

# THE TAWAS HERALD.

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## ALL THE NEWS OF THE WEEK

General and Local News Items Gathered from Various Sources for Our Readers

Fire insurance. F. F. French. Child's rockers at Armstrong's.

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The board of supervisors will meet March 6.

No school Wednesday. Washington's birthday.

C. V. Hicks, pianos and organs Alpena, Mich.

Mrs. E. J. McCartney was in Bay City yesterday.

C. T. Prescott arrived home from Buffalo Tuesday.

Neil McDonald, of Rose City, was in town Wednesday.

You can save money by buying your rubbers at Brabant's.

Ludwig and Janssen Pianos, for sale by C. V. Hicks, Alpena.

For shoes Nels Brabant can fit your feet and your pocketbook.

A new line of rocking chairs at a right price at Armstrong's.

Nelson Brabant sells underwear for men, women and children.

For a nice kitchen cabinet go to Armstrong's furniture store.

Archie Colby, of Bay City, called on his parents in this city Monday.

Mrs. C. E. Phillips, of East Tawas, spent last Saturday at Bay City.

Mrs. J. E. Mitchell, of East Tawas, was a visitor at Bay City last Saturday.

Mrs. Joseph Becker and Mrs. J. J. Mortimer returned to East Jordan Monday.

Dr. R. J. Smith, of South Branch, was in the city a few days during the past week.

Dr. V. F. Gregory, the well known Alpena dentist, died Monday, of typhoid fever.

Mrs. C. E. Phillips, of East Tawas, is visiting relatives at Rose City for a few days.

Miss Monzo, of Oscoda, was the guest of Miss Mabel Grant, of East Tawas, last Sunday.

E. L. Sager came up from Saginaw and spent Sunday with his family at East Tawas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lanski, of Omer, were guests of relatives and friends here over Sunday.

WANTED: Three good men to work at 'The Vahalla Ranch,' address J. Kingman, South Branch, Mich.

The man who forsores trouble suffers twice over. He suffers in the anticipation and in the trouble itself.

Just received, a new line of couches, on which we will save you some money at Armstrong's furniture store.

Old age may bring wrinkles to the cheeks and brow, but the heart may be kept fresh with perennial youth.

Mrs. Lafayette Colby is visiting at Webberville, to which place she accompanied her mother, Mrs. Warren Haskell, last week.

H. C. Bristol has three customers at Paulding, Ohio, and one at Detroit, who wish to buy improved farms for cash. Parties having farms from eighty to one hundred and sixty acres, send description of same to Mr. Bristol at once.

Mrs. E. D. Benedict returned Tuesday from a several weeks visit with relatives and friends at Amhurstburg, Ont., Albany, N. Y., and other points.

Mrs. James Larmer, of East Tawas, has been visiting friends at Rose City this week.

Miss Alice Vargason spent a few days during the past week at her home in Rose City.

George Goodwillie, formerly of this city, has been appointed city marshall of Onaway.

Girls wanted to pick beans. Apply to W. J. Murray, manager of the Elevator, Tawas City.

To make room for spring goods Brabant will sell all single pants at cost for the next ten days.

Mrs. G. H. Mahn and children, of East Tawas, were guests of relatives at Saginaw over Sunday.

Some people imagine they are free thinkers when the one obvious fact is that they are free from thinking.

Very fortunate is the man who is quick to see a good opportunity and who is wise enough to profit by it.

The Ottawa basket ball team of East Tawas, goes to AuSable tonight to meet the strong Independent team of that city.

Editor Summers, of the Hale Advance, was in the city last Friday, and made a pleasant call at the Herald office.

Mrs. T. G. Borland, of East Tawas, has returned from Stanton, where she was called by the serious illness of her brother.

If you desire to receive the Farm and Fireside for the next year, free of charge, call and pay your subscription before March 1.

C. H. Prescott & Sons shipped from the big farm last week five car load of cattle to Buffals, and one car load of horses to Bay City.

Rev. N. Dickey, of Reece, formerly pastor of the M. E. church, of this city, came up Tuesday to conduct the funeral of the late Alonzo Cox.

Lovers of southern melody will all attend the concert by the Olympia Ladies' Quartet at the Congregational church next Monday evening.

You can get the best spring wheat flour at \$1.50 for 50 pounds, or pastry flour at \$1.25 for 50 pounds, of J. A. Turner, at the East Tawas Bakery.

Sample copies of the Farm and Fireside, which we are giving free with each subscriber paying during the month of February, may be had at the office.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cox, of Flint, James Crane, of Vanessa, Ont., and Mrs. Weaver, of Bradford, Ont., were called here to attend the funeral of Alonzo Cox.

Mrs. Abe Barkman, of East Tawas, who underwent a serious operation for appendicitis at Mercy hospital, at Bay City, last week, is making very satisfactory recovery.

It is the empty vessel and not the full one that gives forth the most noise. So in human life it is the man of little understanding and sense who loves to make himself heard.

You are probably aware that pneumonia always results from a cold, but you never heard of a cold resulting in pneumonia when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was used. Why take the risk when this remedy may be had for a trifle? For sale by all dealers.

Mrs. A. C. Lacasse, who has been the guest of Mrs. Stephen Brabant, went to Alpena Monday for a visit, before leaving for her home at Cheney, Wash., next Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Prescott left yesterday for Chicago. They will meet Mr. and Mrs. George A. Prescott, jr., there, and all will spend the next month visiting in the southwest.

Rev. O. E. Moffet was called to Urbana, Ill., Monday by the death of his sister, Mrs. Portia Gilkerson, who died at Larnard, Kan., while on her way home from a visit in California.

You will certainly enjoy yourself if you attend the concert by the Olympia Ladies' Quartet at the Congregational church next Monday evening. This is the fourth number of the local entertainment course.

Don't buy your calendars for 1912 of some traveling agent. Our new samples have arrived and the line is large enough and fine enough to satisfy the most particular, and as to prices, we have the ordinary calendar agent "beat a mile."

Harry W. Stockman returned last Friday from a prospecting trip through Arkansas and the southwest. Harry came back thoroughly convinced that there is nothing in that neck-o-the-woods, equal to Northeastern Michigan.

J. W. Minor came home from Bay City yesterday. Joe has been confined to the hospital for the past four weeks by illness, but is now improving. He announces that he will be out among the sugar beet growers about the first of March.

Dr. C. V. Crane accompanied Thomas Chesler, of Tawas township, to the U. M. hospital, at Ann Arbor, last Friday, where the young man underwent a surgical operation. The doctor returned Tuesday and reports the young man as improving.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Dillon, of East Tawas, are at Washington, D. C., this week, where Mr. Dillon, as Grand Marshal, with the other members of the Michigan Grand Lodge F. & A. M., have been taking part in the Masonic ceremonies there.

The pastor of the Presbyterian church announces that he will give a temperance address next Sunday morning. All who are interested are invited to attend, and those who are not are invited to attend and become interested. Kind treatment is promised those who may differ in opinion.

Mrs. Lafayette Colby of Tawas City, says, she has had several attacks of the la grippe, but has broken them up quickly, by the use of Bristol's Diphtheria Remedy. For colds in the head, catarrh, or winter cholera, use this remedy. Sold at Curry's Drug store, East Tawas.

Phillip Halleck, one of our Tawas City boys who is now located at Linton, Oregon, has our thanks for a copy of the 50th anniversary number of the Portland Daily Oregonian. It is a handsome 128 page edition showing what that bustling western city has accomplished in the past half century.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, March 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.

Next Wednesday is primary day, at which time a candidate will be nominated for circuit judge for the 23rd Judicial Circuit. There is but one candidate for the nomination on any ticket. Hon. Main J. Connine, of AuSable is the candidate for the republican nomination. He has no opposition in his own party, and will have no opposition from any party for a re-election.

Suits made expressly for you at less money than hand-me-downs. Eight hundred stylish patterns to pick from. Better look them over and get measured for that Easter suit. You can order now and have suit delivered Easter week or later, as you wish. You will simply get what you want as we will not urge you to take anything you do not want. Square dealing and courteous treatment at Brabant's Tawas City.

Otto H. Rempert, of this city, and Miss Minnie Kornack, of Baldwin township, were united in marriage at the Zion Lutheran church in this city, Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Seivers officiating. We unite with their many friends in wishing the happy young people a long and prosperous wedded life.

Of the Olympia Ladies Quartet the Cleveland Plain Dealer says: An organization composed of the very best singers. Each one an artist, they pleased beyond measure the large audience present." Don't fail to here what promises to be the best entertainment of the season at the Tawas City Presbyterian church next Monday evening.

Howard Potter, formerly superintendent of the East Tawas schools, is a candidate for the republican nomination of county commissioner of schools in Gratiot county. Mr. Potter has many friends in this county who hope that he be successful in his canvass. He is a young man of high educational attainments, and of exemplary character.

M. I. Burnham, until about a month ago a fireman on the D. & M. Ry., died Tuesday from the effects of injuries received when the boiler on a Grand Trunk engine exploded, near Ionia, on Monday. Burnham was one of the most popular employees when here, and his untimely death is mourned by a large circle of friends. He is survived by a bride of six weeks.

Anna, wife of Hugo Marwinski, died at the family home in Tawas township, Thursday, February 16, aged 38 years. The husband and five children, besides the aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Koener, of this city, survive her. The funeral was held from the Emanuel Lutheran church Sunday afternoon, Rev. C. C. Henning officiating. Interment at Lutheran cemetery in this city.

Last Friday evening, at the East Tawas opera house, the Oscoda high school boys defeated the East Tawas high school boys at basket ball by the one-sided score of 36 to 14. The girls from the two schools put up an entirely different article of ball, playing one of the fastest games ever seen here. The score was in favor of the girls from the north end until the last two minutes of the game, when the East Tawas girls made a "Garrison finish" and won the game by a score of 10 to 8.

### Circuit Court.

Circuit court convened Monday for the regular February term, Judge Connine presiding. The divorce case of Margaret vs. Charles M. Burk, was argued, and taken under advisement by the Judge.

Naturalization papers were granted to the following: Paul Prince, Herman Gaul, David Green, Robert J. Smith, Michael J. Corrigan, John C. Burt, John E. L. Herman, Andrew Arnold, James H. Barrett, and James H. Barnes. Court was then adjourned to Thursday, when the divorce case of Eva Thayer vs. William Thayer was heard.

### Eye and Ear Specialist.

Dr. Owen, a Detroit physician and specialist 26 years, who pays special attention to testing eyes and fitting glasses will be in Tawas City on professional business from 3 p. m. Friday, February 24, till Monday noon, February 27, and may be consulted at the Iosco Hotel. Dr. Owen also treats deafness and all diseases of the eye and ear including cross eye, cataract, etc. Consultation and eyes tested free.

### Life Saved at Death's Door.

"I never felt so near my grave," writes W. R. Patterson, of Wellington, Tex., as when a frightful cough and lung trouble pulled me down to 100 pounds, in spite of doctor's treatment for two years. My father, mother and two sisters died of consumption, and that I am alive today is due solely to Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me. Now I weigh 187 pounds and have been well and strong for years." Quick, safe, sure, its best remedy on earth for coughs, colds, lagrippe, asthma, croup, and all throat and lung troubles, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by J. M. Wurganzer & Co. and Jas. E. Dillon.

### A Fatal Accident.

Last Saturday morning Alonzo G. Cox received a kick from a horse which resulted in his death Sunday evening. The accident occurred at the D. & M. yards where Mr. Cox was engaged in loading a car of horses. He was in the car when one of the animals kicked, hitting him in the abdomen, directly on the spot where he had been operated on for appendicitis a few years ago. In a few moments he realized that he was badly injured and was taken to his home, where he steadily grew worse. Sunday morning it was decided to take him to the hospital at Bay City, and a special train was chartered. Arriving at the hospital he had become so weak that it was impossible to operate. He gradually sank until death relieved his suffering at 9 o'clock that evening. The remains were brought home Monday afternoon.

Mr. Cox was born in Canada 54 years ago, and had been a resident of this locality for 24 years, the past 17 years being in charge of C. H. Prescott & Sons' barn. He was an experienced horseman, having spent almost his entire life at that business.

The deceased was a man of quite retiring disposition, and most highly respected by a large circle of friends. He is survived by the widow, one son, Cecil, and three daughters, Mable, LaVina and Lucile, all of this city, besides a large circle of other relatives.

The funeral was held from the home Wednesday afternoon, Rev. N. Dickey, of Reece, assisted by Rev. Dibley, officiating. A large concourse of sorrowing friends, accompanied the remains to their last resting place in the Tawas City cemetery.

### The Development Bureau.

Secretary Marston and Field Manager Johnston, of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau, are busy formulating a financial and publicity campaign for the executive committee at its meeting in Clare March 14.

It is planned to lay out the year's work and then to follow that plan. Careful study is being given to the publicity campaigns conducted in other sections of the country and an effort will be made by the bureau to avail itself of the experience gained by others at the same time developing as many original ideas as their means will permit.

The task of procuring and compiling reliable information relative to the various resources and industries of the district is no small one and will be given all the attention possible the coming year.

A great deal of attention has been attracted to the district by the work of the bureau last year from outsiders and a confidence inspired among the people of the district which has resulted in higher values all along the line.

All this was accomplished along general lines but the time has now come when more exact and detailed information is in demand and the bureau can in no way demonstrate its usefulness more than by preparing and having at hand statistical information so necessary for the investing and developing public.

The bureau will move its headquarters to ground floor offices where an exhibit of the crops and products of the district will be on display.

Publicity is the object of the bureau among the people of the district as well as outsiders and as fast as matters develop the people will be kept posted through the columns of the Northeastern Press association.

### Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank the neighbors and friends for the sympathy and assistance extended us during the illness and death of our wife and daughter.

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## Crockery

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The test of a man's religion is not in his ability to make long and eloquent prayers or to engage in theological controversies, but in his everyday life at home and in the world.

One of the monthly magazines recently showed the picture of a \$10,000 bed in which some wealthy man nightly rested his weary limbs. Probably he gets no more satisfaction out of it, or as sweet as sleep, a poor man gets out of his \$10 bed.

By the way some people act they look upon life as a great game of grab. They live for themselves only and care not whether others sink or swim. In the lust for gain they show no scruples as to the methods employed, their sole aim being to act the part of the large fish that swallows the little fish.

Spring will soon be here and cellars will need to be cleaned up and all decaying vegetation removed. Too often this is neglected with the result that sickness comes, and probably death. Under such circumstances people are likely to question the goodness of the Almighty and talk about the mysteries of divine providence. There is no mystery about it. Rotten apples, cabbages and other things reveal the cause as plainly as daylight.

Another international wedding has taken place in which good American dollars were given for possession of an ancient title. So long as impecunious noblemen exist on one side of the water, and young ladies dazzled by the thought of a coronet exist on this side of the water, just so long will such marriages take place. That the majority of such alliances prove anything but satisfactory in the long run seems to put no check upon the ambition.

No sensible man expects that the wealth of a country can be so distributed that all the people would share and share alike. Even if such a distribution were possible, inequality would at once arise because of the difference of personal temperament, disposition and ability. But sensible men do wish to change conditions that work in favor of special interests with resultant colossal fortunes for a few people, and which conditions just as surely work injustice to the many.

Now and again some one in a sceptical tone asks if the world is getting better. Of course it is, every day, in spite of the political corruption, business dishonesty and other evils that flaunt themselves. One has but to contrast present conditions with those that existed years ago to be convinced of this truth, and the best of it all is that this betterment is affecting all classes. To be sure there is much, very much, yet to be done to get the world where it should be, and that fact shows that everyone can lend a hand if he will.

A French scientist tells us that laziness is a disease due to a deficiency of quality in the blood. This news will give comfort to those indisposed to work but who have had a hard time explaining the reason for it. If the scientist who has made this discovery will only show how to remedy the defect in the blood of the lazy man he will deserve well of his fellow men. In the meantime it is worth noting that many lazy men can and do work when necessity compels them, notwithstanding the poor condition of their blood, which leads to the conviction that laziness is a disease of the will rather than of the blood.

The "harking back to the farm" cry has been indulged in vastly the last few years. In fact the business of agriculture is assuming proportions of much greater magnitude than it did a few years ago. In every city and town men are talking more of the farm and many are taking up small pieces of land and earning a good living. The last report of the department of agriculture contains glittering figures of the crops of 1910—the biggest corn and oats crop in history, tremendous yields of wheat and potatoes. Yet not so glittering at that, for the report shows that the country is merely holding its own in the average acre production of corn and oats since the Civil war, and has only slightly increased the acre yields of wheat and potatoes. Uncle Sam added six million acres to his oat field and three million acres to his wheat field. That's how his farm was able to make such a fine showing last year.

The good book says that a man who does not care for or look after the welfare of his family is, worse than infidel. This may be applied with equal force to the man who takes no interest in the town in which he lives, for in a very real sense the town is his home which he shares with the other people living in it. Therefore to speak adversely of one's town, to say no word in its favor, to habitually go elsewhere to trade and be indifferent to home business—all this is not only unpatriotic, but it is very much the same as if a man should go around to his neighbors and find fault with his domestic home and every member in it.

For ingenuity the "Heathen Chinese" is not to be compared with the steel trust. As restraint of trade and combinations are illegal, the trust, so it is said, gets around the difficulty by its

plan of "neighborly kindness." This is an application of the Golden Rule within a limited area. In other words other steel concerns are expected to show this "neighborly kindness" by not opposing the trust. If any concern should be so forgetful of its interests as to do it, other concerns, supposedly influenced by the trust, are to labor with the offending member guilty of unneighborly action. If it proves obstinate no one knows what would happen to it, but anyone can make a shrewd guess. There are some wonderful and ingenious ways of keeping the letter of a law and of breaking it in spirit.

That Canada is able to negotiate commercial treaties with other countries shows how near to being an independent nation she has become in recent years. This is again seen in her possession of a separate army and navy, in

her coinage and postage, and in the right to make her own tariffs. To be sure the crown has the right of veto on any measure the Canadian parliament may pass, but that right would never be exercised on any question upon which Canada might make up her mind. In the present reciprocity treaty there are people in Great Britain who would like that veto to be used or for the British parliament to go counter to Canada's action. But Canada would take with ill grace any such interference, and it would but serve to weaken the tie which although sentimental rather than political, binds the daughter to the mother and which at present is very real and strong.

**For Sale:**—Two barn frames and two houses, one large and one small of each. Enquire of Reuben Wade, Tawas City.

### Wife Got Tip Top Advice.

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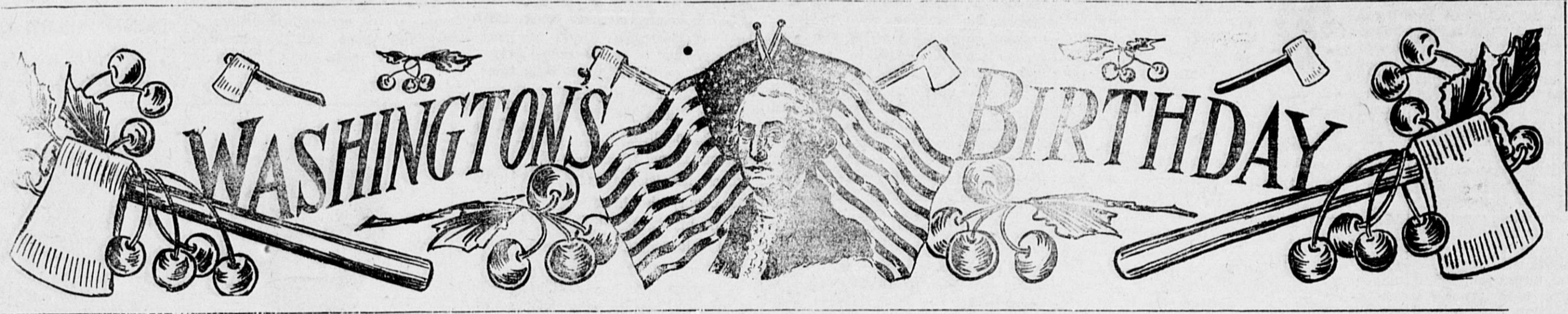
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# First in War, First in Peace and First in the Hearts of His Countrymen

Nearly two hundred years have passed since the British Colony of Virginia gave birth to a child destined to write his name high on the roll of fame in his country's history and the story of whose lofty achievements shall endure to the end of time. His name was George Washington.

Washington, the "Father of His Country," and Lincoln, the "Savior of His Country," need not the assistance of the sculptor to perpetuate their memory. They need no princely dome or monumental pile, no stately pyramid whose towering height shall pierce the stormy cloud, and rear its lofty head to heaven to tell posterity their claim to be revered by all. Their deeds alone have perpetuated their names and fame for all time and have crowned them with amaranth in the College of Immortals.

A surveyor at sixteen, a soldier at nineteen, a captain at twenty, his early training and surroundings fitted him eminently for that leadership to which he was called in the struggle of the colonies for freedom, and May 10, 1775, he assumed command of the Continental army and entered upon the long and arduous struggle. With a handful of poorly equipped and undisciplined yomenary he met the steel of the best trained soldiers in Europe, ultimately compelled them to capitulate and won for his country its independence. Then he, for eight years, guided the destinies of his country with marvelous sagacity and skill in its early struggle for nationality.

Refusing a third term he retired to private life unambitious of further honors or emoluments, and on December 14, 1799, he laid down the burdens and responsibilities of a useful and patriotic life and passed to the realms of rest.

In private life Washington was a man of the times. He lived as other men, and practiced the same moderation and temperance characterized his public career.

## In Washington's Time

Beer was as common a beverage as tea or coffee and was used almost as universally. Every plantation home had its brew house, the products of which were served on all occasions and to all guests.

Washington's home at Mt. Vernon was no exception to this rule and the brew house there was considered as much a necessity as the creamery or the stables.

In Volume 1, Chapter 2 of Curtis' "Life of Washington" we read of Washington's temperance. He dressed and dined at three. At this meal he ate heartily, he partook sparingly of desert and drank a home-made beverage. When the cloth was removed, with old fashion courtesy he drank to the health of every person present, and then gave his toast—his only toast "All Our Friends"

In the world's campaign for temperance, eminent ecclesiastical authorities have long recognized beer as an important factor and have not hesitated to recommend its use in moderation. Beer has always been regarded not only as a popular beverage pleasing to the taste, but as a health giving food and hence has been appropriately called "liquid bread."

J. E. Siebel, director of the Zymotechnic Institute, Chicago says: "Beer is predigested bread, a fact which becomes all the more apparent when we consider the subject from a physiological standpoint. In order to be assimilable, carbo-hydrates in food must be dissolved, and this arrangement of the digestive system gives great force to the arguments of those who claim that cereals are not a proper food for man since nature has not provided him with sufficient means to digest them. As a matter of fact, starchy food, whether the starch be raw or gelatinized, requires a continued digestion in the intestines, causing flatulency and other symptoms, among which may be counted the proverbial lassitude of people subsisting chiefly on potatoes and similar starch foods."

Immoderate drinking of Beer is undoubtedly injurious. The human body is unable to digest excessive quantities of alcohol, and continued over indulgence will ruin the strongest constitution. But the injurious results of the immoderate consumption of Beer are brought about by the excessive quantity of fluid taken into the stomach rather than by alcohol that it contains. Immoderate drinking of tea, coffee, mineral water, or even pure spring water, will produce the same impairing effects as the abuse of malt beverages.



Whittemore and Vicinity

T. J. Spooner, funeral director. Peace and quiet reign in our little city, and we rejoice. Services were held at the Catholic church last Sunday. Harry Craig was at Turner on business last Tuesday. E. L. Cleary was at Tawas City on business Tuesday. Leslie Belknap was home from AuSable last Saturday. J. P. and U. G. Colvin were at Tawas City on business Monday. Elmer Smith, of Mio, the "Pain-ease man," has been here again. Mrs. Wm. Price who has been ill for some time, is reported better. Fred Mills went to Ulby last week to visit relatives, returning last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. E. Louks returned Tuesday from a few days visit at Saginaw. Mrs. H. E. Nunn, of Hale, has been the guest of friends here a few days this week. Will and Roy Leslie and families came down from Hardwood lake and spent Sunday here. The Bronson vs. Dobson lawsuit has been postponed from Tuesday to Saturday, 25th inst. Whittemore is now a "dry" town, thereby getting a three months start of the rest of the county. Mr. and Mrs. Grant Herriman took their departure Monday for their new home at Delray. Amy, daughter of Supervisor and Mrs. Beardslee, who has been ill with measles, is improving. Mrs. Thos. Ruckle will entertain the Episcopal Guild at her home in Burleigh, March 2nd. Everybody welcome. W. A. Goodwin and sons, of Portland, Oregon, Mrs. C. M. Goodwin and Mrs. G. A. Pringle, of McVior, were the guests of friends here Tuesday. Fred Kelly has been at home the past week packing house-hold goods and Monday moved his family to Chicago, where he has secured employment. Albert Blumenau has begun getting the gravel and other material on the ground for his new block, which will be commenced just as soon as the weather will permit. Mr. and Mrs. Chaney Lail took their daughter Phoebe to Bay City last Monday for medical treatment. They returned Tuesday. She has been ill for some time with nervous trouble. District Deputy Theo. La Beau, of AuSable, spent last week here in interest of the Modern Brotherhood of America. Members are being added to the local lodge here and in the near future, a re-organization will be effected and officers elected. The oyster supper served by the "Guild" in Reno last week was a success both socially and financially. Despite the falling rain, and the drifted roads, about twenty-five attended from here and a most enjoyable evening was spent, and the society realizes the neat little sum of eleven dollars.

Hale and Vicinity.

Benj. Frost, jr., has purchased a new driving horse. Fred Livingston was up to Cooke Dam last Saturday. John Armstrong, funeral director, Tawas City, Phone 51. Mrs. Chaney Livingston was at East Tawas last Thursday. Mrs. Tinglin left Friday for a visit with her parents at Vassar. Fred Jennings transacted business at East Tawas last Saturday. Mrs. H. E. Nunn visited friends at Whittemore a few days this week. Mrs. H. J. Featherston was at Tawas City on business last Saturday. Born, on Saturday, February 18, to Prof. and Mrs. R. D. Brown, a son. Mr. and Mrs. F. Graves moved to Featherston's camp, at Long lake last Monday. H. E. Nunn, our hardware merchant, received a car load of agricultural implements this week. James H. Nisbet, of Tawas City, and Abe Barkman, of East Tawas, were here on business Tuesday. F. Bernard, of Hatton, Ohio, and S. Long, of Prairie Depot, Ohio, arrived here Monday, on business. Mrs. Beeson returned to her home at Lexington last Saturday, after a short visit at the home of her son Frank. Misses Lottie and Anna Pearlman have returned from a four weeks visit with relatives and friends at Bay City. Dr. W. N. Yeager, the dentist, will be at Hale, Tuesday, Feb. 28. Call early and arrange an appointment. All work guaranteed.

South Branch.

Chas. Cooley was at Hale and Long Lake last Friday. Chas. Cooley bought a valuable horse of Henry Ballard last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thayer called on Charles Cooley and wife last Sunday. Mrs. Leo Holliday who has been visiting relatives here for some time returned to her home at Cheasaning last Saturday. Mrs. R. C. Arn, of Robinson's Mill, returned from Bay City, where she has been recovering from a surgical operation. We are glad to learn that she is much improved. Miss Millie Roebottom formerly of this place, but later, of Flint, died at that place, last week. The remains were brought to this place and buried in the South Branch cemetery last Sunday.

Sherman Shots.

Mat Jordan was at Tawas Tuesday. Wes Brown was at Tawas Thursday. Geo. Kohn was at Turner, Thursday. Harry Scarlett, of Grant, was in town Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kohn were at Tawas Monday. Tom Wood was at Tawas a couple days this week. Fr. E. J. Jewell, of Omer, held services here Monday. J. H. Kelchner was at Whittemore on business Wednesday. Sin Pavelock of Bay City spent Sunday at his home here. A. B. and Mat Schneider were at Tawas on business Thursday. Born at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jordan, last Thursday, a girl. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Arn, of South Branch visited relatives here this week. Henry Jordan of Bay City is spending a couple days here this week. Miss Minnie Norris went to Bay City to attend her brother, Joe, who underwent an operation, last week. A crowd of Tawas people came over Wednesday and spent the day and evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Richards. They had a most enjoyable time.

Falls Victim to Thieves.

S. W. Bends, of Coal City, Ala. has a justifiable grievance. Two thieves stole his health for twelve years. They were a liver and kidney trouble. Then Dr. King's New Life Pills throttled them. He's well now. Unrivaled for constipation, malaria, headache, dyspepsia. 25c at J. M. Wuggazer and Co.'s and Jas. E. Dillon's. How to cure a cold is a question in which many are interested just now. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has its reputation and immense sale by its remarkable cure of colds. It can always be depended upon. To sale by all dealers.

Reno Rumbings.

Quite a change in the weather since last week. Some of our farmers are packing their ice houses. David and Mrs. Chas. Love were at Taft, Monday. The mild weather of last week left the roads icy but rough. The Misses Murphy spent Sunday with friends in Whittemore. Mrs. H. E. Nunn and little daughter, of Hale, visited friends here the first of the week. Mrs. Voller was at Lupton the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Knight, Saturday, returning Monday. Miss Ruth McDougald spent Sunday at Whittemore the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Will Charters. Mrs. Alvin Johnson went to Malby last Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. Lyman Johnson. Miss Esther Jackson is spending the week visiting her cousins, the Misses Halligan of East Tawas. Mrs. J. Westervelt and children, Ellice and Cecil, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Love, at Hale. We understand that the Keyes and Christy farms on the Hale road north of Taft have been sold to a party from Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. David Schellenbarger and baby of Ionia county, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Charters and other relatives. Mrs. A. M. Falls who started Monday the 13th inst. for Vermont arrived at her home town Wednesday noon, being detained on the way twenty-four hours owing to the storm. She found her brother alive and able to recognize those at his bedside. The sad intelligence of his death came by telegram the following Saturday.

HATCHING SCHEDULE.

Table with 2 columns: Days, Chickens, Ducks, Turkeys, Geese, Pheasants, Guinea hens, Partridges. Values range from 21 to 30 days.

Study Your Own Farm.

The winter can be made a very important time of year if the owner of a farm will take advantage of the available time in forming a working plan for the coming season. There are often many opportunities to better the arrangements of fields, fences, lanes, etc. and the farms are few on which a careful study of each field with reference to crop rotation, drainage and manurial needs would not result in profit.

Remember the Small Fruits.

Remember the vegetable garden, and when you are ordering seeds include a few hundred strawberry plants, a few bush berries, currants and grapes. If you do not have them already. There is nothing that adds more to summer pleasures than a supply of small fruit and a good vegetable garden. Don't lay out more than is needed. Plant only as much as you know you can take care of well, and it will be a source of pleasure and profit instead of a vexation that weeds cause.

Conserve the Fertilizer.

If the stable manure for any good reasons cannot be applied directly to the land, see that it is piled neatly and compactly as removed from the barns. The losses are much greater when it is scattered over a large area, never to be fully regained.

Ammonia in Commercial Fertilizers.

Ammonia occurs in commercial fertilizers as sulphate of ammonia and furnishes nitrogen in one of its most active forms of combination. The commercial article of high grade contains about 20.6 per cent of nitrogen, equivalent to 25 per cent of ammonia.

Small Farms Most Profitable.

It is not as important that we have large farms as it is that we farm what we have well. The largest net profits today in farming are secured on small farms, from 30 to 120 acres. There are too many 100-acre farmers working 300 acres.

Study Your Herd.

While the stock's in the barn, learn to know them. If you have an animal in the herd that is not making a profit, feed it out. Cull out the poor ones and find the good ones better.

At One Shot.

A sportsman of great imaginative gifts and fond of telling his exploits, related that at one shot he had brought down two partridges and a hare. His explanation was that although he had only hit one partridge the bird in falling had clutched at another partridge and brought that to earth entangled in its claws. "But how about the hare?" he was asked. "Oh!" was the calm reply, "my gun kicked and knocked me backward and I fell on the hare as it ran past."—The Sketch.

Turner and Vicinity.

Fred Mills, of Burleigh, was in the village last Friday. John Jordon, of Sherman, was a business caller in town Monday. Joseph Delosh, of Santiago, was a business visitor here Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Eymmer were Posen visitors the fore part of the week. N. P. St. James, of Whittemore, was a business visitor here last Friday. Miss Bella McRury, of Kinda is a guest of C. W. Houghton and wife this week. Abe Wilson and Dr. Hull and wife spent a few days in South Branch this week. Dr. W. N. Yeager, of Rose City, was here on his regular monthly trip this week. Antonia Stern, of Caro, bought 40 acres of land from P. R. Dinsmore this week. L. E. Rather and brother, of Pigeon, were in town the fore part of last week on business. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fucor, of Sherman, were guests at the Drummond home Monday. Isaac Kennel, jr., came home from Lansing last Wednesday for a visit with his parents. G. H. Fish, of Maple Ridge, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Myron Eymmer this week. Fred L. Pero entertained a few of his gentlemen friends to a game of cards last Monday evening. Mrs. Faculty Smith was over from Standish the fore part of the week, a guest at the Drummond home. Fred Decker, of Pigeon, purchased a 240 acre piece of land of P. R. Dinsmore this week, and will move here soon. H. A. Maxhurst, of Detroit, state agent for the Niagara Fire Insurance Co., transacted business in Turner last week. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wells and daughter, Florence, of Standish, left last Sunday evening for an extended trip in Florida and Cuba. Mrs. G. R. Bannan and little daughter, Mildred, of Bay City, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Isaac Kennel this week.

The Turner Cornet band made a trip to Whittemore last Saturday night, the roller rink being the center of attraction. All report a good time. Jacob Wagner, of Cincinnati, who bought the Charles Washer farm some time ago, arrived with his wife last Tuesday night and will move on to his new place at once. Roy P. Eymmer, A. D. Hammond, R. J. Spofford, G. A. Fuehr and P. R. Dinsmore attended the F. & A. M. at Omer last Thursday evening, R. P. Eymmer receiving the Master Mason degree. The Turner German band, an organization of very recent date, made its appearance for the first time last Monday night, and our merchants all received a good share of their melodious music. Here's hoping they continue the good work. Our band boys are figuring on a series of dances, suppers and various other entertainments in the near future. The proceeds will go toward purchasing uniforms, etc., and it is hoped that everyone will assist as much as possible in this work.

The primary election for the nomination of circuit judge from this circuit will be held next Wednesday, March 1. Judge Nelson Sharpe, the present incumbent, will have no opposition for the republican nomination, and apparently none from the democratic side for a re-election. At the republican county convention at Standish last Saturday, George H. Glasure was re-nominated for county school commissioner. Delegates to the State Convention were elected as follows: Judge J. W. Nunn, and J. C. Fry, Standish; C. W. Haste, Moores Junction; and J. J. Ranson, Omer.

While gunning a cross out saw last Friday afternoon, Loren Warner, residing near AuGres, had the misfortune to get a piece of steel in his right eye which he could not remove. He drove to Omer Sunday and had the steel taken from the eye by Dr. Owen, of Detroit, who happened to be in Omer that day.

Frank Walker passed away at his home in this village last Monday morning at the age of 69 years, heart trouble of which he has had several attacks recently, being the cause of his death.

Mr. Walker was born in Caladonia, Canada, and came to this country when a boy. At the age of 20 he was united in marriage to Miss Isabella Smith, of Midland, and immediately moved on a farm in Bever township, Bay county, where he lived until 14 years ago when he moved to Turner, and has since made this his home. Besides a wife he leaves two sons, Thomas and Ward to mourn his loss. The funeral services were held in the M. E. church Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Buel officiating.

EVERYTHING

You have been in the habit of buying of us can now be had at our store, and at the usual low prices which has established our reputation as the best place to buy reliable goods at lowest prices. This week we have received a big line of the famous R. K. & L. Shoes, the kind that always gives satisfaction. Also a handsome line of Ladies Skirts, including all the new spring styles, the very latest. New Dry Goods, Clothing and all other lines are arriving daily, so that we are now in a position to supply your every want. Our big new stock of Wall paper, is now ready for you.

ALBERT BLUMENAU

Curtis Building Whittemore, Michigan

AS TO OUR SENSE OF HUMOR

Life Would Be Dull Without It, But Its Manifestations Are Beyond Estimation. A dignified, retired judge in the east was brought near to death lately through a fit of laughter caused by a comparison of a woman in a hobble skirt to a giraffe with its feet tied together. The possessor of a keen sense of humor would hardly find this amusing, but it nearly killed the judge. So, too, a man in Lawrenceburg, Ind., laughed for 12 hours over the idea of trading a mule for a shaved-tail horse.

A sense of humor is often a safety valve to human beings. Life would be a dull thing without it, but its manifestations are beyond estimation. A recent writer speaks of the frequency with which it spoils the most pathetic scenes at the theater; of how that which should incite pity is mistaken by the thoughtless for a subject of mirth. The criticism is deserved, but it is to be doubted if it will correct a misplaced sense of humor which seems to be inherent in a considerable portion of the human race. There is no accounting for taste, even in matters of this sort, and there is no way to prevent grave and reverend jurists or mule traders from becoming victims of an undeveloped or a too greatly developed sense of humor.

A Dose of Her Own Medicine.

The wit of Mrs. Cavendish Bentinck, the daughter of Maturin Livingston, amused Newport during the summer. Newport laughed with special enjoyment over Mrs. Cavendish Bentinck's reply to a professional palmist who said to her: "Tell me, madam, do you think I'd succeed if I went to London and opened a parlor in Old Bond street?" "Ah, my friend, as to that," Mrs. Cavendish Bentinck replied, "you'd better look at your own palm and find out!"

Election Notice.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF STATE LANSING

To the Sheriff: You are hereby notified that a General Primary Election will be held in the several Judicial Circuits of this State on Wednesday, the first of March, 1911, for all political parties, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the office of Circuit Judge, as prescribed by Act No. 281 of the Public Acts of 1909.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto affixed my signature and the Great Seal of the State, at Lansing, this 30th day of January in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred eleven. FREDERICK C. MARTINDALE, Secretary of State.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Tawas City, Mich. To the Electors of Iosco County: In accordance with the above, you are hereby notified that a General Primary Election will be held in the Twenty-third Judicial Circuit of this State, on Wednesday, the first day of March, 1911, for all political parties, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the office of Circuit Judge, as prescribed by Act No. 281, of the Public Acts of 1909.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto affixed my signature at Tawas City, this 7th day of February, 1911. GEORGE HADWIN, Sheriff.

SUNBEAM COLLARS

The Horse Collar that gives satisfaction, because it is made to fit the horse, and give comfort while drawing a heavy load. It will be a good investment for you to have your team fitted with one. My stock is sufficiently large that I can fit you out right.

ED. LOUKS

Whittemore Michigan

Dr. A. B. Spinney of Detroit, Specialist of over 52 years' experience, will be at Hotel Iosco. Tawas City, Monday, March 6, from 7:00 a. m. to 2:00 p. m. Also at the Holland House, East Tawas Monday, March 6, from 2:00 p. m. to 7:00 p. m. Consultation free.

SICK PEOPLE SHOULD INVESTIGATE

I Know the Diseases of Both Sexes Like an Open Book. I have Been Curing Them for 49 Years. In fact, My Entire Life Has Been Devoted to Curing Where Others Have Failed.

I Have Changed Hundreds Upon Hundreds of Nervous Wrecks Into Fine, Strong Men and Women. I Accept No Case I Cannot Cure.

ESPECIALLY invite all discouraged and dissatisfied ones who have been treated without a cure to write me fully and frankly about their case. It will cost you nothing to write me, and I will gladly tell you your condition, truthfully, honestly—accepting no case that I cannot cure—holding out no false promises. I have spent my whole life in the study and cure of chronic diseases, and my study and investigation have been blessed by the discovery of many new and marvelous methods of treating disease. Forty-nine years ago I graduated from the Western Homopathic Medical College of Cleveland, O., for the degree of Doctor of Medicine.

I CURE NERVOUS TROUBLES—Wasting Away, Loss of Vitality in Both Sexes. Whether from excesses or overwork, I promptly and positively cure, no matter how long standing.

I CURE BLOOD POISON—I cure Blood Poison in the first, second and third stages—driving the poison from the system, the taint from the blood; curing pimples, copper spots, sores in the mouth, tumors and ulcers.

I CURE FITS—Epilepsy, St. Vitus Dance, Paralysis, etc., by striking direct at the cause, restoring the diseased nerves to perfect health.

I CURE PILES—in 30 days to stay cured and to never return.

I CURE CONSUMPTION, the Great White Plague, in the first and second stages. Have made a special study of this disease for fifty years. Have cured hundreds given up by home Doctors. Those I cannot treat at home by seeing or by mail, I will take to my Sanitarium, where best of medical skill, nursing and private rooms are given, for Ten Dollars a week.

I GUARANTEE TO CURE, to stay cured, liquor, morphine, cocaine, nicotine or cigarette habits. Most cases treated at home.

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