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HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

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

Election next Monday.
Fire Insurance, Henry Hanson. adv
Mrs. N. D. Murchison was a Bay City visitor Wednesday.
John Alstrom left Monday for Traverse City for a few days visit with his brother.
Suple Brabon left last Saturday for a ten days visit with his son, John, at Newberry, U. P.
Will Tanner of McMillen has been a guest at the home of his uncle, Clark Tanner, this week.
Dr. A. B. Carson, dentist, is at his office in Tawas City every day of the week. Phone 44-W. adv
Rev. Theodore Wuggazer of Reese has been the guest of his brother, J. M. Wuggazer, this week.
If you are not already registered, letter see to it tomorrow if you want to vote at the election next Monday.
Wm. McFarlane of Oscoda was in the city Wednesday attending a meeting of the county poor board, of which he is a member.
If you wish a new hat for Easter call on Mrs. A. W. Colby. She has a nice selection of up-to-date styles and shapes, and can give you something you will like. adv
The baseball boys of the Hemlock road will give an ice cream social at the Orange hall on Friday, April 9, for the purpose of buying new uniforms. Everybody cordially invited.
A dancing party will be held at the Star theatre, Tawas City, on Monday evening, April 5. Good music and good order, and a pleasant time is promised. Admission 75 cents. adv14
N. Luke, proprietor of the Palace roller skating rink at East Tawas, will leave Saturday with his family for Prescott, where he expects to remain until September, when he will return to East Tawas and reopen the rink there.
Bert Stickney received notice this week that he had been appointed to the position of forest patrol on the Silver Creek reserve in this county. He will assume his duties in the position as soon as the spring work on the range begins.
The annual banquet of the Iosco County Democratic Club will be held at the Iosco hotel, Tawas City, on Friday evening, April 9. E. O. Wood of Flint and Charles W. Hitchcock of Bay City are among the outside speakers who will be present.
We publish in another column an interesting letter from Thos. N. McGill, a former Tawas City resident, now in Vancouver, Wash. The weather for the past week makes us think that the people in Washington have a little the best of us on climate just at present.
The rural carries began yesterday, April 1, to weigh all mail carried on the routes out of Tawas City. Patrons of the routes are requested to get their letters and packages in as early as possible, so that the carriers may not be delayed in starting on their trips each morning.
Easter services in the Tawas City Methodist church commence with a sunrise prayer meeting at 6:30 a. m. The Easter service with sermon at 10:00 a. m. The young people will have charge and furnish program for the evening service at 7 p. m. All services on standard time. Everybody welcome.
John A. Mark, secretary of the Chautauqua association received this week from the Central Chautauqua System the dates on which the Chautauqua will be held in this city next summer. The dates are August 23 to 27, inclusive. These dates will be much better than those accorded us last year, and will make it much more convenient for the country people who wish to enjoy the benefits of the Chautauqua.
A letter from Amie Berube, a former East Tawas resident, conveys to us the sad news of the death of his wife, which occurred on Tuesday, March 30, at 4:30 p. m., after an illness of 14 months. The deceased was the mother of nine children, seven of whom, with the sorrowing husband, are left to mourn her loss, two having died. The sympathy of many friends in the Tawas will go out to the bereaved family in their hour of sorrow.

Next Sunday is Easter.
A. W. Black, fire insurance. adv
J. A. Campbell visited the schools at Oscoda Monday.
W. M. Taylor left Wednesday evening for Lansing on a few days business trip.
Mrs. H. E. Downer left Thursday for Owndale, where she was called by the death of her niece.
Miss Ola Peck of Bay City came Wednesday for a weeks visit with her parents on the Townline.
J. M. Wuggazer left Wednesday evening for Reese for a few days visit with his brother, Theodore.
The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Margaret Bigelow on Thursday, April 8.
Mrs. Wm. Young of Manistee is the guest of her daughter, Miss Elsie Young, the normal principal, this week
Julius Hartman of Tawas township left Thursday for Swink, Colo., where he will make an extended visit with his son. He may decide to locate there.
The W. W. class of the M. E. S. S. will hold a cake and candy sale at E. H. Buch's store on Saturday, April 3, 1915. Proceeds for missionary collection. adv
Potatoes taken in on Monday of each week at the Michigan Cereal elevator. Balance of week by appointment. Call 57-W, 2 rings. W. M. McCaskey. adv
Last Sunday this section of the country suffered one of the most severe wind storms of the winter. The wind was accompanied by snow and amounted to a regular blizzard.
Mrs. Burley Wilson returned Wednesday night from several weeks visit with her sister at Valley Center. She was accompanied by her niece, Frieda Hagadorn, who will visit here for a time.
Dr. W. N. Yeager announces that he will be at his office in Tawas City during the forenoon on Friday, April 9th. Those wishing dental work done will please call at this time. Watch for further announcement. adv
The Herald force has been exceptionally busy this week with the pre-election work for a large number of the townships of the county. This is one of the busiest times of the year, and we have therefore not had the time to devote to our news columns, which are therefore somewhat abbreviated this week.

THE HOODOO TO BE REPEATED.
The home talent play, "The Hoodoo," which was presented at the Star theatre March 8 for the benefit of the Baptist ladies society, will be repeated next Tuesday, April 6, for the benefit of the Tawas City Lyceum association to assist in making up the deficit on this year's course.
This play is said to be the best home talent play ever presented in Tawas City and should draw a good attendance at its repetition. The admission will be 15 cents, 25 cents and 35 cents. Reserved seats may be obtained at F. F. Taylor's store.
Mrs. Walker Passed Away.
Mrs. Martha Walker, mother of Mrs. A. A. Elsworth passed away at the home of her daughter last Sunday afternoon, March 21st after an illness of ten days duration. Lung trouble was the direct cause of the lady's death. Mrs. Walker had made her home with her daughter here for the past two years and had made many warm friends. Hers was a beautiful character and a bright spot in the home in which she lived and where she was devoutly loved. Her death is a sad one to those who are left to reverse her memory. Short services were held at the home Monday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Aaron Mitchell, assisted by a choir composed of Mrs. Olaf Michelson, Mrs. T. W. Hanson and C. J. Hathaway. The remains were taken to the old home at Hubbardston, Mich., Tuesday morning for burial.—Crawford Avallanche.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.
April 4, 1915 6:30 o'clock A. M.
Topic—(Easter) The Promise of Immortality.
Leader—Mr. A. W. Colby.
This will be the only meeting in the city at that hour and the entire public is invited to worship with us. A violin solo will open the meeting at 6:30 o'clock standard time.
Last Sunday evening's discussion was very well presented by all who took part and much good was derived therefrom.
Seventy-one people out to League. The Reds crept up closer to the Blues and now but three points separate the sides. The contest has been suspended over Easter but will be continued the Sunday following.
The League has invited the Christian Endeavor for Sunday morning and we have been invited to worship with them at 6 o'clock in the evening.
Tho'ts.
Consecration Sunday.
Give a white man's chance to the red men and the black men.
Are we not acting toward the two colors as did the older time Jews toward the despised "Gentiles"?
More of the William Penn policy toward the Indians would accomplish more good than the policy of reservation.
Tho a man's skin is not white he has a soul to save.

HELP TAWAS GROW BY RESOLVING.
That you will keep so busy boosting that you won't have time to knock.
That you will vote, talk and work for a bigger, better, brighter town.
That you will help to make this a good town so the town can make good.
That you will increase the value of your property by improving its appearance.
That you will say something good about this town every time you write a letter.
That you will invest your money here where you made it and where you can watch it.
That you will not point out the town's defects to a stranger nor fail to point them out to a neighbor.
That you will keep your premises cleaned up and your buildings repaired as a matter of both pride and profit.
That you will brag about this town so much that you have to work for this town in order to keep from being a liar.
That you will take a half day right now to pick up the odds and ends around the place and turn them into either use, money or ashes.
That you will contribute as much money as you can afford and as much enthusiasm as anybody, to any movement to develop the town's resources.
That you will make friends with the farmers, if a town man, or with the town folks, if a farmer, and help work together for the good of the community of which this town is the center.

LISTEN, MOTHER.
Just look around the house, down in the cellar, up in attic, out in the yard, in the stable or loft—everywhere—and see how many things, useless to you and yours, are lying about, cluttering up the place.
Every apparently useless article is worth money—hard, spot cash.
There is more stuff—cast off unused—around most homes than would, if sold, clothe one or two persons for a year.
Make a tour of the house. Make out a list of the things you do not want and never will want. Mark down the very lowest cash price you will take for the things. Add up the figures and the total will surprise you.
Now to turn these useless things into money for yourself.
Fix up a little ad, something like this:
"For Sale—Second-hand stove, bureau, bedstead, churn, three upholstered chairs, quantity of clothing, several bags of rags etc. Mrs. Mary J—, Madison St., Blankville."
Send the ad to us. It will cost 5 cents a line to put it in the paper one week.
Just for fun take that trip around the place and see what a lot of things you can turn to money.
Notice of Road Closing.
As I have purchased the land through which it runs, the road leading from Laidlawville into the plains will be closed from the first of May on.
Frank Lange adv

FROM THOS. N. MCGILL.
Vancouver, Wash., March 21, 1915.
Mr. James Ballard,
Tawas City, Mich.
Dear Sir:—You will find enclosed post office order for \$1.50 to pay for the Herald, for I do not want to forget it. I look for it every week and I am never disappointed. I generally get it on Monday forenoon. I like to see what is going on in the old town and county, for I have a lot of good friends around there.
I will soon be here one year. I got here the last week in April, and it seems to be the shortest year I ever lived in my life. I am in love with the place. It is not so warm in summer here as it is there and the nights are generally cool, and there is no winter to speak of. We had a little cool weather in December; it froze for about a week, but never got lower than 21 above, and that was only one night. We got snow once then, but just enough to look like a white frost. We have had fine weather here for the last month or two.
There are lots of little truck farms around this place where they raise all kinds of garden vegetables; mostly owned by Chinamen, and they plant early and raise two crops on the same land each year. I see acres of cabbage plants set out January 9th and they plant potatoes in January. I see lots of green stuff now and the fruit trees are in blossom. I will send you a few blossoms in this letter. I have two lots where I live and I have all the spare room planted, and I rented two vacant lots close to me and have started to plant it. I am going to plant cucumbers tomorrow. I have some potatoes, beets, onions, radish and peas planted now. I planted some potatoes on Washington's birthday. I am going to try and raise enough vegetables for myself. They plant from January to June here and I see one man planting some potatoes last fall in his garden, so that he would have early potatoes. Some of them leave potatoes in the ground all winter, but they got fooled this winter for most of them were froze, but they say it never happened before.
This is a fine place to live, but I would not advise any one to come here to look for work. Two or three years ago times were good. They paid \$3.00 a day for common labor and men scarce at that. They only work eight hours here for a day, but times have been dull, not much doing. But things look better this spring. They have started building a lot of stone roads and are starting to build a steel bridge across the Columbia river. It will be a long job. They claim it will take 2 to 3 years. It will be near four miles long as there is a long way low land on the other side of the river. Well I must wind up for this time. Give my respects to all inquiring friends and accept the same yourself.
Yours truly,
Thos. N. McGill,
Vancouver, Wash., 1601 B street.

COMMON SENSE.
Longfellow could take a piece of paper and write a poem on it and make it worth \$65,000—that's genius. There are some men who could write a few words on a piece of paper and make it worth \$8,000,000—that's capital. The United States can take an ounce and a quarter of gold and make it worth \$20—that's money. A mechanic can take material worth \$5 and make it into watch springs worth \$1,000—that's skill. There is a man in Chicago who can take a fifty cent piece of canvas, paint a picture on it, and make it worth \$1,000—that's art. A Greek can take an article worth 75 cents and sell it for \$1—that's business. A woman could purchase a hat for 75 cents but prefers one worth \$27—that's foolishness. A ditch digger handles several tons of earth for \$1.50 a day—that's labor. The author of this can write a check for \$9,000,000, but it wouldn't be worth it—that's rough. There are people who will tell you that other papers are as good as this—that's nerve. Take \$1.50 and get a year's subscription to the Herald—that's common sense.
Wise or Otherwise.
How much larger church collections would be if contribution plates gave trading stamps.
Some men are kept poor, because they have so many loving friends.
When a man gives himself away, who can blame him for feeling cheap?
If you must put off until tomorrow, let it be that thing that you ought not to do at all.
Our idea of a brave man is one who has the courage to award a prize at a baby show.

DEATH OF SOLAN HALE.
Solan Hale, a former resident of East Tawas died at his home in Alpena Thursday morning at 6 o'clock. The cause of death was typhoid pneumonia and the deceased had been ill only one week. He was a visitor in this city only two months ago and was in robust health at that time. His age was about 53 years. Solan Hale came to East Tawas when about 17 years of age. He worked for a time as clerk in his brother Eugene Hale's store in this city. The past twenty years he has been employed as a railroad engineer.
While in East Tawas he married Miss Laura Dimmick of this city, a sister of Mrs. E. L. King. About twenty years ago she passed away. Mr. Hale then went to Alpena and was united in marriage with Miss Mary Loetke of that city. Two children were born to this union.
A wife and two daughters Grace and Helma of Alpena and a sister Grace Hale of Houston, Texas, are left to mourn his loss. He also leaves a nephew Warren Hale, two nieces Helen and Mary Hale of this city, besides a niece in Grand Rapids and another in Texas.
Helen, Mary and Warren Hale and Mrs. Sadie Barbour of this city will attend the funeral at Alpena.

THE FREAK LEGISLATOR.
Every year sees the introduction of freak bills into the legislatures of one or more states, but the spring of 1915 seems to have capped the climax. The freak legislators have run mad. Hardly a state has escaped. It is the fashion of the press to poke fun at Kansas, which may be depended upon to come to the front with something foolish in the way of legislation. And although the Sunflower state has lived up to her glowing reputation in the present session, her companions in the scrocity of states have not fallen far behind. Most of the new laws have been introduced for the purpose of prohibiting something or other. Here are a few, culled from one day's exchanges.
To prohibit the catching of frogs. Minnesota.
To prohibit the use of face powder, rouge, hair dye or bleach, the piercing of ears and the wearing of earrings. Kansas.
To compel chickens to go to roost before 7 p. m. To provide that bulls driven along the road at night shall wear lights. Colorado.
Providing that all weeds and plants which cause hay fever shall be removed from the roadsides. Bachelors to pay an annual tax of \$5 per head. Prohibiting the wearing of whiskers by doctors and dentists. Mass.
Compelling the National Guard to do ninety days work each year on the roads and bridges of the state. Requiring dealers in stock foods to pay an annual license of \$25 a year. Prohibiting free lunches. Neb.
Compelling churchgoers to leave their firearms outside. Texas.
Prohibiting treating. Prohibiting the giving of tips to barbers, waiters, porters, hat snatchers, etc. Taxing bachelors of 30 years of age, \$50 per annum. Licensing cats \$1 per head per annum. Ill.
To furnish lumber jacks with individual bathtubs. Minn.
Establishing a uniform thickness of sleigh runners. N. Dak.
Prohibiting a man from becoming a "ball-dodger" i. e. allowing persons to throw base balls at one's head, for hire. N. Y.
Limiting each resident of the state to one gallon of "corn licker" a month. S. C.
Prohibiting the smoking of cigarettes by school, normal and university instructors. Wis.
Prohibiting the publication of liquor advertisements in the newspapers of the state and calling for the destruction of all such advertisements in papers printed outside of the state before such papers are sold. Ala.

EAST TAWAS DEPARTMENT
Devoted to the General and Personal News of the Week From Our Neighboring City on the East

Mrs. Fred Randolph was a Bay City visitor last Tuesday.
Arthur Wyman was in Bay City on business last Saturday.
Misses Ruth Deacon and Jane Larmer were Bay City visitors last Saturday.
Mrs. Joseph Mitchell and two daughters were visitors in Bay City last Saturday.
The annual meeting of the L. L. C. will be held next Wednesday afternoon at the club rooms.
Miss Genevieve Taylor left Monday morning for Bay City where she will visit with friends for a week.
Mrs. Alva Misener leaves for Saginaw this Friday morning, where she will visit her sister for a few days.
Mrs. C. E. Phillips returned home last Saturday from Bay City, where she had been visiting with relatives.
Mrs. Lyman McAuliff left for Mt. Clemens last Friday, where she will remain for a time for medical treatment.
A committee of about seven or eight ladies will entertain the members of Irene Rebekah lodge next Wednesday evening.
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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stoore came up from AuSable Wednesday evening and will spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton.
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Mrs. G. M. Staudacher and family are preparing to leave in a few weeks for AuGres, where Mr. Staudacher is employed as manager of a large department store.
The skating rink closed last Wednesday evening for a period of four months. Mr. and Mrs. Luke will leave for Prescott soon where they will make their home for a time.
Mrs. W. B. Piper came home last Tuesday from New York where she has been visiting with relatives and friends for a season. She was met at Bay City by her sister, Mrs. W. B. Murray.
The entertainment given last Monday evening by Miss Irma Dillon's Sunday school class at the M. E. church, was a decided success and well attended, and did credit to the participants.
Miss Edith Davey, teacher in the schools at AuSable, was in Bay City the fore part of the week visiting at the home of her brother, George. She is now enjoying her vacation at her home in this city.
A number of Irene Rebekah friends gave a farewell surprise for Mrs. David McVicar last Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Henry Misener. Mrs. McVicar was presented with a beautiful piece of jewelry.
Christ church services. Holy week—litany and penitential office, Wednesday, 3:30; holy communion, Thursday, 9:00; Good Friday—morning prayer, 9:00; passion service, 1:30; evening prayer, 7:00; Easter Day—holy eucharist, 7:30; holy eucharist, with sermon, 10:00; children's service, 3:00; evensong, 7:00.
Last Thursday evening a class of twenty was initiated into the Macca-bees. About sixty members were present, besides visitors from Oscoda and Tawas City lodges. Mrs. Anna Kirby, Deputy Great Commander from Illinois was present and gave a very interesting address on Macabee work. Mrs. Kirby is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Culham of Tawas City. Mrs. John Johnson, who has been the finance keeper for many years, was presented with some beautiful china, as this was her last meeting with the members, she having resigned, as they would move on the county farm in a few days. Miss Lillian Mattson was elected as finance keeper and was duly installed by Deputy Great Comander, Mrs. Kennelly. After the evening's work an excellent supper was served and all reported having spent a pleasant evening.

To the Electors of Iosco County.
I am a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Schools.
If elected I pledge myself to do all in my power to faithfully discharge the duties of the office.
Respectfully,
J. A. Campbell.
For County Road Commissioner.
I wish to announce to the electors of Iosco county that I am a candidate for the office of county road commissioner at the election to be held April 5. Your support will be appreciated.
adv. C. W. Luce.

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JOHN COWAN, DECEASED.
Last Friday afternoon the remains of John Cowan were brought to East Tawas for burial. The deceased passed away last Wednesday March 24, at his home in Detroit. The cause of death was pneumonia. He was born in Port Huron, but came to this city when a young man, and was married here to Miss Mary Cameron of this city. She died in 1887 in this city. He was married again in 1889 to a sister of Charles Curry of this city. While here Mr. Cowan was the proprietor of the Strong House.
John Cowan was about sixty years of age at the time of his death. The remains were laid at rest in the East Tawas cemetery.

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THE RAILROAD RATE INCREASE.

The railroads of Michigan are making a desperate attempt to persuade the present legislature to grant them the right to raise the rate of passenger fares from the present figure of two cents per mile to two and one-half cents. Big roads and little roads, good roads and bad roads, rich roads and poor roads, all have joined hands in the attempt to place a heavier burden upon the traveling public, that the stock and bond holders may reap a larger revenue from their holdings.

The initiator in this movement was taken by the Pere Marquette, the most notoriously over-capitalized corporation in Michigan. For years this railroad has been made the plaything of the capitalists who control its destinies, and has furnished vast fortunes for a large number of financiers who cared nothing for the welfare of the road or the comfort of its patrons, so long as it could be made to produce an immense revenue to swell the coffers of said financiers. Millions have been spent for small properties that were only worth thousands, the difference going into the pockets of those who engineered the deal. And now, when the road has reached a point where dividends cannot be paid on this immense over-capitalization, the receivers of the road are begging the public to allow itself to be taxed more heavily that the dividends of those who hold the bonds and mortgages may still be forthcoming.

And like pigs at the trough, the rest of the railroads of the state have joined in the plea to be allowed to increase their revenues at the public expense. The legislature has been flooded with figures intended to prove that the railroads were losing money on their passenger traffic, and every influence possible has been brought to bear to influence the solons to grant their petition. It has even been intimated that the railroads have raised a slush fund of \$100,000 to be used in influencing legislation in their behalf, and a committee has been appointed by the legislature to investigate the charge.

The latest developments in the case, however, indicate that the legislature is not inclined to grant the increase asked without a full and exhaustive investigation of the statements made by the railroads, and it is altogether probable that the question will go over for another two years.

While the railroads have been conducting this campaign, and have been putting forth every effort, the people of the state have stood idly by and watched, without putting forth an effort to stay the proceedings. The legislature is composed of men elected by the people, and if the people wish to have a voice in the affair every voter should write his representative and state senator stating his attitude on the question. Your representatives at Lansing cannot be expected to know what you think unless you tell them, and after the matter is settled will be a very poor time to register your opinion.

Write your senator and representative now, today, and tell them what you think of the question and how you expect them to vote on the rate increase if it should come to a vote in the legislature.

ALTITUDES IN MICHIGAN.

During the course of its areal surveying in Michigan, the United States Geological Survey, in co-operation with the Michigan Geological and Biological Survey, has determined the altitudes or exact elevations above mean sea level of a large number of points in the State. These are described in Bulletin 559, which has just been issued by the Federal Survey, and which contains a list of more than 900 exact elevations determined in 1911 and 1913, and includes also elevations adjusted by the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey. In addition there is a list of more than a hundred "secondary" or approximate elevations, including altitudes of well-known summits and water-surface elevations of prominent lakes.

Bulletin 559 should be of considerable importance to engineers and surveyors and others who require starting points for accurate work. In fact, the bulletin is a guide to the bench marks that have been set by the Geological Survey, as the numbers stamped on the bench marks usually represent the elevations to the nearest foot.

The highest point noted in the bulletin is at Frost Junction, in Houghton County, and is 1,407 feet above mean sea level.

A copy of the bulletin may be obtained free on application to the Director of the United States Geological Survey, Washington, D. C.

SIGNPOSTS OF PROGRESS

The steel trust spends \$750,000 a year in safety devices.

There are more than 100,000 cloak-makers in New York City.

Belfast last year sold 1,902 tons of thread to the United States.

A little less than 40 per cent of Canada's export business is done with the United States.

British oceanography expedition will travel 21,000 miles on its sea-charting expedition in the next six years.

Allowing for losses in slack season, three-fourths of the women workers in New York city receive less than \$400 a year.

Mrs. Clara S. Butler of Cleveland, Ohio, has invented and patented a device which eliminates the harsh metallic sounds in a phonograph.

A Berlin professor estimates the commercial value in electricity of a flash of lightning lasting for one-thousandth of a second at 29 cents.

The parcel post system has been established between the United States and Apla, the rates being the same as from the United States to Germany.

Jamaica produces a great variety of hardwood trees. Lists of its timbers, classified according to the suitability of the timbers (113 in all) have been printed in a bulletin issued by the department of agriculture.

An industrial community not to be surpassed anywhere else in the world is revealed in New York by the census bureau report upon gainful occupations. An army corps of carpenters, three corps of salesmen, one of seamstresses, three of domestic servants—in all, 2,152,433 persons, or 45.2 per cent of all—were engaged in wage-earning occupations in 1910.

CURIOUS CONDENSATIONS

Of 135 nitrate works in Chile, 16 are controlled by Americans.

The paving of streets with wooden blocks originated in Russia.

Leeds, England, employs 40,000 persons in its clothing industry.

France yearly exports 2,400 tons of candied fruits, worth \$800,000.

Two-thirds of the world's total beet-root crop is used for making sugar.

German child labor laws define children as boys and girls less than thirteen years of age and those older who still attend school.

According to a recent issue of the Statist (London), British capital invested in Mexico at the end of 1913, exclusive of a large amount of private capital, aggregated \$481,875,950.

Between 30,000 and 40,000 Sicilians emigrate from Palermo to the United States each year, and in the course of time almost all of them go back permanently or for a visit.

SCIENCE NOTES

German passenger dirigibles carried 10,291 persons on regular trips last year without killing or injuring one of them.

Electrical machinery is used almost exclusively in a Philadelphia ice cream factory that turns out 10,000 quarts a day.

Ever since 1907 there has been a steady yearly increase in the value of the gold output of the Klondike region, the figure for 1912 being \$5,225,235.

The four largest gas chandeliers ever built have been installed in an auditorium at Atlanta, Ga., each giving 10,980 candlepower of light from 15 lamps.

OPTIMISTIC FACTS

The majority of men who borrow money return it.

There are more decent people in the world than all the other kinds combined.

The fact that dishonesty seems to prosper corrupts only a few.

If virtue were as unusual as vice it would get just as much publicity.

TANGOED PROVERBS

Those who live in dance houses are more skin and bones.

He who hesitates is lost—when the orchestra is playing a one-step.

Tango and the world tangoes with you—dance and you dance alone.

It is better to have dipped and slipped than never to have dipped at all.

Early to bed and early to rise makes a man healthy—but he'll ne'er tangoise.—Addison Lewis, in Smart Set.

OUR SCHOOL COLUMN

Devoted to the interests of the Schools of Iosco County

STATE FAIR QUESTIONS.

Michigan State Fair, held at Detroit, Michigan, September 15th to 20th, 1913. Examination in agriculture for Boys' State Fair school, held in Detroit, September 16, 17, 18, 19, 1913.

1. Where is the Agricultural college located?
2. Name five good foods 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.

Tawas City School Notes.

Marion Buckle and Emma Bygden have returned after a week's illness. Supt. Mitchell of the East Tawas school visited the high school Tuesday morning.

Basil Quick and Clifford Davis who have been absent from school on account of mumps have returned.

Russell Birney, Paul Groff, Joe Brabant, and Arthur Gaul, former students, visited the high school and normal Friday afternoon.

The children of the primary room have been studying Holland and making a Dutch scene on the sand table. In connection with their study of cloth manufacturing, Mrs. Kerzski spun for half an hour.

On March 19 and 26 the mothers of the children in the primary room met at the high school to consider organizing a Mother's club. Plans were made for another meeting April 9. At this time officers will be elected and a permanent organization formed. It was decided to extend an earnest invitation to all those interested in children whether mothers, teachers, or friends of the school to join this club. The following questions will be discussed at the next meeting: "How early should the child begin his schooling?" by Mrs. Swem, and "What should the primary school do for the child?" by Miss Bard. After this the mothers have planned for a short social time at which the normal students will serve light refreshments.

Alabaster School Notes.

This is report card week. Several are still on the sick list. John Mielock is the only one that has solved the puzzle which L. H. Emerson sent down.

The ninth grade have completed English composition and are now studying Ivanhoe.

The pupils of the intermediate room are making Easter booklets during the drawing period.

The sixth grade reading class began reading the classic "King of the Golden River," Tuesday.

A collection of 84 books has arrived and 25 more are expected presently by School district No. 1.

The pupils of the intermediate room received a sample package of Grape Nuts and Postum last Wednesday and also have an exhibit chart of grape nuts, Post Toasties and Postum.

L. H. Emerson of Tawas City has consented to give a display of his vocal features and also some of his backward writing between the acts of the play, "Count of No Account," to be given April 9th by the Alabaster high school.

Paid the Mourners.

The little town of Isle-sur-Seine, France, saw a very popular funeral recently when the remains of an old maid, scarcely known except to her immediate neighbors, were escorted to the cemetery by nearly one thousand mourners. The story had gone abroad that the old lady left instructions in her will to distribute a small sum to each person who should see her buried, at the gates of the cemetery after the ceremony. For this purpose she collected 100 five-penny pieces, and also set apart \$20 for the funeral music accompanying her hearse. These stipulations were scrupulously carried out, and after being played into the cemetery with all the famous dead marches, the mourners indulged in such a contest for the small coins at the gate that a strong force of police, gathered in anticipation, had to interfere to restore order.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF CITY OF TAWAS CITY 1914-1915.

CONTINGENT FUND.

Receipts.	
Tax rolls 1914	\$1,017.22
Liquor tax	495.00
Transferred from dog fund	17.81
Transferred from fire dept. fund	1.84
Delinquent tax from Co. treas.	85.29
Delinquent personal tax collected	20.52
Scrap paper sold	.57
Overdrawn	971.95
Total	\$2,610.20

Disbursements.	
Overdrawn	\$ 791.03
Delinquent tax 1914	215.01
Delinquent personal tax paid county treasurer	7.72
Charge back tax, paid county treasurer	36.03
Orders paid	1,560.41
Total	\$2,610.20

LIGHT FUND.	
Receipts.	
Balance in fund	\$ 546.45
Light receipts	1,339.20
Total	\$1,885.65

Disbursements.	
Orders paid	\$1,507.28
Balance in fund	378.37
Total	\$1,885.65

CEMETERY FUND.	
Receipts.	
Balance in fund	\$ 27.41
Lots sold	70.00
Total	\$ 97.41

Disbursements.	
Orders paid	\$ 48.55
Balance in fund	48.86
Total	\$ 97.41

GENERAL STREET FUND.	
Receipts.	
Accounts paid	\$ 218.38
Loan	600.00
Tax roll 1914	1,500.00
Overdrawn	1,208.30
Total	\$3,526.68

Disbursements.	
Overdrawn	\$ 716.94
Orders paid	2,809.74
Total	\$3,526.68

SCHOOL FUND.	
Receipts.	
Delinquent tax from county treasurer	\$ 51.19
Primary school money	2,939.40
Tax roll 1914	1824.03
Total	\$4,815.22

Disbursements.	
Paid J. A. Mark, treasurer	\$3,990.52
Balance in fund	824.70
Total	\$4,815.22

PUBLIC DEBT FUND.	
Receipts.	
Balance in fund	\$1,198.95
Tax roll 1914	500.00
Total	\$1,698.95

Disbursements.	
Balance in fund	\$1,698.95
Total	\$1,698.95

BRIDGE FUND.	
Receipts.	
Balance in fund	\$ 549.23
Tax roll 1914	1,000.00
Total	\$1,549.23

Disbursements.	
Balance in fund	\$1,549.23
Total	\$1,549.23

RECAPITULATION OF FUNDS.	
Receipts.	
School fund	\$ 824.70
Public debt	1,698.95
Bridge fund	1,549.23
Light fund	378.87
Cemetery fund	48.86
Total	\$4,500.11

Disbursements.	
General St. fund, overdrawn	\$1,208.30
Contingent fund, overdrawn	971.95
Balance in fund	2,319.86
Total	\$4,500.11

CITY TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.	
Receipts.	
March 20, 1914, bal. on hand	\$ 833.72
Liquor tax	495.00
Light receipt	1,339.20
Loan	600.00
Delinquent tax from county treasurer	136.48
Delinquent tax collected, 1913 tax rolls	20.52
Accounts paid	218.95
Cemetery funds	70.00
Primary school fund	2,939.40
Tax roll 1914	7,771.42
4 per cent collection fee	8.31
Total	\$14,433.00

Disbursements.	
Refunded tax paid county treasurer	\$ 36.03
Returned delinquent on lands, 1914 taxrolls	380.40
Returned delinquent on personal, 1914 tax rolls	32.72
Paid county treasurer, state, county and county road tax	1,747.49
Paid light fund orders	1,507.28
Paid school treasurer, J. A. Mark	3,990.52
Paid cemetery fund orders	48.55
Paid gen. street fund orders	2,809.74
Paid contingent fund orders	1,560.41
March 20, 1915, bal. on hand	\$2,319.86
Total	\$14,433.00

APRIL TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

The next regular teachers' examination for Iosco county will be held at the court house in Tawas City, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 30 and 31 and May 1. Reading for this examination will be based on Hawthorne's "House of Seven Gables." Respectfully,
John A. Campbell,
adv-17 Commissioner.

BE KIND TO YOUR HORSE AND ALL DUMB CREATURES. IT SHOWS THE GENTLEMAN.

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WE SHOULD SMILE.

The thing that goes the farthest toward making life worth while that costs the least and does the most, is just a pleasant smile—that smile that bubbles from the heart that loves its fellow men.

Will drive away the cloud of gloom and coax the sun again.

It's full of worth and goodness, too, with manly kindness blent;

It's worth a million dollars and it doesn't cost a cent.

There is no room for sadness when we see the cheery smile.

It always has the same good look—it's never out of style;

It nerves us on to try again when failure makes us blue—

Such dimples of encouragement are good for me and you.

So smile away; folks understand what by a smile is meant—

It's worth a million dollars and it doesn't cost a cent—Ex.

WANTS, FOR SALE, ETC.

- For Sale—Ford touring car in good running order. H. Henke, Tawas City.
- For Sale—Cow 5 years old, due this month. In good order. Inquire of Birt Fowler, Tawas City, Mich.
- Wanted—Those parties holding our wire fence stretchers to return them at once. Tawas Hardware Co.
- For Sale—80 acres of land in Grant township. Easy terms. About thirty acres cleared. Inquire of Wm. Lake, R. D. 2, Tawas City, Mich. 18-pd
- For Sale—For cash or on time 15 head of horses, mostly mares, weighing from 1100 to 1500 lbs. Every horse guaranteed as represented. Fred Menzer, Turner, Mich. 14
- For Sale—Team colts, matched, 3 and 4 in May, weight 1400 each; also top buggy, sleigh, democrat and 4 hogs. Will sell on time. Inquire of M. Kehoe, R. D. 1. Tawas City, Mich 8-1f

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The Saginaw Silo has a framework of structural steel like that of a giant skyscraper. Five big dominant features make the Saginaw wind-proof. Empty or filled, the Saginaw stands like a rock.

Saginaw All-Steel Door Frame—a keystone of wonderful strength to which the Silo is built.

Saginaw Angle-Steel Rib—encircling the Saginaw overcomes vibration in the wall under severe wind stress and absolutely prevents any possibility of cave in.

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Saginaw Inner Anchor uniformly distributes the anchoring pull on all the staves.

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We cordially invite the ladies of the Tawas and surrounding country to call at our store Friday and Saturday, April 2nd and 3rd and inspect our line of Dry Goods and Ladies Furnishings for Spring. All the dainty wears in white goods

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The Excuse.
Discussing another atrocity charge, Representative P. Lyons Dumling said in Oswego: "Of course, the guilty will get out of it with a glib excuse. These people, with their glib excuses, remind me of the philandering husband. This chap, in a dim-lit conservatory, was rebuked thus by a pretty girl: 'How dare you try to kiss me? Only this afternoon I saw you kissing your wife. And I heard you tell her, too, that she was the world to you.' 'Yes, that's right,' the philandering husband said calmly. 'But then there are two worlds, you know. Wife is the old world. You are the new.'

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You can't prevent an attack of rheumatism from coming on, but you can stop it almost immediately. Sloan's Liniment gently applied to the sore joint or muscle penetrates in a few minutes to the inflamed spot that causes the pain. It soothes the hot, tender, swollen feeling, and in a very short time brings a relief that is almost unbelievable until you experience it. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25c. of any druggist and have it in the house—against colds, sore and swollen joints, lumbago, sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief.

NOTICE!
Demand having been duly made upon the Township Board of the Township of Sherman for the submission to the qualified electors of the said Township of the question of assessing road repair taxes on a statute labor basis; therefore notice is hereby given that at the next annual township meet to be held on the 5th day of April, A. D. 1915, there will be submitted to the qualified electors of said township to be determined by them, the question whether the road repair taxes in said Township shall be assessed on a statute labor basis and paid in labor instead of money, as provided in chapter twenty-five of Highway Laws. The vote shall be by ballot and such ballots shall contain the following:
Shall the people of the Township of Sherman adopt chapter twenty-five of the Highway Laws, YES []
Shall the people of the Township of Sherman adopt chapter twenty-five of the Highway Laws, NO []
Dated at Sherman Township March 18, A. D. 1915. John W. Crosby, Township Clerk of Sherman Twp.

CAN YOU SPELL?
At Kokomo, Indiana a few days ago the superintendent of the schools held a spelling contest. Every person of the city was eligible and six hundred took the test. Of that number only fifty-two made a perfect score. Newspaper men, doctors, lawyers, merchants, teachers and scholars submitted lists of twenty words each and from that total, twenty words were selected. The complete list with the number of times each word was misspelled, follows: Miscellaneous, 364; calendar, 324; parallel, 273; privilege, 242; superintendent, 248; principle, 242; niece, 223; love, 201; separate, 196; disappointment, 177; disease, 164; principal 142; necessary, 137; business, 130; relieve, 125; receive, 109; truly, 85; government, 84; grammar, 79; believe, 73.

One woman, who made a perfect score, had been a servant for sixty-three years and had only eight weeks schooling. A county official, who had been in business all his life, missed every word. Another man only got one right. One woman missed all but three.

Here are the words, arranged in the form of two sentences. Hand this to a friend, ask him to dictate the sentences to you, write down the words and see how many you mis-spell:
"The privilege of separating ninety miscellaneous calendars arranged in two parallel lines, was against the principles of the superintendent, so his niece, not to disappoint the government nor cause it to lose business, removed the principal calendars and thus relieved her uncle of a strain which might have brought on a disease. Then she believed it had become truly necessary for her to receive her instruction in grammar."
Why Animals Change Color.
As has long been known, the chameleon and several other cold-blooded creatures are able to change color at will. Science ascribes this ability to minute cells situated in the cutis and called chromatophores. They are filled with the pigments of the various colors, and capable of contracting or enlargement while the process of color change is going on.
Old newspapers for sale at this office.

TRADE HURT BY THE WAR
American Manufacturers Find Difficulty in Getting Materials Which Are Urgent Necessities.
A firm that uses vast quantities of tissue paper and colored tracing paper in making dress patterns has been seriously embarrassed because the materials from which these are made come principally from Germany and the supply ceased when the war began.

Tissue paper is made from old rope, jute and certain kinds of rags. The coating of the colored tracing paper is made in Germany from materials that are sent from South America. At this writing the owner of this pattern concern was searching for materials for the paper factory and meeting with little success. He said the chief difficulty was in getting enough of the right kind of rags.

There is also a great shortage of jute, owing to the enormously increased quantity of twine that has been used since the parcel post was started—so much so that the post office department has urged postmasters and railway postal clerks to save the string and use it over again whenever possible. According to Technical World magazine, almost all the jute comes from India; it is always costly and there is often a shortage.
As for the colored tracing paper, efforts are now being made to import the coloring materials direct from South America and to make the coloring here.
SHOULD BE APPRECIATED
Testimonial to the Government of the United States Surely is Worth Preservation.
One of the most interesting social events of the present brilliant military social season seems likely to escape without proper notice. A lot of wealthy Americans momentarily stranded in Genoa by reason of war paid \$100,000 or more for a ship to carry them home. They arrived here in great luxury, but on the way over it occurred to them that it would be a good idea to denounce the American government, and they did so in approved form. On second thought, however, when they had been better informed, they concluded that they had made a mistake, and the convention having assembled, it was decided that the state, war and navy and treasury departments deserved commendation for what they had done to rescue American tourists in Europe. In due form this indorsement of the United States of America has been transmitted to Washington and we hope that it will be duly appreciated. What asses some Americans are!—New York World.

TENANT TO HAVE HIS INNING
Long Downtrodden, He Will, in New York, at Least, Be Able to Voice Grievances.
Among the things we are overlooking these days is the uplift along the line of that plainest of all plain citizens, the ordinary taxpayer, the man, largely, who used to live in a flat, but is now the occupant of "an apartment," says the New York Evening Telegram.
We know from reading the comic papers that he or she, as the case may be, has long been the victim of the brutal janitor, the uncrowned king of the garbage bucket and heir apparent to the window-cleaning rag.

It is not the news that the janitor had resented being held up to scorn, convening and resoluting and even starting a publication to exploit his virtues and confound his enemies.
But the worm has turned. Long under the heel of the oppressor, the citizen has unfurled his banner to the breeze in the shape of the Tenants' Weekly, published in the interest of tenants and small home owners—"The City for the People"—one cent, 25 cents per year. All unsigned articles are by the editor.

SHOULD READ UP GEOGRAPHY
Exporter's Ignorance May Be Clue to Reason Why Nation Loses South American Trade.
The following letter was read at the luncheon of the American Manufacturers' Export association at New York as the finest illustration of American geographical knowledge of South America extant. It was written by a New York publishing house to a physician who lives at 2791 Caseros street, Buenos Aires. He wrote his address with his order:
"Dr. Casero, 2791, Buenos Aires."
"Dear Sir—We have on hand copies of the life of Lincoln and of George Washington which were ordered by you. We have been trying to send these books to you by mail, but the post office refuses to accept the packages, as they have no station at Caseros. Will you kindly let us know at which of the following stations you can call to get this package: Rio de Janeiro, Sao Paulo, Bahia, Pernambuco, Para?"
(It may be added that these cities are all the way from 1,025 to 3,600 miles distant from Buenos Aires.)

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REGISTRATION NOTICE.
To the qualified electors of the City of Tawas City, State of Michigan: Notice is hereby given, that the Board of Registration of said city, will be in session from 8 o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m., on Saturday April 3, A. D. 1915 at City Hall. The above being the place for holding the registration for all the wards of said city, for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons, who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors who may apply for that purpose.
Important—Any qualified elector may be registered and be eligible to vote if he shall appear in person before the City Clerk and take the oath required as to qualification for registration, and request that his name be registered. Blanks for this purpose at City Clerk's office.
Women Electors—The Board of Registration of said city will register the names of all women possessing the qualifications of male electors who make personal application for such registration; Provided that all such applicants must own property assessed for taxes somewhere within the county in which said city is situated, except that any woman otherwise qualified who owns property within said county jointly with her husband or other person, or who owns property within said county on contract and pays the taxes thereon, shall be entitled to registration.
Dated March 15, 1915.
John B. King, City Clerk.

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Now is the time to select your seeds. The famous "Pine Tree" Timothy, 99 1-2 per cent pure seed, also June, Mammoth and Alsike Clover and Alfalfa with like percentage, all tested as required by law. Our place is where to buy pure seed.
We handle Flour, Feed, coarse and fine Chicken Feed, Cement, Pulp Plaster, Drain Tile, Lumber, Lath, Shingles and Soft and Hard Coal.
We can furnish you with anything you want in Building Material. Car lots a specialty.
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For a limited time we will sell 40 per cent Dupont make Dynamite (the best for stump blasting and all agricultural work) at the following low price:
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A large purchase at the low price of last fall enables us to offer a limited amount at the above price. If you want any you should arrange at once for it, as price may be withdrawn without notice.
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The Ready Money Product
As a producer of ready cash to pay the incidental expenses on the farm there is nothing equal to the cream from a few head of cows. We pay cash for all cream delivered to us and guarantee you a strictly accurate test.
If you have been letting us have your cream we know that you need no argument to continue doing so. If you haven't, call and let us talk it over, and we believe we can persuade you that it is to your advantage to do so.
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Tawas City Michigan

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The filling of prescriptions is our specialty. To be competent it is necessary to have ability and experience. The public should carefully consider these very important facts. Lack of ability, experience and honesty, especially in the drug business is a menace to the public in general. Our business will be maintained on the standard in the future that it has been in the past, with experienced service and goods of the highest standard. In our side lines we endeavor to keep only goods of the leading manufacturers in their respective lines.
We are headquarters for the following:
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FRED L. RICHARDSON, Chairman of Board W. A. PRINCE, Cashier
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WAS NOTED EDUCATOR.
Daniel Kirkwood, a theoretic scientist of large attainments, especially in mathematics and astronomy, was born in Bladensburg, Md., 100 years ago. After graduating from the York academy, in Pennsylvania, he was for some years an instructor in mathematics at that institution. He went to Delaware college in 1851 and for several years was president of the college. In 1856 he accepted an offer of the professorship of mathematics at Indian university. He continued to fill this position for thirty years, with the exception of the two years following the close of the Civil war, when he was professor of mathematics and astronomy at Washington and Jefferson college. Doctor Kirkwood retired from Indiana university in 1886 and resided at Riverside, Cal., until his death in 1895.

CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE.
"I stepped into the conservatory and caught young Mr. Pimlico trying to hug Miss Peacher."
"Did they see you?"
"No."
"Did he hug her?"
"I suspect so. Of course I didn't tarry, but as I turned to go I heard her cough and she didn't seem to have much breath to do it with."

SELF-EVIDENT.
"How do you know that Chaucer dictated his old English to a stenographer?"
"Look at the way it's spelled."

FIFTY-FIFTY.
Gabriel—How did you know that spirit was a statesman?
St. Peter—He wanted half the gate.—Puck.

THE CAREFUL WIFE.
"Wife, I wish you'd buy me a couple of five-cent collar buttons. I need 'em badly."
"All right. Just as soon as somebody has a sale."—Kansas City Journal.

CORRECTED.
"They say that tall, freckled girl over there is a blonde Venus."
"Bosh! That's a misnomer."
"No; she's a Miss Smith."

ANOTHER STORY.
Financier—That is not the same tale that you told me a few days ago.
Beggars—No, sir. But you didn't believe that one.

TO BE CONSIDERED.
He—Be mine and make me the happiest man in the world.
She—Sorry, but I want to be happy myself.

ELECTION NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that a general election and annual city election will be held in the several wards of the City of Tawas City, State of Michigan, on Monday, April 5, A. D. 1915 at City Hall. The above being the place for holding the elections for all the wards of said city, at which election the following officers are to be voted for and the propositions as set forth below are to be voted upon, viz:
State—Two Justices of the Supreme Court; two Justices of the University of Michigan; one Superintendent of Public Instruction; one member of the State Board of Education and two members of the State Board of Agriculture.
County—One County Commissioner of schools; one County Road Commissioner, 6 years.
City—One Mayor; one City Clerk; one City Treasurer; also one Alderman, one Supervisor and one Constable for each ward of said city; one Alderman to fill vacancy in third ward.
Women Electors—Should there be any propositions or propositions in relation to the future of public money in the hands of lands, every qualified woman elector who is duly registered shall be entitled to vote upon such proposition or propositions.
The polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5 o'clock of said day of election.
Dated March 15, 1915.
John A. Mark, City Clerk.
County Clerk.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Circuit Court for the County of Iosco, in Chancery.
The Rose City State Bank, a corporation, Complainant,
vs.
John B. King, Defendant.
In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Iosco, in Chancery, made and entered on the 30th day of February A. D. 1915, in the above entitled cause, I, the subscriber, a circuit court commissioner of the county of Iosco, shall sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the city of Tawas City, in said county of Iosco, on Saturday the first day of May, 1915, at three o'clock in the afternoon of that day, all those certain lands and premises, described as follows: The Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter and the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 12, Township 42 N., Range 12 W., Meridian 12th 2nd P. M.
Solicitor for Complainant, Standish, Mich.



Coyotes Shot From Air Craft by California Hunters

Noted Marksman Bags Two From Air, Also Two Coyotes and One Wildcat From the Ground

Inaugurating a new epoch in the hunting world and showing the ever-increasing practicability of aviation, Fred Mills, one of the best amateur marksmen in California, one day last week shot and killed from an aeroplane driven by Glenn Martin at a speed of between sixty and seventy miles an hour and at an altitude of three or four hundred feet, two coyotes which had been loping along in pursuit of quail, little suspecting that they themselves would soon be quarries.

This stalking of game by aeroplanes, which Martin declared marked the beginning of the revolutionizing of hunting, was accomplished in the San Fernando Valley, which was chosen by the ingenious aviator and the clever marksman as a likely area to demonstrate the possibilities in a combination of hunting and flying.

It was at 3:45 in the afternoon that Martin and Mills, in one of Martin's standard aeroplanes, left the aviator's Griffith Park hangar, near Los Angeles, and mounted skyward, circled once over the aviation field in a farewell to a few friends who were interested in the exploit, and then sailed away to the north, while the reports of Mills' Remington autoloading rifle, fired in joyous anticipation of "bringing home the bacon," mingled with the whirr of the machine's motor.

It was at 5:20, or an hour and thirty-five minutes later, that the aeroplane returned to the hangar, bringing a happy aviator and an equally happy hunter, as well as three coyotes and two wildcats which Mills had shot about seven miles north of Roseoe, or about twenty-five miles north of their starting point.

Two of the coyotes were shot by Mills from the machine as it sped through the air at a speed exceeding sixty miles an hour. The other animals were killed by him on the ground after Martin had made a landing in order to take into the aeroplane the two Mills potted while both he and they were in motion.

As Martin described the flight, they hugged the right side of the valley for about twenty miles when they started and then began circling in

great curves three or four miles long, in search of game. When they found it, Martin made his machine dive from a height of 1,500 or 2,000 feet to within three or four hundred feet of the earth, meantime shutting off the motor, so that the coyotes were apparently unaware of their presence.

Then it was an easy matter for Mills. He shot the two from the aeroplane only a few seconds apart. Seeing one, he shot it—just like that. Then, seeing the other, he shot that one, also—and in less time than it takes to read it.

Then, while farmers wondered at the new way of hunting, Martin made a landing and the two dead animals were put into the machine. While on the ground, Mills bagged one more coyote and two wildcats.

Martin said that on the trip they covered 150 miles and in one-half hour covered more territory—and from a high point of vantage—than the average hunter could get over in a week. Martin asserted that all sportsmen who can afford it will in time do their hunting in aeroplanes, as, through such machines, they can better see their quarry, cover more territory in any given time and at the same time do it with less inconvenience than in any other way.

"In a minute," he said, "an aeroplane can cross an arroyo which a hunter on foot would require five hours to negotiate. I believe that the aeroplane is especially adapted to hunting geese and next season Mills and I shall try it out."

Both Mills and Martin believe that coyotes and wildcats destroy more quail than are killed by hunters and say that the sights they had of wild life on their trip prove it. They hope that the legislature will soon provide for a bounty upon those two species of animals.

Martin left Los Angeles, later, for Washington to confer with navy and army officials regarding aeroplanes and aeroplane construction, but upon his return he expects to show something in aviation even more interesting than the feat of last week.

OUR SCRAP BASKET

The Week in History.
Monday, 29.—England adopts minimum wage law, 1912. Truce of Antwerp, 1609.
Tuesday, 30.—Alaska purchased, 1867.
Wednesday, 31.—Treaty, U. S. and Japan, 1855. Dingley tariff bill passed, 1897.
Thursday, 1.—Lithography invented, 1896. Albert I, German emperor assassinated, 1308.
Friday, 2.—Thomas Jefferson born, 1743. U. S. mint established, 1792.
Saturday, 3.—Manufacturing aluminum patented, 1887. Tyre captured by French, 1799.
Sunday, 4.—Henry Hudson sailed, 1609. Present flag adopted, 1818.

Kitchen Kinks.

If you think your turkey, chicken or other fowl will not be tender, steam for half an hour by placing in a tightly covered kettle with a little water on the bottom over a slow fire before baking, and you will have fine, tender meat.

When making a cream sauce put the milk on to heat and rub the butter and flour together until smooth, stir this into the boiling milk gradually and the sauce will be smooth.

It is a convenience for a cook to know that two cups of granulated sugar, level, weigh one pound, one and one-third pints of powdered sugar, and two well packed cups of soft butter.

And Along Came Ruth.

"Every time I fill a lamp I get so tearing mad I nearly swear."
"Why, Auntie," said Ruth, "I'm amazed."
"You can well be, for so am I. However, I'll refrain from the sin this time if you'll tell me how to avoid losing my temper in such cases."
"Well, dear soul, I can help you in that simple matter. Just drop a brass button or any bright object into the bowl of the lamp. Then watch for it to bob into sight just before the oil reaches the danger line. Even a ten-cent piece will do, if you are buttonless; or the tip off the kerosene can spout—for it "can spout," can't it, Auntie?"
And along went Ruth.

Spring Poetry.

How dear to my heart is the old speckled rooster,
Which fond recollection brings back to my view,
With spurs long and pointed he "uster"
Go crowing around till he made the air blue.
And, when some strange rooster would come to do battle
How quick the old fellow was up on his guard;
He'd make the eye-balls of the strange rooster rattle
And scatter his feathers all over the yard.
Oh, the old speckled rooster,
The mongrel-bred rooster,
The fifty-cent rooster
That scratched in the yard.—Ex.

Of Interest to Women.

When cutting out the lining of a blouse yoke, be sure to cut it the same way of the material as the outside, otherwise it will be unsatisfactory and will not fit.

To rub the flatirons on a piece of fine sandpaper, then with pieces of wax candle put in a cloth, will render them smooth and free from rust. Wipe the irons on a clean cloth before using.

If you have a stray strip of fur, you may sew it to the edge of your veil and by the aid of hooks and eyes fasten it like a collar around your throat, or you may edge the veil with narrow grosgrain ribbon matching your hat.

Nothing is more helpful in dusting polished floors than the absorbent broom bag, which may be purchased for a few cents or may be made at home from a piece of cotton flannel.

Then He Bought the Ring.

Affable Widow—"Do you know, Mr. Oldboy, my daughter Maud has set her eyes most lovingly on you?" Mr. Oldboy (much flattered)—"Has she, really? I have always considered her a sweet girl." Affable Widow—"Yes, only today she said 'that's the sort of gentleman I should like for my pap!'"

As One Fellow Sees It.

The following is going the rounds of the Missouri press: Editors are all born boosters. The other day the editor was solicited to join a lodge and was handed a petition printed by a supply house; he got a dun from a merchant in a government stamped envelope and written on a gargling oil statement; he made a purchase at a store and got a duplicate bill printed at Chicago and wrote a check on a bank printed at Denver. Ye Gods, how can an editor expect to join lodges and pay bills on such treatment as that, and all the time tell the people to read at home? Editors have to be born boosters prepared to live on herding and stand for anything.—Verden, Okla., News.

WHAT LOVE IS!

"Love," writes the editor of an eastern paper, "is at first an illusion and then a delusion."
We can't remember just who this editor is nor in what paper the quotation appeared, but we'll bet our Sunday-go-to-meetin' boiled shirt that he walks backwards and that instead of good red blood there flows through his veins the sourest of vinegar.
Probably somewhere back in his purple, palpitating past there was a girl who passed him by and married the other fellow and ever since the carking canker of crabbedness has been eating away and eating away at that which once beat as his heart.

Love a delusion!

By all the golden, sunny ringlets on the brow of Cupid, by all the sweet lips that ever puckered into a rosebud to receive the kiss of a lover, we swear that love is no delusion.

Does a delusion make the world go 'round? Is the blue sky an illusion? Is it an illusion when our cardiac pumping-station goes all a-flutter at the soft-whispered words of the sweetest girl God ever made?

Is it an illusion when we thrill in every nerve if a tiny, soft, velvety hand chances to linger, just for an instant, in ours, as we look into a pair of eyes whose limpid depths make the profundity of the ocean seem shallow as a mud-puddle?

It is an illusion when the very marrow in our spinal column freezes if we hear that "The" girl has a date with another fellow?

Is it an illusion when she buries her face behind the lapel of our coat, shyly nods her little head and answers "yes" when we ask her the greatest question in the world? Is it? Is it? We should say Not!

Love is the concentrated essence of goodness, sprinkled upon the tender petals of a crystallized violet. It comes sky-hooting down from the high heavens on a mellow moonbeam, entwines its silken tendrils about your fluttering heart until your breath comes in short, quick, ecstatic gasps and your soul just seems to float away on a billow of seafoam to the Island of Rosebuds and Orange Blossoms.

Love an illusion?

It is not. And believe us, we know. We've tried it often enough.

Looking Backward.

Our first years at school were not made easy and joyous to us by the modern methods of the kindergarten and other similar systems of acquiring knowledge without effort, and we thereby escaped the effects of the fallacy that learning and education can be attained without pains and concentration of the mind. We were constantly drilled at school in mental arithmetic and other studies of a kind not much relished, I am told, by the youth of today and unfashionable with modern educators of young children; and at home we were urged in seasons of leisure, as we then thought, to improve our minds, to contemplate serious things, and especially and most frequently, to read good books, particularly those books which required effort for their understanding and mastery.—George P. Brett in the Atlantic

Made Immediate Success.

The "Arabian Nights" did not become familiar to Europeans until 1704, when Galland translated them into French. Scholars cast doubt on the authenticity of some of Galland's work, accusing him—like Fitzgerald and Omar Khayyam—of inventing rather than translating, but with the public success of the tales was immediate and immense.

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Historic Parisian Square.

Before the Revolution the Place de la Concorde in Paris was but a piece of waste ground. It was often used for public festivals and demonstrations, and in this manner its baptism of blood was begun as early as 1770. In May of that year an exhibition of fireworks was being given to celebrate the nuptials of the Dauphin and Marie Antoinette (note the irony of fate: 23 years later, as the deposed king and queen of France, both were beheaded upon this very spot!) when a panic was occasioned by an accidental discharge of rockets and more than twelve hundred persons were crushed to death.

A Circular Tour.

Mary had a little ring, 'twas given her by Joe, and everywhere that Mary went that ring was sure to go. She took the ring with her one day, when she went out to tea, where she might show it to the girls, who numbered twenty-three. And when the girls all saw the ring they made a great ado exclaiming with one voice: "Has it at last got round to you?"

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
County of Iosco
To the qualified male electors of said County:
Notice is hereby given that at the General Election to be held in the several election precincts of said county on Monday, April 15th, 1915. There will be elected one County School Commissioner for the full term of 4 years and one County Road Commissioner for the full term of six years.
Given under my hand this 23rd day of March A. D. 1915.
Jno. A. Mark, County Clerk.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, Sheriff's office, Iosco County.
To the Clerk of City of Tawas City:
You are hereby notified that an amendment to Article VIII of the Constitution of this State, relative to authorizing drainage districts to issue bonds for drainage purposes, shall be submitted to the qualified electors of your county on Monday, April fifth, nineteen hundred fifteen.
In witness whereof, I have hereto affixed my signature at Tawas City this 17th day of March, A. D. 1915.
Collie Johnson, Sheriff.

To the Electors of the City of Tawas City, Michigan:
In accordance with the above, you are hereby notified that an amendment to Article VIII of the Constitution of this State, relative to authorizing drainage districts to issue bonds for drainage purposes, shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this county on Monday, April fifth, nineteen hundred fifteen.
John B. King, City Clerk.

Old newspapers for sale at this office, 5c. per bundle.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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ELLAKE ECHOES.
Owen Cray came from Toledo Monday.
Mrs. Deyo called on Mrs. Bradford Wednesday.
Mrs. LaBerge visited Mrs. Hicks Tuesday evening.
Mr. Frank Boyer has moved onto Mr. Peel's ranch.
Mrs. Al Sutherland of Rose City was in town Friday.
Mrs. Becker called on Mrs. Lewis LaBerge Wednesday.
Mr. Bliss returned to his home in Albion last Saturday.
Mrs. H. H. Bates and Bernice called on Mrs. Kohn Sunday.
William Peel, jr., was the guest of his parents over Sunday.
Lewis LaBerge, sr., is the guest of his home here a day or two.
Mr. and Mrs. Shearer expected to go to Streeter, Illinois, soon.
Mrs. George Thayer, jr., went to Taft Wednesday of this week.
Silvia Porter was in town Tuesday. Everybody went to Hale Friday.
Frank Clayton of Maple Ridge visited his brother, Seth, last Tuesday.
Mrs. John Brant called on Mrs. LaBerge and Mrs. Bradford Wednesday.
A small child of Lafayette Short died last Thursday and was buried Friday.
Mrs. Frank Eymmer and children came last Friday from Florida. Mr. Eymmer is expected with their car of goods soon.

ALABASTER DUST.
Mrs. Louis Benson was at Tawas Saturday.
A dance will be given by the base ball team after Easter.
Mrs. J. B. Walker was at Tawas City on business, Saturday.
Miss Hilda Johnson was in East Tawas on business, Saturday.
The high school is hoping the weather will change for their play April 9th.
By the looks of things March came in like a lamb and is going out like a lion.
A few of the Masons went to the meeting in Tawas City last Saturday evening.
Mrs. D. McLean of AuGres was visiting her daughter here, Saturday and Sunday.
Misses Florence Burlew and Mary St. James spent Sunday at their homes at Whittemore.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hagstrom and daughter, Katherine, spent a very pleasant Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Noble.
The stork has been visiting Alabaster the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Martin are the proud parents of a baby girl. Mr. and Mrs. James Alfred are also proud of their little boy.

WILBER.
James Syme made a trip to Cook Site on Saturday last.
Have the lagrippe or a cold and be fashionable. Nearly everybody is.
David Davison, veterinary, made a professional call here on Saturday.
Milo Stevens, has purchased a new Ford car from the agent, Henry Kane.
Hugh Cornett purchased a horse one day last week from Frank Brown in Baldwin.
Sibley Wade has been employed by George Bennett to work on his farm this season.
The roller skating rink on Monday evening was well attended. About 60 pairs of skates were in use.
Miss Martha Stonehouse of Tawas City, spent Saturday and Sunday here with her parents and friends.
Mrs. Ed. Smith was taken to Ann Arbor on Wednesday of last week for treatment. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. H. Henke, and son, Nelson, who returned Saturday, p. m.
John Miller and his brother, Jacob, returned Tuesday from Saginaw, where they were called by the sudden death of their brother, Ernest Miller, who died March 19, from pneumonia, after an illness of only 2 days.
Mrs. Harrod and daughter, Leona, left Wednesday for Flint for a short visit with her two sons and a daughter.
Bryan Corner has returned from Brant where he has spent about 2 weeks at the home of his sister, Mrs. L. Corner.
Mrs. C. Sherman left for Flint on Thursday where she will make a short visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. Rollin, and son, Ralph.
A very pleasant surprise was given Mrs. George Bush on Friday evening last at the home of her uncle, Robert Brooks. A good time is reported.

SHERMAN SHOTS.
Will Rhodes was at Omer Sunday.
A. B. Schneider was at Bay City one day this week.
Several people in this community are ill with the lagrippe.
Deputy Sheriff Chase was at Emery Junction on business Monday.
Messdames Mary Sherrick and Nick Ecker spent Wednesday at Tawas City.
J. Sands and daughter, Kathryn, spent Tuesday forenoon with George Sase.
Misses Murray, Musolf, Dillon and Sands spent the week end at their homes.
Vernon Louks of Whittemore spent Friday evening with friends at Emery Junction.
Rev. John Pinches of Tawas City preached at the town hall Wednesday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis DeFrain and

son Donald spent Sunday with relatives at Pinconning.
George Sase has been very ill for the past several days. Dr. Vorey of Prescott is his attending physician.
Ask some of the young people at McIvor how they enjoy the evening walks to the town hall, especially when there aren't any services.
The Baptist Ladies' Aid will give a supper at the Sherman town hall on Friday evening, April 9. Ice cream will be served extra. Price of supper, adults 15 cents, children 10 cents. They will also have an Easter bazaar and a fish-pond. Everyone is kindly invited to attend.

WHITTEMORE.
Mrs. H. Leslie was at Prescott Wednesday.
Our post office was moved Thursday morning.
Mrs. John Gillespie was at Sherman Saturday.
Leon Belknap is surveying at Prescott this week.
Leo McNeil returned home from Flint Wednesday.
Alton Barnum moved to Jim Cataline's farm Tuesday.
Miss Hilda and Aaron Blumenau were at Prescott Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnston were at Rose City last Thursday.
Miss Florence Burlew came up from Alabaster and spent Sunday at her home.
Two families of the Hungarians who moved here last year left Wednesday morning for Detroit.
Adolph Cataline went to Flint Monday to visit his son Glen, who is being treated for ear trouble.
Farmers, read the advertisement of the Whittemore elevator. It is of interest to you just at this time of year.
On account of a rush of business at home I will be unable to come to Whittemore with hats as I intended this week. If I find later that I can come I will announce the dates through the columns of the Herald.
Mrs. A. W. Colby, adv.
Wenonah Camp Fire Girls held their monthly "Council Fire" at the home of Luella Johnson last Thursday. The rank of "Wood Gatherer" was conferred upon Annie Leslie, Bessie Leslie, Celia Abbott and Julia Doer, with appropriate ceremonies. The guardian was honored with the rank of "Fire Maker." After the program which consisted of demonstrations of honor, telling Indian legends, and the reading of an original "Count" written in blank verse by two of the members, the group adjourned to the dining room, where the hostess provided a delicious supper. The evening was pleasantly spent in decorating the "Count Book" and playing games.

HALE.
"We must live through the dreary winter
If we would value the spring;
And the woods must be cold and silent.
Before the robins sing,
The flowers must be buried in darkness,
Before they can bud and bloom;
And the sweetest warmest sunshine
Comes after the storm and gloom."
Deputy Sheriff Chase was in town Wednesday.
Don't forget the Sunday school rally, April 10th and 11th.
Elmer Brigham of Muir, Mich., is in town this week on business.
Mrs. David Love is on the sick list. Lagrippe seems to be the order of the day.
Mr. Burn Tahash has been a business visitor in the place a few days this week.
Mrs. Clarence VanWormer and little son, Lawrence spent Sunday at Rose City.
Miss Helen Scully returned home Saturday after spending a few weeks in Prescott.
Mrs. L. C. Colgrove left Wednesday for Standish, where she expects to stay for some time.
Mrs. James Morrison returned home from the Rose City hospital Tuesday morning, much improved in health.
After a weeks illness Miss Hilda Johnson was able to resume her duties in the school room Monday morning.
Mrs. Dwight Arthur underwent an operation at the Rose City hospital Sunday, and according to latest reports is doing nicely.

RENO RUMBLINGS.
Lewis Harsch was at Rose City Sunday.
Mrs. Anderson visited Mrs. Sibley last Saturday.
Mrs. Peter Sawyer is improving in health slowly.
Rolandis Harsch returned from Ohio last week.
The Gleaners initiated some new members recently.
Charley Harsch was at Hale on business Thursday.
Mr. Popp transacted business at Prescott last Wednesday.
Joseph Lindsay is framing a barn for B. V. Dyke this week.
Alex Molnar and family are moving from Reno this week.
The McMurray sale was well attended and everything sold well.
Johnny Thompson is enjoying a few days at the parental home.
Some "early birds" in our vicinity have already set their incubators.
Mrs. Neil McDougald's sister from Long lake visited her this week.
March is giving us some days of "winter weather" before the finish.
Geo. Charters was helping Mr. Harsch haul his silo from Taft Tuesday.
The Anderson boys have purchased a new silo and hauled it home Monday.
Joseph Lindsay attended the Presbyterian services at Maple Ridge last Sunday.
Mrs. Share of Long lake is visiting her sister, Mrs. Neil McDougald, this week.
Mrs. Jas. Syze and two little daughters of Detroit, are visiting her father, Mr. Allen.
Charley Thompson attended the Masonic meeting at Whittemore last Wednesday evening.
J. M. Johnston has rented William Allen's farm and will move there in the near future.
Mr. Sibley has a new fence along his 80 on the Hale road. Louis Johnson did the work.
We are sorry to see our townsman, Will Allen, leaving our midst, but we wish him success elsewhere.
The Federation will meet with the Wesley C. Arbor at Hale Tuesday April 13. Remember the date.
Mrs. J. Kilbourne spent Sunday at the Gates' ranch near South Branch, where her husband has employment.
David Dougherty and family are moving this week from the Bentley cottage to the farm of Hugh Anderson.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Latter went to Linden on Saturday, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Clark, returning Tuesday.
David Dougherty and family have moved to the Hugh Anderson farm, where he has employment for the summer.
Fred Boudler and family moved on to the Bentley ranch Tuesday, where Mr. Boudler has employment for the summer.
Rev. Mudge preached his farewell sermon Sunday morning. He expects to move his family to a place near Jackson in a short time.
William Allen's sale was attended by a good crowd of anxious bidders. Anybody wanting to know who got the morris chair ask Charley.
The next regular meeting of Gleaners will meet at the township hall Saturday evening, April 17. All members are requested to be present.
John Westervelt, Louis Johnson, and David Daugherty are all convalescent from their recent illness of lagrippe, and are again able to be out.
The proposition, entitled "A Chance for You," in last week's Herald, if taken advantage of by the people at large would enliven trade and prove of general benefit.
E. Streeter and two sons, Glenwood and Forest, of Hale attended the Gleaner lodge Saturday evening. Two new members were initiated. Lunch was served and a general good time was enjoyed.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Latter and children, Annie and Willie, are visiting this week at Linden, at the home of Mrs. Clarke, (formerly Miss Elsie Hutchinson of this place). Art also has a business trip to Cleveland in view before returning home.
When your telephone gets out of whack, and your cry to the superintendent is unheard, and you have so much to say you could just knock the thing off the wall, call on the new lineman, Joe Harsch. He will locate the trouble and right matters at once.
The republican caucus met Friday afternoon and nominated the following officers: Supervisor, John Westervelt; clerk, William Waters; highway commissioner, Rupert Bentley; treasurer, John Autterson; justice of peace, 4 years, Joe Harsch; member of board of review, John Degrow; constables, Fred Latter, Geo. Waters, Sam Bronson, Lou Ross.

Whooping Cough.
Well—everyone knows the effect of pine forests on coughs. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is a remedy which brings quick relief for whooping cough, loosens the mucous, soothes the lining of the throat and lungs, and makes the coughing spells less severe. A family with growing children should not be without it. Keep it handy for all coughs and colds. 25c. at your druggist. adv-2
Electric Bitters a Spring Tonic.

Little Sermon for All Time.
This is from Charles Dudley Warner's "My Summer in a Garden": "The love of dirt is among the earliest of passions, as it is the latest. Mud pies gratify one of our first and best instincts. . . . Fondness for the ground comes back to a man after he has run the round of pleasure and business, eaten dirt, and sown wild oats, drifted about the world and taken the wind in all its moods. The love of digging is sure to come back to him. . . . To own a bit of ground, to scratch it with a hoe, to plant seeds and watch their renewal of life—this is the commonest delight of the race, the most satisfactory thing a man can do."

You and Your Work.
Is work a burden? Do you rebel at everything and are you withholding your best efforts? Get another place! It is time for you to give your notice and attach yourself to another bread line. Never let work overpower you with its demands on energy. The man or woman who dies in the traces, without the joy of work, may have a big funeral, but sermons and shaking heads of the onlookers are of little worth to the personality that has gone too soon. Make your work contribute to the joy of living. Make it help you to grow. Look for something in the near future that will do this.

Sunday School Rally.
Following is the program for the annual rally of the Iosco county Sunday School Association, to be held with the Hale churches, April 10th and 11th, 1915.
Saturday Afternoon.
4:00 Assignments and greetings.
4:30 Executive meeting of Tri-county officers and Superintendents.
Saturday Evening.
7:00 Song service . . . J. A. Campbell
Address of welcome . . . Rev. Rodsiler
Response . . . John Andre
Sunday Schools of Hale, Geo. N. Wood
"Hopeful Signs" . . . E. K. Mohr
Reception and Social hour.
Sunday Morning.
10:00 Prayer meeting . . . Rev. Mudge
10:30 Songs and Praise with Solo . . . Miss Jessie M. Forsyth
11:00 Sermon, Rev. J. Brainard Brown
11:40 Sunday School Lesson conducted by Hale S. S. Supts.
Sunday Afternoon.
2:00 Song Service . . . Rev. O. L. Fox
2:30 Address "S. S. Evangelism" . . . E. K. Mohr
3:00 Report of State Convention . . . J. H. Nisbet
"Secondary Division" . . . Mrs. Robert M. Forsyth
"Misionary Division" . . . Mrs. Nisbet and Mrs. Deyo
Sunday Evening.
7:00 Song service . . . James A. Dafoe
7:30 The Young Man and the church . . . Rev. E. L. Little
7:45 The Young Woman and the church . . . Rev. E. L. Little
8:00 Address "Organized S. S. Work" . . . E. K. Mohr

SOUTH BRANCH.
Rev. W. R. Blichford will hold service here next Monday evening.
Old newspapers for sale at this office, 5c. per bundle.

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We carry absolutely the best line of shoes in the county. If you want the best value for your money this is the place to buy your shoes.
M. E. Friedman
Tawas City Michigan

Blot Out Your Present Extravagances
NOTHING can come out of nothing, 'tis said. If a person spends all he makes in EXTRAVAGANCES he will have NOTHING left. His bank balance will VANISH. His tide of fortune may ebb suddenly, tragically. He turns to his bank in VAIN. Nothing can come out of nothing. Such a person should BLOT OUT his extravagances. This is the time to start. Stop wasting your money NOW. This bank can help you.
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