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HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

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

Fire insurance. Henry Hanson, adv
Horse blankets at Merschel's, East Tawas, adv

Rev. C. C. Henning held services at Taft Monday evening.

Rev. John Pinches was at Bay City on business Wednesday.

Miss Elizabeth Grise spent Wednesday with friends at Omer.

L. A. Chichester of Whittemore was in the city on business Monday.

Ed J. Woizeschke was confined to his home by illness a few days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Nicholls of Ellake visited friends in the city a few days this week.

Miss Elizabeth Zellmer of Detroit is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Zellmer.

Miss Edith Richards of East Tawas visited friends in Bay City a couple of days last week.

Bert Stickney returned to his home here last week, after serving a four years enlistment in the U. S. marines.

We sell corn at 75 cents per bushel, delivered in either East Tawas or Tawas City. Wilson Grain Co. adv

Services at Christ church, East Tawas, next Sunday: Holy communion, 10:00 a. m.; evening prayer, 7:00 p. m.

Telephone Dr. Carson and make an appointment to have those teeth attended at once. The number is 44-L. Do it now.

Chas. T. Prescott, F. F. French and Jas. E. Ballard attended the meeting of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau at Bay City Wednesday.

The Epworth League devotional topic next Sunday evening will be "A Song of Forgiveness." There will be special music. Everyone is cordially invited.

Mrs. Naaman Frank left last Friday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Fred Gauthier, at St. Clair. She will also visit friends and relatives in Canada before returning.

John A. Mark left Monday evening for Lansing with the court records of the Jordan-Johnson case, which were wanted by the supreme court in their consideration of the case. The decision is expected at an early date.

Swat the fly is all right but a person running around with 10 or 12 bad cavities in his or her mouth spreads more disease than the flies killed in Tawas City last summer. Have Dr. Carson attend to your case. Phone 44-L. adv

Married—At Zion Lutheran church, on Sunday evening, Jan. 25, Merton C. Clute of Flint and Miss Pauline L. Kornack of Tawas City, Rev. H. Reithmeier officiating. The happy young couple left Monday for Flint where they will make their home. Their many friends extend congratulations and best wishes.

Don't forget the county road meeting to be held at the court house next Wednesday, Feb. 4. It is proposed at this meeting to form an organization to work in conjunction with the Huron Shore good roads association in improving the roads in Iosco county. Everyone interested in the good roads question is urged to be present.

Dr. Crane, Dr. Thompson, Dr. Wake-man and Dr. Stealy all agree on one thing and that is, bad teeth cause bad health and they will tell you that more than 90 per cent of stomach trouble comes from this cause. Can you afford to leave your mouth in the condition it is? See Dr. Carson at once. Phone 44-L, Tawas City. adv

F. W. Julian, a resident of East Tawas for the past 22 years, died Thursday afternoon as the result of a paralytic stroke which he suffered Monday evening. Mr. Julian has been in ill health for some time, but his sudden demise comes as a shock to his relatives and friends. Deceased was 54 years of age. Besides the bereaved wife, he leaves to mourn his loss four brothers, two sisters and a number of other relatives. Mrs. Julian is a sister of Burley Wilson of Tawas City.

A. W. Black, fire insurance. adv
Don Garber of Bay City visited friends in the city over Sunday.

A. Barkman was at Saginaw and Bay City on business Wednesday.

Shelled corn 75 cents per bushel at Michigan Cereal Co. elevator. adv

Rev. B. H. Thomas of Bay City was in the city on business last Friday.

H. M. Belknap of Whittemore was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. Anthony of East Tawas is visiting friends in Bay City this week.

Rev. O. L. Fox of Hale was in the city on business a couple of days this week.

Miss Sadie Barbour of East Tawas returned Tuesday from a two weeks visit at Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Anna Birney returned Saturday from a few days visit with relatives and friends at Bay City.

Messrs. Peter Bamberger and W. H. Bamberger were at Bay City on business a couple of days this week.

Rev. W. R. Blachford is in Detroit this week doing committee work for the convention of the diocese.

There will be a supper and a fishing pond at the L. D. S. church on the Townline, February 13. Everybody invited. adv-6

Charles Carlton returned to Port Arthur, Can. last Friday, after a two weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Carlton, at East Tawas.

English services will be held at Zion Lutheran church next Sunday evening, beginning at 7:45 local time. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

A meeting will be held at the home of Nelson Johnson in Baldwin township at two o'clock p. m., local time, on Sunday, Feb. 1, for the purpose of organizing a Sunday school. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

"After Taps," a military drama in three acts, will be given by home talent at the East Tawas Opera House, Friday evening, Feb. 6. The proceeds are for the G. A. R. and W. R. C., and the play is under the direction of Miss Eva L. Bing of this city. Admission, 15, 25 and 35 cents. adv

Dr. W. N. Yeager, the dentist, will be at his office, over Wuggazer's drug store, in this city, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 3rd, 4th and 5th. All kinds of dental work done and all work guaranteed. Special attention to crown and bridge work. Painless extraction. adv

It is very gratifying to the editor of the Herald to note the increasing popularity of this paper among the East Tawas people. During the past two weeks we have placed several new names on our list from that city, among which were two who won the subscriptions offered as prizes for the highest scores at the I. O. O. F. bowling alley.

While on her way home from church last Friday evening, Mrs. Thos. Davison slipped and fell on the icy walk, suffering a fracture of her hip. Dr. Crane was called and reduced the fracture, and Sunday evening the lady was taken to the Mercy hospital, Bay City. The injury will undoubtedly keep her confined for a couple of months.

Did you ever see such weather in January before? The mild weather of the past week has just about destroyed the sleighing and the ice and water on roads and sidewalks make bad going for man or beast. Ice users are fearful of a scarcity next summer on account of the open winter, but there's a chance for plenty of freezing weather yet in the next two months.

The evangelistic meetings closed last Sunday evening, and Monday morning Rev. McMinn and Mr. Preston left for Jackson, where they have been engaged to hold a series of meetings. These gentlemen are among the best in their line of work and the meetings here have resulted in much good. The best wishes of a host of friends go with them to their new field of service.

Dave Londo of Hale was in the city on business a couple of days this week.

Carl Rible returned Monday to his home at AuGres, after a weeks visit with friends here.

Mrs. Fred Rollin was called to Bay City last Friday by the illness of her mother and sister.

Miss Lottie Bay returned Monday from a two weeks visit with friends in Sherman township.

Miss Lottie Halleck returned to Detroit last Thursday, after a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Halleck.

Dr. Carson, dentist, is at his office every day in Tawas City. His phone number is 44-L. Now why should you wait any longer with those decayed teeth?

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. F. Eaton have been guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. V. Crane this week. For the past four years Mr. Eaton has had charge of the financial end of the construction work on the immense dams on the AuSable river, but as the work is now finished Mr. Eaton has closed up his affairs here and with his wife will soon leave for their home in Jackson.

The circuit court docket for this term was comparatively light and nearly all the business was disposed of by Thursday noon. The only criminal case to be tried was that against Frank Shurkey for attempted rape. In this case the jury brought in a verdict of guilty of simple assault. Much dissatisfaction has been expressed over this verdict as the general consensus of opinion is that the defendant should have been found guilty as charged or else discharged entirely.

At the time of going to press (Thursday night) sentence has not been passed upon Shurkey, nor upon Albert Schriber, who was to receive his sentence at this term.

Field baskets, Musolf, 2; Murphy, 8; Murray, 5; Weir, 2; Blumenthal, 1. Goals from foul, Musolf, 0 in 1 try; Murphy, 10 in 18 tries; Gibbs, 0 in 5 tries; Blumenthal, 4 in 6 tries.

Points awarded, T. C. H. S., 2; W. B. H. S., 1.

Time of halves, 15 and 20 minutes.

Referee and umpire, Supt. Mitchell of East Tawas and Coach Donahue of West Branch.

LINEUP.
T. C. H. S. Lineup. W. B. H. S.
Musolf.....R. F. Gibbs
Murphy.....L. F. Blumenthal
Murray (capt.)...C. Bond
Rollin.....R. G. Paine
Crandall.....L. G. Weir (capt.)

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Hollibaugh.....155 164 155 474 158

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BE KIND TO YOUR HORSE and all Dumb Creatures—it shows the Gentleman.

T. C. H. S. Wins.
West Branch high school was out-classed in every department last Friday night, and lost to the home boys to the tune of 42 to 11. They were outjumped and outran. Tawas City's team work, as well as their individual playing, was in every way superior to that of their opponents.

The bright star, as usual, was Murphy, who alone with eight field baskets and 10 fouls, garnered 26 points for his alma mater. But we must hand it to the entire team, as their teamwork was of the caliber that wins games in spite of all opposition.

Supt. Mitchell of East Tawas, who by the way we contend is the best basketball referee in this section of the country, alternated with Coach Donahue of West Branch, as referee and umpire.

The West Branch boys were not used to such strict referee work, but they took the caution orders in good part. They are a fine gentlemanly bunch of fellows, who, like true sportsmen, play the game for the game's sake. They fought hard until the last whistle blew.

A return game will be played in West Branch in the near future.

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I. O. O. F. Bowling Alley Notes.
JANUARY 23 and 27, 1914.

STANDING.
Won. Lost. Per Ct.
R. R. team.....14 4 .777
Wolverines.....12 6 .667
Tigers.....7 9 .437
I. O. O. F.....1 15 .060

The game between the Wolverines and Tigers was the most exciting game that has been played in the bowling matches. The main feature of the game was that the Tigers had to substitute a man the first game for H. E. Bigelow. Their choice was Pinkerton, the old warrior, who came through with a 200 score, giving the Tiger the first game by eight pins.

The averages for all players were the largest of any contest, and was a hard fought battle from start to finish. Bigelow took his position in the second game, but still the Tigers proved too much for the Wolverines. Butler in this game finished with a score of 193, while Grant finished with 151, thus saving the second game.

The third game was somewhat easy for the Wolverines, who finished 72 pins ahead of the Tigers.

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Northern Michigan.
Grayling capitalists have organized a stock company to build a new \$40,000 hotel in that town.

Cheboygan has hopes of landing a big marine railway and ship-building plant in the near future.

Great activity is noted in the lumbering industry in Presque Isle county since the cold weather set in.

Cheboygan county will vote at the spring election on a proposition to bond the county for \$75,000 to build that county's share of the trunk line road.

R. Hanson and N. Michelson of Grayling have purchased three sections of land in Otsego county near Johannesburg, and will clear it up and devote it to agricultural purposes. This will be one of the largest farms in northern Michigan.

The West Branch Herald-Times and Ogemaw Republican has been purchased by Willard Crandall of Standish, who will take possession Feb. 1. The present publisher, R. Morrison, recently purchased the business of his competitor and combined the two papers, but now has decided to dispose of the business and retire.

One of the unique industries of Michigan is the "fur farm" conducted by W. S. Chalker and his two sons on their farm in the northern part of Crawford county. These gentlemen have several species of fur bearing animals which they are breeding in captivity, their "stock" consisting of opossum, mink, coon, skunk, muskrat and several kinds of foxes. The most valuable animals in the collection are a pair of pure white Arctic foxes, which they secured from Europe.

Advertisements.
The following mail remained uncalled for in the Tawas City postoffice for the week ending Jan. 24, 1914:
LETTERS.
Grasee, Roger
VanPatten, Mrs. Geo.
Huster, Miss May
Wing, Geo. C.
Wasem, Mrs. Mary
Weatherwax, Miss Mary

CARDS.
McCrey, Mrs. Dan
Ryan, Mrs. J. E.
Persons calling for same will please say advertised. LEN J. PATTERSON

Advertising Farm Sales.
An exchange tells of a farmer who spent \$25 advertising his public sale, which is about four times the amount usually spent. The result was that the sale brought him over \$700 more than his highest estimate, so he thinks that it was money well spent. Farmers are just beginning to learn the value of liberal newspaper advertising of public sales. A few dollars spent in advertising in the local paper will be read by ten times as many people as read the bills which cost nearly as much as the advertisement, and therefore is a much better investment. We would not advise dropping the sale bills, but it should be supplemented by some vigorous newspaper advertising.

Rev. Irl R. Hicks 1914 Almanac.
The Rev. Irl R. Hicks 1914 Almanac is now ready and will be mailed prepaid for only 35 cents. Professor Hicks' fine magazine, Word and Works, for one year, and a copy of this almanac for only one dollar. The plain lessons on astronomy, and the correct forecasts of storms, droughts, blizzards and tornadoes, make these publications a necessity in every home in America. Send to Word and Works Publishing Co., 3401 Franklin Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

D. & M. Ry. Desires Crop Statistics.
The Detroit & Mackinac Ry. would be glad to receive for insertion in their advertising books, etc., which will be distributed in many states, complete information and details, such as number of bushels per acre, etc., in regard to any especially good crops that have been harvested in northeastern Michigan. This applies to apples, fruits, grains, vegetables, and everything else raised on farms, gardens, etc. Kindly give the information to any agent of the D. & M. Ry., or communicate direct with W. G. MacEdward, G. P. A., Detroit & Mackinac Ry., Bay City, Mich. adv-6

Annual Meeting of Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau Was a Hummer.

The annual meeting of the membership and directors of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau was held in the chamber of commerce building, Bay City, on Wednesday, January 28. Every county in the district was represented by one or more men, and an enthusiastic and harmonious meeting was held.

The afternoon session was held at 2 o'clock, at which time the reports of the various officers were read, officers and directors elected and other general business transacted. The financial report, which was distributed in printed form to those present, shows that since the organization of the bureau in 1910 \$47,975.32 has been expended in advertising the district in various ways, and an unofficial report from the secretary shows that the results of the work done have been very satisfactory in the line of introducing new settlers into the district. A pleasing feature of the financial report is the increase in the support which the bureau has received each succeeding year. In 1910 the total subscriptions received amounted to only \$10,200, while in 1913 they totaled \$13,570, notwithstanding the fact that subscriptions from the transportation companies were less than in any year preceding.

The officers of the bureau last year were all re-elected by acclamation without a dissenting vote. They are as follows: President, J. R. Snody; vice-president, George Harting; treasurer, Marius Hanson. An amendment to the by-laws was adopted, giving each county not represented by officials, a representative on the executive committee, raising the number of that body to 16 instead of 9 as heretofore. Iosco county's representative on the executive committee is C. T. Prescott of Tawas City.

In the evening a big get-together banquet was held at the Wenona hotel, at which about 150 members and guests sat down to the tables. Every article on the menu at this banquet was a product of northeastern Michigan, and the Herald editor can vouch for the fact that the viands served were as fine as one could find anywhere. A feature of the event was the carving of the meats, which was all done at the one table by men prominent in the development work of the district. Prizes were awarded for those voted the best carvers.

W. G. MacEdward, the genial general passenger agent of the D. & M. Ry., won first prize, but we have not a complete list of the rest of the prize-winners.

After the inner man was satisfied a "feast of reason and flow of soul" was inaugurated, and prominent men from all over the district were called upon for five minute speeches on the matter uppermost in the minds of all, the development and future prospects of Northeastern Michigan. This was not the least enjoyable feature of the affair, for the addresses were all interspersed with wit and humor and elicited much laughter and applause.

The interest and enthusiasm manifested at this gathering augurs well for the future work of the bureau, and for the advancement of this section of the state. The results already accomplished in four years are such as make the bureau deserving of the support of every person in the district who is interested in its advancement. Every portion of the district receives equal benefit from the work of the organization and therefore each should be a booster for the work.

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If the lower house of congress concurs in the bill passed by the senate last Saturday, a start will have been made towards the governmental ownership of railroads. The bill appropriates the sum of \$40,000,000 to be used in purchasing or constructing 1,000 miles of railroad in Alaska. The responsibility for the selection of the route and the equipment and operation of the line are placed upon the president and he is given broad powers in carrying out the plan. If this experiment proves a success it may act as the entering wedge for government ownership of the railroads.

The Otsego Advance, published at Gaylord, entered upon the third year of its existence last week, and is a healthy and robust two year old. The Advance dishes up the news of its community and county in a bright, readable style, which is evidently appreciated by its readers and the business men of Gaylord, judging by the patronage it receives. May its star of prosperity remain in the ascendency.

Business Outlook is Very Bright.

That the entire country, including all the great region known as northern Michigan, is just entering into one of the most prosperous eras in its history, is evident to all, even to the piker or most chronic grouch, who invariably has to be shown before he can believe.

On all sides are evidences of great plans that are to be carried out with the coming of spring.

Many of these plans include improvements that will greatly benefit Petoskey and Emmet county.

Any improvement that has for its purpose the improvement of conditions under which we live is worthy of popular support. Every project looking to the development of this region, whether it be in our immediate neighborhood or not, will benefit us.

The real basis of business is not money but confidence. Confidence is the canal which floats 95 per cent of business.

Every man generates his own confidence. If we all go ahead doing business, business is bound to hum.

According to advices received from one of the great banking institutions of the country there has been during the last few days more or less improvement in undertone throughout the great financial districts due to a more favorable turn of affairs in various directions. Chief of these is a decided betterment in the money outlook.

In commercial circles there is a more confident spirit which bodes well for the future. Trade conditions, with a few exceptions, are known to be generally sound, because of the constructive policy of the past year or two. There has been no overproduction in merchandise.

The United States at the present time is in a better position than any other country in the world to lead a trade revival—Great Britain and Germany still being in the slowing down stage. An important and very encouraging feature is that the administration is strongly in favor of giving business a chance to recover, and already much has been accomplished in this direction.

The outlook for the market is far greater activity, and in the long run for better and improving prices, and the indications are that before long business in all lines will be humming.—Petoskey Independent.

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The Detroit & Mackinac Ry. would be glad to receive for insertion in their advertising books, etc., which will be distributed in many states, complete information and details, such as number of bushels per acre, etc., in regard to any especially good crops that have been harvested in northern Michigan. This applies to apples, fruits, grains, vegetables, and everything else raised on farms, gardens, etc. Kindly give the information to any agent of the D. & M. Ry., or communicate direct with W. G. MacEdward, G. P. A., Detroit & Mackinac Ry., Bay City, Mich. adv-6

DEFENSELESS MICROBES.

Humane societies are supposed to protect dumb animals, with no humans interfering, which side is such a society to take? When a humane society takes the part of a dumb beast against mankind, it puts itself on record as defending a lower form of life against a higher. So much is simple, but complications may sometimes arise. For instance, take the problem of the gulls upon the Massachusetts coast. Fishermen insist that sea gulls are a nuisance, since they take a lot of fish which human fishermen should catch. The gulls are so diabolically expert, in fact, that a bill was introduced in the Massachusetts legislature for the benefit of the fishermen. It was to allow fishermen to shoot gulls. And the bill was defeated by the Audubon society. The Audubon society properly concerns itself with the interests of the birds. Unfortunately, there is no "Society for the Welfare of the Finny Tribes." Scientists tell one that the fish came just before the bird, in the process of evolution, with maybe a reptile or so between. Mammals came next. If one protects the domestic brute against the domesticated brute, the wild beast against the tame, the amphibian against the land dweller and so on down the scale, surely the fish should be protected against its descendant, the bird.

Some time ago it was said that the Oregon was to have the honor of being the first vessel to pass through the completed Panama canal—the Oregon, which made the marvelous journey from the other side of the world, around Cape Horn, in time to take part in the memorable affair at Santiago. Now the story is that Colonel Goethals and Captain Amundsen met in Washington some time ago and became great friends, and that the first vessel to pass through the canal will be Captain Amundsen's stout little exploring ship, the Fram. The Fram has had a record in thrilling regions of thick ribbed ice. If this opportunity is given her she will make a notable record in the tropics. According to a foreign vessel the precedence in passing through the Panama canal would emphasize the international character of the new nautical highway.

In the United States alone some billion matches a day are burned, in spite of all the electricity in use and in addition to all the gas and cigar lighters. These matches burned in a day amount to over two carloads of the best timber and weigh 50,000 pounds. Some twenty-five tall trees have to be cut to produce this huge pile. If only 24 hours' consumption could be placed end to end they would extend about 30,000 miles, more than the distance around the world. Many of our matches are imported from Sweden and Norway and even Austria. Most of them are "safety" matches.

A widow of ninety in New York is suing for back alimony dating back to 1867. In consequence of her taking due time to think about asserting her rights, she will, if her suit is successful, get quite a tidy little fortune, which is another illustration of the benefits of not acting too hastily in affairs.

Down-trodden man will give a smile more in sorrow than in anger at the assertion of a prominent professional woman that women can no longer be treated as a slave. He will wonder with a sickly feeling of utter helplessness, where his chance of escaping slavery will come in.

That New York heiress who lately published her ideal for a husband, and then became engaged to a man the opposite of the ideal, may have been informed by experienced ladies that the ideal is something that never pass out.

A Parisian style expert visiting here says that women insist on the continuance of the hobble skirt. And yet they also insist on a larger freedom, which only proves the traditional inconsistency of the sex.

Why so much fuss over a husband promising in the marriage ceremony to obey his wife? Most of them do it without promising it.

A New York pastor has forbidden the throwing of rice and shoes at weddings at his church. But how does he enforce the rule?

Considering his limitations, Paul Revere did very well indeed. But think what he could have done with a motorcycle.

Our daily pleasure—to poke the man who sticks his foot through our derby as it rests quietly under the theater seat.

A good many people are supposed to like dandelion greens. But the man who owns a lawn doesn't.

At this stage of the game the baseball fan subsists almost a tireless on hope and hope.

OUR SCHOOL COLUMN

Devoted to the Interests of the Schools of Iosco County

State Law for the Protection and Humane Treatment of Birds and Domestic Animals.

The state has recognized the value of teaching children the importance of humane treatment of birds and domestic animals. The legislature of 1913 enacted the following compulsory law, known as Act No. 227 of the Public Acts of 1913:

An Act to provide a system of humane education, which shall include kind treatment to domestic and wild animals and birds. The People of the State of Michigan, enact:

Sec. 1. For the purpose of lessening crime and raising the standard of good citizenship, and inculcating the spirit of humanity, such humane education shall be given in the public schools as shall include the kind and just treatment of horses, dogs, cats, birds, and all other animals.

Sec. 2 In every public school within the state a portion of the time shall be devoted to teaching the pupils thereof kindness and justice to, and humane treatment and protection of animals and birds, and the important part they fulfill in the economy of nature. It shall be optional with each teacher whether such teaching shall be through humane reading, stories, narratives of daily incidents or illustrations taken from personal experience. The instruction shall be a part of the curriculum of study in all the public schools of the state of Michigan.

Sec. 3. The principal or teacher of every school shall certify in his or her reports that such instruction has been given in the school under his or her control.

School Dist. No. 3 of Grant township has been testing corn brought by children. Miss Horton reports excellent results from two lots, and indifferent results from remainder. The children of this district are alive to the situation and know just what corn should be planted.

Iosco County Normal School Notes.

Outline for Habit Formation.

I.—Habit Contrasted with Instinct:

1. Resemblances.
 - (a) Neither controlled by consciousness.
 - (b) Both often have important conscious accompaniments.
2. Difference.
 - (a) Habits are acquired and instincts are inherited.

II.—Laws of Habit Formation:

1. Focalization.
2. Repetition.
3. Permitting no exception.

III.—Importance of Motivation in Habit Formation:

1. Attitude of person toward habit to be formed is the fundamental factor.
2. Motives may be closely related to child's immediate interests.

IV.—Practice Curves and Plateaus in Habit Formation:

1. At first the rate of learning is rapid.
2. Then progress is much more slowly.
3. After this there is often a period of no progress.
4. If the learner persists, these periods of no progress will usually give rise to periods of rapid progress.

V.—Importance of Plateaus in Habit Formation:

1. Periods, when advance is slow, are critical for the learner, because:
 - (a) He is likely to become discouraged and give up the task.
2. In all subjects requiring habit formation the first stages are interesting, because:
 - (a) First stage is always interesting because it is something new.
 - (b) At first the learner advances rapidly and is willing to work.

VI.—Rapidly and Accuracy in Habit Formation:

1. There is a point in all learning beyond which there will be errors.
2. Teacher should not make a practice of going beyond the point where accuracy is obtained.

VII.—Importance of Teaching Habit Formation:

1. It is essential that pupils be led to form useful habits.
2. Should also be given a mastery of habit formation.
 - (a) Should have a clear idea of how elements go together, repetition and no exceptions in order to form habit.

HABIT FORMATION.

Habits resemble instincts in two main ways. First, neither habit nor instinct are controlled by consciousness; and, second, both often have important conscious accompaniments. While there are two ways in which they resemble each other there is also one main difference, namely: That habits are acquired and instincts are inherited from the race by unchanging environment for many years.

There are three laws of habit formation, and if these laws are followed one will be able to acquire any habit. The first law is that of focalization, that is, a clear idea of the parts of the habit to be formed. The second law is that of attentive repetition. No habit can be formed without repetition, for the acts, of which the habit is made up, must be repeated until the neurones are permanently connected. The last law is permitting no exceptions. In acquiring a new habit, when it opposes an old habit, it is necessary to have no exceptions.

In habit formation, the attitude of the person toward the habit to be formed, is one of the most important points. If one is very anxious to learn the new habit he will put more time on it and help himself along. In the formation of habits with children the teacher will get better results if the motives are closely related to the children's interests. For instance, if a teacher wanted to teach the children to write invitations, she could have the children write invitations to their parents to an entertainment given at the school.

In the formation of habits, as in almost everything, there are periods when learning and progress are slow and indeed often the person seems to go backward. Then there will be a period of rapid advance. The periods of rapid advance are called practice curves, and those of little or no progress are called plateaus. The teacher must try to make the plateaus farther apart. Some say that if the teaching is perfect there will be no plateaus, but this is not likely.

The plateaus are important in habit formation, because the period when advance is slow, is very critical for the learner. He is very likely to become discouraged and give up the task unless the teacher helps him over the rough places. In all subjects requiring habit formation the first period is interesting because it is something new, and because the learning advances rapidly at first and the learner is encouraged.

A question which usually arises is the one of rapidly in habit formation. Sometimes teachers throw accuracy aside for rapidity, but this is not a good plan. While it is often a good plan to test the children as to the rate of working it is not a good plan to make a practice of going beyond the point where accuracy is obtained. Haste makes waste in habit formation as well as any other line of work.

Some psychologists say that education consists of forming of useful habits. If education would carry out its aim I think it would help people to better meet their problems of life. It is essential that children be led to form useful habits, but they should also be given a mastery of habit formation, so they may form habits for themselves. In order to be able to form habits for themselves they must be given a clear idea of how the elements go together, must know that they ought to repeat the habit as often as they can and must permit no exceptions.

GRACE LAIDLAW.

Dec. 19, 1913.

Alabaster School Notes.

Edward Baker has left school. Gladys Franks has been absent on account of illness.

Remember the library is opened at noon and Saturday evening. Examinations will be given Wednesday and Friday of this week.

Hildur Hendrickson was absent a few days last week on account of illness.

The tenth grade pupils will take up agriculture and commercial arithmetic next week.

We find "Black Beauty," an interesting story to read to the pupils of the primary room.

Several pupils were absent from

the primary room last week on account of cold weather.

Annie Johnson has returned to school after a long absence on account of an accident.

There is fine coasting on the hill by the school house, and the school children are taking advantage of it.

The "shadow" social given by the school, Friday evening, January 16, was well attended. The total amount taken in was \$18.10.

Cottage School, Reno Township.

Drills in arithmetic are interesting.

Teachers who are proud of their school like to see a real wide awake and alive one.

Old time spelling down contests provide enjoyment for our young pupils as well as the old ones.

The third, fourth and fifth arithmetic classes like the spins in rapid addition, subtraction and multiplication.

Better listen to the stories told in third class about "Five Pigs," "Jack and the Bean Stalk," "Red Riding Hood," "Tom Thumb," "Mary Had a Little Lamb," "Humpty Dumpty," "House that Jack Built," also the A. B. C. book.

Short and long division is receiving much attention at present, and mental oral work, too. Wish every school of Iosco county would challenge each other for drill work in the grades in arithmetic and spelling, fourth, fifth, seventh and eighth grades taking spelling from the orthography. It encourages the pupils, even though they fail.

The President's Thirteens.

President Wilson evidently is not superstitious. At least he has withstood an avalanche of the supposedly unlucky number thirteen:

There are 13 letters in the name "Woodrow Wilson."

Woodrow Wilson was the 13th president of Princeton.

President Wilson was nominated on the 13th of the month.

Adding 1, 9, 1, 2, the year in which he was nominated, makes 13.

President Wilson was inaugurated in the year '13.

Miss Wilson was the 13th white house bride.

There were 13 members of the bridal party.

A pre-nuptial luncheon was given by Mrs. Daniels, wife of the secretary of the navy, on Nov. 13th, at which there were 13 guests, 13 candles, 13 colored lights, 13 bouquets and 13 kinds of food.

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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 16th day of January, A. D. 1914.

Present: Hon. David Davison, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Isaac B. Nunn, deceased. H. Eugene Nunn having filed in said court a 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 20th day of February, A. D. 1914, 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.

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LITERARY CONVULSIONS

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February.

For an editor to write a favorable treatise on February is about as easy as it is for him to help a pestilential old sinner through the pearly gates with an obituary full of lies, when the said old sinner owed the editor a subscription account that had been out-lawed by time. It's one redeeming feature is its brevity.

The month, however, is as full of action as a picnic party that as settled down on an ant hill. Embryo presidents, in their Friday afternoon exercises, will inform their schoolmates that Lincoln, the great eradicator, was born on the 12th, and later crossed the Delaware and became the father of his country, and that Washington died on the 22nd, after discovering the Panama canal and freeing the slaves. The weather bureau, too, was born on the 9th of February, 1870, and has been making and breaking promises ever since.

The fourteenth of the month will bring the same old tales of love, when

girls, though large as elephants, are called a turtle dove; for Valentines will ripen then, and pairs begin to spoon—the starting of some big events to culminate in June. The twenty-fifth will also bring respite—at least a while—from turkey trots, the bunny hug, and other dances wild, for lent begins the twenty-fifth, to rest our weary lives, and men, perchance, may once more meet their daughters and their wives.

Seamless hose were invented Feb. 1, 1720—just 194 years before the invisible hose of today. The first pair of seamless hose were about half an inch thick, and were worn as protection against cold. The modern hose are about as thick as a cigaret paper, split twice, and no one knows why they are worn.

The closing of the month will bring the candidate to light—an army of exalted men, who for us want to fight; they seek to bring salvation to the lowly of our kind, but after they're elected, our existence slips their mind.

HOW THE UNITED STATES WEATHER BUREAU FORECASTS STORMS, FROSTS AND FLOODS

A Description of the Manner in Which Weather Indications Are Given From Twenty-four Hours to Two or Three Weeks in Advance.

Many people have an idea that there is something mysterious and occult about the work of the weather bureau in forecasting the coming of storms, frosts and floods. Not a few think that the observers must necessarily get their data by reading the planets, the stars and the moon. As a matter of fact the forecaster of the bureau foretells the coming of disturbances in a business-like way, very similar to that in which a man who has ordered a shipment of goods would estimate the date of its arrival.

Suppose a business man had ordered a carload of pineapples from the Hawaiian Islands. He would know the average time it would take the steamer to make the trip to the Pacific port, the average time for unloading and loading into refrigerator cars, and the average number of days to be allowed these cars for their trip across the continent to New York. His estimate, however, would be subject to error, because the steamship might be delayed by fog, or the cars might meet with an accident.

Storms, like pineapples, as a rule, do not originate in the United States. They come to us, some from the Philippines, Japan, Siberia, Alaska, Canada, or the Gulf of Mexico. The weather bureau gets cable, telegraphic or wireless notice of a foreign storm. Station after station, or vessel after vessel, reports the storm's arrival in its neighborhood, so that the general direction and rate of progress can be determined very early. In fact, the arrival of some storms can be foretold ten days in advance.

The forecasters watch for the region of low barometer, which is the storm center around which the wind blow. This whirl or eddy moves bodily forward with the general eastward drift of about 650 miles a day in our latitudes. As the lines of equal pressure (isobars) around the low center crowd closer together the winds attending the storm increase in force. The forecaster determines the direction of movement of the storm and its velocity.

When weather disturbances are reported the forecasters know from experience about how long it takes them to reach our Pacific coast, and then how long after they will reach the Atlantic coast. For example, if a storm coming from Siberia drifts eastward around the North Pole and reappears in Alaska, it should appear in Washington and Oregon in about two days—should get to the Atlantic coast in seven or eight days.

Unexpected conditions may delay storms or divert them from the straight track just as a refrigerator car may be thrown off its schedule or be shipped by accident on a wrong road. Some of these storms deplete themselves by running into regions of high barometer, which are of greater magnitude and extent than the storm itself. Some of them, however, travel completely around the world.

To keep tab on cold waves that come into the United States from Canada and Alaska the weather bureau studies the Canadian weather reports. England sends reports from Iceland, the British islands and Continental Europe, and

daily reports from St. Petersburg on the conditions in Russia and Siberia.

The same businesslike system used in tracing the track of a storm is applied in determining the arrival of frosts.

Flood forecasts are made in much the same way. Information as to the amount of rainfall at the head waters of streams that cause floods are covered by telegraphic reports sent by local observers. As this rain reaches the main channel the height of the water in the channel is determined by successive gaging stations. Past records establish how much a height, say of about 20 feet at Dubuque, Iowa, will produce at Davenport, another station 80 miles down the Mississippi. This plan is followed all the way down the river, and at each point full allowance is made for the effects of water from tributaries and from additional and local rainfall. As a result of these observations in the recent flood the people of Cairo had a warning a week or ten days in advance. The Pittsburgh district can be given only 12 to 24 hours notice, because a flood is upon them within 24 hours after a heavy rain storm.

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IN THE FATHERLAND

INTERESTING BITS OF NEWS FROM THE GREAT GERMAN EMPIRE.

WHAT'S DOING IN OLD HOME

Summary of the Most Important Happenings in the Land of the Kaiser—Timely Items for the German Readers.

Courts martial acquitted all the German army officers charged with breaches of the law in connection with the recent violent incidents between the military and civilians of Zabern. The military judges, in all cases, accepted the word of the officers against the sworn testimony of the civilian witnesses. Colonel von Reuter was charged with wrongful imprisonment, but the court found his acts justifiable. Lieutenant Baron von Forstner won his appeal before a second court martial against the sentence of 43 days' imprisonment imposed on him on December 19, for sabering a lame shoemaker. The justification of Colonel von Reuter's acts was based by the court on a decree issued by the king of Prussia in 1820, which gave the right to the military to intervene without waiting for a request from the civil authorities in case the latter were powerless to suppress disorder. The decree was issued at the time of the Holy Alliance, which existed from 1815 to 1830 between the European sovereigns and was intended to perpetuate the reigning dynasties and prevent revolutions. Colonel von Reuter's detention of civilian prisoners over night, although recognized by the court as illegal in itself, was considered justified because the transfer of the prisoners at night might have caused most serious disorders. The decisions caused an outburst of rage in the French press.

Not only are all the rumored reasons for the recall of the German crown prince from Danzig to Berlin denied by his imperial highness in the course of an interview published in the Zeitung am Mittag, but the crown prince makes the startling statement that Kaiser Wilhelm recalled him "because his majesty believed no more time should be lost in preparing his eldest son for the higher command which he would have to assume in case of war." The transfer of the crown prince to the general staff was to have taken place last autumn, but he requested a year's extension of his stay at Danzig. The crown prince said to the interviewer: "This extension was at first granted, but was withdrawn in December. I was detailed to the general staff because his majesty considered that I should immediately study how to conduct large bodies of troops. I should naturally in a certain contingency command more than a regiment." The newspaper says the crown prince probably will visit Africa in the course of this year.

German dental students in more than a dozen schools are on strike for higher titles. They demand to be known after graduation as doctors of dental surgery and not be restricted to the inferior classification of "tooth-physicians," which now prevails in Germany. The strike includes the dental departments of the universities of Berlin, Leipzig, Halle, Bonn, Heidelberg, Marburg and Greifswald, where the students refuse to continue their studies unless they are given the coveted title. The high-grade and highly remunerative dental practice in Germany is largely monopolized by American dentists, and the native "tooth-physicians" struggle under the handicap of this title for what is left. The ministry of education, which has behind it the world of regular physicians, refuses to introduce the doctor title, which would place the petitioners on an outward equality with dental doctors in the United States.

Ernest Gordon has written a book on the anti-alcohol movement in Europe, and with regard to Germany he says: "In Germany an active campaign is going on for the mitigation of the influence, and, curiously enough, the Kaiser and the Socialists have both espoused the cause of temperance. A few daring papers are struggling for a hearing in Germany, particularly in Prussia, but most of the German press is subsidized by the brewing interests to such an extent that a speech of the Kaiser's, in which he advocated temperance reforms, was garbled or wholly ignored by more than 2,000 German papers, and even the accounts of a long distance foot race were so falsified as to make out the abstaining runners were those who dropped by the wayside, when four of the nine abstainers competing finished in the first five."

Walter Stocker of Dusseldorf has been deprived of his right to serve in the army because he is a Socialist. This decision has been given by the military authorities, who stated that a man who is a Socialist is no longer morally worthy of serving the Fatherland.

The North German Lloyd and the Hamburg-American steamship lines are engaged in a bitter rate war. Both have reduced their transatlantic rates, and no one can tell what the final result will be.

Mistakes in Life.

Judge Rentoul, of the city of London court, has named 13 mistakes of life. A realization that every one of these is true, and that it is worth while to try not to commit these mistakes is enough of a resolution for any one. Here are the grave mistakes of life:

To attempt to set up your own standard of right and wrong and expect everybody to conform to it.

To try to measure the enjoyment of others by your own.

To expect uniformity of opinions in this world.

To look for judgment and experience in youth.

To endeavor to mould all dispositions alike.

Not to yield to unimportant trifles.

To look for perfection in your own actions.

To worry ourselves and others about what cannot be remedied.

Not to help everybody, wherever, however, and whenever we can.

To consider anything impossible that we cannot ourselves perform.

To believe only what our finite minds can grasp.

Not to make allowances for the weakness of others.

To estimate people by some outside quality.—Bay City Tribune.

Eyesight and Automobile Drivers.

Owing to the rapidly increasing numbers of automobiles used for business as well as pleasure purposes every state should require that all applicants for a license to drive a motor vehicle pass an eyesight test. All railroads and many electric car-line companies require such a test. Yet, in the great majority of states, the prospective driver of an automobile need only affirm in his application that he has no physical or mental infirmities.

When one stops to consider that a railroad engineer drives over a steel track, guarded by signals and watchmen, and over a route with which he is thoroughly familiar, whereas the autoist drives over any road he chooses, not protected by lights and signals, and in some cases traveling almost as rapidly as a locomotive, it is plainly imperative that he possess as good sight as the man in the engine cab. If one eye is highly defective the field of vision is greatly impaired and the driver less able to maneuver his car in an emergency. Paris, Munich and other European cities have seen the necessity of an examination of the eyes of all taxi-drivers, and are strict in the enforcement of this protective measure. It is more than likely that defective vision is next in order of frequency to the overuse of alcoholic drinks as a cause of automobile accidents. We can, and should, protect pedestrians and drivers of vehicles from injury to a much greater extent than we do. Each applicant for a license to drive a motor vehicle should be required to give satisfactory proof of at least moderately good vision.

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Notice is hereby given that by virtue of three separate writs of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Arenac, in favor of the State Savings Bank of Turner, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Ben Trombley, Joseph Trombley, Albert Schriber and Roy E. Saunders, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 12th and 28th days of January, A. D. 1914, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Ben Trombley in and to the following described lands to-wit: The north half (N. 1/2) of the south west quarter (S. W. 1/4) of section thirty-five (35) town twenty-one (21), north range, five (5) east, Iosco county, Michigan; all of which I shall exhibit at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house, at the city of Tawas City, Michigan, in said county of Iosco, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court in said county of Iosco, in which the said real estate is situated, on the 14th day of March A. D. 1914, at three o'clock in the afternoon. Dated, Standish, Mich., Jan. 29, 1914. ERNEST CHASE, Under Sheriff for Iosco County. B. J. HENDERSON, Attorney. Business address, Standish, Mich. 10



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15—Leaves 11:55 a. m. week days. Way freight Bay City to Alpena Junction. Way freight Bay City to Alpena Junction. Solid vestibule train through without change. Detroit to Cheboygan, Coaches, Cafe Car, Parlor Car with electric fans, electric lights, etc.
25—Leaves 5:30 p. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays only. Way freight Rose City to East Tawas.
37—Leaves 8:10 p. m. week days. Accommodation Prescott to East Tawas. Coaches.
4—Leaves 12:48 a. m. every day. Solid vestibule train Bay City to Cheboygan, Coaches, Sleeping Car Bay City to Alpena.

TRAINS SOUTH

32—Leaves 7:05 a. m. week days. Accommodation East Tawas to Prescott. Coaches.
30—Leaves 8:25 a. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays only. Way freight East Tawas to Rose City.
4—Leaves 9:15 a. m. week days. Solid vestibule train, through without change Cheboygan to Bay City. Coaches, Cafe Car, Parlor car with electric fans, electric lights, etc. Connects with P. M. R. R. vestibule train for Detroit. Connects at Bay City with coach and parlor car trains arriving at Chicago at 8:25 p. m. and 9:50 p. m.
16—Leaves 11:55 a. m. week days. Way freight Alpena Junction to North Bay City.
22—Leaves 1:25 p. m. week days. Accommodation East Tawas to Rose City and Prescott. Coaches.
10—Leaves 7:20 p. m. every day. Solid vestibule train Cheboygan to Bay City. Coaches. Sleeping Car Cheboygan to Bay City. Connects at Bay City with coach and sleeping car trains via Michigan Central R. R. and Grand Trunk Ry., arriving at Chicago next morning.
Parlor car fare, Bay City and Cheboygan 75c, Detroit and Cheboygan \$1.35, Bay City and Alpena 50c. Detroit and Alpena \$1.50, Bay City and East Tawas 25c. Meals a la carte in cafe cars. During summer season trains 3 and 4 arrive at and depart from Cheboygan boat docks. Trains 2 and 7 run to Tawas Beach during summer season.
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Whittemore and Vicinity.

Roy Charters is sick at this writing.

Fire and life insurance. J. E. Danin. adv-11

Simon Goupil was a caller in town Wednesday.

L. A. Chichester was at Tawas City on business Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Allen of Reno is reported no better at this writing.

Aaron Flynn is again seen behind the counter at W. H. Price's store.

The fish will suffer soon, as we see Charley has his spear ready. Where is N. G.?

Mrs. Irving Beardslee had the misfortune to fall on the ice and break her wrist.

Mrs. Chaney Lail is on the Townline, attending her mother, who is very sick.

Mrs. Ed Williams returned Tuesday morning from an extended visit in Canada.

Complete butcher outfit for sale. Cheap, if taken at once. Inquire of James H. Leslie. adv

The Dorcas society met at the home of Mrs. H. Leslie Wednesday, and quitted a night.

A load of young people from Prescott attended the skating party in town Saturday evening.

Mrs. Thomas Ruckle went to Cheboygan Friday morning to care for her sister who is very ill.

Irving Beardslee attended the Development Bureau meeting and banquet at Bay City Wednesday.

J. W. Belchamber is working at Emery Junction painting and papering the residence of P. E. Hammond.

Miss Victoria Wingrove has returned to her home in Canada after a few weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. E. Louks.

Grandma Belknap attended the Dorcas society Wednesday at Mrs. H. Leslie's. It seems like old times to see her pleasant face again.

Lost, Saturday evening, Jan. 24, while attending the skating party in Whittemore a gold watch fob with initial W. T. Finder will please return same to Wm. J. Leslie and receive reward. adv

We had a little excitement in our town Tuesday, when a spark from a hot iron flew into some gasoline which had leaked out of Alf. Fortune's gasoline engine which he had left in Mr. Flynn's blacksmith shop for repairs. The engine was rolled outside and buried in snow before much damage was done.

Townline Topics.

How about these cucumber contracts?

Miss Sieloff is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peck a few days this week.

Mrs. Paradise has been very ill and is reported some better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Curry were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George MacKinzie Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. MacKinzie and Mr. and Mrs. B. Holloway and son, Bert, visited Alabaster Grange Saturday evening. Installing officers Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Curry were also there with the annual word and a fine talk on what the Grange is doing.

Last Saturday evening about 25 people from town drove into Mr. Peck's yard and gave them a surprise party. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by those present. A midnight supper was served and all went home feeling better, even though it was an early hour in the morning.

Hemlock Slivers.

Alfred Burt of Twining is spending a few days at home.

Thomas Duvall of Detroit called on friends here Saturday.

Commissioner J. A. Campbell called on Hemlock schools Tuesday.

Miss Alma Ferrister is spending the week with relatives at Whittemore.

Miss Helen Scarlett spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Lucinda Nash of East Tawas.

Mrs. Rueben Smith spent a few days in Tawas City the past week, the guest of Mrs. George Culham.

Mrs. Augustus Blust, who was taken severely ill at the home of her brother, George Youngs, is somewhat improved at this writing.

Miss Pearl Andre left Thursday morning for Spokane, Wash., after an eight months visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Andre.

A sleigh load from Tawas City

spent a pleasant evening at the home of George Youngs. A bountiful supper was served before they returned home.

The ladies of the L. D. S. church will serve an oyster supper and have a grab bag sale at the Grant town hall, Feb. 10. Everybody come and have a good time. adv-6

The Ladies Aid of the Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. G. W. Ferrister Tuesday, Feb. 3, from 2 to 5 o'clock. All ladies interested in the church are urged to be present, whether members or not, as special plans are to be talked over.

Robert Burt sprung a pleasant surprise on his brother Jack last Friday morning by telephoning to him from Tawas City to meet him. Bob has been away for over eight years, during which time he has traveled through the western states and also through northwestern Canada. The last two years he has been in Minneapolis, Minn.

Reno Rumbblings.

Joe Robinson lost a valuable cow last week.

Neil McDougal lost a horse Monday night.

Mr. and Jas. Daugherty are visiting at Joseph Lindsay's.

Sherman Johnson has had a telephone installed in his home.

Rev. W. R. Blachford will hold services here next Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harsch were Sunday visitors at the Anderson ranch.

Mrs. Roy Leslie of Prescott visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John White this week.

B. V. Dyke went to Tawas City Tuesday morning to respond as juror for Reno township.

Mrs. William Allen is reported very low at this writing, but improving a very little.

Grant Murray has rented the house belonging to Thomas Frockins, jr., and has moved into it.

Deputy Sheriff Chase was here last Saturday summoning the jurors for the January term of court.

Mr. Deadman, veterinary surgeon of Alpena, was through Reno last week making professional calls.

The members of the Farmers' Telephone Co. held a meeting at the town hall Wednesday of last week.

Mr. Grieves of South Branch has been in Reno this week, testing telephones and collecting rent for same.

Hugh Anderson and Willie White went to South Branch last Saturday, where they expect to work for a short time.

Rev. Warren, presiding elder of the F. M. church, is here this week assisting Rev. Mudge with the revival meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. James Syze of Detroit were called to Reno by the serious illness of Mrs. S.'s mother, Mrs. Wm. Allen.

Treasurer John Brindley says the taxes are nearly all collected. Not so bad for Reno after all, supposing the taxes were out of sight.

We are informed that Mrs. George Manning and Mr. William Jersey were joined in wedlock by the presiding elder, Rev. Warren, Tuesday afternoon. We extend congratulations.

If you want rain in summer or snow in winter just make your wants known to Louie, so he can make a trip to Dease Lake, and your wish will be gratified. If you don't believe it, ask Louie.

South Branch.

Lou Golden visited in Bay City last week.

Mrs. S. A. Robinson came home from Bay City on Thursday last.

Mrs. Martindale entertained a cousin from Vassar over Sunday.

Rev. W. R. Blachford will hold services in this place next Tuesday.

Clarence Rowland of Vassar is visiting his father, A. P. Rowland, this week.

F. G. Wood and W. C. Barringer have gone to Prescott on telephone business.

A little daughter came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harper on Tuesday, Jan. 21.

The A. O. G. held their meeting at the home of George Godden last Saturday night.

Bert Wakefield has moved his family across the AuSable river where Mr. W. is employed by Frank Trudell.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Stewart were at Campbell's Corners Friday night and at Selkirk Saturday where Mr. Stewart installed the officers of both Granges.

Sherman Shots.

Frank Smith of Alabaster is home for the winter.

J. B. Brown held services at the church Sunday.

Annie Scherrett was at Tawas City on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schneider spent Sunday with relatives at Grant.

H. M. Belknap of Whittemore was in town on business one day last week.

A. B. Schneider was at Ann Arbor on business the middle part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Gillespie of Flint are visiting relatives here this week.

Wm. Budreau of Lincoln is visiting with his sister, Mrs. Joe Jordan, this week.

Mrs. W. B. Stone of Whittemore is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Pringle.

Mrs. Clara Wickland and daughter, Lillian, of East Tawas visited with relatives here over Sunday.

The Grange held an oyster supper at the town hall last Saturday. Over one hundred were present.

Mrs. G. A. Pringle is attending the L. D. S. Sunday school convention at Beaverton this week.

John Jordan, who has been working at Monroe came home Saturday to spend a week with his family.

Bob Burt of Minneapolis, Minn., visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. Frank Schneider, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jordan returned to Bay City Sunday evening after a weeks visit with relatives here.

Miss Lottie Bay of Tawas City returned to her home Saturday after a couple of weeks visit with friends here.

Three sleighloads from Turner were here for the mission Monday night. The Turner choir was present that evening.

Otto Summerfield, blacksmith at McIvor, is the busiest man in town this week keeping horses sharp for the icy roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kelchner who have been at Lima, Ohio for the past three months are here for the rest of the winter.

P. E. Hammond is having his house painted, papered and otherwise repaired. J. W. Belchamber of Whittemore has charge of the work.

Rev. Faucher of Omer had a three night mission at the town hall the first part of the week. In spite of the disagreeable weather the hall was filled to its capacity every night and everyone took a great interest in his talk.

The J. O. H. entertained their friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Pringle last Wednesday evening. The evening was pleasantly spent in music and games, and at midnight a bountiful supper was served. The guests departed at a late hour, thanking Mr. and Mrs. Pringle for their very kind reception.

Laidlawville Notes.

Miss Hazel McLeod spent Sunday at the parental home.

Miss Rachel Legget is gaining rapidly and is able to be around the house again.

Carl Richlie of AuGres has been spending a few days at the home of John Legget.

George Culham and wife of Tawas City visited Tuesday at the home of W. E. Laidlaw.

George Fabselt and family of Tawas City spent Sunday at the home of Oscar Fabselt.

Miss Elizabeth Miller is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Cohen, of East Tawas.

Mrs. George Lake and children spent a few days last week with Mrs. Charles Hewson of East Tawas.

Mrs. Leudtke and son, August, and daughter, Lizzie, of Tawas City, spent Sunday at the home of John Kobs.

Mrs. Vallencour and children have arrived here and joined her husband, who came two weeks ago. They are now snugly settled in their new home.

A sleigh load of about thirty people drove out to the County Farm Tuesday evening, and spent a very pleasant evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Leggett. The evening was spent in music and social chat, after which a very dainty lunch was served. Then all wended their way homeward, having spent a most delightful evening.

Hale and Vicinity.

Frank Fuller and family are visiting relatives and friends here.

Francis Dorcy journeyed to Tawas City on business last Wednesday.

Glenwood Streeter has been visiting friends in AuSable for the past week.

Rev. O. L. Fox is spending a couple of days at Tawas City this week.

Elgin Glendenn spent Saturday and Sunday here with relatives and friends.

Dave Londo was at the county seat on business Tuesday and Wednesday.

Dr. W. A. Cowie left Tuesday for Canada, where he was called by the serious illness of his mother.

Hon. E. B. Follett attended the Development Bureau meeting and banquet at Bay City Wednesday. He also did business in Omer Thursday.

The Gleaners are to start a building fund by means of a dance which will take place at the town hall Friday evening, Feb. 13. Let us all turn out and give them help. If you do not feel like dancing buy a number anyhow. Three piece orchestra (violin, banjo and organ.) Good order guaranteed.

Wilber Warblings.

Miss Ida Lilyquist spent Sunday at home.

Miss Ruth Dillon spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in East Tawas.

Russell Alda and Wesley Searle returned Sunday to their work at Alabaster.

James Syme visited over Sunday with his niece, Mrs. Harry Latter, at Reno.

Miss Rozena Fraser visited at her home on the Hemlock road Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Josephine Dawes of Tawas City spent a few days here at the home of her parents.

Mr. Somerville of the Townline, a Latter Day Saint, is here this week holding meetings in the church.

Mrs. Duncan Boomer of East Tawas visited Wednesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. F. Abbott.

George Bennett and H. B. Goodale went to Bay City last week to attend the meeting of the Good Roads Congress.

We hear that Mr. Merton Clute has taken unto himself a bride, Miss Pauline Kornack, who's people live in Baldwin. Mr. Clute was born and grew to manhood here, but has lived in Flint for the past two years. We extend congratulations.

Keystone.

Ralph Johnston visited at county line Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. King visited at Joe Nichols Friday.

Mrs. John Durnill visited at Mrs. Fred Ball's Tuesday.

Arthur View is home from school on account of sickness.

Mrs. J. Nichols, who has been very sick, is much better.

Remember the services at the school house next Sunday.

Herbert Hernan of McIvor visited in our community Sunday.

Miss Neva Smith spent Monday evening with Miss Eva Seebeck.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Nichols visited with their daughter, Mrs. Geo. King, Tuesday.

Mrs. Henry Stiehl, sr., has gone to Hubbard Lake to visit with her daughter.

Mrs. and Mrs. Joe Sheffer of Prescott visited at the home of John Sloat last week.

Ed Stiehl, D. Smith and Jake Seebeck are drawing logs to the county line sawmill and J. Sloat is drawing to Turtle. Keystone is alive.

Peculiar Street Names.

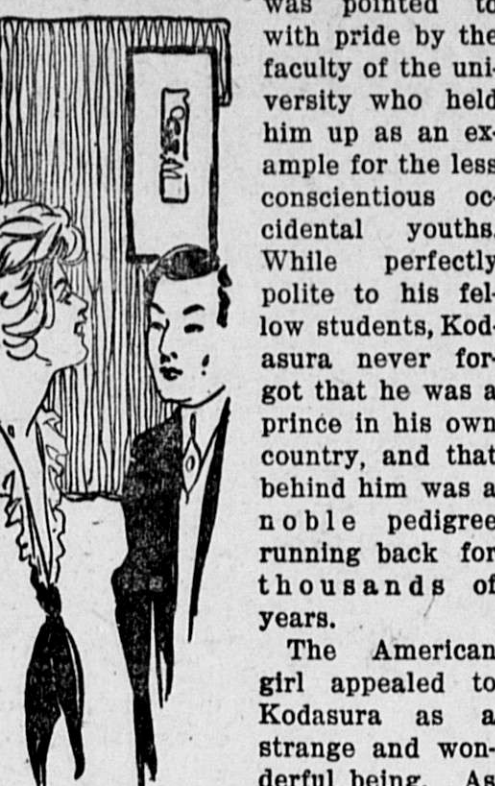
The Mexicans have a turn for the picturesque which displays itself in the street names of the capital. There is Love of God street. The Holy Ghost street, Sad Indian street, Street of the Wood Owls, Lost Child street, and a cautionary Pass if You Can street. Shop names, too, in Mexico are out of the common. A drug store calls itself Gate of Heaven, and a drinking saloon describes itself frankly as The Bait of the Devil!

Children Need Protection.

Because they have less resisting power, children are more susceptible to all kinds of disease germs than older persons. This is why every child should be early taught to avoid the habits which lead to infection. It is little short of a criminal risk to allow a child to work or play in a room or yard that is not clean as it can be made.

COURTSHIP OF KODASURA

By ROBERT WILKES.



Kodasura Kinosuke was a most industrious and intelligent scholar, and was pointed to with pride by the faculty of the university who held him up as an example for the less conscientious occidental youths. While perfectly polite to his fellow students, Kodasura never forgot that he was a prince in his own country, and that behind him was a noble pedigree running back for thousands of years.

The American girl appealed to Kodasura as a strange and wonderful being. As to the men, he should understand in a faint sort of way their heathen attributes, but the women were utterly beyond and apart from his traditions and his understanding. Therefore it clearly became his duty to study this strange phenomena.

He sought as wide acquaintance as possible with the young women of the college town and indulged, so far as he was able, in the social pleasures of the students. Making little progress in this general campaign he decided to select an individual specimen for investigation and analysis. Whereupon, after due consideration, he decided upon Miss Florence Maynard.

Kodasura figured it thusly: Miss Maynard was exceedingly popular, therefore she must be a good specimen of the most attractive of her species.

So the quest was begun and it occasioned great comment and much joking. Miss Florence demurely accepted the friendly advances of the young foreigner and thought it a great lark.

From the first Miss Florence fathomed the purpose of the Japanese and she accepted the conditions with a mischievous twinkle in her blue eyes. And she led him a merry chase in his investigations. In fact no sooner had he reached a conclusion along a given line than she smashed it all to smithereens.

"I have highly passed," he soliloquized, "in all the information which I arrived to seek—with the exception that of the American girl I do not know peas."

Then as he rolled his cigaret he thought of his home-going within the week and of the termination of his investigations of Miss Maynard.

"What is this?" he asked himself in stern analysis. "This emotion of unrest which my bosom is within? Why do I of joyfulness partake when I consider that I am with Miss Maynard in this evening to forget? Also of what reason does my heart beat more forcefully when I reflect upon the consideration that I will see her not any presently and what is the foundation of the emptiness that inflicts my chest?"

Long and closely did he ponder upon these questions until finally it came to him that he was in love with the fair barbarian.

"Of much astonishment is it," he cried, "that I—a prince of the house of Kodasura of 4,000 years in its pedigree, should with favor inspect this woman whose family was born yesterday. It must be that the spirit of a Japanese has lodgement found in her divine form. I will marry her."

With a sigh of virtuous self-sacrifice he donned his hat and went to inform his lady love of his decision.

When she came into the drawing room he stood grave and heroic in the center of the floor. Before she could speak he said:

"It is of the grave mission I have arrived to see you today. I have determined to marry you."

The flush of indignation in the girl's face faded into a smile, then into downright laughter.

"When was this important decision arrived at?" she asked.

"This afternoon," he replied with dignity. "Why do you laugh?"

"Oh, it's so funny," replied Miss Florence. "Pray, have you determined upon the details of the wedding?"

"It is not of humorousness that I speak," replied the prince. "It is of love that I talk. I Kodasura Kinosuke, love you and will make you my wife. Of the arrangements of the marriage I have not thought. Your customs I do not have knowledge of. Only that I must sail within the month."

This brought forth a fresh peal of laughter from the girl. Kodasura gazed at her intently.

"I see," he said. "The understanding you not. I am sorry. It is a mistake of the judgment which I have encountered. It is not the reincarnation as I had thought. It is a joke. I now observe the humorousness. I did not at first see the humor. We are not a humorous people. I came to present my adieux and to make my thanks for the courtesy you have shown me."

Bowing low he withdrew. Kodasura Kinosuke returned to Japan with the mystery of the American girl unsolved.

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Possibly If He Did Not Know to Be Printed It Might Be More Forcible.

Another statement, truly heart-rending, from Colonel Bodine's graphic pen:

The editor of this paper is a victim of hay fever ad has been livid id hell for three weeks past. It is said that odly aristocradig people have hay fever. This may be true, but we are willidg to forego our Normad blood for a good night's sleep and swab off our Kedtucky bedgree for a dose that do'd idch and wo'd rud. We'd rather be of hublest lidage, with a palate thad didn't dickle ad a head thad didn't likge a blocg of wood, thad to wear a corodet and have a dose feels likge a piece of raw liver ad thad dlibs like a sugar water dree. Id's do fud to be ad arisdograd in Septeber unless you have a snoud to madch or a busidess that will rud idself while you go to the moudtains.

These dights the sdars look likge poid's of fire sticking through the skies ad the wids smell likge medtholadub. Whed you go to sleep at 3 o'clock the mordig you dreeb of coolidg rivers, snowclad moudtains ad refreshid breezes. You wakge ub ted midutes lader gaspif for your breath ad pud id the time until daylight sneezing. No mah with hay fever was ever knoud to sleep. Id is a vulgar pragdice id which adly pedes edgag, ad is nod necessary ad all.

The sabc may be said of eating ad smokig. All food tastes likge sawdud ad the best cigars smell of likge oak leaves. Beer tastes likge quindide ad life is odly ad idcidet between sneezes. Id is said thad God does nod makege misdakes, bud he does. Ragweed is one of theb.—Kansas City Times.

FORGOT HIS OWN INTEREST

Marselles Cabby, in Giving Advice, Showed Himself to Be Much Disinterested.

"The department store is as disinterested, or almost as disinterested, as the Marselles cabby."

The speaker was an advertising expert of New York. He continued: "Yes, even to its own loss the department store puts its patrons' interest ahead of its own interest. And thus it resembles the Marselles cabbie who in the gay and bustling Canabiere one August afternoon was accosted by a lady tourist.

"'Cabby,' she said, 'drive me to the shore. I want to see the sea.'"

"To see the sea?" said the man. "To see the sea on a hot, blazing afternoon like this? Now, that's very foolish. You'd get all burned up; you'd get all dust and sand. No,

sea, ma'am. Go on at the hotel and nap. That will do more good."

HIS CONGRATULATION.

There is a certain senator from the west who rarely makes a set speech to the august body of which he is a member. During the past session, however, a special occasion arose when he deemed it necessary to deliver quite a lengthy speech.

When he returned home that evening his wife, who had been aware of the senator's purpose to speak, asked:

"How was the speech received, Richard?"

"Why," said her husband, "they congratulated me very heartily. In fact, one senator came to me and told me that when I sat down he had said to himself it was the best thing I had ever done."

NOT REALLY LOST.

Bertie's sister, who is five years older than Bertie, is trying to teach him to take care of his books. The other day she could not find "Robinson Crusoe" on the nursery bookshelf.

"Where is it?" she asked. "I haven't seen it for several days. What have you done with it?"

"I know where it is," said Bertie, trying to speak with assurance.

"Well, where?"

"Why, it's only lost a little," he faltered; "kinder in the barn, or round outdoors some'er; p'raps up garret, or behind the wood pile, I guess!"—Youth's Companion.

THREAD OF DISCOURSE.

"Do you think your constituents always follow your line of reasoning?"

"That isn't a line of reasoning. That's a line of talk."—Washington Star.

Kind of Work.

Cynthia, a young negro cook, who had recently given up her employment in order that she might try her luck at the easier profession of cateress, met her former mistress on the street. (This is from Life.) "Good morning, Cynthia," said the lady. "Where are you working now?" "I isn't workin' nowhere now, ma'am," replied Cynthia, coyly; "Ise caperin' for a congressman."

Fresh From the Old Sod.

Pat and Mike had got half way around the menagerie tent when they came to an opening marked "Exit." "Wonder what kind of a baste that is?" said Pat. "We'll go in and see, anyhow," said Mike, and next moment they found themselves out under the stars.

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