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HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

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

Alex Ross, monuments, East Tawas. Albert Nunn of AuSable spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Fred Berlin went to Saginaw Monday to visit his brother in that city. Miss Zillah Nunn of Turner was the guest of friends in this city over Sunday.

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Isadore Friedman came home from Alma college Wednesday for a few days visit.

Stephen Ferguson and son, Douglas, visited relatives at Bay City a few days this week.

Mr. Worden of Fenwick has been the guest of his daughter, Miss Edna Worden, this week.

Dr. A. B. Carson, dentist, is at his office in Tawas City every day of the week. Phone 111-W. adv

English services will be held at the Zion Lutheran church next Sunday evening, at 7:45 local.

Frank Laidlaw of Detroit arrived Wednesday for a visit at the home of his father, Geo. Laidlaw.

Mrs. Charles Mallon and little son, of Detroit, are guests of relatives in this city for a few days.

Alfred Patterson and Bert Crandall are home from the M. A. C. this week, spending the spring vacation.

Our new spring styles of millinery are now on display. Drop in and look them over. Mrs. L. L. Johnson. adv

Alfred Boomer came home from Detroit last Friday and has been practicing on how to hold that new son this week.

Robins, meadow larks, blackbirds, crows, and other harbingers of spring have been seen in large numbers the past week.

Fred Luedtke returned Wednesday from a few days visit with friends and relatives at Ann Arbor, Lansing and other points.

Miss Anna Sands is spending the week at her home in this city, the floods making it impossible to get to her school in Sherman.

R. G. Hartingh, City, garage, auto supplies, all new. New and used cars, bodies, tires and radiators for sale. Call or adv-16

The high school closed Monday afternoon and Tuesday, because of water filling the basement until it put the furnace out of commission.

Jno. A. Campbell returned Monday from Ypsilanti, where they had accompanied his son, Bruce, who is receiving medical treatment there.

There is talk of organizing a company of Michigan National Guards at Onaway. Capt. Eugene Smith of Cheboygan is backing the movement.

The editor of the Herald is in receipt of several interesting communications which for lack of time and space are omitted from this issue.

If you are going to order a monument or marker for your departed friends see Alex Ross, East Tawas. No work too large, none too small. Write him. adv

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Katterman and son, Victor, of River Rouge have been in the city the past week, being called here by the serious illness of their daughter, Mrs. Fred Buch.

Ernest Spring of Alabaster was the victim of a very painful accident last Monday. He and a friend were loading a shotgun with buckshot when the weapon was accidentally discharged the charge entering Ernest's leg just below the knee. Dr. Wakeman of this city was called and extracted five pieces of buckshot, and at last reports the lad was getting along very nicely.

Among the graduates who were given life certificates at the Ypsilanti state normal last Thursday appeared the names of three young ladies who are well known to Herald readers, Miss Lillian Kunze of East Tawas, and Miss Della and Teresa Shaver of Grand Rapids. The latter two are former Tawas City girls and graduates of the Tawas City high school.

The editor of the Herald was one of those held up at Bay City on account of the washouts on the D. & M. from Monday until Wednesday. This fact, coupled with an extra large amount of job work and advertising will in a measure account for the lateness of the paper this week. We trust that our readers will make allowances. The disarrangement of the mail service has also raised havoc with a portion of our news service.

Fire insurance. Henry Hanson. adv Frank Horton of Whittemore, was in the city Tuesday.

Tom Hill of Hale was in the city on business Wednesday.

A. B. Schneider of Sherman was in the city on business Thursday.

Mrs. Chester Sauve of Hale was a business visitor in the city Thursday. Miss Reece of Cleveland, is the guest of Mrs. Henry Kane, at the Iosco.

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

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Hugh Curran, a well known resident of AuSable for 30 years, died at Detroit last week.

Douglas Ferguson spent a few days this week with his sister, Miss Jean, at Elllake.

Extra good line of hats. Sure to meet your taste in both price and quality. Mrs. L. L. Johnson. adv

Vote "Yes" next Monday on the local option question, for the sake of your home, your family, and your own best interests.

Dr. W. N. Yeager, the dentist, will make his next visits to his Tawas City office on Monday, April 3, and Friday, April 7. See him for dental work. adv

George Sommerfield left Thursday for Columbusville, where he has employment, after spending the winter at the home of his parents on the Townline.

Wm. H. Winton, candidate for the office of constable in Mentor township, Oscoda county, this spring, cast his first vote for John C. Fremont 59 years ago.

The Board of Trade of Tawas City has extended an invitation to the East Tawas Board of Commerce to be their guests at a smoker on Friday evening, April 7.

Mrs. Chas. Harris and her two children, Glenn and Muriel, returned Thursday from a few days business trip to Bay City. While there her son, Temple, visited her over Sunday.

Mrs. A. W. Colby will have her spring millinery opening next week on Friday and Saturday, April 7 and 8. All the latest and best styles in millinery. Residence, Tawas City. Phone 50-J. adv

The name of the postoffice at Elllake has been changed to Long Lake to conform with the name of the railroad station. The change was made upon a petition of the residents of the place.

A union local option meeting will be held Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock at the Presbyterian church and at the Baptist church in the evening at 7:00 o'clock. Mr. Bird will speak at the morning service and Edwin Rawden in the evening.

We have received several signed communications regarding the appeal of the contempt case spoken of by "A Taxpayer" in last week's issue, all favorable to an appeal, but as stated in the article by one of the supervisors in another column the time for appeal has gone by.

Married, at the home of James Leonard on the Townline, on Wednesday, March 29, John McArdle and Miss Josie Emerick, Rev. Alex Anderson of the Tawas City Baptist church officiating. The couple were attended by Frank Dease as best man and Miss Mae Graham as bridesmaid. They were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents. Their many friends will join in extending congratulations and wishing them many years of happily married life.

CHAUTAQUA COMMITTEES.
President Frank F. Taylor of the Iosco Chautauqua association has named the following committees to act for next summer's chautauqua.

Tickets—Eugene Bing, Joseph G. Dimmick, W. J. Robinson, Albert Black, James E. Ballard.

Advertising—Len J. Patterson, John A. Campbell, Edw. C. Marzinski, Henry Kane, Nelson Brabant.

Grounds—W. M. Taylor, Burley Wilson, N. C. Hartingh, Edw. L. King, N. D. Murchison.

Lost—A gold stick pin, horseshoe with an opal and two pearls. Return to J. F. Mark and receive a liberal reward.

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

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Sunday April 2, 6:15 std. time. Topic—"Outgrowing Home Religion." Col. 2:8; Gal. 3:1-2; 1 Thess. 5:21; 1 Tim. 6:20; 2 Tim. 1:3-6; 3:14, 15.

Leader—Miss Maude Sloan. You can't afford to miss it.

Mr. Boyd Swem conducted one of the best meetings it has been our pleasure to attend in some time. The subject of new work was brought home to us in a way that told, and will bear fruit.

The April business meeting will be held at Hamilton's hall next Wednesday evening, April 5, at 7:30, at which time the Leaguers will be the guests of the Misses Edna Worden and Elsie Young. A play will be given as part of the entertainment. You are invited.

Junior League is held every Thursday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock. Anyone between the ages of 6 and 14 inclusive is invited. The size of the League is such that another teacher had to be added, Miss Worden now being one of the teachers. The teaching force is enthusiastic over the work and with the helps at hand much good is going to be derived from the Junior League study.

TEACHERS ATTENTION!

The next regular teacher's examination will be held at Tawas City April 27 and 28. Reading based on "The Man Without a Country."

J. A. Campbell, Commissioner of Schools.

FLOODS DO GREAT DAMAGE

Every railroad in State held up by Washouts and Passenger and Mail Service Disorganized.

The heavy rains of last Saturday and Sunday, coupled with the melting of the heavy snows combined to cause during the past week one of the worst floods that Michigan has ever known. Untold damage has been done and it will be some time before conditions are restored to normal conditions.

Every railroad in Michigan below the straits, with the possible exception of some small lines, has suffered to a greater or less extent from washouts. Of the five railroads running out of Bay City, last Monday the only one able to give service, either mail or passenger, was the Handy line. The P. M. maintained service to Detroit, but the Grand Rapids and Ludington divisions were tied up. The D. & M. train south on Monday got through to Bay City, but No. 3 leaving Bay City at 12:50 that afternoon only got as far as Omer and was then forced to return, a large stretch of track on both sides of the bridge over the Rifle river just south of Omer being washed out. On Tuesday a portion of the track near Kawkawlin was also washed out and no passenger nor mail service was possible until Wednesday afternoon when a train was run as far as the washout and the passengers and mail transferred to another train waiting on the north side of the bridge.

Losses of stock and other property are reported from many portions of the state, and some loss of life is also reported. In many cases the water rose so fast that people had no chance to escape and had to be rescued from flooded residences by means of boats.

On Tuesday the force of the ice and water near Omer caused the collapse of two of the towers of the electric line carrying the power from the AuSable dams, and cities receiving their power from that source were compelled to look elsewhere. The street car service in Bay City was tied up until arrangements were made to get power from Flint and Battle Creek, as the steam plant in Bay City was dismantled for repairs.

Partial passenger and mail service has been resumed on the D. & M. but it will probably be a week at least before those and the freight service are in full running order again.

HOW TO VOTE AGAINST THE SALOON.

If you want to cast your ballot next Monday to drive the saloon and the liquor traffic from Iosco county, mark your ballot as indicated below:

Shall the manufacture of liquor and the liquor traffic be prohibited within the county? YES X

Shall the manufacture of liquor and the liquor traffic be prohibited within the county? NO

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WHEN IS A MAN DRUNK?

Eminent Medical Authority States That One Drink is Sufficient to Intoxicate.

The following article is reprinted by special permission from the American Magazine for April. This permission was secured by telegraph by Judge Widdis of this city, for the Herald. The article was illustrated with life size picture of a cocktail, and was preceded by a short introduction by the editor of the American. The illustration we are unable to reproduce, but the introduction is so pertinent that we give it below:

"Here's to your health" often goes with it.

But experts say that one "little drink" will set you back about 7 per cent in muscular endurance, and about 15 per cent in your ability to remember things.

This is no temperance lecture. It is nothing but an interesting business document for the moderate drinker, the gentleman drinker. It proves that you don't have to drink a lot and make a fool of yourself in order to become a drunk. One drink will make you drunk in the scientific sense—as you will see if you read this article.—The Editor.

By Edwin F. Bowers, M. D. "This is a Cocktail—Life-size!"

The average man drinks because he is an average man and a moderate drinker, and because he knows that he can stop if he wishes. "An occasional drink, yes, sir; a bracer—certainly; but intoxicated—NEVER." But one of the first things the scientists found out when they commenced to measure drunkenness and its effects was that every man who drank alcohol was drunk—in degree—for two or three days afterward.

Now, it is altogether too much to expect a man who has taken only one or two familiar drinks to realize that he is drunk—to a definite, measurable and analyzable extent. But those little clocks, intricate wheels, and serene mechanical devices of the laboratory will know it. There is no guesswork; you can't hypnotize a writing balance, physiologist an ergograph, or bamboozle a memory test. The uniformity in their results is ruthless and final.

An interesting Experiment With Your Index Finger.

An excellent index of a man's capacity for work is the weight he can continue to lift with the index finger. So our scientists requisitioned the ergograph, a celebrated laboratory device invented by Professor Angelo Mosso, to prove a few pertinent facts. In manipulating this testing machine the fingers are clenched around a wooden peg, all but the index finger, and the arm held immovably by being clamped to the arm of a chair. A weight of several kilograms (a kilogram equals 2.2046 pounds) suspended by a small rope that passes over a pulley is raised and lowered by this index finger, until the subjects are forced to desist from exhaustion.

The scientists who probed into the powers of King Alcohol had their subjects repeat this process twelve times, with intervening rests of a minute. Each pull was recorded automatically on a strip of paper, registered by a line. The sum of the lengths of all the lines was translated into "meter kilograms" which meant the work accomplished by the index finger, in raising one kilogram one meter (39.37 inches) against the pull of gravity.

These experiments were made ten times daily, and the total average for each man calculated for a number of days, under conditions of absolute abstinence from drink. Then the men were given a "good glass" of Bordeaux wine, or its alcoholic equivalent,—about one-third ounce of alcohol freely diluted with water,—after each meal, and the experiments repeated. The consequences were a diminution in the ability to withstand the fatigue of weight lifting amounting to seven and six-tenths to eight per cent. These experiments were duplicated hundreds of times by scientists in various parts of Europe. In every instance a definite, measurable loss in muscular efficiency was shown.

You can't Write as Fast or as Accurately After One Drink.

Learned professors next advanced to the consideration of principles involving combined muscular and mental processes. They used the "writing balance," invented by Doctor Kraepelin, professor of Mental Diseases at the University of Munich, probably the most eminent living authority on mental and nervous diseases. This ingenious contrivance had attached to it a fifth-second chronometer which automatically registered time on a rotating drum covered with carbon paper. On the record obtained in this manner the time required in writing a set of characters can be computed with an error of less than one two-hundredths of a second. The unit of time when the trials were based is called a "zeta," which corresponds to one one-hundredth of a second.

The daily exercises began at 8 a. m. The subject's scientifically sober hand was connected with the apparatus, and the figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 were written twice with pencil at top speed. Then the sequence was reversed—10, 9, 8, 7, etc., was twice written; then the German letters "inn," also twice. These were repeated ten times and the total average time consumed by each man was measured. Then he received his allotment of wine, as with the ergograph experiments.

After five minutes the subjects resumed their writing, with instructions to carry out their appointed task in

(Continued on Supplement).

DEATH OF GEORGE STARK.

George Stark, an old resident of Tawas City, died at his home here last Thursday, March 23, after a lingering illness from dropsy and a complication of other diseases.

George Fletcher Stark was born in Norfolk county, province of Ontario, Canada on April 9, 1839. He has been a resident of this city for a number of years and had a great many friends in this vicinity.

Besides the bereaved widow, Mary Stark, he leaves to mourn his loss two sons, Ernest V. Stark of Saginaw and Frank Stark of East Aurora, N. Y., and one daughter, Mrs. Celia Lupton of East Aurora, N. Y.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from the residence, Rev. John Pinches officiating, and the remains were laid to rest in the Tawas City cemetery.

C. E. NOTES.

Christian Endeavor Sunday evening at 6 p. m. Baptist church.

Topic—"The Consecration of time." Psalms 90:1-17.

Leader—Miss Daisy Stockman.

This is consecration meeting. Remember your response and offering. Everybody welcome.

The social and business meeting has been postponed until next Thursday evening.

The Lookout committee would be glad to present your name for membership. Find them if they haven't found you. Miss Grace Braddock, chairman.

A SUPERVISOR'S POSITION

Gives His Opinion and Quotes Law Regarding Contempt Proceedings.

To the Editor:

It seems to be a misunderstanding in the mind of a few residents as to the order made by Judge Widdis requiring the Supervisors to buy certain books for the use of the Circuit Court and also in regard to the contempt proceedings against three of the Supervisors for making contemptuous remarks in open court. Several people have stated that it would be well if the law applicable to these matters were published.

First in regard to the order made by Judge Widdis directing us to audit and allow this bill for books.

Under the law it is the sworn duty of the Supervisors to provide the county with all its necessities including books for the court. They are elected and paid \$4.00 per day, while in session, to attend to their duties. The books were used by the court for about nine months and finally had to be sent back or paid for at once. They have been sent back to the owner.

As to whether or not these books were necessary and as to whether or not the supervisors neglected their duty in not providing them we will quote from Judge Sharpe's decision. He said, addressing the supervisors: "I cannot but believe that in your action in connection with the bill that was presented to you for allowance that you woefully misconceived your duty."

In another part of his decision he said that the books were simply absolutely essential in every circuit court room. I wish to give Judge Sharpe credit where I think he is entitled to it.

Now, the Judicature Act of 1915, chapter 5, section I and sub-section 3, found on page 47, reads as follows: "Every court of record shall have power to punish by fine or imprisonment, or both, persons guilty of any neglect or violation of duty or misconduct in the following cases and no others:

"All attorneys, counselors, clerks, registers, sheriffs, coroners and all other persons in any manner duly elected or appointed to perform any judicial or ministerial services, for any misbehavior in such office or trust or for any willful neglect or violation of duty therein."

As to whether or not the neglect of duty was willful I would have you know that Judge Widdis spoke to many of us individually about the matter and that he appeared personally before the board and told us how necessary those few books were. And I will say further that when he appeared before the board he was deliberately insulted by one member.

Furthermore, we, as a board, voted no less than three times to disallow the bill at the October 1915 and January 1916 sessions of the board.

But the supervisors, or those that voted against allowing the bill, have not been punished for this neglect of duty. The three supervisors were punished for the contemptuous remarks they made in open court and in the immediate view and presence of the court. When the order directing them to allow the bill was served upon them they should have quietly obeyed the order or quietly disobeyed it if they thought that the court was wrong. For making these contemptuous remarks they were fined and sent to jail and proper commitments were made out and handed to the sheriff showing by what warrant and authority he held them.

Now, if they were not held by virtue (Continued on page five).

EAST TAWAS DEPARTMENT

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

Charles Brown of Flint came last Friday for a visit with his family in this city.

The Monday Musical club meets with Mrs. W. B. Murray next Monday afternoon.

Misses Hazel and Kate Jackson are enjoying the spring vacation with their parents in this city.

Floyd Smalley returned home from Glenn last Thursday called here on account of the death of his brother.

Mrs. Charles Christeson of Oscoda has been spending the week at the home of her son, Andrew Christeson.

Fred Tait of Flint visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tait in this city last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Gladys Owen, who is attending the Michigan state normal college this year, is at home for a ten days visit.

The Presbyterian Ladies' aid will hold a social meeting at the home of Mrs. C. F. Klump this Friday afternoon.

Frank Stang of the M. A. C., Lansing, came home last Friday to spend the spring vacation with his parents in this city.

Miss Flossie Voelker, teacher in the schools at Bellevue is visiting this week with her friend, Miss Dorothy Lawson, in this city.

Emil Johnson, who has been visiting with his sister, Mrs. Herman Herstrom, for a few days returned to Alabaster last Wednesday morning.

Dr. C. F. Klump left for Saginaw last Saturday, where he has been attending to some business affairs during this week and also visiting with relatives.

A number of the Ladies of the Maccabees gave Mrs. Alex Marontate a pleasant surprise party last Saturday evening in celebration of her birthday anniversary.

Mrs. C. E. Phillips returned home from Detroit last Monday evening, where she had been visiting at the home of her brother, Thomas Warren, for about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dimmick and son, John, returned home from Saginaw last Monday evening. Mrs. Dimmick had been called there on account of the death of her sister.

Mrs. Andrew Mattson and daughter, Mrs. Emma Larry, of Malthy, spent the latter part of last week in the city attending to some business affairs and visiting with friends.

Miss Dorothy Smalley, who has been at home nearly a week on account of the death of her brother, John Grinke, returned to her duties as teacher of the schools at Elllake.

Ernest Spring of Alabaster was accidentally shot in the leg last Wednesday while hunting near East Tawas. He was taken to Alabaster, where he has been working this winter and is rapidly recovering.

M. E. church services next Sunday: Morning service at 10:00. Mr. Edwin Rawden will deliver a temperance sermon at this time. Sunday school, 11:30; Epworth League, 6:00. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:00 p. m. Rev. John Pinches, pastor.

An annual meeting of the members and congregation of the Presbyterian church was held on Thursday evening. A large number were in attendance. Reports were given by all departments of the church work. After the business was transacted a lunch was served to all present.

Rev. William Roberts will be in Oscoda Saturday and Sunday of this week and will preach on Sunday in that city. The pulpit in the Presbyterian church of this city will be occupied by Rev. Levi Bird, Sunday evening, who was formerly pastor of the M. E. church at AuSable at the time of the fire of 1911. Mr. Bird will also deliver a temperance lecture at the opera house Friday evening of this week.

Last Saturday afternoon the B Sharp club of girls were entertained at the home of Misses Eleanor Barbour and Mary Hale in celebration of their birthday anniversaries which occurred during the week. Miss Eleanor's on Friday, March 24 and Miss Mary's on Tuesday, March 21. The afternoon was enjoyed immensely by all present, games were indulged in after which a dainty lunch was served. The girls presented each with a piece of jewelry. This club of girls was organized some months ago and has been meeting every Saturday afternoon at the several homes of the members.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Miss Marie Ross next Friday afternoon.

Roy Burch of Bay City arrived last Friday to attend the funeral of his friend, John Grinke.

Mrs. Lydia Jarvilla from Alabaster has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. Anderson, this week.

Burdon Dimmick came home from the M. A. C. last Friday afternoon for the regular spring vacation.

Miss Marie Stang, principal of the high school at Otisville is enjoying a ten days vacation at her home in this city.

Presbyterian church services next Sunday: Sunday school, 11:30; Christian Endeavor, 6:00, topic, "Consecration of Time." Evening service, 7:00. Mr. Levi Bird on the liquor traffic. Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 7:30. William Roberts, minister.

An interesting meeting took place at the Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening. On account of the delay of trains at present, the speaker of the evening did not arrive until after 9 o'clock but Mr. Adams, president of the Salvation Army of Alpena was present and gave a soul-stirring account of his past life in which he portrayed the evils of the liquor traffic and what intemperance will do.

He ended with some beautiful songs of his own composition. Mrs. Shoemaker, campaign speaker of the W. C. T. U., then delivered a fine temperance lecture. Her arguments were clear and convincing and she took up all the arguments of the "wets" and proved the falsity of each.

MACCABEE ANNIVERSARY. Last Friday evening the 30th anniversary of the Ladies of the Maccabees was celebrated at the Maccabee hall. The program opened with a history of the order written by Mrs. F. E. Hayes and given by the commander, Anna Marontate.

The members and guests were then favored by selections given by the male quartette, Arthur Applin, Arthur Wyman, Clyde Berube and Philip Applin, accompanist, Miss Yvonne Berube. A vocal duet was given by Misses Carrie Parker and Florence Venners, and a vocal solo by Miss Selma Hagstrom, accompanist, Miss Helen Applin.

F. F. French then gave the address of the evening on the great brotherhood of man which was interesting and full of good thoughts and was much appreciated by all. The program then closed with selections by the male quartette after which light refreshments were served. About forty members and friends were present at this gathering.

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to extend our grateful appreciation and sincere thanks to all the friends who rendered their services and sympathy and who so kindly assisted us during the last illness and death of our dear son and brother. We sincerely thank all the friends who sent beautiful floral sprays.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Grinke and family.

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors who extended their sympathy and assistance during the recent illness and death of our husband and father.

Mary E. Stark, Ernest Stark, Frank Stark, Mrs. Celia Lupton.

LAIDLAWVILLE.

Mrs. Thornton returned to her home in Tawas City on Saturday.

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SOME PERTINENT QUESTIONS.

If the saloon business is a respectable business, as it claims to be, why does it have to be conducted behind curtains and screens, instead of openly and above board like a grocery or dry goods store? And why is it considered necessary to have a "Family Entrance" or "Ladies Entrance" separate from the one used by the men customers? If the liquor business is so respectable why do the whiskey houses advertise to send their goods in "plain, unmarked packages" instead of having their advertisement on the outside as is customary with other goods?

The wets say that there can be intemperance in eating, or in drinking tea or coffee as well as in drinking liquor. True, but did you ever hear of a man going home and thrashing his wife or children after eating a good meal? As we said before, men may be intemperate in eating or in drinking tea or coffee, but how many are? You never saw a man lose his job from these causes, did you? Nor did you ever hear of murder committed because of them, where liquor can be blamed for thousands of such cases.

You wouldn't object to your son or daughter working in a store where groceries or dry goods were sold would you? But would you want them to work in a place where liquor was sold? Would you want them in the company of men and women who drink and make fools of themselves committing all kinds of excesses?

You may think, Mr. Farmer Voter, that these questions apply only to people in the cities. But you don't know how soon your boy or girl may go to the city, and then they will apply to you. Think them over, and for the sake of the boys and girls, who are soon to be men and women, for the sake of the good name of the community in which you live, and for your own self-respect, when you go to the polls next Monday vote YES, and drive the saloons from Iosco county.

Old newspapers for sale at this office per bundle.

PAPER PRICES ARE SOARING.

For the past year and a half the printers of the country have been receiving regularly from the paper dealers notices of advances in the prices of all kinds of paper. Each advance gave notice of anywhere from five to 10 per cent advance until at the present time the total advances amount to an average of 25 per cent over the prices prevailing in 1915.

The largest increases are in the colored papers, owing to the scarcity of dyes which were formerly obtained from Europe, and the supply of which has been cut off by the war. Some colors of paper are absolutely unobtainable, and the prices on all grades have increased about 40 per cent.

A few days ago the Herald received from two of the paper houses with whom we deal circulars showing the comparative costs of materials entering into the manufacture of paper, and stating that they could not guarantee any stable price list for a definite period. Following is the circular in full:

To the Trade:
In order that you may be familiar with the causes of the general advance in all papers we call attention to the following schedule of comparative costs of materials entering into the paper manufacture, comparing the present prices with those of 1915:

Alum, 1915, 1c lb.; 1916, 4c lb.
Bleach, 1915, 1c lb.; 1916, 7c lb.; Aniline dyes, 1915, 40c lb.; 1916, \$20.00 lb. Casein, 1915, 6 1/2c lb.; 1916, 23c lb. Soda-Ash, 1915, 65c lb.; 1916, \$1.03 lb. Bleached sulphite, 1915, \$2.65 lb.; 1916, \$4.00 lb. Rosin, \$3.75 bbl.; 1916, \$6.50 bbl. Fourdrinier wires, 1915, 29c sq. ft.; 1916, 39c sq. ft. Woolen and cotton felts, 10 per cent.

When it is understood that a single mill of fair capacity will use 25 to 30 carloads of alum, 1500 to 2000 tons of Bleach, 2000 to 2500 tons of Casein, 25,000 and upward of Bleached Sulphite per year, it will be readily understood that these costs mean even still further advances in selling prices.

As we notified you heretofore, we cannot guarantee any prices now made, for a definite period and we reserve the right to change any price without notice. We are and will be, however, in a position to make as low a price to our trade as the market conditions will warrant at any time.

We are,
Yours very truly,
Chope-Stevens Paper Company.

When we were apprised of the probable increase in paper prices about a year ago, the Herald bought heavily at the then prevailing prices, and thus

far has made no advances in the prices charged to our customers. However, even a large stock will not last forever, and we now find ourselves compelled to go into the market and purchase at the increased prices now prevailing. Naturally this advance in price of paper will compel a small advance in the prices of commercial printing, especially where colored paper is used. Our customer are assured, however, of the lowest prices consistent with the class of work furnished, and will receive the benefit as soon as conditions reduce paper prices to their former standard.

IOSCO COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL RALLY.

The annual rally of the Iosco county Sunday School association will be held at Whittemore Saturday evening and Sunday, April 1st and 2nd. A fine program has been prepared and every Sunday school in the county is requested to send as many delegates as possible.

Following is the program:
Saturday Evening.
7:30 Song service
Devotional.
Rev. McKenzie, Whittemore
Welcome.
Mr. W. H. Price, Whittemore
Response.
Mr. O. S. Nicholls, Ellake
Address, "Truth About Mexico," Prof. F. S. Goodrich, Albion.

Sunday Morning.
10:30 Song and devotional
President's address.
Rev. J. B. Brown, Tawas City
Address, "The S. S. Teacher and Prayer," Prof. F. S. Goodrich, Albion
Sunday school
Elementary Dept. in charge of Mrs. O. S. Nicholls, Ellake
Sunday Afternoon.

2:30 Song and devotional
Address, "Necessity of Education in S. S.," Mr. J. A. Campbell, Tawas City
Report of schools
Address, "Paul in Rome," Prof. F. S. Goodrich, Albion
Sunday Evening.

7:30 Song and devotional
Report of state convention
J. H. Nisbet, Maple Ridge
Address, "The Sunday School Teacher and the Holy Spirit," Prof. Goodrich, Albion.

Fred Goodrich, son of Prof. Goodrich, will also be present and deliver an address on subjects of interest.

Likely to Go Hungry.
An old Cheshire woman called to her lord and master: "Jabez! Will t' coom t' the baggin'?" "Baggin' in Cheshire means dinner. 'What's use?' Ah canna find my old weskit." "Well, it's warm enough. 'The can eyt wifout thil old weskit?" "Nay; that Ah canna. Ah've got my false teeth i' t' pockets. 'Then thail he to starve. Ah gawnat weskit to t' ragnan this mornin'."—London Mail.

THOSE CRAFTY WETS.

They are a crafty lot, these men whose highest ambition in life is to restore the rule of King Booze to Michigan, whose hearts are sad at the sight of the workman going home on Saturday night sober and taking his whole pay with him; who find life dull without the grief of the beaten wife and the sobs of the neglected children of their customers to cheer them up and amuse them.

For some time those wets have been in a quandary. County after county has gone dry. Concentrate as they might, the foreign vote might have saved them, voted dry initially by the ballots of the surrounding county under the county option system, only to stay dry by choice after they had once tried it.

So many counties have gone dry and so many cities, forced at first to be dry have stayed dry because they found it was a good thing for them, that the natural evolution has been the statewide prohibition constitutional amendment to be submitted next fall, an amendment that most of the regular folks believe and not a few of the saloon men fear will be carried.

And the trouble of the wets has been that they did not see just how they were going to line up their former adherents in the already dry territory to help beat back this impending avalanche of decency. The liquor adherents in the territory now wet have plenty of incentive to get out and fight the amendment, for its passage means that their flow of dirty money would stop and they might even have to go to work.

But the liquor men of the dry territories have been able to see no very strong reason why they should spend their time and the money that comes harder for them now than it did in the good old wet days, when the best they could hope for in the event of the defeat of the amendment was to see other men get all the profits, leaving them only a chance to spend still more time and still more money in efforts to win back their own particular territories.

But now those brilliant booze leaders in Detroit, whose facility for thinking up schemes to make the state saloon keepers help them win their battles has always been one of the marvels of the age, have come through with a scheme to make the upstate parts get in and bear their usual part of the load. Tuesday the Wayne wets submitted to the secretary of state for his approval a form of amendments to reduce the local option unit to cities and townships instead of counties.

As soon as that amendment is prepared and the work of securing referendum petitions has got fairly under way we will hear the good old chorus of "Home Rule" from the wets and all sorts of perverid arguments about the rights of cities and townships to settle the booze question for themselves. The argument will, of course, come from the same men who talked themselves blue in the face about the crime of allowing so small a unit as a county to settle the drink question for itself, but what does that matter?

The all absorbing fact is that the Detroit brewers have once more been able to think out a scheme to make the upstate wets pull their chestsnuts out of the fire for them.

The fact that if their amendment carried and the prohibition amendment lost it would be no time until most of the state was dry under the smaller unit, with the big money still going to the Detroit brewers for express shipments to those who cannot do without their beer in their own homes, is not the least interesting part of the scheme to the Wayne wets, but they are not urging that part of it to their upstate dupes.—Lansing Journal.—Advertisement.

A SIGNED INTERVIEW FROM HON. LAWTON T. HEMANS.

To the Democrats of Michigan:
For twenty years, at least, it has been my privilege to have intimate acquaintance with the men who in the larger sense have contributed the energy and the means to further the interest of the Democratic party in Michigan, and of both energy and means no man in the state in that time has made as large a contribution as Edwin O. Wood, of Flint.

Political parties are made potent through their organizations, and organizations are perfected and kept intact through the liberality and sacrifice of their members. If the Democratic party in Michigan has been to any degree impotent, it has been because it has had too few men of the loyalty, energy of Mr. Wood, and too many men like the few who now constitute themselves his critics, who, during the same years, have contributed nothing to make the party as potent as it has been.

Political disintegration either through promoting factional differences or supporting candidates of the opposition has never been furthered by Edwin O. Wood; he has always supported loyally the candidates of his party.
Twice I was honored by the party as its candidate for the governorship, and I have never been aware that there was factional division within the party in the support which I received. In both campaigns, the first contributions to advance the work of the State Central Committee, came in the form of remittances from Mr. Wood which aggregated from five hundred to a thousand dollars for each campaign and constituted from a fifth to a tenth of all the funds received by the committee while the names of most of the gentlemen who are now asking that the direction of party affairs be given over to them, were not on the list at all.

If loyalty to party principles and candidates, the sacrifice of time, energy and money, and the promotion of party solidarity as against factional division, entitle a man to consideration in the party organization, Edwin O. Wood has preeminently earned a reelection as a member of the Democratic National Committee.
adv Lawton T. Hemans.

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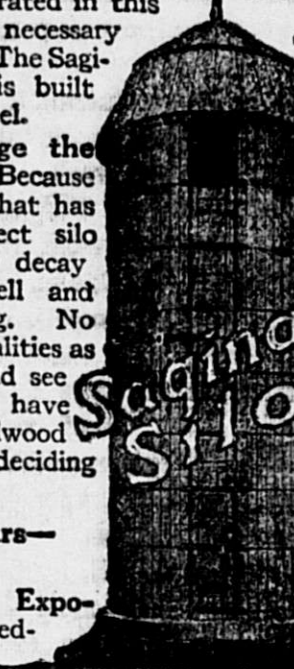
Whether you have bought a silo or not, you have read a great deal about silos and silage. You have listened to one agent and another talk about the merits of their silos. You have read advertisements and catalogues about silos. You have endeavored to decide wisely what silo you should buy. This advertisement is written to help you choose the silo that will give you honest returns on your investment.

During the last ten years the sale of Saginaw Silos has been increasing every year until today we stand as leaders in the field of silo manufacturers. This is due to the fact that every year the Saginaw Silo has been ahead in improvements. Today the Saginaw Silo is as good a silo as can be made along sensible building lines. The construction of the Saginaw Silo is the result of a scientific application of accepted building principles.

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A SUPERVISORS POSITION.
(Continued from first page.)

...ue of a court and the sheriff had no commitments and they were held merely, let us say, because "Tom, Dick or Harry" said to hold them, and there were no judge or circuit court commissioner in the county at the particular time to hear their application for a release, then and only then, would they have been entitled to have gone to the judge of an adjoining circuit and ask for a release on a writ of habeas corpus.

The facts, however, were that they were held by virtue of a judgment of our circuit court on commitments that have never even been criticized and Judge Widdis and Circuit Court Commissioner Harting, were both here all the time; and both were authorized to hear any appeal for release. Neither were consulted at all. What Judge Sharpe should have done when the sheriff presented the prisoners together with the papers by which he held them I will leave for you to judge from the following. The

law on habeas corpus writs is very plain. In the Judiciary Act of 1915, page 276 we find that section 8 and sub-section 3 read as follows: "The following persons shall not be entitled to prosecute such writs (habeas corpus): persons convicted or in execution upon legal process, civil or criminal."

Section 28 and sub-section 3 of the same chapter and act, found on page 280, reads as follows: "It shall be the duty of such judge or officer forthwith to remand such party if it shall appear that he is detained in custody, and if he is not so charged."

Sec. 30 of same chapter and act, found on page 281, reads as follows: "But no court or officer, on the return of any habeas corpus or certiorari issued under this chapter, shall have power to inquire into the legality or justice of any process, judgment, decree or execution, specified in the preceding eighth section of this chap-

ter: (Section eight quoted above in this article) nor into the justice of property of any commitment for a contempt made by any court officer or body, according to law and charges in such commitment as hereinbefore provided."

The reason for thus providing that one court cannot try concepts committed in another court is this: A contempt may consist of shaking a fist at the court, or in an insulting attitude or in the tone or inflection of the voice. Contempt might be shown in many ways besides in words spoken. The judge who sees and hears it can judge it.

In other words contempt of court in its final analysis is an attitude of mind evidenced by gesture or voice or words or what not. The judge before whom it occurred is competent to judge the matter because he has the evidence of it before him. Now, such scenes cannot be re-enacted before another judge at another place and time, consequently he has not the evidence before him and cannot review the judgment of the judge who saw and heard. The legislature knew this and passed the above law in an attempt to prevent another judge from attempting to review it.

No fact, whether going to the contempt or to the jurisdiction of the court before which it occurs can be reviewed by another court having only equal and co-ordinate powers.

It has been said by some that the order of Judge Sharpe releasing these men should be over-ruled and the men put in jail again for their contempt. But we read in sec. 48. of same act and same chapter, found on page 284, as follows:

"If any person, either solely or as a member of any court, or in the execution of any order, judgment or process shall knowingly re-commit, imprison or restrain of his liberty or cause to be re-committed, imprisoned or restrained of his liberty, for the same cause, except as provided in the last preceding section, any person so discharged or shall knowingly aid or assist therein, he shall be liable to the party aggrieved in the sum of one thousand dollars damages, and shall also be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor."

The only body that could have sent these men to jail again after they were released by Judge Sharpe was the supreme court. That court could have reversed Judge Sharpe's decision in releasing these men, if an appeal had been taken. But the only defendant in the habeas corpus proceeding was the sheriff, Collie Johnson, and he wouldn't appeal. When a man is licked in a law suit and is glad of it, it is pretty hard to make him appeal. Neither our court nor Judge Widdis was a party. Judge Widdis was heard in the matter only as a courtesy. The time for appeal has gone by.

Judge Widdis has been criticized by some because the sentence of these men was thought by them to be severe. Let me ask all such this question: If you were judge of the circuit court and as such were charged with keeping it free and clear from politics and all other contaminating influences how would you regard what you thought was a deliberate attempt to introduce politics into it? Our court is our temple of justice and as such is our most sacred institution, and if the serpent of party politics attempts to crawl into it, it deserves to be whacked as hard as the law allows. What graver thing can anyone do that that of subverting or attempting to subvert our courts? They are the bulwarks of society and stand almost alone between order and anarchy. And things are gone too far when men who attempt to wreck them are hailed as "heroes."

Judge Widdis made absolutely no mistake in this supervisor matter at any time and the unwillingness of the sheriff to appeal (which would cost neither him nor the county anything) indicates it. The judge followed the law exactly, used excellent judgment and certainly has been absolutely fearless. It is as Gov. Ferris wrote to him a few days ago. He said: "The newspapers have misrepresented the matter in part but the judges and lawyers of the state understand all right. Go ahead. And do the best you can."

It is rumored that the board at its next meeting is to attempt to reimburse with money from the county treasury the supervisors who were punished for the expense they were put to.

Your vote on April 3rd will say whether you wish this to be done or not and how you regard the occurrences of the past few weeks.

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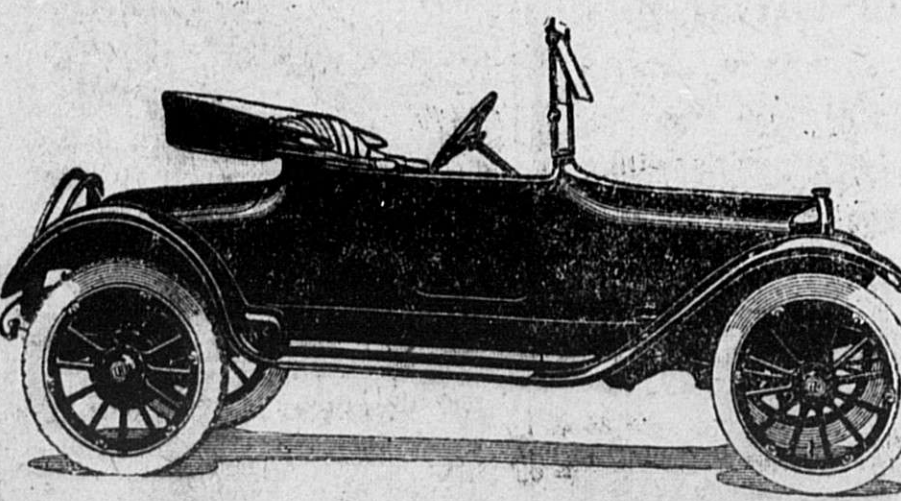
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NEWS FROM THE IOSCO COUNTY SCHOOLS.

FATHER'S FARMER BOY.
By Percy Dobson.
Age Thirteen. Sixth grade.
There lived a boy in the south. His name was Peter. He was about fourteen years of age. His father and mother lived on the farm, and it was a large one with many hundred acres in it.
On this farm in the spring, they employed hundreds of men to work. They used on their farm gang plows with which they could plow eight or ten furrows at a time. They do not use many horses for they use steam engines, which are twenty-four horse power, and thus can do the work much faster.
I help my father on the farm in the summer and go to school in the winter. I like school and like to work on the farm also. But the farmers work is much different than in the south. We do not have so many acres of land and do not have so much work to do.
We use horses and do not have steam engines. I like to work on the farm and drive team, and I think all other boys on the farm do too.

CHILDREN'S TIME FOR PLAY.
By Marcella Gillespie.
Age 12. Sixth grade.
Once there was an old widow. She was very poor. She had three children. They had to work very hard, so they did not have very much time to play.
She got her living by washing for other people. She said her children worked so well that she would let them go out and play awhile. They would not stay very long for they knew she was tired. They would come in and go to work again. So they got along very well.
"Work while you work. Play while you play. That is the way to be Happy and gay."

MOTHER'S KINDNESS TO HER CHILDREN.
By Helena Seafert.
Age 12. Seventh grade.
Mothers are always kind to their children and they show their kindness to them by clothing and giving them food to eat.
Once there was a woman. She had five children. Two girls and three boys. Their names were Emma, Esther, James, Willie and Arthur. Their mother was very kind to them. She worked very hard. Her name was Mrs. Barley.
She had a husband but he had gone to war; and so never returned home again. It was three years since he started out and never heard from him.
One day the five children started to go coasting down hill but they thought of their mother at home above and so they would not go. They went home to their mother again. Their mother asked them why they did not go coasting down hill, and when they told her why, she said, "You are certainly good to your parent," although you have no father, I know you would be just as kind to him as you are to me."

OUR MOTTO.
"If girls and boys will just be true, And do the things they ought to do, In twenty years, my goodness me, What splendid grown folks there will be!"

OUR FARM PETS.
By Helena Seafert.
Age 12. Sixth grade.
I am not a very large girl for my age. I live in Michigan. I go to school, my teacher's name is Mrs. Dyke. I live on a farm of 160 acres.
I do love farm pets and I have a lot of them. I have a rabbit. It is black and white. Its name is Bunny. That is not all though, for I have a dog. He is black and is ten years old. Then I have two cats. They are black and white.
I have three doves, a colt and a calf. The colt will be a year old the 9th day of August and the calf will be a year old the 25th of December.
I used to have a white horse. Her name was Flora. She was born the 5th of June, 1886. She died the 19th of October, 1915. We had her ever since she was a colt. She was a nice gentle horse. Papa always said he would not sell her, she would die on our farm, and she did. At first I missed her but now I do not mind it so much. She died when she was 29 years. I guess I shall never forget when she died, because she was my favorite.
Our teacher has tried to teach us many things things and I think she will succeed at last don't you? I will try to do my best and try to help the others too, if I can.

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Probate Notice.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Iosco.
At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the city of Tawas City in said county on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1916.
Present: Hon. David Davison, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of James Manery, deceased. William Groff, having filed in said court his final administration account, and a petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.
It is ordered: That the TWENTY-FIRST day of APRIL, A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.
It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, or three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.
A true copy. Judge of Probate. WILLIAM H. FLYNN, Register of Probate.

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ELECTION NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that the next succeeding Annual City Election will be held in the city of Tawas City, state of Michigan, on
Monday, April 3, A. D. 1916.
At the following place in said city, viz.: City Hall.
At which election the following officers are to be voted for, and the propositions as given below are to be voted upon, viz:
City—One mayor; one city clerk; one city treasurer; one justice of the peace; 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 proposition or propositions to vote upon at said election involving the direct expenditure of public money or the issue of bonds every qualified woman elector who is duly registered will 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 p. m. of said day of election.
Dated Feb. 28, 1916.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.
To the qualified electors of the city of Tawas City, state of Michigan: Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to the election above designated, the board of registration of said city, will be in session from eight o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m. on
Saturday, April 1, 1916
At the following place in said city, viz.: City Hall. 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 can be had at the city clerk's office.
Woman Electors—The Boards 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 February 28, 1916.
John B. King, City Clerk.

LOCAL OPTION.
Notice is hereby given to the qualified male electors of the City of Tawas City, State of Michigan:
That at the annual city election and general spring election to be held on Monday, April 3, 1916, at the places designated for holding such election, due legal notice of which has been given, a proposition will be submitted to the qualified electors of said city to prohibit the manufacture of liquors and the liquor traffic within the County of Iosco, State of Michigan, of which said city constitutes a part, in accordance with Act No. 207, Public Acts of 1889, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, in compliance with a resolution and order of the Board of Supervisors of said county relating thereto. Ballots will be provided reading as follows in part:
Shall the manufacture of liquors and the liquor traffic be prohibited within the county—[] Yes.
Shall the manufacture of liquors and the liquor traffic be prohibited within the county—[] No.
Every legally cast ballot found to have a cross marked by an elector in the square pertaining to the word Yes will be counted for said proposition; and every legally cast ballot found to have a cross marked by an elector in the square pertaining to the word No will be counted against said proposition.
Dated this 17th day of March A. D. 1916.
JOHN B. KING, Clerk of said City.

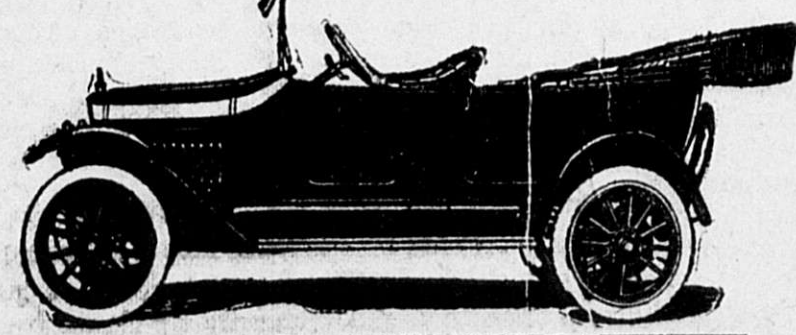
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Whitemore School Notes.
It pays to be careful with the bell. Doesn't it Alfrietta?
Vera Hurford acted as current event leader Friday morning.
Several of our pupils were rather sleepy Friday. We wonder why.
The fifth, sixth and seventh grades have memorized the poem, "March."
The foot ball season being over, our boys are now interested in base ball.
Our attendance was small Monday on account of the storm and bad roads.
Hazel Jacques returned to school Wednesday morning after a few days visit at Standish.
Our pupils enjoyed the story, "The Man Without a Country," read by Mr. Jackson Monday.
Harvey Ostrander, the president of the W. C. club, being absent Friday afternoon the chair was taken by vice president Bessie Leslie.
The W. C. club enjoyed a base ball spelling contest last Friday afternoon. The score being a tie. It was agreed to be finished next Friday.
Primary Room.
The fourth grade have begun using a spelling book.
The fourth grade are having a review in arithmetic.

The fourth grade begun reading in their supplementary readers.
There were only twenty-three pupils present Monday, due to floods.
The children are enjoying the airy stories which are being read by Miss Graham.
Last Friday the second, third and fourth grades had a spelling contest. Fifty words were given for them to write. The following pupils had perfect papers: Agnes Porter, Alma Cataline, Frances Gay, Marcedis St. James, Harold Middleton, Norman Chippis and Elizabeth.
Last Friday the pupils of the second, third and fourth grades had a contest in rapid arithmetic. Fifty combinations were given for them to write. The answers of the following pupils were all correct: Myrtle Campbell, Elizabeth Price, Agnes Carter, Alphonso St. James, Harold Middleton, John Porter, George Maxwell.

RENO RUMBLINGS.

Miss Ellen Frockins returned home Saturday.
Byron Latter enjoyed a weeks vacation at the parental home.
Mr. Lomis of Bay City is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Fred Latter.

Elon Thompson and family moved to the Cleveland ranch Tuesday.
On account of the bad weather, J. M. Johnston's sale was postponed until Friday.
White and sister, Grace, visited at the home of Albert Syze of Hale Tuesday.
Esther Jackson went to Detroit one day last week to care for her sister, Nellie, who is sick.
Mr. Girtz who has spent the winter months at his home in Ohio, returned to his ranch Saturday.
News has been received that May Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Johnson, was recently married to Mr. Jasper Davison of Flint.
Owing to the S. S. convention at Whitemore Saturday evening and Sunday, the Baptist church services will be postponed Sunday afternoon.
The M. E. ladies aid met on Wednesday of this week with Mrs. Sam Barnes. There were eleven ladies present and considerable work was accomplished.
The robins, blue birds, meadow larks, shrike birds, and killdeers have all returned. Their cheerful calls may be heard on every side to remind us that summer is on the way.
The aurora borealis or northern lights were most beautiful on Wednesday evening about 9 o'clock. Those who missed seeing them missed a delightful free moving picture show.
Dr. Horne of Chicago who spoke on the "other side" of the question at the town hall Tuesday evening surprised a number of his hearers by talking on temperance. Owing to the roads the crowd was small, but the speaker did his part well.

WHITEMORE.

Rain is the order of the day.
Ellsworth Glendennin spent Sunday in our city.
A large crowd attended the movies Saturday evening.
Deputy Sheriff Chase was here on business Saturday.
Colia Abbott was at East Tawas Saturday getting dental work done.
Dr. Lyon did not come back from East Tawas Monday on account of the storm.
The attendance at the lecture was small Saturday evening on account of the storm.
Murlein and Hessie Shaffer of Flint are visiting relatives and friends here.
Take Jims advice and save your lard and candy pails as they come in handy when the streets are flooded, especially when you have no rubber boots.
Those who attend the movies Saturday night will see a good two reel feature, entitled, "The Closing of the Circuit," and also two additional comedy reels.
James Leslie received a curious looking animal called a "Horned Toad" from his brother, George, in California. It took its trip across the country by parcel post.
A sleigh load of our young folks attended the surprise party at Barnum's Thursday evening. The evening was spent in music and games, after which a delicious supper was served. And at the early hour of two they departed for their homes. Now and again we could hear some say, "I am afraid to go home in the dark." We wonder what happened to their flash lights?

HEMLOCK SLIVERS.

Mrs. Wm. Brown is on the sick list.
George McArdle is still confined to his bed.
Mr. Fisher is improving from an attack of diphtheria.
Henry Frick of Mio is visiting at the home of his aunt, M. W. E. Smith.
Geo. Youngs is busy building a new house on his farm on the Meadow road.
Measles are now spreading in the Greenwood district. Six families are now quarantined.
Mrs. Dempsey and daughter, Hattie, visited her sister, Mrs. Newberry, in Wilber last week.
Marj Long is getting timber ready for the building of a new barn as soon as the weather permits.
Frank Stark of East Aurora, New York, spent Monday at the home of his uncle, Reuben Smith.
Miss Stella McArdle returned to school in Tawas Tuesday after being confined at home for two weeks with illness.
They arrived at the home of Joseph Fisher on Sunday March 19, a baby girl. The family are all recovering from diphtheria.
The lecture by C. E. Dowell at the church last Saturday evening was well attended in spite of the bad roads and weather.
Roy Smith came up from Flint and spent a few days at his home here before going to Dayton, Ohio, where he has employment.
The many friends of Mrs. May Tambling are sorry to learn that her health is in a critical condition. She has gone to Battle Creek for treatment.
The water was never known to be high here as it was Monday. The bridges over the river at C. A. Curry's and at J. L. Frazier's and the one over the creek at John Durant's were all washed out.

HALE AND VICINITY.

Thurman Scofield was a Reno caller Tuesday.
Geo. Dubeay was a Tawas City visitor on Wednesday of last week.
Mr. Ward and family from Chesaning have moved onto the Chas. Ballard farm.
Miss Myrtle Clark left for Detroit, last Wednesday after spending a few weeks at home.
Many bridges and culverts have been taken out by the high water resulting from the melting snow and heavy rains this week.
Mrs. Chas. Ballard was called to Linden one day last week by a telegram telling that her mother, Mrs. Barnard, was very ill.
Miss Edna Shattuck came home from Toledo on Monday last. We have learned that she has been ill for some time and has been confined to her bed most of the time since her return.

GOVERNOR OF MICHIGAN SUPPORTS LOCAL OPTION

(COPY OF LETTER)

W. N. Ferris, Gov. W. P. Nisbett, Priv. Sec'y. E. C. Austin, Ex-Clk.
STATE OF MICHIGAN
Executive Office,
Lansing.

Big Rapids, Mich.,
February 26, 1916.

My Dear Sir:—

I have your letter of February 23rd, in relation to local option. The county in which I live, Mecosta, voted dry by a very small majority four years ago. Two years later the county went dry again by a much larger majority. The city of Big Rapids went wet in the first dry election. In the second election the city of Big Rapids went dry. I say without hesitation that the banks of Mecosta county, the general business of Mecosta county has improved under the dry regime. During the four years the law has been sanely enforced. There is little or no "bootlegging." It is true that we vote on this question again this spring, but unless the people are asleep the county will again go dry. If the sentiment of Delta county is for the enforcement of law, no better service can be rendered to the people than to vote the county dry. From the standpoint of business it is a wise step to take. From the standpoint of morals and religion there is no question of doubt. Go ahead and make Delta county dry.

Cordially yours,

WOODBRIDGE N. FERRIS,
Governor.

Mr. A. Ivan Pelter,
Escanaba, Mich.

SHERMAN SHOTS.

Wayne Mark was at East Tawas Tuesday.
A. B. Schneider was at the Tawasess Thursday.
P. E. Hamman was in Tawas City Saturday.
C. H. Mark was a business caller at Turner Saturday.
Station agent Field spent Sunday at his home at Greenbush.
No school in district No. 1 this week on account of the high water.
Miss Anna Sands is spending this week at her home at Tawas City.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Hamman of Emery Junction an 8 pound baby girl.
Miss Ellen Buswell attended the McArdle-Emerick wedding on Wednesday.
Geo. Schroeder, Chas. Stone and Will Pringle were at Tawas City Wednesday.
Miss Maude Sloan of Tawas City visited her sister, Mrs. P. E. Hamman, of Emery.
Mr. Appen, whose home was destroyed by fire last week moved his family to Bay City.
The high water has caused considerable damage to Sherman township. Two bridges and several culverts were washed out.

WHAT BENEFIT IS THE D. & M. R. TO THE SAGINAW BAY COUNTRY.

The writer some years ago helped on the survey of the C. S. & M. railroad from Tawas City to Bay City through Alabaster, AuGres and along the shore, but as yet we have no railroad. Practically speaking the road about way that we have now is not much better than the old stage coach. A few days ago the railroad officials were approached in regard to closing up the gap between Alabaster and AuGres and the answer was that they, the D. & M., could not see when they could go to that expense as there was nothing to warrant the outlay. Of course the writer and the D. & M. officials can not see it the same way. If I am right they can afford to run trains between Emery Junction and Tawas and I warrant they do not average three cars of freight in that distance and Alabaster alone gives them as high as thirty-two cars a day, and engine at their own expense to deliver to the D. & M., and the consequences are that the Gypsum Co. have talked of putting in a dock and shipping their raw material by boat. If they do the same D. & M. railroad will do well if they carry three cars a day instead of what they are now doing.
But that is not all. The farming country between Alabaster and AuGres is second to none in Michigan and in fact there is a better sugar beet field in the country, but it can not be developed for the simple reason that the hauling either to Alabaster or AuGres is too far, where as if this little gap was closed up there would be thousands of acres of sugar beets cultivated.
Another thing we have a real mountain of building rock which the writer has seen quarried with pole axes and pikes without an ounce of dirt to remove, and saying nothing about the passenger traffic from Point Look-out, a summer resort that is surpassed by none in northern Michigan, and yet it can not be developed as a business man's resort. If he wants to go there he must take a vacation. So when the railroad officials say there is nothing to warrant closing up the gap between Alabaster and AuGres it puts me in mind of the store I went into and I asked the clerk why he did not get around and wait upon his customers and I advised him if he did not they would go somewhere else and the answer was, if they did he would have less to do.
Individuals favoring closing of said gap will address The Grangers, Alabaster, Mich.
John Anderson.

Wanted It Done Over Again.

The teacher of the primary room was reprimanding one of the small boys for some misdemeanor on the playground just at the close of her remarks, Ralph came up to where they were standing and said: "Please will you scold him again, I didn't hear what you said."

Why He Went.

"Do you go to Sunday school every Sunday, my little man?" "Sure pa won't let me go to the movies if I don't."—New York World.

Old newspapers for sale at this office.

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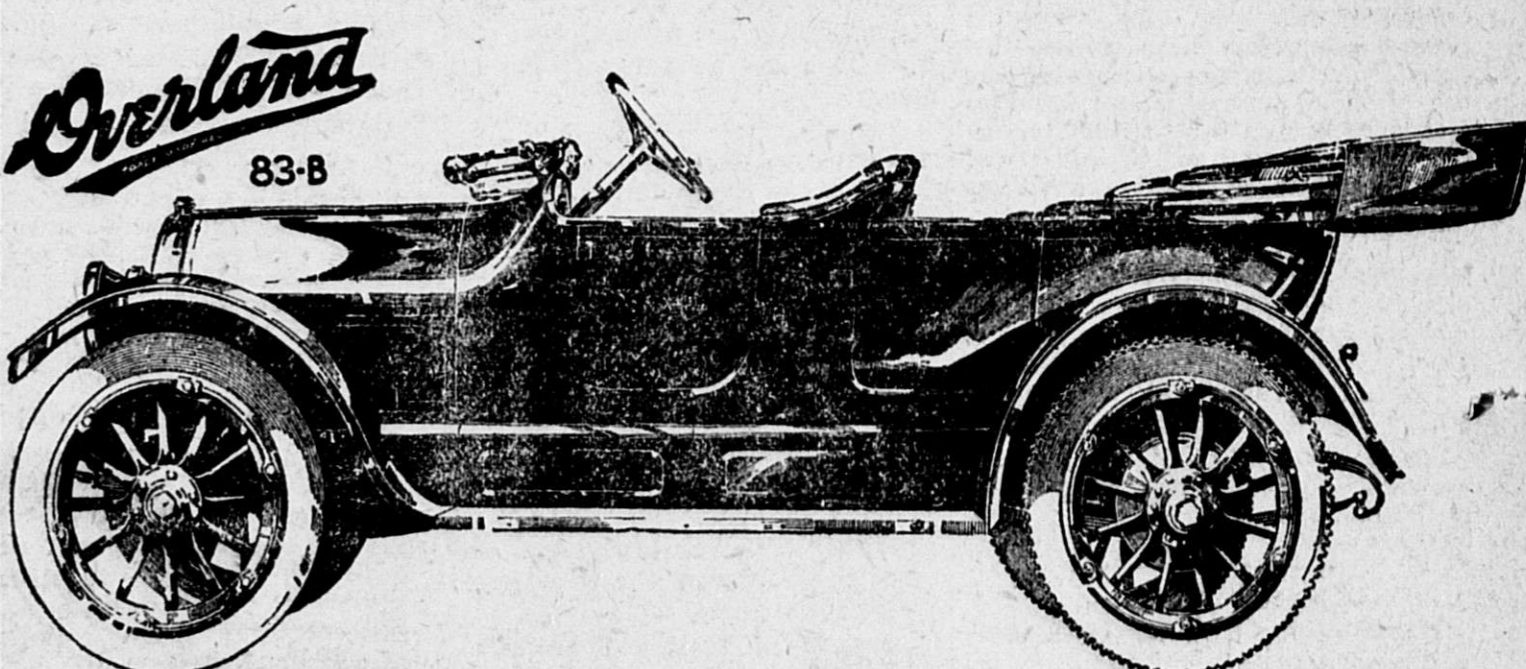
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