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HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

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

Ball game next Sunday.
Fire insurance. F. F. French.
Fire insurance. Henry Hanson.
Circuit court convenes next Monday.
The duck hunting season opens today.
Last excursion of the season to Alpena Sunday.
The State Fair opens at Detroit next Monday.
All roads lead to Brabant's for fine furnishings.
A snappy new line of ties just received at Brabant's.
C. V. Hicks, pianos and organs Alpena, Mich.
J. A. Campbell, of Whittemore, was in the city Tuesday.
Ludwig and Jansen Pianos, for sale by C. V. Hicks, Alpena.
James Hull, of Oscoda, was in the city yesterday on business.
The Alpena Baptist Association will meet in this city next year.
A postal savings bank will be established at Bay City October 14.
Home made bread for sale by Mrs. Mann, at the Wingrove house.
Rev. Roberts, of Detroit, is the guest of Rev. O. E. Moffet for a few days.
FOR SALE:—A two seat light buckboard, nearly new. Inquire at this office.
If you want the best plow on the market buy a Greenville, sold by Reuben Wade.
Nine tickets were sold from this station for the excursion to Detroit last Sunday.
FOR SALE, a good milch cow, five years old. Inquire of T. D. Shepard R. D. 2.
If you need any legal counsel, or a paper drawn, see Attorney Snyder, Tawas City.
Twining and Tawas City will play ball at the Tawas Beach grounds Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. Floyd Saunders returned to her home at Hawks Tuesday after a weeks visit in this city.
Miss Maude Mosher, accompanied by Phyllis Birney, spent Sunday with her parents at Twining.
Joe Churchill, the West Branch chimney sweep, was in the city this week on his semi-annual visit.
John Bradley left Monday for Chicago after several weeks visit with his father and sisters in this city.
If you have any legal business see C. H. W. Snyder, in the Brown building. He will treat you right.
FOR SALE:—Dandy open buggy, rubber tires, good condition, cheap at \$40. Inquire at Herald office.
Rev. and Mrs. O. E. Moffet are at Alpena this week attending a meeting of the Alpena Baptist Association.
For work pants and work shirts, Brabant has a line that brings you back. New goods coming in every day.
FOR SALE:—I have a good phaeton in first-class repair, which I will sell cheap. Inquire of C. W. Luce, East Tawas.
Mrs. T. D. Shepard, of the Townline, was called to Flint last Thursday by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Washburn.
Mrs. P. E. Shein, who has been visiting relatives and friends at Flint for the past two weeks, arrived home Monday.
Miss Edyth Walker left last Saturday evening for Jackson to resume her duties as a teacher in the schools of that city.
Rev. D. Martin, of Prescott, called on friends here Monday while on his way to Alpena to attend the Baptist Association.

Mrs. Peter E. Shein returned Monday from a few weeks visit with relatives at Flint.
Miss Julia Kobbs left yesterday for Detroit, where she will remain for a time.
Don't fail to call and see the beautiful new styles of millinery at Mrs. McCardell's.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beeton, of Hale, autoed over last Saturday evening, returning Sunday.
I am offering all my household goods and garden tools for sale. Inquire of M. E. Valentine.
J. M. Waterbury attended the meeting of the Alpena Baptist Association at Alpena this week.
The D. & M. will run their last excursion of the season to Bay City, Sunday, September 24.
John A. McDonald, of Flint, has been visiting relatives and friends at Alabaster during the past week.
Leo and George Brabant returned Tuesday from a few weeks visit with relatives and friends at Detroit.
The premium lists for the fair are out and can be had on application to L. Colby, secretary, or at this office.
Miss E. Edna Gates returned Monday from an extended visit with relatives and friends in southern Michigan.
We hope that our correspondents will all be on hand with a nice newsy letter by Wednesday noon of next week.
Rev. Hugh McCarroll arrived home Wednesday from a weeks visit at Saginaw, Port Huron and other points.
All the pretty new styles in fall and winter millinery will be on display at Mrs. L. L. Johnson's next Monday.
The way those skirts are going at Brabant's indicates that the ladies know an article of merit when they see it.
WANTED—Good axe men at the Eastern Michigan Power Co.'s camp near Cooke's Dam. Two dollars per day.
S. B. Shepard returned to Grand Rapids Friday, after a three months visit with his parents, on the Townline.
Order your suit from Nels Brabant and get just what you want. Over twelve hundred samples to pick from. No cotton.
FOR SALE, a typewriter, a sectional book case, a roll top desk and an encyclopedia for sale at a bargain. Inquire of M. E. Valentine.
Mrs. Denver and children, of Buffalo, came Monday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. William Groff, of the Townline, and other relatives and friends.
The 67th annual session of the Grand Lodge of Michigan Odd Fellows, and the 17th annual session of the Rebekahs will meet at Saginaw October 16.
Rev. and Mrs. B. H. Thomas and son Harold returned to their home at Bay City last Saturday after spending the summer at their summer home here.
LOST, between Hamilton's store and the postoffice, Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 13, a gold bar pin. The finder will be rewarded by returning same to this office.
Mrs. L. L. Johnson announces that her fall millinery stock will be ready for the inspection of the ladies of the Tawas and vicinity, next Monday, September 18.
The new school house in the Preston district, on the Townline, is nearing completion. It will be a big addition to the excellent district school buildings of our county.
One of our exchanges remarks that it will not be long until everyone is riding in automobiles. This is altogether probable now that they are making automobile hearses.
Mrs. Mary Williford and daughter, Miss Bessie, who have been visiting at the home of Rev. and Mrs. O. E. Moffet, returned to their home at Nokomis, Ill., Monday.

Mrs. William Bean came up from Bay City yesterday for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnes, of Alabaster.
Postmaster and Mrs. W. B. Kelly have returned from a months visit through the Upper Peninsula and points in Canada.
M. E. Valentine, who has been spending the summer traveling in Europe, arrived home Monday. He reports a most enjoyable trip.
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Black arrived home last Saturday evening from a two weeks trip down the St. Lawrence river and a visit to eastern points.
Mrs. Henry Bearinger, of Las Vegas, New Mexico, is a guest at the home of Mrs. H. T. Thomas, of East Tawas, and visiting with her many friends in this city.
The creamery at Turner was burned at an early hour last Monday morning, being a total loss with no insurance. The fire is supposed to be of an incendiary origin.
After a hot fight of several months the "dry" element in the state of Maine carried the election last Monday and that state, which has had prohibition for 50 years, will remain dry.
Miss Keown, of Detroit, will be in charge of the trimming department at Mrs. L. L. Johnson's this season. She is a milliner of city experience and comes highly recommended.
Editor C. E. Wells, of the Prescott News, and Mrs. Wells were in the city Monday, on their way home from a visit at Cheboygan. They made a pleasant call at the Herald office.
Rev. John Pearson, who has been pastor of the Cheboygan Baptist church for the past two years has resigned and will return to Onaway, where he was located before going to Cheboygan.
Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Holloway and son Dewey, of the Meadow road drove up to South Branch last Saturday and remained over Sunday with their son Will and family, on the Trudell farm.
J. E. Mitchell returned last Friday from Saginaw, where he was called by the death of his mother, who died very unexpectedly while going from her home in Akron to visit her daughter in Saginaw.
Mrs. A. W. Colby, of East Tawas, announces her opening of fall and winter millinery for Friday and Saturday, Sept. 22 and 23. The ladies will find there the most complete stock of stylish goods in this section.
Mrs. John O. Worden, of Gaudlajara, Mexico, arrived here Monday for a visit at the home of her brother, Dr. C. A. Wakeman. This is the first meeting of brother and sister in 32 years, Mrs. Worden having left Michigan at that time and been a resident of Mexico since.
GIRLS WANTED:—100 girls wanted as weavers in our mills at Belding, Mich. Experience not necessary. Steady work and good wages. For particulars as to work and wages, write to BELDING BROS. & Co. Belding, Mich.
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 3rd, 4th and 5th, are the dates of Dr. 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.
The teachers of Isosco county are most cordially invited to make use of the columns of the Herald for all such school news as will be of interest to their pupils and school patrons. We are always glad to receive these items and the only caution we have to offer is that they be mailed early enough in the week that they reach our office not later than Wednesday noon.
The McCormick Nursery Co., Monroe, Michigan, want a salesman in this section. Free outfit, salary weekly, experience unnecessary. We advise any reliable party wanting employment to write them. Their specialties are the Bing Cherry, October Purple Plum, Blue Rambler Rose and the best European importations. If you want trees or shrubbery send for their "Tree Talk" and new illustrated catalog. Mention this paper.

The new fall time table on the D. & M. went into effect last Sunday. There is no change in the running of trains, except the withdrawal of the Tawas Beach special.
Miss Robinson and Miss McIntosh, of Bay City, and Mrs. Shaw, of Arkansas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Summerfield, of the Townline, a couple of days this week.
Miss McLeod, of Detroit, is in charge of the trimming department at Mrs. McCardell's millinery parlors this season. She comes highly recommended as an experienced trimmer.
A. Barkman has his new planing mill about ready to begin operations. It is one of the most complete plants in the state and he will engage in the manufacturing of building materials on an extensive scale.
The center of population in the United States still remains in the Hoosier state, but a mistake appears to have been made at first in the calculation of the census figures. It is now officially given out that it is eight miles farther west than at first located and is in the city of Bloomington, Ind.
The Twining ball team, the only team that has won a game from Tawas City this season, will be here next Sunday to play our boys a return game. The game will be played at the Tawas Beach grounds, beginning at 2 o'clock. Our boys are out for revenge and a good game is assured.
John W. Gates earned enough money at husking corn while a youth to buy a third interest in a threshing machine, and since then he has threshed out several million dollars. Boys of today have just as good opportunity. All most of them need is a start.
Len J. Patterson, of the Herald, leaves today for Detroit, where he will assist in putting up the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau's exhibit at the state fair, and then return to Saginaw and take charge of the Bureau's exhibit at the Saginaw Industrial Exposition and Land Show, which opens on the 22nd inst. and continues until the 30th.
One of the most joyous family reunions that has occurred in this city in a long time happened at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas N. McGill, Monday evening when their three sons and two daughters gathered around the family board for the first time in 17 years. James, who has been on the Pacific coast for the past 17 years, and Henry who has been away for 11 years, accompanied by Edward, of Saginaw, arrived Monday afternoon. James has been located at Portland, Oregon, for a number of years, and Henry at Victoria, Vancouver Island. They will spend a few weeks renewing old acquaintances in the Tawas.

Last Excursion to Bay City
Via D. & M. Ry. Sunday, Sept. 24. 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.

Digestion and Assimilation.
It is not the quantity of food taken but the amount digested and assimilated that gives strength and vitality to the system. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and enable them to perform their functions naturally. For sale by all dealers.

Last Excursion to Alpena.
Via D. & M. Ry. Sunday Sept. 17. Excursion train leaves Tawas City at 9:15 a. m.; round trip rate \$1.00, proportionate rates from other stations; children between 5 and 12 half fare. Tickets good only on excursion train. See hand bills and D. & M. agents.

As usually treated, a sprained ankle will disable a man for three or four weeks, but by applying Chamberlain's Liniment freely as soon as the injury is received, and observing the directions with each bottle, a cure can be effected in from two to four days. For sale by all druggists.

Suddenly Called.
The sudden and unexpected death of Mrs. Ebenezer Laidlaw, at the family homestead at Laidlawville, Tuesday morning cast a gloom over her many friends. The lady was up and around as usual that morning, when she was suddenly attacked with a hemorrhage of the brain and died within 25 minutes.
Amelia Lake was born near Kincardin, Ont., April 29, 1850, and came to Michigan with her parents when three years of age. She came to Isosco county early in 1868 to make her home with her sister, Mrs. James Laidlaw, of which union eight children were born, six of whom, with the aged husband, are left to mourn the loss of a loving mother and affectionate wife. The surviving children are, Walter E. who resides on the homestead, Mrs. Edward Londo, of Tawas township, Miss Pearl, of Gladstone, Mrs. G. E. Amidon, of Granton, Wis., Mrs. Frank Long, of this city, and Miss Ruby, at home. She was most highly respected by a large circle of friends and acquaintances. The funeral will be held from the home this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. B. Brown officiating. The remains will be interred in the family plot on the home farm.

Bird-Hunting Dogs are not Forbidden.
Lansing, Sept. 12.—Major W. R. Oates, state game warden, issued a ruling Tuesday relative to hunting birds with dogs during the open season which will cause happiness among sportsmen all over the state.
In amending the game laws the legislature changed the provision preventing the hunting of deer with hounds so that it prevented taking dogs into the woods during the deer hunting season. As the deer and bird hunting seasons cover the same period, many bird hunters feared they were to be prohibited from their usual fall outing.
There are other provisions of the act, however in which there is an implied permission to use dogs for hunting birds, and after a careful investigation of the matter Major Oates rules that "during the deer hunting season the presence of a dog in the woods, unaccompanied by a person who is exclusively hunting birds or any dog found in any hunting camp, logging camp or clubhouse during such season where each or any of the occupants have a license for hunting deer, is expressly forbidden, but dogs used by hunters who are legitimately and exclusively hunting birds are entitled to protection under the law."

For Rent.
Eighty acres on the Hemlock road, all improved, with good house and barn. References required. Inquire of PETER BAMBERGER, R. D. 2, Tawas City, Michigan.

Diarrhoea is always more or less prevalent during September. Be prepared for it. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is prompt and effectual. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant to take. For sale by all dealers.

Estray Calves.
Gone since July 30, two red heifer calves, one slightly marked with dark stripes about the head. Send information to Fred Bishoff R. D. 1, Tawas City.

For bowel complaints in children always give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and castor oil. It is certain to effect a cure and when reduced with water and sweetened is pleasant to take. No physician can prescribe a better remedy. For sale by all dealers.

Cor— Pipes.
Until the late years a man's wealth and position were judged to a great extent by the length of his pipe. Of course, the developments incidental to such a custom made things irksome to the very wealthy smokers, for some pipes became so long that the owner had to have a servant whose duty it was to bear the burden and hold a match to the bowl when his master wanted a light. Since Corea has become a Japanese territory, pipes have been made to three feet in length.—Travel Magazine.

New Barns.
C. H. Prescott & Sons are preparing to erect a fine new barn in this city in order to properly handle their rapidly increasing operations in the horse market. The main building will be a horse barn 32x80 feet, with hay loft. The entire first floor will be of cement with plank covering for the stalls. An addition 30x40 will be built to the main building to be used as a carriage room, garage and office.
The building will be supplied throughout with water from the new water system which they have installed. And, by the way, this water plant is a pretty complete arrangement. The pump house is 18x20 built of cement block, in which is installed a four horse power gasoline engine and a good force pump, which can be used for direct pressure. Besides this they are erecting a 26-foot steel tower which is surmounted with a reservoir of ten thousand gallons capacity. This system will furnish water not only for the barn but for their residences and is of sufficient capacity to furnish excellent fire protection to their property. The entire plant will be one of the most complete in this section of Michigan.

The Granges and the Fair.
The Granges of Isosco county this year have an opportunity of adding to the exhibit at the county fair on Oct. 4th, 5th and 6th, and at the same time make a nice little addition to their treasury. The society is offering a purse of \$25.00 for the best general exhibit of farm products made by any Grange in the county. The produce going to make up the exhibit must be grown by members of the competing Grange. The purse will be divided \$12.00 for the best exhibit; \$8.00 for the second best, and \$5.00 to the third. These prizes are well worth striving for and at the same time much interest in Grange work may be aroused by the friendly competition, besides the benefit afforded the fair association.

A PROPER CAPITAL.
Three magnificent structures are to be added to the federal administrative buildings of the national capital within the next few years. The departments of state and of justice are to have each a separate building, as also the department of commerce and labor. The plans for these palaces, which have been approved by the national art commission, contemplate a scheme or grouping which will heighten the finished architectural effect. Washington is to be distinguished among the beautiful cities of the world not alone for the splendor of its architecture, its effective vistas and its delightful effect of balance and proportion, but as one world capital which shall stand as an exemplification of the glory of the distinctly modern builder's art.
Washington doubtless will be the capital as long as the nation exists. No longer is heard the cry for moving the seat of government to the center of population. The facilities for communication and transportation have been revolutionized since the days when it was suggested to set up a new Washington "out west." With the Stars and Stripes floating all the way from Porto Rico to the distant isles of the Pacific it will be found that the District of Columbia is quite as convenient as any other spot on the map. Washington's historic associations, its mild climate and unrivaled topographical situation make it an ideal center for our national capital.

Wives for Tobacco.
In the early settlement of Virginia, when the adventurers were principally unmarried men, it was deemed necessary to export such women as could be prevailed upon to quit England, as wives for the planters. A letter accompanying one of these matrimonial shipments, dated London, August 12, 1621, says:
"We send you in the ship one widow and eleven maids, as wives for the people of Virginia; there hath been especial care had in the choice of them, for there hath not one of them been received but upon good recommendations. There are nearly fifty more that are ready to come. For the reimbursing of charges, it is ordered that every man that marries them, give one hundred pounds of best leaf tobacco for each of them."—Kirkland, Commercial and Business Anecdotes.

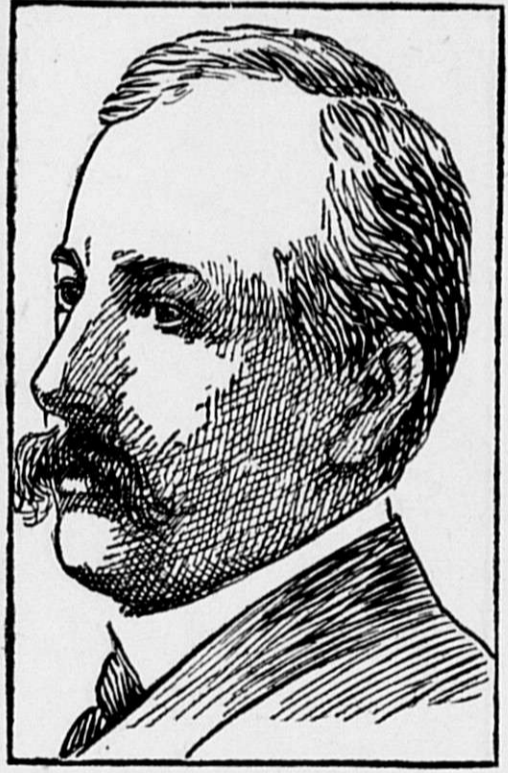
"I have a world of confidence in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for I have used it with perfect success," writes Mrs. M. I. Basford, Poolesville, Md. For sale by all dealers.

WEATHER BUREAU INQUIRY.
That the maintenance of the weather bureau costs the United States more money each year than those of all the countries of Europe combined, is indicated by the advance report prepared by the committee on expenditures in the department of agriculture. Less than a decade ago the appropriation for the weather bureau was about \$250,000 a year. It has been steadily growing since that time until now the increased appropriation is regarded with alarm. The committee is wondering where the increase is going to stop.
It points to the fact that the Sixty-first congress appropriated \$1,600,000 for the use of the service during the year 1912, and that the bureau, of which Prof. Willis L. Moore is chief, still complains that it has insufficient funds to carry on the scientific research work that it has mapped out.
Neither Chairman Moss nor any member of his committee intimates that funds have been misused nor do they think the money allotted to the weather bureau has been unwisely expended, but he does think that it would be well to inquire into the scope of the service and see if it is not true that the United States is doing more than its share in bearing the burden of world-wide work that is of universal benefit.

LOSE THEIR INITIATIVE.
In 1907 more than 15,000 civil service employees in this country resigned their positions. General business was active and offered inducements that drew thousands of the most competent workers away from the poorly paid government service amid a tremendous wall from the civil service commission. Other thousands would quit every year if they had a fair chance to find openings in private business.
But there are still other thousands who have lost the initiative and the force of character which lead the more aggressive to break away and better their condition. Almost all of these the government employe's work is of a character practically unknown in other service. It does not fit him for private employments. He must work all the time in order to live and has no time to seek other employment. Present-day industrial conditions tend more and more to attach the man to the job, almost as the medieval serf was attached to the land; and of no other employment is this so true as of the government service, because government work fits men for so few outside occupations.
In Washington, where the largest single body of government employes live—some 35,000 of them—opportunities are limited, because the federal capital is a city of narrow commercial development. Until the pressure of stern necessity, during recent years, became so severe as to force many government servants, willy-nilly, to give up their positions, it was almost an adage that "once a government clerk, always a government clerk."

Work of Dust Storms.
Seaward flowing waters are not alone responsible for the denudation of soils. Those who have watched dark dust storms approaching will be interested to know that estimates of solid material suspended in the air run from 160 to 126,000 tons per cubic mile of air where such storms are prevalent. The aeolian geologist Udden, taking conservative values and using fairly accurate data for the number, velocity and duration of the dust storms in the western states, concluded that "on the average about 850 million tons of dust are carried 1,440 miles each year, thus doing in this region alone about 1,225 billion mile tons of transport." The dust whirls run each an average of 218 miles.

Summer Sincerity.
She—"Then you never told any other girl that you loved her?"
He—"No, indeed; the others have got it in writing!"—Puck.



Prof. W. L. Moore.

Fall Millinery

Our new line of Fall and Winter Millinery has arrived and will be ready for the inspection of the ladies

Monday, September 18th, 1911

We take great pleasure in presenting our new stock, as it is the best we have ever had, containing all that is new and stylish. Come and see them.

Our trimming department is in charge of Miss Keown, an artistic trimmer with city experience, who will make every effort to please you

Mrs. L. L. Johnson
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He who tries but has no faith in his effort will soon cease from trying.

It is never wise to expect too much as we go on in life. Neither is it wise to hope too little.

Some people manage to obscure when they profess to enlighten. This seems to be especially true to some politicians.

Some business men hide their business light under a bushel, as they never advertise, and then wonder why it is that people pass by their stores to trade elsewhere where the light shines.

What the world detests is sham. A hollow, artificial politeness and profession may deceive for a time but ultimately the sham is exposed and the one guilty of it is covered with contempt.

Strange as it may seem some wicked people would not be so dangerous if they did not have some good qualities. Those qualities are the bait which oftentimes catch susceptible people to their ultimate injury.

Some people at first sight seem so full of wisdom and capacity that great things are expected of them. When they fail to make them good it is found that with them everything was upon the surface like a thin veneer.

The life of a nation cannot be kept sweet and clean by political machinery alone. There must be strong, pure and unselfish manhood and womanhood or the machinery will be controlled by the grafter and selfish interests.

All the high-flown talk about "souls" and "the pursuit of the ideal" indulged in by a certain class of people is only a form of saying that they do not believe in observing the common and wholesome decencies of life.

Many fail in life because they have not the faculty of concentration. Instead of focussing time and energy upon the completion of one task they start so many that they have not time to give due attention to the claims and needs of each.

When people steal poultry they go to prison if they are caught and convicted. Therefore in the fitness of things it was but right that the convicted members of the poultry trust who virtually stole from the people should meet with the same punishment.

So strong is the personality of some public men that no matter how many mistakes they make they retain their popularity. While other men less endowed with personal magnetism never secure popularity however great their virtues and however few their mistakes in public life.

Some people refrain from doing good because they wait vainly for some extraordinary opportunities of doing it. Yet it is the little deeds of kindness and love that every man may do, and the encouraging words that every man may utter that sweeten life and drive away care, despondency and sorrow.

On some people the reading of the great deeds of distinguished characters has a depressing effect. Because it is not in their power to emulate those characters in greatness of deed they fail to do the little things it is in their power to do, and which if done would prove a great blessing to many.

People are not won to a better life by abuse or coercion. Loving sympathy and tactful interest and help are the forces that count. Many an erring husband and wife might be reclaimed and the home transformed if the other principal in the household would cease from nagging and abuse and try the power of patient love.

Just as soon as it is conclusively proven that from an aeroplane bombs can be dropped that would wipe out an army and smash to pieces the strongest fort, a gun is invented that can easily put any and all aeroplanes out of commission. It seems to be a variation of the ancient problem of what happens when an irresistible object strikes another that is immovable.

It is sometimes a good thing to have a healthy dissatisfaction with one's position and surroundings. As some one has well said, "It is better to be a dissatisfied man than a satisfied pig." It simply means that without such a feeling

progress is impossible. But with the true man there is always the quest for something higher and better in life.

The man who gives up his city job and "goes back to the land" because he thinks it will be easier work will soon be disillusioned. That to the ordinary man willing to work and not too proud to be taught country life will give more real satisfaction and a greater independence than the city affords in a majority of cases goes without saying, but it means many a backache and weary limb.

The many recent fatal railroad accidents remind us of the saying of Charles Lamb when in the early days of English railroad accidents were so numerous. He said there would be no betterment until a railroad director or two were killed in a railroad wreck. Perhaps if some such drastic experience were to befall a few American railroad magnates traveling might be safer on American lines. Certainly there is need for much improvement.

To say the words, "God and myself, myself and God, God and myself," three times every noon, accompanying the same with a violent swinging of the arms, is a sure cure for pains in the back, provided \$24 a month are paid for instruction—this last is absolutely necessary. At least this is what some harpies in New York City say, and the strange thing about it is that they have had no trouble in getting weak-minded people to believe them and pay the money. And yet this is the twentieth century with its boasted intelligence and civilization, and the easy marks were people of means and, supposedly, of culture. Apparently some people like to be victimized. Anyway they show a credulity and superstition which one would scarcely expect to find outside the realm of paganism.

It is about time that all auto speed contests were stopped. Almost invariably when such contests take place there are one or more fatalities and it is a wonder there are not more. Such exhibitions are not sport in the true sense of the term, but are nothing but crude, meaningless contests contrived to develop and satisfy the craze for sensationalism. They also have a morally debasing influence upon many spectators. It is well known that many are attracted to such races in the hope that some great accident may happen, and that they are disappointed when no one is killed or badly injured. The callous indifference wrought by such exhibitions was strikingly seen in the recent meet in Elgin, Ill., when many of the crowd clamored for the races to go on even when they knew that two men had been killed.

The Golden Rule in Deportment.

That street car conductor who said it was just as easy to be polite to passengers as impolite, and a good deal better, was a wise man. And the fact that the company had awarded him two gold medals for being the most obliging conductor on their line showed that they realized that such conduct was good in itself and that it helped to swell dividends.

Doubtless that conductor, like most conductors and other officials, had his temper sorely tried at times, for some passengers have an inveterate habit of asking foolish questions and in other ways making themselves a nuisance. Nevertheless the golden rule holds good in deportment as well as in other things. If we are officials it is well to remember that we should do and say to others what we would have them do and say to us. And if we are not officials and have dealings with them the same rule applies. Remembering this, a greater consideration and courtesy will be shown all round.

A Dreadful Sight

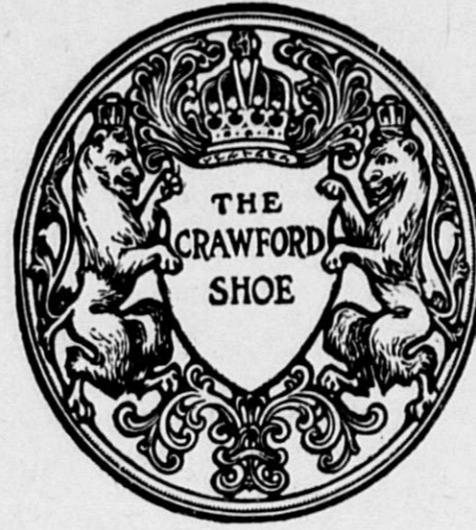
to H. J. Barnum, of Freeville, N. Y. was the fever-sore that had plagued his life for years in spite of many remedies he tried. At last he used Bucklen's Arnica Salve and wrote: "It has entirely healed with scarcely a scar left." Heals burns, boils, eczema, cuts, bruises, swellings, corns and piles like magic. Only 25c at J. M. Wuggazer & Co. and J. E. Dillon.

Excursion to Detroit, Toledo, Port Huron, Saginaw and Bay City.

Via Detroit & Mackinac Ry. Tuesday, October 3, 1911. All tickets good returning any time up to and including Thursday, October 19, 1911. Rate from Tawas City to Bay City, \$2.00; to Saginaw, \$2.50; to Port Huron, Detroit and Toledo, \$4.00. Special train leaves Tawas City at 8:54 a. m., running through to Detroit without stops south of Bay City except for lunch and orders. If possible buy tickets and have baggage checked day before excursion. Write D & M agents or W. G. MacEdward, G. P. A., Bay City.

The Crawford Shoe

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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 26th 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. ALBERT E. SMITH, Circuit Judge.
ROSS & HARRIS, Solicitors for Complainant, 38 Business address, West Branch, 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 18th day of August, A. D. 1911. Present: Hon. Alfred R. Weir, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of John McMann, deceased. Michael McMann having filed in said court a petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Joseph H. Miller or to some other suitable person.
It is ordered, that the twenty-second day of September, A. D. 1911, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.
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.
ALFRED R. WEIR, Judge of Probate.
A true copy.
ALFRED R. WEIR, Judge of Probate.

Notice of Road Job.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Board of County Road Commissioners of the county of Iosco, for grading and graveling about one and one-quarter miles of that part of the Plank Road lately adopted as a county road, and now known as the Indian Lake County Road, commencing at the corner of Sections 23, 24, 25 and 26, and running northwesterly to the corner of Sections 14, 15, 22 and 23, Town 22 N., Range 7 East. Also for building a culvert over Cold Creek on said road. Work to be done according to plans and specifications on file in the office of Chairman John M. Waterbury. Tenders to be filed in the office of the county clerk at Tawas City, not later than Saturday, September 16, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m. The commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
By order of the Commissioners,
JNO. A. MARK, Clerk of Board.

Notice of Road Job.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Board of County Road Commissioners of the county of Iosco, for graveling one mile of the Van Etan Lake county road easterly from that part of said road already built. Tenders to be filed in the office of the county clerk in Tawas City, not later than Saturday, September 16, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m. The commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
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JNO. A. MARK, Clerk of Board.

Notice of Road Job.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Board of County Road Commissioners of the county of Iosco, for stoning one and one-half miles of the Hemlock county road, commencing at the corner of Sections 22, 23, 26 and 27, T. 22 N., Range 6 East, and running easterly. Tenders to be filed in the office of the county clerk at Tawas City, not later than Saturday, September 16, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m. The commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
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SCHOOL NOTES

News From the Various Schools Throughout the County.

TAWAS CITY SCHOOLS.

Prospects are bright for a very successful year of school work. The new teachers have fitted into their places and are much pleased with the spirit of the school and city. Good order seems to be the rule throughout.

The ward school under the guidance of Miss Murphy is progressing rapidly, and the twenty-four pupils enrolled seem to be happy and contented. The old teachers are back and have taken up the splendid work which has characterized them in the past.

The first week closed with an enrollment of two hundred and nineteen.

Tardy marks are almost an unknown quantity, for the first week passed with no tardy marks in the high school and but one in the ward school.

The school is one of our best influences for good in the community. Let's do for it in the future, even more than we have in the past. The foreign pupils have already found a place and are as much at home as most of our old students.

Much interest is centered in the fact that soon the Normal will be open again. Several have already sent in their names as desiring to enter the class and a good year is looked forward to in the Normal work.

Our two German schools have enrolled about one hundred and thirty students and under the present efficient teachers a very successful year is certain.

No Need to Stop Work.

When your doctor orders you to stop work it staggers you. "I can't," you say. You know you are weak, run-down and failing in health, day by day, but you must work as long as you can stand. What you need is Electric Bitters to give tone, strength and vigor to your system, to prevent breakdown and build you up. Don't be weak, sickly or ailing when Electric Bitters will benefit you from the first dose. Thousands bless them for their glorious health and strength. Try them. Every bottle guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50c at J. M. Wuggazer & Co. and J. E. Dillon.

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D & M Ry. will sell tickets to Detroit at one and one-half (1½) fare for the round trip September 18 to 23, inclusive, good returning until September 28, inclusive.

Not a Word of Scandal

marred the call of a neighbor on Mrs. W. P. Spangh, of Manville, Wyo., who said: "she told me Dr. King's New Life Pills had cured her of obstinate kidney trouble and made her feel like a new woman." Easy, but sure remedy for stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Only 25c at J. M. Wuggazer & Co. and J. E. Dillon.

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RESOURCES

Mortgages and Bonds.....	\$669,581.97
Collateral and Other Loans.....	889,764.53
Total Loans.....	\$1,559,346.50
Banking House, Real Estate and Fixtures	\$ 37,607.24
Cash in Vaults and Banks.....	419,549.63
Total Assets.....	\$2,016,503.37

LIABILITIES

Capital and Surplus.....	\$225,000.00
Undivided Profits and Reserved for Interest	5,448.07
Deposits	
Commercial	
State of Michigan	
Banks	
Savings	
Total Deposits.....	\$1,786,055.30
Total.....	\$2,016,503.37

STATE OF MICHIGAN }
County of Alpena } ss.

I, W. A. Prince, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and correctly represents the true state of the different matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

W. A. PRINCE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me

Correct—Attest

this 6th day of September, 1911.

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WILLIAM A. COMSTOCK,

My commission expires Oct. 21, 1911.

P. CULLIGAN,

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Dr. A. B. Spinney, of Detroit, a specialist of 52 years' experience in treating chronic diseases, will be at Hotel Iosco, Tawas City, Saturday, Sept. 30th from 7 a. m. to 2 p. m., and Holland Hotel, East Tawas Saturday, Sept. 30, from 2 p. m. to 7 p. m. Consultation free.

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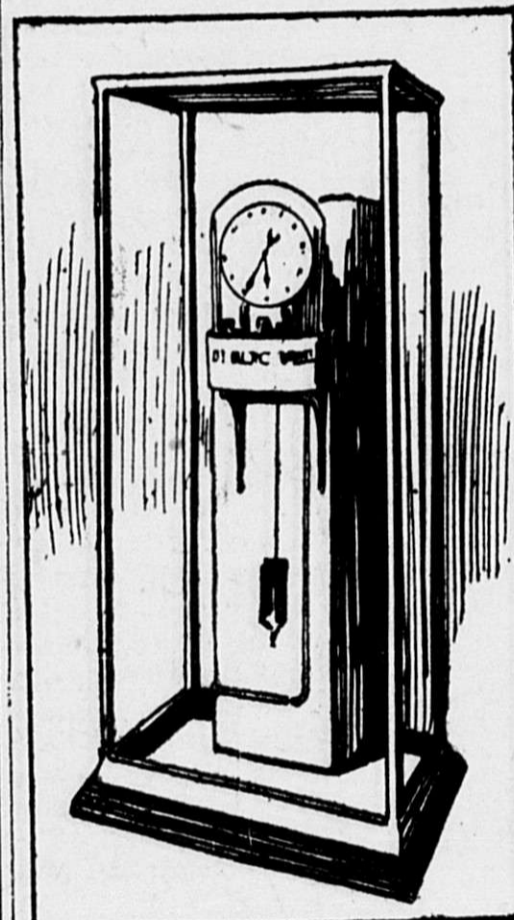
Naval Observatory Takes Observations From the Stars.

Old Sol, Contrary to General Belief, Is Not on the Meridian Each Day When the Clock Is at Twelve.

Washington.—If a large number of persons were asked the question: "What is meant when in daytime a clock says twelve o'clock?" about ninety-nine out of every one hundred would answer that at that hour the sun is on the meridian and it is noon. But the sun is not on the meridian each day when the clock is at twelve.

Nearly everyone has a friend who owns a valuable watch that keeps excellent time, and many a time this friend on being asked the exact time, has looked at his watch with great pride and told the hour, at the same time remarking: "This watch regulates the sun." If the watch keeps as poor time as does the sun, it should be sent to a watchmaker, for the sun is a wretched timekeeper. It sometimes is as much as a quarter of an hour fast, and at another season it may be an equal amount slow. In fact, it may be said that a clock of extreme precision, such as the astronomers use, is never exactly twelve when the sun is on the meridian.

"But," it will be asked, "if the sun does not give us our time, what, then, does?" As everyone knows, the rotation of the earth on its axis is our measure of time, each complete revolution marking a day. As the earth



Clock in Naval Observatory.

rotates it carries our meridian around with it, and as the meridian crosses through the heavenly bodies in succession they are said to "transit." The interval of time between two successive transits of the same celestial body across the meridian is called a day.

What a Sidereal Day Is.
If the body considered is a star, we have what is known to the astronomers as a star day, or sidereal day. The stars are fixed, the earth rotates uniformly on its axis, and as a result the sidereal days for all stars are of equal length. But which star shall be chosen as the most important in the heavens, so that time shall be reckoned from it?

Instead of selecting a star the astronomers have picked upon the vernal equinox, the intersection in the sky of the equator and ecliptic. When it is on the meridian, the astronomer's clock says 0h. 0m. 0s., the beginning of the sidereal day, whose hours run from 0h. to 24h. In a great observatory the positions of the stars are recorded in time kept by such a sidereal clock, and sidereal time is of great importance to the astronomer.

Due to the annual revolution of the earth about the sun, the sun appears to move continuously eastward among the stars, completing a journey once a year. The sun moves in what is called the "ecliptic," and its motion is from west to east among the stars. This apparent annual motion of the sun has very important consequences. Let us consider those only that refer to time.

Imagine a sun and a star on the meridian together at noon on a certain day. One complete revolution of the earth on its axis would bring the earth's meridian back to the star, and a sidereal day would have elapsed. In this interval of time the sun has apparently moved eastward among the stars, and it is necessary for the earth to rotate a little further on its axis to overtake the sun, bring it out on the meridian and complete the solar day. Hence sidereal days are each shorter than solar days.

Star Crosses Meridian Oftener.
As the sun completes its journey in a year, it crosses the meridian one time less in a year than does a star, and with respect to the sun the stars gain one revolution, and hence in a year there are 365 1/4 solar days, but 364 1/4 sidereal days. Consequently it is readily seen that in twelve months a sidereal clock will gain a day, or twenty-four hours, on a solar clock. Twenty-four hours per year means two hours per month, or nearly four minutes a day, a second every six minutes.

As a matter of fact, a solar day at one time of the year may be as much as 50 seconds longer than at another time of the year.

Whittemore and Vicinity

T. J. Spooner, funeral director. J. A. Campbell was at Tawas City Tuesday.

Mrs. G. A. Pringle, of Melvor, was in the city Tuesday.

Editor Patterson, of the Tawas Herald, was in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lindsay were at Pontiac a few days during the past week.

Dr. Yeager, the Rose City dentist, was here Tuesday on his regular monthly visit.

George Leslie has been placing his portable saw mill this week, preparatory to sawing out the Koyle yard.

Joseph Goupil has been appointed city marshal and street commissioner, to succeed William Allen, resigned.

P. J. Hottis took Mrs. Hottis to Tawas City last Saturday where she will keep house while their daughters attend school.

Mrs. H. Leslie and Mrs. J. A. Campbell attended the meeting of the Alpena Baptist Association at Alpena this week.

FOR SALE—A general purpose mare, nine years old, weighing 1100 pounds. Will be sold cheap if taken at once. Inquire of James Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Horton returned last Friday from a couple of weeks visit with relatives and friends in Roscommon and Gladwin counties.

J. P. Colvin, of Burleigh, has been at Flint this week attending a reunion of his old regiment, and renewing acquaintances with his comrades of 50 years ago.

Mrs. McCarey and Mrs. T. A. Scarlett and little son, who have been visiting at the home of their sister, Mrs. J. A. Campbell, for a few weeks, left Monday for their home at Duluth.

Irving Beardslee shipped a nice lot of choice apples to the North-eastern Michigan Development Bureau Monday to be used in their state fair exhibit at Detroit next week.

Our elevator is kept more than busy these days taking care of the large amount of grain which is being marketed here this fall. Whittemore is certainly becoming a popular market and trading place for the farmers for miles around.

Sherman Shots.

Earl Crumm lost his driving horse last week.

George Kohn spent Sunday at Tawas City.

Will Burt, of Alabaster, spent Sunday with friends here.

Maynard Mills, of Turner, was in town on business Monday.

Peter Scherritt spent a couple of days this week at Tawas City.

Frank and Anthony Schneider transacted business at Tawas City Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Van Sicie, of Grant, were guests at the home of Frank Schneider.

Miss Kate Pavelock returned to Detroit Monday, after a weeks visit with her parents here.

Ira Kelebner and family arrived here this week from Toledo, Ohio, and will reside with us.

Matt Jordan is repairing his threshing machine, which was badly damaged by fire a couple of weeks ago, when the Pringle barn burned.

A box social will be held at the town hall Wednesday evening, September 20, for the benefit of the pastor. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

Notice of Bids Wanted.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids for the furnishing of the material and labor required for the erection and completion of a one story, brick veneer school house in district No. 3, Reno township, Iosco county, will be received by James McLimurray, secretary of the building committee, (postoffice address, Whittemore, Mich., R. D. 2.) up to noon on Saturday, September 3, 1911. At the same time bids are asked for same in cement blocks and solid brick. Plans and specifications may be seen by calling on the secretary of the building committee. The successful bidder will be required to give a good and sufficient bond for the proper execution of the contract. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated September 11, 1911.

JAMES McLIMURRAY,
Sec'y of Building Committee.
Whittemore, Mich., R. D. 2.

Millinery Opening

Friends, customers and all who are interested in Ladies' Misses' and Children's Fall and Winter Hats are cordially invited to attend my Millinery Opening

September 22d and 23d

I am located in the building next to Dr. Stealy's office. If you are not ready to buy come anyway and look at the beautiful pattern hats, hand made hats, fine quality felt ready to wear street hats.

I wish to call your attention especially to the fact that every hat, shape, fancy feather, and in fact all my stock is new, all this year's styles. Call and examine them.



Miss Carlson, who has been in the wholesale houses in Detroit for the past three weeks, will assist me in the trimming department.

MRS. A. W. COLBY

East Tawas

Iosco County Fair

**OCTOBER
4-5-6**

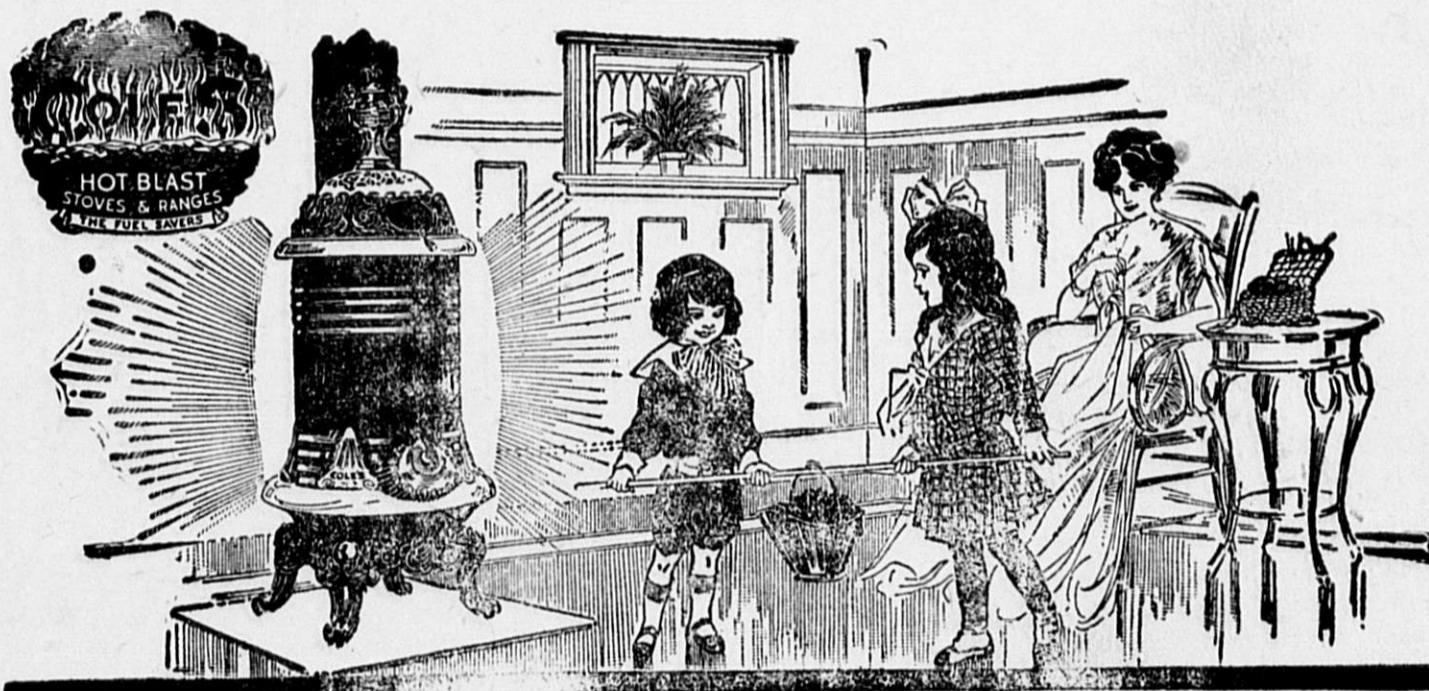
The stock exhibit promises to be the largest and best ever had.

The fruit and grain exhibit will probably surprise you, as there is now expected one exhibit which will exceed anything ever shown here.

The races between county horses will this year bring

out some 25 or 30 of the best and speediest horses in the county, and should prove exciting.

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