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HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

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

Tomorrow is Memorial day.
Fire insurance. Henry Hanson. adv
Let Merschel, East Tawas, do your
cavetroughing. adv
Dr. C. V. Crane was at Bay City on
business Monday.
Dr. Carson, dentist, Tawas City every
day. Phone 44 L.
Mrs. J. B. King and son, James, spent
Saturday in Bay City.
Dan McQuaig of Oscoda was in the
city on business Tuesday.
Miss Elizabeth Leudtke is visiting her
brother, George, at Whitmore Lake.
N. C. Harting returned Tuesday
evening from a business trip to Norfolk,
W. Va.

The residence of Burley Wilson has
been improved in appearance by a coat
of paint this week.

Why not invest in health by having
Dr. Carson put your teeth in good
condition? See him now. adv

Ruskin Roberts came up from Detroit
last Saturday for a short visit with his
father, Rev. J. Roberts.

An elegant line of Rugs, in tapestry,
axminster, velvet, wool and fiber, etc.,
etc., just received at King's. adv

John Myles left Tuesday for Flint to
attend the grand lodge F. & A. M. of
Michigan, which met in that city this
week.

Mrs. Ernest Kelley of Jackson arrived
Monday for an extended visit with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. McCarron, at
East Tawas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Waterbury left
Thursday for a three weeks visit with
relatives and friends in St. Joseph county
and Detroit.

H. N. Butler and wife of East Tawas
went to Bay City Wednesday, where
Mrs. Butler entered the Bay City hos-
pital for an operation.

Most of our merchants will close their
stores tomorrow, at least a portion of the
day, in honor of our dead heroes whose
memory we will honor on that occasion.

G. A. Prescott, P. E. Shien and M. J.
Connine went to Detroit Tuesday as
delegates to the welfare conference of
the republican party held in that city
this week.

I have a big line of the latest and best
styles in spring and summer millinery
which will be closed out at big reduc-
tions. Come in and see the bargains.
Mrs. L. L. Johnson. adv

John Webster of Flint came last Sat-
urday for a weeks visit with his mother
and friends here. His wife has been
here for some time and will return with
him.

Jas. E. Ballard attended the third
annual meeting of the Michigan Printers'
Cost Commission at Saginaw last Friday
and Saturday. Many subjects of value
to the printer were discussed and it is
to be regretted that more of the North-
eastern Michigan printers were not in at-
tendance.

Don't fail to see "Mrs. Briggs of the
Poultry Yard," given by the East Tawas
seniors Friday evening, June 5, in the
opera house. Learn to raise chickens
with an "incubus." See the wedding
of Silas and Mandy. Come for a good
laugh and help the seniors. Admission
15, 25 and 35 cents. adv

W. A. Loveday, representing the Coit
Lyceum Bureau of Cleveland, Ohio, was
in the city Wednesday and a contract
was made with him by the Tawas City
Entertainment association for a lyceum
course to be given here next winter.
Five numbers will be given and the
talent selected is among the best on the
lyceum platform today.

Is your mouth filled with bad cavities
and old roots that give you a bad taste
and bad health? If this is your con-
dition you are abusing your stomach and
making your body susceptible to disease.
You are not proud of this. The longer
you wait the worse the condition be-
comes. Dr. Carson can put your mouth
in condition that will enable you to
fight disease and enjoy life. Phone now
for an appointment. adv

Road Bee days June 4 and 5.
A. W. Black, fire insurance. adv
S. G. Searight, opometrist, is now at
the Hotel Iosco. adv

W. W. Brown of Hale was in the city
on business Tuesday.
Services at Christ church next Sunday:
Evening prayer, 7:00.

Rugs, Rugs. Beautiful line of Rugs
at King's furniture store. adv
Mrs. D. R. Stewart of South Branch
visited friends in East Tawas Sunday.

Dr. C. A. Wakeman was at Hillman
on professional business Tuesday.
Henry Kane and R. G. Harting were
in Detroit on business last Friday and
Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Laidlaw was taken to Mercy
hospital, Bay City, Saturday, for medical
treatment.

Mrs. J. B. Tuttle of California came
Tuesday for an extended visit with re-
latives at East Tawas.

Mrs. A. B. Carson returned last Fri-
day from a two weeks visit with her
parents at Southfield.

Buy your wall paper, rugs and furni-
ture at Sempliner's department store,
East Tawas, and save money. adv
Ed. J. Woizeschke purchased a Ford
automobile this week and will make his
deliveries by the motor route hereafter.

A number of Masons from Hale came
down last Saturday night to attend the
special meeting of Tawas City lodge.

Judge M. J. Connine returned last
Friday from Grand Rapids, where he
had been assisting the judges of that
circuit.

The vestry of Christ church, East Ta-
was, has decided to build a cupola on
the tower, so as to raise the bells above
the entire building.

Mrs. Jas. Larmer of Alpena visited
friends in East Tawas Wednesday. She
was enroute to Rose City for a few days
visit with friends there.

Have you noticed that crimson tint in
the atmosphere in the vicinity of the big
C. H. Prescott store? It is probably
caused by the coat of bright red paint to
which the building has been treated this
week.

Don't forget that Road Bee days are
next Thursday and Friday, June 4 and
5. Arrange your work so that you can
give at least one of these days to the
work of improving the roads of Iosco
county.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Oliver of East
Tawas left Saturday for Philadelphia,
where Mr. Oliver goes as delegate to the
national boiler makers' convention. They
will also visit New York city and Buffalo
before they return.

Mrs. C. A. Wakeman, who was taken
to Mercy hospital, Bay City, some two
weeks ago to undergo an operation, is
reported as improving nicely and it is
expected that she will be well enough to
be brought home some time next week.

Dr. W. N. Yeager, the dentist, will
be at his office, over Wuggazer's drug
store, in this city, Tuesday, Wednesday
and Thursday, June 2nd, 3rd and 4th.
All kinds of dental work done and all
work guaranteed. Special attention to
crown and bridge work. Painless ex-
traction. adv

In "A Girl of the Sunny South," one
of the dramas that the Kelly-Brennen
Dramatic Co. will put on during the
week of May 25 when it pitches its tents
in East Tawas, Edna Cecil Daly, lead-
ing woman with the company, is to be
seen in an ideal part; a role fitted to her
delightful personality. Miss Daly, who
was declared by many patrons of the
Colonial theater, Lansing, to be one of
the prettiest little women in permanent
stock in the middle west, is a woman
every person in this vicinity should
meet. She has no fads, and believes in
children rather than dogs. Miss Daly is
a real cook; can make her own clothes
if she is so minded and is clever with the
brush. While in this vicinity she in-
tends making a number of sketches of a
maritime nature. The old price of 10
and 20 cents still obtains.

Bicycles and repairing at Merschel's,
East Tawas. adv

H. M. Belknap of Whittemore was in
the city on business Monday.

Mrs. Sam Anker of East Tawas visited
in Bay City a few days this week.

Mrs. Lizzie Ingamell of Saginaw is
visiting friends in East Tawas this week.

Rev. B. H. Thomas of Bay City was
in the city on business a day or two this
week.

Mrs. Aug. Kobs went to Mt. Clemens
last Friday, where she will receive treat-
ment for rheumatism.

Stanley Morrison of Hale was a visitor
in the city last Wednesday, enroute to
Oscoda to visit friends.

Earl and Lloyd Mann of Garden City,
Minn., are visiting at the home of their
grandfather, Levi Mann, this week.

A. B. Schneider of Sherman was in
the city Thursday enroute to Calumet,
U. P., where he expects to remain for
some time.

You can't have good health without
good teeth. Dr. Carson is at Tawas
City every day and can relieve your den-
tal troubles. adv

J. G. Dimmick, C. A. Pinkerton and
A. W. Black of East Tawas attended the
republican welfare conference in Det-
roit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Anthony of East
Tawas left Tuesday for an extended visit
at Detroit, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, and
other eastern points.

A good roads meeting will be held at
the Grant town hall tomorrow (Saturday)
evening to make arrangements for Bee
Day. All are invited and a good turn out
is hoped for.

The women of Christ Church Guild
will hold their annual sale of potted and
bedding plants, Thursday, Friday and
Saturday, May 28, 29 and 30, in the
Gates block, East Tawas. adv

The heavy rain of Sunday did a vast
amount of good to this section of the
country, effectually extinguishing the
forest fires which had been partially
quenched by the rain Friday morning.

Program for Memorial Day.
Following is the program for the
Memorial day exercises, which will be
held at the Tawas City cemetery tomor-
row (Saturday, May 30). The line of
march will form at the court house at 10
o'clock a. m. and march to the cemetery.
The pupils of the schools of the city are
requested to gather at their respective
school buildings and join the line of
march when it reaches them. The Boy
Scouts will lead the march as on former
occasions:

Song—"Battle Hymn of the Repub-
lic."
Prayer—Rev. John Pinches.
Address—Hon. M. J. Connine.
Song—"Battle Cry of Freedom."
Address—N. C. Harting.
Song—"America."
Benediction—Rev. O. E. Moffet.
Decoration of graves of soldiers.

Notice to Subscribers to the Tawas Herald

As announced many times through the columns of the Herald, and also by private notice to our subscribers, the United States postoffice department has made a ruling that a newspaper cannot be sent to a subscriber for more than one year after the expiration of their subscription. Many of our subscribers have paid no attention to our requests for settlement, and we are therefore obliged to take other measures than have been heretofore used.

On July 1, 1914, we will revise our subscription list and the names of all subscribers who are not paid up to within one year of that date will be removed from the list. We are obliged to take this action for two reasons. First, to comply with the ruling of Uncle Sam, and second, because we are under a heavy expense in publishing the Herald and cannot afford to send it to subscribers without receiving our pay.

It is not our desire to cut off any of our subscribers, and we therefore hope that each one who is in arrears will settle their indebtedness before the date specified.

JAS. E. BALLARD, Publisher.

Boy Scouts' Day.

Sunday will be the big day of the year for the local troop of Boy Scouts. In the morning a memorial service will be held at the Baptist church at 10 o'clock standard time. Rev. Moffet will deliver the address at this service and appropriate music will be rendered by the choirs of the different churches.

The G. A. R., Spanish war veterans and Boy Scouts will be present in uniform, and the public is cordially invited.

In the evening the annual camp-fire of the Boy Scouts will be held at the Baptist church. At this meeting an address will be made by Duncan McRae of Greenbush and C. E. Wilcox of Alpena, a civil war veteran, will tell some stories, assisted by local veterans.

The local Boy Scout officers are O. E. Moffet, scoutmaster and Frank Nelem, assistant scoutmaster. The local council is Stephen Ferguson, L. H. Braddock, M. E. Friedman, Ford Bradish and J. E. Ballard. The patrol leaders are Howard Rollip, senior patrol, Everett Moffet and George Hamilton.

The Republican Mass Meeting.

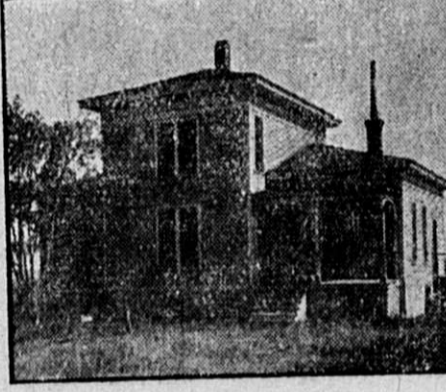
Between 100 and 150 republicans from various parts of the county gathered at the Star theatre last Friday evening in response to a call for a mass meeting to elect ten delegates to the welfare meeting held at Detroit this week.

Short addresses were made by a number of men prominent in the party

councils. G. A. Prescott, Judge M. J. Connine, G. A. Loud, A. C. Carton and E. B. Follett were all on the program.

Gilbert A. Currie of Midland, speaker of the present Michigan house of representatives, and an active candidate for representative in congress from this district, was also present and gave an address. Mr. Currie is a bright, clean young man who has made an enviable record in the legislature. His party could not do better than to make him the nominee for congress at the coming primaries.

The ten delegates elected to attend the welfare conference were: Thos. Bradley, G. A. Prescott and M. J. Connine from Tawas City; C. W. Luce and J. G. Dimmick from East Tawas; Dr. R. J. Smith from Whittemore; R. D. Brown from Hale; A. R. Weir and Wm. Dickinson of Oscoda; John Searles of Wilber.



FOR RENT.
House on bay shore, East Tawas.
Eight large rooms, city water, barn.
W. B. MURRAY,
East Tawas, Mich.

The I. C. S. A. A.

Tawas City High School lost to Oscoda in a game that was a nerve-racker, and was won in the tenth inning by the first home run ever knocked over the Chevalier Park fence, and it was nearer center field than left at that, cleared the fence by about 15 feet, and was altogether the most astounding feat ever witnessed by the assembled fans.

Our boys outthit the up-county boys, and were about even in stolen bases, errors and strike-outs, but a couple of peculiar decisions that were not kicked on by the Tawas City boys, lost them the game.

In the second, with one down, Campbell hit safely, stole second, and got to third on a passed ball. Then Oliver of Oscoda let a ball get past him, which hit the backstop about 30 feet back of home plate. Campbell, of course, dashed for home, but the ball rebounded, and he was touched. Then the boys happened to think of section 4 of rule 54, but as the umpire had called Campbell out the Tawas City boys let the incident pass and, with it, the game.

Then in the third Patterson hit safely. Crandall struck out, but the catcher dropped the ball. He recovered, and threw to first, catching Crandall, whereupon Ellis threw to Tate on second. Patterson was not touched with the ball, but, according to the umpire, was "forced" out. Tawas City boys kicked for a few seconds, but when the umpire again said "out" they let the second opportunity pass. But it was probably just as well. Oscoda and Tawas City would have to play Field day for the pennant anyway, even though Tawas City had won Saturday.

In the fourth Tawas City got two runs on two dropped third strikes, two hits, a passed ball, and two errors, when by good base running and coaching they would probably have had four. Oscoda came back in the last half and got one on a double and a dropped fly. They also annexed one in the fifth on two hits and a stolen base.

Tawas City in the sixth again went ahead, getting two on hits and a hit batsman. Then in the last half Tawas City blew up. A base on balls, three stolen bases, two hits, a dropped third strike, and three errors, netted four runs for Oscoda.

Tawas City in the seventh got one on a hit and two errors, and one in the eighth on a single and double.

Both sides went out, one, two, three, in the ninth, and Tawas City again in tenth. Then after Oliver struck out, Jerry Marks came up, and lammed that old horsehide clean over the fence, as we said before, and won the game, amid the cheers of everyone on the field.

BOX SCORE:

T.C.H.S.	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.	S.B.
Crandall, C.	5	1	11	8	1	0	0
Johnson, I.F.	5	1	2	0	1	0	0
Moore, S.S.	4	1	2	3	1	1	1
Murphy, P.	5	1	2	0	4	0	1
Musolf, 2b.	3	1	0	3	0	2	1
Rollin, 3b.	4	1	2	0	1	0	0
Campbell, 1b.	4	0	12	0	1	1	1
Marzinski, c.f.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reinke, c.f.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Patterson, r.f.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	6	11	28	16	6	4

*One out when winning run was scored.

I.O.	H.S.	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.	S.B.
B. Marks, s.s.	4	0	1	2	3	1	1	0
Oliver, c.	5	0	1	9	5	2	0	0
Marks, 3b.	4	2	1	2	2	0	3	0
Tate, 2b.	3	1	2	1	0	1	0	0
Masterson, p.	4	1	0	5	0	0	0	0
Bissonette, c.f.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ellis, 1b.	4	1	0	15	0	1	1	1
Lee, I.F.	4	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
Bailey, r.f.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	7	8	29	16	5	5	1

Home run—J. Marks. Sacrifice hits—Moore, Tate. Struck out—By Murphy, 16; by Masterson, 15. Base on balls—Off Murphy, 2. Hit by pitcher—By Masterson, Musolf. Passed balls—Oliver, 3. Umpires—Kennedy and E. Couler. Game next Saturday, Oscoda vs. Alabaster, at East Tawas.

STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Tawas City	2	1	.667
Oscoda	2	1	.667
Alabaster	0	2	.000

T. A. C.

Rain cancelled the Alabaster game last Sunday, but they will be taken on the seventh of June, at which game both Tawas City and Alabaster will show

their new suits here for the first time.

Our boys go to Harrisville tomorrow (Saturday) to play the fast team at that place.

Meadow Road club will be taken on Sunday on their grounds.

Next Wednesday the boys will have charge of the Star theatre. Manager Wood has some high class reels for that night, and in addition the Fun Quartette will be heard in some very good songs. Wyman and Mark will give their justly celebrated "Parcel Post Misinformation," which has been the talk of the town since they first offered it.

From Thomas N. McGill.

Vancouver, Wash., May 17, 1914.
Mr. Ballard, Dear Sir:—I again sit down to write you a few lines to let you know that we are well at present, hoping all my Tawas friends are enjoying the same blessing. My household goods got here on Tuesday last, and were in better condition than I expected they would be. There were a few things broke, but they had a long way to come. The man in the warehouse here told me they were the best crated goods that ever came into this warehouse, so that sounds good for Tawas City. I have got a house on the corner of Eighth and Grant streets, No. 715, so if you will please send my paper to that address I will be much obliged. We have fine weather here, not too hot and not too cold. It always turns a little cool at night, just right for sleeping, and I have not slept so good for years as I have since I came here. They told me when I came here that they never had any thunder or lightning, but we got a little here on Wednesday evening. We would call it a light thunder storm in Tawas City, but some of them out here were nearly scared to death, and some had the cheek to tell me that I brought it with me, but I denied the charge. I was also told there were no flies here, but I have seen a few, they are the large blue fellows. I have not seen any of the regular house flies which are so plentiful in old Michigan, but we see perhaps six or eight of the other kind every day, but not more than that, so you see we are not bothered much with them. The town is kept so clean that I think that may have something to do with the scarcity of flies out here. If a man went to spitting tobacco juice or should throw peanut shells or pieces of paper, or anything else, on the sidewalk, he would be put behind the bars mighty quick. The city has tin cans placed a short distance apart to throw everything into, and they are emptied every day, being hauled away some place.

Well, I don't want to take up too much of your valuable time trying to read my poor writing, also bad spelling, so I will say good-bye for this time. Give my respects to all inquiring friends. I ever remain yours,
THOMAS N. MCGILL.

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

WANTS, FOR SALE, ETC.

For Sale—Lawn mower, practically new. Inquire at Herald office.

For Sale—Heavy work horse, 9 years old. Inquire of John Newberry, Wilber.

For Sale—Heavy work horse, or will exchange for a fresh milch cow. Ed. Ealy, Tawas City. 21-1f

For Sale—Good bird and rabbit dog. Inquire of Ernest Anschuetz, R. D. 1, Hemlock road. 23

Wanted—Men to load lumber. Will pay \$2.00 per day for good men. Robinson Lumber Co., Godar, Mich.

For Sale—Five-passenger Buick automobile in good condition. \$150.00 cash. N. C. Harting, sr., Tawas City.

For Sale—Choice varieties of tomato, and celery plants, 12c per dozen; cabbage plants, 10c; cauliflower, 15c. Chas. Conklin, East Tawas. 22

For Sale—A Cadillac runabout with tonneau and top. In good condition. Will be sold cheap. Inquire of Lyman McAuliff, East Tawas. 22

AUTOMOBILES—If you do not feel like spending the money for a new car, see our used runabouts and touring cars. Ready to use today—cheap. Come and see us. The Iosco Garage, East Tawas.



ESSEXVILLE BASEBALL TEAM
The above is a picture of the fast Essexville team, which will cross bats with the East Tawas team at the D. & M. ball park Saturday and Sunday, May 30th and 31st.

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Three months......40

TAWAS CITY, MICH., MAY 29, 1914

In the death of Jacob A. Riis, author, lecturer and social worker, the country has lost one of its most prominent and useful citizens. His career since coming to America when he was 21 years of age has been one of constant effort for the benefit of his fellow men, and his example might well serve as a standard to be emulated by the growing generation. Mr. Riis was one of thirteen children of a poor teacher in Denmark, and when he came to this country had but \$40 in his pocket with which to start his career in a strange country. He was a carpenter by trade, and in following his occupation among the poorer classes he obtained a first hand knowledge of the miserable conditions under which they lived and resolved to devote his life to the betterment of social conditions. At 27 he became a reporter on a New York paper, and it was while thus engaged that he made a comprehensive study of conditions and inaugurated many reforms. Through his efforts great improvements were made in the tenement districts of New York city and many other plans for the betterment of conditions among the poorer people were carried out. He spent 27 years as a reporter, after which he continued his life work through the medium of lectures and writings. Theodore Roosevelt, his intimate friend, paid him the tribute of naming him as "the most useful citizen" of the great metropolis. He will be long remembered for his great work and "his deeds shall live after him."

Government ownership of the coal mines is advocated by Judge Ben E. Lindsey of Colorado, as the only remedy for the conditions which now exist among the miners, and which have caused the deplorable conditions in the Colorado mining district. He scores the operators for forcing the miners to work under most unfavorable conditions, and says: "God Almighty put the coal into the ground of Colorado, and he could not have intended it as the exclusive possession of John D. Rockefeller and the mine owners." The conditions in the coal mines in Colorado have aroused a storm of protest from various quarters, and the prospects are that some drastic action will be necessary to compel the operators to conform to the law in operating their mines, or, as Judge Lindsey advises, the government will be obliged to secure possession of them and operate them as a governmental proposition.

Theodore Roosevelt claims to have discovered a hitherto unknown river in South America. It has been christened the "River of Doubt" by some of the disbelievers. Undoubtedly the colonel will find many "rivers of doubt" in the ranks of those who formerly tied up to his policies, as there seems to have been a serious deflection among his followers since the election of 1912.

Huerta now professes that he is willing to step down, but that he wishes to "abdicate with dignity." If he delays action too long the probability is that Villa will compel him to take to his heels regardless of dignity or anything else.

For Sheriff.

I desire to announce to the electors of Iosco county my candidacy for nomination as sheriff on the democratic ticket at the primary election, August, 1914, and respectfully ask for your support.

THOMAS H. HILL,
Hale, Mich.

Some Good Advice for Bee Day.

DON'TS.
Don't try to do too much.
Don't start more than you can finish.
You cannot build a macadam road, nor very long stretches of gravel road in two days.
Don't haul gravel onto roads that have not been properly graded and drained.
Don't grade roads that have not been properly staked out on correct lines.
Don't plow up long stretches of road and leave them impassable.
Don't scrape sods onto the traveled roadway and leave them for passing vehicles to smooth down.

WHAT MAY BE DONE TO ADVANTAGE.

You can remove logs, rocks, stumps and stones from the roadway; fill holes, preferably with good earth; cover long stretches of sand with clay or gravel; drain wet places in the roadway; scrape off and outwards sod margins where they hold the water in the traveled track. When drained and graded, clay may be covered with sand or gravel, but the gravel should not contain any clay unless it is to be placed on sand. Culverts may be repaired, or new culverts put in.

Road drags (of planks or split logs) should be made and arrangements perfected for using them after rains, throughout the season, on all clay and loamy soils.

ORGANIZATION.

All these things will be of great value to the roads of the state, but they will not be accomplished unless the work is well planned and performed under intelligent supervision. Let each community organize by road or school districts and appoint the best road builder in the neighborhood as "road boss" for two days, and then turn out and work loyally under his direction. See how much real good can be done to the roads in your district and by the concerted efforts of every district to the entire 70,000 miles of rural highways in Michigan. Let us all give this first state wide "Road Bee day" an honest, earnest trial.

FRANK F. ROGERS,
State Highway Commissioner.

Facts About Our Enemy.

The fly is a very interesting animal, although he is "the most dangerous wild animal on earth," as he spreads typhoid fever, cholera infantum, dysentery, tuberculosis, spinal meningitis and many other filth diseases.

Only a few young mother flies survive the winter, and in the spring they begin feeding and soon commence laying eggs. The fly lays from 120 to 150 eggs at one time, and one fly may live to lay six times. The stages in the life of a fly are:

- (a) Egg, eight hours in hot weather to six weeks in cold.
- (b) Maggot, six to eight days of active feeding upon filth.
- (c) Pupa, a resting stage of two or three days, in which the maggot becomes covered with a hard case and completes the great change from maggot to a winged insect.

After coming out as a fly it feeds and flies about for 14 days before it matures its first batch of eggs. A pair of flies in the spring are equal to 191,010,000,000,000,000,000 flies in September.

The most attractive foods to the fly are milk, fish and sweets, and they swarm to any fermenting or rotten matter, garbage, the contents of spittoons, and all sorts of unnamable filth. It is not unusual for a fly to swallow one-half its own weight of food at one meal, and the proboscis or sucking tube is the means by which the food is taken into the body, everything being first dissolved with a drop of saliva sucked back and forth.

There are three ways to fight the fly:
(1) By killing, as fast as they come out, all the winter flies that have been hiding in buildings.
(2) By cleaning up all manure and filth where flies may breed.
(3) By keeping traps set in covers of garbage cans and on porches where the flies are thickest, to catch them before they can enter our homes, and by the use of traps, poisons and fly paper in the house.

EVERY ONE OF US has a part to play in this movement. It is not only your NEIGHBOR'S duty to clean up his yard and make your town a flyless town, but YOUR duty as well, for the sake of health and comfort.

Indigestion? Can't Eat? No Appetite?

A treatment of Electric Bitters increases your appetite; stops indigestion; you can eat everything. A real spring tonic for liver, kidney and stomach troubles. Cleanses your whole system and you feel fine. Electric Bitters did more for Mr. T. D. Peeble's stomach troubles than any medicine he ever tried. Get a bottle today—50c and \$1.00. Recommended by J. M. Wuggazer & Co. and Jas. E. Dillon.

The Cost of Clearing Land.

Within the next 25 years it is estimated that most of the remaining merchantable timber in Minnesota, Michigan and Wisconsin will be logged off. This means that in many counties there will be a change from lumbering to farming, and that the problem of clearing economically the logged-off land will assume even greater importance. At the present time there are nearly 12,000,000 acres of such land in Michigan, approximately as much in Minnesota, and something less than 11,000,000 in Wisconsin. The greater part of these millions of acres is not only utterly useless now, but, on account of the danger of fire, an actual menace.

Hitherto the development of these lands for agricultural purposes has been seriously retarded by the high cost of clearing. A recent investigation conducted by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the results of which have just been published in bulletin 91, "Cost and Methods of Clearing Land in the Lake States," reveals the fact that this cost runs from \$20 to \$90 an acre. Little logged-off land desirable for farming purposes can be had for less than \$15 or \$25 an acre, and the total cost of cleared land varies, therefore, from \$35 to \$115. The average, the investigators found, was \$65 an acre. This, when the expense of other necessary improvements is taken into consideration, is more than equally good farm land in other sections can be bought for. In view of these facts the proper disposition of other logged-off areas becomes an important problem.

In the first place, as a protection to the settler, the investigators recommend that in every tract sold by land companies, there should be at least 10 acres cleared and ready for the plow. This will enable the farmer to raise hay and other crops while putting the logged-off land into condition for the most economical removal of the stumps, for clearing can be done much more cheaply after the ground has been in pasture for several years.

Second growth, the investigators assert, must be regarded as a source of expense rather than income. In a few places it may be possible to dispose of it to charcoal and wood-extract companies, pulp mills or mining companies, but in general it does not pay to haul the wood more than four or five miles, and in practice it is usually the fact that the second growth has no value except as firewood for the settler's personal use.

The brush should be cut close to the ground when in full leaf, heaped into compact piles, and burned as soon after logging as possible. On account of the danger of the fire spreading, however, the local or state fire warden should be consulted before the actual burning is attempted.

After the brush and second growth have been removed it is considered best to put the land into pasture for several years. On hardwood land green stumps are much more difficult to remove than those which have been allowed to rot for six or seven years, and pine stumps are gradually worked out of the ground by the settling of the land and the heaving action of the frost. The practice of harrowing and sowing the land, either immediately after burning or in the spring, is therefore very general. Sprout growth, the great drawback to this system, must, however, be kept down rigorously and this requires hard work. Dairy herds are now found useful in this respect.

When the time comes to turn the pasture into crop-bearing land, the farmer has the choice of four methods:

- (1) Explosives.
- (2) Explosives used in connection with stump-pullers.
- (3) Stump-pullers alone.
- (4) Power machines.

His choice will depend on the nature of soil and stumps, but it will not often be possible for him to ignore the use of explosives. On heavier soils they are particularly efficient. They do their work thoroughly and quickly, but they do not require a large force of men, and the expenditure involved can be spread over as long a time as suits the farmer's convenience. The expense can also be materially lessened by co-operative purchases of wholesale lots. Moreover, dynamite containing only 20 or 30 per cent nitroglycerine is often fully as effective as the more expensive kinds with higher percentages of nitroglycerine frequently considered necessary.

On lighter soils and with well-decayed stumps, pulling machines are sometimes substituted satisfactorily for explosives. The capstan can pull an acre or more of stumps without being reset, but at the same time it may be successfully resisted by a stump that would not offer the least trouble to a tripod, which, however, must be reset for every stump it pulls. On large tracts of land a power machine with an efficient crew may do the best work of all, but such an

outfit can only be employed economically on large operations.

Naturally the cost of this work varies greatly. The department investigators found indeed that it could be as low as \$5 and as high as \$100 an acre. The quantity of second growth and logs, the kind of stumps and the time that has lapsed since logging, the size and number of stumps per acre, and the character of the soil are all determining factors. Hardwood which, when green, is very expensive to remove, decays in time, so that it offers little difficulty. On the other hand white pine and Norway pine will not decay in 50 years. Again hardwood land is likely to contain many more stumps to the acre than white pine areas. On an average an acre may be expected to have about 45 pine stumps, whereas 400 is not an unusual number for hardwood. Incidentally it is worth remembering that a circle with a radius of 117.8 feet contains an area of one acre. If the stumps in several such areas be counted the total number in any given tract may be estimated with reasonable accuracy.

Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting of the common council of the city of Tawas City, held in the council rooms, Friday evening, April 17, 1914. Called to order by Mayor Ferguson. Present, Ald. VanHorn, Musolf, Lorenz, Marzinski, Groff, Hosbach and Clerk King. Quorum present.

Liquor affidavit and application of John Corrigan for permission to sell liquors at retail on lots three (3) and four (4), block three (3), presented and read.

Moved by Lorenz, supported by Musolf, that application of John Corrigan be granted.

Motion carried. Yeas, Musolf, VanHorn, Lorenz, Marzinski, Groff, Hosbach. Nays, none.

Liquor affidavit and application of Fred G. Force for permission to sell liquors at retail on lots three (3), block four (4), presented and read.

Moved by Musolf, supported by VanHorn, that application of Fred G. Force be granted.

Motion carried. Yeas, Ald. VanHorn, Musolf, Lorenz, Marzinski, Hosbach. Nays, Groff.

Liquor dealers bond of John Corrigan as principal, with the Michigan Bonding and Surety Co., surety, in the sum of \$3,000.00, presented.

Moved by Marzinski, supported by Musolf, that bond of John Corrigan be approved.

Motion carried, all voting yeas.

Bond of Wm. H. Murphy as treasurer, with Lloyd G. McKay and Collie Johnson as sureties, in the sum of \$3,000.00, presented and read.

Moved by Lorenz, supported by Marzinski, that bond of Wm. H. Murphy, city treasurer, be approved.

Motion carried. Yeas, Ald. VanHorn, Musolf, Lorenz, Marzinski, Groff, Hosbach. Nays, none.

Following bills presented and read:
F. F. Taylor & Co., lamps.....\$ 90
Frank Miller, material and labor on grades..... 5 45
Barkman Lumber Co., lumber..... 2 33
Thos. N. McGill, stove..... 8 00
Carl Lorenz, elect. and reg. bd..... 7 00
W. Groff, elect. and reg. bd..... 7 00
E. B. VanHorn, elect. and reg. bd..... 7 00
Geo. W. Mount, elect. bd..... 4 00
Martin Grueter, elect. bd..... 4 00
Albert Malone, gate keeper..... 2 00
Martin Marchinski, gate keeper..... 2 00

Moved by Marzinski, supported by VanHorn, that bills be allowed and orders drawn for same.

Motion carried. Yeas, Ald. VanHorn, Musolf, Lorenz, Marzinski, Groff, Hosbach. Nays, none.

On motion council then adjourned.
STEPHEN FERGUSON,
Mayor.

JOHN B. KING,
City Clerk.

Regular meeting of the common council of the city of Tawas City, held in the council rooms, Friday evening, May 1, 1914. Called to order by Mayor Ferguson. Present, Ald. VanHorn, Lorenz, Lanski, Marzinski, Groff, Hosbach and Clerk King. Quorum present.

Moved by Marzinski, supported by VanHorn, that the Detroit & Mackinac R. R. Co. be notified to lay 6-inch drain tile under tracks on n. e. side of First street, at a depth of four feet.

Motion carried, all voting yeas.

Liquor dealers bond of Fred G. Force as principal, with Michigan Bonding and Surety Co., surety, in the sum of \$3,000.00, presented and read.

Moved by Lorenz, supported by VanHorn, that the bond of Fred G. Force be accepted.

Motion carried. Yeas, VanHorn, Lorenz, Marzinski, Hosbach. Nays, Groff.

Following bills presented and read:
Chas. Harris, labor, team.....\$ 7 40
John Patterson, labor on fire apparatus..... 50
Collie Johnson, 5 hrs. lab., team..... 2 00
Joe Wingrove, 5 hrs. lab..... 75
Albert Malone, 5 hrs. lab..... 75
Bram Bowen, salary..... 10 00
A. Steinburst, rep. to fire app..... 90

J. E. Ballard printing, publishing and supplies..... 44 25
Moved by Marzinski, supported by VanHorn, that bills be allowed, and orders drawn for same.

Motion carried. Yeas, VanHorn, Lorenz, Marzinski, Groff, Hosbach. Nays, none.

On motion council then adjourned.

STEPHEN FERGUSON,
Mayor.

JOHN B. KING,
City Clerk.

STATUTORY MEETING, MAY 4, 1914.
Pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, the common council of the city of Tawas City met in the council rooms, Monday evening, May 4, 1914.

Called to order by Mayor Ferguson. Present, Ald. VanHorn, Lorenz, Marzinski, Groff, Hosbach, Clerk King. Quorum present.

Mayor Ferguson announced the following appointments:

City Attorney—N. C. Hartingh, sr.
Health Officer—C. V. Crane.
Chief Fire Department—B. C. Bowen.
Assistant Fire Department—John Paterson.

City Surveyor—J. M. Waterbury.
Marshal—Joseph Wingrove.
Street Commissioner—
Member Board of Public Works—G. A. Prescott.

Member Board of Cemetery Trustees—August C. Brown.

Moved by Lorenz, supported by Marzinski, that the appointments be approved.

Motion carried. Yeas, VanHorn, Lorenz, Marzinski, Groff, Hosbach. Nays, none.

On motion council then adjourned.

STEPHEN FERGUSON,
Mayor.

JOHN B. KING,
City Clerk.

From Producer to Consumer.

Postmaster General Burleson's scheme of bringing the producer and consumer together on the common ground of the parcel post system, has not met with the success it deserved. This is no fault of the department, it was a good move, and will develop gradually with great results, it is safe to predict. It is strange the public is so slow to take advantage of what will so obviously benefit everybody. There are many small farmers who have not much to sell at a time. They should be glad of a chance to get regular customers that they could send eggs, butter, chickens, etc., to direct, without the bother and expense of the commission man. It is hard to believe that any city housewife would prefer buying from the corner grocery than to get her produce direct from the country, and it must be only a question of time when the parcel post wagons will be the distributors of a large percentage of such commodities as can be handled in this way.—Ex.

Notice.

All holders of township orders on Sherman township are hereby notified to have their orders properly endorsed before presenting for payment or selling them to another person.

JOHN CROSBY, Clerk.

Old papers for sale at this office, 5c a bundle.

J. M. BOOMER & SON
CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS
PLASTERERS AND BRICKLAYERS
CEMENT BLOCK AND SIDEWALK WORK
All work done promptly and in workmanlike manner
TAWAS CITY MICHIGAN

H. M. BELKNAP & SONS
CIVIL ENGINEERS
WHITTEMORE, MICHIGAN
Land Surveying. Estimates furnished on all classes of engineering work. Maps, Plans, Profiles a speciality.

Tawas City Creamery
GEORGE FAHSELT, Proprietor
We pay the highest market price for cream at all times, and we assure our patrons of fair, honest treatment and prompt payment of all checks.
BUTTER DELIVERY
We will deliver butter to patrons of Tawas City and East Tawas on Wednesday of each week, and the prices will always be right.
TAWAS BUTTER CO.
CARL FAHSELT, Manager
Tawas City Michigan

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR
We have 100 barrels of Gold Medal Flour which we will sell while it lasts at the low price of
\$5.20 per barrel
This is your opportunity to lay in a stock of good flour at a price that will save you some money.
WILSON GRAIN CO.
Tawas City, Mich.

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Warm Weather
Has been with us a few days and is a reminder that cooler clothes are needed. We are well supplied.
Summer Underwear
Oxfords **Hats and Caps**
See the splendid assortment of
Fancy Parasols
Just received. All different colors and patterns.
Just the Thing for Graduation Presents
In order to give all a chance to observe the day
Our Store Will be Closed on Decoration Day

Our Contribution to Health
Swat the Fly
If you haven't one of our Fly Swatters call and get one free.

F. F. TAYLOR & CO.
PHONE 41 "High Quality at Low Price" TAWAS CITY

OUR SCHOOL COLUMN

Devoted to the Interests of the Schools of Iosco County

Civil Government.

- Grade Examination.
1. What is a constitution? A law? A bill?
 2. Give example of a direct tax—of an indirect tax. Explain your answer.
 3. What qualifications should a good supervisor have?
 4. Name and locate five educational institutions of Michigan.
 5. Name the governor of Michigan; your congressman.
 6. Why should party politics be laid aside in city, village or township government?
 7. How may a citizen show patriotism in everyday life?
 8. Explain what is meant by a "primary" election.
 9. What is a quorum? Majority? Plurality?
 10. Name the three departments of the United States government. Of what does each consist?

Questions for Boys' State Fair School.

Following are the questions which will be asked at the examination in agriculture for the Boys' State Fair School, to be held in Detroit, September 8, 9, 10, 11, 1914:

1. Where is the Agricultural College located?
2. Name a good daily ration for the dairy cow.
3. What products does the dairy farmer market?
4. Name six varieties of apples.
5. Why is a good road a good investment?
6. Name five breeds of beef cattle.
7. Which do you consider the most useful animal on the farm? Why?
8. Name five breeds of horses.
9. Name five breeds of swine.
10. Name five birds that are the farmers' friends. Why?
11. What is meant by a "grade animal"?
12. Why should trees be sprayed?
13. What is the best solution for San Jose scale?
14. Name five breeds of sheep.
15. Name five breeds of poultry.
16. Name five insect-pests that the farmer must fight. Tell what each attacks.
17. What is a Babcock tester?
18. What is meant by crop rotation?
19. Name a four-year rotation.
20. Name five organizations that benefit the farmer.

THOS. M. SATTLER,
Jackson, Mich.
Member in charge of Boys' State Fair School.

Tawas City High School.

Class day for the high school will be held on June 5 this year.

The Normal class entertained the senior class and the high school teachers at Tawas Point Wednesday afternoon. A pleasant time was enjoyed by those present.

The averages of the three members of the senior class contesting for the honor of being valedictorian were as follows: Mary Klisch, 95 68-100; Helen Buckle, 95 35-100; Bruce Campbell, 94 58-100. These averages are for the four years of high school study and show the close application of the students attaining them.

A Change in Arrangements.

I think a word of explanation is due the good people of Tawas City regarding high school class day, which is to be held much earlier than heretofore. It will be entirely an invited affair as well. Normal class day and the regular commencement exercises will occur the last week just the same as before.

During the past three years I have felt, and had that feeling strengthened by remarks from people of our city, that the last week of school was too hard for everybody concerned. Four nights in one week, when it is so warm, and everybody is worn out, is asking quite too much.

On account of the character of some parts of our class day program it will be impossible to give it, as we have planned, at the court house; so it will be given at the Star theatre. We feel that we want it to be an invited affair and, besides, our seating capacity will permit of nothing else. I further favor this plan because it will relieve the condition of having nearly one-fourth of the seats taken by children too small to get much out of the exercises. We cannot expect them to be perfectly quiet

and therefore they would be much better elsewhere.

I thoroughly believe that although this will not please all, it will please the majority. My only regret is that our place of holding it will not permit of every one attending.

F. BRADISH.

Junior Entertainment.

The High School juniors entertained the seniors and their teachers last Friday evening at the home of Mrs. H. Crandall. The rooms were prettily decorated with the class colors, yellow and white. Elena Groff took the classes through the kindergarten and the twelve grades with much credit to her executive and intellectual ability. Bessie Mark acquitted herself most creditably, and received a modern novel as a reward. Martin Musolf, an industrious but most unfortunate student, was presented an alphabet book, not because of his powers in letters, but merely to afford him occupation during moments of enforced idleness. The class organization was incomplete, but Miss Crandall made a very accurate and interesting historian, and Miss Brown gave a thrilling class prophecy. The dainty two-course supper was served by Edith Sawyer and Mina McCardell. The guests' favors were long-stemmed Persian tea roses.

Hale School Notes.

The following are the promotions for the year from chart class to first grade:

Edna Daley, Audrey Harris, Andrew Tottingham, Harry Hobart, Connie Nunn, Winnie Nunn, Dora Steinhoff.

First to second grade:—

Margery Moore, Leah Brown, Ida Putnam, Olive Lake, Agnes Humphrey, Roland Nunn, Paul Follette, Alice Rahl, Clayton Teall, Clifton Scully, Henry Curtis, Allen Kees, Jennie Gilson.

Second to third:—

Bertha Koehler, Mina Nunn, Carvel Nunn, Teddy Curtis, Faye Yawger, James Kees.

Third to fourth:—

Edgar Thornton, Carl Cowie, Donald Nunn, Harry Lake, Laverne LaLonde, Rosie Morrison, Hazel Burton, Margaret Follette, Lawrence Lake, John Follette, Howard Teall.

Following are the promotions in the grammar room:

Fourth to fifth:—

Donald Glendenin, James Daley, Charles Koehler, Florence Humphrey, Albert Dorsey, Frank Slosser, Ralph Gilson, Thomas Hill.

Fifth to sixth:—

Alice Shattuck, Germain Hill, Geo. Lake, Myron Van Wormer, Esther Hobart, Jesse Dickinson, Bernice Cowie, Ruby Love, Opal Nunn.

Sixth to seventh:—

Marion Jennings, Ruth DeLaad, Isabell Cowie, Clyde Montgomery, Bessie Daley, Pearl Rahl, Wilma Koehler, Thelma Humphrey, Helen Montgomery, Arthur Tottingham.

Seventh to eighth:—

Rex Jennings, Ashley Nunn, Vina Morrison, Charles Bills.

Eighth to ninth:—

Emma Nunn, Ruth Brown, Amy Thornton, Nettie Strong, Lillian Atkinson, Glenn Healy, James Ferris.

Ninth to tenth:—

Duell Pearsall, Clayton Jennings, Norman Glendenin, Merlin Sauve, James LeBerge, Ella Graves, Lottie Van Wormer, Luella Van Wormer, Muriel Daley.

Child Cross? Feverish? Sick?

A cross, peevish, listless child, with coated tongue, pale—doesn't sleep—eats sometimes very little, then again ravenously; stomach sour; breath fetid; pains in stomach, with diarrhea; grinds teeth while asleep, and starts up with terror—all suggest a Worm Killer—something that expels worms and almost every child has them. Kickapoo Worm Killer is needed. Get a box today. Start at once. You won't have to coax, as Kickapoo Worm Killer is a candy confection. Expels the worms, the cause of your child's trouble. 25c. Recommended by J. M. Wuggazer & Co. and Jas. E. Dillon. adv

Excursion to Bay City.

Tuesday, June 9th, on account of Jubilee day national meeting Knights of the Modern Maccabees. Excursion train leaves Tawas City at 9:30 a. m. Round trip rate, \$1.50. Children between 5 and 12, half fare. League base ball game. Grand parade. Prize drills. Band concerts. Many other attractions. The famous boys' band of Alpena will be on the excursion train and furnish music. See hand bills and D. & M. agents. adv-23

Old papers 5c bundle. Herald office.

OUR SCRAP BASKET

If—

Your garden is made and your house-cleaning has been done, it will be safe for you to feel well enough to go fishing. Decoration day is going to be all that it should be in Tawas City this year. We should all turn out and help observe it. That letter you mailed and never heard from had been posted in a printed envelope, you would not be wondering what became of it. Let us print you some.

Wise and Otherwise.

Just now, while the grass is struggling for a start, don't cut corners—either across one's yards, or across public property.

Present indications favor a big corn crop. Congress will now get busy discussing which party shall have the credit for it.

Some men try to attract attention by banging around town with their mufflers open. More sensible ones place an ad. in the Herald.

It is proposed to abolish secret sessions in the senate, but things can always be fixed up secretly, in the cafes. Most political frame-ups are born under the glare of electric lights, anyway.

Some Sweet Day.

In 1985, when we will have made our stake and can print a paper just as we please, our personal column will be a great deal more interesting than it now is. Specimen locals then to appear:

We are told that Abe Blatherskite attended church Sunday night. The report could not be confirmed.

If Mrs. John Idle were given half of her husband's cigar money she wouldn't be wearing a last year's hat this spring.

While the "visible" clothing of Mrs. Swell is the envy of every woman in town, her washerwoman informs us she could greatly reduce Mrs. Swell's social standing if she cared to tell tales out of school.

It is reported that Lizzie Blabbe is soon to wed. If marriage will stop her from gadding the streets from morning until night we hasten the glad day—extending heartfelt sympathy to the groom the while.

Mag Nogue is too big a girl to be running around town, barefoot, but if her father won't buy her clothes she can't help it. A bunch of strong men ought to take old man Nogue down the railroad track some night and tak to him by hand with a good deal of emphasis.

Of Interest to Women.

In separate waists transparency is the vogue.

All flower colorings are popular and pretty.

Crepe de chine is much used for all afternoon gowns.

The triumph of taffeta is proclaimed aloud by coats and skirts, ruffles and hats.

Contrary to the early prophecies the new hats are being worn high on the head.

In London evening gloves are worn of quite a decided color instead of white.

The little handbags carried in to dinner get smaller and smaller and even richer.

Fine dancing boots have their open fronts criss-crossed with embroidered leather.

A paste made of fine starch and a very little water spread on a bruised spot immediately after a blow will often prevent discoloration.

The chin strap of pearls fastened on the top of the head with a bunch of straight ostrich plumes is one of the new ideas in evening coiffure.

For street wear makers are showing many varieties of the inervness and military capes in epong, serge, gabardine, fancy fixtures, checks and small plaids.

Beauty and the Child.

"People who are pleasing to look at have no idea of their power over the young mind. It is an odd trait in the child's character that while he will positively adore an ugly, inanimate object, such as a battered wooden doll or the mere remnant of a horse, he will not forgive ugliness in a human being. It seems to outrage his sense of fitness."—Anonymous.

Absence of Mind.

You may set a man down as being somewhat absent minded if you see him—

Go into a barber shop, tuck a newspaper into his neckband and begin reading a towel.

Come home on a rainy night, put his umbrella to bed, and stand himself up in the sink to drip.

Go into church, lay a quarter down in the seat beside him and place his hat and coat on the contribution plate.

LEFT WEALTH TO LOVED ONE

Romantic Chapter of English History Revealed by Death That Has Recently Occurred.

A romance in the life of the Right Hon. C. P. Villiers, the statesman who represented Wolverhampton, England, in parliament for forty-five years and died in 1898, is recalled by the death of Mr. Hamilton Fane Gladwin of Seven Springs, Gloucestershire.

Mr. Villiers, who was born in 1802, was in his youth and middle age a strikingly handsome man, Sir Edward Russell, in his book of reminiscences, "That Reminds Me," says in allusion to him that "the duke of Buckingham was not the only Villiers who had a reputation for many amenities and fascination and kind reception by the fair." His personality attracted the only child and heiress of Mr. John Mellish of Hammels Park, Hertfordshire, who fell ardently in love with him.

The affection was not reciprocated, but nevertheless on her death Miss Mellish made Mr. Villiers her heir to the Hammels Park estate. He declined to touch the fortune, and lived on his pension as a former cabinet minister. At his death he passed the fortune intact to Mr. Fane Gladwin, who had married Miss Sophia Mellish, a distant kinswoman of the lady who had honored Mr. Villiers with her affection and her wealth. Mr. Gladwin leaves three sons and two daughters.

AINCE BELANGED TO BURNS

Hoot! Sic a Find! A Drinkin' Horn W' Doubtless Mony a Dram Took Out O'.

A Manchester man has informed the world that he has quite a lot of furniture that aince belanged to the poet, Burns. He has three tables, an armchair, a fiddle-back chair, an' a plain chair, a corner cupboard, a grandfather clock, an' a chest o' drawers. What a chance this is for the Burns clubs to distinguish themselves! There hasna been sic a Burns "find" sin' the poet left the lan' o' the livin', for, besides, the bits o' furniture there is a sword that the poet had when he was an exciseman, an' a drinkin' horn, that likely he took mony a dram out o'.

Say there ye are. The Manchester man has ever sae mony papers to prove that the things are the real MacKay. But why did they lie in Manchester until noo? Why didna the Manchester man tell lang ago that he had them, an' why did he no see their value frae the first? In a case o' this kind, I think the Burns clubs should test a' the proofs afore they spend any money. For there seem to be mair things connected w' Burns aboot than the poet could e'er hae had in his possession.—Montreal Star.

ACCOUNTED FOR.

"You mean to tell me you can't pay me any alimony?" said the enraged wife.

"No I can't" was the man's reply. "But when I married you I supposed you had a lot of money."

"I had then."

DOUBTFUL.

"Smith says he has his wife thoroughly tamed. Has he?"

"Well, I've seen her come up to him and take money out of his hand."

PROPER WAY.

"That girl of mine spends her whole time dressing up."

"Then what she needs is a dressing down."

A SURMISE.

"Why do they have such a laundry plant in this prison?"

"I suppose it is where they wash and iron the convicts."

ITS KIND.

"I see that trust is going to cut a melon."

"Judging from its stock, it must be a watermelon."

HORRIBLE CONFESSION.

"Are you an optimist?"

"No. What's the use of worrying yourself to death trying to find something to be cheerful for?"

LEAD IN LIFE INSURANCE.

The life insurance of the people of the United States is more than double that of all the other countries of the world combined.

The Intruder.
Sir Arthur Sullivan, of the famous Gilbert and Sullivan combination, loved to hang about the back of the dress circle a few nights after his first performances. One night he was rather taken with one of his tunes, and started humming the melody, when an angry patron cried out: "Silence! I came here to hear Sullivan's music, not yours."

Beauty in Mexico.

The beauty of the Mexican women consists in superb black eyes, fine and very abundant dark hair, lovely arms and extraordinarily beautiful hands and feet. The Indian women sometimes add to these points of beauty a perfect figure, dark but glowing complexion and teeth like snow.

Diamonds in a Vacuum.

A four or five carat diamond, if placed in a vacuum, emits as much light as a candle. And the color of the light varies with its facets. A ruby in a vacuum looks as if it was on fire. An emerald shines with a crimson glow.

Not a Sad Occasion.

Driggs—"What! Are you going to Mawker's funeral? I thought you made it a rule to associate only with superlatively happy people?" Griggs—"That's why I am going. You see, Mawker left a lot of money to his relatives."—Town Topics.

Disillusioned.

After a woman has been trotting in double harness for a few years it makes her fretful every time she sees a newly married couple making love.

Some Men Have It All.

A lucky shopkeeper at Brunswick who accepted a lottery ticket as payment for a hat from an impetuous customer, won a prize of \$70,000 in the lottery.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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Wood, Brick or Cement Construction. Special Attention to Stair Work and Interior Finish

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Planet Jr.

"makes it only play to work a garden"

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Circuit Court for the County of Iosco, in Chancery.
The Triangle Land Company, Complainant,

vs.
Harriet Crowl, Hiram Pollock, James A. Jackson, John H. Blomfield, William C. Chapman, Joseph Andrews, Ida W. Dawson, De Zapp, and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, representatives and assigns of Harriet Crowl, James A. Jackson and Ida Dawson De Zapp, Defendants.
Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Iosco in Chancery at Tawas City, Michigan, on the 4th day of April, 1914.

In this cause, it appears from affidavit on file that affiant after diligent search and inquiry, has been unable to ascertain the address or place of residence of Hiram Pollock, Complainant, and formerly of Bay City, Michigan, and it appearing from affidavit on file that the residences of Harriet Crowl, James A. Jackson, Ida Dawson De Zapp, Hiram Pollock and Joseph Andrews, Defendants, in this cause, it appears from affidavit on file that affiant after diligent search and inquiry the affiant has been unable to ascertain the same, and if dead, the affiant has been unable to ascertain the heirs, devisees, legatees, representatives and assigns of said Harriet Crowl, James A. Jackson and Ida Dawson De Zapp, and that all of said parties are necessary parties to this suit.

Therefore, on motion of Frederick E. DeCamp, Solicitor for the Complainant, it is ordered that the appearance of said Defendants, Harriet Crowl, James A. Jackson, Ida Dawson De Zapp, Hiram Pollock and Joseph Andrews, and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, representatives and assigns of Harriet Crowl, James A. Jackson and Ida Dawson De Zapp, be entered in this cause on or before the 31st day of August, A. D. 1914, in the case of their appearance, or the appearance of any of them, they respectively cause their answer to the Bill of Complaint to be filed and served on Complainant's solicitor within twenty days after service on him or them of a copy of said bill and notice of this order, and in default thereof said bill will be taken as confessed by the said Defendants affected by this order. And it is further ordered, that within twenty days the Complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed, published, and circulating in said county, and that said publication be continued therein once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that the Complainant cause a copy of this order to be personally served upon said Defendants affected by this order at least within the time above prescribed for their appearance.

NICHOLAS C. HARTBORN,
Circuit Court Commissioner,
Iosco County, Michigan.

Dated, April 7, 1914.
The above cause involves the title to the southwest quarter of northeast quarter section twenty-five, north half of southwest quarter section twenty-five, south half of southwest quarter section twenty-five, northeast quarter of northeast quarter section thirty-five and north half of northeast quarter section thirty-six, all in Town twenty-one, north Range six east, County of Iosco and State of Michigan, and suit is now pending in the above entitled cause to quiet title and remove cloud from the title to said lands.

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Notice of Road Job.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Board of County Road Commissioners of Iosco county for the dressing up of sub grade and hauling, spreading and rolling gravel on one mile (approximately) of Esmond county road. Road bed to be nine feet wide, and built according to specifications of State Highway Commissioner. Said road lies in township 23, north of range 5 east. Bids to be in the hands of Jno. A. Mark, clerk of board, not later than Tuesday, the 16th day of June, 1914, at 6 o'clock p. m. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Dated, Tawas City, Mich., May 20, 1914.

JNO. A. MARK,
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Whittemore and Vicinity.

M. Jensen was at Santiago on business Tuesday.

T. J. Spooner was at Tawas City on business Tuesday.

H. M. Belknap was at Tawas City on business Monday.

Dr. R. J. Smith left Tuesday to attend the grand lodge of Masons at Flint as delegate from Whittemore lodge.

Work has been commenced on an 18x24 foot addition to the Whittemore elevator, necessitated by the fast increasing business of this concern.

A good roads meeting was held here Monday evening to make plans for bee day, June 4 and 5. The attendance was not very large, but considerable enthusiasm was manifested.

S. G. Searight, optometrist, will be at the Star hotel, Whittemore, on Wednesday and Thursday, June 3 and 4, and will test your eyes and fit you with proper glasses at a reasonable price. adv

Hale and Vicinity.

A carload of wool was shipped from here this week.

W. W. Brown was a business visitor at Tawas City Tuesday.

E. B. Follett returned Wednesday after spending a few days of the week in Detroit.

Miss Emma LeClair left Wednesday morning for Alpena where she has gone to work.

Mrs. Walter West and son, Whiteley, arrived this week for a visit with relatives and friends.

John Coyle, who was once the M. E. minister of this place, is here renewing old acquaintances.

After teaching a successful term of school, Stanley Morrison gave a picnic at Londo Lake last Monday which finished the school year.

R. D. Brown has moved the post-office into the office building next door and has added a complete line of automobile and bicycle fixtures to his hardware stock.

Misses Florence Bovia and Susie Aeno, both of South Branch, have been here a number of days this week attending the Catholic services held in the town hall.

The promotion exercises given by Hale school at the Baptist church Wednesday evening were well attended. The program consisted of exercises and dialogues and the children acted their parts well. They rendered a good program.

Laidlawville Notes.

John Leggett spent Monday at Cedar Lake.

Considerable damage was done by last week's fires.

Chas. Zimmit of Alabaster visited at the parental home over Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Lake was a visitor at the home of Edw. Londo on Saturday.

Roy Smith of Grant was a Sunday visitor at the home of Malcolm McLeod.

Miss Hazel McLeod is home for the summer vacation after closing a very successful term of school.

Mrs. Malcolm McLeod visited at the home of Edward Londo of the Meadow road last Friday.

Claud Wheeler and wife, Mrs. Anna Yax and Miss Della Yax of the Towline drove to Naaman Frank's on Sunday. From there they all drove to Sand Lake. A very enjoyable time was had in spite of the rain.

South Branch.

Frank Trudell has a Ford auto.

Mrs. S. A. Robinson is home from Bay City.

Mrs. Dan Stewart spent Sunday in Tawas.

Listen for the wedding bells in the near future.

Jim Naylor visited his brother at Hillman last week.

Ernest Laurer visited his mother at Hale last Friday.

Will Wilson did business in Tawas City last Saturday.

Mrs. Elmer Becker went to Bay City Saturday to meet her husband who was coming home from Jackson where he has had employment.

Mrs. Lyman Johnson has moved to Maltby where her husband has employment with T. G. Wood.

Mrs. Basil Spurling and two children have gone to Carson City where Mr. Spurling has employment.

Lou Golden is home from Chicago and his mother, Mrs. George Golden, has returned to her home in Bay City.

Reno Rumbings.

Mrs. Brindley is very low.

Saturday is Decoration day.

Mrs. Williams is improving very slowly.

The rain was very much appreciated by every one.

Mrs. Joe Robinson has improved so as to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Very visited at Mr. Harsch's on Tuesday.

Mr. Girt of Toledo, Ohio has returned to his ranch for the summer.

Don't forget the date of the federation meeting at Whittemore, June 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Harsch were visitors at Whittemore Friday of last week.

Thos. Cooper and family of East Tawas visited at Ross Williams on Sunday.

Rev. W. R. Blachford will hold services at Taft next Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Chris Campbell of Whittemore is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Percy Allen.

A number of people from Hale and Whittemore attended the Sunday school social.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Warner are the proud parents of a baby girl, born May 22.

Mrs. William Brindley of West Branch is nursing her sister, Mrs. John Brindley.

Mrs. Parker returned to Robinson's mill after visiting her son, Wilber, for a few days.

The stork visited at the home of Percy Allen and left a baby girl May 25. Congratulations.

Jessie Johnson has left for Flint and Detroit where she will remain until August when she will return to teach at Hale.

The Episcopal Sunday school social held at the hall Thursday evening was well attended. The proceeds amounted to \$8.05.

Mr. Buschen has been receiving two carloads of gravel daily at Taft. This keeps four teams busy hauling. Looks like there is going to be some improvement.

A serious (?) accident happened near the Gleaner hall when four young people starting for Hale tipped the buggy over and the girls had to walk four miles.

Miss Jessie Johnson and Miss Bernice Robinson closed their school at Taft Friday. They served dinner at the school house. Besides the pupils, there were a number of parents and friends that joined in to make it a good time.

Wilber Warblings.

George Oliver of Detroit called on friends here Monday.

Don Thompson of Rose City called on friends here this week.

Miss Vivian Post of Onaway is the guest of the Misses Searle this week.

Wesley Searle came home from Prescott Saturday, and is spending the week at home.

Andrew Schaaf has lost a cow. The cow has been gone two weeks and still no trace of her.

Albert Thompson had a logging bee on Saturday of last week. He got a nice job done.

Geo. Judd and wife are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine baby boy, Sunday afternoon, May 24.

Miss Mary Searle returned home from Onaway last Saturday, having closed her school on Friday.

Miss Grace Birney closed her school on Friday in district No. 4, with a picnic near the school house.

Henry Thompson and wife returned Tuesday evening from the Bay City hospital. Mr. Thompson is still very weak.

August Leitz went to Detroit last Friday evening, returning Sunday morning in an auto with Henry Kaue.

Miss Jane Lavoi has returned to her home in Oscoda, after a two weeks visit at the home of Hank Styles.

Miss Laura Searle closed her school at Ellake on Friday with a picnic. Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Searle attended the closing exercises and Laura returned with them Friday evening.

Road Bee day, Thursday and Friday of next week (June 4 and 5). The work is to be done on the road between the postoffice and James Syme's corner, the new mile voted on. Everybody turn out. Ladies also are invited to come and serve free dinner for the men. The dinner will be served in the grove on the church grounds.

The school district No. 1 picnic on Friday last was well attended and

enjoyed by all. There were no graduating exercises this year for the first time since the high school was started. There was one tenth grade graduate, Miss Martha Stonehouse. She received her diploma, which the young lady is well worthy of for her faithful school work.

Hemlock Slivers.

Wm. Allen and wife were AuGres visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Jennie McArdle is home from Prescott for a few days.

The Misses Cavanaugh are spending a few days at the Crissman home.

Wm. Brown, who was kicked in the face last week by a colt, is getting along as well as can be expected.

The Hemlock schools closed Friday and Monday, and the teachers have all left for their respective homes.

JEHIEL KERN CRISSMAN

Was born in Washington township, Macomb county, Michigan, June 28, 1856—died at his farm home in Grant township Sunday night, May 24, 1914, being in his 58th year.

Mr. Crissman will be missed by his many friends, for although he was of a retiring manner, acquaintance with him meant friendship, so he leaves a host of friends to sympathize with the afflicted family. In early life he became a sincere Christian, a member of the Methodist church, which connection he honored by a consistent and unselfish life.

He was a member of Free and Accepted Masons, the Masonic Chapter, R. A. M., and the commandery of Knights Templar.

For many years he has been a great sufferer from the malady which finally caused his death. One spoke truly who said, "He never spoke of his ailments, he never courted sympathy, he always left cheer and encouragement wherever he had been. His faithful Christian life was an inspiration and benediction to the community."

The service at his late home was held Wednesday morning last at 8 o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. B. Brown and Rev. O. E. Moffet, Miss Bertha Cavanaugh singing the beautiful hymn, "Face to Face." Thence the body was borne by the relatives to Rochester, Michigan, to be interred in Mount Vernon cemetery.

Besides his wife and daughter, Laura, who survive him, there were present his sisters, Mrs. G. M. Flumorfelt of Clarkston, Mrs. W. T. Hosmer of Romeo, Miss Anna of Alpena, and Miss Jeanette of Lansing; his brother, H. B. Crissman of Goodison, and Mrs. Crissman's brother and sister, Mr. Orvy Hulett and Miss Cora Hulett of Armada, also the Misses Edith and Bertha Cavanaugh of Alpena.

The floral tributes were rare and numerous, bespeaking the warm love and esteem in which the deceased and his grieving family are held.

Sherman Shots.

Mrs. John Jordan was at Turner Monday.

Mrs. L. Beller was at Tawas City Thursday.

Albert Drager spent Sunday at Tawas City.

Wesley Goodwin was at Tawas City Tuesday.

Miss Eva Schneider was at Tawas City Thursday.

T. A. Wood was at Tawas City on business Friday.

Sim Pavelock was at Tawas City on business Monday.

Joe Smith was at Alabaster for a couple of days this week.

David Davison was in town on professional business Thursday.

Dr. Smith was called town Sunday night by the illness of Mrs. Charles Ruodes.

A. B. Schneider left Thursday for Calumet, where he was called on business.

Alfred Burt of Grant was visiting with his sister, Mrs. Frank Schneider, Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Figley, who has been at Saginaw for some time, is home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Streyer of Meadow road were visiting with relatives here last week.

Six couples from here went to Hale Tuesday night to attend a mission, given there by Rev. Faucher.

Joe Collins of Turner was in town Tuesday, and placed lightning rods on the house and barn of T. A. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Halstead and son of Flint are visiting at the home of Mrs. H.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kohn.

Emery Thomas and wife, who has been at Hartford, Conn., for the past

year, returned here Tuesday and will make this their future home.

Misses Kathryn Sands and Edna Gates of Tawas City were here last Tuesday to attend the picnic, which was given in school district No. 1.

Mrs. R. Watts will be at the residence of Mrs. Billings next Thursday, June 4, with a nice selection of ladies', misses and children's hats.

The township board of Alabaster met with the township board of Sherman last week for the purpose of adopting a drain application that is to run between the two towns, which they agreed to pass.

Miss Anna Sands closed a nine months term of school in district No. 1 Monday. She gave a school picnic Tuesday in Herman's grove, at which about 100 were present, and all enjoyed a fine day's outing. Monday night a surprise was given her at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kohn, and she was presented with a manure set by the district people. She has given splendid satisfaction to all. She has been hired to teach for the coming term.

Keystone.

Roland McMillan spent Sunday at home.

Rev. Hawkins was a caller at Keystone Monday.

Geo. Smart and N. Dale have exchanged farms.

Joe Dale was in Saginaw a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Nichols were at Turner Saturday.

Mrs. Albert Brown and son were at Whittemore Monday.

No church at the school house Sunday on account of the weather.

Miss McMillan spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Mrs. H. Nichols and little daughter, Myrtle, visited at Bert Dunnill's Sunday.

Miss Clara Smith left Friday for Detroit where she will visit her sister, Mrs. A. Wendt.

Bert Dunnill and wife also Cyrus Bidwell visited at the home of Hugh McMillan's Thursday evening.

Rev. Jackson of Cedar Valley held baptismal services at the Keystone dam Sunday. Five converts were baptised, making the total number baptised since May 3, eighty-five.

Ellake Echoes.

Mr. Short expects to move to Hillman.

George Van is working in his shop again.

Claud Vosburg was in Saginaw last week.

David Stort has sold his farm to Dan Pilmore.

Mr. Pilmore went to Bay City the last of the week.

Mrs. Steadman of Midland is visiting Mrs. Henry Ballard.

Mr. Hicks and daughter, Dorothy, went to Toledo last Thursday.

George McCloud came home last week from Detroit, where he has been employed.

Mr. Goring is packing up, getting ready to move to Detroit, where he expects to live with a daughter.

Our school closed last Friday with a picnic. Everyone there enjoyed it, and those who were not there missed a good time. Mr. and Mrs. Searle of Wilber, our teacher's parents, came over to attend the picnic, and took

Miss Searle home with them in the evening. This has been a banner year for our school, the most successful term ever taught at Long Lake Lake school, and we were very sorry to find Miss Searle had been hired in her home school, and can only wish her as much success in the coming year.

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It is said that the London Metropolitan railway has fireproofed all its rolling stock without the elimination of woodwork and the structural and decorative advantages which woodwork affords. The method of fire proofing is the same as that now being employed by the admiralty. This consists of the impregnation of the pores and fibers of the wood with chemicals such as render the wood absolutely flameproof. Wood so treated is said to lose none of its natural characteristics and has no harmful effect upon glues, nails, varnishes or metal fixings with which is may be brought in contact.

THE ROAD TO RUIN.

"They tell me the Wise Guy failed in the hosiery business and is down and out," said the Boob. "What caused it?"

"He guaranteed boys' stockings to wear for a month," replied the Grouch.

PAW KNOWS EVERYTHING.

Willie—Paw, what is a model husband?

Paw—A model husband, my son, is a man who knows he can't have his own way and pretends the other way is his.

THE DEFINITION.

"What do they mean by a superman, anyhow?"

"One of the extra fellows they hire on the stage, of course."

WOULD SEEM SO.

"Do you believe that the world likes to be humbugged?"

"Well, every fortune teller I can call to mind is fat."

NATURAL RESULT.

"How is the new superintendent getting on at the lunatic asylum?"

"Finely; they're all just crazy about him."

Uplifting Drama.

It ought not to be very difficult to elevate the stage. It has wings and flies.—Christian Register.

Seldom.

Whisky gets the blame for most of the crimes that are committed and it seldom succeeds in proving an alibi.

What Concerned Him.

A little boy rolled down the stairs to his mother's feet. While she stood horror-stricken he hurriedly picked himself up, felt in his trousers pocket, then said, in consternation, "Gosh, I lost that penny!"

Good Advice.

An editor, in reply to a young writer who wished to know which magazine would give him the highest position quickest, advised "a powder magazine, especially if you contribute a fiery article."

What Man Escapes.

Women may have a sense of humor. But if a man wore a section of elevator cable around his neck, and fastened onto it a can-opener, a young monkey-wrench, an ice-pick, a whiskey-desk, a screw-driver and a sardine-can, he wouldn't have nerve enough to call the mess his vanity outfit.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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