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HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

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

To Brabant's for values.
But 24 more days to Christmas.
Fire insurance. Henry Hanson.
Aviation caps at Mrs. McCordell's.
Joe Halleck spent last Sunday at Detroit.
Call at Corrigan's for a nice warm lunch.
The deer and partridge season closed yesterday.
Mrs. John Simmons went to Bay City Wednesday.
C. V. Hicks, pianos and organs Alpena, Mich.
Reduced prices on trimmed hats at Mrs. McCordell's.
Mr. and Mrs. Wallie Clark went to Bay City Wednesday.
Mrs. Suple Brabon has been visiting at Bay City this week.
Ludwig and Janssen Pianos, for sale by C. V. Hicks, Alpena.
Carl Taylor came home from Detroit to eat Thanksgiving turkey.
Supt. Ford Braddish, of the city schools, spent Thanksgiving at Elkton.
Miss Victoria Green came down from Maltby to spend Thanksgiving.
The nobbiest line of ties in either town can be seen at Brabant's.
Mrs. J. M. Wuggazer left Monday for a visit with her parents at Kalamazoo.
W. M. Taylor returned from Oscoda county last Friday with two nice deer.
Neil McDonald was at South Branch on business a couple of days this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zink and children visited relatives at Alpena a few days this week.
Rena and Mrs. Hugh McCarroll and children left Saturday for their new home at Port Huron.
Mrs. Annie Birney and daughter, Miss Phyllis, spent Thanksgiving with relatives at Mud Lake.
Dr. F. C. Thompson, of East Tawas, has returned from his hunting trip and resumed his practice.
Go to Corrigan's lunch room when hungry and get a good warm lunch. He will serve you right.
When you are in need of shoes or rubbers remember that Brabant carries a line that is up-to-date.
Miss Armenta Brabant and Lotie VanHorn, who are teaching in Sherman, came home Thanksgiving.
Rev. O. E. Moffet was called to Oscoda Tuesday to conduct the funeral services of Mrs. W. F. Bisbee.
E. H. Christ returned to his home at Grand Rapids last Saturday after three weeks' hunting in this vicinity.
Mrs. Lafayette Colby returned Tuesday from several weeks' visit with relatives and friends at Williamson.
The annual election of officers of Vine Grange will be held December 13. Every member is urged to be present.
FOR SALE:—I have two colts for sale. You may have your choice of two yearlings and a spring colt. Address Geo. Westcott, East Tawas.
Leo and Otto Scholtz returned to Detroit Monday after a couple of weeks' vacation spent at the home of their parents in Baldwin township.
For sale, a 14-horse power stationary boiler and engine and a Deloach saw mill outfit complete. Inquire of C. H. Anschuetz, R. D. 1, Tawas City, Mich.
The crew engaged in raising towers for the Eastern Michigan Power Co., arrived in this city last Sunday with their camp equipment. The cable crew came Wednesday.
Editor Will McGillivray and H. J. Markham, the druggist of Oscoda, were in the city on business last Saturday. The gentlemen are both enthusiastic over the prospects for the future of that village, and feel certain that it will be a better town than it was before the fire.

Miss Fern Mark, who is attending school at Bay City, came home Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wakeman, of Bay City, spent Thanksgiving with Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Wakeman of this city.
WANTED—Good axe men at the Eastern Michigan Power Co.'s camp near Cooke's dam. Two dollars per day.
L. C. Teft, of the Eastern Michigan Power Co., left Tuesday evening for Jackson to spend Thanksgiving with his family.
Ladies, take your discarded fur to Mrs. McCordell, the popular Tawas City Milliner, and have a stylish winter hat made.
Dr. and Mrs. M. Crane, of Lake Odessa, came Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving with their son, Dr. C. V. Crane, and family.
Mrs. G. A. Prescott is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Test, of Reynoldsville, Pa., and her niece, Miss Effie Elliott, of Philadelphia.
Miss Hilda Nordstrom, of East Tawas, went to Detroit last Saturday for a visit with her brother, Emil, and sister, Miss Zelma.
No trouble to sell suits made to order by Ed. V. Price & Co. You simply feel satisfied when you put them on. Nels Brabant can fit you right.
William Mason, of the Hemlock, left Monday for Pontiac on a prospecting tour. He contemplates moving his family to that place in the near future.
James Burnes, of Twining, and Miss Laura Moore, of Hale, were united in marriage in this city Wednesday, Rev. O. E. Moffet being the officiating clergyman.
The way those ladies' fine skirts are going indicates that they are the right goods at the right prices. A fine line ready for your inspection at Nels Brabant's.
Farmers, Attention!—I will buy hay, also good clean wheat, oat and rye straw, delivered at any shipping point along the line of the D & M. Ry. Inquire of Frank Drzewicki, R. D. 2, Tawas City.
Oscar McDonald has just been paroled from the state reformatory at Ionia after serving a little over two years of his sentence for an assault on a little girl at Bay City. He has returned to that city.
Our correspondents are urged to mail their letters to us not later than Tuesday of each week, so that we may have plenty of time to get them in type. In case of any item of importance occurring, it may be mailed later.
Thanksgiving day was observed in the Tawas in the true spirit of the day. The church services were well attended. The day was also a sort of home-coming, many former residents returning to eat Thanksgiving dinner with friends and relatives.
After talking with several men who are in a position to know whereof they speak, we are of the opinion that a conservative estimate of the amount of cash paid to the farmers for produce delivered in this city since September 1st, will exceed \$100,000.00.
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, December, 5th, 6th and 7th, are the dates of Dr. W. N. Yeager's visit to his office in this city. Prompt and careful attention given to all dental work, and all work guaranteed. Crown and bridge work a specialty. Painless extraction. Charges reasonable.
Married, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Larson, in this village, Wednesday, November 15th, Henry Buchholz and Miss Marie Larson. The young couple are well known and popular in Grayling. They will reside in this village, south side. Rev. J. H. Fleming, officiating clergyman.—Grayling Avalanche. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Buchholz, of this city, and his many friends here will unite in extending congratulations.

Mrs. John Webster returned to her home in Flint last Saturday, after several weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Sheldon, of Alabama, and other relatives and friends.
C. H. Bartlett, of the Tawas Grain Co., was up from Detroit and spent last Sunday looking after affairs here. He expressed himself as highly pleased with the prospects here.
Mr. and Mrs. Olen Crane, who recently purchased the W. J. Campbell farm on the Meadow road, arrived Wednesday from Modesto, Ill., and will take possession of their new home at once.
The H. M. Loud's Sons Co., of AuSable, have sold to Ross & Wentworth, of Bay City, a large quantity of logs, which will be shipped by rail. They expect to operate two camps of a hundred men during the winter.
Mr. and Mrs. George Culham, sr., of Swift Current, Sask. came Monday evening for a visit with friends and relatives in this city and vicinity. They report all the former residents of this locality as prospering out there.
William Groff, of the Townline, who was seriously injured by falling from a load of wood a couple of weeks ago, does not improve as could be wished for. He has been removed to the home of his son, Wesley, in this city.
Mrs. W. F. Bisbee, one of the pioneer residents of AuSable, died at the home of her son, in Port Huron, Monday. The remains were taken to AuSable for interment Wednesday. Rev. O. E. Moffet, of this city, conducting the funeral service.
Married, at the residence of Mr. Fred Uiman, of Alabaster, Thanksgiving day at 10:00 a. m., Mr. Arthur E. Norgrove and Miss Harriet F. Mattson; Rev. O. E. Moffet officiating. The couple were attended by Mr. Ivan Norgrove and Miss Anna Roiter. Miss Margaret Norgrove played the wedding march. After congratulations, a sumptuous dinner was served.
Advertising is recognized as the greatest force in modern merchandising. The busiest stores do the biggest advertising. This fact can be proven by your own observation. The Herald with its large list of intelligent readers, covering all parts of this and adjoining counties, offers the business man the best possible means of increasing their trade by the use of good business-building advertisements in its columns. No other medium offers you so wide publicity.
CARD OF THANKS:—We wish to return our most sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness rendered during the long suffering of our husband and son, and for the sympathy extended in our hour of sorrow.
MRS. C. HARTMAN
MR. AND MRS. J. HARTMAN
If you need any finishing lumber, order it from the Barkman Lumber Co., East Tawas.
Girls Organize an Anti-Slang Society.
The girls of a nearby town, working on the theory that "slang is to language what discord is to music," recently organized what was known as an anti-slang society; the object being a rebuke to all victims of the slang habit.
A certain miss was elected president of the society, and being asked if she would accept the position, replied: "Sure, Mike. Gosh, I'm so rattled in my cupola that I'm really short on gab. We are certainly hitting the high places and I never tumbled to such a posish before, but when I give you the highball I expect you to get there Eli, and whooper up for all that's out, see! I think I'm up to snuff enough so that flies won't light on me while doing the president stunt of the society act, but I won't stand for any monkey-doodle business from you gals while I'm running this ranch. We ought to extend an invite to the married ladies to get in out of the wet and help us shoot this slang business, it's getting to be fierce."—Clio Messenger.
FOR SALE:—A two seat light buckboard, nearly new. Inquire at this office.

School Officers' Meeting.
The Isosco county school officers' meeting held in the court house, Tawas City, last Friday, Nov. 24, was a record breaker in every respect. Every district and city in the county, except two, was represented by at least one delegate; several sent two or more.
The forenoon session was devoted to an exposition by Mr. Keeler, Deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction, of laws passed at the last session of the legislature. During this session, many questions were asked by the school officers, and all were explained in a positive, pleasing way by Mr. Keeler.
Promptly at 1:30 o'clock the afternoon session began. After discussing many phases of school law, Mr. Keeler gave an interesting address on important subjects taught in school, and methods of presenting them. He closed with an appeal to the officers to stand back of the teacher and school.
These meetings are productive of much good. They unify the school boards of the county and awaken an enthusiasm for better schools among those attending. We sincerely trust that they may be continued. This is one of the most progressive steps yet made in the history of Michigan education.
M. E. Church Notes.
Dr. C. W. Baldwin, the district superintendent of the Saginaw Bay district, will occupy the pulpit of the Tawas City M. E. church next Sunday morning. The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be administered at the close of the service. All members and friends are cordially invited to join with us in both services. The first quarterly conference will be held in the church parlor at East Tawas on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 2, at 3:30, standard. A full representation is expected from Tawas City board. Supper will be provided at the close of the business meeting.
Afternoon service and Holy Communion at Town Line Dec. 3, at 3:00 p. m. Evening at East Tawas; sermon at both places by Dr. C. W. Baldwin.
W. A. GREGORY, Pastor.
Teachers' Examinations.
Notice is hereby given that the regular teachers' examinations for the year 1912, will be held as follows:
Thursday, April 25th.
Thursday, August 8th.
These examinations will be for all certificates.
J. A. CAMPBELL,
County Commissioner.
A Terrible Blunder
to neglect liver trouble. Never do it. Take Dr. King's New Life Pills on the first sign of constipation, biliousness or inactive bowels and prevent virulent indigestion, jaundice or gall stones. They regulate liver, stomach and bowels and build up your health. Only 25c at J. M. Wuggazer & Co.'s and Jas. E. Dillon's.
Settlement of Accounts.
Having sold my furniture and under taking business in Tawas City, I request all those indebted to me to call and settle their accounts, either by cash or note, before Dec. 1, 1911, as all accounts not settled at that date will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection.
JOHN ARMSTRONG,
Tawas City
Estray Notice.
There came to my enclosure in Tawas township about No. 8th, two black-faced ewes, marked with red paint on one side. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges.
JOSEPH BRABANT,
R. D. 1, Tawas City.
Saved His Wife's Life.
"My wife would have been in her grave today," writes O. H. Brown, of Muscadine, Ala., "if it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery. She was down in her bed, not able to get up without help. She had a severe bronchial trouble and a dreadful cough. I got her a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, and she soon began to mend, and was well in a short time." Infallible for coughs and colds, it's the most reliable remedy on earth for desperate lung trouble, hemorrhages, lagrippe, asthma, hay fever, croup and whooping cough, 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by J. M. Wuggazer & Co. and Jas. E. Dillon.

Children Playing With Matches Set Barn Afire.
What promised, for a few minutes, to be a disastrous fire, started about 10 o'clock Wednesday morning in the barn in the rear of the King furniture store in this city. The barn was well filled with hay, which was set on fire by some children playing with matches. Mr. King's hearses and most of the other property was removed to safety. Several minutes' delay was incurred in getting water, because the fire engine refused to work when put in commission, and for a few minutes the lower end of Bay street was threatened. The trouble was remedied, and two streams of water soon had the fire under control, without it spreading to the adjoining buildings. The loss will probably not exceed \$200.
The lack of organization and proper care of our fire apparatus was again demonstrated. The engine was out of order, part of the ladders were gone from the ladder truck, and not a man on the job seemed to know just what to do. Some day, our city will pay dearly for these conditions.
Another good thing that could be done by the business men of that end of the street, would be to buy a few lengths of hose and arrange to connect with one of the gasoline engine pumps located in that neighborhood. These engines can always be started promptly, and would surely prove a strong auxiliary in fighting any fire that might start in that quarter. The expense would be very light.
The Primary Money.
LANSING, Nov. 25.—In view of the discussion of a plan to use the primary school fund for state expenses rather than for aid of the schools, Auditor General Fuller has compiled some interesting figures relative to the use of that money. The figures show that 48 counties in the state receive more primary school money per capita, than they pay in state taxes, which 35 receive less. Gogebic county pays an excess of state tax per capita of \$2.52, which is the largest of any other county in the state, while Isosco secures \$2.04 of primary school funds in excess of the state tax. Bay receives \$1.04 more of primary funds; Genesee pays .68 more; Ingham pays .94 more; Jackson pays .68 more; Kent pays .59 more; Lenawee pays .90 more; Muskegon receives .44 more; Saginaw receives .50 more; St. Clair pays .03 more, and Wayne pays .88 more.
Broilers Delectable.
Get the chickens neither too young nor too old; split them down the back and remove organs and oil bag. Wash them in cold water and salt, and dry them carefully on a clean fresh towel. Rub them with olive oil, and salt and pepper them two or three hours before cooking, putting them then in the refrigerator. While broiling, baste with a little hot water and butter, browning each side quickly so the juice won't run out. Serve on pieces of buttered toast, with several slices of browned breakfast bacon and water cross on the dish. Add pieces of lemon, as a squeeze of this gives broiled chicken a more palatable taste.
Household Goods For Sale.
I have the following household goods for sale: 1 book case, 1 roll top desk, 1 cosy corner, 1 foot stool, 1 small stand, 1 leather rocker, 1 desk chair, 1 sewing machine, 1 single bed, 1 child's bed, 1 dining table, 1 buffet, 1 china closet, 1 ice box, 1 kitchen cupboard, 1 large clock, 1 kitchen chair, 1 floor rug, 1 child's chair, 1 new cook stove, 1 child's rocker, 10 pictures, 2 small folding tables, 1 clothes rack, 1 lawn swing, fruit jars, tinware, etc.
JOHN ARMSTRONG,
Tawas City, Mich.
Ends Winter's Troubles.
To many, winter is a season of trouble. The frost-bitten toes and fingers, chapped hands and lips, chilblains, cold sores, red and rough skins, prove this. But such troubles fly before Bucklen's Arnica Salve. A trial convinces. Greatest healer of Burns, Boils, Piles, Cuts, Sores, Bruises, Eczema and Sprains. Only 25c at J. M. Wuggazer & Co.'s and Jas. E. Dillon's.
Notice to Tax Payers.
GRANT TOWNSHIP.
Notice is hereby given that I will be at my residence, on the Hemlock road, each Friday for the purpose of receiving taxes. I can also be found at home almost any evening.
E. W. TATHAM,
Treas. of Grant Twp.

All Voters Must Enroll Next Year.
LANSING, Nov. 27.—Secretary of State Martindale is sending out notices relative to the new primary laws which require an entirely new enrollment of all voters next year. Enrollment will take place the last Saturday in January and the first Monday in April for the primary elections, which take place in August instead of September. Books for recording the names of all voters will be provided at each polling place in the state. Every voter will have to signify his political affiliations in order to vote for the candidates of the respective parties at the primaries in August.
The April enrollment takes place at the same time as the regular spring elections in the townships, and enrollment clerks will be provided at each polling place as heretofore. It has been customary to add only new names, the old enrollment holding over from one election to another, but under the new ruling, every voter wishing to vote at the primaries must reaffirm his party affiliations.
Reno Rumbblings.
This is Thanksgiving week.
The Episcopal Guild met with Mrs. J. M. Johnston on Thursday of last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Charters and family spent Sunday with friends at Hale.
Special meetings are being held each evening, except Saturday, at the Taft school house.
Mrs. Wm. Gillespie and little daughter, of Emery Junction, were Reno callers Thursday.
Monday's thaw took a sudden turn, and now cold weather seems to be the order of the day.
Miss Nellie Jackson spent Thanksgiving day with her sister, Miss Esther, at Bay City.
The baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Johnson is quite well after her recent illness.
Mrs. Syze has returned to her home at Bronson, after an extended visit with relatives and friends.
Rev. Stevens of Bay City, district elder of this circuit, conducted quarterly meeting here the 19th inst.
Out of town visitors who spent Sunday in our midst: Mr. and Mrs. Dodds and baby, Mr. and Mrs. McGillivray, also Miss McGillivray, Miss Corbett and Mr. and Mrs. Guest.
Sheep by the hundred, and by the thousand, have been shipped from this station during the past few weeks. Hay, wool, potatoes, and sugar beets have also been consigned in carload lots.
WAY TO STOP EGG WASTE.
To stimulate a movement for the proper care of the egg product and thereby reduce the \$45,000,000 loss annually sustained by farmers and other egg producers, the department of agriculture has been conducting an investigation during the last year, the results of which have just been announced. This loss is largely due to improper handling on the farm and at the country store.
It is believed that the keynote has been struck in the solution of the problem by bringing about the organization of the egg buyers with the co-operation of the state authorities to the traders in eggs to buy on a quality basis only. This means substitution of the "loss-off" method of buying for the prevailing "case count" system. The movement has been rapidly spreading into many states and the officials are confident of success. Suggestions are offered in a bulletin issued to farmers, the country merchants and cash buyers, railroad officials and carload shippers.
Incidentally it is pointed out that the products of the American hen aggregate in value \$620,000,000 annually—a sum equal to the value of the hay crop, the wheat crop, the combined value of oat and potato crop, and nearly nine times the value of the tobacco crop of 1908.
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ANXIOUS TO LEARN
Demand for Good Teachers Greater Than Ever Before.
Reopening of Schools Shows That Desire for Knowledge Has Kept Better Than Abreast of Growth in Population.
New York.—"The schools of the country are opening this month and with an increased attendance which shows that the American thirst for education has kept ahead of the growth in population." This was said by a manager of the largest teachers' agency in the country, who from the nature of his work is in touch with the educational situation all over the country. Incidentally, he added that good times were ahead for the members of the teaching profession.
The last school census showed that 20,000,000 were enrolled in the various institutions of the country. While no figures for the present year are obtainable, it is estimated that common schools alone have at least 18,000,000 pupils.
Most of the public schools in the north and east open soon after Labor day. The exceptions are some schools in northern New England, where, owing to the hard winters and the difficulties of transportation, sessions are held only in the spring and autumn.
In the far south the heat delays school openings, and in some districts pupils do not return until November. The latest institutions to begin the year's work are some of the southern mission schools, which depend mainly upon teachers from the north. Sessions there are postponed until late in the fall, so that the northern teachers may not be subjected to the unaccustomed climate.
Most of the colleges and universities will have begun work by the first of October. As a rule the state universities and normal schools start earlier than the universities privately endowed and have longer terms.
At the teachers' agencies here it is said that the demand for more and better teachers is accompanied by increases in the cost of tuition. This is especially true of the private schools, especially the boarding schools.
"Two or three years ago," said one teachers' agency manager, "a boy could be sent to a very good boarding school for \$300 or \$600 a year. Now the average charge at such institutions is \$700 or \$800."
"The colleges that charge tuition of course do not depend upon these fees for support; nevertheless many of them have raised their tuition charges on an average of \$25 a year. The private boarding school business must be profitable, for the number of establishments is increasing."
"This, of course, is good for our business, for it quickens the demand for teachers and raises salaries. The only educational institutions that are declining are the old-fashioned day seminaries. The free state schools are fast driving them out."
FAVORITE MASCOT IS DEAD
Billy, the Comedian of the Battleship Louisiana, Passes Away—Known to Crowned Heads.
Norfolk, Va.—Billy, the mascot of the battleship Louisiana, the comedian of the fleet, is dead. Billy made President Taft laugh heartily when he made a trip to Panama some time ago. The sailors loved Billy, and to his memory they have dedicated a space on their lockers and chests, on which appears this epithet:
"Gone, but not forgotten, born at Norfolk, Va., April 10, 1908; died at sea September 6, 1911. Billy was recruited and enlisted at Norfolk on April 28, 1909, and served his country faithfully for more than two years. He was one of the most renowned mascots in the history of the navy. He was well known to the rulers and crowned heads of Europe, had been admired by the president of the United States, the czar of Russia, the emperor of Germany, king of Denmark and king of Sweden.
"His shaggy coat had been encased by the finest hands of the United States and Europe. Billy was a good shipmate and a sailor of the old school. He died after a short illness after an overindulgence of Portland cement and insulation tape. He was buried at sea September 6, 1911. Requiescat in peace."
Billy was a good mascot.

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Executive Pressure upon Congress.

Under our system of three separate and co-ordinate branches of government, the attempt on the part of the executive to carry legislation through congress by the use of patronage and pressure of various kinds, is only less objectionable than would be the use of subtle influences to secure decisions of the courts in support of the contentions urged by the administration's law officers. It can be no sufficient answer to say that our executives have always tried to carry their pet measures through Congress. These remarks are not intended to criticize Mr. Cleveland, Mr. McKinley, Mr. Roosevelt or Mr. Taft. They are directed toward a tendency, and not in the least are they aimed at any one man. Their object is to remind the plain, intelligent citizen that he cannot safely abdicate his own duty to any extent whatsoever as respects the policies and the laws of his country. The executive duties of the President and the heads of the departments are more absorbing than are the business tasks or professional duties of the intelligent private citizen. It would be preposterous, therefore, to assume that the lawyers and the business men of this country could reasonably be absolved from their own duty of thinking and forming opinions about the regulation of interstate commerce, merely because the President and the Attorney General have been formulating views which will be recommended to Congress in the form of new statutes completely written out.—From "The Progress of the World," in the American Review of Reviews for December.

Are We Yet Civilized?

There are a lot of people in this world who refuse to believe that we, the Anglo-Saxon race, are civilized. There are cannibals who do not think we show good taste in eating swine. And certainly if any race of people should hear of only our barbarous traits and forget our virtues, they could easily understand that we have not made a success of what we call civilization.

For instance, here is a little story that comes out of Chicago—one of the greatest cities of the earth, a community of churches and God fearing people—supposedly. Certainly a community that calls itself civilized in every sense of the word. This story deals with half a dozen young men who had the advantage of the public schools, and who were permitted to associate with rational human beings. Yet it shows that this half a dozen young men held up a huckster to the outskirts of Chicago, literally cut him to pieces with knives, in the encounter, took his team and his produce, and disposed of the whole outfit and made their escape. Has anything more barbaric been reported out of Ethiopia or Hindustan or the Fiji Islands?

Now, it may be argued that this is an isolated case, that nothing like it ever happened before in an American city, nor will ever happen again. The best answer to that is that it was not considered such an extraordinary event, because it did not throw the city into any undue excitement. The case was formally reported to the police, a short story of the occurrence printed in the newspapers, and the multitudes went about their business unconcernedly.—Bay City Times.

Wrap the Coins.

Rural mail carriers are not required to lift loose coins from the mail boxes and purchase stamps for rural patrons of Uncle Sam. The law relating to this reads: "Patrons should enclose coins in an envelope, wrap them securely in a piece of paper, or deposit them in a coin holding receptacle, so that they can be easily and quickly taken from the box, and carriers will be required to lift such coins and, where accompanied by mail for dispatch, attach the requisite stamps."

Cold weather is here and rural patrons, who have been in the habit of putting loose coins in the box in exchange for and payment of stamps, will see to it that the money is enclosed in some sort of wrapping or they will not be served unless the carrier desires to do a favor for those on his route. It takes a certain amount of time for the carrier to do this, and in the winter time it is decidedly more of a task.

FOR SALE:—A two seat light buckboard, nearly new. Inquire at this office.

BLISS SCORES THE ARMY.

The maneuver camps of the army, under present plans, are sharply criticized by Brig. Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, commanding the department of California, as failing to accomplish their primary purpose of training the soldiers under simulated war conditions. In a report to the war department Gen. Bliss also points out that there is a "wasteful and indefensible use of the nation's money" in the transportation to these encampments of militia organizations which have not received the preliminary training essential to participation in the broader maneuver instruction.

Orders published weeks or months in advance, Gen. Bliss says, announce the general details for the movement of troops and scope of instructions. Quartermasters, commissaries and other staff officers of the regular army are thus enabled leisurely to establish what in time of war would be considered a semipermanent camp. Gen. Bliss urges that the maneuver camps be developed to afford more practical training under campaign conditions for the regular army and a real test of the efficiency of the organized militia.

None of the militia organizations attending the encampment held in California last year, Gen. Bliss declares, was instructed sufficiently to take up maneuver work. There also were a large number of absentees from the enlisted force of the organizations. In the light of this experience he recommends that no militia organization be permitted to attend the maneuver encampment unless 90 per cent of the enrolled strength be present and unless the same proportion shall have received a thorough preliminary training.

PROFIT IN BREEDING FOXES

Seattle Man Raises Valuable Fur Bearing Animals on Island Off Alaska
—May Sell Ranch.

Seattle, Wash.—From Ugak Island, in the Aleutian group, Captain A. B. Anderson has arrived in Seattle after an absence of six years. Captain Anderson brought with him seventeen fine silver gray fox pelts, the result of a season's work on Ugak Island, having bought it in 1903, and while he operates a fox ranch, the foxes are extremely wild and it requires great skill in hunting them. Captain Anderson does not know even approximately how many foxes there are on his ranch.

Previous to acquiring Ugak Island Captain Anderson managed the fox ranch. Originally the promoters planned to breed blue foxes. A large number of blue foxes were placed on the island and everything was done to increase the number.

"We did all we could to kill off the silver gray foxes at that time," said Captain Anderson. "In 1893 we thought we had them exterminated. Later developments proved, however, that we were wrong, for the silver grays increased rapidly and have almost exterminated the blue foxes."

While still active and carrying his sixty five years like a man of forty, Captain Anderson is beginning to feel the rigors of lonely winters on Ugak Island. He may never go back to Ugak Island, for he is making arrangements to dispose of the fox farm.

Clipped Words.

An official of one of the London libraries has produced a dictionary of abbreviations after a labor of thirty years on his self-imposed task. The unique work, as may be well imagined, has been a very difficult one to execute, as the habit of clipping the written English words extends in every social and scientific direction, and each clipper attached his own meaning to his clipping. Thus, the compiler has discovered that the simple letter A may have no fewer than 46 different interpretations. It may stand, for instance, for "The Egyptian era" in one circle and for "Codex Alexandrinus" in another. AA, again, may represent either "all angels" or "the Automobile association;" but here some may say there are no risks of misinterpretation. We fear, however, that the compiler, despite his stupendous industry, has not exhausted all the meanings attached to the letters of the alphabet. There used, for example, to be a nursery rhyme beginning: A is an arch through which the stream run, B is the butter that is kept in a can.

The task, indeed, suggests endless possibilities.

Corporation With a Heart.

An Illinois electric light company is making an effort to show its patrons that corporations are not without heart, and during the past summer it has been supplying free, on the recommendation of physicians, electric fans and the necessary current to drive them in the sick rooms of persons who are unable to pay for the service and who would be benefited by the presence of the fans. In many cases where houses were not wired the company did the necessary work without cost.

Baked Cream Toast.

Toast the required number of slices of two-day-old bread, dip quickly in hot salt water (one teaspoonful to a pint of water) butter, and lay in a flat pan, then pour a little rich milk over it and place in a hot oven for about five minutes. Take up on a platter and pour two tablespoonfuls of cream on each slice, place the platter in the oven just long enough to heat through and then serve at once. Slice of crisp bacon may be placed around the toast. This is an excellent breakfast dish.



ALL AROUND THE HOUSE

Butter the size of an egg usually means one ounce.
Four tablespoonfuls of a liquid constitute a wineglassful.
Twenty minutes is required to boil properly spaghetti or macaroni.
A good average time to allow for baking a loaf cake is an hour to an hour and a half, according to size.
In boiling chicken, 15 minutes should be allowed to the pound. Broiled chicken requires 15 to 20 minutes.
The preserving pan of the housewife's pride is, of course, of polished brass, but an enameled or aluminum pan may be used.
Spanish toast recalls in flavoring a Spanish omelet. Cut up two or three green peppers and one or two slices of onion, add a cupful of thick cream or fresh tomato. Simmer the mixture till smooth and pour it over buttered toast.

Whiffs From the Spice Box.

Ginger acts as a tonic and is considered very wholesome. The white variety is even better than the black. Bay leaves impart a nutty flavor to food in which they are cooked. If left in too long, however, they are apt to make it bitter.
Mace is the outer shell of the nutmeg, resembling it greatly in flavor. It may be used whole or in powdered form.
Curry powder is of East Indian origin and is used constantly by the natives. It combines condiments and spices and is medicinal as well as delightful to the taste.

Roasting Pans.

Chicken as well as roasts of meat may be cooked on top of the gas stove, if placed in one of the covered roasting pans. This is a much more economical use of gas than lighting the oven. At first the burner must be turned up high, but after the cooking process has really begun turn the gas burner low and you will be pleasantly surprised at the meat when ready to serve.

Sultana Roll.

This is one of the daintiest of all frozen desserts. A round mold is lined with pistachio ice cream, the center filled with whipped cream, slightly colored pink, and mixed with sultanas.

In the Laundry.

To make soft collars, shirt bands, etc., wear as long as the garment to which they are attached, soap the soiled side, then turn the piece and rub the opposite side on the board or in the hands.

Frying Eggs.

If a few drops of water are added to the fat and the frying pan covered eggs will not become tough.

Notice to Tax Payers.

GRANT TOWNSHIP.
Notice is hereby given that I will be at my residence, on the Hemlock road, each Friday for the purpose of receiving taxes. I can also be found at home almost any evening.
E. W. TATHAM,
Treas. of Grant Twp.

Ends Winter's Troubles.

To many, winter is a season of trouble. The frost-bitten toes and fingers, chapped hands and lips, chilblains, cold sores, red and rough skins, prove this. But such troubles fly before Bucklen's Arnica Salve. A trial convinces. Greatest healer of Burns, Boils, Piles, Cuts, Sores, Bruises, Eczema and Sprains. Only 25c at J. M. Wuggazer & Co.'s and Jas. E. Dillon's.

Saved His Wife's Life.

"My wife would have been in her grave today," writes O. H. Brown, of Muscadine, Ala., "If it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery. She was down in her bed, not able to get up without help. She had a severe bronchial trouble and a dreadful cough. I got her a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, and she soon began to mend, and was well in a short time." Infallible for coughs and colds, it's the most reliable remedy on earth for desperate lung trouble, hemorrhages, lagrippe, asthma, hay fever, croup and whooping cough. 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by J. M. Wuggazer & Co. and Jas. E. Dillon.

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Teachers' Attention!

The eight grade examination in reading for May, 1912, will be based on Longfellow's "The Courtship of Miles Standish."

Reading for teachers' examination in April will be based on "Hudson's Introduction to the Study of Literature." This is an especially strong book. It is very comprehensive and of especial interest and value to all teachers.

One half of the second grade examination in botany will be based on Warren's "Elements of Agriculture." The third book of the Reading Circle Course is "The Personal Equation," by Lawrence McTurman. This book will inspire for better work; not only teachers, but all who read the book.

In addition to credits given above, 100 per cent will be allowed in Theory and Art those taking this course.

Respectfully,
J. A. CAMPBELL,
Commissioner.

Office of Alpena County Savings Bank

Alpena, Michigan

From small capital in 1894, this Bank has grown to be the largest (it is also the oldest) State Bank in Northeastern Michigan. The growth can be readily seen in the following table of gross assets taken under date of Sept. 1st in years printed.

1904.....	\$ 654,109.00	1894.....	\$111,045.02
1906.....	1,197,839.47	1898.....	191,800.99
1909.....	1,795,160.55	1901.....	443,144.88
	1911.....		\$2,016,503.37

This indicates the strength of the Bank, as well as the manner in which the people in Northern Michigan appreciate such a strong institution as the

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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 the city of Tawas City, on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1911. Harry Smalley, complainant, vs. Claud Smalley, defendant. In this cause it appearing that the defendant, Claud Smalley, is a resident of this state but his whereabouts is unknown; therefore, on motion of Chas. A. Jahraus, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that said defendant enter his appearance in said cause on or before three months from date of this order, and that within twenty days this complaint cause this order to be published in the Tawas Herald, newspaper printed and published in the city of Tawas City, Iosco county, Michigan, for six successive weeks.
Dated October 4th, 1911.
MAIN J. CONNINE, Circuit Judge.
CHAS. A. JAHRAUS, Solicitor for Complainant. Business Address, Tawas City, Michigan.

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 the city of Tawas City, on the 5th day of October, A. D. 1911. Mercy Murphy, complainant, vs. Harry Murphy, defendant. In this cause it appearing that the defendant Harry Murphy is not a resident of this state and his whereabouts is unknown, therefore, on motion of Chas. A. Jahraus, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered, that said defendant Harry Murphy, enter his appearance in said cause on or before four months from date of this order, and that within twenty days this complaint cause this order to be published in the Tawas Herald, newspaper printed and published in the city of Tawas City, Iosco county, Michigan, for six successive weeks.
Dated October 5, 1911.
MAIN J. CONNINE, Circuit Judge.
CHAS. A. JAHRAUS, Solicitor for Complainant. Business Address, Tawas City, Michigan.

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, on the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1911 Present: Hon. Alfred R. Weir, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Daniel Krumm, deceased. Albert Krumm having filed in said court his petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.
It is ordered that the 4th day of December, 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. A true copy, ALFRED R. WEIR, Judge of Probate. M. A. CRANDALL, Register of Probate.

Probate Order.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, the probate court for the County of Iosco.
At a session of the said Court, held at the probate office in the city of Tawas City, in said county, on the twentieth day of November, A. D. 1911, Present: Hon. Alfred R. Weir, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Wilmot Gilmore deceased, Martha L. Gilmore having filed in said court a petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to herself or to some other suitable person.
It is ordered, that the 15th day of December, 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
M. A. CRANDALL, Register of Probate
EDWIN RAWDEN, Atty. for Petitioner
310 National Bank Building
Ann Arbor, Mich.

Notice of Sale.
Notice is hereby given, that by writ of Fieri Facias, dated February 26, 1910 issued out of the circuit court for the County of Iosco in favor of Albert Black against the goods and chattles and real estate of Charles F. Gordon, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did on the 26th day of February, 1910 levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Charles F. Gordon in and to the following described real estate, to wit: to say all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Boreigh, county of Iosco, and State of Michigan; to wit: The North one-half (1/2) of the Northeast Quarter (1/4) Section Nineteen (19) in Township Twenty-one (21) North of Range Five (5) East, all of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in Tawas City, in said county, on the 15th day of January 1912 at nine o'clock in the forenoon said day, said sale will be made subject to a certain real estate mortgage bearing date of September 24, 1908 in favor of Clarence H. Atkinson and recorded in liber 170 of mortgages, page 169 on September 26, 1908 and assigned Oct. 14, 1911 to Grant Berkman and recorded in liber 47 of mortgages, page for 47. The amount of said mortgage being two hundred dollars.
Dated this 11th day of November, A. D. 1911.
ALBERT W. BLACK, Sheriff.

Probate Order.
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-fourth day of November, A. D. 1911 Present: Hon. Alfred R. Weir, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Julius G. Hartman, deceased, Carrie Hartman having filed in said court a petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to said Carrie Hartman or to some other suitable person.
It is ordered, that the twenty-second day of December, 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
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ALFRED R. WEIR, Judge of Probate
M. A. CRANDALL, Register of Probate.

DETROIT & MACKINAC RY.
LAKE HURON SHORE LINE
Time Table in Effect June 15, 1911
Central Standard Time.
From Tawas City, Mich.
GOING NORTH

Train No. 21—Leaves 10:30 a m week days. Accommodation Rose City and Prescott to East Tawas via Emery Junction. Coaches.
3—Leaves 2:38 p m week days. Solid vestibuled train through without change, Detroit to Cheboygan, Coaches, Car, Parlor Car, with electric fans, electric lights, etc.
15—Leaves 2:15 p m week days. Way freight Bay City to Alpena Junction.
37—Leaves 6:08 week days. Accommodation Prescott to East Tawas, Coaches.
9—Leaves 9:48 a m every day. Solid vestibuled train Bay City to Cheboygan. Coaches Sleeping car Bay City to Alpena.

GOING SOUTH

32—Leaves 7:00 week days. Accommodation East Tawas to Prescott. Coaches.
4—Leaves 9:23 a m week days. Solid vestibuled train, through without change Cheboygan to Bay City. Coaches, Car, Parlor Car with electric fans, electric lights, etc. Connects with P. M. R. R., vestibuled train for Detroit. Connects at Bay City with coach and parlor cars arriving at Chicago at 8:55 p. m. and 9:50 p. m.
16—Leaves 11:50 a m week days. Way freight Alpena Junction to Bay City.
22—Leaves 1:25 p m week days. Accommodation East Tawas to Rose City and Prescott. Coaches.
10—Leaves 7:24 p m every day. Solid vestibuled train Cheboygan to Bay City. Coaches, Sleeping car Alpena to Detroit. 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 50c Detroit & Cheboygan 75c. 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 1 run to Tawas Beach during summer season only.
Train 10 stops 20 minutes for supper at Tawas Beach Club House (Hotel) during summer months and at East Tawas during the winter months.
—W. G. BACEDWARD, G. P. A., Bay City
—N. D. MURCHISON, Agent, Tawas City.

Here and There.

Mr. Paradise is the new opera house manager at AuGres.

A Maple Ridge farmer raised 90 bushels of beans on 4 acres.

A flowing well has been struck at Prescott; they like it better than the "flowing bowl."

The motto of the M. E. minister at Prescott is, "Boost! Push! Dig! Get there!"

The annual ball of the Harrisville firemen, held Wednesday evening, was a success.

Thirty-five percent of the pupils of the AuGres schools were absent last week on account of illness.

Mayor Avis, of Onaway, raised a thousand bushels of potatoes on six acres of ground, this season.

Rose City was in darkness a few evenings last week. The dynamo at the electric light plant went on a strike.

When you have a bilious attack give Chamberlain's Tablets a trial. They are excellent. For sale by all dealers.

Plans are being drawn by an architect for the new high school building which is to be erected at Harrisville next summer.

The Embury-Martin Lumber Co., of Cheboygan, will have a drive of about 3,000,000 feet to take down the Ocqueoc river next spring.

Northeastern Michigan land seems to raise most anything. An Onaway man raised tobacco in his back yard that stood over five feet high; the leaves of the plant being about eighteen inches wide.

The D. & M. Railway Co. directors met recently in the company's office in Detroit, and re-elected all the old officers. J. D. Hawks will continue as vice-president and general manager of the road. A two per cent dividend was declared on all common and preferred stock issued by the company.

Midland county has what is probably the only herd of wild goats in Michigan. Some 18 years ago, a Cleveland man started a goat ranch about 20 miles from the railroad, in the northeast corner of Midland county. Ill-health and business reverses compelled him to abandon the project, and he departed, leaving to head of goats running wild in the woods. Although many have fallen before the guns of careless hunters, yet the herd has increased to about 30.

The December Woman's Home Companion. The December Woman's Home Companion is a specially illustrated and beautiful Christmas number. It contains, aside from the usual illustrations, a great many pictures in color. Stories are included in greater number than usual and several of them are extraordinary presentations of the Christmas spirit—full of action and the best kind of sentiment. Some of the contributors of the fiction are: Jeffery Farnol, Mary E. Wilkins Freeman, Norvell Harrison, Owen Oliver, and Hulbert Footner.

One of the notable special articles in the number is entitled "What Christmas might be." It is an eloquent plea by Charles E. Jefferson, pastor of the Broadway Tabernacle in New York City. Other special articles worthy of particular mention are "American Mural Decoration," "Flashlight Photography," "A Christmas Fallacy," "Last-Minute Gifts" and "The Professional Parent."

The special departments, for which the Woman's Home Companion is famous are filled with good reading—such as for example, as a remarkable article on "The Healthy Baby," by Dr. Roger H. Dennett, a great specialist in New York, "A Girl's Charities at Christmas," "Sam Loyd's Own Puzzle Page," and many other contributions.

The fashion, household, home decoration and handicraft features of the Companion are remarkable for their interest and practicality.

Lightning Kills Few. In 1906 lightning killed only 10 people in this whole country. One's chances of death by lightning are less than two in a million. The chances of death from liver, kidney or stomach trouble is vastly greater, but not if Electric Bitters be used, as Robert Madsen, of West Burlington, Ia., proved. Four Doctors gave him up after eight months of suffering from virulent liver trouble and yellow jaundice. He was then completely cured by Electric Bitters. They are the best stomach, liver, nerve and kidney remedy and blood purifier on earth. Only 50c at J. Wuggazer & Co.'s and Jas. E. Dillon's.

Heavy Weights Transported. At Swinton, near Manchester, England, many years ago, during a deluge of rain, lightning suddenly filled a brick building, in which coal was stored, full of pestiferous sulphurous vapor. Suddenly the building, the walls of which measured nearly a foot in thickness, was torn out of the ground, the foundation being nearly two feet deep, and transported in an upright position to a distance of nearly 33 feet. The weight moved was

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FAMOUS AMERICAN INDIANS

ALBERT PAVSON TERHUNE

BILLY CALDWELL.

"The Sauganash" was his Indian title. He was better known to red and white men alike as "Capt. Billy Caldwell." He was half Pottawatomie, half white. His immediate nationality was even more mixed than his ancestry. On his mother's side he came of the bluest Pottawatomie Indian stock. His father was an Irish officer. He was brought up a Frenchman, received a captaincy from the British government, and was a civic official in the United States. First and last, however, by his own choice, he remained an Indian chief.

Caldwell was born in 1780 in Canada. As a child he fell under the wise, kindly influence of the Detroit Jesuits. From them he received an excellent education and became master of both the French and English languages in addition to his knowledge of many native Indian dialects.

When only a lad he met the great Tecumseh and instantly enrolled himself as that Shawnee spellbinder's admirer and disciple. The two were dear friends until Tecumseh's death. But the Shawnee could never imbue Caldwell with his bitter hatred against the white men. Although Caldwell proclaimed himself a loyal Indian he could never wholly forget that he was half English. He fought for the British against the United States in the war of 1812. Rising rapidly in rank he became captain in Great Britain's "Indian department." Though he lived in the United States after the war was over, he never renounced his allegiance to the British crown. He held office under our government, but was proud of his rank of captain in England's army. Apart from this captivity, he was also a chief of the Ottawas and the Pottawatomies.

The Chicago Massacre. Caldwell is said by some historians to have been the fiercest of the Indian assailants at the "Chicago massacre" in 1812. Others say he refused to take part in the conflict. When the prisoners there who had escaped the hatchets and rifles of the attacking Indians were dragged to an open square for torture and death, Caldwell hurled himself between them and their bloodthirsty captors. By pleas, threats and cajolery he saved many of the helpless prisoners from the fate that usually overtook such unfortunates as fell into hostile Indian hands.

Henceforth, Caldwell was known as "the white man's friend." This fact made some of his Indian comrades hate him; and more than one plot was formed for his assassination. Yet, undisturbed by praise or hate, he continued to befriend the settlers and to administer wisely the affairs of his own people.

By 1820 Chicago had become a thriving settlement for what was then known as "the far west." And, leaving the wild life of his people, Caldwell went to Chicago to live as the white man did. This caused still further ill-feeling among the Pottawatomies and Ottawas. But the man's iron will dominated the situation. Even as he was half white and half Indian by birth, so he lived among the white townfolk and at the same time held his rank among the savages.

So readily did Caldwell take to the ways of his adopted people and so quickly did he demand the respect and trust of the western pioneers that in 1828 he was sworn in as a justice of peace. He sat in judgment on countless involved frontier cases where his shrewd common sense and ideas of right more than counterbalanced his partial ignorance of law.

The End of a Career. So many clashes between settlers and Indians did he avert that the government decided to reward him. Accordingly, in 1828, the Indian department built for him the first frame house ever erected in Chicago. It was situated near the corner of Chicago avenue and North State street. There Caldwell lived until 1836. Then he went back to the Indians of his own tribes and settled with them at Council Bluffs, Ia. In the meantime the government had presented him with a 1,240-acre tract of land on the north branch of the Chicago river. He sold this for a trifling sum before he turned his back on civilization.

After a 16-year sojourn with white men, the old Sauganash found rough Indian life less to his taste than he had hoped. Yet he stayed with his tribesmen at Council Bluffs until his death on Sept. 28, 1841.

Billy Caldwell, the Sauganash, had a less melodramatic career than did many other famous Indians. Yet he did more than most of them to help along the cause of progress and civilization in the far west. To him, in great measure, was due the usually peaceful relations between settlers and savages in the semi-lawless section where he was so feared and honored.

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INSECTS WITH STINGS

Fierce Battles of Boyhood With Yellow Jackets.

Wasp is Less Vicious Than the Hornets That Made Famous the Ride of Sut Livingood to Church.

If you were a country boy you will recall the fierce delight you experienced in fighting that game little insect, the yellow jacket, and the victor, if you were triumphant, was, perhaps, all the sweeter if the golden jacketed enemy had left in your young skin a sharp taste of his quality. You never thought of calling this little fighter a wasp, and perhaps the Latin name, vespa arenaria; never came your way. But that did not disturb you. You found him out in the old orchard, coming upon him sometimes quite unexpectedly, ambushed on the under side of an overripe, early apple that had fallen to the ground. Holy Moses!—but never mind what you said—and what a lip you had even after a pint of cream had been used as an embrocation! While it was not exactly the lip for a flute, it was a very much of a fluted lip.

But the yellow jacket, as compared with that fully developed athletic insect, the hornet, was as a toothpick to a two-edged sword. But one can say some good things even for the hornet, for it is often seen on trees infested with plant lice, which it devours, or it may carry to its young the honey dew exuded by these insects, which some jocular entomologist has called "wasp cows."

The yellow jacket is classed with the social wasps which live in communities of 300 to 400 individuals and have a life history similar to that of the bumblebees. As in the case of bumblebees, all the members of the wasp community, with the exception of a few fertilized females, die in the autumn, and these fertilized females or queens found new colonies in the spring. Wasps are strong and swift flyers and are fond of attacking honey bees in flight, one wasp considering himself a match for three bees. The rude forefathers of the hamlet here in the west used to tell some wonderful stories of wasps and hornets, but it was in the south that the hornet found a permanent place in that rich depository of southern humor, "Georgia Scenes." The humor was rather broad, but there was never any covert suggestion. One of these sketches tells the story of Sut Livingood, who undertook to change his shirt en route while riding to church. When he was pulling the old garment over his shoulders he chanced to butt into a hornet's nest overhanging the road. It was like that description by Robert Burns, in "Tam o' Shanter," only more so—"when bees bizz out wi' angry fyke"—as the horse and rider, goaded with pain, dashed by the country meeting house, the rider not dressed for company, under the eyes of half a hundred observers.

What fun it was in those old days to read such books as "Georgia Scenes" and "The Arkansas Traveler," where the narrators were so vivid that the illustrations were superfluous.

Teachers' Examinations. Notice is hereby given that the regular teachers' examinations for the year 1912, will be held as follows:

Thursday, April 25th. Thursday, August 8th. These examinations will be for all certificates.

J. A. CAMPBELL, County Commissioner.

A Terrible Blunder to neglect liver trouble. Never do it. Take Dr. King's New Life Pills on the first sign of constipation, biliousness or inactive bowels and prevent virulent indigestion, jaundice or gall stones. They regulate liver, stomach and bowels and build up your health. Only 25c at J. M. Wuggazer & Co.'s and Jas. E. Dillon's.

There came to my enclosure in Tawas township about No. 8th, two black-faced ewes, marked with red paint on one side. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges. JOSEPH BRABANT, R. D. 1, Tawas City.

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Auction sale time is at hand, and the tendency all over the country is to handle the advertising by publishing the same and a list of articles in a newspaper. The matter of handling the advertising has been thoroughly tried out and adopted in every section.

It saves the proprietor of the auction from the ever difficult task of posting his bills, and an arduous drive through the country when he has plenty of other business to look after. And too, the bills do not in many cases remain up to accomplish the desired aim, in which case the labor and drive is largely in vain.

The newspaper advertising brings the list of personal property before the right people at the right time. When a man picks up a newspaper, it is usually at a time when he is at leisure and he is sure to read every article named in the list. The probabilities are he will find one or more articles which would be of use to him and he is attracted to the sale. A large crowd means good prices and advertising is what brings the crowd. Advertise your sales in the Herald and insure a good attendance.

For those who wish bills, we wish to say that we are putting out the most attractive auction bill in Northeastern Michigan; printed in two colors on manilla board. Call in and see what we can print for you in this line.

Meat Patties. Take a pound or so of fresh round steak, cut off the fat and run through meat chopper. Separate into small patties and in the center of each place a pinch of salt and small pinch of pepper. If fond of onions, a small shred of onion, also. Fold the meat over so that seasoning is in center. Dip each patty into beaten egg, which also has been seasoned, then into cracker crumbs, and fry in hot fat until nice and brown on both sides. Garnish with parsley.

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Teachers' Examinations. Notice is hereby given that the regular teachers' examinations for the year 1912, will be held as follows: Thursday, April 25th. Thursday, August 8th. These examinations will be for all certificates.

J. A. CAMPBELL, County Commissioner.

A Terrible Blunder to neglect liver trouble. Never do it. Take Dr. King's New Life Pills on the first sign of constipation, biliousness or inactive bowels and prevent virulent indigestion, jaundice or gall stones. They regulate liver, stomach and bowels and build up your health. Only 25c at J. M. Wuggazer & Co.'s and Jas. E. Dillon's.

There came to my enclosure in Tawas township about No. 8th, two black-faced ewes, marked with red paint on one side. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges. JOSEPH BRABANT, R. D. 1, Tawas City.

PATENTS OVER 65 YEARS' EXPERIENCE TRADE MARKS DESIGNS COPYRIGHTS &c. Anyone sending a sketch and description may quickly ascertain our opinion free whether an invention is probably patentable. Communications strictly confidential. HANDBOOK on Patents sent free. Oldest agency for securing patents. Patents taken through Munn & Co. receive special notice, without charge, in the Scientific American. A handsomely illustrated weekly. Largest circulation of any scientific journal. Terms, \$3 a year; four months, \$1. Sold by all newsdealers. MUNN & Co. 361 Broadway, New York Branch Office, 625 F St., Washington, D. C.

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TAWAS GRAIN CO.

Will be ready to Grind your Feed within two weeks.

The Mill will be overhauled as soon as possible and be put in shape to do

General Custom Grinding

We will have on hand after November 20th, a complete line of FLOUR, FEED BRAN MIDDINGS COTTONSEED OIL MEAL SALT AND POULTRY SUPPLIES

Our prices will be reasonable and we want your trade.

We Will Buy Your Wet Beans.

We Are Buying now BEANS, WHEAT, OATS, RYE, BARLEY, CORN, PEAS, BUCKWHEAT and POTATOES. We pay highest Market prices. Get our bid before selling.

We intend to give the farmers a splendid market at Tawas City the entire year, and in order to do this we must have your co-operation.

BRING YOUR PRODUCE TO US We will pay you the price. CLAYTON M. DAVIS, Manager

The Herald one year and the Farm Journal five years for only \$1.50

DR. CHAS. V. CRANE

Physician and Surgeon Tawas City, Michigan

Office over Swartz's Grocery Store OFFICE HOURS: 9:00 to 12 a. m. 1:30 to 6 p. m. Evening 7 to 8. Sundays 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. Office Phone 164-3 Rings. Residence Phone 164-4 Rings.

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MEN'S SUITS FROM \$13.00 UP

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C. V. HICKS [Of Alpena]

Pianos, Organs, Sewing Machines and Talking Machines

FOR LESS MONEY THAN ANY DEALER IN THE COUNTRY

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To Close Out Business

I have decided to close out my entire stock of Bazaar Goods and Novelties, and in order to do so in the least possible time I shall offer it

Regardless of Cost

This includes all my new stock of Holiday Goods, and a fine new line of Fancy Dry Goods. Everything goes. Do not miss this opportunity of getting goods at the Greatest Bargains ever offered. Come today.

THE BARGAIN STORE

Mrs. C. E. HEBEL, Prop.

TAWAS CITY

MICHIGAN

CLOTHING AUCTION

NOW ON

AT JAMES LESLIE'S STORE
WHITTEMORE, MICH.

Do not miss this Greatest Chance to get Clothing at practically your own price. We are also selling at Private Sale, and will continue for several days after the auction sale closes. Come in today without fail.

KOFFMAN BROTHERS, Props.

\$1.50 will secure you the Tawas Herald one year and
The Farm Journal five years. Do it today.

More Bargains For You

There never was a time when you could get better values for your money, and there is no place in Northern Michigan where you can buy the necessities of life cheaper than in Whittemore. I find myself crowded for room, and before I can get in my fine Line of Holiday Goods I must move out a lot of staple good. Until Dec. 15, I will sell goods at the following prices, also have special bargains every day

GROCERIES

Ben Hur, Samico, Henkies, Red Cap, King K. King Solomon and Aristos Spring Wheat Flours, per sack.....75c
Galvanic, Sunny Monday, Export and Flake White soap, 6 for.....25c
Calumet soap.....11 for 25c
Karo 50c syrup, per gal.....35c
Best quality of Rolled Oats,.....7 lbs for 25c
Moka and Table Talk Coffee, per lb.....25c
Granulated Sugar, 15 lbs for.....\$1.00
No. 1 Crackers, in 20 lb boxes, per lb.....6c
Viking and Double Eagle package tea.....12½c
Grandma's soap powder, large pkgs.....12½c
Every Saturday we sell all kinds of Fudge Candies—Walnut, Peanut, Plain and Marble, worth 20c, per lb.....10c

GENTS' Furnishings

In our Gent's Furnishing Department we will sell
1 lot of fine \$1.00 flannel shirts.....for 75c
All our 50c Cotton shirts for.....39c
All our heavy fleeceline and wool process underwear for.....45c
\$1.50 Sweaters.....\$1.00
\$2.00 Sweaters.....\$1.50
\$2.50 Sweaters.....\$1.90
\$3.00 Sweaters.....\$2.35
Men's Heavy Wool Caps, worth 75c...45c
Don't forget our Tailor-Made Clothing Department. A pure wool suit or overcoat, Goods and Fit guaranteed, \$13.50 to \$27 pays for everything.

We expect a big premium offer by about Dec. 1., something that will be fine for Holiday Gifts.

Our Stock of Holiday Goods

will include the largest, finest, and cheapest assortment of China and Glass ever shown in Whittemore

We Have Also Added a Line of CHOICE MEATS

We will take produce or cash, and pay you 25c per lb. for Butter, and 28c per doz. for Eggs.

W. H. PRICE

Whittemore

Michigan

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS NOTES

Contributed by Our Corps of Correspondents in the County

Whittemore and Vicinity

Sheriff Hadwin was in the city Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hess are visiting at Flint.

Martin Simpson was at Tawas City on business Friday.

Koffman Bros' big auction sale of clothing begins today.

C. S. Robinson was up to Tawas City on business Monday.

Charles Fenton returned this week from Hubbard lake with two fine deer.

Miss Zedena Horton has returned from Frederic, where she has been teaching.

Ross Kitchen was supposed to have been visiting friends at West Branch this week.

Clifford Goupil, who has been working in the turpentine factory at Bay City, came home Monday.

Arthur Stoutenburg has returned from a deer-hunting trip to the upper peninsula with nothing but the smile on his face.

Alva Wood, of East Tawas, was in the city Tuesday. Mr. Wood has recently sold his fine farm north of this place to Mr. Dobson.

Every school district in Burleigh township was represented at the school officers' convention at Tawas City last Friday, by one or more officers.

Albert Blumenau's big fall sale is now in full swing, and many people are coming from the surrounding country to take advantage of the bargains being offered.

The "Wood Hill School" entertainment given Wednesday evening by local talent was well attended, and was presented in a most pleasing and acceptable manner; each actor taking their part in fine shape.

Detroit is not the only city in Michigan that can make war and clean out the slot machines. Whittemore is right in line, and all slot machines and dice games have been ordered closed in this city. Now, if they will put a stop to a few more of the drunken jamborees which have disgraced our city of late, it will be a good thing.

THE MUSICAL MAIDS PURITAN PARTY.

The event was held at Miss Blumenau's. The "musical maids" were all there; Drawn straight back from their forehead, Was the arrangement of their hair.

Each wore a little cap of white, And cuffs and collars too; As their fair minds had often read The Puritans used to do.

Not the smallest grain of powder. Nor the least little dab of paint Was applied to these girls' faces To spoil their make-up quaint.

The music for the evening had been Arranged with the greatest of care; Each piece was played with a grandeur That thrilled the listeners there.

The principal feature of amusement

Was the dialogue, given by three Of the jolliest of the maidens With the others, their audience, you see.

Many exciting games then followed, Then, off to the dining room went This happy little party, Where the rest of the evening was spent.

They sipped their cocoa and gossiped

(As most of the old ladies do) Until it was time for departing, And then all bid adieu.

So here we will leave the "Musical Maids"

'Till a week from Friday shall come, And we then shall hear from them again.

Of all their pastimes and fun.

Hale and Vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hobart are visiting at Toledo.

S. B. Yawger was at Bay City on business last week.

Chancy Livingston returned Monday from Bay City.

Sheriff Hadwin was in the village on business last Friday.

W. J. Curry and Frank Beedon were at Bay City on business this week.

Our deer hunters have about all returned home and all seem to have been very successful.

S. R. Scofield and Elmer Graves attended the school officers' convention at Tawas City last Friday.

The 19th annual convention of the Michigan Association of Farmers' Clubs will meet at Lansing Dec. 5th and 6th.

Dewight Arthur, of Rose City, succeeds Frank Beedon as cashier of the Bell, Niggeman & Co. bank in this village. During his residence here, Mr. Beedon has made a host of friends who regret his determination to retire from the position he has occupied since the bank was established here.

From the Pickford Clarion we learn that E. V. Esmond, of Hale, is meeting with excellent success in organizing lodges for the A. O. O. G. in the upper peninsula. He has just completed the organization of an Arbor at Rudyard and expects to close up one at Pickford within a few days with 40 charter members.

Sherman Shots.

C. G. Luce is entertaining his brother from Ohio.

W. G. Arn made a business trip to Flint last week.

Mrs. G. A. Pringle, Mrs. A. M. Lambert and Mrs. C. M. Goodwin spent Sunday at Bay City.

The heavy snow storm Tuesday evening made it impossible for any one to attend the social to given at the town hall by the Ladies' Aid.

Messrs. G. A. Pringle, John Cataline, Cal Belling and Jas. Schneider returned Saturday after a short hunt in the upper peninsula. The deep snow didn't hinder them from filling their license.

A dance and box social will be held at the Sherman town hall, Friday evening, Dec. 8th. Music by Miss King of East Tawas. Proceeds of social for district school teachers' Christmas tree. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

South Branch.

Dean Stewart is home from East Jordan.

John Golden went to Bay City Monday.

James Nayler spent Sunday at Saginaw.

R. I. Lupton was at the Branch Monday night.

A dance will be given Wednesday night in Grieve's Hall.

Mrs. Lee Coburn is entertaining her niece and family from Memphis, Michigan, this week.

Mrs. Alec Gordon, of East Tawas, came Saturday night to visit her son, Herb Gordon, of Curtis.

Mrs. O. A. Walstad came Friday for a few days' visit with her parents before going to her home in Engadine, Mackinac county.

Rev. Blankford, Rector of the Episcopal church of East Tawas, held a meeting in Grieve's Hall Monday night, with a good attendance.

Hemlock Slivers.

The M. B. M. club met with Miss Jennie McArdle at her home Wednesday evening, Nov. 22. Owing to the dark night, only four members were present; two of the young ladies brought a new member with them, but he was barred from the club; neuralgia kept another away. One hour was spent in vigorous work; much being accomplished. The evening was spent in singing old-time songs.

"BEST ON RECORD"

A CAR LOAD JUST IN

Now is the time to put in your supply of Flour for the winter. We also have Pure Buckwheat Flour, Graham Flour, Corn Meal and coarse feeds.

We will buy your Grain, Hay and Potatoes, paying you the Highest Market Price in Cash.

Whittemore Elevator Co.

Whittemore, Mich.

A Great Offer

We are offering The Herald one year, and the Farm Journal five years for the price of one--\$1.50.

The BIG SALE IS NOW ON

This is absolutely the greatest chance you ever had to buy reliable, standard goods at such very Low Prices. Many have taken advantage of these Great Bargain during the first week, but our stock is so large there are plenty left for all who come. It will pay you well to take a day and come to our store and buy your winter supplies. These Bargains are Found in Every Department.

A. BLUMENAU'S BIG DEPT STORE WHITTEMORE, MICH.

10 Per Cent Off

For the Next Week we will offer our immense line of Stylish New Coats for Misses and Children, and our Beautiful Line of Ladies' Skirts at 10 per cent off our regular low price. You know that means a lower price than can be had anywhere else.

A Handsome New Line of Clothcraft Suits and Overcoats Just Arrived for the Holidays

Holiday Good Extraordinary

THIS SEASON WE WILL OFFER OUR PATRONS SOMETHING ENTIRELY DIFFERENT FOR THE HOLIDAYS THAN WAS EVER SHOWN IN THE CITY BEFORE IT IS AN IMPORTED LINE WHICH WILL PLEASE YOU. WE ARE NOW BUSY CHECKING THESE GOODS AND GETTING THEM READY FOR YOUR INSPECTION.

"Leader of Low Prices"

M. E. FRIEDMAN

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