will be a hummer. The program is one that promises the members a good time.  
Mrs. Bertha Hartman left Wednesday for Swink, Col., where she will join her husband and make their future home. Her father, M. C. Davis accompanied her as far as Flint where he will make a short visit.  
Fire, which caught from an oil stove, did considerable damage to the wood work in the kitchen of G. A. Prescott's home Tuesday afternoon, but was extinguished before spreading to other portions of the house.  
The pupils of our city school have been hard at work for the past six weeks upon a cantata, "The Rose Queen," which will be given Friday evening, Jan. 20. Don't miss it. It will be a rare treat for lovers of music.  
It is said that the experiments made by the Hecla Cement Co., with the dry marl from Edward's lake, Ogemaw county, were very satisfactory, and that large quantities of it will be used in the Bay City factory next season instead of the Alpena limestone.  
There were 3,057 deaths reported to the department of state for the month of November, and 4,299 certificates of births. Iosco county reported 18 births and 10 deaths, Arenac county reported 12 births and 13 deaths, and Ogemaw county 12 births and four deaths.  
M. T. Manus was in the city this week gathering data for "A History of Northern Michigan and its People," which is being compiled by Perry F. Powers, of Cadillac, and several able assistants. The work will be issued in three octavo volumes and promises to be a most valuable work.  
S. G. Searight, the optician, will again be at the Iosco hotel, Monday, January 16, to remain for a few days. Eyes tested free. He has gold filled frames and best crystal lenses at \$2.50 per pair that are of better quality than some opticians have sold at ten dollars. Frames, lenses and cases from one dollar up.  
A meeting of the Tawas City Citizens' Improvement Association will be held at the city hall next Tuesday evening, Jan. 17. Important matters will be considered, and a full attendance is desired. Among other matters is an inquiry for a location of another manufacturing plant, which it may be possible to land for our city.  
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, February 7th, 8th and 9th are the dates of Dr. W. N. Yeager's next visit to his office in this city. Arrange to have him do your dental work if you want it done right. Special attention given to crown and bridge work and all work guaranteed, and prices reasonable. Painless extraction.  
John A. Campbell, of Whittemore, who has been the county school commissioner for the past two terms, and who has filled the position in a very able manner, announces himself a candidate for the nomination again next spring. Mr. Campbell has given the duties of this office the most enthusiastic and careful attention and is ranked as one of the progressive commissioners of the state.  
Prosecuting Attorney A. W. Black has removed his office from East Tawas to the prosecuting attorney's office in the court house. He announces that his office hours will be from 10 o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m. For the accommodation of those who may wish to consult him at East Tawas, he has arranged offices with Justice J. W. Tait, where he may be consulted previous to or after the hours above mentioned.

F. F. Taylor and daughter, Miss Lois, have been at Detroit and Ann Arbor this week. Mr. Taylor has been purchasing a stock of new goods for the store, which will soon be stocked for all demands that may be made.  
The board of supervisors were in session Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Considerable time was taken on the question of bonds for county officials, and other matters of importance. The board adjourned to meet March 6.  
In Saginaw county the prosecutor and the poor committees of the board of supervisors will make an investigation into the alleged sale of the live stock raised on the county poor farm and the substitution of a poor grade of meat for the inmates. The investigation follows a resolution adopted at the meeting of the board Monday afternoon.  
The Farmers' institute at Whittemore Jan. 31 and Feb. 1, should receive the attendance of the farmers from all sections of the county. The program is an excellent one, and besides the promise is that there will be keen competition for the liberal prizes offered, and that the exhibit will be large. Every farmer can well afford to attend.  
Charles F. Brown, of Grant township, purchased a handsome chestnut Belgian stallion from Geo. W. Souers & Son, of Huntington, Ind. The horse is three years old and was imported Sept. 15, 1910. He is a beautiful fellow weighing 1880. Chas. has brought a number of fine horses into Iosco county, but this one rather "takes the cake."  
"You hear about northeastern Michigan and the way it is developing because of this new bureau's work all over the state," said John Henning of Bay City Monday, who travels for a big Cincinnati chocolate house. "Any traveling man will tell you the bureau is better known outside the district. A few days ago I was in Owendale, over in the thumb, and came across a striking illustration of what the bureau's work means to northeastern Michigan. In a hotel there I began talking about northeastern Michigan and it soon developed that every man there learned more about northeastern Michigan during the last six months than a life time before that. One man in Owendale, attracted by the bureau's advertising, went to Turner and bought a quarter section there for about \$1,500. Four days after he had signed the deed he got a letter from the land agent from whom he bought, offering to sell his quarter section at a most handsome advance. The way land values are increasing in northern Michigan means that the man who buys now stands to make money; it doesn't make much difference where he buys. And the men who travel over this section of the state will tell you that the last year has shown a remarkable advance in every way.—Bay City Tribune.  
Don't miss seeing the "Cunard Kids" at the Royal Theatre, tonight and Saturday. These "Kids" play all the leading theatres in the state and come here from Alpena.  
**A Sudden Death.**  
Lst Thursday evening, January 5, John Schneider, of Sherman township, dropped dead, from a stroke of apoplexy. Mr. Schneider had been feeling in his usual good health, aside from a slight cold, and had gone to the home of Jas. Richards to spend the evening. He complained of a sudden faintness and stepped our doors. In about five minutes he opened the door and fell into the room. Mr. and Mrs. Richards immediately went to his assistance and did all possible to relieve him. His people were notified and medical aid was summoned by telephone. He died within forty minutes, his brother, Anthony, being the only one to arrive before death.  
The deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mathias Schneider, and was born in Alabaster township, January 15, 1872, and his life has been spent in this county. He was a young man of high reputation and had been honored by several positions of trust. Besides the aged parents he is survived by four brothers and two sisters and a large circle of relatives and friends.  
The funeral was held from St. Joseph's Catholic church, East Tawas, Monday morning and the remains were laid at rest in the Catholic cemetery.

**N. E. Mich. Development.**  
The annual meeting of the Northeastern Michigan Development bureau was held at Bay City this week. On Tuesday occurred the meeting of the membership consisting of the delegates from the various boards of supervisors, boards of trade, and individual members. The annual reports of the officers were made at this meeting showing what had been accomplished during the first year of the organization.  
The directors of the Bureau for the coming year were also elected at this time. Iosco county's members elected by the supervisors at their October session, were named as the directors, from this county. They are Len J. Patterson and Edwin Rawden.  
In his report of the work of the past year, President Vet Maloney, says that when the bureau was first organized the ideas of its functions were somewhat hazy but were certainly numerous, but the greatest question was the best way of spending money to get the greatest results. In speaking of the work that has been done Mr. Maloney said:  
Fifty thousand booklets have been issued and distributed; about two million stories of Michigan have been printed and spread broadcast by this bureau; advertising in the agricultural and daily press has been carried on; through the Northeastern Michigan Press association the working of the bureau and the interests of the district have been kept before our people; trade organizations have sprung into life or become interested in the movement; the largest and most complete exhibit of the products of the land ever made at our state fair was placed there this year by the bureau; an excellent and interesting exhibit was placed at the land show, Chicago, hundreds of seekers for lands and homes have been brought into touch with our people; many thousands of dollars have been invested in our district, land has advanced in value and is becoming more in demand.  
In comparing the conditions in the district now and one year ago, and taking into consideration the hand the bureau has had in the improvement, I feel that we can safely congratulate ourselves on the year's work, and proceed with confidence upon our second year. Confident of our ability to solve the problems as they confront us; confidence in our people, and our district; confidence that the work is going to be carried on with an eye single in interests of the whole district.  
The attendance at this meeting was very large, every county being represented by from one to three delegates, and all were greatly pleased with the work accomplished.  
Wednesday the new board of directors met and elected officers and executive committee for the ensuing year. Those selected were as follows:  
Pres.—Vet S. Maloney\*, Cheboygan  
Vice Pres.—Geo. Hartingh, Bay City  
Treas.—O. M. Burnes\*, Grayling  
Directors—L. G. Daffoe\* Alpena, J. R. Snody\*, Onaway, H. A. Savage\* Saginaw, A. R. Canfield\*, Clare, J. B. Kiely\*, Roscommon, Len J. Patterson, Tawas City.  
\* Re-elected  
Mr. Kiely, of Roscommon, resigned and C. S. Bliss, of Gladwin was elected to fill the vacancy.  
All the counties of the district with two exceptions have appropriated their \$200 membership fee for 1911, and most of them have made additional appropriations of from \$100 to \$800 to advance the work for the coming year. The objectors and disbelievers in the efficiency of the Bureau's labors are now practically a thing of the past. Its work has been endorsed by the press and leading men of the state and nation, as being the best ever accomplished in so short a space of time. The officials have proven capable, aggressive, honest and economical. That the work during the coming year will far exceed that of the year past is conceded by all who are familiar with the work.  
Medicines that aid nature are almost always effectual. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts on this plan. It allays the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Thousands have testified to its superior excellence. Sold by all dealers.

**A Good Time.**  
Last Monday evening was an occasion that will long be remembered by the Masonic fraternity of this section. The officers of the Michigan Grand Lodge, F. and A. M., were entertained by Baldwin Lodge No. 274, of East Tawas, together with about 60 members of the craft from AuSable, Omer, Tawas City and other points.  
After conferring the Master Mason degree on William E. Dillon, of East Tawas, a banquet was served, and an enjoyable social session participated in by the hundred brethren present.  
The members of the Grand Lodge in attendance were: G. Rosco Swift, grand master, of Adrian; James E. Dillon, deputy grand master, of East Tawas; Francis Clark, junior grand warden, of Flint; George Lusk, senior grand deacon, of Bay City; Frank O. Gilbert, grand lecturer, of Detroit; John Hawks, grand lecturer, of Lansing, and S. R. Birchard, member of the finance committee, of Bay City.  
**K. of St. John.**  
Thursday evening of last week St. Joseph's commandry, Knights of St. John, of East Tawas, installed the following officers for the coming year. James LaBerge acted as installing officer.  
President—John C. Quarters.  
1st Vice Pres.—Wenzel Warner.  
2nd Vice Pres.—Alfred Fernette.  
Fin. Secy.—James LaBerge.  
Treasurer—Henry Fournier.  
Captain—James LaBerge.  
1st Lieut.—A. S. Wheeler.  
2nd Lieut.—Wenzel Warner.  
One of the pleasant and unusual features of this occasion was the installation of Henry Fournier to the position of treasurer for the 24th consecutive year, which lacks but one year of the age of the commandry. Mr. Fournier was a charter member of the organization and during the long years of his membership he has missed but two meetings, both on account of illness. May his sun never go down, and may he live to eat the hen that scratches on his grave.  
After the ceremonies of installation, a banquet was served, followed by speeches, games and a general good time.  
When buying a cough medicine for children bear in mind that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is most effectual for colds, croup and whooping cough and that it contains no harmful drug. For sale by all dealers.

**Pure, Fresh Creamery Butter**  
**28c Per Lb.**  
at Retail. All orders promptly delivered, free of charge, anywhere in Tawas City or East Tawas.  
**TAWAS BUTTER COMPANY**  
E. C. McCARTNEY, Manager  
Tawas City, Michigan

**OPEN AN ACCOUNT WITH**  
**Tawas Exchange Bank of A. Barkman**  
EAST TAWAS  
Where your money will be safe at all times. We will pay you 5 per cent if left one year 4 1-2 per cent for six months or 4 per cent for three months.  
Loans made on Good Security.  
**A. BARKMAN EAST TAWAS**

**Red Cross Pharmacy**  
**J. M. WUGGAZER & CO.**  
Our line of school supplies, consisting of Tablets, Pencils, Erasers, Book Bags, etc., is always complete and prices right.  
Fresh line of Best Candies and Cigars always on hand.  
**Red Cross Pharmacy**  
**J. M. Wuggazer**  
PHONE 164-2R TAWAS CITY.

**AN UNJUST VERDICT**  
**Do Not Judge Prices Until You Have Compared Quality**  
For over a Quarter of a Century we have been doing business in Tawas City, and during that time it has been our constant aim to use our patrons fairly on all occasion, either in business or social relations. We have always paid what we owed and practically the only enemies we have made have been those whom we have trusted and who have refused to pay us what was our due. We have established our successful business by handling only the most reliable goods and selling at the lowest prices. This policy we shall continue. Reliable goods from Reliable manufacturers sold at the Lowest Prices will always be our policy.  
**SPECIAL FOR NEXT WEEK**  
1,500 yards of excellent Dark Outings, worth 8cts, per yard 5 1/2 cts.  
**M. E. Friedman**  
Leader of Low Prices  
Tawas City  
Phone 5-3R



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## Pneumonia a Bad Air Disease.

This is pneumonia weather. All other weather is for that matter, if people do not so live as to prevent pneumonia, but at this season of the year, when there are so many temptations to live wrong and so few inducements for the thoughtless to live right, it may be used in all seriousness that these are pneumonia days.

Director Neff, of the Philadelphia department of health, issues regularly every year, about this time, warnings against pneumonia. He doesn't believe it necessary that anybody should have the disease, and he does what he can to prevent it. But despite the good doctor's admonitions, and the wide publicity which they are given, people go right along contracting the disease as if it were a pleasure to do so. "Pneumonia is a bad air disease," Dr. Neff says, and certainly there is little excuse for one having a disease which can be prevented by pure air. "It is most prevalent in cold and damp weather," he continues, but adds that temperature in itself plays a very small part in its causation, as shown by the low death rate from the disease in the cold cities of the northwest, where the temperature remains very low during the entire winter. It matters not so much as to the temperature, or even humidity of the air, as to its impurity. The breathing of cold air, even in public buildings, when one is properly clothed, is much less injurious than the breathing of warm, vitiated air.

The real reason why pneumonia is more prevalent in cold weather than in warm weather is of course due to the fact that in warm weather people generally insist upon "more air," which means purer air. "At this season of the year," Dr. Neff says, "as the temperature gradually lowers, people huddle together indoors and tightly close their windows to keep warm and save coal, as a result of which the air becomes vitiated, the resistive vital power of the individual becomes lowered and a fertile soil is produced for the rapid development of the germs of pneumonia."

There is nothing new or radical about the fresh air fad, as some call it. For many years physicians and students have known the beneficial effects of the air, and have deprecated the tendency toward air-tight houses. It was not until the modern house construction, however, made the homes practically air proof that there was so much need to advise people regarding the importance of fresh air.

In this day and age, when houses are almost hermetically sealed when public places are heated to blood heat, air is excluded until an hour or two within doors renders one susceptible to every vagrant microbe that passes.

## A Step Toward More Eggs.

The first North American competition in egg-laying will begin February 1st at Vineland, New Jersey, and continue for a year. Any hen, no matter of what color or breed, is eligible for entry. It is to be hoped that the interest of poultry-growers will be keen enough to make something notable of the contest. For it is perfectly clear that egg-laying is the real test of a hen's value, and that a dung-hill hen which lays two hundred and fifty eggs a year—if such could be found—would be worth more than the bluest of blue-bloods which laid only two hundred. The selection of laying breeds with reference to color or penciling of feathers is a violation of the sound principles of breeding. Away off in Australia they have long been carrying on these egg-laying contests, and it is asserted that they have hence over there that are the superior in laying to any of ours.

And while we are on this subject, has any one remarked the number of white and roan prize-winning Shorthorns lately? In some of the classes at the last International Live Stock Show scarcely an animal could be found which was of that solid red demanded in the show rings a few years ago. The Shorthorn people are breeding now for character not color. And that is the trouble with the belted breeds of cattle and swine—they are selected for a particular color requirement. Beef is the test for beef, milk for milk, and eggs for eggs—not color. The color test is for the fancier, not the farmer. Out of the egg-laying contest will come a better class of hens—for eggs. But we fear they won't be classed as to shape and color. They won't need to be.—Farm and Fireside.

## Texas Automobile Railroad.

Texas used to claim the distinction of having the first automobile railroad. Five cars were made to make regular trips on a three-hour schedule over the 45 miles between Lubbock and Hale counties. The line had a private right of way fenced off as for a railway, and its roadbed was worked by section hands to this extent—it was kept scooped free of sand. The drivers (this in the sense in which the English use the word) were cowboys in blue overalls and large felt hats. They were required to make the 45 miles in three hours because the line carried United States mail and was under contract to keep a schedule. Often the cars would clip an hour off that for good measure. The round trip fare for 90 miles was \$10.

## About Advertising.

It does not pay to advertise say some merchants who have done but little of it and that without keeping it up. The incident of the boy and the pump illustrates the matter very well. The boy was sent after a pail of water. He poured in the priming and poured out as much as he poured in. Then he stopped to rest and the priming ran down. After some time of alternate pumping and resting he concluded it did not pay to pump and quit in disgust. The merchant who does not believe in advertising does like the boy who did the pumping. He advertised a few weeks, then stopped awhile and allowed the people to forget him and his business before he advertised again and then concluded advertising didn't pay.

## Solves A Deep Mystery.

"I want to thank you from the bottom of my heart," wrote C. B. Rader, of Lewisburg, W. Va., "for the wonderful double benefit I got from Electric Bitters, in curing me of both a severe case of stomach trouble, and of rheumatism, from which I had been an almost helpless sufferer for ten years. It suited my case as though made just for me." For dyspepsia, indigestion, jaundice and to rid the system of kidney poisons that cause rheumatism, Electric Bitters has no equal. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50c at J. M. Wuggazer & Co. and Jas. E. Dillon.

## Announcement.

I desire at this time to announce to the voters of Iosco county that I will be a candidate for the nomination of county school commissioner at the coming spring election at the hands of the republican electors, and respectfully request the support of my party for said nomination.

Very Respt.  
JOHN A. CAMPBELL.

## Death In Roaring Fire.

may not result from the work of firebugs, but often severe burns are caused that make a quick need for Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the quick rest, and surest cure for burns, wounds, bruises, boils, sores. It subdues inflammation. It kills pain. It soothes and heals. Drives off skin eruptions, ulcers or piles. Only 25c at J. M. Wuggazer & Co. and Jas. E. Dillon.

## Notice to Passengers.

The D. & M. Ry. desires to announce that their direct connection at Bay City, the Pere Marquette R. R., is now running its passenger trains into the Union Passenger Station at Toledo, O. This arrangement does away with all transfers inasmuch as all railroads entering Toledo now use the Union Passenger station.

## Plainfield Tax Notice.

I will be at the Hale Exchange Bank on each Friday and Saturday beginning Dec. 16, during December, and on January 6th and 7th to receive taxes for the township of Plainfield.

Geo. F. Bills  
Township Treasurer.

## Tawas City Taxes.

The tax payers of Tawas City are hereby notified that the tax rolls of the city are in my hands for collection and that I will be at my office every day during December and January for the purpose of receiving taxes. Pay your taxes before January 10, 1911, and save the four per cent.

A. C. Brown,  
City Treasurer.

LADIES—We have an unusually attractive chance for a bright, energetic woman, well and favorably known in this community. For details address, enclosing stamped self-addressed envelope to Manager, Lock Box 750, St. Louis, Mo.

## Institute Prizes

The following prizes are offered for exhibits at the Iosco County Farmers' Institute, which will be held at Whittemore, January 31st and February 1st.

1st and 2nd Six largest red carrots	\$1.00	.50
Six largest mangels	1.00	.50
* Six largest ears white corn	1.00	.50
* Six largest ears yellow corn	1.00	.50
Best plate of winter apples	1.00	.50
" made gingham dress	1.00	.50
" loaf of bread	1.00	.50
" made gingham apron	1.00	.50
" pair of knit mittens	1.00	.50
" article in fancy work	1.00	.50
" recitation from country school	2.00	1.00
" recitation from city school	2.00	1.00
* Corn to be shelled and weighed at institute.		

All the prizes are for children under 16 years of age, except corn. All articles for competition must be in the hall by 2 o'clock on the first day of the institute.

The Michigan Sugar Co., through its fieldman, J. W. Minor, will give the following prizes to the sugar beet growers of Iosco county, to be awarded at the Farmers' Institute which will be held at Whittemore in January. The prizes will be given only to those farmers having contracts with the Michigan Sugar Co., and are as follows:

- A 50 pound sack of granulated sugar to the farmer showing the highest per cent, as per Mich. Sugar Co.'s office slip.
- A 50 pound sack of granulated sugar for the second best per cent slip.
- A 50 pound sack of granulated sugar for the 12 largest sugar beets shown at the Institute.
- A 50 pound sack of granulated sugar to the farmer who shows the largest yield of tons to his contract. For example, a contractor having a two acre contract and growing 20 tons will beat one having a 10 acre contract and growing 80 tons.
- The prizes are conditional to farmers who compete. They must attend the institute at least one day.

## Saves Two Lives.

"Neither my sister nor myself might be living to-day, if it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery" writes A. D. McDonald of Fayetteville, N. C., R. F. D. No. 8, "for we both had frightful coughs that no other remedy could help. We were told my sister had consumption. She was very weak and had night sweats but your wonderful medicine completely cured us both. It's the best I ever used or heard of." For sore lungs, coughs, colds, hemorrhage, lagrippe, asthma, hay fever, croup, whooping cough,—all bronchial troubles,—it's the supreme. Trial bottle free. 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed by J. M. Wuggazer & Co. and Jas. E. Dillon.

## Eve's Sin and Some Others.

Here are a few of the best Sunday school "howlers" which the Manchester Guardian has selected from a Sunday school examiner's note book: "Eve sinned out of curiosity more than liking for that particular fruit." "The Semitic races were the half breeds, from semi, half." "The Sanhedrin was composed of 70 men of reclining years and great learning." "With respect to the conversation recorded in John, chapter 3; Nicodemus began the harangue, but could not take it all in one grasp." "The woman of Samaria was told: 'Even if she did not go to the temple but worshiped at her own house she would be entitled to the same chances as any one who went to the temple.'"

**Clock 300 Years Old Keeping Time.** Three hundred years old and still running, keeping as perfect time as the twentieth century clock regulated every thirty minutes from Washington, is the record of a grandfather's clock which is owned by A. R. Simpson of this city. The old timepiece has been in the Simpson family for the last five generations, each owner passing it down with the words always to keep the old antique.

For many years it has run; but a few days ago one of the weight cords broke, which caused slight repairs to be made, the first in many years—Saginaw correspondent Detroit Free Press.

## Always Something to Miss.

"I see that a man has succeeded in flying from a ship to shore." "When they get so that they can fly from shore to a ship there may be some chance for the man who always misses the boat." "True, but then we'll have to contend with the man who always misses the aeroplane."

## California Farm For Sale.

40 acres, under cultivation, in the Sacramento Valley, near Willows, Glenn Co. Raise everything, climate, ideal. Great country for sugar beets. Live stock and dairying pays big. Small payment down. Write for particulars. James Slocum, 614 Ford Bldg., Detroit, Mich.

## IS SMART WALKING DRESS

Designed for Plain Bronze Cloth, Though Other Material Might Be Utilized.

The smartness of this would show to perfection in plain bronze cloth. The coat fits tightly and has the long basque partly cut in with sides and taken nearly to hem of skirt at



back. It is edged with wide braid and narrow sewn inside in little loops, this also edges trimming on skirt which is formed by two large points arranged one over the other. The collar, cuffs, and front of coat are trimmed to match; fancy buttons form fastening. Hat of light straw lined with black and trimmed with silk bows.

## "FAIR APRON" MAKES A HIT

Designed by Clever Young Woman Who Found No Further Space for Table at Fair.

"The 'Fair Apron' is called by the clever young woman who is its originator. There being no further space for a table at the church fair in which she was anxious to help, she conceived the idea of making a big, stout apron of denim, with plenty of spacious pockets, and going around with it, selling small toys to the visitors at the bazaar. No sooner thought than done. The apron was made of dark green denim, reached to the knees, and was provided around the base with three roomy pockets, made in the deep turn-over of the hem by two straight lines of stitching. These divided the band into three divisions, which were trimmed with a triple row of narrow white braid. Two smaller pockets were made higher up. All of these pockets were hastily ornamented by pictures of Teddy bears, etc., outlined in thick white floss. The apron was fastened around the waist by two stout cords, which helped support its weight. So great was the success of this plan with the children who were too small to get near the big tables that the second day of the fair she was obliged to hang a tray around her neck to hold the further wares demanded of her!

**Veils of the Moment.** Stylish and becoming are veils of white ring dot net with the rings in black and a fine black lace border to match. The winter's veils show large, octagonal meshes, sometimes plain, again with big woven dots. Care should be exercised in wearing the veils or the nose sticking through the meshes gives a grotesque appearance.

The most becoming veil is a fine mixture of black and white, tiny black dots on white net being better than white dots on black. These have become known as the beauty veil because so many women wear them, regardless of style.

**Colored Eyelet.** A new touch in trimming is colored English eyelet embroidery worked on white and introduced at the neck and sleeves of the new gowns. It is seen also in many of the middie and Byron collars now so fashionable. The white fabric need not be linen; this effect is seen also on unwashable materials in dress frocks, and it gives a very pretty touch when used as a white silk chemise for instance embroidered in eyelet in the color of the gown.

**Wicker Furniture.** Wicker furniture, such as chairs, tables, couches and the like, are to be had now in almost any color of enamel paint. If it is desired to carry out a certain color scheme in bed or sitting-rooms, these painted articles are a very pretty addition. They are to be found in several light shades, of blue, pink, purple and the like, and in the more substantial dark colors, such as green and brown.

## Mortgage Sale

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 8th day of April, A. D. 1908, executed by Harry J. Featherston and Lotta E. Featherston, his wife, of Plainfield Township, Iosco County, Michigan, to Alonis Klein, of the City of Alpena, in the County of Alpena, Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the County of Iosco, in Liber 13 of Mortgages at page 493, on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1908, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. And whereas, the said mortgage has been duly assigned by the said Alonis Klein to the Alpena County Savings Bank of the City of Alpena, Michigan, by assignment bearing date the 24th day of April, A. D. 1908, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the said County of Iosco, on the 21st day of September, A. D. 1908, at 9 o'clock a. m. in Liber 17 of Mortgages at page 169. And whereas the said mortgage has been duly assigned by the said Alpena County Savings Bank of Alpena, Michigan, to Alonis Klein, aforesaid, by assignment bearing date the 14th day of November, A. D. 1910, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds for said Iosco County, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m., and recorded in Liber 17 of Mortgages at page 375 and 376, and the same is now owned by it. And whereas, the amount claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date is the sum of one hundred seventy-two and 93-100 dollars principal and interest, and the further sum of fifteen dollars as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises thereunto described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the City of Tawas City, in said County of Iosco, at the place where the circuit court is held in said County on the 20th day of February, A. D. 1911, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day; which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

Lots one (1), and two (2), nine (9) and ten (10) of block one (1) of H. E. Nuss's plat of the village of Hale, Iosco County, Michigan, in Plainfield Township, Iosco County Michigan. Dated, this 23rd day of November, A. D. 1910. ALONIS KLEIN, Mortgagee. EDWIN RAWDEN, Attorney for Mortgagee. Business address, Tawas City, Michigan.

## Mortgage Sale.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 19th day of April 1909, executed by Frank VanSickle and Nellie VanSickle, his wife, of Prescott, Michigan, to The State Savings Bank, of Tawas City, Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the County of Iosco in Liber 17 of Mortgages on page 100, on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1909, at 9 o'clock a. m. and the same is now owned by it. And whereas, the amount claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date is the sum of one hundred thirty-six and 10-100 dollars principal and interest, and the further sum of fifteen dollars as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises thereunto described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the City of Tawas City, in said County of Iosco, (that being the place where the circuit court is held in said County) on the 20th day of February, A. D. 1911, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day; which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

The west half (W-1/2) of the east half (E-1/2) of the north west quarter (N.W. 1/4) of section twenty-two (22) town twenty-one (21) north of range five (5) east, township thirty-two (32) north of range five (5) east, Iosco County, Michigan. Dated this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1910. W. C. COOK, Atty. for Mortgagee. Business address, Omer, Mich.

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## Mortgage Sale.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 30th day of May A. D. 1907, executed by George W. Fawcett and Mary A. Fawcett, of Sherman Township, Iosco County, Michigan, to Louis Pringle of the same place, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the County of Iosco in Liber 17 of Mortgages on page 138 on the 30th day of December 1907, at 9 o'clock a. m. And whereas, the said mortgage has been duly assigned by the said Louis Pringle to the State Savings Bank of Tawas City, Michigan, by assignment bearing date the 14th day of March A. D. 1907, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the said County of Iosco, on the 30th day of December 1907, at 9 o'clock a. m. And whereas, the said mortgage has been duly assigned by the said State Savings Bank of Tawas City, Michigan, to the Alpena County Savings Bank of the City of Alpena, Michigan, by assignment bearing date the 24th day of April, A. D. 1908, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the said County of Iosco, on the 10th day of August A. D. 1910 at 9 o'clock a. m. in Liber 17 of Mortgages at page 365, and the same is now owned by it. And whereas, the amount claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date is the sum of one hundred seventy-two and 93-100 dollars principal and interest, and the further sum of fifteen dollars as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises thereunto described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the City of Tawas City, in said County of Iosco, at the place where the circuit court is held in said County on the 20th day of January 1911, next, at four o'clock in the afternoon of that day; which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

The southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section seventeen town twenty-one north range six east containing forty acres more or less, Sherman Township, Iosco County, Mich. Dated this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1910. W. C. COOK, Atty. for Mortgagee. Business address, Omer, Mich.

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Leaves 7:07 p. m. Tawas Beach Special  
Bay City, Mich. 7:55 a. m. Coaches.  
2—Leaves 10:30 a. m. week days. Accommodation Rose City and Prescott to East Tawas  
3—Leaves 2:38 p. m. week days. Solid vestibuled train through without change. Detroit to Cheboygan, Coaches, Cafe Car, Parlor Car with electric fans, electric lights, etc.  
4—Leaves 3:10 p. m. week days. Way freight Bay City to Alpena Junction.  
5—Leaves 4:08 week days. Accommodation Detroit to East Tawas, Coaches  
6—Leaves 12:48 a. m. every day. Solid vestibuled train. Coaches, Sleeping car, Bay City to Alpena.

## GOING SOUTH

2—Leaves 6:42 a. m. Tawas Beach Special.  
3—Leaves 7:50 a. m. week days. Accommodation East Tawas to Prescott. Coaches.  
4—Leaves 9:23 a. m. week days. Solid vestibuled train through without change. Cheboygan to Bay City. Coaches, Cafe Car, Parlor Car with electric fans, electric lights, etc.  
5—Leaves 11:5 a. m. week days. Way freight Bay City to Alpena Junction.  
6—Leaves 11:55 a. m. week days. Way freight Alpena Junction to Bay City.  
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Parlor car fare Bay City and Cheboygan 50c. Detroit and Cheboygan 75c. Bay City and Alpena 25c. At Alpena meals, A. M. Meals in Parlor car, city cars. In the summer season trains leave Alpena at 4 a. m. and return from Cheboygan at 11:00 a. m. Train from Tawas Bay City leaves Tawas at 8:00 a. m. and returns at 11:00 a. m. Train from Tawas Bay City leaves Tawas at 8:00 a. m. and returns at 11:00 a. m.  
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**Michigan Grand Lodge Highly Honored.**

The Grand Lodge F. & A. M. of Michigan has received and accepted an invitation to go to Alexandria, Virginia, in February, where on Washington's birthday anniversary the Michigan Grand Lodge officers will confer the Master Mason's degree by invitation of the Virginia Grand Lodge in the identical lodge room where George Washington, first President of the United States, was made a Master Mason afterwards presided over the self same lodge as master.

Never before in the history of Michigan Masonry has the grand lodge gone out of the state for the purpose of conferring degrees. Indeed, seldom does the grand body undertake the task, even in its own jurisdiction. Every grand lodge officer is enthusiastic over the prospect and will take the trip. Michigan Masonry has a great reputation among the craft in the national capital. The state stands fifth in the United States in point of membership and first in proportion to population.

The trip will be made in a special train from Detroit, made up of new steel cars which will make the run without change to Washington. Over 100 members of the craft will take the trip and wives of members will accompany them. Four or five days will be spent in Washington, sight seeing and visiting points of interest. A large number of social functions are being planned for entertainment of the delegation by Michigan craftsmen now in Washington.

James E. Dillon, of East Tawas, deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge, accompanied by Mrs. Dillon will be with the party.

**Alfalfa Growers.**

The following letter from Congressman Geo. A. Loud, of this district, will be of interest to our farmers:

Washington, D. C. Jan. 6th, 1911.

Mr. Len J. Patterson,  
Tawas City, Michigan.

My dear Mr. Patterson:  
I notice by an item in your paper of December 23rd, fifth page, first column, concerning the Farmers' Institute, that a number of people in our county are interested in the growing of alfalfa. I have immediately ordered mailed to the names which were given in the item a copy of a Government bulletin giving valuable information concerning alfalfa and I shall be pleased to send copies of this bulletin to any others who may send a postal card or letter asking for this bulletin. I am,

Very truly yours,  
GEO. A. LOUD.

**The Agricultural Society.**

The annual meeting of the Iosco county agricultural society was held at the court house in this city Monday, but was very poorly attended. The reports of the officers were read and the following were elected for the ensuing year:

President—M. V. Freel.  
Secretary—J. H. Nisbet.  
Treasurer—Len J. Patterson.  
Directors—Thos. Curry, A. W. Black, Malcolm McLoud, G. C. Anschuetz, Percy Scarlett.  
W. B. Kelly was elected as a director to fill the vacancy caused by the election of W. V. Freel to the presidency.

**A Strict Dramatic Censor.**

Vienna once possessed the strictest dramatic censor ever known in the person of Franz Hoegelin, who held that post in the Austrian capital at the beginning of the last century. Hoegelin published a manual or the guidance of censors "A pair of lovers should never be allowed to appear on the stage alone. They must always be accompanied by a third person of mature years." Marriages out of one's class were also strictly forbidden by Hoegelin on the stage, and he quotes an instance of a play which he refused to pass because the author made the hero, Count Videmar, marry a gardener's daughter. "Such misalliances have unfortunately been known to occur in real life, but that is no reason why they should be allowed on the stage," he said.

**An Ingenious Scheme.**

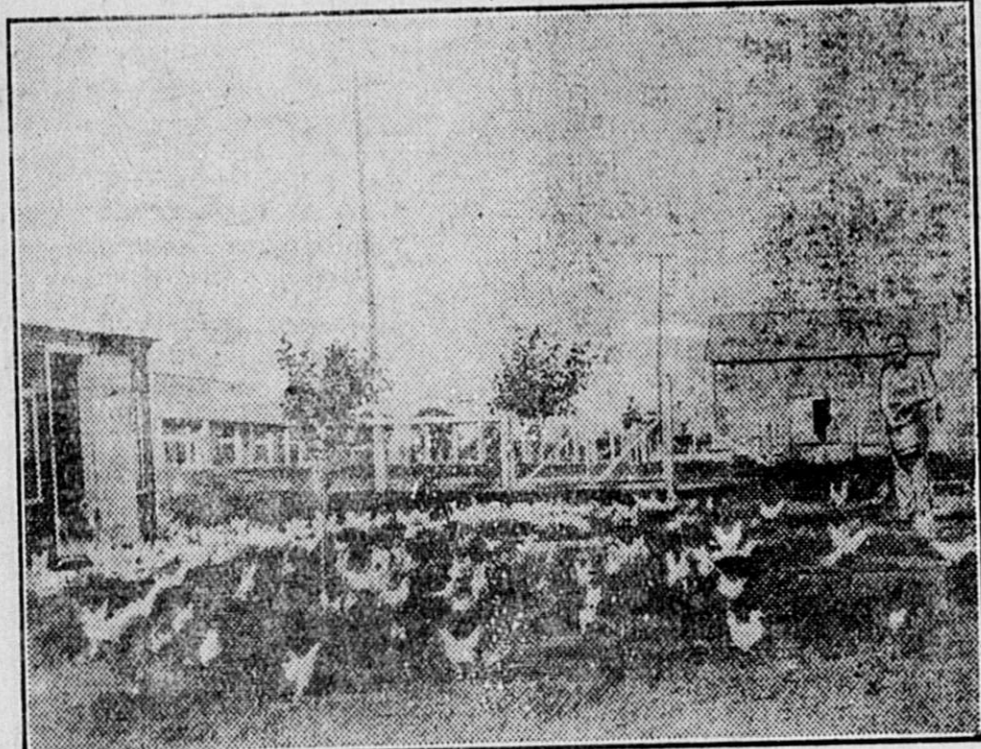
The musical code would be a distinct novelty in wireless telegraphy, yet no one can deny it is merely a subtle development of the art of the ordinary bugler. The "tunes" could be heard also, no matter how much confusion was attempted by the operator of ordinary wireless systems. The manner in which these musical notes are caused is very ingenious. The continuous train of waves still travels outward from the sending aerial to the receiver, but by means of a controlling effect produced when a key is depressed on the keyboard the waves are alternately brought to great strength and diminished until quite feeble.

**Winter Eggs—How to Obtain Them.**

By Professor H. L. Kempster of M. A. C.

AT THIS time of the year people are especially interested in their poultry flock. The mistake too often made is that they do not begin to think of winter egg production until winter sets in, and then they try to make up for the neglect during the summer. Egg production is based upon good stock, properly raised, well housed and given good care. A few days ago, the writer saw a pullet that had laid 58 eggs in 53 consecutive days. She had been kept under the above conditions. This bird was not of a high egg producing breed, but her ancestors had been bred to lay. She was of an egg laying strain, and strain is more important than breed. The strain that will not produce eggs is not profitable to keep. There is as great difference between flocks of the same breed as between breeds. It is not the breed so much as the bird that will produce eggs that we are after. It is out of the question for a farmer

do the best and will commence laying before winter sets in, and if properly cared for will continue to lay all winter. The time of hatching is important for winter egg production. As to housing: Have a dry, well ventilated and well lighted house free from drafts. Ventilation can be secured by the muslin frame as a part of the window, instead of glass. A house 14x24 should have about 18 square feet of glass and an equal amount of muslin. By placing all openings on the south side the house will be free from drafts. For feed: A morning feed of wheat buried in a heavy straw litter is good, so as to make them exercise. At night, liberal amount of corn should be fed. The bird should be kept active during the day and go to roost with a good full crop at night. The noon feed can be made up of a dry mash consisting of equal parts, by weight, of bran, middlings, corn meal and beef scrap. This can be fed in



STRONG YOUNG PULLETS MAKE EARLY LAYERS.

to trap each individual in his flock. He can keep watch of the flock and weed out the lazy, inactive birds. Next to strain comes care in the selection of breeding stock. Do not breed from the drones. The hen with the high egg production always comes from vigorous, healthy, active, strong stock. The lazy, overfat hen is not a profitable breeder. A hen to produce eggs must have a strong constitution. A June or July chick will not mature early enough to commence laying until after winter sets in, so hatch earlier. April and May chicks seem to

troughs or kept before them in hoppers. On the farm table, scraps, skim milk and buttermilk can take the place of commercial meat food to a considerable extent. The clover leaves in the barn alleys can be used to a good advantage in the hen coop, and green food in the way of cabbage and beets will keep the bird in a healthy condition. Keep the bird active during the day, with a full crop at night. Give fresh water; furnish it with variety; keep it happy and the egg basket will tell the results.

**Michigan's Sons and Michigan's Farms.**

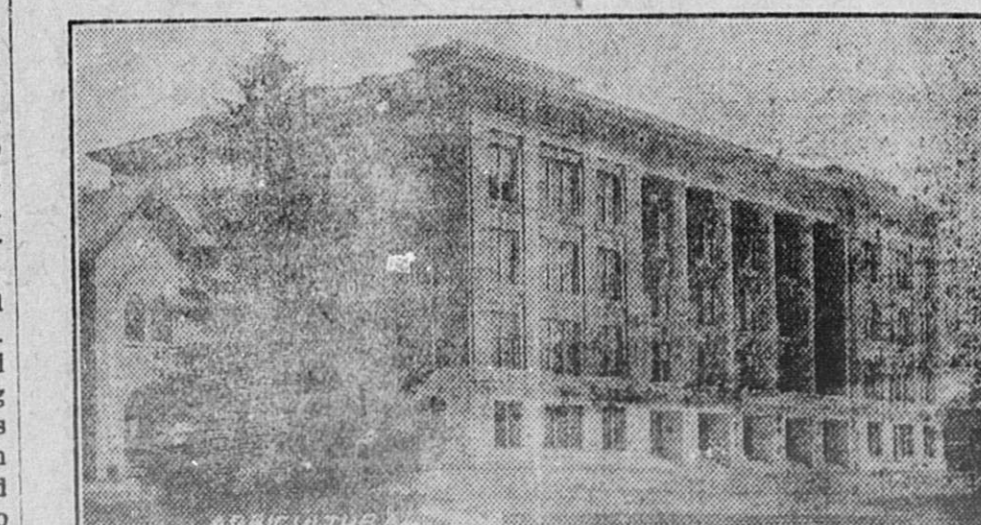
IT IS ESSENTIAL to the successful maintenance and development of the agriculture of any state that a portion of the farmer's sons remain on the farm. Michigan agriculture has suffered more from the loss of its farm boys than from any other cause. In many instances they have gone to the cities to engage in professional careers or to take part in industrial enterprises. Another source of attraction has been the expensive new west with its vast and varied natural resources. Michigan has given up many of her strongest sons to the development of the west. Our farms have suffered greatly from the loss of the young, strong, ambitious boys. The fathers have struggled along under ever-increasing difficulties until finally the declining strength of years leads to retirement to the town or village and the rental of the farm, or some arrangement by which it is worked on shares. Usually at this point rapid deterioration begins to take place: the soil is robbed of its fertility, fences and buildings deteriorate rapidly without repair or replacement and feed weeds gradually but surely take possession. Desirable social conditions do not usually exist in communities consisting of tenant farmers, not because they are an inferior class of citizens but rather because of short term leases which render their stay short at best and always uncertain as to the future.

One of the most common topics of the public speaker or writer is that of "How to keep the boy on the farm," interest and develop him. (2) He is not

given a real financial interest in the (As a matter of fact, no one is really eligible to discuss this subject except the man who owns a farm, has boys of his own and has succeeded in keeping them on the farm). The prescription most commonly offered demands the improvement of the home surroundings and the development of better social conditions. As a general proposition, the farmer does not need to be urged to do these things, the question is almost purely financial; for as soon as he is freed from financial indebtedness the comforts and luxuries of life are supplied. The fact that a farmer boy may have to work steadily and hard and that he cannot wear his best clothes every day, or have a street car running past the front door, or have theater parties every other night is not the potent factor turning the boy from farm to city life.

There are two real reasons why the country boy leaves the farm, viz.: (1) As a rule he is not permitted to assume responsibilities which will in business of the farm early enough in life. Cases are altogether too numerous where the father assumes to plan all farm operations, transact all business and direct each act of the son day after day and year after year. No boy with the proper spirit could remain content in assuming the role of the hired man, as is too often the case.

The various short courses are offered to prepare the farm boy for assuming responsibility and for partaking in the management of farm operations and business. These courses, short though they may be, tend to broaden the vision of the newer agricultural world and lead to greater thoughtfulness and more decisive action. They offer opportunities for the formation of association and development of inspirations which should lead to lives of greater usefulness and attainment.



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Men's very heavy all-wool Sox, the 25c kind. Sale Price..... <b>.9c</b>	Men's heaviest fleeced Underwear. Sale Price..... <b>.33c</b>	Men's \$2.00 all-wool best Jersey and flannel Shirts..... <b>.98c</b>
Men's best Cashmere Sox, the 35c kind. Sale Price..... <b>.13c</b>	Men's 75c and \$1.00 Dress Shirts. Sale Price..... <b>.29c</b>	Men's \$2.50 finest Cashmere Shirts..... <b>\$1.19</b>
Men's all pure dye fast black 1/2 Hose, 15c grade. Sale Price..... <b>.6c</b>	Men's \$1.50 and \$2.00 finest Dress Shirts. Sale Price..... <b>.69c</b>	Men's \$1.00 all-wool Underwear..... <b>.69c</b>
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		Men's XX heavy pure lambs' wool Underwear. Sale Price..... <b>.83c</b>
		All-wool \$2.50 Union Suits..... <b>\$1.69</b>
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Men's best pure wool and all worsted \$18 and \$20 Dress Suits. Sale Price **\$8.90**  
\$20 and 22.50 Overcoats **\$9.90** \$15 Suits and Overcoats **\$6.90**  
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Men's blue or black beaver Overcoats, velvet collars, heavy lined, warm pocketing and worth \$12.00 or your money back, no matter what the cause may be. Sale Price..... <b>\$4.80</b>	Men's best and heaviest \$20.00 and \$22.50 Overcoats. Everyone sold under guarantee. Sale Price..... <b>\$10.90</b>	Men's high grade worsted Dress Suits; \$15.00 Suits. Sale Price..... <b>\$7.40 and \$6.90</b>
Men's all-wool dark oxford or black kersey Overcoats. We guarantee this coat worth \$13 or your money back. Sale Price..... <b>\$5.90</b>	Men's very best \$24.00 and \$25.00 Overcoats..... <b>\$12.40</b> No where on earth can you buy an Overcoat like these for less than \$24 to \$25.	Men's finest all-wool \$18.00 Suits. Sale Price at..... <b>\$9.40 and \$8.90</b>
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	Men's extra good Business Suits, lined with XX serge or venetian and well made; excellent \$12 values. Sale Price..... <b>\$5.90</b>	Men's finest Dress Suits, made from imported woolsens and finished by America's best journeyman tailors, absolutely worth \$25.00 to \$30.00. Sale Price <b>\$14.40 to \$12.40</b>

IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO GIVE YOU A LIST OF EVERYTHING IN THIS STOCK. We only mention a few things in this adv. taken at random out of this immense stock. But bear in mind we have got everything you may want in the line of wearing apparel for men and boys. Come to this **Great Clothing Sale**, the biggest, most exciting sale ever held in and around this part of the country. Opening of sale January 12 at 9:30 a. m. at 713 Washington Avenue, Bay City.

**BOYS' SUITS, OVERCOATS AND REEFERS**

Boys' \$2.50 and \$3 Suits, Sale Price <b>\$1.48</b>	Boys' \$4.00 Reefers, Sale Price <b>\$1.90</b>	Sweater Coats for Men and Boys
Boys' 3.50 and \$4 Suits, Sale Price <b>1.90</b>	Boys' 5.00 Reefers, Sale Price <b>2.40</b>	All-wool \$1.50 Sweater Coats for <b>.69c</b>
Boys' 4.00 and 4.50 Suits for <b>2.40</b>	Boys' 6.00 Reefers, Sale Price <b>2.90</b>	Fine \$2.00 Sweater Coats, Sale Price <b>.89c</b>
Boys' 5.00 and 6.00 Suits for <b>2.90</b>	Men's finest West of England Dress Worsteds Pants in 100 different stripes and colprings, \$6.00 and \$7.50 values, Sale Price..... <b>\$2.90</b>	Best \$2.50 and \$3.00 Sweater Coats, Sale Price..... <b>\$1.49</b>
Boys' 7.00 and 7.50 Suits for <b>3.40</b>	Best \$5.00 and \$6.00 Trousers for <b>2.40</b>	Finest \$3.50 to \$5.00 Sweater Coats <b>1.90</b>
Boys' 5.00 Overcoats, Sale Price <b>2.40</b>	Very best \$3.50 and \$4.00 Pants for <b>1.90</b>	Men's 50c Suspenders for <b>.19</b>
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Boys' 8.50 and \$8.00 Overcoats for <b>3.40</b>		Men's \$1.50 Dress Shirts <b>.69</b>
Boys' 8.50 and \$10.00 Overcoats for <b>3.90</b>		Boys' 50c Blouse Waists <b>.29</b>

**NEW YORK CONSOLIDATED CLOTHIERS**

**713 Washington Ave., Bay City Remember the Date, Thursday, Jan. 12**



### Whittemore and Vicinity

#### BLUMENAU'S STORE BURNED.

Whittemore suffered another disastrous fire early Sunday morning, when Albert Blumenau's large general store was entirely destroyed with its entire contents. The origin of the fire is a mystery, two or three theories being put forward. One is that it was set by thieves and one that it was caused by an explosion of the coal stove or gas plant. The fire was discovered about 2:30 a. m. by Ross Kitchen and another young man who had been with H. M. Belknap in search of some robes and other articles stolen that evening from articles. It had gained such headway that all efforts were fruitless toward saving the building or contents, and every effort was bent on saving adjoining property, and by heroic work on the part of our citizens no further damage was done.

Mr. Blumenau was at Detroit, and arrived home Monday morning in response to a telegram announcing his loss. While not wholly decided as to his future, he expects to rebuild and to again engage in business here. If perchance he should decide otherwise it would be much regretted by our citizens in general.

The loss on the building and contents will amount to nearly \$25,000, with only partial insurance.

T. J. Spooner, funeral director.

Will Charters was at Tawas City Monday.

Miss Hilda Blumenau is visiting at Detroit.

John Armstrong, of Tawas City, was here Tuesday.

Aaron Blumenau, of Elkton, has been here this week.

A large crew are at work at the beanyers these days, picking beans.

There was a large attendance at the skating rink last Saturday evening, several sleigh loads coming from the surrounding towns.

Leslie Belknap, has returned from Detroit, where he recently underwent an operation at Harper's hospital, and is feeling fine.

Mayor Campbell and Irving Beard were at Tawas City a couple of days this week, attending the meeting of the board of supervisors.

Rev. W. S. Sayres will conduct services in the Taft school house, Tuesday evening January 17, and Whittemore Wednesday evening the 18th.

Our city is making big preparations to entertain the farmers at their annual institute meeting which meets here Jan. 31 and Feb. 1.

Every farmer in the county should arrange to be present, and enjoy the good program and see the big exhibit.

There was some doings around Whittemore Saturday night. A number of robes, blankets and overcoats were stolen from those who were here at the skating rink. Every effort is being made to locate the guilty parties with good prospects of success.

Do you know that fully nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism are simply rheumatism of the muscles due to cold or damp, or chronic rheumatism, and require no internal treatment whatever? Apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely and see how quickly it gives relief. For sale by all dealers.

Leslie Belknap, is just completing the drawings of a new county map which will be one of the most complete ever published. It will show the townships, school districts, roads, lakes, creeks and all important details. The map has been most carefully compiled from the official records and surveys, and when completed will be printed and placed on sale. The demand for it should be large.

**Card of Thanks.**

We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation to the friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy extended us in our sudden bereavement in the death of our son and brother.

M. SCHNEIDER AND FAMILY.

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### Hale and Vicinity.

Will Shellenberger is on the sick list.

Stacy Yawger was in Tawas one day last week.

C. Sutherby left for Chebeoegan Wednesday morning.

John Armstrong, funeral director, Tawas City. Phone 51.

Chester Scully and family have moved on the Glass ranch.

Ruby Hitchcock, of Whittemore, is working at the Livingston Hotel.

W. Horton of, Whittemore, was a business caller in the village this week.

E. Summers, of Ohio, is here prepared to publish a newspaper for the village.

The Grange held a public installation of officers at the town hall Wednesday evening.

T. Harris left Thursday morning to enter the hospital at Ann Arbor to be operated on for appendicitis.

Francis Gardner who went to Detroit last week has secured a position in the office of the E. M. F. automobile factory.

**Hemlock Slivers.**

Pearl Bamberger is quite ill with pneumonia.

Samuel Bradford has purchased the Johnson farm.

G. W. Ferrister and Miss Alma spent Sunday in Sherman.

Harry Scarlett spent Saturday and Sunday at Whittemore.

Alfred Burt spent a few days with his sister, Mrs. Frank Schneider.

Thomas Scarlett and Sandy Kennedy are hauling logs for Johnson.

Misses Maude Mosher and Margaret McGill spent Sunday at Andrew Smith's.

Harry McKenna of AuSable, spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister, Miss Myrtle.

John Kennedy has bought the Rodman farm and will move on same in the spring.

Mrs. Wm. Allen has been at Tawas City the past week taking care of her daughter Mrs. Roullier.

The "Cunards" will give you a great surprise in the vaudeville line at the Royal Theatre, Saturday night.

John Anker, died Tuesday morning after a short illness. Funeral services will be held from the church Thursday.

**Wilber Warblings.**

Frank Styles, of Cooke dam, was a caller here this week.

Entire change of program at the Royal Theatre, Saturday night.

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Howard Luther, of Omer, was here Tuesday.

Miss Maggie Trombly is home from Bay City.

Ed. Hoffman, of Elkton, transacted here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stoner spent last Sunday in Prescott.

A. L. Scott transacted business in Bay City last Saturday.

Phil Kelly transacted business in Maple Ridge Wednesday.

U. G. Colvin, of Whittemore, was a Turner visitor Wednesday.

Geo. Keeler, of Cedar Valley was a business caller here Wednesday.

Frank Boer returned home Monday from an extended stay in Hillman.

Wm. Nichols, of Cedar Valley, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Henry Smith, of Keystone, was in the village on business Wednesday.

V. R. Peasley, of Cedar Valley, transacted business here Wednesday.

M. N. Colvin and wife of Whittemore, were Turner visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. E. A. McPhail of Omer visited relatives and friends here Wednesday.

Elmer Eymor and wife returned Tuesday from an extended visit in Canada.

Will Oats, of Alabaster, was here last Saturday with a load of grain for the elevator.

George Boston, of Bay City, was in the village Wednesday calling on his customers.

A. H. Wells, of Standish was here last Wednesday looking after his various business interests.

G. A. Fuehr, A. D. Hammond and R. J. Spofford attended the F. & A. M. meeting at Omer last night.

Mrs. John Nuttle and little daughter, of Mason township, returned Tuesday from an extended visit in Canada.

A jolly crowd of young people, two loads, took in the skating party at the roller rink in Whittemore last Saturday.

Dave Barton left Wednesday night for Yale, where he expects to secure a position with a butter company of that place.

Supervisor John Perrin returned Saturday from Standish, where he was in attendance at the county board meeting last week.

The second story of the Kelly & Whitehouse building is being repaired and will soon be occupied by Fred Whitehouse and family.

Mrs. Warner returned Wednesday to her home in Cass City, after a two months visit with relatives here. Mrs. E. I. Tibbets returned with her for an extended visit.

Miss Hazel Harvey, of Maple Ridge, passed thru here Monday en route to Grand Rapids, where she will resume her duties as teacher in one of the schools of that city.

Howard Luther, for the past four years has been cashier of the Arenac Exchange Bank, at Omer, has resigned, and expects to engage in the banking business for himself. C. H. Rossman, of Kingston, succeeds him.

Mrs. E. Sommers, of Owosso, Mrs. N. Vogoli, of Valpariso, and Mrs. Hutchins, of Capac, are the here the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dinsmore. Mr. Dinsmore is much improved from his recent illness.

Messrs John and George Sloat were in the village from Keystone Wednesday. George was recently married in Stratford, Ont., and arrived here with his bride the latter part of last week to spend their honeymoon with his brother John.

A. H. Phinney, of Detroit, was here a few days this week on business. Mr. Phinney and daughter, Miss Mary, and Mrs. Roe, of Lansing, with Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Fuehr, of this village will leave today for a trip of a few weeks to Florida.

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MY QUALIFICATIONS

Taxpayer of Iosco county.

Graduate of East Tawas high school

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Holder of state teacher's life certificate

Several years experience teaching in rural schools

Six years Principal of East Tawas high school

One year Superintendent of East Tawas high school

Five years member of the Board of school examiners

Thus, having spent several years in the schools and school work of Iosco county, I feel that I can creditably fill the position of county school commissioner.

MINA C. HAMILTON.

### South Branch.

Little Margaret Barringer is sick. Dr. Smith is attending her.

Mrs. Barringer has returned from a visit with relatives at Kalamazoo and Chicago.

Mrs. Frank Trudell is entertaining her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Pierson.

Rex Seldon, of Chicago, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seldon. Rex runs an engine on the Big 4, out of Chicago.

Fred Bowser has a house built on a sled, with a stove in it, in which to travel from Curtis to South Branch in comfort.

Is it any wonder that a man who lives in a solitude that hath no charms, in preparing his own meals should get kerosene in his saur kraut and podophillin in his potatoe soup?

Pinkey Arn is carrying the mail between South Branch and Goordar P. O. He travels the route known as Robinson boulevard, as the scenery is more enchanting than on the Tabor road.

The manufacture of handles will be added to the out-put of the Robinson mill. All the by-products are made use of at this mill. Many car loads of wood is being shipped, and even the ashes from the fire room are shipped to the potash factories.

It is generally believed that certain persons in this vicinity are violating the fish laws in the most brazen manner. It is claimed that they are netting small trout to use as bait for pike and other fish, and that 170 bass have been taken from the lakes in this vicinity in one day. Yet no arrests. Here is an opportunity for someone to get the \$25 offered by the D. & M. Ry. for game law violators. Catch the thief and you catch the \$25.

**Reno Rumbblings.**

William Hamilton was at Tawas City yesterday.

Miss Hamilton, of Bay City, is visiting her father this week.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Warner is very low from whooping cough.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sitley is ill with bronchial pneumonia.

John Westervelt attended a meeting of the board of supervisors at Tawas City this week.

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A young man named Wahl, who was about to be married at Regensburg, Germany, had entered the church and taken his place beside the bride when he was suddenly seized with terror, and, rushing out, took a cab to the station and jumped into a moving train. Commotion reigned in the church, and the deserted bride fell in a swoon.

Price of Ivory Increasing.

Ivory continues to make rapid gain in cost and may sooner or later be a class with gold. At the sales in Europe the tremendous demand pushes up the price. The allotment for each sale seems to be the same and with a gaining consumption it is logical to expect a price advance.

This will continue until a substitute ivory is discovered or ivory is secured in greater quantities. Although we buy a great many tusks for plane keys and use the very latest method of cutting and bleaching, the margin of profit is finished key ivory is exceedingly small. With the best skill in blocking the waste is enormous and there are many other details in connection with key ivory manufacture that require time and money.

Wm. Waddy died last Sunday at the age of 75 years. The funeral was held Tuesday from the Cedar Valley school house, Rev. G. A. Smith officiating. Mr. Waddy leaves a wife and nine children besides a host of other relatives and friends to mourn his death.

Constitution is the cause of many ailments and disorders that make life miserable. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, keep your bowels regular