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## HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

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

Make no plans for May 19. adv  
Fire insurance. Henry Hanson. adv  
Remember May musical festival, May 19. adv  
Mrs. J. F. Baguley was a Bay City visitor Wednesday.

The board of supervisors will convene next Tuesday.

Jas. E. Ballard spent Sunday with his sister at Grayling.

Temple Harris of Flint spent Sunday with his parents here.

Swat that fly now and save the swatting of thousands later.

J. D. Anderson was at Saginaw on business a day or two this week.

E. V. Esmond of Hale was in the city on business a few days this week.

John Buchholz of Jackson visited his parents here a few days this week.

Furniture, rugs, linoleums and wall paper at Jos. Sempliner's East Tawas. adv-tf

Andrew Abert left Tuesday for Flint where he expects to find employment.

Phone C. H. Prescott & Sons' office if you have any cattle, calves or hogs for sale. adv-tf

Fred Buch returned Monday to his work at AuGres after spending several weeks here.

Miss Loretta Steinhurst returned from Detroit Tuesday for a short stay at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Burtzloff left Tuesday for a weeks visit at the home of Mrs. B.'s sister in Bay City.

Rev. C. C. Henning and Leo Leutke left Monday for Stephenville to attend a Lutheran conference.

Miss Hattie Colcher of Detroit has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Colcher, the past week.

Miss Della Yacks came up from Detroit last Saturday for a weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Yacks.

Miss Fernie Mark of Bay City and Atee Mark of Flint spent Easter Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mark.

Harry Morley came up from Detroit last Saturday and spent Easter Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parker Morley.

R. G. Hartingh, Tawas City, garage, auto supplies, all repairs. New and used cars, bodies, tops and radiators for sale. Call or write. adv-16

Fred Woizeschke of Detroit came Saturday for a visit with relatives and to attend his sister's wedding. He returned to Detroit Wednesday.

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

Fred Roberts returned last Saturday from Annapolis, where he has been pursuing a course of study and took the examination at Washington to enter the U. S. naval service.

The trout fishing season opens next Monday and the more enthusiastic of the fishermen have been busy this week overhauling their tackle and preparing for the capture of the speckled beauties.

Attention ladies! One hundred spring coats and suits of all descriptions, white chinchilla, shepherd check and blue, just received at Jos. Sempliner's, East Tawas. Great bargains. adv

Circuit court will convene in this city again next Thursday, May 4, for the purpose of trying the Goretzki-Black case, which has been set for that date. It is expected that Judge Collingwood of the Ingham circuit will preside on this occasion.

Seward D. Smith of the district office, Denver, Colorado, is in East Tawas going over the planting and nursery work with the officers of the Michigan National Forest. Forest Supervisor Hilton and Mr. Smith went to Alpena on Saturday, April 22, where they will supervise the planting of 20 acres upon the Presque Isle lighthouse reservation, to white and norway pine.

R. B. Scoggins and family of Carrollton, Ill., arrived here Monday and will take up their residence in the tenant house on the fair grounds. Mr. Scoggins is a horse trainer and intends to follow that business here.

News was received here this week of the marriage of Miss Alvina Waack, a former Tawas City girl, to Alfred Federau, which occurred at Cleveland, Ohio, on April 8.

Alex Ross, monuments, East Tawas. The Backward Man will perform May 19. adv  
Member mammoth May musical, May 19. adv  
Mrs. Henry Grabow went to Lansing Wednesday on business.

Walter Anschuetz of Flint spent Sunday at his home here.

L. H. Emerson spent Saturday and Sunday with his family near Gladwin.

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George Moore of Bay City has been in the city on business a few days this week.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Neumann of Detroit spent Sunday with relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wagatha spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. W.'s sister, Mrs. Leo Hosbach.

Mrs. Lee Force left last Friday morning for Detroit to join her husband who is employed in that city.

Gerhard Hosbach, who is attending the Lutheran college in Saginaw, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Orville McDonald went to Bay City Saturday to visit his father who is a patient in Mercy hospital in that city.

Misses Bertha and Emma Sielaff of Detroit arrived last Friday for a visit with their parents and to attend the Woizeschke-Kuerbitz wedding.

Dr. W. N. Yeager, the dentist, will make his next visits to his Tawas City office on Monday, May 1 and Friday, May 5. See him if in need of dental work. adv

Five hundred bushels of potatoes to sell at 75c per bushel. Farmers, if you need seed potatoes place your order Saturday or Monday. W. M. McCaskey. adv

John Huston, an old resident of Taas City, died at his home here last Friday evening as a result of burns received when his clothing caught fire while reaching over the stove that morning. Mr. Huston had been in poor health for a number of years and was very feeble. There was no one present when the accident occurred, and when his wife entered the room where he was his clothing was all ablaze, and the whole front of his body was burned. Medical assistance was immediately called and everything possible done for him, but efforts were of no avail and he died that evening. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from the home and was in charge of the Masonic fraternity of which Mr. Huston was a member. Interment was made in the Tawas City cemetery.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.  
Sunday, April 30, 6:15 std. time.  
Topic—"What are My Prayer Habits."  
Leader—Mrs. Thos. Davison.  
You cannot afford to miss a meeting.

In spite of the inclement weather a large number of people were out to the Easter morning service. A violin solo by Frank Moore accompanied by the new organ was much enjoyed. The topic, "Little Chances to Help," was well covered by all taking part.

The Epworth Leaguer who missed Christian Endeavor last Sunday evening missed a well conducted and very instructive gathering.

The May business meeting and social time will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Henke next Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Every member is urged to be present as momentous affairs are to be discussed.

C. E. NOTES.  
Christian Endeavor Sunday evening, 6 p. m.  
Topic—"Using Sunday for This World and the Next."  
Leader—Dorothy Latter.

Last Sunday's meeting was a very interesting one. Members of the Epworth League present assisted in the service.

A duet by Mrs. Bigelow and Mr. Buckle was a pleasing feature of the program.

Preparation is being made for the rally May 6 and 7. Full program next week.

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

## HERE'S A CHANCE TO ADVERTISE THE TAWASES.

While in Bay City last Monday the editor of the Herald called at the offices of the Northeastern Michigan Development bureau and had a very enjoyable visit with the secretary, Mr. T. F. Marston.

During this conversation the subject of the booster trip to be taken by the Eastern Michigan Pike association was mentioned, and Mr. Marston suggested a plan which if carried out would result in giving the boosters who will make this trip a very enjoyable time, and incidentally put the Tawas on the map in an advantageous and pleasurable manner.

Briefly stated the plan is as follows: On Tuesday, July 11, the Detroit Board of Commerce and the Eastern Michigan Pike boosters will arrive here on their trip from Bay City to Mackinaw. They will start from Bay City that morning and the present plan is to go through to Alpena to stop for the night. Mr. Marston believes, however, that this part of the program could be changed to make the Tawas the stopping place for that night if the proper influences were brought to bear and some inducement offered. Mr. Marston has very kindly offered to use what influence he can to bring it about if the people here will do their share to make the plan feasible.

There will be a large number of boosters on this trip, estimated anywhere from 200 to 500. What could be better to offer to these people who will be tired and hungry when they reach here, than a big fresh fish fry and a dip in the bay as an added attraction? We are endeavoring through the medium of the Board of Trade and Board of Commerce to advertise our superiority as a location for industries and as a summer resort, and what better opportunity could be afforded than to show our enterprise by entertaining these hundreds of men in just the lines of business we desire to reach?

It would be a matter which would entail considerable work and some expense, but the returns would amply justify these items, and it seems as though this is a question that could very well be taken up by our civic bodies and engineered to a successful conclusion. And the quicker the matter is taken up the better will be the chances of carrying it out. We would suggest that another joint meeting of the East Tawas Board of Commerce and the Board of Trade of Tawas City be held at an early date and the matter discussed. What think you, gentlemen?

WOIZESCHKE-KUERBITZ.

At Zion Lutheran church on Monday evening, April 24, occurred the marriage of Miss Lydia Woizeschke, daughter of Edw. Woizeschke, Sr., of this city and Mr. Frederick Kuerbitz of Bay City. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. Reithmeier, pastor of the church and was witnessed by a large number of relatives and friends of the bride and groom.

The bride was attired in a white silk gown with bridal veil, and carried a bridal bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaids were Miss Bertha Sielaff of Detroit and Miss Iva Anschuetz of East Tawas. The former wore a dress of blue messaline and the latter white crepe de chine, and both carried bouquets of white carnations. The groom was attended by Arthur Ziehl of Alabaster and Elmer Woizeschke of Tawas City as groomsmen.

After the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride for the relatives and friends. The house was decorated in the bride's colors, green and white, with ferns and flowers, and presented a very pleasing appearance. A four course wedding supper was served and the evening was very enjoyably spent with music and social intercourse.

The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and valuable presents consisting of silver, cut glass, etc.

The young couple have many friends in Tawas City and vicinity who extend congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy married life. They will make their home at present in Tawas City.

R. B. SCOGGINS, HORSE TRAINER.

R. B. Scoggins, horse trainer, colt breaker and auctioneer.

An experienced horse trainer, race driver, colt breaker and auctioneer has located at the fair grounds, Tawas City, and is ready to serve the public.

Anyone having horses that they want worked or a sale cried, I will be glad to have you call on me. My personal attention and best care of horses guaranteed. adv-18

## ARBOR AND BIRD DAY PROCLAMATION.

By the Governor.

Long years ago a loyal Michigan citizen planted hundreds of maples on either side of the highway fronting his large farm. These trees are now large and beautiful. These trees did not affect the productivity of his farm. When he planted these trees he had in mind the thousands of men, women and children who would receive real joy from his gift to this "main traveled road."

Some day both city and country will come to appreciate the importance of tree-planting along the highways, on the hillsides, in yards and in parks.

Trees without birds would get lonesome. Trees and shrubs are the natural homes of many of our birds. These winged creatures are man's best friends.

They not only destroy millions of destructive insects, but they appeal to man's sense of beauty, in their plumage, in their song and in their graceful movements.

The trees and the birds teach "mutual aid," teach a universal poetry, teach the beneficence of the Father of us all.

Therefore, I, Woodbridge N. Ferris, Governor of the State of Michigan, do hereby designate Friday, May 5th, 1916, as Arbor and Bird Day, and do request that this day be observed by all schools, public and private, and other educational institutions by the planting of trees for beautifying school grounds and parks, and by conducting suitable exercises for promoting the spirit of protection to trees and birds.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State, this twenty-fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and of the Commonwealth the eighthieth.

Woodbridge N. Ferris, Governor.

By the Governor: Coleman C. Vaughan, Secretary of State.

C. C. GAIGE DEAD.

Charles C. Gaige, a resident of Iosco county for some years past, died at the Hotel Iosco in this city last Sunday evening. The cause of death was Bright's disease, from which Mr. Gaige has suffered for the past few months. He was 63 years old.

Deceased came to Iosco county from Jonesville some nine years ago and has been in the sheep business here since, first at Hale where he was in partnership with a Mr. Carr, and later at Prescott in partnership with C. H. Prescott & Sons, which connection was dissolved only a few weeks ago. He has made Tawas City his headquarters since going into business at Prescott, and with his wife has been living at the Iosco.

Mr. Gaige had always enjoyed splendid health until last fall when he became afflicted with the disease which caused his death. He was a patient in the Mercy hospital at Bay City for some time and when seemingly on the road to recovery returned to Tawas City. He has been failing rapidly the past few weeks, though suffering very little pain, and his death was not unexpected.

A man of pleasing personality, Mr. Gaige made friends wherever he went, and has hundreds of acquaintances and business associates who are grieved to learn of his demise.

Besides the bereaved wife he leaves to mourn his loss one daughter, Mrs. Florence Ross of Pipestone, Minn., and a number of other relatives.

The remains were taken Sunday evening to Jonesville, his former home, where the funeral services were held Tuesday.

THEY LOOK BAD.

When you walk along the street and see the gutters strewn with refuse it looks bad.

When you see empty bottles decorating the dark corners, that looks bad—and suspicious.

When you see papers blowing around over town it indicates that people are thoughtless and careless. It is bad.

When you see broken glass around under foot it is pure negligence, and is both bad and dangerous.

When you see kitchen garbage dumped into the back yard or tossed over the fence, it looks bad and smells worse.

When you see vacant property littered with debris of every nature, it too, looks bad—is offensive to the mind as well as to the eye.

When you see a back yard littered with the accumulations of months and of years, it looks worse than bad.

Just some suggestions. Now is the time of year to get busy.

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

## BLACK DISBARMENT CASE FINISHED.

The taking of testimony in the disbarment case against Albert W. Black, prosecuting attorney of Iosco county, was finished in circuit court here Tuesday afternoon, and after a short argument by the opposing attorneys in the case, Judge Wiest stated that he would announce his finding at a later date and the case was concluded.

Much speculation is rife as to the decision the judge will make in this case, the supporters and opposers of Mr. Black both being confident of a decision favorable to their ideas. Judge Wiest stated to the Herald man that the date of his decision would depend on the time he was able to give to reviewing the testimony in connection with his other work, but that the order would be issued as of the date on which the trial was concluded.

The trial of this case has attracted much attention and the court room has been crowded to its capacity every day by people from all parts of the county. The case was well handled by the attorneys in the case and perfect order was maintained, Judge Wiest being very strict regarding the decorum of his court. Messrs. Wilkins and Shields, the opposing attorneys, are both very able men and no point that might be of benefit to their side of the case was overlooked by them.

Court was adjourned until Thursday, May 4, when the case of Goretzki vs. Black will be heard.

## BASEBALL ASSOCIATION TO OWN GROUNDS.

Another meeting of the Tawas City baseball association was held Tuesday evening, at which P. E. Shien, owner of the grounds which have been used the past two or three years, was present. Mr. Shien informed the association that if a corporation was formed that could take title to the property he would give them a deed to the grounds with the provision that the property would revert to him if abandoned or used for any other purpose than a baseball grounds.

The association is very grateful to Mr. Shien for his liberality and public spirit in this matter and the incorporation which will enable them to take advantage of the offer will be consummated as soon as possible. It is expected that work on the grounds will begin at an early date.

Another meeting will be held next Tuesday evening.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The republican county convention for the purpose of electing five delegates to the state convention to be held at Lansing on Wednesday, May 3, was held at the court house Thursday forenoon.

The following delegates were elected to attend the state convention: Jas. H. McGillivray, Oscoda; Jas. E. Dillon, East Tawas; G. A. Prescott, Tawas City; E. B. Follett, Hale; and G. A. Pringle, Mclvor.

Resolutions were passed endorsing State Senator Doherty for delegate to the national convention at Chicago, and also endorsing Will McGillivray of Oscoda as candidate for representative in the state legislature.

Mr. McGillivray has been active in promoting the welfare of the republican party in the county and state for many years without asking official recognition, and the members of the party feel that since he has announced his candidacy for representative he should have the endorsement of the party.

If elected Mr. McGillivray will undoubtedly make good in the office to which he aspires.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

To the Democratic Electors of Iosco county:

Notice is hereby given that a county convention will be held at the city hall in Tawas City, Michigan, on Friday May 5, 1916, at 10:30 a. m. for the purpose of electing four delegates to attend the state convention at Lansing, Wednesday, May 17, 1916, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it.

Under the rule for apportioning delegates each ward and township will be entitled to delegates as follows: Aabaster, 2; AuSable, 2; AuSable City, 1st ward, 1; AuSable City, 2nd ward, 1; AuSable City, 3rd ward, 1; Baldwin, 2; Burleigh, 3; Grant, 2; Oscoda, 4; Plainfield, 3; Reno, 2; Sherman, 3; Tawas, 3; Wilber, 2; East Tawas, 1st ward, 2; East Tawas, 2nd ward, 2; East Tawas, 3rd ward, 2; Tawas City, 1st ward, 2; Tawas City, 2nd ward, 2; Tawas City, 3rd ward, 2; Whittemore, 1st ward, 2; Whittemore, 2nd ward, 2. Dated at Tawas City, April 27, 1916.

Len J. Patterson, Chairman.

J. W. Minor, Secretary.

Old newspapers for sale at this office.

## EAST TAWAS DEPARTMENT

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

Buy an Oliver. F. H. Richards, agt. Arthur Applin spent Easter Sunday with friends at Emery Junction.

A. Barkman left Tuesday evening for Detroit, where he has been this week on business.

Christ church service next Sunday: Evening prayer, 7:00. Part of the Easter music will be repeated.

Leland Parker left last Sunday evening for Flint after a visit of two days with his parents in this city.

Mrs. H. W. Jacobs and two children left Thursday morning for Flint where they will reside in the future.

Mrs. Elias Emerson of Rose City has been visiting with relatives and friends in this city during this week.

Fred Johnson of Flint came last Friday for a weeks visit at the home of his uncle, Victor Johnson, in this city.

The Presbyterian Ladies' aid will meet for a social time at the home of Mrs. L. E. Wright this Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Harry Deacon of Bay City spent last Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. James Murray, in this city.

Wyatt Misener leaves for Detroit next Monday morning. The family are intending to move to that city in the near future.

Miss Willena Deacon returned to Bay City last Sunday evening after spending the Easter vacation of ten days in this city.

Nicholas Williamson left for Mackinac last Wednesday afternoon, where he has accepted a position as surfman in the life saving station.

The seniors of our city schools have begun rehearsals on the senior play, "The Thread of Destiny," which will be given in the opera house, May 19.

Miss Lillian Kunze returned to Detroit last Saturday morning, where she is employed as a teacher. She had been spending the Easter vacation at her home.

M. E. church services next Sunday: Morning service, 10:00; Sunday school, 11:30; Epworth League, 6:00. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00. Rev. John Pinches, pastor.

Miss Marion King returned home from Midland last Saturday night where she had spent a portion of the week with her sister, Esther, who is teaching in the schools of that city.

Dan Bell of Curtisville who is attending the Ferris Institute at Big Rapids, visited with his friend Caius Gordon, the fore part of this week. He left for Harrisville last Wednesday.

Presbyterian church services Sunday: Sunday school, 11:30; Christian Endeavor, 6:00 p. m.; Easter exercises, 7:00 p. m. Mid-week services Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. William Roberts, minister.

Miss Dorothy Smalley returned to her school at Ellake after spending Easter at home. She was accompanied by Miss Cecil Clough and brother of Ellake, who had been visiting with her over Sunday.

Christ church was open all Lent for private prayer and good use was made of it. The record shows 650 visits. The two hours of perpetual prayer, 12 to 2, on Good Friday were well attended, as was also the passion service from 2 to 3.

Last Monday afternoon at the Bay City court house, Miss Clara Caminsky of this city and Mr. Ben Rosenberg, a merchant of Detroit, were united in marriage. The couple have spent a portion of this week and last in this city. They will reside in Detroit.

Andie and Charlie Johnson, both of Flint spent last Saturday and Sunday at their home in this city. Miss Edna, a younger sister, who has been residing with her brother, Aksel, in Flint for more than a year returned with them last Friday and will remain here until the summer season.

Last Friday afternoon the junior and senior high school pupils assembled in the high school room and were favored with two musical numbers, piano, six-hand arrangements given by Mrs. A. G. Jackson, Miss Mary Gardner and Mrs. S. C. Mitchell. The selections were "Mendelssohn's Wedding March" and "Mozart's Minuet." A number of selections were also given on the Victrola. The following records were presented to the high school last Friday: "Mother Machree," by Mrs. E. L. King; "Angel's Serenade," "Luxemburg Waltz," "Dear Delightful Women," by the junior class.

## EASTER PROGRAM AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SUNDAY.

Next Sunday evening Easter exercises will take place at the Presbyterian church beginning at 7:00 standard time. The following program will be rendered:

The Hope of the World. Part I. The Easter Story. Voluntary..... Miss Lillie Roberts Anthem..... Choir Scripture reading Prayer.

Meditation..... Mildred Hewson Easter Greetings..... Beginner's class Song, "Merry Bells," Beginner's class Recitation..... Emma Homestead Easter Time..... Primary class Song, "Jesus Lives," Primary class The Morn Has Come, Richard Hewson My Easter Lily..... Effie Homestead We Will Carol Joyfully..... Choir Part II. The Story Proclaimed by the Early Church.

The Witnesses..... 8 intermediates Part III. The Story for the Nations. Solo, "Be Glad! 'Tis Easter!"..... Esther Johnson Recitation..... Victor Wright The music of the bells, Howard Goodall Violin solo..... Miss Ruth Deacon Beautiful Eastertide (song)..... Junior Girls Childhood's Hope in a Risen Christ..... Five Intermediates Solo, "The Hope of the World"..... Mrs. C. F. Klump The Hope of the World, unveiling picture and prayer..... James Wilson The World Children for Jesus..... Junior Girls Vocal solo, "The Easter Morn"..... Arthur Applin Tableau..... Miss Ella Boldt Offering Benediction.

## FINE PROGRAM AT M. E. CHURCH

The Easter exercises given by the M. E. Sunday school last Sunday evening were well attended. There was not a vacant seat in the church. The primary and beginners classes pleased everyone with their songs and recitations showing that they had been well trained.

George Slye gave two violin solos, accompanied by Marvin McClure, which were well appreciated. A number of vocal solos were given by Junior girls. The soloists were Misses Neva Butler, Ethelwynne Jackson, Theima Stealy and Nina Haglund.

The exercise by intermediates "The Hope of the World" was well rendered, those taking part being dressed in costumes of the countries represented.

## VENNERS-SLYE.

A pretty church wedding took place at high noon last Tuesday at Christ church, Episcopal, when Miss Florence Marie Venners, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Venners of this city was united in marriage with John E. Slye of Crosswell. Rev. W. R. Blachford performed the ceremony.

The bride was attired in a beautiful gown of white silk crepe de chine and carried white and yellow roses. Miss Venners acted as brides maid and wore yellow silk crepe de chine, the bride's colors being yellow and white. Mr. Robert Alford of this city attended the groom.

After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride at one o'clock.

The bride has been a resident of this city for five years, the family having moved here from AuSable at the time of the fire. During this short time she has won a host of friends in this city, due to her pleasant and happy disposition, and many friends extend to the couple their well-wishes for a prosperous and happy wedded life.

The couple left on the evening train for Chicago, Detroit and Crosswell amid showers of rice and other omens of good luck. Mr. and Mrs. Slye will make their home in East Tawas on their return.

## THESE LOOK GOOD.

Streets kept clean and in repair. Business houses and residences kept neatly painted.

Roads graded and no "duck ponds" allowed to form.

Front yards with concrete walks, flower beds, and vacant spots seeded and frequently mown.

Back yards so clean they compel admiration.

School yards sanitary and with adequate playgrounds for children.

Churches well filled on Sundays.

No street corner loafers and bums.

A strong spirit of civic pride.

Everybody hustling for himself and boosting for Tawas City.

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## THE SEED CORN SITUATION.

On account of the continued cold and wet weather during the summer of 1915, the corn crop made a much slower growth than usual, and with few exceptions, failed to mature.

Immature corn, when used for seed, does not germinate well and the plants are apt to be weak and backward in their growth. Moreover, the unripe corn harvested last fall contained an excessive amount of moisture which favored the development of mold and fungus diseases and was responsible for serious injuries from freezing.

In order to determine the seriousness of the seed corn situation the Department of Farm Crops made a limited seed corn survey in representative sections in ten counties in southern Michigan. Inquiries were made as to the amount of seed corn available and samples were secured for germination tests.

While results varied somewhat in different sections, the conditions were found to be very unsatisfactory in all of the ten counties. It was found that only 59 per cent of the farmers had saved seed corn and many of these had not enough for their own use, and much of that which had been saved was not fit for planting. The average per cent of germination, including the weak sprouts, was 53.4 per cent.

It is readily seen from these figures that the seed corn situation in Michigan is very serious. It is a situation that will result in thousands, if not millions of dollars loss to Michigan farmers the coming season unless an unusual effort is made by all corn growers to secure the best possible grade of seed corn.

It is a matter of prime importance that all seed corn used for 1916 planting should be tested. A very satisfactory germination test may be made as follows: Make a flat box 3x20x30 inches inside measure and fill nearly full with moist sand; then mark into squares two inches across by a cord which is passed around nails driven in the sides of the box. The squares in the first row beginning at one end are numbered 1 to 10, the second 11 to 20, etc. After placing six grains from each ear in their respective checks, another one-half inch of moist sand is used to cover the corn. If in any check all of the grains do not grow or if the sprouts do not show sufficient vigor, the corresponding ear should be discarded. It is frequently possible by the use of the individual ear test and discarding of the dead and weak ears to secure a good grade of seed corn from a supply which averages low in germination.

It is not advisable, as a rule, to go to other states for seed corn or even to go very far south in Michigan, especially if the corn has been grown on a more fertile soil. In most sections of the state there is some fairly well matured corn of the 1915 crop and some 1914 corn that has been stored in dry, well ventilated cribs that is suited for planting if carefully tested by the individual ear method. Farmers who wish to purchase seed corn should first investigate the supply in their own sections. If a satisfactory supply is not located in this way, application should be made to the local county agent or to the Agricultural College.

The seriousness of the seed corn situation is not generally appreciated and it is feared that many farmers will have very thin stands which will produce only a small percentage of the usual crop. It is important that every corn grower who has not already done so should test his seed corn at once. Use the individual ear method and throw out the dead and weak ears, making a good grade from your own variety if possible. If necessary to purchase seed corn, make arrangements to do so as early as possible, securing varieties adapted to local conditions. V. M. SHOESMITH, Professor of Farm Crops, East Lansing, Mich., April 12, 1915.

## "OBSERVATIONS"

By Our Man About Town.

If our school boys and girls of today were given names like the Indian boys and girls were given years ago, I know several youngsters who might be called "Young Man Afraid of His Report Card."

I imagine our school teachers will agree with me when I say pupils do not take the interest in school they should take—and I imagine they will go farther with me in the assertion that in most cases this lack of interest in the pupil is brought about by the lack of interest on the part of parents.

I am not even intimating that all our boys and girls are disinterested in their school work. In fact, I know one boy, a youngster of some dozen years, who is "absorbed" in his studies, and it is this example I wish to place before other boys and girls, both older and younger than he.

In the first place, I will give the parents of this "model" most of the credit for the boy's standing. They have made him realize the importance of good daily grades. They have done this not by coercion but by persuasion. They have even offered him "cash prizes," giving him a nickel for every "hundred" he earned in his daily studies and a dime for every "ninety" on his monthly examinations. I have not learned what this "high finance" is costing the parents, but I do know the result is well worth the price—and they realize it even more than anyone else could possibly do.

The boy in question is not a "pet," He is as much boy as is possible to crowd into a youngster of his age—but he has been taught the value of earnest study during school hours, and he will ever thank his parents for that teaching.

Old newspapers for sale at this office.

## ELBERT BEDE SAYS:

It's never too late for our enemies to mend their ways.

We all believe in the single term—until we get into office.

It's getting so Mexico isn't even a good place for Mexicans.

Why don't they use rubber instead of silk thread in our paper money. Churches are members of the volunteer fire department—they save from fire.

A cannibal wouldn't eat a knocker, for he knows the meal wouldn't agree with him.

The man who can get out of a trunk after being put in there with legs and arms tied, is qualified to dress in a Pullman berth.

The get-together spirit is susceptible to misconception. It is possible to get together in ways that could not in any way be considered co-operation.

The man who is reading the other side of your newspaper in a street car thinks you are a boob if you don't ask him if he is ready to have you turn the page.

The greater the demand for iron and steel for engines of war, the greater the dividends on Carnegie's steel stock, therefore the greater his contributions to the cause of peace.

The two most interesting figures in the approaching campaign are the two colonels—Bryan and Roosevelt. Neither one could be elected in his own right, but they have the power to name the one who shall.

After a person's face becomes marked with sin and intemperance, it is impossible to entirely remove the traces by even the most upright life—but a life of crime will quickly disfigure the once spotless window of the soul.

We presume that under government ownership of railroads every congressman would feel compelled to furnish transportation to his constituents in about the same manner he now furnishes garden seed and public documents.

## OF COURSE.

"Gimme a dime's worth o' dried beef an' some crackers," said Uncle Josh to the young lady in charge of the ribbon counter in a downtown store.

"You have evidently made a mistake in the place," she smilingly replied. "This is a dry goods store."

"Waal, now, I reckon I know'd that," b'gosh," said the old man; "an' ef dried beef an' crackers hain't dry goods then I'd like to know what in tarnation you'd call 'em?"

## OUR SCRAP BASKET

### Oriental Cream.

Grate a fresh coconut, adding the milk after grating. Knead into it as much confectioner's XXXX sugar as it will take up. Roll on sugared board, 1/2 inch thick. Cut in two pieces, cover one-half with finely minced dates, lay the other portion on top. Press firmly together and with a sharp knife cut in blocks like caramels. Set away to dry for a few hours.

Fill stoned dates with small portions of the Oriental cream before rolling it. Then roll dates in granulated sugar.

**Why Water Gurgles From a Bottle**  
Water or any other liquid cannot flow from a bottle in a steady stream because until the bottle is empty there is a continuous struggle between the tendency of the liquid to fall from the bottle and the rushing of the air to get in.

When a full bottle without a cork is turned upside down there will be an alternate realization of two operations—the liquid to follow the attraction of gravitation and the air to obey its natural impulse to fill a void.

### Learn a Little Every Day.

Ohio has \$100,000,000 invested in school properties.

California's 1915 rice crop is valued at \$1,000,000.

Nebraska's 1915 dairy products are valued at \$40,000,000.

California's 1915 citrus crop will exceed \$30,000,000 in value.

Ohio, in 1915, produced 4,622,581 barrels of fermented liquors.

The automobile output of the United States for 1914 was 700,000 cars.

### Wagner's Letters Lost.

The first tenor who won Wagner's admiration, Tichatschek, left to his daughter when he died a number of letters written to him by the great composer, whose Rienzi he created. On her death, not long ago, the daughter bequeathed these letters to the Wagner museum at Eisenach, but on the way from Brussels the case containing them was opened and the contents were stolen.

### Proof of Its Influence.

"Did that speech I made last week have any effect on the people?" asked Senator Sorghum. "Yes," replied the political manager. "It has influenced their attitude a great deal. Week before last they invited you to speak this week they say they dare you to speak again."—Washington Star.

### Gulls Good Scavengers.

Gulls are economically important. Along the coasts of the United States they act as sea scavengers. Inland they render important services; especially to agriculture. In at least one big inland city a monument has been erected to gulls for their achievements.

### Watch Child's Cough.

Colds, running of nose, continued irritation of the mucous membrane if neglected may mean catarrh later. Don't take the chances—do something for your child! Children will not take every medicine, but they will take Dr. King's New Discovery and without bribing or teasing. It's a sweet pleasant Tar Syrup and so effective. Just laxative enough to eliminate the waste poisons. Almost the first dose helps. Always prepared, no mixing or fusing. Just ask your druggist for Dr. King's New Discovery. It will safeguard your child against serious ailments resulting from colds. adv-2

## NOTICE.

Notice of Hearing of Objection to Proposed Improvement, under Act 59, Public Acts of 1915, as amended, of assessment district road No. 48.

To all persons interested in said proposed improvement in the township of Burleigh, Iosco County and Mason and Turner, Arenac county:

Whereas, a petition has been filed with me as State Highway Commissioner, praying for the improvement of the highway traversing the trunk line route commencing at the south city limits of Whittemore, being the 1/4 post common to sections 10 and 11, Burleigh township, Iosco county; thence south on the trunk line route between sections 10-11, 14-15, 22-23, 26-27, and 34-35 to the south corner common to section 34 and 35; thence west 80 rods on the county line to the north corner common to section 11, Mason township and section 15, Turner township; thence south between sections 1, 12, 13, 24, Mason township and sections 6, 7, 18 and 19, Turner township to the east side of section 24, Mason township and the west side of section 19, Turner township, being the north village limits of Twinling, Arenac county; and

Whereas, I, as such commissioner, am of the opinion that the proposed improvement is necessary for the benefit of the public and would be for the convenience and benefit of the public welfare; and

Whereas, I have made my first order of determination, stating that the proposed improvement is necessary as aforesaid, and have caused a survey and specifications and estimates of the cost thereof to be made and filed with me as such commissioner; and

Whereas, the specifications made by me are not yet final and will not be made final until after the hearing of objections to the same by all persons interested therein; and

Whereas, I have determined the boundaries of the proposed assessment district for improving said highway, which said highway extends and is proposed to be improved from the north village limits of Twinling on said trunk line route as aforesaid; and

Whereas, it is proposed to improve said road or highway by constructing therein a Class C, stone bottom and gravel top road, twelve feet in width, together with the proper culverts, bridges, drainage and grading under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to provide for the construction and improvement of highways, to borrow money therefor, and to limit the sums of money to be paid by counties for highway purposes, Act 59, Public Acts of 1915, as amended by Act 310, Public Acts of 1915.

Therefore, all persons affected thereby and the townships of Burleigh, Iosco county, Mason and Turner, Arenac county, and especially the county of Iosco, and all persons owning or interested in any real estate in said townships or county, are hereby notified that I will be present at the southwest corner of section 26, Burleigh township, at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 6th day of May, 1916, for the purpose of hearing objections to the proposed improvement and for the purpose of finally determining the limits of the said assessment district.

The proposed assessment district for such highway, which is subject to the right of the undersigned to alter, is described as follows, to-wit:

Said tentative district includes all lands within the following boundaries: Commencing at the 1/4 post common to section 10 and 11, Burleigh township, Iosco county; thence east 1 mile to the 1/4 post common to sections 11 and 12; thence south 80 rods to the south 1/4 post between sections 11 and 12; thence east 1/4 mile on the south east-and-west 1/4 line of section 12 to the center of the southeast 1/4 of section 12; thence south 3 1/2 miles on the east north-and-south 1/4 line of sections 12, 13, 24, 25, and 36 to the center of the northeast 1/4 of section 36; thence west 80 rods to the north 1/4 post on the north and south 1/4 line of section 36; thence south 1/2 mile on the said north and south 1/4 line to the south 1/4 post on the said 1/4 line of section 36; thence west 80 rods to the center of the southwest 1/4 of section 36; thence south 80 rods to west 1/2 post on the south side of section 36; thence east on the county line to the north 1/4 post of section 5, Turner township, Arenac county; thence south on the north and south 1/4 line of sections 5 and 8, to the south 1/4 post on the north and south 1/4 line of section 8; thence west 1/2 mile on the south east-and-west 1/4 line to the center of the southeast 1/4 of section 7; thence south 1/2 mile on the east north-and-south 1/4 line of sections 7 and 18, to the center of the northeast 1/4 of section 18; thence east 1/2 mile on the north east-and-west 1/4 line of sections 17 and 18 to the center of the northwest 1/4 of section 17; thence south 1/2 mile on the west north-and-south 1/4 line of sections 17 and 20, to the center of the northwest quarter of section 20; thence west 1/2 half mile on the north east-and-west 1/4 line of sections 19 and 20, to the center of the north east 1/4 of section 19; thence south 80 rods on the east north-and-south 1/4 line of section 19 to the east 1/4 post on the east and west 1/4 line of section 19; thence west 1/2 miles on the east and west 1/4 line of sections 19 and 24 to the west 1/2 post on section 24; thence north 80 rods to the center of the northwest 1/4 of section 24; thence west 1 mile on the north east-and-west 1/4 line of sections 24 and 23 to the center of the north west 1/4 of section 23; thence north about 2 1/2 miles on the west north-and-south 1/4 line of sections 23, 14, 11 and fractional section 2, to the west 1/2 post on the north side of section 2; thence east on the county line to the west 1/2 post on the south side of section 33, Burleigh township; thence north 2 1/4 miles on the west north-and-south 1/4 line of sections 33, 28 and 21 to the center of the northwest 1/4 of section 21; thence east 1/2 mile on the north east-and-west 1/4 line of section 21; thence north 1 1/4 miles on the east north-and-south 1/4 line of sections 21

and 16, to the east 1/4 post on the north side of section 16; thence east between sections 9-16, 10-15 to the west 1/2 post between sections 10 and 15; thence north 80 rods to the center of the southwest 1/4 of section 10; thence east 80 rods to the south 1/4 post on the north and south 1/4 line of section 10; thence north 80 rods to the center of section 10; thence east 1/2 mile on the east and west 1/4 line of section 10, to the place of beginning.

And all persons interested are hereby notified that it is the intention of the State Highway Commissioner to assess all lands within the limits of said assessment district as finally determined at said hearing on account of improvement of said highway according to the plans and specifications on file in the State Highway Department. Given under my hand this 14th day of April, A. D. 1916.

FRANK F. ROGERS,  
State Highway Commissioner.

## NOTICE.

Notice of Hearing to Change Specifications of the Proposed Improvement of Assessment District Road No. 35, under Act 59, Public Acts of 1915, as amended.

To all persons interested in said proposed improvement in the townships of Burleigh, Iosco county, and Richland, Ogemaw county, Michigan:

Whereas, a hearing of objections to the proposed improvement of assessment district road No. 35, was held on April 4th; and

Whereas, at said meeting the specifications were finally decided to be class C, stone bottom and gravel top; and

Whereas, it is now found that said specifications should be changed to class B, gravel, twelve feet in width, together with the proper culverts, bridges, drainage and grading under the provisions of an act, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and improvement of highways, to borrow money therefor, and the estimation and collection of taxes for the construction thereof, and to limit the sums of money to be paid by counties for highway purposes," Act 59, Public Acts of 1915, as amended by Act 310, Public Acts of 1915.

Therefore, all persons affected thereby and the townships of Burleigh, Iosco county, and Richland, Ogemaw county, and especially the counties of Iosco and Ogemaw, and all persons owning or interested in any real estate in said townships, are hereby notified that I will be present at the farmhouse of the Prescott farm along the said highway proposed to be improved, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. on the 6th day of May, 1916, for the purpose of hearing objections to said change in specifications.

The proposed assessment district for such highway is described as follows, to-wit: Said district includes all lands within the following boundaries: Commencing at the center of section 10, T 21 N, R 5 E; thence south 80 rods to the south 1/4 post on the north and south 1/4 line of section 10; thence west 80 rods to the center of the southwest 1/4 section 10; thence south 80 rods to the west 1/2 post between sections 10 and 15; thence west 1/2 mile to the east 1/2 post between sections 9 and 15; thence south 1 1/2 miles to the center of the northeast 1/4 of section 21; thence west 3 miles on the north east-and-west 1/4 line of sections 21, 20 and 19 of said town and section 24 of T 21 N, R 4 E, to the center of the northeast 1/4 of section 24; thence south 1 1/2 miles on the east north-and-south 1/4 line of sections 24 and 25 to the center of the southeast 1/4 of section 25; thence west 1 1/2 miles on the south east and - west 1/4 line of sections 25 and 26 to the center of the southwest 1/4 of section 26; thence north 80 rods to the west 1/2 post on the east and west 1/4 line of section 26; thence west 1/2 mile on the east and west 1/4 line of sections 26 and 27, to the east 1/2 post on the east and west 1/4 line of section 27; thence north 4 miles on the east north-and-south 1/4 line of sections 27, 22, 15, 10 and 3 to the east 1/2 post on the east and west 1/4 line of section 3; thence east 2 1/2 miles on the east and west 1/4 line of sections 3, 2 and 1, to the east 1/4 post of section 1; thence south 1/4 mile on the county line to the south 1/4 post common to section 1 of Richland township, Ogemaw county, and section 6, Burleigh township, Iosco county; thence east 3 miles on the south east-and-west 1/4 line of sections 6, 5 and 4, Burleigh township; thence south 1/4 mile to the north 1/4 post common to sections 9 and 10; thence east 1/2 mile to the north 1/4 post on the north and south 1/4 line of section 10; thence south 1/4 line of section 10; being the place of beginning, except the south 1/2 of the northeast 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of section 27, all in Richland township.

And all persons interested are further notified that inasmuch as the instrument of the road, and the number of the instrument, and the assessment district boundary, and the assessment of the road, were finally decided at the meeting held on April 4th, of this only point to be decided at this meeting is the specifications.

Given under my hand this 21st day of April, A. D. 1916.

FRANK F. ROGERS,  
State Highway Commissioner.

## CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF.

I wish to announce to the electors of Iosco county that I will be a candidate for the nomination for sheriff on the republican ticket at the August primaries. Your vote and support are respectfully solicited.

Frank J. Long.

## For Stains.

For stains on light dresses, etc., lay the garment flat on a table and cover the stains with dry pipe clay. Leave for half an hour, then shake out, and apply a second lot if necessary. Take out stains as soon after they are made as possible, for if they are allowed to dry in they are more difficult to remove.

## WANTS, FOR SALE, ETC

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

Help Wanted—For farm and mill work. Apply U. S. Gypsum Co., Alabaster, Mich. 18-1f

For Sale—Good house and lot for \$750. Mrs. John Fiedler, 783 15th St., Detroit, Mich. 18-pd

For Sale—100 bushel seed potatoes, Carmen No. 2. John Jordan, R. D. 1, Turner, Mich. 19

For Sale—Light Brahma eggs for setting, 50c a setting. John Moran, Phone 199-F22. 20-pd

For Sale—Good 4 year old colt, or will trade for cattle. John Jordan, R. D. 1, Turner, Mich. 19

For Sale—Pure bred single comb White Leghorn eggs. 50c for 15 eggs. John C. Burt, R. D. 2, Tawas City, Mich. 19

For Sale—Twenty acre farm 1 1/4 miles west of Alabaster. Good house and other outside buildings. Call on Charlie Lake, Box 67, Alabaster, Mich. 21

For Sale—Seed corn, Michigan Dent, from 1914 crop. Inquire of Mrs. H. W. Smith, residence just west of M. E. church, East Tawas, Mich. 19-pd

A Bargain—One surrey, nearly new and one set double driving harness. Call on W. H. Pringle, Emery Junction, Mich.

For Sale—A quantity of German field peas at \$2.00 per bushel. Inquire of M. A. Sommerfield, R. D. 2, Tawas City, Mich. 17-1f

Wanted, Girls and Women—Steady work, \$1.00 a day to beginners, with advancement. Room, board, heat, and light, the use of the laundry and the comforts of the house at the Company's boarding house for \$3.00 a week. Will give men work who come with their wife or daughters prepared to work in our mills. For information write Western Knitting Mills, Rochester, Michigan. tf

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\$400.00 cash takes 8-room house and outbuildings, flowing water, on two lots if taken at once.

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50 pounds of Bread Flour.....\$1.75  
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4 pounds Ginger Snaps.....25c  
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is the FORD in its field. It is superior to any other make of cream separator. The bowl is guaranteed to balance throughout the life of the machine, and every moving part on which there is any wear is continually being oiled by the most up-to-date splash system in existence. It is a very close skimmer, easy running and simple.

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We will put one in your home for 15 days free trial if you will call phone 67-F2 and state size you desire. They are also sold on easy terms to suit the buyer's convenience.

We will also take your old cream separator, overhaul it thoroughly and sell it for you at your risk, and allow you all that we can get for it when sold as payment on the note or notes that you give for a new one.

If you are not interested in a new machine we have several good second hand cream separators for sale cheap. Come and look them over. Some as good as new.

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**He Couldn't Understand.**  
Bob had had a strenuous day at school. In discussing it he said "Mother, why don't women have any use for men when they're little? Don't they know they'll grow up some day."

**PUPILS AND TEACHERS AT-TENTION.**

Pupils, 8th grade examinations will be held May 11-12, 1916, at the following places: Tawas City, Oscoda, Alabaster, Grant township hall, Hale and Whittemore.

Reading based on Longfellow's "Birds of Killingworth."  
Respectfully,  
J. A. Campbell, Com. adv.

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CONSTITUTION THE PRIDE OF THE AMERICAN NAVY.

Launched in October, 1797, "Old Ironsides" Figured With Glory in the Early Struggles Attending the Republic's Birth.

The most famous vessel in the history of the United States navy is the Constitution, popularly called "Old Ironsides," and originally a 44-gun frigate. She was launched October 21, 1797, at Boston, but was not completed until the following year, when she put to sea under command of Captain Nicholson for service again the French in the West Indies.

During the war with Tripoli, 1801-05, the Constitution was Preble's flagship, and in 1805 took part in three of the five bombardments of the port of Tripoli. In July, 1812, under command of Isaac Hull, she escaped from a British squadron off the New Jersey coast after a spirited chase of three days. On August 19, off Cape Race, she fought her famous battle with the Guerriere, a somewhat weaker English frigate, commanded by Captain Boscawen, which she left a total wreck after an engagement of 30 minutes, the English losing 79 of their crew and the Americans 14. On December 29, under command of Captain Bainbridge, the Constitution captured off Bahia, Brazil, the Java (38 guns; Captain Lambert), after an engagement lasting two hours, in which the British lost 300 killed and wounded and the Americans 34.

On February 14, 1814, under Captain Stewart, the Constitution captured the Picton, 16 guns and a convoy, in the West Indies. On February 20, 1814, she took the Cyane, 34 guns, and the Levant, 18 guns; after a fierce engagement, remarkable for the seamanship of the Americans and the gallantry of the English, between the Madeira islands and the Gibraltar. The English lost 19 killed and 42 wounded out of 320, and the Americans 6 killed and 9 wounded out of 451. Soon afterward the Constitution was pursued by a strong British squadron, which recaptured the Levant.

Between 1825 and 1830 the Constitution was reported unseaworthy and ordered to be dismantled, but was returned in deference to the popular sentiment aroused by Holmes' poem, "Old Ironsides," and in 1833 was rebuilt. In 1855 she was laid up at the Portsmouth navy yard, but used at times as a training ship. In 1877 she was again partially rebuilt, and the next year crossed the Atlantic for the last time. In 1897 she was roofed in at the Boston navy yard and has since been used mainly as a barracks ship.

**Anatomical Test.**  
In recent years many anatomists have given much attention to solving the problem of reproducing from the skulls the faces of ancient peoples. According to Nature, Prof. C. W. M. Poynter of the University of Nebraska some time ago gave three skulls to a sculptor, with the request that he reconstruct the fleshy parts of the face and head according to the data published by Professor von Eggelein of the University of Jena. Professor Poynter did not tell the artist that the three skulls were all of natives of North America. As a matter of fact, one, possibly of the Pleistocene age, was found by Mr. Robert F. Gilder in a mound of river loam in Nebraska; one belonged to an Indian of pre-Columbian date; and one was that of a modern Indian. The photographs of the artist's work show in all three cases the characteristic face of the American Indian. Whatever the age of the Nebraska skull may prove to be, its owner was undoubtedly a man of the Indian type.

**For Scientific Research.**  
The British board of education has published particulars of a scheme for a permanent official organization of scientific and industrial research. It is proposed to form a committee of the privy council to be responsible for the expenditure of any new moneys provided by parliament for scientific and industrial research, and a small advisory council, responsible to the above-mentioned committee, and composed mainly of eminent scientific men and men actually engaged in industries dependent upon scientific research. The first members of the advisory council will be: Lord Rayleigh, G. T. Bell, W. Duddell, Prof. B. Hopkinson, Prof. J. A. McClelland, Prof. R. Meldola, R. Threlfall, with Sir William S. McCormick as administrative chairman.

**Trench Routine.**  
Writing from a hospital in England, where he was sent after a severe engagement near Ypres, a Canadian says that, "owing to the strain of living in these trenches, the usual routine is as follows for any battalion: Four days in the firing line, four days in reserve, four days in the firing line again, four days in reserve, and then 16 days behind in order to rest." This is a most definite proof of the tremendous strain troops must undergo in modern warfare, when even after this steady regime of relaxation cases of shattered nerves are common in army hospitals.

**Good Beginning**  
Student—Were you successful with your first case, doctor?  
Old Doctor—Remarkably. I attended the patient only a week, after which the executor of his estate paid my bill in full.

**HER LADYSHIP DECIDES**  
By IZOLA FORRESTER.

It would be dull for Wanda back in London. She had worked hard through the winter and needed a change. Ostensibly she came as the guest of Mrs. Towne, his mother, but it was Courtney who shouldered the full responsibility.

"I haven't seen Peggy since she was married. She says they are going to put in at Pinehurst pier tomorrow at ten and I am to motor over with you. She would love to have Mrs. Towne and you come, too, Courtney."  
"My mother doesn't approve of Peg."  
"No!" With lifted brows, "She's perfectly dear, and now she's married she's settled down wonderfully. I think I shall go, Courtney."  
Courtney said nothing. He agreed quite pleasantly to drive her over the next morning. Mrs. Towne was indisposed and some way Wanda managed to coax her into acquiescence.

It was a cool, windy morning the next day, when they started for Pinehurst. Courtney had chosen his own car, a low, two-seated French machine. He seemed rather silent as they swung out along the shore road.  
"It isn't far, is it?" Wanda asked lightly.  
"About eighteen miles. I'm going to take the short cut."  
Once outside the little seaside village, he turned off the main road and took the one through the pines inland. Wanda stole a glance at him again, at the clean-cut, almost stern profile beside her, and then at his hands and the way they gripped the wheel.

"You don't really mind my going, do you, Courtney?" she asked tentatively.  
"Not at all now," Courtney returned cordially.  
"Halbert's very fond of Peggy. I think he might have married her himself some time if she hadn't chosen Captain Minturn."  
Courtney smiled at the ribbon of road unwinding before them. His eyes were half closed. He knew every inch of this road. And every mile was taking them from Pinehurst and the boat landing. Yet he waited to make sure. It was at the fourteenth mile that he slipped a lever wrong and the machine stopped.

With a quick apology he sprang out and started to tinker away at the car. Her ladyship chattered for a few minutes, waiting expectantly, but as the minutes flew by she glanced around curiously at the unfolding hills.  
"Courtney, are you really trying to fix the car or just—"  
He sat up in the road, his cap on the back of his head, and smiled at her.  
"You're not fixing it at all, are you? That's what you call it over here, isn't it, fixing instead of repairing? Won't it go at all?"  
He shook his head contentedly. She stepped from the car with dignity, delightful dignity he thought, considering.

"I think I shall walk until I find some sort of a conveyance."  
"You can't, because we're about seven miles at least from the last house. I'm going to stay here until—" he glanced at his watch thoughtfully—"until 10:30. They will have sailed by then, don't you think so?"  
Wanda's dark eyes were bright with anger.

"I don't see how you dare to do this, Courtney Towne. They are my friends and if I choose to go with them it is absolutely my own affair."  
"Dear, you are not quite nineteen," said Courtney gently. "Halbert put you in my care and I can't conscientiously let you chase down the coast with Peggy and have her marry you off to any other crowd."  
"You mean Kent?" The color rose in her face quickly.  
Courtney nodded.

"I know the whole thing, Wanda. I heard Kent bet that he would marry you before you returned to England. You know as well as I do that old Halbert is in debt to him badly. It was part of his game to make him so. It gave him a surety of his consent to his winning you, and I couldn't stand that sort of thing."  
Wanda stood before him, white now, her hands clenched at her sides. It had all been a lark, her wanting to go with Peg. She had not really cared, but when he had made an issue of it, it had amused her to win the point over him. Even though she knew Kent Paxton was going, she had not realized what it might mean.  
"You see, dear," he went on slowly, "it isn't just for Halbert's sake, either. It's for your own. You know that, don't you, Wanda? I haven't been able to get word out to your brother yet, but there's been a little run of luck for him, some money out of a Mexican deal that has seemed dead. We are both in on it, and I sold out our interest last week. There's enough to pay up Kent. You needn't catch the boat."  
She caught the underlying bitterness beneath his words and stretched out her hand to him.

"Oh, Courtney, I do need you—"  
"Of course, if you really want to go yet," he added unsteadily, "the machine isn't really out of commission. I can get you there. But I want you to come back with me."  
Her hands were laid against his lips firmly. Courtney met her gaze with eyes that told all that was in his mind, and Wanda laughed softly, her own glance wavering.  
"I've decided to go back," she said. (Copyright, 1915, by the McClure News-paper Syndicate.)

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### NEWS FROM THE IOSCO COUNTY SCHOOLS.

**Alabaster School Notes.**  
The lady Macabees were visiting our school Tuesday afternoon. An Easter egg frolic was enjoyed in the primary room Friday afternoon.

The school has received the picture of the "Old Swimming hole," painted by W. A. Byler.

Mr. Bigelow of East Tawas gave to the school a subscription to the Country Gentleman for the year.

Hilda Johnson received a book of Riley's poems which she gave to our library. We also received the bust of James Whitcomb Riley.

**Whitemore High School Notes.**  
Celia Abbott was absent Monday. Coughing is catching isn't it. Remember your "Motto" eighth graders.

Bank books seem to be a nuisance to Stella.

The rhetoric class are studying the paragraph.

Herbert Cataline was absent from school Monday.

The tenth graders passed their final test successfully.

Vera Hurford led the current event class Friday morning.

The ninth and tenth botany class studied roots last week.

Don't be mad Alfrietta. Fences are not torn down every day.

Erma Hall returned to school Monday after a weeks absence.

The seventh and eighth grade had a review in geography Tuesday.

The seventh grade arithmetic class are studying compound numbers.

Bessie Leslie, Helen Louks and Vera Hurford were absent Wednesday.

The Audobon society had some fine paintings of the tree sparrow Friday.

We are sorry to say that Harvey Ostrander has left us for some time.

Most of us expect to attend the play given by the normal class of Tawas City.

Bessie Leslie was absent from school Tuesday. What time did the train leave Bessie?

Romanzo Hall was on the sick list last week. It doesn't pay to go without breakfast, does it R?

The eighth grade had a twenty minute arithmetic class Tuesday. They are making use of their time.

The eighth graders received their play books Tuesday. The play will be given for graduation. The date for graduation will be set later.

The eighth grade was favored with a thirty minute physiology class Monday. The ninth and tenth botany class was omitted. Of course we wasn't sorry.

**Primary Room.**  
The second grade dramatized the story "Chicken-Little."  
Helen Blumenau and Eddie Jacques entered school Monday.

Edrie and Vernetta Mills left school Friday, having moved to Flint.

The kindergarten class and first grade made some Easter booklets.

The kindergarten and first grade memorized the poem, "The Rainy Day."

The fourth grade language class wrote the story "The Lion and the Mouse."

The second and third grade language class wrote the story "The Little Pine Tree."

**To Eighth Graders.**  
The usual eighth grade examination will be held May 11-12 at the following places: Alabaster, Oscoda, Hale, Grant township hall, Tawas City and Whitemore.

Be on hand promptly. Pen and ink must be used.

Friday, the 12th, in addition to usual subjects boys taking part in state fair competition will be required to answer questions sent by the state fair board. We have had excellent boys represent us during the last few years and we want a fine boy this year.

The successful candidate has all expenses paid, is well accommodated and receives excellent instruction in stock judging, etc. It is a splendid experience. I trust nearly all of the boys taking the eighth grade examination enter this contest.

Seventh graders may write physiology and geography if they wish.

Very respectfully,  
J. A. Campbell.

**Nursery Rhymes Recast.**  
Goosey, Goosey Gander,  
Where shall I wander?  
Up stairs, down stairs,  
In the Senate chamber,  
There I met some fine men,  
Whose motto was "Prepare!"  
I tok them by their right hands,  
And shook them, I declare!

The Tawas Herald, \$1.50 per year.

**LAPEER PAINTER GIVES OUT FACTS**

**Richard Davis Tells of an Interesting Experience With Tanlac.**

"Stomach troubles of long standing served to cause my whole system to become run down and I never got any better until I used Tanlac," said Richard Davis, a well-known Lapeer, Michigan painter and paper hanger, in a recent interview.

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"I was so nervous," continued Mr. Davis, "that I could not get the proper amount of sleep. Consequently, I lost much strength and energy. I never felt like I had any life to me at all. I was always tired and listless. My condition was generally run down and I could get no better it seemed."

"I saw Tanlac advertised and, becoming interested, got a bottle of the medicine. It has restored my appetite and has given me much strength and vigor. I feel much better since using the remedy and want all who suffer as I did to try Tanlac."

Tanlac may be obtained in Tawas City and in East Tawas at the store of Jas. E. Dillon.—Advertisement.

**ROAD BONDS FOR SALE.**

The undersigned will receive sealed bids at his office at Lansing, Michigan, up to twelve o'clock noon, May 2nd, 1916, for the sale of approximately thirty-two thousand (\$32,000) dollars worth of serial road assessment district bonds under the provisions of Act 59, Public Acts of 1915, as amended, for assessment district road No. 35, in Iosco and Ogemaw counties.

Said bonds will run from two to ten years, interest and bonds payable at maturity.

Each bidder is requested to name the rate of interest required (not exceeding six per cent), and the premium he will pay, in his bid. Denomination of the bonds will be made to suit the purchaser.

For information regarding the nature of the bonds, and copies of the act under which they are issued, address the undersigned.

A certified check in the sum of \$1,000 payable to the order of the State Highway Commissioner will be required with each bid.

The right is hereby reserved to reject any or all bids.

FRANK F. ROGERS,  
State Highway Commissioner.

### A PECULIAR WELL IN FLORIDA.

In their investigation of the wells and underground waters of Florida the geologists of the United States Geological Survey have noted many interesting things. Among these is a well at Welaka, on St. Johns River, from which two kinds of water are obtained.

This well is 300 feet deep. The length of the casing is 110 feet. The well was first drilled to 160 feet, and from this depth ordinary "sulphur" water was obtained. The drill was then carried to a depth of 300 feet, where it encountered a strong mineral water, having a disagreeable, salty taste. In order to use both kinds of water an inner tubing was run nearly to the bottom of the well. Both this and the outer casing were connected with pumps, so that ordinary water and mineral water can be pumped at the same time. A favorite joke played on visitors is to give them a drink of the weaker water in the first glass and to replace it with the brine in the second.

Not more than half a dozen wells of this kind are known in the country, but there is no reason why similar wells can not be obtained in regions where the waters in the upper strata differ from those lying deeper.

**Old Jokes as They Didn't Originate**

Shakespeare—"There are a lot of pretty chickens on the street today."

Bacon—"Yes, one of them is coming across."

Shakespeare—"By the way, what makes a chicken cross the road?"

Bacon—"This one happens to be my wife and she's coming across to take lunch with me."

**COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.**

Regular meeting of the common council of the city of Tawas City, held in the council rooms Friday evening April 21st, 1916.

Present—Mayor Eugene Bing, \*Aldermen Mark, Brown, Wilson, Stark, Musolf, Bowen and Clerk King.

Minutes of regular meeting of April 10, 1916 read and approved.

Application of Fred G. Force for retail liquor dealers license presented. Moved by Mark, seconded by Brown, that the application of Fred G. Force be laid on the table.

Motion lost.

Yeas—Mark, Brown.

Nays—Wilson, Stark, Musolf, Bowen.

Moved by Wilson, seconded by Stark, that the application of Fred G. Force be granted.

Motion carried.

Yeas—Wilson, Stark, Musolf, Bowen.

Nays—Mark, Brown.

Following communications presented:

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

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

Druggists bond of J. M. Wuggazer as principal with Henry Kane and Thomas Bradley as sureties in the sum of \$2,000.00.

Moved by Mark, seconded by Stark that the bond of John Corrigan be approved.

Motion carried. All voting yeas.

Moved by Bowen seconded by Musolf, that the bond of Fred G. Force be approved.

Motion carried. All voting yeas.

Moved by Mark, seconded by Stark that the bond of J. M. Wuggazer be approved.

Motion carried. All voting yeas.

Committee on claims and accounts presented the following bills and recommended payment of the same:

Barkman Lumber Co., lumber . \$21.47  
Wilson Grain Co., coal . . . . . 4.50  
New York Belting & Packing Co., fire hose . . . . . 125.00  
Jas. E. Ballard, printing and publishing . . . . . 35.55

Moved by Mark seconded by Wilson that the bills be allowed as recommended and orders drawn for the same.

Motion carried.

Yeas—Mark, Brown, Wilson, Stark, Musolf, Bowen. Nays—None.

Moved by Mark, seconded by Wilson that the street committee be and are hereby authorized and instructed to survey the streets of the city, and make repairs to such as in urgent need of same; reporting to the council at the next regular meeting.

Motion carried. All voting yeas.

Alderman Mark asked and received permission to retire.

Moved by Bowen seconded by Wilson that the clerk draw an order for \$50.00 in favor of Charles Fowler, in payment of contract for lowering city hall.

Motion carried.

Yeas—Brown, Wilson, Musolf, Bowen. Nays none.

Moved by Brown seconded by Wilson that the clerk take up the question of placing crossing signals at the Hamilton crossing with the Detroit & Mackinac R. R. Co.

Motion carried. All voting yeas.

On motion council then adjourned.

EUGENE BING, Mayor.  
J. B. KING, City Clerk.

**Sherman Township, Iosco County, Mich., April 13, 1916.**

To the Township Board of Sherman Township, Iosco County, Mich.

Gentlemen:—I, the undersigned, Albert Drager, former Township Treasurer of Sherman Township, Iosco County, Michigan, in pursuance of a talk with you at East Tawas, Mich., April 6, 1916, do hereby wish to make restitution of the certain moneys which were wrongfully deducted by me from certain orders drawn on the funds of the said township during the time I was Township Treasurer, in the years 1914 and 1915; and in order to make restitution complete and satisfactory to you, I acknowledge that I wrongfully and improperly deducted certain sums of money from certain township orders presented to me from time to time for payment, and I realize that these actions were very serious, and that if the Township Board did not allow me to make full restitution, that I might be proceeded against in court.

ALBERT DRAGER,  
Ex-Treasurer, Sherman Township, Iosco County, Michigan.

**NOTICE OF ROAD JOB.**

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Board of County Road Commissioners of the county of Iosco, for building the following piece of Trunk Line road: Commencing at the quarter post between Sections 34 and 35, running north one and one-half miles to the Section corner of Sections 22, 23, 26 and 27, Reno township.

Grading, ditching, shouldering and metalling with gravel, class "B" road.

A certified check \$200.00 to accompany each bid, and successful bidder will be required to furnish a bond in the amount of Two Thousand Dollars, (\$2,000.00) for the successful completion of the work.

Specifications on file in County Clerk's office, Tawas City. Bids to be in the hands of Jno. A. Mark, clerk of said board not later than Saturday, May 6th, 1916, at 9 o'clock a. m.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

JNO. A. MARK,  
Clerk of said Board.

**NOTICE.**

To Hannah S. Bules, James H. Watson and to the owner or owners of any and all interests in or liens upon the land herein described:

Take Notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the county in which the lands lie of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per cent additional thereto, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of land: Situated in Iosco county, state of Michigan, lot 2, section 11, town 22, range 6, amount paid \$9.09, tax for year 1911.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$23.18, to which must be added the fees of the sheriff and publication.

Yours respectfully,  
NICHOLAS C. HARTINGH,  
Place of business: Tawas City, Mich.  
Dated Feb. 9, A. D. 1916.  
State of Michigan  
County of Iosco

I hereby certify and return that, after careful and diligent search and inquiry, I have been unable to find the whereabouts or post office address of any person having any interest in the within notice of reconveyance, except Nevada and Charles Cottrell, the persons in actual possession of said land.

Dated April 5th, 1916.  
ERNEST CHASE,  
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Loans made by them will be found at this bank and may be arranged at maturity.

We have assumed their deposits, as shown by the books of the bank, and same will be paid by us in full, either in cash or transferred to their credit on our books at depositor's option.

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## IOSCO COUNTY BANK

McPhail & Macomber, Bankers  
L. A. CHESTER, Cashier  
Whittemore Michigan

# SPRING GOODS

We are still anxious for you to come in and look over our new spring stock of Dress Goods, Shoes, Etc. Those who have seen them are delighted and we know you will be too. Everything is strictly up-to-date, latest styles and you can find no better anywhere.

Don't delay but come now while you have your choice of the selections for they are going fast.

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Our Grocery Department is filled with the choicest on the market and our goods are always fresh and clean.

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# Farm Tools and Machinery

The time for spring work on the farm is at hand and we want to inform you that we are prepared to furnish you with anything you may need in that line

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### WHITTEMORE.

Judge Widdis was a business caller here Tuesday.

Merlin and Hessel Shaffer returned to their home in Flint Tuesday.

Miss Maggie Sloat spent Easter with her sister, Mrs. N. Colvin.

Mrs. Alex Mills went to Flint Saturday where she expects to make her home.

Mrs. Burr Hall and family returned home Friday after a short visit in Tawas.

Rev. Marsh rendered a fine Easter sermon Sunday evening, which was well attended.

Jas. Leslie has purchased a new soda fountain which is now ready for use at his parlor.

Dave Sawyer came home from Flint Friday on account of the illness of his mother, Mrs. P. Sawyer.

Vernon Louks returned Monday from Coleman, where he has been employed in the bank for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Sawyer and Mrs. B. Webster returned to Flint Monday after a short visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams of Yellowgrass, Sask., were visiting at the home of Mrs. Roy Leslie for the past week.

The Backward Man will accompany the normal class while giving their play on May 5th. The class comprises the youth from all parts of the county and should be well encouraged in their efforts to help along on the financial expenses and obtain experience in public entertainment.

### SHERMAN SHOTS.

Miss Maude Sloan spent Easter at home.

Andrew Klimaszewski of Alpena was in town on business Friday.

Amil Scharret was at Turner Saturday.

Simon Goupil was at Tawas City Tuesday and got his red card.

Louie Sepell came here from Flint and returned Monday.

A. B. Schneider was at Tawas City on business Tuesday.

Misses Maude and Anna Sloan and Charlie Bellville attended the show at Whittemore Saturday night.

Miss Luella Penning has returned to her home at Munger, after spending a week with Mrs. Thos. Norris.

Miss Anna Sloan came up from Flint, where she has been employed for the past four months, and spent Easter here.

Fred Aspin, whose home burned some time ago, left Saturday for Bay City where he and his family will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams of Canada were guests at the home of Mrs. G. W. Croft and daughter, Mrs. P. E. Hamman, Sunday.

### LIDLAWVILLE.

Oscar Fahselt returned home from Bay City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Rempert entertained a number of friends on Monday.

Henry Fahselt and Miss Della Yax spent Sunday evening at the home of Chris. Goedecke.

W. E. Laidlaw and family visited Mr. and Mrs. George Lake in East Tawas last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood spent Sunday afternoon at the home of George Westcott in Baldwin.

John Westcott and Miss Lena Schaaf attended the dance in the Red hall in Wilber Monday evening.

Mrs. W. E. Laidlaw went to Alabaster Tuesday and attended the Maccabee convention at that place.

Miss Lena Schaaf spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schaaf in Wilber.

Walter Anschuetz of Flint spent the Easter holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anschuetz.

Anthony, Andrew and Walter Anschuetz, Ernest Fahselt and Lewis Bischoff visited at the home of George Fahselt on Sunday.

George Miller and friend William Lawrence of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McLeod and daughter, Miss Hazel, attended a Masonic lecture and social evening at East Tawas on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kobs went to Detroit on Thursday to spend Easter with their daughter, Mrs. W. Cholcher. They returned home on Tuesday.

### SOUTH BRANCH NEWS.

Sam Sperling was at Hale last Wednesday.

Henry Barringer came home from Flint last Monday.

Mrs. Martindale spent last Thursday in East Tawas.

Nellie Naylor entertained a school mate over Sunday from Hale.

Jim Naylor and wife spent Easter Sunday at Hillman, the guests of Tom Naylor and family.

Frank Bindscuttle and family have moved back to their home here after spending the winter near Big AuSable lake.

Mrs. Emma Berry has returned home from Detroit and St. Charles, where she had been visiting her daughter.

### HALE AND VICINITY.

E. V. Esmond was at Tawas City a few days this week.

Ruth Deland and Merton Webb are both ill at the present writing.

S. R. and Thurman Scofield were Tawas City visitors last Friday.

Mrs. A. Shellenbarger returned home Tuesday night from Lansing.

Easter services at both churches were well attended both morning and evening.

Miss Almond of South Branch is employed in the home of Thurman Scofield.

Fred Emmanuel of Ohio was the Sunday guest of his brother-in-law, Fred Jennings.

Frank Buck came home from Flint last Saturday night and will spend a week's vacation with his family.

### WILBER WARBLINGS.

Mrs. Henry Westman has gone to Detroit.

Helena Buckle visited in Tawas City over Sunday.

Harry Brooks spent a few days this week at Flint.

Wellington Simmons has gone to Alabaster to seek employment.

Mary Searle visited friends in Tawas City a portion of this week.

Mrs. George Kirkendall has been on the sick list during the past week.

Fred Brooks and son, Hubert, visited relatives at Cook Site recently.

Irene Thompson of East Tawas spent the week end at her home here.

Ray Green who is employed at Flint spent Easter at his home here.

Miss R. Wilson of East Tawas visited Helma Schaaf one day this week.

Annie Phelps of Marks Station spent the week end with her parents here.

A large number of Wilber people spent Tuesday at Cooke Site. What luck?

Ruth Lilyquist and Elma Krunland of Tawas City spent Sunday at their home here.

Mary Mochty came home last Saturday after spending several weeks in East Tawas.

Martha Stonehouse who is teaching school at Turner spent Easter with her parents here.

Miss Eva Hamilton of East Tawas is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Sherman, this week.

F. Schmaltz and W. Anschuetz of Laidlawville attended the Easter dance here Monday evening.

A large crowd attended the Easter dance given in the Red hall last Monday evening and a good time is reported.

Jack Westcott and Lena Schaaf of Laidlawville spent Sunday here at the home of Miss Schaaf's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schaaf.

A birthday party was given at the home of Mrs. C. Thompson last Saturday evening for her daughter Irene. Those attending report a good time.

Mrs. Fred Roberts returned to her home at Cheboygan Tuesday after visiting for a few days at the home of her brother, Wm. Greene and family.

Mr. and Mrs. August Cholger, sr., and Mr. and Mrs. August Cholger, jr., were called to Bay City Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Chas. Cholger.

The social given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phelps last Friday evening was not very well attended on account of bad roads. The proceeds amounted to nearly \$6.00.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald who have been visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Grant Kirkendall, for some time, have gone to Alabaster, where they expect to reside.

### ELLAKE ECHOES.

Michael Bezesky of Detroit is here now.

Long Lake is organizing a ball team.

J. Peel of Missouri visited his father last week.

Grant Barber has his new house nearly erected.

M. N. Cray of Toledo, O., is at the C. O. G. now.

Miss Sarah Mothersell went away Saturday morning.

Oliver Lavack of Lupton was in town one day last week.

J. L. Martin who has been staying at Mr. Nicholls' has returned to Chicago, Ill.

Floyd Martin spent Sunday with his parents in Lupton, returning Monday morning.

The lake is free from ice now. Going out April 17th and doing considerable damage.

Jesse Shoff and his wife are here where they expect to work on the outlying grounds.

The W. C. T. U. ladies gave a supper April 22. All enjoyed a good time and a good supper.

Felix Laurence who has been working on the C. O. G. this winter is moving on his farm.

Louis LaBerge has finished the work at his saw mill. The total cut being about 130 thousand feet.

Miss Mary Macey of the Bijou ranch went to Bay City to spend Easter with her parents there.

The Easter program held at the school house Sunday was very much a success and was well attended.

The Misses Cecile Clough and Dorothy Smalley of the Bijou ranch were Tawas visitors over Sunday.

### RENO RUMBLINGS.

Tommy Jackson is on the sick list. Same Barnes has moved back to his farm.

Mrs. Peter Sawyer is very sick again.

Our supervisor is busy assessing these days.

Hugh Anderson was a Tawas visitor last Friday.

Mrs. Harsch returned home from Bay City Saturday.

Mrs. Elmer Dennis is very much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Fern Sundayed at the Cleveland ranch.

The children at the Cleveland ranch are sick with measles.

The Easter services at the Baptist church were well attended.

The serenade of the whip-poor-will is again heard on the farm.

Mrs. Anna Beardislee spent a few days at the parental home last week.

Wanted: Some days of sunshine for a change to follow this rainy weather.

Frank Bernard of Hale was in the vicinity buying cattle one day last week.

Willie Degrow who has been at Detroit for some time is home at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lindsay spent Easter with their daughter, Mrs. Wisneck.

The M. E. Ladies' aid met at the home of Mrs. J. Westervelt on Thursday of this week.

Mrs. William was called to Tawas last week by the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Huston.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Latter is convalescing from her recent illness of pneumonia.

Floyd Sherman's horse became frightened at some children passing, getting loose from him. It ran some distance, breaking one wheel of the buggy. Fortunately he escaped injury.

Easter Sunday was fittingly observed at the Reno Baptist church which was made beautiful with house plants and evergreen. Rev. Marsh preached in commemoration of "The Risen Christ." Mrs. Marsh and Mrs. Fred Latter each favored us with a solo, and the choir rendered Easter music.

Miss Florence Latter who has been attending school at Tawas was taken seriously ill with appendicitis last Wednesday. She was taken to Bay City Thursday morning, although the operation was a serious one she is reported to be doing as well as can be expected. Her parents accompanied her. Mr. L. returning Saturday, Mrs. L. remaining with her.

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- One black mare
- One red cow, about nine years old
- One red cow, about eight years old
- One Jersey colored cow, eleven years old
- One black cow, nine years old
- One black cow, four years old
- One red cow, ten years old
- One black cow, three years old
- One black bull, two years old
- One sewing machine
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