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## HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

Local, Personal and General News Furnished in Condensed Paragraphs for the Convenience of the Busy Reader

Haying is in full swing.  
Next Tuesday is the Fourth.  
Excursion to Alpena Sunday.  
Don't forget to cut the weeds.  
Fire insurance. F. F. French.  
Fire insurance. Henry Hanson.  
James H. Brown was at Bay City Wednesday.  
Rube Smith was down from Onaway over Sunday.  
C. V. Hicks, pianos and organs Alpena, Mich.  
Rudolph Stark was at Bay City on business Saturday.  
J. M. Wuggazer made a business trip to Bay City Monday.  
Joe Follette, of Onaway, spent Sunday with friends in this city.  
Huckleberries made their appearance in the market this week.  
Ludwig and Janssen Pianos, for sale by C. V. Hicks, Alpena.  
Miss Gertrude Moore left last Saturday for a visit at Detroit.  
L. G. Dafoe, of Alpena, was in the city on business Tuesday.  
Sheriff Hadwin took Will Sourwine to Jackson prison Wednesday.  
H. W. Buckle and family will occupy the J. H. Nisbet residence.  
The Tawas City base ball team will play at Whittemore the 4th.  
Neil McDonald returned Monday from a trip to the Upper Peninsula.  
J. B. Walker, of Alabaster, left Wednesday for a visit at Grand Rapids.  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pfeiffer are the parents of a fine son, born Monday.  
If you are in need of barn frame timber go to Reuben Wade, Tawas City.  
Mrs. J. B. King and Mrs. Nick Hart- ing Jr., spent last Saturday at Bay City.  
Frank LaBerge, of Ellake, spent a couple of days this week at East Tawas.  
If you are in need of lumber or shingles call on Reuben Wade, Tawas City.  
Mrs. L. L. Johnson is offering some extra low prices on millinery before removing.  
Deputy State Game Warden C. E. Petit, of Clare, was in the city on business yesterday.  
Miss Margaret McGill left last Saturday for Ypsilanti, where she will attend the summer school.  
Mrs. Fred Gaul, of Saginaw, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gaul, on the Hemlock.  
The Huron Shore Foresters Outing association will hold their annual outing at Tawas Beach August 10.  
Street Commissioner McGill has been busy this week repairing and re-planking the Mathew street bridge.  
The Tawas City base ball team went to Cooke Dam last Sunday and defeated the team there by a score of 8 to 4.  
H. C. Walker and son Mallory, of New York City, came yesterday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Walker.  
The Herald force have been kept exceptionally busy during the past two weeks with a large amount of job printing.  
Hugh McKiddie and sister, Mrs. Joseph Martin, of Alabaster, left yesterday for several weeks visit with relatives and friends at Montreal, Canada.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Malafant, of Au-Sable, were guests at the home of Mrs. M.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoshbach, a couple of days this week.  
Mrs. William Blumenthal, of Howell, and Mrs. Sam Marks and children, of Munising, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sempliner, and other relatives and friends in the Tawas.  
A basket picnic will be held in the grove at J. L. Brown's fishery, on the county line below Alabaster, on the Fourth. Mr. Brown will meet the train at Alabaster with his launch and take all to the grounds and return them in time for the evening train. Fare for the round trip 10 cents. Everybody attend and have a good time.

Marshall Smith, of Newberry, has been visiting relatives and friends here this week.  
Miss Johanna Gaul, of Detroit, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gaul, on the Hemlock.  
Chas. Hebel, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. C. E. Hebel, returned to Quincy, Ill. Monday.  
R. M. Rickey and family, of Detroit, came yesterday and will occupy the Martin cottage for a month.  
Mrs. H. C. McKinnon and little daughter, of Millersburg, are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. Griggs, of this city.  
Harold Brabant came home from Buffalo last Saturday for a few weeks visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Nels Brabant.  
W. F. Johnston, field manager of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau, was here on business last Saturday.  
Mrs. Will Malone, of Detroit, and Mrs. Joe Flint, of Bay City, are guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Anschuetz, of East Tawas.  
Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Schmaller left last Sunday for an extended summer vacation which they will spend through northern Michigan and Wisconsin.  
D. & M. Ry. summer excursions begin next Sunday with one from Bay City to Alpena. The following Sunday one will be run from Alpena to Bay City.  
John Samuelson, the Watkin's Remedy man, is calling on his customers in this county again. He is always welcome and finds lots of sales awaiting him.  
Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Friedman will leave next Wednesday for New York, from which place they will sail on Saturday for Europe for a 10 weeks visit.  
Leslie Bros. have completed the cutting of C. Johnson's logs in this city and on Tuesday moved their mill to the State road, where they have a small run before going to Alabaster.  
Detroit manufacturing concern needs a local representative in Tawas City; good salary and liberal commission; references. UNIVERSAL ACCESSORIES CO., Chamber of Commerce, Detroit.  
A western man says that one year, shortly after he came to Kansas, crops failed and the only support he and his family had was a flock of hens. The hens paid the grocery bills, clothed the family, and paid a mortgage on the land.  
As the Congregational church bell is out of repair, it will not ring next Sunday morning. Regular services will be held however. The pastor will use, as his subject, "The Hand of God in The American Nation."  
The Bay City Tribune of Wednesday last week contained a most comprehensive review of the work of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau, together with a lot of fine illustrations and descriptive articles. It is worth reading.  
The Bay City Tribune says that Mr. and Mrs. N. Robinson and daughter Nina will leave that city in a few days for Colorado, where they will reside. The move is made on account of Mr. R.'s health which has been very poor for a long time.  
A western bookseller wrote to a house in Chicago asking that a dozen copies of Canon Farrar's "Seekers After God" be shipped to him at once. Within two days he received this reply by telegraph: "No seekers after God in Chicago or New York—Try Philadelphia."  
Leo Hoshbach, of this city, and Miss Clara Wagatha, of East Tawas, were united in marriage Tuesday morning, by Rev. Fr. E. A. Kinney. They left on the evening train for an extended wedding trip. The Herald unites with their many friends in extending congratulations and wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

L. L. Johnson has purchased the business block of Thomas Curry, and will occupy the same with his jewelry stock and Mrs. Johnson's millinery stock.  
Miss Josie Bigelow left yesterday for a visit with relatives and friends at Detroit. She will be joined by Miss Davidson and they will visit Miss Lula E. Nye, at Madison, Ohio.  
During the next few days the Herald will mail statements to all subscribers whose subscription has expired, and we hope each will come forward with the amount due, as we are very much in need of the money.  
To save moving, Mrs. L. L. Johnson wishes to reduce her stock of millinery as low as possible, and to do so will offer it at a big reduction for the next few days. This is an opportunity worth taking advantage of.  
Will Woyahn arrived home from New Ulm, Minn., last Friday for the summer vacation. Will has completed his studies at the seminary there, and will begin teaching this fall. He has not as yet received his assignment.  
J. M. Wuggazer returned Wednesday morning from a meeting of the retail druggists' association which met at Bay City this week. Mrs. Wuggazer, who has been visiting at Kalamazoo for several weeks, returned with him.  
In Michigan and surrounding states the apple is a long lived tree, being good for from 40 to 60 years and some even more. In the middle and far west the trees come into bearing early; in some cases in five or six years, but in 12 or 13 years they are on the decline.  
A most pleasant farewell party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nisbet at the home of Postmaster and Mrs. W. B. Kelly last Monday evening, which was attended by a large number of their friends. Mr. and Mrs. Nisbet left Wednesday for their new home near Maple Ridge.  
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday July 4th, 5th and 6th 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.  
Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Rawden have been spending the week at Ann Arbor taking in the commencement exercises of the University of Michigan, from which institution Mr. Rawden's brother, George, will graduate at this time, from the dental department. Mr. Rawden will also attend a reunion of his class, Law 1901, which will be held this week.  
Merchants in many towns have started a crusade against the dirty egg. In some places the eggs are sorted out and put back in the crates, merchants refusing to take them at any price. In other places half price is paid. Certainly no fault can be found with such an arrangement. Why should a farmer expect to sell to a merchant dirty eggs which he would not buy himself?  
One reason for the popularity of postal savings banks is that deposits cannot be attached for debt, absolute secrecy must be maintained as to the identity of depositors, and courts are helpless in any attempt to force postmasters to produce their records. Money deposited in postal savings banks is not subject to attachment or other legal proceedings at the instance of creditors.  
The question of bonding the county for the purpose of building stone roads was agitated to considerable length at the meeting of the board of supervisors this week, and it was decided to have petitions circulated asking that the question be submitted to the voters at the regular election next spring. This question should not be jumped at. Do not say you are favorable or that you are opposed to the proposition until you have studied it and know what the cost and benefits. Next week the Herald will take the matter up and give its readers an idea of the plan proposed and the probable cost.  
The uniform success that has attended the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has made it a favorite everywhere. It can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

**Alfalfa in losco.**  
Alfalfa growing in losco County is rapidly on the increase, and is proving a most profitable crop to those who are raising it. The acreage will be largely increased this year, as it has been demonstrated that our soils are well adapted to the growing of this crop.  
T. F. Robinson, of Alabaster, is one of the enthusiastic believers in alfalfa. A year ago last spring Mr. Robinson sowed six acres. He secured an excellent catch. He cut the first crop this year last week and took off two tons of excellent fodder to the acre and will get at least two equally as good cuttings more this season.  
Last September Mr. Robinson fenced off one and a half acres into which he turned 23 head of hogs, which have had no other feed since, yet are now in fine condition for the market. In addition to the hogs four head of calves have been kept on this piece, and last week he had to cut it, and took off a good ton and a half of good hay.  
Mr. Robinson is so thoroughly convinced that there is no better crop to raise in this country that he is putting in 10 acres more this year and expects to seed 20 next spring.  
There are other farmers in the county who are successfully growing alfalfa, and the Herald would like to hear from them.

**The Board of Supervisors.**  
The board of supervisors met Monday pursuant to statute, which requires boards of supervisors to meet on the fourth Monday in June every five years to equalize the county for the benefit of the state board of equalization. The board made but little change in the equalization of last year, the county being equalized at \$1,995,000.  
Supervisor George C. Anschuetz, of Tawas, and T. F. Robinson, of Alabaster, were named by the board as a committee to appear before the state board of equalization at their meeting at Lansing in August.  
The board voted \$200.00 to pay the county's membership in the Northeastern Michigan Development bureau for 1911.  
The board transacted considerable other business and adjourned Wednesday.

**Two Gardens.**  
Last Saturday, in company with Field Manager Johnston, of the Northeastern Michigan Development bureau, the Editor visited Tawas Beach and viewed the work there being carried on by the D. & M. Ry. The first garden visited was their forestry reserve, where thousands of native trees and shrubs are being grown in well kept beds.  
Many of these young trees have been transplanted on the beach grounds and a few years hence they will be a native forest.  
The other garden is the flower and vegetable garden in charge of Charles Haight, wherein the fresh vegetables for the Beach hotel are grown. This is nothing more or less than a tract of about three acres of beach sand, yet we doubt if a better garden can be found in this section of Michigan. Vegetables, flowers, strawberries, etc., are growing in profusion and all show extraordinary advancement for this season, green peas being ready for use by the middle of June.  
Mr. Haight informs us that but a limited amount of fertilizer has ever been used on the ground. Yet he is able to grow garden crops equal to that produced on the best heavy garden lands. This garden will certainly surprise anyone who may visit it.

**Advertised Letters**  
List of letters remaining in Tawas City postoffice for the week ending July 1, 1911.  
Fayette, George  
Hill, Mrs. Wm.  
Hillard, George W.  
Ostrander, Mrs. Emelia  
Sackett, Mrs. Win  
When calling for the above please say advertised.  
WM. B. KELLY, Postmaster.

**Excursion to Bay City**  
Via D. & M. Ry. Sunday, July 9. Excursion train leaves Tawas City at 9:11 a. m. Round trip rate \$1.00; children between 5 and 12 half fare. Tickets good only on excursion train. See hand bills and D. & M. agents.

**BLACK VELVET IS EFFECTIVE**  
Just a Little Put on Your Gown Somewhere Will Help Make It Fashionable.  
One way of being fashionable this season is to introduce black velvet ribbon into the building of your gown. It matters not what particular part of your costume you garnish with this effective trimming.  
Also the amount used is a question of personal taste. The main point is that you realize the part black velvet ribbon is playing in fashionable fur-  
  
belows and gown yourself accordingly.  
Some of the more elaborate of the volle frocks for afternoon wear are embroidered in scallops around the bottom of the skirt, and under the scallops is placed a broad band of black velvet ribbon.  
Others are plain around the bottom, with the straight overskirt edged with ball fringe.  
Here the black velvet is used to give the waist line and is made into a chic bow with ends in the back or at the side-back.  
A particularly striking model has black velvet around the edge of the sleeves, finished on the top with a bow.  
A tailored tie, the ends caught with silk tassels, gives a touch of black at the front.  
One unusual white chiffon evening gown is given long sweeping lines by bands of ribbon placed across the shoulders and extended to the hem of the dress.  
**TEXTILE PROBLEM IS VITAL**  
**Women Should Learn How to Detect Imitations and Combinations of Inferior Fibres.**  
The textile problem is becoming one of vital interest and importance because of the many imitations of standard goods that are constantly being put on the market at a reasonable price. Because of the desire of women for rich, expensive looking materials, at a moderate price, manufacturers have striven to produce goods to meet the demand by combining textile fibres of different origin, or inferior fibres with good, producing rich and effective fabrics which are often so well finished that it takes a shrewd shopper to detect the imitation before the material is used or laundered, as the case may be.  
Women, as a whole, are not good judges of values and depend largely upon the prices asked for goods rather than upon their ability to judge quality. If we had laws governing textile purity, as we have food, the shopper would know for what she was paying and could govern herself accordingly.—Annie L. Robinson, Colorado Agricultural College, Fort Collins.  
As a Rule.  
Old Man Toner says: "Y can always tell th' beauty o' the architect's drawing what yer house ain't goin' to look like when it's finished."

**A TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.**  
**Edith I. Barhite a School Teacher Killed by a Train in This Village.**  
Our village was the scene of a tragedy on Thursday night of last week which resulted in the death of Miss Edith I. Barhite, in a manner most shocking. The exact particulars of the accident are unknown, as there were no witnesses to it. The generally accepted theory, sustained by the most reliable information obtainable, indicates that the lady was killed by a D. & M. engine which backed through the village sometime between 11:30 and 12 o'clock that night, and the body was discovered by baggage man Zemke, of the night passenger, which arrived here at about 1:15 a. m.  
Miss Barhite had closed her labors as principal of the schools at Maple Ridge and came to this village that evening to take the train for Hillman, where she conducted a summer normal. She went to the Hotel Turner to wait for the train due here at 12:14 a. m. Mrs. McPhail states that when she retired Miss Barhite was lying on the couch in the sitting room, which was the last time she was seen alive. It is supposed that she heard the whistle of an engine which passed here going north and thinking it was the passenger got up and rushed to the depot, and as she crossed the track was struck by the engine. The engine was running backward and carried only lanterns and no headlight.  
When the night passenger arrived here Baggage man Zemke got off the train and found the body. D. A. Foley and A. D. Hammond were on the train returning from Omer, and were left in charge of the body by the train crew. Dr. McDowell and Justice Jennings were notified. Justice Jennings impaneled the following coroner's jury: F. W. Whitehouse, A. D. Hammond, R. P. Eymmer, C. W. Houghton, Dan Norris, and A. L. Scott.  
The body was badly mangled, the right leg being severed below the knee, the skull fractured and a scalp wound several inches long, and other injuries. Miss Barhite's watch stopped at 11:50, which indicates the time of the accident.  
After viewing the remains the inquest was set for Friday evening, when a partial hearing was had and an adjournment taken to Thursday evening, June 29.  
Miss Barhite was a highly respected lady and a teacher of exceptional ability. She had resided at Maple Ridge for the past year with her invalid sister, Miss Myrtle. Her parents and a married sister, Mrs. Lillian Richardson, reside at Luther, Lake county. Mrs. Richardson arrived here Saturday morning and accompanied by Miss Myrtle returned with the remains on the 10:00 o'clock train.—Turner Press.

**Officers Named.**  
Lansing, June 28.—Governor Osborn has announced the appointment of Major W. R. Oates as state game, fish and forestry warden to succeed Charles S. Pierce on July 1; W. M. Palmer, of Grand Rapids, to be a member of the board of library commissioners; Perry F. Powers to be state labor commissioner, succeeding R. H. Fletcher July 1; D. N. Travis, of Flint, to be secretary to the governor, and O. W. Millard, of Helsey, as member of the board of control of the home for the feeble minded at Lapeer.

**To The Chronic Kicker.**  
If you are a kicker and see the shadows of failure in everything that is proposed to help the town (or heaven's sake go into some secluded canyon and kick your own shadow on the clay bank and give the men who are working to build up the town a chance. One long-faced, hollow-eyed, whining, capping, chronic kicker can do more to keep away business and capital from a town than all the drouths short crops, chinch bugs, cyclones and blizzards combined.

**Circus Rates to Bay City.**  
Account Forebaugh & Sells Bros. Circus. Excursion will leave Tawas City at 6:40 a. m. Saturday, July 8th. Round trip fare \$1.25; children half rate. See hand bills and D. & M. agents. A splendid opportunity to see a high grade circus.

**Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau.**  
The counties embraced in what is known as Northeastern Michigan extending from the Saginaw river to the Straits of Mackinac, an empire in itself, builded better than they knew when they organized an association for the development of that region a couple of years ago.  
It has been demonstrated that those who want things in these hustling days of modern methods must go out after them.  
Organization and hustle is the watchword. It is in line with this spirit that almost every city and town in the country has its wideawake business organization, formed for the purpose of inducing and promoting logical development in business and industries.  
Larger development associations exist in many states, particularly in the west where wide areas seek settlers.  
For years the section of country which forms the subject of this sketch has grown spasmodically in spots. Many small and flourishing villages and a few cities have grown up and prospered. But the possibilities of this empire were inadequately advertised and not generally understood. Persistent advertising by associations in other states lured people seeking homes in desirable localities to the far west and to the Canadian north-west provinces where the struggle with solitude and the elements were the chief characteristic until within a comparative recent period.  
Northeastern Michigan was not advertised and consequently was passed by on the other side by the great tide of people looking for homes. Stories were rife that little of the soil was fertile and worth settlement.  
During the last few years much of the general misunderstanding was brushed away. Large tracts of wild land were brought up and stocked with cattle and sheep and the results were so satisfactory that others moved in and there are today more than one hundred stock ranches being conducted profitably. It was also found the greater portion of the soil was not only suitable for stock raising, but for fruit production and agriculture. Many settlers were attracted by the inducements held out. The advantages include sufficient timber for fuel, the best watered section of the country with no end of streams and lakes and swift running streams. Railway communication and the best markets in the country at the door.  
Then the wideawake inhabitants desiring to induce more settlers, organized the development association.  
It has been a pronounced success from the start, and has accomplished grand results in making known to the people of the country the advantages of the northeastern section of Michigan. Thousands seeking for homes have drifted past this region to fare worse, because they did not know.  
The Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau is earnestly and persistently at work, not in the interest of one country or one locality but in promoting the growth and development of every bit of territory it represents. It will accomplish greater results in the future for the reason that the organization is now perfected, the plans of progress carefully mapped out, and day by day it is learning more and more how to secure the greatest results.—Bay City Tribune.

**Don't Neglect The Small Fruits**  
Small fruits should be in every farm garden and are worthy to be given the same regular consideration that is furnished the corn crop. The table can be more economically provided, besides the health of the family better insured and the pleasure of living much increased with the fresh fruit direct from nature. Farmers often neglect the small fruit because they think the products can be purchased easier and cheaper than they can be grown; but where it is thus left the universal result is that the family goes without and eats salt pork and beans instead. We should not be discouraged because enemies exist in the form of insects and fungi, for they do not as a general rule trouble the small patch in the general farming district as much as large areas in fruit growing sections. But to work systematically, have a regular time for the work and do not leave it to the children alone but all work together to make this the best spot on the farm.

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Every man who departs from the rule of right living and right doing commits a two-fold injury—to himself and to the world.

How easy it is to believe in the goodness of Divine providence when things go the way we want them, and how difficult when things go contrary.

True religion ever gains the respect of men, even of those who make no pretense of religion. It is the hollow sham of religion—the counterfeit—for which the world has contempt.

The man who is a constant failure in the city is not going to prove a success on the farm. It needs something more than a change of scene and occupation to make a success of such people.

Poverty may be the misfortune of the poor and the crime of the rich, and it is when men of great wealth band together to keep wages at the lowest point that they may reap extortionist profits.

Not by all the outward forces that may be employed can a person be compelled to believe or disbelieve. The soul is free and will think for itself, and if it has courage will act as it thinks.

Of some men the world knows nothing of their virtues until they are found recorded on tombstones. Other men so live that they do not have to wait for tombstones to be erected—their virtues are seen in their daily life.

As one reads of all the diseases for which flies and mosquitoes are responsible, and of the deadly ravages made by countless microbes, it is nothing short of a miracle that our ancestors ever managed to live, still it is a good thing to swat the obnoxious fly, exterminate dangerous germs, get into the fresh air, drink plenty of water, and keep clean.

There would have been fewer political scandals and other unpleasant things to mourn over if more good people had only done their duty and done it intelligently. As it was, many were too indifferent or too careless to do anything, thereby giving bad men their opportunity and their harvest. The past cannot be undone, but it is within the power of the right thinking people of the country to make a reputation of such evils exceedingly rare.

The morbid crowds, crazy for excitement and accidents, that crowd the usual speed auto meets remind one of the crowds that thronged the Coliseum in ancient Rome to witness gladiatorial fights. There is the same callousness for human life, the same demand for danger and the sensational, and the same disappointment if no one is killed. Very nearly the only thing wanting to complete the analogy is "thumbs down" and even that is present in spirit. In truth the speed races do not present true sport, but only dangerous "thrillers" designed to draw and please a sensation loving crowd.

The Imperial Conference in London has been on a different basis from the conferences previously held. Those conferences were "Colonial," while the last was "Imperial," and the representatives from the Dominion of Canada, Commonwealth of Australia, Union of South Africa and Dominion of New Zealand met on an equal footing with the representatives of Great Britain, and Mr. Asquith, the British prime minister, cordially welcomed his "colleagues." All this is interesting as showing the growing self-consciousness of the British colonies, and that the lesson of 1776 has been taken to heart by the mother country.

The advice given to its employees by one of the leading railroads to cultivate the habit of saving by setting apart a small sum of money each day is commendable. While the conditions of life in this country may not call for such minute economy as is necessary in European countries, there is, after all, a great need of thrift. Americans are a spendthrift people and oftentimes the results are disastrous. Much poverty and distress and many a domestic tragedy would be prevented if families were more economical. The pendulum swings in business just as in other things, and the extreme of prosperity is invariably followed sooner or later by a reaction. Then, when it is too late, many people lament and suffer because they did not save when it was within their power.

The tramp problem is both large and expensive. It costs the state of New York something like \$2,000,000 every year to look after its "Weary Willies," and there is an additional annual loss to the state of something like \$10,000,000 through the robberies, fires and depredations for which the fraternity is responsible. Many attempts have been made to solve the problem, but they have touched only the edge of it. Learning from what has been so successfully done in several European countries, notably Switzerland, it is now proposed to start farm colonies and set tramps to work that they may be producers as well as consumers. The plan, if it is put in execution, will be watched with interest, for anything that will convert the shiftless, indolent and often dangerous hobo into a self-respecting and serviceable member of society will be joyfully welcomed.

Some people over in Canada, with more zealous patriotism than wisdom, suggest the development of a distinctly Canadian language to the extent of having a distinct pronunciation, accent, and other features. Even if the project were reasonable, which it is not, it is not feasible. In olden times when traveling was as rare as it now is common, and when, as in England, many people never left the parish in which they were born, and to go into another county was regarded as quite an event among the common people, it was possible to retain the dialect for which each county was noted. But the case and frequency with which people now go from one country to another not only results in modifying dialects within limited areas, but also tends to bring about a uniformity of pronunciation, spelling and idioms of the English language. Therefore the plan of the Canadian enthusiasts is doomed to failure.

**Promoting a Town's Welfare.**

Not unoften small cities start organizations to which is given the titles of "Chamber of Commerce," "Board of Trade," or others equally pretentious. The motive for such organizations is good, but after a fitful and brief career the organization dies out with nothing accomplished. As a rule, the failure is due to attempting too much, or in not having clearly defined methods of operation. Naturally when expectations are not realized, or when nothing definite is attempted discouragement results and the whole thing fizzles out ingloriously. And yet there is not a town but can be bettered by wise, organized operation on the part of its citizens. What is needed first of all is a spirit of union. If factional feeling shows itself, failure is certain, for whatever project one faction proposes is sure to be opposed by the other faction, not on its merits but out of sheer contrariness.

Then, common sense is imperative. For a town of one or two thousand to attempt what is possible only for a city of thirty thousand is much the same, and as foolish, as a family on an income of \$1,500 trying to live like the family that has an income of \$5,000. Common sense will dictate moderation of desire and reasonableness in effort. One great need as to industries, is to find out what advantages a community may possess for certain lines of business and then to work energetically and sensibly to secure them.

In the matter of internal improvement by which the town may be made far more attractive in material beauty, and in social and moral life, there is always much that can be done by earnest-minded and intelligent men and women working harmoniously together in the spirit of loyalty and local pride. In fact it should be the aim of every citizen to make the community a better place in which to live—a place in which there may be found the maximum of comfort, conveniences, municipal improvements and of aids to right living and true enjoyment.

**Economy of Good Roads.**

The economic loss due to bad roads is beyond computation and the indifference of the general public toward any projected improvement of our highways is not easily understood. Each owner of property must be held accountable for the conditions of highways of his locality.

Of our public works the condition of one reflect our business status more accurately than the condition of our highways. To make good roads so that products of the farm are easily and quickly brought to this market is to increase the value of every farm along those roads and is practically to increase the farmers' facilities and lessen their expenses; at the same time making this town a bigger and better market for farm produce.

If every citizen could see in actual money the financial return on his investment in good roads he would contribute his share thereafter with alacrity. He has drained the swamps on his land and

converted them into arable land. He has bought improved farm implements—he has, in fact, adopted all modern methods—in order to increase the productivity of his land. But the marketing of his farm products is still seriously hindered by defective highways. The actual returns on any investment in improving the roads to market are just as direct and even more prompt than are those from farm drainage and improved farming methods.

In these days of automobiling good roads open up a much wider range of vision for the rural inhabitants and the same conditions that enable our residents to visit other sections induce residents of other communities to visit this locality. This intercommunication results in a kind of advertising that inevitably increases the value of property by bringing the results accruing from the building of good roads comprise an endless chain of benefits to the community who builds the roads.

**Summer At Bay View.**

The Bay View announcements are out and promise the tide of vacation people to that fair summer city, pleasures and privileges of the highest order. From a wilderness 35 years ago Bay View has become the largest watering place and summer educational center in the west. In the past few years it is said there has been a large increase of young people, teachers and college people. There is a reason for this. Bay View has not trusted in its wonderful climate alone, but organized recreations; it has appealed to the best people, and has wisely kept living expenses down. There are three modern two and three dollar hotels, but by taking furnished rooms, of which there are hundreds, and dining at the well supplied cottage dining rooms, one can cut living expenses to a dollar a day. Of course, the drawing magnets are the assembly, with its brilliant programs, and the highly organized summer university, opening July 17. In recent years the Bay View conferences have begun to attract wide notice. There are four: Bible, Missionary, Labor, and Social Welfare and Good Health, each in charge of people of national reputation. J. M. Hall, Boston Boulevard, Detroit, is at the head of Bay View work, and on request will always send the announcements.

**Growth of the Fruit Business.**

For years the advice has been freely given to American people to eat more fruit. The advice has been taken, and Americans are eating more fruit. The census of fruit trees for 1910 shows the increase in the orchard industry to be stupendous. From the home orchard of a few apple, pear and peach trees, with occasional plum and cherry trees, the orchard has grown to be one of the big commercial propositions of the country. Hundreds of millions of trees have come into bearing in the last decade. Men can remember when fresh fruits, except in season in their immediate locality, were rare. Now fresh fruit comes across the continent by hundreds of train-loads. The fruit season is continuous, and the season for each species of fruit is lengthened from a few weeks to nearly the whole year.

**Excursion to Alpena**

Via D. & M. Ry. Sunday, July 2, Excursion train leaves Tawas City at 9:15 a. m. Round trip rate \$1.00; children between 5 and 12 half fare. Tickets good only on excursion train. See hand bills and D. & M. agents.

There is one medicine that every family should be provided with and especially during the summer months, viz: Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is almost sure to be needed. It costs but a quarter. Can you afford to be without it. For sale by all dealers.

**Bids Wanted.**

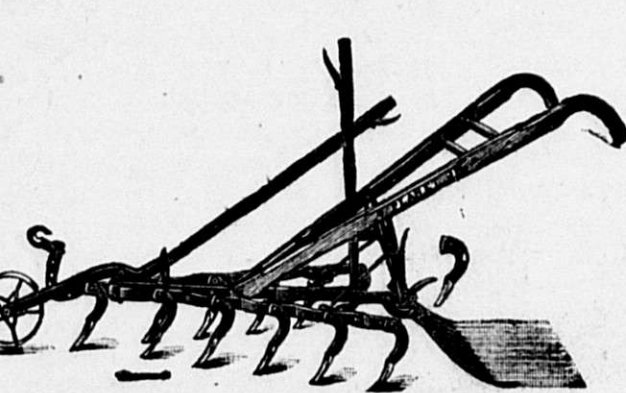
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will receive sealed bids for the raising of the roof and building a second story to the school building in district No. 1, Alabaster township. Plans and specifications may be seen by calling on the undersigned. Bids will be received up to and including July 1, 1911. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved by the board.

By order of the board of school district No. 1, Alabaster township.  
HARRY PRESTON, Director.

**Circus Rates to Alpena.**

Account Forepaugh & Sells Bros. Circus. Excursion train will leave Tawas City at 7:05 a. m., Monday, July 10th. Round trip fare \$1.25; children half rate. See hand bills and D. & M. agents. A splendid opportunity to see a high grade circus.

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You can pick up dollars here by our discount system. But this is not luck; it is simply business—good business.  
We get a discount for cash, and in turn give a discount to you for cash. That is a fair proposition, isn't it?  
For each purchase made at our store a printed check will be given you similar to sample printed here-with. All cash checks are valuable. Save them, and when you get checks amounting to ten dollars present them at our store and receive 50 cents in trade free.  
Cut out sample check and we will count it as one dollar on the first collection. Get nine dollars more, then you are entitled to 50 cents in trade FREE.  
A savings bank will pay you 3 per cent on the money you save. Trade with us and we will pay you 5 per cent on the money you spend.  
Begin today and get your dividends. "A penny saved is a penny earned." It pays to pay cash.  
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**Mortgage Sale.**  
Default having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage dated the fifteenth day of February, A. D. 1908, executed by J. F. Williams and Jeanette Williams, his wife, of Otsego Lake, Michigan, to The State Bank of Frank W. Hubbard & Co., of Bad Axe, Michigan, a banking corporation, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for the county of Iosco and state of Michigan, on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1908, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 18 of mortgages on page 139, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of five hundred and forty one dollars, and thirty cents, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the said mortgage described, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with seven per cent interest and twenty-five dollars, provided for said mortgage, at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Tawas City (that being the place where the circuit court for said county is held) on Tuesday, the 18th day of July, A. D. 1911, at two o'clock in the afternoon, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for the county of Iosco and state of Michigan, and being in Iosco county, Michigan, known and described as follows, to-wit: The southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of the northwest quarter (NW 1/4) and the northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of the southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of section twenty-two (22) in township twenty-two (22) north of range five (5) east. Dated April 15, 1911. STATE BANK OF FRANK W. HUBBARD & CO., Mortgagee.  
W. T. BOWEN, Attorney for Mortgagee, Business address, Bad Axe, Mich.

**Order for Publication.**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Iosco.  
At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Tawas City in said county, on the fifth day of June, A. D. 1911. Present: Hon. Alfred R. Weir, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of John W. Sourwine, deceased. John Jordan, administrator, having filed in said court petition, praying for license to sell the interest in said estate in certain real estate therein described.  
It is ordered, that the third day of July, A. D. 1911, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.  
It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.  
A true copy. ALFRED R. WEIR, Judge of Probate.

**Order for Publication.**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Iosco.  
At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Tawas City in said county, on the twenty-sixth day of May, A. D. 1911. Present: Hon. Alfred R. Weir, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of August Berlich, deceased. Frank Korner having filed in said court a petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.  
It is ordered, that the third day of July, A. D. 1911, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.  
It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.  
A true copy. ALFRED R. WEIR, Judge of Probate.

**Chancery Notice.**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, Circuit Court for the County of Iosco, in Chancery.  
Margaret J. Stuck, Complainant,  
vs.  
Chas. B. Stuck, Defendant.  
In this case, it appearing by affidavit on file, that the defendant, Chas. B. Stuck, is a resident of this state and that a subpoena to appear and answer has been duly issued to him, but could not be served upon the said Chas. B. Stuck by reason of his continued absence from this state and from his place of residence.  
On motion of Albert W. Black, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that the appearance of said defendant, Chas. B. Stuck, be entered in this cause within four months from the date of this order, and that in case of his appearance that he cause his answer to the bill of complaint to be filed and a copy thereof served upon the solicitor for the complainant within fifteen days after service on him or his solicitor of a copy of said bill of complaint, and in default thereof that said bill be taken as confessed by said defendant, Chas. B. Stuck.  
And it is further ordered that the said complainant cause this order to be published in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said county, and that such publication be commenced within seven days from the date of this order, and that such publication be continued therein once in each week for six weeks, or until such time as the complainant cause a copy of this order to be personally served on the said defendant, Chas. B. Stuck, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for his appearance.  
Dated May 31, 1911.  
JNO. A. MARK, Register.  
A. W. BLACK, Solicitor for Complainant.

**Noxious Weed Notice.**  
To owners, occupiers or possessors of lands, or any person or persons, firm or corporation having charge of any lands in this state:  
Notice is hereby given that all noxious weeds growing on any lands anywhere within the below named township, or within the limits of any highway, passing by or through such lands, must be cut down and destroyed on or before the first day of July, 1911. All brush growing along the right-of-way of any highway must also be cut down and destroyed on or before the above date.  
Failure to comply with this notice, on or before the date mentioned, or within ten days thereafter, shall make the parties so failing liable for the cost of cutting the same and an additional levy of ten per cent of such cost, to be levied and collected against the property in the same manner as other taxes are levied and collected.  
Dated this 15th day of June, 1911.  
J. H. THOMAS, Commissioner of Highways, Township of Tawas, County of Iosco, State of Michigan.

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Dated this 5th day of June, 1911.  
JOE CAVERLY, Commissioner of Highways, Township of Burlingame, County of Iosco, State of Michigan.

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# At Pine Hill Junction

A statistician has hunted up the figures to prove that 98 out of every 100 true lovers have at least one quarrel before marriage. The two percent who escape the quarrel are not worth writing about. They really know nothing about love.

Miss Mildred Christie and Charles Osgood belonged to the 98 per cent, and more. The young lady had it down in her diary that they had quarreled five times in the six months they had been engaged. It is of no use to ask what the quarrels were about. When they feel like it they can get up a row about the man in the moon.

Five foolish quarrels and five blissful make-ups and the sixth quarrel under way within ten minutes after Charles Osgood had entered the parlor of the Christie mansion on a certain evening.

Miss Mildred had been shopping in the afternoon. She had met a gentleman of her acquaintance who had had the misfortune to lose a leg and had a cork one to replace it. They had stood on a street corner and chatted for five minutes. Mr. Osgood had passed by on the other side and noticed it and from that moment a thundercloud rested on his intellectual brow. He carried it to the Christie mansion with him. It was noticed as soon as he entered and was met with the query:

"Well, I suppose I've committed murder again?"

"Miss Christie," answered the thunder cloud, "I saw you today talking with a man on the street!"

"Well?"

"That man has a cork leg! I know him and I know he has a cork leg! Can you not understand—can you never be made to understand that—?"

"I prefer a man with a cork leg to one with a wooden head, Mr. Christie!"

"Meaning me?"

"As you like it!"

Mr. Christie arose. The thunder cloud deepened. The lightning flashed. He wanted to strike and shatter and destroy, but he held on to himself until he had made a frigid bow and left the house and then took it out on a newsboy who asked him if he wanted to sell his face. The sixth and last! Weeks and months went by. No notes—no bouquets—no calls! The ice man went his rounds and the big world moved on.

On a certain railroad in the United States is a junction called Pine Hill. Trains there connect with a trolley line. At the junction there is a shed and a platform.

On a certain summer day there were three arrivals at the junction within an hour. The first arrival was a farmer's wife who plumped down on a hard seat and exclaimed:

"Now, then, I s'pose I've got to wait here 'till the cows come home!"

The next arrival was Charles Osgood.

Then the bob-tailed trolley car rolled in from somewhere and there was a third arrival. Miss Mildred Christie, who had been visiting country relatives, walked in and took a seat. Mr. Osgood gave a gasp. The farmer's wife uttered a chuckle. Miss Mildred was about to give a start and turn pale when she brought all her resolution to bear and didn't do it.

"Nice day!" said the farmer's wife from her seat, eight feet away.

No answer.

"Nice hot day."

No answer.

"But not as hot as a year ago to-day when I was almost sunstruck. Lord, but they thought I was a goner!"

Mr. Osgood was looking at the board wall and Miss Christie had her eyes on the floor. The farmer's wife went out on the platform for ten minutes, and then strolled back. No change in the situation.

"I wish there was an old cow here for me to talk to!" sighed the woman as she sat down. "If you two folks are dummys why don't you carry slates to write on? I fell down and bit my tongue once and couldn't talk for a week. I had to write with a piece of chalk, and I tell you I kept my old man busy. If you are dummys you needn't be ashamed to say so. I'm not the one to make fun of anybody."

Miss Christie wanted to giggle, but she didn't.

Mr. Osgood wanted to smile, but he didn't.

"Well, I'll go out again," said the farmer's wife as she rose up. "I'm no great hand to talk, but I'll be snugged if I can bear to sit around like a bump on a log. If you two people want to sit and not and never move a toe then go right ahead. If I was a girl again that stick of a fellow would either be talking to me or I'd knock the reason why!"

Walk, walk, walk, for five minutes, and then the farmer's wife came nearer to say, as if to herself:

"He's still got a poked down his back, and she hasn't moved her little toe! Lord, but what folks there be in this world! No wonder eggs have gone up to forty cents a dozen! Well, keep it up if it does you any good."

"Mildred!"

"Char—Charlie!"

"I'm sorry—very sorry."

"So am I."

And when the good woman came again and found them sitting side by side with a look of happiness on their faces, she held up her hands and exclaimed:

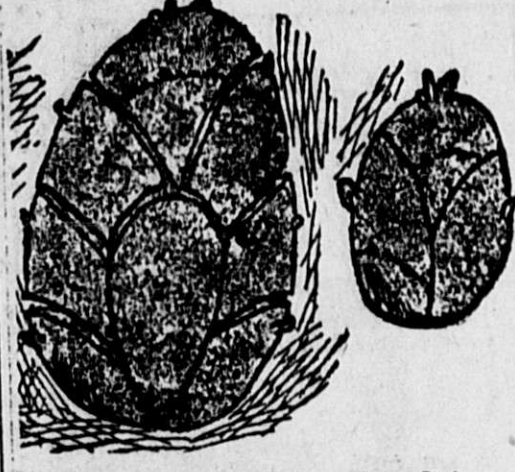
"And you'd have gone right along being two idiots all your lives if it hadn't been for me!"

## LOOKING TO SEED POTATOES

Should Be Carefully Examined and Only Those Entirely Free From Disease Used.

(By R. G. WEATHERSTONE.)

Seed potatoes should be carefully examined for traces of dry rot. Only potatoes entirely free from disease should be planted, for diseased seed will be sure to grow a diseased crop. Dry rot shows as dark or black spots running through the potato from the stem end. Usually the stem end of the potato, when diseased, will show a sunken appearance around the stem. In any case the dark spots show in the tubers when cut across



How Seed Potatoes Are Cut.

near the stem end with a knife; in cases of bad infection, the black spots may run half way through the tubers. Where the infection is slight, it may occur only near the stem end. Of course, some of the tubers may be free from spots, and these are safe for planting on new land, but the disease lives over in the soil as well as in the tubers.

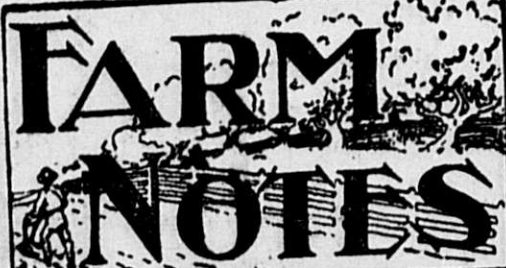
Where the disease has not penetrated more than one-third the length of the potato, the half of the potato toward the bud end may be used for seed with better promise. In such cases, the knife used for cutting should be dipped in a solution of corrosive sublimate, formaldehyde or carbolic acid after cutting diseased tubers, and before cutting others.

The usual seed treatment for scab, etc., will be very useful to kill dry-rot spores which may adhere to tubers and may be applied to the healthy portions after separation from the diseased parts of potatoes.

The means by which late blight is carried from place to place is the chief question which interests the shippers and planters of seed potatoes. This is restricted to tubers which show the dry rot. These carry the fungus in a semi-dormant state, which develops after the tuber is planted, and spreads to the leaves of the growing plants. The purchaser has the matter entirely in his own hands. If he insists on all sound tubers and plants, only such there will be no danger of introducing late blight with them.

Blight is probably never carried on the surface of the tubers.

**Do Not Neglect Gardens.**  
The fact is notorious that the farmer's garden is not as well cared for as that of the artisan. In fact, it is in many instances entirely wanting. Usually the larger the farm the more insignificant the garden. The excuse given is that the farmer hasn't the time. The answer to this is clear. A good garden adds to the comfort and enjoyment of the farmer's family, and aids in promoting health. No farmer is justified in being so busy that he cannot furnish what is essential to the well being of his home.



The drains should be properly laid out and carefully graded.

Encourage the boy to fit some live stock to show at the local fair.

You give the weeds a big advantage if you let them go to seed. The best fertilizer for asparagus is rotted manure from grain-fed hogs.

The manure for peas, beans and onions should be fine, rich and well rotted.

Salt seems to add greatly to the palatability of tankage, whether fed dry or in slop.

Manure as well as fertilizers should be thoroughly mixed in the soil before drilling in the seed.

By sowing a pinch of lettuce seed every ten days there will always be tender salad for the table.

There is nothing about good tankage or meat that is in any way injurious to hogs of any ages.

The Peruvian guano substitute is the standard truck fertilizer for quick growth and heavy returns.

Rich horse manure and urine from grain-fed cattle is far superior to fertilizers and very much cheaper.

Truckers prefer rotted horse manure for vegetables, as it is finer, richer and can be spread easily.

A profitable crop cannot be grown on land deficient in humus, which is the same thing as rotted sod or rotted manure with fertilizer alone.

The loss incurred from plant diseases is often underestimated by the farmer, passes unrecognized or is regarded as natural and inevitable.

## Force of Habit

On his way home that evening Brill unconsciously felt several times the crackling papers in his pocket. Whenever he did so he swelled out his chest and remembered how relieved and happy and cheerful he was. For the first time since his marriage, which was six years before, Brill was entirely out of debt. He had that day paid the last note the bank held against him.

All those six years he and Ida had been paying for the house. They had bought it to start housekeeping in, in bold defiance of the advice of their elders, who bemoaned their loading themselves with debt at the very outset of their married life. If they wanted to do such a crazy thing, was the general cry, why didn't they go into it more moderately? The idea of two persons with their income purchasing a \$5,000 place when one costing \$1,200 would have suited their resources so much better!

Their relatives rehearsed the various calamities which might follow their rash venture. If John didn't die he might lose his job and what if either of them should have a long and lingering illness? Besides, both John and Ida were pleasure loving and never in the world would have the moral courage to make the necessary sacrifices.

In the first enthusiasm of having such a nice house to live in the debt did not loom ominous.

"Why, Ida said, gaily, 'it's so perfect, splendid, having this instead of a stuffy four-room flat like everybody else has that I shan't mind giving up things a bit!'"

That was at first. When days followed days they began to look at each other seriously over the papers covered with figures. They loved the theater and now they had to give it up. In fact they had to give up almost everything they had enjoyed, even their friends. If their friends entertained them it meant that they must entertain in return.

Life resolved itself into a grim struggle to make their payments. Ida's clothes got shabby and Brill learned to walk by a cigar case and keep his eyes straight ahead. They learned to stay at home evening after evening and they took to reading aloud as a diversion and to the multiplication table and long division as a necessity. So it had been a long, hard struggle and now Brill was glad it was ended.

"It seems queer," he said at dinner that night for the dozenth time, "to think that it's all over—that we haven't got to scrimp and pinch and save money for anything special! We can have a better time now!"

"We'll enjoy life," Ida said dreamily, resting her chin on her clasped hands. "Think of all the things we can do!"

"Well, what shall we do?" asked Brill?

His wife regarded him with a puzzled look. "Why, I don't know," she said, slowly. "All the things we've wanted to do and couldn't since we were married, I suppose. And it will be fine not to have the worry."

They stayed at home that evening, fitfully reading and discussing the fact that they were out of debt and removed from the necessity of scrimping. When Brill started downtown in the morning he remembered to throw out his chest as he descended the front steps, for did he not own his home and have his full salary to spend?

They had a fine time for a while discussing the treats they would have. They did go to the theater and they bought some new clothes and Ida joined a literary club. But after a while Brill grew restless.

"I don't know what's the matter with me," he said. "I guess it's just nerves. I don't feel right. Something seems wrong somehow."

"There doesn't seem much to do," his wife agreed. "I can't get up an interest in anything."

They grew silent and abstracted. Brill developed a habit of idly making marks with his pencil on the blank pad of paper on which they had done their figuring during the past year.

One night he came home late to dinner a little breathless, but with a light in his eye. He spoke rapidly and almost defiantly.

"I suppose you'll be furious at me," he said, "but I ran across a good investment where property is bound to go up—and I've bought a small store building for \$7,000 with six years to pay the mortgage and—"

"That's splendid!" Interrupted his wife, excitedly. "We can do it just as well as not! I've thought of a new way to cut down our expenses and I'm dying to try it! It'll be fun to plan again and feel that we're really doing something!"

"Well," said her relieved husband, as he reached for the pad of paper, "it does seem to give one something to live for to be honestly in debt again and have to fight to get out!"

According to Scripture. Mother came with slow and silent step from the sick room and said to little Robert, "Your little baby brother is very ill, Robert, dear, and I am afraid he will die."

"Well, mamma, if he does die he won't go to the bad place."

"Why, Robert, what makes you say that?"

"Oh, I know! You see, he can't, mamma, 'cause he ain't got no teeth to gnash!"—Judge.

## Home-Seekers' Rates to Michigan

July 4 and 18, August 1 and 15, September 5 and 19, October 3 and 17, November 7 and 21, December 5 and 19, 1911, home-seekers' tickets will be sold from Chicago, Michigan City, Benton Harbor, South Bend, Niles, Jackson, Sturgis, Hillsdale and Toledo to the following points on the Detroit & Mackinac Railway: Linwood (Linwood Park), for \$6.00; Augres, Twining, Prescott, Rose City, East Tawas, AuSable (Oscoda), Lincoln, Harrisville and Black River for \$7.00; to Ossineke, Alpena, Hillman, and Metz for \$7.50; Millersburg, Onaway, Aloha (Mullet Lake) and Cheboygan for \$8.00. Tickets will be issued with return limit to leave destination not later than eight days, including date of sale, and to reach original starting point not later than midnight of the ninth day, including date of sale.

These fares have been tendered to railroads in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and other states with request that they sell through tickets. This arrangement will allow home-seekers from a large territory to come to Michigan and purchase good farms at very low figures.

For additional information, call on or write Detroit & Mackinac Ry. Agents, or W. G. MacEdward, G. P. A., Detroit & Mackinac Kv., Bay City, Mich.

### Worth the Price.

Celtic Stranger—"Tim Hennessy has just been arrested; what will you charge to defend him?" Young Lawyer—"Ten dollars is my fee in police court cases." Celtic Stranger—"Well, here it is. I've had it in for Tim this long time, an' 'tis wor' tin' dollars to kit even wid him!"—Pucht.

### A Charming Woman

is one who is lovely in face, form, mind and temper. But it's hard for a woman to be charming without health. A weak, sickly woman will be nervous and irritable. Constipation and kidney poisons show in pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. But Electric Bitters always prove a godsend to women who want health, beauty and friends. They regulate stomach, liver and kidneys, purify the blood; give strong nerves, bright eyes, pure breath, smooth, velvety skin, lovely complexion and perfect health. Try them 50c at J. M. Wuggazer & Co. and J. E. Dillon.

### The White Mavis.

A white mavis has been seen in the woods at Glen Tower, Dunoon. This albino stranger is looked at askance by the other birds, who hop round it at a safe distance, as if he were a dangerous foreigner to be avoided.

### Work Will Soon Start

after you take Dr. King's New Life Pills and you'll quickly enjoy their fine results. Constipation and indigestion vanish and fine appetite returns. They regulate stomach, liver and bowels and impart new strength and energy to the whole system. Try them. Only 25c at J. M. Wuggazer & Co. and J. E. Dillon.

### Wasted.

"It costs him ten thousand dollars a year to live," said Mr. Jones, referring to an acquaintance, and his companion, according to a writer in Life, asks: "Why does he spend his money so foolishly?"

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### Great State Is Texas.

Texas reaches from snow to summer, from snow to strawberries, from icicles to ice cream, from skates to juleps. Because a train became stalled by snow in one part of Texas, do not forget that on the same day wanderers from the frozen north were eating strawberry shortcake and cream at five a throw and yard eggs at fifteen a dozen in heavenly Houston.—Houston Post.

### Wins Fight for Life.

It was a long and bloody battle for life that was waged by James B. Mereson of Newark, N. J., of which he writes: "I had lost much blood from lung hemorrhages and was very weak and run down. For eight months I was unable to work. Death seemed close on my heels when I began three weeks ago, to use Dr. King's New Discovery. It has helped me greatly. It is doing all that you claim." For weak, sore lungs, obstinate coughs, stubborn colds, hoarseness, lagrippe, asthma, hay fever or any throat or lung trouble it's supreme. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by J. M. Wuggazer & Co. and J. E. Dillon.

## Teachers' Examination

The dates of teachers' examinations for Isosco county for 1911, are as follows, all examinations being held at Tawas City:

August 10th, 11th, and 12th.

October 19th and 20th.

READING

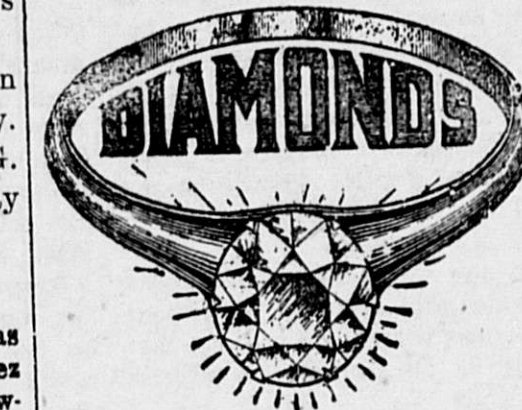
August.—The Coming of Arthur—Tennyson.

October.—The Vision of Sir Launfal—Lowell.

Read the entire selection. Study life of author, author's style, character of selection, historical and mythical references, definition and etymology of difficult and unusual words, memorizing of choice selections, figures of speech.

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Central Standard Time.

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GOING NORTH

Train No. during summer season only.

21—Leaves 10:30 a. m. week days. Accommodation Rose City and Prescott to East Tawas via Emory Junction. Coaches.

3—Leaves 2:38 p. m. week days. Solid vestibule train through without change, Detroit to Cheboygan. Coaches, Cafe Car, Parlor Car with electric fans, electric lights, etc.

15—Leaves 2:15 p. m. week days. Solid vestibule train Bay City to Alpena Junction.

37—Leaves 6:08 week days. Accommodation Prescott to East Tawas. Coaches.

7—Leaves 7:08 p. m. Tawas Beach Special Bay City to Tawas Beach. Coaches. Runs Detroit to Cheboygan 5c. Bay City and Alpena Junction to Cheboygan Coaches. Sleeping Car Bay City to Alpena.

GOING SOUTH

2—Leaves 6:40 a. m. Tawas Beach Special, Tawas Beach to Bay City. Coaches. Runs during summer season only.

33—Leaves 7:06 week days. Accommodation East Tawas to Prescott. Coaches.

4—Leaves 8:23 a. m. week days. Solid vestibule train, through without change Cheboygan to Detroit. Coaches, Cafe Car, Parlor Car with electric fans electric lights etc. Connects with P. M. R. R. vestibule train for Detroit. Connects at Bay City with coach and parlor car trains arriving at Chicago at 8:55 p. m. and 9:50 p. m.

16—Leaves 11:55 a. m. week days. Way freight Alpena Junction to Bay City.

22—Leaves 12:29 p. m. week days. Accommodation East Tawas to Rose City and Prescott Coaches.

10—Leaves 7:21 p. m. every day. Solid vestibule train Cheboygan to Bay City. Coaches. Sleeping Car Alpena to Cheboygan. Connects at Bay City with coach and sleeping car train arriving at Chicago 7:17 next a. m.

Parlor Car fare, Bay City and Cheboygan 5c. Detroit to Cheboygan 5c. Bay City and Alpena 25c. Detroit and Alpena 50c. Meals a la carte in cafe cars. During summer season trains 3 and 4 arrive at and depart from Cheboygan boat docks. Trains 2 and 7 run to Tawas Beach during summer season only.

Train stops 20 minutes for supper at Tawas Beach Club House (Hotel) during summer months add at East Tawas during the winter months.

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from a knife, gun, tin can, rusty nail, fireworks, or of any other nature, demands prompt treatment with Buckley's Arnica Salve to prevent blood poisoning or gangrene. Its the quickest, surest healer for all such wounds, as also for burns, boils, sores, skin eruptions, eczema, chapped hands, corns or piles. 25c at J. M. Wuggazer & Co. and J. E. Dillon.

## 4th of July Rates.

The D. & M. Ry. will sell tickets from all stations where there are agents to all points on its line and to points on other railways in the Lower Peninsula of Michigan not more than 200 miles distant at one and one-half fare for round trip, on July 3rd and 4th good returning until July 5th, inclusive. See hand bills and agents.

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## NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS NOTES

Contributed by Our Corps of Correspondents in the County

**Whittemore and Vicinity**  
Celebrate at Whittemore.  
T. J. Spooner, funeral director.  
W. S. Hall was at Tawas City this week.  
Henry Seifert was at Tawas City Monday.  
George Jackson was at AuSable Monday.  
Will Charters was at Tawas on business Monday.  
If you want a day of enjoyment on the Fourth come to Whittemore.  
J. A. Campbell was at Tawas City on business a couple of days this week.  
J. Oakes, of Boston, has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. W. H. Price, this week.  
The enlarging and improving of the Whittemore elevator is nearly completed.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Jacques are the parents of a new boy who came to their home Tuesday.  
Mayor Williams has been representing our city at the county legislature this week.

O. S. Burton began laying the cement blocks for the new hotel last Saturday. The work will be pushed from now on.  
Supervisors Beardslee, of Burleigh, and Lindsay, of Reno, have been attending the county board meeting at Tawas City this week.  
Mrs. L. A. Chichester returned Friday from a visit at Albion and

Marshall. She was accompanied by her brother Paul, who will visit here for a few weeks.

The mason work on A. Blumenau's new store was delayed several days during the past week by the non-arrival of a car load of brick.

The graduating exercises of our city schools at the opera house last Friday evening was attended by a large congregation, all of whom were highly pleased by the excellent program rendered and the able manner in which each pupil presented their part. The music was also of a high order and added greatly to the evening's enjoyment.

The marriage of George A. Jackson, superintendent of our city schools, and Miss Frances A. Cataline, two of our popular young people, was solemnized Wednesday evening. The happy couple were raised from childhood here and their many friends unite in extending to them the best wishes for all the good things of this life. They have their home in this city ready to begin housekeeping.

### Sherman Shots.

Robert Gillespie returned to Flint last Saturday.  
Farmers in our section have commenced haying.  
John Pringle was at Whittemore on business Monday.

G. A. Pringle was at Alabaster on business last Saturday.

Mrs. C. M. and W. A. Goodwin spent Sunday at Whittemore.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Draeger spent Sunday with relatives in Tawas City.

Don't forget that everybody celebrates at Sand Lake, Tuesday, July 4th.

Misses Sophia and Lillian Wickland, of East Tawas spent Sunday with friends here.

Supervisor Jordan has been attending a meeting of the board at Tawas City this week.

Thos. Wood, jr., of Wheeling, W. Va. has been visiting his father and friends here during the past week.

The McIvor base ball team played the Hemlocks at Sand Lake last Sunday. Score 3 to 7 in favor of McIvor.

Children's Day exercises were observed at the town hall Sunday evening June 25th. A large crowd was in attendance and a nice program was enjoyed by all.

A representative of the state highway department, with C. W. Luce and J. M. Waterbury, county road commissioners, were here Monday making an examination of our new stone road.

**Baldwin Breezes.**  
John Anderson, of AuSable, spent Sunday with his family here.

Arthur Westcott, of Alabaster, spent Sunday at his home here.

Hans Carlson is improving the looks of his house by a new coat of paint.

Miss Helen Carlson is spending the week in East Tawas with Mrs. A. Colby.

Mrs. Urquhart and Mrs. Alex Gordon, of East Tawas, called at the home of John Sullivan Monday.

A party of friends to the number of twenty-one spent a very pleasant Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Davis.

The many friends of Mrs. A. Alstrom are pleased to learn that she is better after suffering from a slight stroke of paralysis.

Miss Lillie Westcott returned home last Friday from Marion, Ohio, where she has been visiting her sister for the past four months.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Schutz and little son, of Marion, Ohio, are visiting at the home of Mrs. S.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Westcott.

Otto Anderson and sister Miss Lena, and Miss Marie Johnson, of Alabaster, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of L. Johnson.

A number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Will Schuster gave them a pleasant surprise Saturday evening; all spent a very enjoyable evening and departed for their homes at a late hour wishing Mr. and Mrs. Schuster a long and prosperous life.

**Reno Rumblings.**  
The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. J. Westervelt Thursday.

The question of the day is: "Where do you plan to spend the Fourth?"

Miss Jessie Johnson came home from Flint, Monday to visit her parents.

Miss Sybil Dodder is visiting friends here and on the Hemlock for a season.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Robinson on Friday of last week.

Both Whittemore and Sand Lake offer inducements to the public to spend the Fourth.

Mr. Voller who has been quite ill the past week is much improved and able to be a about again.

Little Mark Beardslee spent a few days this week his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Robinson.

The plentiful showers of Friday night, Sunday and Monday were needed here and crops are looking fine.

Mr. Steele with his moving pictures and sleight of hand performance at the Gleaner hall gave the people of our town entertainment every night for a week. A contest each evening added to the general interest. You would laugh to see the boys eat pie, or the girls pound nails. Prizes were given.

**Hale and Vicinity.**  
H. J. Featherston drove to Tawas Monday.

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

H. E. Nunn was at Bay City and Saginaw a couple of days this week.

F. J. Fuller is at Pinconning this week in the interests of the Gleaner.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beeson were down to Tawas City last Saturday evening.

Lewis Nunn, John LaClair and Dennis Goodrow were at Tawas City last Saturday.

Supervisor Frost has been attending a meeting of the county board at Tawas City this week.

E. V. Esmond was at Wilber Tuesday evening where he assisted in the initiation of a large class of new members into the Wilber Grange.

Edwin C. Nunn has gone to Ypsilanti where he will attend the summer Normal school. Mr. Nunn will be superintendent of the schools at Turner next year.

**Wilber Warblings.**  
Mrs. John Syme is at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Phelps for a time.

August Cholger has purchased a new wind stacker for his threshing machine.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Latter, of Idaho, spent last Sunday with relatives here.

A party of surveyors are here this week surveying the right-of-way for the Power Co. line.

John McMullen lost a valuable colt this week from lockjaw, caused by blood poisoning.

Mr. and Mrs. William Phelps are the parents of a fine little daughter born on the 24th inst.

Mrs. M. C. Falls, of Island Pond, Vt., is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. F. Abbott.

Our base ball team will give a dance and supper at the Red hall on the evening of July 4. All invited.

Mrs. Allen Sims and children, and little niece, Marion Sims, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Hugh Cornett.

**Chancery Notice.**

STATE OF MICHIGAN, Twenty-third Judicial Circuit, in Chancery.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the county of Iosco, in Chancery, at Tawas City on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1911. Albert E. Smith, complainant, vs. Mary E. Smith, defendant. In this case it appearing that the defendant, Mary E. Smith, does not reside in this state, but does reside in the state of New York, therefore on motion of Ross & Harris, solicitors for complainant, it is ordered that the defendant enter her appearance in said cause on or before four months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be published in the Tawas Herald, such publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession. MAJES J. LONER, Circuit Judge. ROSS & HARRIS, Solicitors for Complainant. Business address, West Branch, Mich.

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See our exhibit of Plymouth fiber combed from rope taken from stock. Fibers 8 feet long! Front door, hardware department.

## Ice Cream Freezers

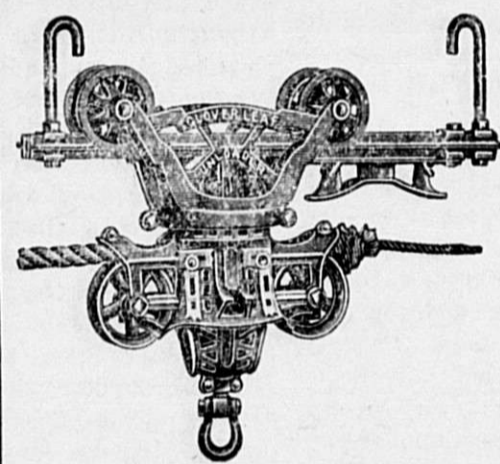


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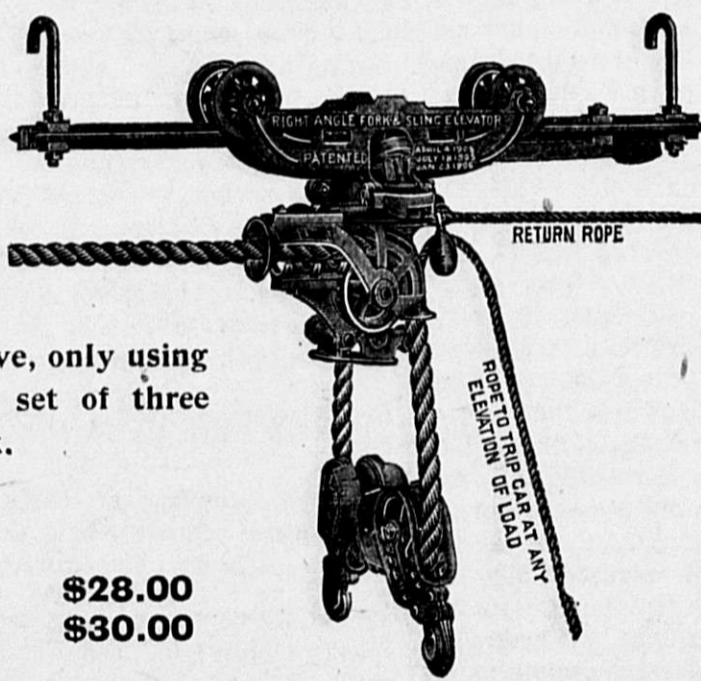


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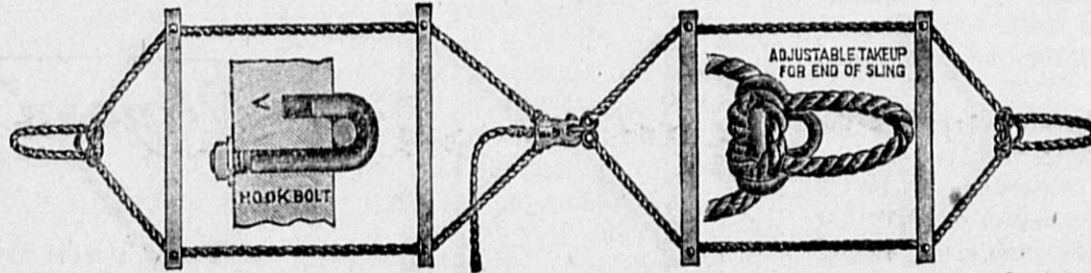
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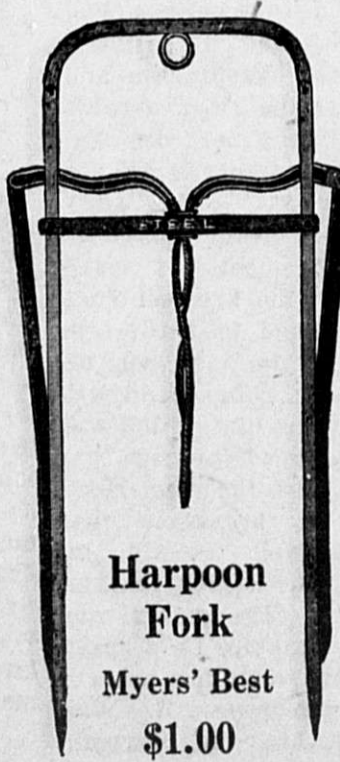
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