

THE TAWAS HERALD.

TAWAS CITY, MICH., JANUARY 24, 1884.

W. N. MILLER & CO.,

PUBLISHERS.

County Officers.

Sheriff - Clark Esmond, Tawas City
Clerk - E. E. Williams, Tawas City
Treasurer - W. V. Penoyer, Osceola
Register - S. G. Taylor, Tawas City
Prosecuting Attorney - C. R. Henry, Ausable
Cl. Court Commissioner - S. G. Taylor, Tawas City
Probate Judge - J. O. Whittemore, Tawas City
Surveyor - D. E. Gullay, Tawas City
Coroners - Robt. McCormick, Ausable
A. G. Van Wey, Tawas City

SOCIETIES.

IOSCO LODGE NO. 341, I. O. O. F. - Regular meetings held every Wednesday evening at their hall.
LYMAN B. SMITH, N. G.
HOMER PRATT, Sec'y
TAWAS CITY LODGE, NO. 302, F. & A. M. - Regular communication held at Masonic Hall, on Thursday evening on or preceding the full of the moon in each month.
CORNELIUS NORTH, W. M.
LYMAN B. SMITH, Sec'y.

PROFESSIONALS.

SIBLEY G. TAYLOR,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
General Real Estate and Abstract Office. The only complete abstract of Iosco county.
TAWAS CITY, MICH.

E. E. WILLIAMS,
ATTORNEY & SOLICITOR,
Agent for Phenix, Sun Fire, and Farmers Fund Insurance Cos.
TAWAS CITY, MICH.

ROBERT WHITE,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
EAST TAWAS MICH.

J. F. HOVIS, M. D.,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
Office at Goodale's drug store, East Tawas, Mich.
Professional calls promptly attended to other day or night.

W. L. STILWELL,
VETERINARY SURGEON.
Treats all diseases of domestic animals. Horse Dentistry & speciality. Ohio Mixture, Condition Powders and Liniment always on hand.
Office and residence; Church street, East Tawas, Michigan.

LUMBER INSPECTING ETC.
E. B. SPILEMAN,
EXCHANGE AND REAL ESTATE OFFICE.
Village property and farm lands bought and sold on commission. Will promptly attend to all orders for inspecting lumber, scaling logs, buying and selling Lumber, Posts, Shingles, Pine Lands, etc. Office, opposite Darling's Drug Store, Tawas City, Mich.

HOTELS.
SAND LAKE HOUSE.
GEORGE A. WEBSTER, PROP.
This house is situated 9 miles west of Tawas City, in the township of Grant, offers excellent accommodations to guests and lumbermen. Good stabling in connection.

STRONG HOUSE
R. OSBORN, Prop.
Ample accommodation for the traveling public. Good Stable in connection.
EAST TAWAS, MICH.

Railroad Directory.
DETROIT, BAY CITY & ALPENA R. R.
Central Standard Time.

Going South.
Leave AuSable 11 05 a. m.; Tawas City 12 03 p. m.
Arrive at Alger 2 50 p. m.; West Bay City (M. C. R. R.) 4 55 p. m.; Bay City 5 00 p. m.

Going North.
Leave Bay City (M. C. R. R.) 11 20 p. m.; Alger 3 15 p. m.; D. B. C. & A. R. R. Arrive Tawas City 6 00 p. m.
AuSable 6 55
Passengers destined for points south of Bay City on the Saginaw Div. M. C. R. R. change cars at West Bay City.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD.
MACKINAW DIVISION.
All trains run by Central Standard time.
Going North.
Leave Leave Arrive
Bay City Grayling Mackinac
8 10 a. m. 12 05 p. m. 1 30 p. m.
Mackinac Ex 1 30 p. m. 5 05 p. m. 8 35 p. m.

Going South.
Leave Leave Arrive
Mackinac Grayling Bay City
8 25 a. m. 12 20 p. m. 5 00 p. m.
Saginaw exp. 6 25 a. m. 11 05 a. m.
All trains daily except Sunday.
New York express has parlor car between Mackinaw City and Detroit.

DETROIT AND BAY CITY DIVISION.
Going South.
Leave Leave Arrive
Bay City Sag. City Detroit
6 55 a. m. 9 00 a. m. 11 20 p. m.
Detroit exp. 5 25 p. m. 7 23 p. m. 9 50 p. m.
Night exp. 10 35 p. m. 2 01 a. m. 5 55 a. m.

Going North.
Leave Leave Arrive
Mackinaw exp. 8 45 a. m. 11 00 a. m. 1 00 p. m.
Bay City exp. 4 55 p. m. 7 33 p. m. 9 30 p. m.
Night exp. 10 55 p. m. 3 05 a. m. 6 25 a. m.
Daily except Saturday. Other trains daily except Sunday. Close connections at Detroit, Sag. City, and Port Huron with the G. T. Ry. Trains leaving Detroit 9 10 a. m. and Bay City 6 p. m. have through parlor cars to Detroit and Mackinaw. Night trains have sleeping cars attached.

SAGINAW DIVISION.
Going South.
Leave Leave Arrive
Bay City Sag. City Detroit
6 55 a. m. 9 00 a. m. 11 20 p. m.
Detroit exp. 5 25 p. m. 7 23 p. m. 9 50 p. m.
Night exp. 10 35 p. m. 2 01 a. m. 5 55 a. m.

Going North.
Leave Leave Arrive
Mackinaw exp. 8 45 a. m. 11 00 a. m. 1 00 p. m.
Bay City exp. 4 55 p. m. 7 33 p. m. 9 30 p. m.
Night exp. 10 55 p. m. 3 05 a. m. 6 25 a. m.
Daily except Saturday. Other trains daily except Sunday. Close connections at Detroit, Sag. City, and Port Huron with the G. T. Ry. Trains leaving Detroit 9 10 a. m. and Bay City 6 p. m. have through parlor cars to Detroit and Mackinaw. Night trains have sleeping cars attached.

Having opened a Boot and Shoe Shop first door East of the barber shop, I wish to announce my readiness to do all kinds of work in my line promptly, and in a workmanlike manner, and respectfully solicit a share of your patronage.
R. H. BURGESS
1-3m.
80 Acre Farm For Sale.

JOHN HUSTON,

DEALER IN

Groceries,
BOOTS & SHOES,

FLOUR & FEED,

WHICH HE OFFERS TO SELL AT

RETAIL OR WHOLESALE

AT THE LOWEST

BOTTOM PRICES,

For Cash.

W. A. DARLING,

Now prepared to serve Oysters in every style at his

RESTAURANT

near the bridge on Mathew street.

ALSO

CANNED GOODS

of every description. Pickled pigs feet, tongue, etc.

Choice Line

OF

CONFECTIONERY

AND

NUTS.

STATIONERY AND NEWS STAND.

Subscriptions received for periodicals and newspapers.
A portion of your patronage is solicited.
W. A. DARLING.

VAN WEY.

A Request to All

Please notice first class

Photographs,

Ferotypes,

Artotypes,

Cameo,

Oil Paintings, Enlarging of all kinds, and in fact everything in the line of Photography, done at the

TAWAS CITY ART GALLERY,

Also all kinds of stamping and designing for fan or needle work and hand painting in Oil

Colors for childrens clothing, ladies crosses, lambracquins,

For windows, shelves, brackets etc., Stamping done and work completed in every detail if so wished.

ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO

A friendly and cordial invitation is extended to all to come and view our work and learn our prices.

Tawas City Art Gallery.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Notice.

As soon as possible the HERALD will secure correspondents at the various post-offices and central points of news throughout the county, thus enabling us to more fully note the doings of the entire county. It will be our aim to make the HERALD a county Newspaper in the broadest sense of the word. To accomplish this end we desire all who are interested in such a paper to help us by sending in such items of interest as may come to their knowledge. We appreciate the valuable assistance we have already received tending to this end, and in reciprocation we will put forth our best efforts toward making the HERALD a popular and readable sheet.
W. N. MILLER & Co.

Tawas City and Vicinity.

More snow.
Nothing has been determined as yet in regard to a stock of logs for the Whittemore mill at this place.

Engine No 6, will soon be on the road.
There is talk of getting up an old time ball and banquet at this place.

The Bay City Tribune says W. W. Richardson purchased 4,000,000 feet of lumber at Tawas during the month of December.

The East Tawas Grasshopper club will give the fourth of a series of dancing socials at Simon's hall in this place to-morrow evening.

A negative plate picture of the Rifle river bridge, with the passenger train on it, was taken last Friday afternoon for photographic purposes.

Charlie Wagner scaler in Wilson's camp claims that he met two wild cats in the woods early one morning last week. Some say they were rabbits.

A valuable horse belonging to Smith Bros. of West Bay City, while attempting to start a load near Harmon City last Thursday slipped and broke its leg.

The freight and passenger buildings at the junction of the M. C. R. R., and D. B. C. & A. R. R., are nearly completed, and will soon be in shape for occupancy.

Frederick Latham returned from a trip outside last Monday, where he purchased a stock of goods for a general store which he will open on the Hemlock road shortly.

Charles Nelson, an employe at Hale's mill had the second finger and back of his right hand quite severely bruised and lacerated while unloading logs at that place Tuesday.

The propeller Arundell and steamer Metropolis will run between Bay City and Alpena this season, the same as ever notwithstanding the completion of the D. B. C. & A. R. R.

H. D. Taylor, route agent of the American Express Company, was in this place last Thursday and established a money order office in connection with the company's business at this place.

Alpena Argus: S. P. Wires and his assistants have finished cleaning the white fish spawn at the U. S., fish spawn hatchery in this city, and have now 240 jars of spawn in first class condition.

The surprise party given by Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Taylor last Thursday evening, to their son Gilbert, proved a very pleasant surprise to him and a very pleasant evening's entertainment to all who participated.

Alger, Smith & Co. are improving the road bed of their Black river railroad, preparatory to "lacking it on" to the Detroit, Bay City & Alpena railroad, when it shall have reached an accessible point in this county. So says Thos. Scott.—Harrisville Review.

Several of the dexterous skaters of this place made use of Danish sails on the ice last Monday. Most conspicuous among them for grace, charming ease and elegance of poise was our friend the p. y. c., who has entirely recovered from the shock of his little episode of two weeks ago.

The Tawas City HERALD reached our table this week, and we are happy to state is all that our anticipations pictured. A live wide-awake journal containing 43 columns filled to the brim with local news. It is very spicy and just the paper for Iosco county.—Arenac Independent.

There is talk of a fast stage line being established between Alpena and AuSable. If the line is established a stage will leave Alpena in the morning so as to connect with the train leaving AuSable at about eleven o'clock, thus enabling Alpena people to reach Bay City and other points south the same day of starting.

A Harrisville man owns a cow that should be placed in a zoological garden, and whose eating proclivities would paralyze a billy goat. The animal roams the streets independent of storm or stable, and will eat anything from a straw hat to a table cloth, or a joint of steve pipe.—Bay

Logs and Lumber.

Two locomotives are now constantly employed in the log service on the D. B. C. & A. R. R., hauling six trains per day to Tawas and bringing in every day about 200,000 feet of logs; later in the season this service will be increased, as with present progress of woods operations, logs will soon begin to accumulate along the line.

Capt. John Stewart, of the steamer Arundell returned Saturday night from a voyage among the lumber camps and reports the demand for labor materially improved, the skidding at many points being nearly completed and the hauling in which more men are required, being in active progress. Capt. S. visited the camps of John C. Brown on the AuGres and Hope Creek, a tributary thereof. Mr. Brown, who has eight camps, will put in some 35,000,000 feet of logs for the Saginaw Salt & Lumber Co., J. H. McGraw, Burrows & Rust, and R. J. Loveland. He has 70 teams at work, his longest haul is three miles, and in one of the camps are 107 men, the average number in the others being about 60 each. Work is being rushed with all possible celerity, and Capt. S. found the 3 o'clock breakfast decidedly too soon, even for a seafaring man, and after the first day out broke no fast until dinner time. He visited also the camps of H. Emery on Sage lake, at the head waters of the AuGres. Emery has a hundred men and thirty-one teams at work, and is driving business at a right lively pace.—Bay City Morning Call.

Presiding Elder L. P. Davis, will hold Quarterly meeting services at the M. E. church next Sabbath evening. Love feast at six o'clock, preaching at seven.

The Dime Sociable which was held at the residence of W. B. Whittemore was largely attended and there was a general good time, and quite a sum of money obtained for the benefit of the Ladies Aid Society.

The new bridge over the Niagara river bore up at one time eighteen locomotives and twenty-four loaded gravel cars. Solid men from Chicago may therefore trust themselves on it.—Chicago Herald, Dec. 22.

By parties fully advised in regard to the lumbering operations of the shore for the present year, we are assured that Emery & Bros. of East Tawas, will put in 10,000,000 feet, mostly in the Au Gres. The East Tawas Salt and Lumber company, of East Tawas, will put in 12,000,000 feet, all to come in by new railroad; W. M. Locke, 6,000,000 feet; C. H. Prescott & Co., of Tawas City, 10,000,000 feet; M. E. Hale, of Tawas City, 14,000,000 feet.

The two story hotel and adjoining buildings at the village of AuGres, belonging to Geo. Hannan, were destroyed by fire last Monday afternoon. The hotel was formerly kept by Dr. Gregory, and later by Peter Drummond, from whom it was purchased by Mr. Hannan in August last. Adjoining the hotel was a large dance hall with a bar and billiard room on the first floor. The buildings were worth \$3,000, and contents at least \$2,500.

A young man by the name of William McMillan, working in Gates' camp on the State road, last Monday afternoon was caught just below the abdomen by a short projection from a log which he was rolling and received terrible and painful injuries. He was taken to Dr. Gates' office at East Tawas where the wounds were dressed and the sufferer was made as comfortable as possible under the circumstances. He remained at the doctor's office until Tuesday evening, when he was taken to his home on the Hemlock road.

The friends of Conductor McLeod, of the D. B. C. & A. R. R., at AuSable, made him a very handsome and appropriate present at that place last Friday morning as a tribute of friendship and esteem. The present consisted of a neat conductor's lantern on which is engraved in very tasty lettering "Jno. J. McLeod." The presentation was made by Charles Norvin in behalf of the many other friends that Mr. McLeod has made at that point during the brief time which he has "made the run," on this road. It is needless to say that he is highly pleased over the affair, and that his AuSable friends will ever be gratefully remembered.

The Mt. Clemens Press speaking of the HERALD says: "The first issue reached this office last week. It presents a first class appearance, being superior in many respects to a great majority of the weeklies published in our larger cities. If it is kept up to its present fine appearance, and we have no reason to think otherwise, the new Tawas paper should be found in every household in the county. The paper has started out at the very top and it now remains with the citizens to hold it there. This can only be done with patronage and encouragement. The paper sustained as it now appears will give value received every time and every subscriber and advertiser.

Last Monday night two little typos made their appearance at the residence of Charles Jackson, editor of the Gazette, at East Tawas, in very scanty raiment, bare-footed and hungry; the only visible means of support being a "stick" which each carried. Although Charlie had inserted an item for one, he did not expect that two would answer the call, and consequently was not prepared for the second, but nevertheless both have been taken in and properly cared for. Charlie has evidently "worked up" his circulation considerably during the past year and when an item of this kind is inserted it brings abundant returns.

DRESS MAKING.
Mrs. R. V. Davidson having returned after a brief absence, is again prepared to do all kinds of work in dress making, and will be pleased to have her former patrons call upon her. She now has rooms at

GENESIS.

It must not be understood that in a sense of derision or because of any irreverence to sacred history, the word GENESIS is placed at the head of this article; far from it. It is from the Genesis in Sacred history that we obtain our first knowledge of the wisdom of the Creator; and the important position in which man is placed in the universe by the Allwise Creator and Father of all. Here man is set up as the Lord and king of nature, and even as God's vice-gerent over the terrestrial creation, pointing out to man his destination; to have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth. So that when the Creator had finished His work creating this terrestrial planet, He gave the same to man to occupy, subdue, and to beautify the same. The earth He has given to the children of man. Under this divine ordinance, man has been, is, and always will be acting as a co-worker with God in carrying out the wise plans of Providence to render this earth to be the happy abode of man. This is more than ordinarily true in this Republic, the United States. No country, perhaps, ever did accord to man the privilege in its fullest extent and literal meaning to have dominion over all the earth, and at the same time remain free from the obligation of obedience to some superior, unless such obedience be of his own choice, and the selection of the Superior the result of his own free will. Here, indeed is the land of freedom; the golden age; not as dreamed in ancient times, but as a matter of fact. It may well be said, that if this country and the inhabitants thereof do not prosper, or experience want and misery, it is neither the fault of the Almighty nor of the country, there is a screw loose somewhere else, and that is in the mind of man, the name of that screw is Recklessness. But happily, the country at large bears witness, that in general, the people are prudent and faithful stewards in this domain. Enterprise is wide-awake everywhere. An unsettled portion of the country is looked up by the hearty pioneer and there he erects his frugal home. Soon the news gets abroad and others come to afford him company; in a brief course of time the number of the inhabitants is swelled up large enough to entitle that country, though not long since a wilderness, to be counted in as a member of the family of states. Cities, towns and villages dot the ground where but recently the soil laid in its natural garment, waiting to be shook up to avoid the results attendant to the wear of filthy garments. Activity and new life is seen everywhere. The drum of industry beats the onward march. The new state begins to be divided off into counties, then the counties into townships. Everywhere is seen the footprints of industry, enterprise and progress. Public building for municipal purposes are erected, churches to worship and praise God in are seen everywhere; and schools for educating the young are called for in a neighborhood (in the new country) almost as soon as the first couple get married in the township. No pains nor expenses are spared to make home, privately and publicly pleasant and attractive. Such are the ways of the inhabitants of this country, the county of Iosco included. God and man work together to advance and beautify this earth, even the earth in the vicinity of Tawas Bay. The result is visible always; but the means and causes thereof in detail, are never inquired after or observed, though it would furnish matter of interest to the thinking mind. Since we are interested more here in Tawas, in its growth and advancement, than we can be with what is going on at Pike's Peak, especially since the gold-crop has proven to be a failure, the Tawas HERALD will spare no effort to furnish, as far as can be, information of the growth and advancement of Tawas Bay and vicinity under the chosen heading.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

GENESIS.

PERSONAL.

John Kinion of Bay City is in town.
Capt. John Stewart, of Bay City, is visiting the camps in this vicinity.

Miss Fannie Highland, of Vine, spent Sunday with friends at Jackson.

Geo. F. Lewis, of the Bay City Morning Call, was in town the latter part of last week.

L. Irving Stewart, of Owosso, who has been visiting his cousin Gilbert Taylor at this place for the past week returned home Monday.

Mrs. G. C. Tracy returned from a visit to friends and relatives at Port Huron, last Tuesday evening.

Miss De Hate, of Boston, Mass., arrived at this place last week and will probably remain here for some time.

E. B. Spileman left last Monday for Kalamazoo to attend the Grand Lodge of F. & A. M., and will return the latter part of the week.

Dr. H. A. Goodale and Hugh McDonald of East Tawas and L. B. Smith, of Tawas City have gone to Detroit to attend a meeting of the G. A.

Cornelius North, W. M. of the Tawas City Lodge is at Kalamazoo as a representative to the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge F. & A. M.

B. F. Smith, of Alabaster, William Nesbit and C. D. Hale of this place, have been looking into business matters at Bay City during the past week.

Mr. W. H. Johnson, of 8th avenue this city, spent last Sabbath at home with his family, returning to Davis' camp where he is employed, Monday forenoon.

Mr. N. Burnstein, of Detroit, who has been visiting his son of the Buffalo Clothing House intends returning home next Monday, well pleased with his visit to Tawas City.

Mr. J. M. Walker's youngest boy "Dick" has been seriously ill with brain fever, but is now convalescent. The parent expresses thanks to the neighbors for many acts of kindness during his sickness.

Dr. G. S. Darling wife and son, returned to their home in this place last Monday evening, after a three weeks visit at Flint, Mich., Glen Williams, London and various other places in Ontario.

Wm. Hamilton, father of James Hamilton, of this place, returned to Bay City yesterday after a few days visit here. He has recently bought property in Colorado and expects to locate in that state in the spring.

Joseph Fox, of this city, who has been in the employ of C. H. Prescott & Son at Davis' camp 9 miles from the Rife, came home last Saturday. He reports everything progressing well, there being on an average about two trains of logs loaded at that place each day. About 40 men are employed at this camp.

Dr. Reeve of East Tawas, has been up the Sauble to camp 12 (Osceola Salt and Lumber Co.'s lumbering camp) about 70 miles northwest of this place on the Sauble river, on professional business for the above named company. The doctor returned home last Saturday after an absence of four days, feeling hale and hearty.

Leave orders for Papers and Magazines, at W. A. DARLING'S.

Men's Boys' and Youth's clothing at immense sacrifice at the Buffalo Clothing House.

"Princess Tote" Finest 5 cent cigar in town at W. A. DARLING'S.

The most fashionable and nobby clothing equal to city custom work can be found at the Buffalo Clothing House.

"A devilish Fine Cigar" at W. A. DARLING'S.

C. H. Prescott & Sons are moving their dry goods stock into the new addition of their store. The groceries and dry goods will now be kept in separate stores, connected by a large opening.

Last night was one of those nights that old chronic liars tell about when they congregate around the grocery store stove. 1884 Pure Maple Sugar at W. A. DARLING'S.

Mr. John Sullivan, of East Tawas, who has been lumbering in this vicinity for several years, is at work this winter on the west side of Tawas Lake about five or six miles from Tawas City. He will put about a million feet of pine into Tawas Lake; and will also put into the lake a very large quantity of Cedar timber. The timber will be put in in the tree and can be manufactured afterward into any shape desired, being suitable either for posts, building blocks, ties, or telegraph poles, some of it being from 30 to 40 feet in length.

Notice.

The person who carried off the grid

NEIGHBORLY MENTION.

A new paper appears, issued from Tawas City, with a neat heading—The Tawas Herald. "Fred" Lewis, of the Bay City Morning Call, is the venture, and W. N. Miller is the editor and manager of the enterprise.

Thanks for the courteous welcome, but let us start right in business relations, please, that there may be no misapprehension in regard to the HERALD management. At the solicitation of Tawas parties Fred Lewis of the Morning Call acted as agent for the parties owning the HERALD material, and it is here to "hold the fort" abandoned, and wisely too, if Editor Jackson is correct in his statement, by the Gazette.

JOHN KELLY.

The HERALD as an entirely independent newspaper suggests to the Democracy of the country that the proper man for them to nominate as candidate for President this present year is Hon. John Kelly of New York. It is conceded that he is the man who is to do the electing; the election of Pennes United States Senator from Ohio, has according to Waterson of the Louisville Courier-Journal eliminated Ohio from Democratic calculations, and once more it is the same old fight with New York as a pivotal state.

In the year 1883 there were 10,046 marriage licenses issued by the county clerk in Chicago; and during the same year there were 986 applications for divorce filed and 650 decrees granted.

THE BACK-DOOR PLAN.

For the Herald:

Mr. Editor.—Years is an independent newspaper, and if I am correctly informed preposes to publish the views, if courteously presented and within reasonable limits as to space, of citizens and subscribers upon topics of general interest, however these views may differ from current sentiment or from your own individual opinion.

Desiring to write something upon the back-door plan of selling alcoholic drinks, which on account of the refusal to sell in the regular way and subject to legal regulations, prevails in the villages of Tawas and East Tawas. I will introduce the subject by a statement made by General Kilpatrick before his death, of his own experience as to the very efficient manner in which prohibition prohibits in Maine.

"I want you to go to Danforth. You know we have a prohibitory law in Maine, and you have probably found out that it isn't always observed. But everybody admits that in Danforth it is strictly lived up to. Opinion is all one way there, and I want you to say something about temperance in your speech."

Kilpatrick had several more similar adventures before he got out of Danforth, and declared that in that strictest of all prohibition towns he got more invitations to drink than in any other town he visited during the campaign.

This experience of Gen. Kilpatrick is not materially different from the experience of any mature man who has a "tooth for liquor," in any state or community where an attempt is made to enforce prohibition either under state law or by the action of the local authorities, and is not time for men of decent breadth—who recognize the fact this is a very broad world outside of the villages wherein those are ensconced, as in a pitcher, without the capacity to see over the top, who propose to bring everybody down to their way of thinking; and there is a large share of personal liberty in that world, that where that liberty is the greatest there is the best government and the most respect for the law, and the experience of any community is that when the law is brought into disrespect there is the most dangerous condition of society and the nearest approach to anarchy—to protest against the flimsy hypocritical misrule which is bringing disgrace and disaster upon this particular section.

Riding upon the cars not long since, I saw a big, burly man, fairly dressed occupying a whole seat, and though his offense was then so rank that it smelt to the remotest end of the car, ever and anon he took from his pocket a big black bottle and swallowed a portion, smacking his lips to the edification of a refined lady just across the aisle and equally refined ladies and gentlemanly gentlemen immediately behind and before him and all through the cars. Bestly drunk was the condition of at least half a dozen people on the streets of Tawas City the same night, and still there is no license and no legal authority to sell liquor in this village or in East Tawas.

The experience of this locality is not different from other localities in Michigan which have attempted to do the same thing, and the result at Alpena should alone be sufficient to satisfy those who are attempting to prevent the traffic in liquor here that they are attempting an impossibility.

I am but one, and if I believed the enforcement of prohibitory measures was possible, would favor their enforcement, but not proposing to fly in the face of facts and the experience of other places in Michigan favor the license plan, the rigid enforcement of all the laws regulating the sale of liquors, the suppression of this back-door plan and the enforcement of law and order, as it is done in these places where liquor is thus sold at all times, under all circumstances and at all hazards.

THE OLD STORY.

[Pittsburgh (Pa.) Special.]

While in New York City recently a wealthy resident of Greensburg, named Tranger, was "taken in" by a plausible young man who introduced himself as the son of an old friend. He accompanied his new friend to the second floor of a building on Broad-

SENSATIONAL SUICIDE.

Fowler Beery Sends a Bullet Through His Head After Making Preparations for His Wedding.

[Upper Sandusky (N.O.) Special to Cincinnati Enquirer.]

A startling sensation was created here to-night by the deliberate suicide of Fowler Beery, senior partner in the dry-goods firm of S. F. Beery & Co. It is impossible to get the full particulars, owing to the intense excitement, but as near as we can learn they are as follows: He dressed himself this afternoon in his wedding suit, preparatory to starting to-night for Cincinnati, where, it is said, arrangements were being made for his marriage with an estimable young lady of that city.

When his brother Foster returned from supper he was astonished at finding the door fastened on the inside. Upon the arrival of one of the clerks a window-glass was broken in the rear part of the store, and, going up-stairs, the terrible discovery was made. It is believed death was instantaneous, as he still held the instrument of death in his hand. The ball passed clear through his head and lodged in the carpet underneath. A note addressed to his brother was found at the head of the stairs, which stated that he, the deceased, was washed, dressed, shaved and all ready to be placed in the coffin. He had even taken the precaution to button his overcoat close around his throat and tied a handkerchief around his head to prevent the blood from soiling his clothes.

When the news was carried to the home of his parents, who were still sitting at the tea-table, the scene was heart-rending, and can be better imagined than told. The cause for his rash act is unknown. He was a young man of fine business qualifications and irreproachable character, and this sudden freak of his cast a gloom over the entire city.

A PLEASANT ROMANCE.

Showing That There Is Such a Thing as Gratitude.

[N. Y. Sun.]

Among the bequests, aggregating \$50,000, made by the late James D. Stryker, of Lambertville, N. J., whose will has just been filed for probate, was one for two hundred and fifty dollars to Conrad N. Jordan, of this city, Treasurer of the New York, Ontario & Western Railroad Company, and for many years cashier of the Third National Bank. There is a history attached to this bequest: Years ago Mr. Jordan was clerk in the Hanover National Bank of this city. On his way home, over the Courtland street ferry, one bitter night in December, he saw a lady attempt to jump back from the departing ferry-boat. She had boarded the boat in advance of the gentleman to whom she was engaged and to whom she subsequently married, and finding that he could not catch the boat she attempted to return to him. She fell into the water and disappeared beneath a mass of broken ice that filled the slip. Mr. Jordan jumped in after her and held her above the freezing water until both were fished out. The risk of the venture was augmented by the fact that the lady weighed two hundred pounds. She was a daughter of the late Mr. Stryker. Mr. Jordan refused to tell his name, but Mr. Stryker discovered it after protracted inquiries, and his daughter sent Mr. Jordan one hundred dollars. Mr. Jordan returned it with a note saying in substance that he did not save persons from death for a consideration. In place of the bill a dozen bottles of currant wine were forwarded to Mr. Jordan by Miss Stryker, with the assurance that she made it herself. "Once a year, until his death, Mr. Stryker called upon Mr. Jordan to remind that gentleman of his gratitude. The amount that Mr. Jordan receives under the will he will invest in a souvenir of the event. He is a wealthy man.

A HORRIBLE DEATH.

An Eighteen-Year-Old Girl Dies in Terrible Agony.

[Pottsville (Pa.) Special.]

Marry Barry, an eighteen-year-old daughter of James Barry, a prominent citizen of Germantown, died from hydrophobia, after twenty-four hours of most intense suffering. Six months ago Miss Barry was bitten by a pet dog. The wound was apparently trifling in its character. No further attention was paid to it either by the young lady or her parents; in fact, the accident had been almost forgotten until Friday evening, when the young lady's strange actions attracted the attention of her father. She became desperately ill and was put to bed. She was speechless, and was subsequently seized with violent spasms, barking and snarling in a vicious manner at those around her bedside. At one time she grew calm, and made motions to her mother that she desired to put on paper what she was unable to express orally. Paper and pencil being furnished her, she scribbled the following: "The dog has done it all." She then fell back exhausted and was immediately seized with convulsions, when death relieved her sufferings.

A Young Man's Suicide.

[Buffalo Daily Times.]

Edward Traphagan, aged thirty-three years, son of J. T. B. Traphagan, living on South street, Glen's Falls, committed suicide about two o'clock yesterday morning. He placed the muzzle of a thirty-four caliber revolver in his mouth and fired, the ball lodging in the back of the head. Temporary insanity caused by recent illness was the probable cause. Traphagan had been in the employ of Mrs. J. G. Steed, a Troy florist, about three weeks. Saturday he was suffering from a cold, and under the advice of a physician he went to his home in Glen's Falls, where he greeted his father with the remark: "I've come home to die." Death was instantaneous, the bullet having lodged in the brain.

NOTICE.

That GOODS are CHEAPER after the HOLIDAYS.

Below are some of our Special Prices for the next Sixty Days

In Dry Goods.

Dolmans Below Cost, - \$2.50
Jerseys, - 25
A Good Corset, - 25
Ginghams from 7 to 10c
Silks, Satin, Plushes and Cloaking, 15 per ct off

Provisions.

Detroit pork, - 8 Cts
Choice butter, 25
Excelsor Flour, 5.25
Mayflower - 6.50
Patent Flour, 7.00
Water white Oil 25c. Oats 45c bush.

IN HARDWARE, CROCKERY, & GLASSWARE PRICES Way Down.

—EVERY DEPARTMENT—

Jammed full of Good that must be Sold by March 1st.

Come and see us for we know we can please you, both in Quality and Price. Thanking the public for past liberal patronage and expecting a continuation of the same, we remain, YOURS TRULY

HAMILTON & BRYANT.

SUCCESSOR TO JAMES HAMILTON.

CLAIMING HER CHILD.

A Judge Admonishes a Separated Couple to Live in Peace.

[Philadelphia Times.]

Many tears were shed over one small child in Judge Allison's Philadelphia court on Saturday last. "I want my child—I want him—I want him because he is mine!" cried Mrs. Bessie Feaster during a hearing on a proceeding to obtain possession of her four-year old son, who had been taken away by her husband. The little one rested upon its father's neck and gazed wistfully up into the tear-wet eyes of its mother. Mrs. Feaster testified that she and her husband had separated five months ago, and had taken her child to the home of his married sister. Mrs. Feaster produced several neighbors who testified that in their judgment she was fit to have charge of the child. The Judge thought it best to give a child of so tender an age into the custody of its mother. The estranged couple stood side by side before the bar. The child was given into its mother's arms. The little one wound one plump arm around the neck of its mother, leaned over, and rested the other upon the shoulder of its downcast father. "I have a word to say to you," said the Judge. "When you meet do not keep up your enmity. Let the past be as if it never existed and treat each other kindly. It may be that, coming together often before your child, you will not be so keenly alive to each other's faults, and will more clearly see each the other's good qualities. Then, perhaps, in a little time you will be living together again peacefully, as I hope it may be your pleasure, and I am sure it is your duty to do." As they turned from the bar the tears were running down their cheeks. The husband kissed the child's upturned face. The little one clung to his coat, but he put it away gently, and as he shook its fat little hand he said: "Go d-by, good-bye, now." "Why good-bye?" asked the sobbing mother. "You may come to see the child any time, Henry—any time at all." The mother, with the little one in her arms, passed out with half a dozen of her friends. They were all weeping because they had won the child. The disconsolate father and sister and their friends followed them. They were all weeping because they had lost the little one. The dozen or more other mothers waiting in the court room to tell their own tales of woe were weeping too, as if Feaster's pretty baby belonged to each of them.

INSPIRED BY JEALOUSY.

A Utica Lawyer Shot Dead by a Man Who Thought Himself Wronged.

[Batavia (N. Y.) Special.]

Johnson L. Lynch, a lawyer of Utica, was shot and killed by E. N. Rowell, of this place, at his house on Bank street this evening. Lynch arrived from Utica to-night and went to Rowell's house. Mr. Rowell has for some time suspected his wife, a beautiful woman, twenty-seven years old, of infidelity. They formerly lived in Utica, removing to this place two years ago. Mr. Rowell is a member of the firm of Palmer & Rowell, paper-box manufacturers. Lynch and Mrs. Rowell had tea together in the dining-room, the wife supposing her husband had left on a business trip yesterday morning. After tea Lynch and the woman went to her apartment. Rowell, who had secreted himself in the house, approached through the hall and fired one shot which is imbedded in the wall over the bed. Lynch then made for the door and started down stairs. Rowell followed, firing three more shots, one of which entered the base of Lynch's brain. He dropped on the floor in the hall and expired immediately. Rowell surrendered himself, and was committed to jail on a charge of murder in the first degree. When asked whether he pleaded guilty he replied: "Not guilty."

Lynch was a large man, handsomely dressed, and wore considerable jewelry, including a fine gold watch and chain and diamond collar-button. Rowell is a small man, somewhat given to melancholy. Mrs. Rowell is a blonde. Since their residence here they have moved in the best circles of society, though recently Mrs. Rowell's character has been questioned owing to scandal with which her name has been connected. She wrote a letter to Lynch telling him she expected Rowell would be away this week, and the letter was found in Lynch's pocket.

THE PLACE TO BUY

YOUR

Provisions, Groceries, AND Dry Goods, Is At

C. H. PRESCOTT & SONS, TAWAS CITY, MICH.

Our facilities for purchasing and handling all kinds of Provisions and Camp Supplies are such that we can offer special inducements to buyers.

—We have a Large Stock of—

FAMILY GROCERIES & DRY GOODS

Purchased before navigation closed which we are offering at figures that can not be undersold.

BIG TOCK OF

UNDERCLOTHING, MACKINAWs, BLANKETS, BOOTS & SHOES and RUBBER GOODS.

Look over our stock and get prices.

SQUARE DEALING AND LOW PRICES.

THE RELIABLE

CLOTHING AND DRY GOODS HOUSE

Immense stock from the best manufacturers which is being sold at

CLOSE FIGURES!

I will sell my remaining Overcoats at

20 per ct. off Regular Prices.

LUMBERMENS' SUPPLIES

At Wholesale & Retail Down at the Lowest Notch.

An Elegant Line of Watches and Jewelry at reasonable prices.

A Fine Assortment of Cigars, Tobacco and Pipes.

When trading do not fail to call on

T. SIMON.

CORNER LAKE AND MATHEW STS.

TAWAS CITY MICH.

The only suitable public hall above the store.

TAWAS CITY

PLANING MILL, GRISE & CRANDALL,

Manufacturers of

FLOORING, SIDING, CEILING, MOLDING, WINDOW and DOOR FRAMES.

Wood Furnishing & Scroll Sawing

WHITTEMORE.

Lumbermen are crowding their work with all the help they can get. J. C. Brown intends to put 30,000,000 feet of logs into Hops Creek and the main stream of the Au Gres from his four camps in this town this winter. A suit before Justice Belknap, last week Tuesday, Heas vs. the Township of Burleigh, resulted in a decision in favor of the plaintiff. **SEXTRUS**

IN MEMORIAM.

Written in memory of Myron Sanborn, drowned at Alabaster, Jan. 8th, 1884.

Our boy he is dead,
We are left alone,
In grief and in sorrow
His loss we will mourn;
No more can we see,
No more can he come,
To welcome our hearts
Or gladden our home.

His mother will miss him,
Her tears he will flow
In grief and in sorrow;
For the one they have laid low.

In the cold silent ground
His body will rest,
His spirit has gone
To the land of the blessed.

No more will his mother,
Or brothers be blessed,
With the form of the loved one;
They have laid him to rest.

He can never return,
You can meet him above;
And join in the singing,
Of a Savior's great love.

No more can he meet
His comrades at night,
Or join in their sports,
With heart of delight.

They will watch for his coming,
Their watch is in vain;
His spirit has gone
With the angels to reign.

S. C. W.

TRIFLES.

Spotted dogs are in style again. DeLong's body is coming home. Jail Hamilton can talk like fury. Louisville girls elope with Chinamen. Longfellow wrote "Excelsior" in bed. The newest color, according to a Brooklyn young lady, is "the inside of a mule's ear by starlight."

Old-man-afraid-of-his-wife: Saturday is the best day to get drunk. Then you have a headache Sunday as an excuse for not going to church.

"When in society, never talk of your self," is the injunction of an authority on etiquette. That is, of course, you should talk about other people.—Lowell Citizen.

The cause of the crimson sunset is cosmic dust. This is as good a definition as any, and tired minds should accept it and rest on it. This is the way most people do in selecting a religion.—[New York Commercial Advertiser]

After much cogitation, and a desire to do injustice to none, we have come at last to the conclusion that the most disinterested, self-sacrificing mortal on the foot-stool is the boy learning to smoke.—[Boston Transcript]

A caterer in Buffalo, N. Y., cooks angle worms. He feeds them on milk for a few days, dusts them with flour, and then drops them into a pan of burning oil or fat. They are served in drawn butter with a little lemon juice and Worcester-shire sauce. That pretty thoroughly kills the angle worm taste.

"Here," said the managing editor of a Denver paper, "we want a sensational article. Wake up that drunken whelp in the next room there, take liquor away from him and sit him down to write an account of Russian cruelties to the nihilists. Between jim jams and the loss of his liquor he ought to be able to imagine a catalogue of horrors."

"Did you have a pleasant time?" asked a New York mother of her daughter, who had just returned from a New Year's dinner at a friend's house. "Well," she replied, "we had a beautiful dinner, and it was delightfully served, and everything would have been very pleasant but for that horrid Miss Snooks, who sat just opposite me at the table." "What did she do?" inquired the mother. "Why she ate her soup from the end of her spoon instead of from the side, and it quite took away my appetite, the vulgar thing.—[Philadelphia Call]

A Good Farm For Sale.

The undersigned desires to sell the following described land, situated in the township of Tawas: The east half of the northwest quarter of section 35, containing 80 acres, 35 of which is cleared, and 45 acres green timber. A small orchard, a block house and log barn, a good well of water and a root house. Terms, \$1,500; \$500 down, and the balance on time.

RUDOLPH WHEISS, 1-3m.

Notice of Estray.

Notice is hereby given that on or about the 10th day of November, A. D. 1883, a white and



THE GREAT CANTILEVER BRIDGE.

The above picture represents the great Cantilever Bridge erected by the Michigan Central railroad company across the Niagara river, to form the connecting link in the great central route. The cost of the structure was \$700,000, and it was built inside of eight months. It is 300 feet nearer the falls than the Suspension Bridge, and cuts off the view from that structure. It has been pronounced one of the most symmetrical and beautiful bridges ever built, and its strength is marvelous, as was shown by the opening test an account of which has already been published. The bridge is crossed by four tracks; there are 1,224 ties on the bridge, 729 on the Canadian approach, and 300 on the American approach. The construction of this bridge puts the Michigan Central in a position to compete successfully with all the great through east and west routes, besides enabling them offer the choice of the most desirable and interesting crossing of the Niagara river.

A VERY LUCID WITNESS.

Extreme Brevity with Which an Irish Woman Told Her Story.

[N. Y. Morning Journal.] An angular Irish woman, with features as sharp as her tongue, was a complainant in the General Sessions the other day against Thomas McNally, whom she accused of assault. She ran into two lawyers, three policemen and a gate-tender on her way to the witness stand. Colonel Fellows appeared for the people, and opened the case by asking the witness her name, and then her address:

"O! live in Soofuk strate."
"Is that where you lived last?"
"Shure O! lived in Huster strate last."
"Where did you live at the time of the assault?"
"Betwain the tu."
"What do you mean?"
"Jusht what O! say—betwain the tu."
"Did you live in the street?"
"Shure an' that's a noice que-hun ter be askin' a dacint woman. It isn't gittin' paid fur it O! an' that O!m' here ter be answerin' imperent ramaarks."

Here Judge Gildersleeve suggested to the Colonel that perhaps he had better let the question rest.

"Now, what did McNally do to you?" continued the Colonel.
"He trow me down."
"Anything else?"
"He hild me down."
"Anything else?"
"Shure an' ain't that enough?"
"Now see here, my good woman," said the Colonel, impatiently, "you must tell us just what happened or we won't be able to punish your assailants."

"Me what?"
"The men who assaulted you."
"Who the dickens said they salted me?"
"He means the persons who struck you," Judge Gildersleeve explained.
"Thin why don't he say that?"
"Now, my good woman," Colonel Fellows resumed, "tell us everything that occurred on the night in question in your own way."

"O! want yer to understand that there's no question about ther noight an' ave there was shure O! wudn't till it in your way nor in anybody else's way, but just in me own way."

The Court interrupted, sleepily: "Tell what happened to you, madam."
"Will, yer say O! had a sore fut, wich kep' me from wurruk when O! was livin' out, an' a splendid place O! had too. Praeties wud ivery male an' no stint of mate, and sure there was slashins of drink, too," began. An' ther lady herself was a—

"Come, come, get right down to the assault."
Witness, in a coaxing way to the Judge: "Wud yer mind him an' yer were me, your honor?"

"We don't care anything about persons you used to work for. Tell what the prisoner did."
"Shure an' ain't O! Pindin' the halen of me fut O! was shoppin' wud friends in Soofuk and Huster strates. Wan avenin' Mrs. Gooligan sez ter me, sez she: 'Git up airy in ther mornin' and go ter Mrs. Mooray's fer ther milk,' an' so O! did. An' wud O! got ter Soofuk strate who did O! say but Patrick Donnelly, an' ould friend. Wud we talk ave wae thing an' anither. An' as O! was lavin' him he sez 'shure an' O! have anither choild.' 'Well for you,' sez O! to him. 'It takes ther loikes av you to do yer juty. Is'—"

Colonel Fellows arose in sheer desperation.
"Your honor, this is unbearable. I will withdraw the witness."
The case was given to the jury, and McNally was acquitted.

WM. B. WHITE

Has fitted up a neat and tasty RESTAURANT

In the building next to the Bay Side house where he will be pleased to serve OYSTERS IN EVERY STYLE,

pickled pigs feet and tongue, and everything usually kept in a first-class restaurant. A choice stock of Confectionery, Canned Goods, Tobaccos, Cigars, etc. Give him a call. 1-3m.

THE HERALD

YOUTHFUL OUTLAWRY IN VERMONT.

An Unique Story of Organized Crime—The Oaths Taken.

[Jamaica (Vt.) Telegram.]

The arrest and confession of two young men for counterfeiting has brought out an unique story of organized crime. Acting upon information obtained from Merton G. Clark, now in jail, United States officers found a wild gulch in the mountains, a few miles from this village, the headquarters of a criminal gang which has been coining spurious dollars. Complete counterfeiting outfits were seized. The gang is a secret society numbering twenty-three members. It was organized, according to its records, on June 17. Its members are young men, eighteen to twenty-one years old, living in South Londonderry, Jamaica, West Townsend and Wardsboro, Vt., and Ashuelot and Winchester, N. H. The band was governed by a captain, first and second officers, secretary, judge of fire-arms and a board of directors. They styled themselves the United Birds and Brothers. They had an elaborate system of signals and secret alphabets. The members who have confessed tell blood-curdling stories about the process of initiation. Each applicant was required to take the following oaths:

"Do you solemnly swear upon your honor, by all that is great and small, to keep forever secret all we are about: to tell you, under the fear of being laid below the rays of the sun, moon and stars by the united band of avengers, so help you God?"
"Second oath—Do you solemnly swear upon your honor to never tell the secrets we have intrusted to you, under the fear of being avenged by a party of which you know nothing at present, so help you God?"
"Third oath—Brother, knowing our secret purposes, do you solemnly swear never to betray any one of our party, but to always defend each and every one of us through thick and thin to the last, upon the fear of being shot dead in your tracks or stabbed through the heart with a nine-inch blade, so help you God?"
When the last oath was administered, says young Clark, the applicant knelt, and a cocked revolver, loaded with ball cartridges, was held at his head.

The gang has coined considerable money. It is of fair workmanship. The leaders have fled, and officers are in pursuit.

The Old Story.

[Pittsburgh (Pa.) Special.] While in New York City recently a wealthy resident of Greensburg, named Tranger, was "taken in" by a plausible young man who introduced himself as the son of an old friend. He accompanied his new friend to the second floor of a building on Broadway, where the young man had a confederate, and the precious pair compelled Mr. Tranger to sign a check for \$1,800 at the point of a pistol. The swindlers sold the check before payment could be stopped to a Mr. Stewart, of New York, who brings suit to recover, alleging that he bought the check innocently. Mr. Tranger has engaged counsel and will fight the matter.

BOUND TO MARRY.

The Father of the Bride Driven from the Wedding While the 'Squire Ties the Knot.

[Sedalia (Mo.) Special.] There was a very sensational wedding nine miles north of Sedalia last night, in the Longwood neighborhood, and but for the timely appearance of a well-known Justice of the Peace there might have been a tragedy. H. C. Duffield and his two brothers live on a forty-acre farm nine miles from town. They have the reputation of being on the fight. Their neighbor is old man Kinsley. Miss Amanda Kinsley, the only daughter, is a buxom young woman of twenty-five summers. Duffield fell in love with her and proposed marriage. Old man Kinsley swore the two should not marry. Duffield came to Sedalia and got his license on Wednesday. On Thursday morning he got Miss Kinsley to go to his house, where she concealed herself in an upstairs room until Esquire Van Garrel arrived. One of the brothers had gone for Van Garrel. Before the 'Squire arrived old man Kinsley appeared on the scene and demanded his daughter, and said he would kill Duffield if he married her. One of the Duffield boys took an ax and made for old man Kinsley and drove him off the place.

Kinsley went away, as they supposed, to arm himself. At this moment Van Garrel arrived. He found one brother armed with an ax, and Dick Duffield sat behind the stove with a double-barreled shot-gun across his knees. Dick said he intended to paralyze old man Kinsley if he came about the house to interfere with the wedding. The 'Squire made him give up the gun.

MOSES MINER, "THE OLD RELIABLE" Boot & Shoe Dealer,

Of Tawas City.

Offers Large indvements to the surrounding country in BOOTS, SHOES, RUBBERS, PACKS, SOCKS, ETC. also Make Boots and Shoes of all kinds to ORDER.

Repairing Done on Short Notice.

Also has horses and Rigs to Let at all Times.

Drugs and Medicines,

Toilet Soaps, Perfumery,

SHOUDLER BRACES,

TRUSSES, SPONGES

And all kinds of Druggists Sundries usually kept in a first-class DRUG STORE.

Physicians' Prescriptions crrefully compounded and Orders answered with care and Despath. The public will find our Stock of Medicines Complete.

Warranted Genuine and of the Best Quality.

Paints, Oils and Glass.

GEO. S. DARLING.

LAKE STREET,

TAWAS CITY, MICH.

FURNITURE!

WM. B. KELLY,

TAWAS CITY.

MICH.

Is prepared to furnish Chamber and Parlor Furniture. All kinds of Tables, Chairs, Lounges and everything in the Furniture Line of Best Make and at LOWEST PRICES Pictures, Frames, and fancy goods, a large stock way down I ALSO KEEP ON HAND A FULL LINE OF COFFINS; CASKETS AND UNDERTAKERS GOODS.

THE WHITE SEWING MACHINE

The best machine manufactured; with automatic bobbin winder and full set of attachments at prices lower than any good machine can be furnished by travelling agents,

SUBSCRIBE

FOR

The HERALD

YOUTHFUL OUTLAWRY IN VERMONT.

An Unique Story of Organized Crime—The Oaths Taken.

[Jamaica (Vt.) Telegram.]

The arrest and confession of two young men for counterfeiting has brought out an unique story of organized crime. Acting upon information obtained from Merton G. Clark, now in jail, United States officers found a wild gulch in the mountains, a few miles from this village, the headquarters of a criminal gang which has been coining spurious dollars. Complete counterfeiting outfits were seized. The gang is a secret society numbering twenty-three members. It was organized, according to its records, on June 17. Its members are young men, eighteen to twenty-one years old, living in South Londonderry, Jamaica, West Townsend and Wardsboro, Vt., and Ashuelot and Winchester, N. H. The band was governed by a captain, first and second officers, secretary, judge of fire-arms and a board of directors. They styled themselves the United Birds and Brothers. They had an elaborate system of signals and secret alphabets. The members who have confessed tell blood-curdling stories about the process of initiation. Each applicant was required to take the following oaths:

"Do you solemnly swear upon your honor, by all that is great and small, to keep forever secret all we are about: to tell you, under the fear of being laid below the rays of the sun, moon and stars by the united band of avengers, so help you God?"

"Second oath—Do you solemnly swear upon your honor to never tell the secrets we have intrusted to you, under the fear of being avenged by a party of which you know nothing at present, so help you God?"

"Third oath—Brother, knowing our secret purposes, do you solemnly swear never to betray any one of our party, but to always defend each and every one of us through thick and thin to the last, upon the fear of being shot dead in your tracks or stabbed through the heart with a nine-inch blade, so help you God?"

When the last oath was administered, says young Clark, the applicant knelt, and a cocked revolver, loaded with ball cartridges, was held at his head.

The gang has coined considerable money. It is of fair workmanship. The leaders have fled, and officers are in pursuit.

\$1 A YEAR. \$1



\$1 A YEAR. \$1

THE WEEKLY Detroit Free Press THE HOUSEHOLD ONE DOLLAR A YEAR. Ten Large Pages of News and Reading Matter. The Greatest of Dollar Weeklies. Complete and up-to-date. Its paper is of the highest quality and is most desirable in a family paper. PUBLISHED BY THE DETROIT FREE PRESS CO., DETROIT, MICH.

\$1 A YEAR. \$1



\$1 A YEAR. \$1

The Tawas Herald 1.50 Per Year.

MUNN & CO. PATENTS NEW YORK. We continue to act as solicitors for patents, caveats, trade-marks, copyrights, etc., for the United States, and to obtain patents in Canada, England, France, Germany, and all other countries. Thirty-six years' practice. No charge for examination of models or drawings. Advice by mail free. Patents obtained through us are noticed in the SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN, which has the largest circulation, and is the most influential newspaper of its kind published in the world. The advantages of such a notice every patentee understands. This large and splendidly illustrated newspaper is published WEEKLY at \$3.20 a year, and is admitted to be the best paper devoted to science, mechanics, inventions, engineering works, and other practical subjects.