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### SOCIE TIES.

**IOSCO LODGE NO. 341, I. O. O. F.**—Regular meetings held every Wednesday evening at their hall.  
LYMAN B. SMITH, N. G.  
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**TAWAS CITY LODGE, NO. 302 F. & A. M.**—Regular communication held at Masonic Hall, on Thursday evening or on preceding the full of the moon in each month.  
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Office at drug store, East Tawas, Mich.  
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Particular attention given to inspecting and shipping lumber from all points on the west shore of Lake Huron for all markets. Correspondence solicited.

### 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.

**TRONG HOUSE.**  
R. OSBORN, PROP.  
Is accommodation for the traveling public. Good stable in connection.  
Free bus to trains and boats.  
EAST TAWAS, MICHIGAN.

**BAY SIDE HOUSE.**  
A. G. VAN WEY, PROPRIETOR.  
Centrally located. Best of accommodations at reasonable rates. Dealer in pine lands, meats, vegetables, fruits and groceries.  
GOOD LIVERY IN CONNECTION.  
TAWAS CITY, MICHIGAN.

**Fresh Vegetables**  
OF ALL KINDS,  
Choice Meats and Groceries  
At VAN WEY'S.

**FURNITURE!**  
It may be to your advantage to watch this space. It belongs to QUACKENBUSH, the East Tawas Furniture man.

A Woven Wire Mattress for	\$3 50
A Carpet Lounge for	\$7 00
A Panel Bed	\$2 50

### Tawas City and Vicinity.

Everybody goes berrying.  
The steamer Pearl has left her route from Detroit to Alpena.  
A large number of this place are camping at Sand Lake.  
The June yield of the Michigan copper mines was 17,880 tons.  
Harvest hands only command from \$1.50 to \$1.75 per day this year.  
Don't forget the Ladies Band concert at Simon's hall to-morrow evening.

R. M. Tackabury is selling his stock out at cost as he intends to go out of business in this place, which we are sorry to state.  
A body, believed to be that of Charles R. Ferd, the attorney drowned by breaking through the ice at Monroe last winter, has been found near Sandusky.

The town board of Osceola have reduced the liquor bond to \$3,000 and will license two saloons, which will lessen the number of saloons in that place about five.  
Seventy business firms at Bay City, 10 at West Bay City, 9 at Saginaw City and 47 at East Saginaw have become members of the freight association recently formed in the valley.

A. C. Maxwell, of Bay City, is growing more beautiful every year. He may not be a great orator, but he is a good judge of marsh land, short horns and Pilsener beer.  
—Detroit Journal.

C. H. Prescott & Sons are building a large storehouse on their premises next to their store which they will use for stowing flour feed and other supplies.

H. L. Freeby had the middle finger of his right hand cut off just above the first joint last Monday afternoon, while working at the slasher in Prescott's mill.

A circus now traveling in the Upper Peninsula paid for the transportation of 32 cars from Fort Howard to Negaunee, the sum of \$1,504 80, and paid it all in silver coin, the amount weighing eighty-five lbs. avoirdupois.

Yesterday an Osceola citizen, an old soldier, was heard to say: I am a stiff Democrat but I would vote for Gen. Alger. That sentiment will be heard from all the soldiers of the State, should the General be the candidate for governor.—Au Sable Saturday Night.

The Roscommon oil well has not been a bonanza. The stockholders expended about \$3,000 and have 15 barrels of oil, the machinery and well. The oil in the tank has been evaporated, carried away or used, and the stockholders declare they can't pay an assessment.—Bay City Tribune.

There is no more beautiful and delightful place in the state to spend a few weeks in the summer time than at Sand Lake. The Sand Lake House kept by Geo. Webster offers every accommodation to those who desire to spend a few days or weeks boating and bathing at this lake.

Heistermann's island in Saginaw Bay has been bought for \$11,000 by East Saginaw and Bay City people who are transforming it into a delightful summer resort for the dwellers in Saginaw valley. About 80 acres will be laid out in parks, drives and lots for cottages.

The State Board of Health is to issue a circular on "Preventive measures against Cholera," urging upon health authorities and housekeepers the duties to make careful sanitary inspections, to drain all stagnant ponds and low pools near dwellings, to clean and disinfect all sewers, house drains, cellar and filthy places, and to examine and protect the purity of drinking water.

Bay City may over-size East Saginaw in population but she falls far short of coming up to her sister city in the magnitude of her enterprises. The census returns show a boarding house in East Saginaw which has four hundred boarders who are waited on by only two servants and each boarder has been in this state just two years. No other particulars as to their nativity, personal description or civil condition are given. Fact.

Mt. Clemens Monitor: A water spaniel belonging to R. B. Stevens went into a meat market the other day and stood in an expectant attitude before the butcher. The latter said: "Why get out of here. You can't get meat here unless you pay for it. Go and get me a pipe." The dog ran out and came back in a few minutes with a new clay pipe, which he exchanged for a meat. The trick was taught him by an Armada man. The dog steals scores of pipes in a year, getting them chiefly at the grocery stores.

Here is a recipe, says an Exchange, which if compounded according to directions, will not fail to produce what is known as slander: Take a grain of falsehood, a handful of rum-speak, a sprig of the herb backbite, a teaspoonful of don't-you-tell-it, six drops of malice and a few draughts of envy; add a little discontent and jealousy, strain through a bag of misconstruction, cook it up in a bottle of malice, and hang it up on a skein of street

An effort is being made to improve the cemetery. A good idea.  
Thomas Curry is laying a pipe from the river to his premises for the purpose of drawing drinking water.  
Secure your reserved seats at Simon's store to-morrow evening before 7 o'clock for the Young Ladies Band concert.

The board of health at Bay City has decided that the water of that place is unfit to drink.  
The fire in the woods has drove quite a number of bears near the village which have been seen by several of our citizens.  
Seventeen bears have been killed by hunters this season in town 20, range 2 east, Gladwin county. It is not a popular place in which to camp out.

Sergeant Edward Israel, of the Greely expedition, who is reported in Commander Schley's dispatch to have died May 27, was from Kalamazoo. He was a recent graduate of the Michigan university a few years ago, and was connected with signal service.  
The size of the new school building will be 26x46 feet 24 feet posts, located on N. E. corner of school grounds. Lower story to be finished complete, the upper story to remain unfinished until required. The building will present a neat appearance.

The Ogemaw county republican convention chose A. L. Cumming as delegate to the congressional convention and Frank Horr to the state. The delegates to the representative convention were instructed to support D. P. Mackey for the legislature.  
John Canfield is down some 1,200 feet with his salt well at his mill on the east side of Manistee Lake, and Wheeler, McGill & Co. are at the depth of 400 feet. Stearns lumber company has the drill house nearly completed and will commence boring in a few days.

A. Applebaum, of Au Sable, has purchased the Buffalo clothing store at this place and is restocking the same. Mr. Applebaum has been engaged in the clothing business for some time and is well acquainted with every branch of it. His "ad" will be found on the 8th page.  
Curry Bros. have just finished getting in the hay from their farm on the Henlock road, which is under the supervision of John Smith, of Lachut, Ont. 120 acres were cut and put in the barn in 16 days with six men at a cost of \$98. Last year the same work cost \$218. The yield this year is about 180 tons.

C. N. Bailey and wife, who have been running the restaurant across from the National on River street, were on Tuesday taken into custody on warrants charging them with selling liquor without a license. While Justice Worth and Marshal Hough were getting jury together to try Bailey, the latter asked to go over to his restaurant, and was allowed to go under the charge of Constable Blumberg. The latter allowed Bailey to go into the back room while he stayed in the front room. The prisoner took the opportunity to "skip". When Marshal Hough had got a jury together he went to the restaurant after Bailey, who was not to be found; he had escaped to the woods, and from there was driven to Tawa. Officer Hough pursued him to the woods, and afterwards to Tawas, but did not succeed in catching him.

Mrs. Brailey also escaped to the woods and got away with her husband. It is only a few weeks since that Brailey was convicted before Justice Dietz of selling liquor without a license. The house which he has kept has always borne a hard name.—Au Sable Saturday Night.

A special of the 8th inst to the Detroit Free Press from East Saginaw says:—A case of more than ordinary interest to lumbermen was decided in the Circuit Court this evening. In 1881 Alex. Swift bought from A. A. Brockway a quantity of logs estimated to contain 4,500,000 feet at a cost of \$33,000. Between the figures of Brockway's scaler and Swift's scaler at the mill there was a difference of nearly 700,000 feet. Swift sued to recover on alleged payment. Defendant claimed that Swift's scaler did not measure more than two-thirds of the logs. The plaintiff acceded, and brought testimony to show that this was the common practice among scalars. Forty-one witnesses were sworn on both sides, and a legal fight resulted. The jury this evening, however, brought a verdict for the plaintiff, awarding \$3,854.

The Young Ladies Band and Concert Company are booked for one concert at Simon's hall Friday evening July 25th. They come highly endorsed and a crowd awaits them. Secure seats at Simon's store. The Chicago Daily Morning News says: "Under every disadvantage, a cold, wet, and miserable night, and in a stange city, after a 300-mile journey arriving at a late hour, and having barely time to dress, the young ladies appeared in a pretty and piquant costume, uniform as to color and cut, uniting the feminine and military, a sort of mitigated vivandiere dress, which had a pleasing effect. The concert was a success, and the Ladies Band Concert Company

Bay City Tribune:—The grading of the Weideman Hauptmann log railway was finished on the 15th of the present month. The road, commencing at West Branch, on the Mackinaw division of the Michigan Central, runs five miles to the firm's pine tracts, and is being constructed by the M. C. Railroad company. James Cole has the contract for grading. Weideman & Hauptmann pay the sum of \$10,000 and contribute the right of way and the ties. They also guarantee the company the transportation of 75,000,000 feet of logs to East Saginaw. The company allow special rates upon the logs. The tracts which this log branch tap will be denuded of the pine in about three years. Mr. Cole, the contractor, is paying his graders \$1.50 per day.  
To the farmers of this part of the state the berry crop is an item of no small importance. Black and red raspberries, whortleberries and blackberries grow in great abundance in this vicinity. Just at present the whortleberry is demanding the attention of the buyer and it is estimated that no less than seventy five bushel of these berries are being bought and shipped from this place every day, for which \$2.00 per bushel is paid here, thus making \$150 a day that is being paid into the hands of the pickers. The blackberry crop also promises an average crop, which following up the raspberry and whortleberry crops will bring considerable money into this locality from the outside. The principal buyers are A. G. Van Wey, Hamilton and Bryant, Whittemore Bros. and J. A. Weckerly.

The northern part of Michigan abounds in beautiful lakes which are well adapted for summer resorts and the north eastern part has her share of them. Among the most pleasant is Loon Lake, situated about 20 miles from Tawas City in the town of Plainfield. It is two miles in length and one in width and is an excellent place for bathing and fishing, and this year will be used for that purpose more than heretofore. Mr. S. B. Williams of Saginaw City was here a short time ago and made arrangements with Mr. L. B. Smith for his buildings on the lake, which have since been put in comfortable condition and now comes Mr. Williams with a party of forty or fifty from the valley who intend spending 30 or 40 days at Loon Lake. The party consists of whole families who will initiate Loon Lake as a summer resort.

### I. O. O. F.

The following officers were installed at last week's meeting of the lodge for the ensuing year:  
C. C. Smith, N. G.  
D. B. Dixon, V. G.  
Homer Pratt, R. S.  
A. G. Van Wey, T.  
S. G. Taylor, K. S. N. G.  
C. Bonnie, L. S. N. G.  
E. E. Williams, R. S. V. G.  
Samuel Anker, W.  
W. Wilkins, C.  
W. A. Darling, O. G.  
C. Bamberger, S. G.

### SCHOOL BOARD MEETING.

On Friday evening last the school board of last year met at Town clerk's office pursuant to call to close up business of the year. The new Board organized by electing C. D. Hale, Moderator; W. B. Kelly, Director; and J. B. McRoberts, assessor.  
On motion the Director was instructed to tender to the teachers of the past year the same positions for the ensuing year at the salaries as previously paid. Principal, \$900, and assistants \$400 each. The Director was also instructed to have necessary repairs made on present school building as specified also to make specifications for new building to be erected. The Director presented several applications for positions as teachers and by order of the board opened correspondence with several of the applicants.  
The following bills were presented and allowed.  
W. N. Miller, advertising \$1.00  
Harry Brown, work at school house 1.50  
James Hamilton, supplies 2.05  
W. B. Kelly, services as Director 25.00  
Board adjourned until Monday, the 21st inst at school house at 2 o'clock p. m.  
Monday 2 p. m. Board met at school house. Present C. D. Hale, W. B. Kelly, J. B. McRoberts and S. G. Taylor.  
Director presented specifications for new building. Board located site and instructed Director to advertise for bids to be opened on Saturday the 26th inst at six o'clock.  
Board adjourned.

### Last Grand Excursion of the Season to

Portland, Me., and the Sea Shore, Will leave Detroit via Michigan Central R. R., Tuesday, August 5th, to Niagara Falls, the St. Lawrence River, Montreal, Quebec, Fabyan's, the Mountains, Portland, Maine, and the Sea Shore, enabling Tourists to behold the most charming river, lake and mountain scenery of Canada and New England, and to enter the very heart of the grandest ranges. There is also a number of cheap trip tickets sold at greatly reduced rates in connection with these excursions. Stops at Boston, Newport, New York, etc. For particulars apply to Geo. W. George, etc. For

### Circuit Court.

The adjourned term of the circuit court was in session at the court house last week Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and the following cases were disposed:  
Brock and Winer vs. Solomon, judgment for plaintiffs for \$369 and costs.  
Bruce vs. Bruce, divorce granted.  
Graves vs. Graves, divorce granted.  
Hearing granted on motion to set aside tax sale of property belonging to Moore & Tanner. Hearing set down for Aug. 20th.  
Order made for sale of land in Bay county belonging to Stockman estate.  
In the case of Lovholm vs. Lilliburg, Ziem, Solomon, et al, for \$4,000 damages, bondsmen were released as def'ts on the ground of the law which would hold them not taking effect until after offense charged. A. Ziem was released as defendant on ground of there being no proof against him on day charged in declaration. Judgment for \$475 against Lilliburg.  
Court adjourned until August 20th.

### FOREST FIRES.

During the past week fire has been raging quite extensively in the woods back of this place, and it was feared at several times that considerable damage would be done, but fortunately nothing serious resulted. The most damage being at McIvor where all of Mr. McIvor's camps were destroyed and a part of their contents. The mill was not burned as was reported. All along the line of the D. B. C. & A. R. R. and the town line the fire burned for several days doing more or less damage. At several places on the town line the fire crept so close to the houses that the inmates were obliged to leave them. The smoke and heat was terrible for several days and on Monday night the smoke was so dense at this place that it was impossible to see but a short distance. At Emery Station the citizens fought hard against the fire and were successful in saving the buildings. At Alger the fire crept very close and the smoke and heat was almost unbearable, but no great amount of property was destroyed. The rain of Tuesday night has put out the fire to a large extent and the danger is over.

### PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

During several years our Township cemetery remained in an unimproved condition. Completely covered with brush it was almost impossible to locate lots correctly or find many of those already located. One year ago by request of the Board of Health I accepted the position of superintendent and immediately commenced clearing off the ground and continued the work as long as the limited means at my command would permit. I have again commenced the work this season and will spare no pains so far as the money in the funds will warrant in the prosecution of the work, the fences have been put in thorough repair and a man is now constantly at work on the grounds. An effort will be made to remove the stumps and add many other improvements. Much credit is due many of our citizens for the interest manifested in caring for their lots and it is hoped that every person owning lots will endeavor to improve them. A well kept cemetery is always a place of public interest and adds very much to the credit of a community. A great deal might be done to improve the grounds by planting shrubbery, flowers, etc. and a cheap wire fence where an iron fence can not be had would add very much to its appearance. Let all interested do something and in two years our town will boast of a cemetery worthy of the enterprise of its citizens.  
It is also desirable that those owning lots unpaid for should call and settle for the same that the proceeds may be used immediately and the work go on without interruption. Let none delay but help on the good and very much needed work, and the grounds once put in good condition may be kept so at a small expense. I look for the hearty co-operation of all interested and fully expect to receive it.  
A good title can now be given on all lots and upon payment of the required amount a deed will be made.  
WM. B. KELLY.

### Alabaster.

Kenney Bros. are rapidly rebuilding their shingle mill which was burned two weeks ago. They are enlarging and increasing its capacity.  
Rafting in the vicinity of Alabaster is about completed.

The vessel Gauges left the dock on Tuesday evening with 725 tons of Land Plaster rock for Sheboygan, Wisconsin.

John McEvoy, Photographer of Tawas City visited this place with his tent last week doing some excellent work in the way of artistic operations.

Mr. S. C. Williams removed Wednesday from this place to Flint. The residence in which he resided will be occupied by E. Van Horn lately united in matrimony with Miss Greene of Bay City.

Miss O'Brien of Tawas City is visiting at Mr. Kenney's.  
Mr. G. B. Beard returned on Saturday

Mr. B. F. Smith started on Monday for New York and Washington on a business trip.

A farewell party was given at Mr. Kenneys on Tuesday evening of last week in behalf of Miss Della Shaver who was visiting her brothers Jas. W. and Geo. W. Shaver. She returned to her home, Linden, Ontario on Wednesday.

Mr. Geo. W. Shaver visited his place of business on Tuesday the first time since meeting with the accident which confined him to his home.

### Personal.

Mrs. T. Simen is quite ill.  
Miss Augusta Borosky left this place last Monday for a visit at Bay City.

Miss Belle Prescott, of Bay City, is visiting relatives at this place.  
W. E. Mowrey is once again on the sick list and is at Bay City trying to recuperate.

John B. McRoberts returned from a business trip in Bay City last Friday.  
Neal McDonald, who has been absent for the past six months engaged in the lumber business in the south has been visiting his family at this place for the past two weeks.

T. Simon made a business trip to Alpena the fore part of the week.

Mrs. F. Myers and daughter of Alpena were in town on a visit this week.  
Mrs. J. L. Forster, of Ulster county, N. Y. is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. G. Van Wey of this place.

Our genial and good natured friend, L. B. Smith, smiles outloud. It's a girl—born Sunday.

Rev. Geo. Taylor, of Lansing, is visiting the family of his son, E. G. Taylor, of this place.

### Geo. S. Darling.

The Druggist, who is always looking after the interest of his customers has now secured the sale of Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup, a remedy that never fails to cure Croup, Pains in the Chest and all Lung Affections. For proof, try a free sample bottle. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00.

### Cure for Piles.

PILES are frequently preceded by a sense of weight in the back, loins and lower part of the abdomen, causing the patient to suppose he has some affection of the kidneys or neighboring organs. At times, symptoms of indigestion are present, as flatulency, uneasiness of the stomach, etc. A moisture, like perspiration, producing a very disagreeable itching, after getting warm, is a very common attendant. Blind, Bleeding, and Itching Piles yield at once to the application of Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy which acts directly upon the parts affected, absorbing the Tumors, allaying the intense itching, and affecting a permanent cure. Price 50 cents. Address, The Dr. Bosanko Medicine Co., Piqua, Ohio. Sold by GEO. S. DARLING.

### Notice of Limited Partnership.

The undersigned have this 1st day of July A. D. 1884 formed, according to law, a limited partnership for the purpose of carrying on a general bakery business under the name and style of

### THE TAWAS STEAM BAKERY.

Said limited partnership to continue for five years from date unless dissolved by three months previous notice of one partner on the other. The common stock of said limited partnership is eight hundred dollars, of which sum the special partner has paid in cash four hundred dollars and is entitled to one half the profits as accounted for each quarter. Legal papers of the above limited partnership on file in the office of the Clerk of Iosco County, Michigan.  
WILLIAM H. ENGLISH, general partner.  
WILLIAM H. CLOUGH, special partner. 27-6t.

### TO THE PUBLIC.

Having added to my already extensive Undertaking business a fine

### PLATE GLASS HEARSE

I am prepared to attend to calls in any part of the county on shortest notice. Personal attention given and satisfaction guaranteed.  
All charges reasonable.  
WM. B. KELLY,  
Tawas City, Mich.

### For Sale.

One good sulky. Everything is in best order apply to  
THOS. CURRY, Tawas City.

### Land for sale.

Forty acres of hard wood land, one half mile west of Whittemore for sale. 5 acres cleared and a log house on premises. Inquire of M. LAMPHERE, Whittemore, Mich.

### The "Imperial".

Braddock & Bateman the well known cigar manufacturers of Bay City, have placed on the market a new cigar called the "Imperial". The reputation of this firm for turning out excellent goods is sufficient to recommend this cigar. All who are fond of a choice article should try an "Imperial".

### BOTTLING WORKS OF T. GOULAIT.

Manufacturer of Root and Birch Beer, Ginger Ale, Pop, Oider, and Cream Soda. Bottling Works at Osceola, Mich. Parties wishing anything in this line, send orders to the above address and they will be promptly filled. All goods of a superior quality.  
17-3m

### For Sale.

GEN. John A. Logan will attend both the National Encampment at Minneapolis and the Reunion of the Army of the Tennessee at Lake Minnetonka.

GEN. ROSECRANS, a democratic member of congress, said of the nomination of Cleveland that "it was not the choice of the people; Cleveland represents the capitalists, not the laboring class."

THERE is much rejoicing throughout the country over the rescue of the seven survivors of the Greeley party. It is hoped that no more expeditions will be sent to the Arctic regions. The past Expeditions have only resulted in loss of life, no good to the world, nor they never will.

A new law against prostitution has just gone into effect in Iowa. The law makes the keeper of a house of prostitution, or the practice of it, liable to a punishment of five years in the penitentiary. The general reputation of a house is made sufficient evidence for conviction. Many houses in Des Moines have already shut up and it is believed that all the places in the city will be closed soon. Whether the law will tend to elevate the morals of the city is yet a question, but nevertheless it seems the most effectual way of closing houses of prostitution and it would not be a bad plan for our legislators to watch its workings in that state and if the law accomplishes the purpose for which it is intended enact a similar law in this state.

THE OUTLOOK.

The indications are that as soon as the usual dullness of summer is past that there will be a marked revival of business. The crops are unusually good and the demand promises fair, which will again put the farmer in little easier circumstances. The shutting down of mills and factories throughout the country has materially lessened the amount of stock in the manufacturers hands, and the retail dealers have bought but very little the past few months on account of the depressed condition of trade. We notice that all over the country factories and mills are again opening up and wholesale and retail dealers are preparing for an active Fall business.

In regard to the building boom throughout the State and the prospects for the revival of the lumber trade, the Morning Call has the following: It does not seem possible; in view of the encouraging results of the harvest thus far, in all parts of the country, the admirable condition of the coming crops, and the fact that the building boom which started with the earliest opening of spring in all parts of Michigan as well as in all parts of the whole country and growing to an extent full fifty per cent greater than was ever known has rather increased than diminished ever since the commencement of the financial pressure; that there should be any material hiatus in the demand for lumber. The best informed business men throughout the country look for a revival of trade in every department with the first approach of the fall months but it seems to be at present a question of endurance with even the soundest and the probable turn for a happy issue out of the present depression which as a gentleman at Lansing remarked to the writer a few days since has without a panic wrought all the effects of the worst panic we have ever known; is one of those things no fellow can find out.

Cedar Springs Swept by Fire for the Third Time.

GRAND RAPIDS, July 18.—For the third time within a year the neighboring town of Cedar Springs is being swept by fire. It broke out in a larger lumber yard this afternoon, with a high wind directly toward the business portion of the town. Johnson & Link's mill, Wagar house, Grand Rapids & Indiana railway depot, Cedar Springs house and the whole business part of two squares on both sides of the main street of the town was entirely consumed.

THE GRAND RAPIDS FIRE DEPARTMENT arrived on the scene, endeavoring to save the residence portion. The new residence of Dr. Lord has just burned.

FOUR PERSONS BURNED.

Two men and one boy were burned in the mill; one man, a commercial traveler, was burned in the Wagar house. Names have not yet been learned. All the business part except two stores and the Clipper office have burned, and fully

TWO-THIRDS OF THE RESIDENCES.

The fire was under control at 7 p. m. The losses are generally estimated at from \$150,000 to \$200,000, chiefly in small amounts. Well insured

CROP REPORT.

From the crop report for July received from the secretary of State we clip the following in regard to the wheat crop of the state:

Returns have been received from 891 correspondents, representing 600 townships. Six hundred and twenty-five of

during the first ten days of July has been favorable both for the growing crops and the curing of hay.

The total number of bushels of wheat harvested in the State in 1883 was 23,477,233, of which 20,772,782 bushels were grown in the southern four tiers of counties and 2,705,450 bushels in the counties north of the southern four tiers. The yield in the southern section was 211,047 bushels, and in the northern section 130,050 bushels, more than estimated in this office in October, 1883. The number of acres reported in wheat the present year is 1,520,786

These figures for 1,035 townships or 92 per cent of all in the State, are taken from the returns of supervisors to this office and for the remaining townships, twenty-nine of which are in the Upper Peninsula and only ten in the southern four tiers of counties, are estimated. The ten townships in the southern four tiers of counties for which estimates have been made are Chickaming in Berrien, Ovid in Branch, Jefferson in Hillsdale, Nelson in Kent, Holly in Oakland, Brockway and Riley in St. Clair, Augusta and Sharon in Washtenaw, and Springwells in Wayne county.

The probable total yield of wheat in Michigan the present year is 21,965,391 bushels. This estimate is based on the number of acres in wheat in May as returned to this office by supervisors, and the average yield per acre in each county, as estimated by crop correspondents. This estimated yield is 1,512,841 bushels less than the yield in 1883. It is probable that such a decrease is not generally looked for, but we can find no good reason for questioning the accuracy of the figures. Correspondents last fall estimated the area seeded at seven per cent, or about 114,000 acres less than the yield in 1883. The actual decrease, as appears from the reports of supervisors, is 107,145 acres. The yield per acre, as estimated, is, in the southern four tiers of counties 92-hundredths of a bushel less, and in the northern counties 2 and 9-hundredths bushels more than the yield in 1883.

Reports have been received of the quantity of wheat marketed by farmers during the month of June at 227 elevators and mills. Of these 196 are in the southern four tiers of counties, which is thirty-nine per cent of the whole number of elevators and mills in these counties. The total number of bushels reported marketed is 239,437, of which 50,636 bushels were marketed in the first or southern tier of counties; 89,113 bushels in the second tier; 49,202 bushels in the third tier; 42,587 bushels in the fourth tier, and 9,844 bushels in the counties north of the southern four tiers. At 57 elevators and mills, or 25 per cent of the whole number from which reports have been received, there was no wheat marketed during the month.

The total number of bushels reported marketed in the eleven months, August—June, is 9,411,961.

In the southern four tiers of counties six per cent, and in the northern counties three per cent,—from one to one and one-half million bushels,—of the 1883 wheat crop is yet in farmers' hands.

The condition of other crops, expressed in per cent of condition one year ago, is for the State, as follows: corn, 118; oats, 99; barley, 97; clover meadows and pastures 88. timothy meadows and pastures, 86; clover sown this year, 83. The condition of corn compared with vitality and growth of average years is 92. Sixteen per cent of the corn planted failed to grow.

Apples promise in the northwestern part of the State 76 per cent; in the northeastern, 81 per cent; in the central, 74 per cent; in the southwestern, 78 per cent; and in the southeastern, 72 per cent of an average crop. The average for the State is 75.

Peaches promise in the northwestern part of the State 39 per cent; in the northeastern, 37 per cent, in the central 19 per cent; in the southwestern, 27 per cent; and in the southeastern, 20 per cent of an average crop. The average for the State is 26.

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A Walking Skeleton.

Mr. E. Springer, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., writes: "I was afflicted with lung fever and abscess on lungs, and reduced to a walking skeleton. Got a free trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which did me so much good that I bought a dollar bottle. After using three bottles, found myself once more a man, completely restored to health, with a hearty appetite, and a gain in flesh of 43 lbs." Call at Darling's Drug Store and get a free trial bottle of this certain cure for all Lung Diseases. Large bottles \$1.00.

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Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Giard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver troubles.

STATE OF MICHIGAN Twenty-third Judicial Circuit Court for the county of Iosco, Michigan, At Tawas City on the 23 day of June A. D. 1884,

Frederick P. Brown, Orlando Newman, Valentine H. Newman, Valentine H. Newman, Administrator etc., Byron E. Warren and John Sullivan. On reading and filing affidavit of Clark Esmond, showing that Orlando Newman, defendant above named, resides out of this state and resides in the state of New York, thereupon on motion of Hatch and Cooley, complainant's solicitors, it is ordered that the said non-resident defendant, Orlando Newman, appear in said cause and answer the bill of complaint filed therein on or before the 7th day of November A. D. 1884; and it is further ordered that within twenty days from the date hereof the complainant cause this notice of this order to be published in the Tawas Herald a newspaper published at Tawas City in said county of Iosco, Michigan, on to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession. SIBLEY G. TAYLOR, Circuit Court Commissioner for Iosco Co., Mich. HATCH & COOLEY, Complainant's solicitors, Bay City, Mich.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage bearing date the 26th day of April, A. D. 1883, executed by John H. McWharters and Jane McWharters, his wife, of the township of Baldwin, Iosco county, Michigan mortgagors to Henry A. Goodale, of the same place, mortgagee, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Iosco county, Michigan on the 27th day of April A. D. 1883 in Liber 7 of Mortgages on page 110, at 9 o'clock a. m. and upon which said mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid for principal and interest, at the date of this notice, the sum of one hundred and fifty one dollars and thirty five cents, together with an attorney fee of fifty dollars, as stipulated in and by said mortgage should any proceedings be taken to foreclose the same, and no proceedings either in law or equity having been instituted to recover the amount so due and secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, and the power of sale therein contained having become operative. Therefore Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the easterly corner of Block Number eleven (11) Newman's Addition to the village of East Tawas, Iosco County, Michigan, running southerly along the northwesterly side of River street, sixteen (16) rods, thence fifty nine (59) degrees west to Tawas river, thence north easterly along the southerly bank of said river to the southwesterly side of Bridge street, thence southeasterly along the southwesterly side of Bridge street to the place of beginning, containing two (2) acres of land more or less, situated in the Town of Baldwin, Iosco county, State of Michigan, or so much thereof as will be sufficient to satisfy the amount due as aforesaid, with the interest accruing to date of sale, and costs and charges allowed by law, together with said attorney fee. Said sale will be by Public Auction, to the highest bidder on Tuesday the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the Court House, at Tawas City, Iosco county, State of Michigan, that being the place in which the circuit court for said county is held. Dated June 4th 1884. HENRY A. GOODALE, Mortgagee SIBLEY G. TAYLOR, Attorney for Mortgagee.

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Iosco— Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate court for the county of Iosco, made on the 17th day of May, A. D. 1884, seven months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Antoine Nadeau late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate court, at the Probate office in the village of Tawas City, for examination and allowance, on or before the seventeenth day of December next at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and that such claims will be heard before said court on Monday the First day of September next, and on Wednesday the Seventeenth day of December next, at two o'clock in the afternoon of each of those days. Dated June 9th, A. D. 1884. JAMES O. WHITTEMORE, Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage, bearing date the 30th day of March, A. D. 1883, executed by Lester H. Bristol of East Tawas, Iosco County, Michigan, mortgagor, to Andrew Blust of the Township of Tawas County and State aforesaid, mortgagee, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for Iosco County, Michigan on the 2nd day of April, A. D. 1883, in Liber 7 of mortgages on page 208, at 11:45 o'clock a. m. and upon which said mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid for principal and interest, at the date of this notice, the sum of two hundred and twenty six dollars and twenty two cents, together with an attorney fee of twenty dollars as stipulated in and by said mortgage, should any proceedings be taken to foreclose the same, and no proceedings either in law or equity having been instituted to recover the amount so due and secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and the power of sale therein contained having become operative. Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the lands and premises therein described, as follows, to-wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in the Village of East Tawas, in the County of Iosco and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point sixty-four (64) rods northerly from the north west corner of Block No. forty-two (42) in the village of East Tawas, according to the record of Plat thereof and on the east line of Newman street as extended northerly, thence easterly parallel with Washington street eight (8) rods, thence northerly parallel with Newman street as extended northerly about six (6) rods to the quarter line running east and west through section twenty (20) in Township number twenty-two (22) north of range eight (8) east, thence west on said quarter line about eight (8) rods to the east line of said Newman street, thence southerly along the east line of said Newman street about eight (8) rods to the place of beginning, or so much thereof as will be sufficient to satisfy the amount due as aforesaid, with the interest accruing to date of sale, and costs and charges allowed by law, together with said Attorney fee. Said sale will be by public auction to the highest bidder on Saturday, the 7th day of September A. D. 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the Court House at Tawas City, Iosco County, State of Michigan, that being the place in which the circuit court for said county is held. Dated June 25th A. D. 1884. ANDREW BLUST, Mortgagee. SIBLEY G. TAYLOR, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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Our friends are introduced to a roomful of elegantly dressed people (all men of course), who shake their own hands, clasped together in front, and bow themselves to the ground. The host presents his son, arrayed like himself in richest satin and silk brocade. The boy has been politely trained and prostrates at the feet of the father's guests, striking his forehead on the floor three times. The music now strikes up a perfect din and all are invited out to a great dining-hall, where there are numbers of square tables inlaid with pearl-around which the guests seat themselves. The host, with the most honorable guests, is at the head of the room, and the rank gradually recedes away from him. Now the fun begins in earnest. The two foreigners, fortunately or otherwise, are placed at the posts of honor, and, out of courtesy, are compelled to at least taste of every dish placed on the table. Imagine partaking of such delicacies as shark's fins, and eggs which have been mellowing for a year. The Chinese regard these last in the same manner that we do our sherry and port. Although the dishes are brought on and removed by servants, it is considered the polite thing for the host himself to serve the guests at his table, who in turn serve him and each other. This is done in an odd fashion: The server arises, takes his ivory chop sticks in hand, and, fishing out the daintiest part of some dish before him, hands it with care in the deep saucer or bowl before each guest. The most ludicrous part of this is that the person thus honored is expected to rise each time, murmur "Zia zia" (thank you), and subside again. When this is repeated six or eight times in five minutes it becomes very funny, then rather monotonous, and at last exceedingly trying to the spinal column. The doctor, being fond of a joke, takes particular pains to be excessively polite to his companion, and the wavelike motion he keeps him constantly describing is most affecting. There are seventeen courses, in exactly the reversed order to which we are accustomed—sweetmeats, nuts and cakes coming first. A pudding, which ranks in their estimation as a plum pudding to us, comes next, composed of water-lily nuts, blue rice and a Chinese fruit called liehe. Soon after this appears varnished duck—a dish not many foreigners would relish. The fowl is first dried, smoked and then varnished over, this process making it good (?) for any length of time. Birds nest and alligator soups make their appearance toward the close of the feast, and our suffering friend, as he attempts to choke them down, decides they are as novel in their composition as in the cognomen. The finger bowls and doilies brought on when all have finished, are quite unique, consisting of steaming hot bowls of water, out of which long linen cloths are wrung and passed at each table for the convenience of the guests.—Shanghai Cor. St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Thrift Defended and Commended.

Both the ability to make money and the disposition to save it are highly commendable. People say, every day: "If I were able, I would do so and so." They then realize what they lose by not being able. Few men have reached middle age without having seen chances to engage in promising enterprises except for lack of capital—capital that they would not stand in need of had they been saving. Every right-minded man must be sick of listening to the flings that are made at rich men, simply because they are rich. It is rebuking economy and thrift, for few men, however large their income, become rich unless they possess these qualities. Let it be retained in mind, too, that the profligacy of the many make the few rich. If every man and woman would save all that he or she could, there would be less money to flow into the coffers of the "bloated bondholders." There are a dozen persons, who do not practice the habit of saving, to one who does, consequently the money from the dozen pockets is gradually going into the one.

No matter how small a salary a man gets he should make an effort to save a portion of it, and, barring sickness or other misfortune, he can usually do it. The savings of one week may be small, but the savings of many count up. Saving may be an effort at first, but finally it becomes easy, and not only easy but a pleasure. It does not call for stinginess or meanness. It calls for self-denial and thoughtfulness. Money is the right hand assistant of the nobler aspirations of humanity. The rich good man is of more account in the world than the poor good man. The former is he who builds hospitals, schools, churches and galleries of art. The plans and desires of the other stop short of fruition. It is a discredit to a man to spend his money foolishly. Many a young man thinks it gives him an elevated standing in the eyes of society if he scatters his money with a lavish hand. It does not, except in the eyes of the poorest part of society. It is evidence that he is not rightly balanced. That for which we give our strength and youth we should retain, if possible. Money is the recompense for labor, and labor demands our strength and consumes our youth. The result should not be frittered away.—Chicago Current.

A Cure for Drunkenness.

There is a prescription in use in England for the cure of drunkenness by which thousands are said to have been enabled to recover themselves. The recipe came into notoriety by the efforts of Mr. John Vine Hall, commander of the Great Eastern steamship. He had fallen into such habitual drunkenness that his most earnest efforts to reclaim himself proved unavailing. At last he sought the advice of an eminent physician, which he followed faithfully for several months, that at the end of that

A teamster with a load of wood went up the avenue, and blithely did he crack his whip o'er the horses staunch and true. They turned into an alleyway with his heavy wooden load, when the wheels did sink into the hubs in that muddy alley road. "Git up!" the teamster shouted loud. "Go it while you're young," and the steady brutes did churn the mud, each side the wagon tongue. "She hove and sot," the wagon did, as once a poet sung, "and every time she hove and sot, a wusser leak she sprung." So fared it with this load of wood, as near as one could judge; the more the horses clove the mud the more it wouldn't budge. And then began the crowd to come, first (always) the small boy, and teamsters stopped on Jefferson the struggle to enjoy, and youngsters all along the walk the women to annoy. A butcher-cart, a passing cab, a wagon full of stoves, a buggy and a grocery rig, with soap and flour and cloves. There stopped a man on business bent; a doctor in his gig; the avenue was soon filled up with every kind of rig. As Oliver Wendell Holmes once said, if a martyr one would burn, some man from out the crowd would know how to roast him to a turn, probably from a restaurant, posted on well-done steaks. That man is sure to be on hand and all directions takes. "Why don't you whip your horses up? Why don't you haw or gee? Come, wake up, ancient stick-in-the-mud, or leave the thing to me." The teamster whipped his horses up; the teamster geed and hawed. But the load of wood was there for good, and there it stood, saying it would (not) "Come into the garden, Maud." The gathering crowd never offered to help, but gave advice instead, while the panting horses stood and puffed and the driver scratched his head. He would look on this side then on that, then gather up each rein; then shout, rave, fume, swear and try it on again; and all the while the crowd did jeer and scatter round advice, but the wagon wheels stayed where they were as if within a vise. "Come down from off the load of wood!" "Let's rescue 'em all in boats!" "Oh, put your shoulder to the wheel!" "Say! Give 'em a feed of oats!" Then some one took another team and hitched it in the rear; then both teams pulled in opposite ways while the crowd did scoff and jeer. Having gazed at port and starboard wheel, fully fifty times or more, the driver then began to do what he should have done before—throw off the cord-wood stick by stick, and as he worked he swore. And all the while the heartless mob fired off the ancient joke as how the wheels could silent be, when all of them had spoke; that wheels and horses both were tired, they spoke with a waggin' tongue; that the muddy team would be ad-mired, and thus the changes rung; that the wagon surely would go off, if he thought it wasn't loaded, and mentioned the labor of the man as the work the old scare-crow did. At last adown the alley of mud two teams pulled the wagon along, and thus the end of the tragedy there brings with it the end of the song. As the teamster looked at the scattered cord the crowd gave him a parting sally: "See, your sticks are all scattered promiscuous around—set 'em up in another alley."—Detroit Free Press.

A Race with a Whirlwind.

A remarkable and thrilling incident of Tuesday's storm was related to the reporter by a party who was traveling on a train on the Chester & Lenoir Narrow-gauge Railroad at the time the incident occurred. The train had passed Lowersville, and was speeding in the direction of Lineinton, when all on board were startled by a roaring sound that could be distinctly heard above the noise of the train, and on glancing back they saw an immense whirlwind tearing along the railroad track, following directly behind the train at a rapid rate. The engineer was among the first to see it, and realizing what the consequences would be should the whirlwind overtake the train, he pulled the throttle wide open, and an exciting race began. The whirlwind was not more than five hundred yards behind the train, and the anxious passengers soon became aware of the painful fact that it was gradually gaining upon them. There were several ladies in the car, and they cried and carried on at a terrible rate, while the men danced about the car in their excitement, vainly yelling at the engineer to put on more steam. The race was kept up in this way for two miles, when the train turned a curve in the road. As the whirlwind struck the curve it left the railroad track, speeding its way right on through the fields. At the time it left the track it was not more than three hundred yards behind the train. It was a thrilling race, and all the passengers blessed that curve from the bottom of their hearts.—Charlotte (N. C.) Observer.

A Leap-Year Episode.

Society, as a sort of jest, has decreed that any young man who refuses a leap-year proposal from a lady is in honor bound to present her with a silk dress. There are a number of old maids in town who have already accumulated enough silk dresses to stock a dry-goods warehouse. But that is not what I desire to say. One day last week a young man in society here paid a visit to a young lady friend. They were not engaged, but he had given ample evidence that he would like to be if he could only muster up sufficient confidence.

He had been fooling along on the outside edges of an engagement for six months or more, and the lady began to grow anxious. It was one of those cases where both parties floundered around in the sweet meshes of love, without ever coming to an open understanding. On the evening in question the lady, half in jest and wholly in earnest, proposed to him. He said that silks were unusually high-priced, and that if she would be married at once he would accept. Much to his surprise she did accept, and the couple visited

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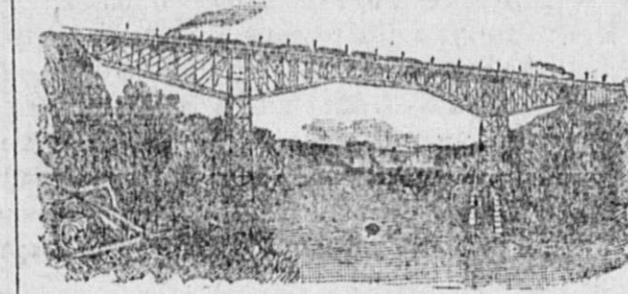
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DETROIT, BAY CITY & ALPENA R. R. Central Standard Time. Going South. Leave AuSable 12:01 p.m.; Tawas City 12:50 p.m. Arrive Alger 2:55 p.m.; West Bay City (M. C. R. R.) 4:55 p.m.; Bay City 5:00 p.m. Going North. Leave Bay City (M. C. R. R.) 12:20 p.m.; Alger 5:45 p.m.; (D. B. G. & A. R. R.) Arrive Tawas City 5:45 p.m. Ansaible 6:35. Passengers destined for points south of Bay City on the Saginaw Div. M. C. R. R. change cars at West Bay City.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL



The Niagara Falls Route. MACKINAW DIVISION. All trains run by Central Standard time. Going North. Leave Bay City 1:45 a.m.; Grayling 5:40 a.m.; Mackinac 9:00 a.m. Grayling acc. 8:00 a.m. 12:05 p.m. arr. Mackinac Ex. 1:15 p.m. 5:15 p.m. 8:35 p.m. Going South. Leave Mackinac 7:00 a.m.; Grayling 10:15 p.m.; Bay City 2:10 p.m. N. Y. exp. 9 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. Saginaw acc. All trains daily except Sunday. New York express has parlor car between Mackinac City and Detroit.

DETROIT AND BAY CITY DIVISION.

Going South. Leave Bay City 7:05 a.m.; Saginaw 8:55 a.m.; Detroit 11:20 a.m. N. Y. exp. 2:30 p.m. 4:15 p.m. 6:45 p.m. Detroit exp. 5:25 p.m. 7:25 p.m. 9:50 p.m. Night exp. 10:35 p.m. 2:01 a.m. 6:15 a.m. North. Leave Detroit 8:30 a.m.; Saginaw 10:50 a.m.; Bay City 12:45 p.m. Bay City exp. 5:07 p.m. 7:25 p.m. 9:20 p.m. Mackinac exp. 9:05 p.m. 11:40 p.m. 1:35 a.m. Night exp. 10:55 p.m. 3:40 a.m. 6:35 a.m. Daily except Sunday. Other trains daily except Sunday. Close connections at Detroit for all points east and south, and at Port Huron with the G. T. R. Trains leaving Detroit 8:30 a.m. and Bay City 2:30 p.m. have through parlor cars to Detroit and Mackinac. Night trains have sleeping cars attached.

SAGINAW DIVISION.

Going South. Leave Bay City 6:30 a.m.; Saginaw 7:30 a.m.; Jackson 11:10 a.m. Chicago exp. 4:50 p.m. 5:48 p.m. 10:10 p.m. Saginaw acc. 8:20 p.m. 9:15 p.m. Going North. Leave Jackson 11:20 a.m.; Saginaw 12:15 a.m.; Bay City 1:25 a.m. Bay City exp. 4:10 p.m. 8:35 p.m. 9:30 p.m. Grayling acc. 7:05 a.m. 7:00 a.m. 5:50 a.m. All trains daily, Sunday excepted; close connection at Jackson for Chicago and the south. Chicago express has through sleeper from Bay City to Chicago.

FLINT & PERE MARQUETTE R. R.

TIME TABLE Taking effect March 23rd, 1884. Going South. Leave Bay City 8:10 p.m. 5:15 p.m. 11:00 a.m. 6:45 a.m. Ea-t Sag 8:45 6:05 11:50 7:15. Flint 10:08 7:15 1:01 8:15. Holly 12:00 m. 7:50 1:32 8:50. Wixom 1:05 8:30 2:11 9:30. Plymouth 1:45 8:57 2:35 9:57. Wayne 2:30 9:10 2:50 10:08. Detroit 3:05 9:55 3:45 10:50. Ronulus 3:48 3:30. Carleton 3:34 3:52. Arrive Toledo 4:32 a.m. 4:49 p.m.

Going North.

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man with the cold tea scheme, as he scratched his nose with the point of a Barlow knife; "there is something about them that is not to be found in any other portion of the human race."

"Overflow of electricity, perhaps," sentimentally suggested the thin man without a shirt collar.

"Perhaps."  
"While the husband is alive he acts as a sort of ground wire that they can discharge their excess of the element through," continued the thin man, in the style of one who has long studied and philosophized upon a subject of deep personal importance. "A woman possesses much more electricity than a man. It is a necessity for the serious mission of life she fulfills. This frequently accumulates, like an excess of steam, and then she has to blow off."

"You have found it so?" sympathetically asked the man with the cold tea scheme.

"It has struck me that way," replied the thin man with a sigh.

"You are a ground wire, perhaps?"

"I am no ground wire," answered the thin man in a low, subdued tone of voice.

"I have occasionally noticed that you looked as though you had been struck by lightning, but what I referred to was a woman without her ground wire—a widow. There is something wonderfully fascinating about them. They seem to belong to the fraternity; to have taken all the degrees, as I may say, and can give a man the sign and grip and claim full fellowship. If I may be allowed the expression, they know exactly how to tickle him under the chin right where his chin is most ticklish. And then they have the nerve to do it. There is where they hold such an advantage over the unmarried girls that come in competition with them. While your miss is blushing and putting a fellow to all sorts of desperate attempts to make himself agreeable, your widow is quietly making him think he is the handsomest and smartest man in the world. You see she puts him in good humor with himself and then he is sure to be in good humor with her. She knows to an ounce just how much flattery a man will take from a woman, and she also knows that this earth does not contain the full amount. She is the terror of her sex. The married women are afraid of her, for she knows too much, and the girls detest her, for they feel she is a rival in the field with tactics of which they are in no wise ignorant. Naturally the unhappy position excites sympathy, and the men view her as a sacred trust bequeathed to them by some departed ground wire that they are bound to respect. Then they are so cozy, comfortable and confidential like. They tell you all their little woes and troubles, and hopes and annoyances, and the first thing you know they make you feel like a father to them.

"In fact they are so warm and comforting as widows that a man—"

"That's enough," broke in the thin man. "Don't go any farther. Your picture is a pretty one. Don't spoil it with a bad frame. As widows they are angels, but—"

"As wives, what are they?"

"Well, I'm married to one and not at liberty to say."—Pittsburgh Chronicle.

### Mexican Funerals.

It may be interesting to some of our many readers to know how funerals are conducted in Mexico. Instead of hearses, such as we have in the States, regular funeral-draped street-cars are fitted up for the purpose. The driver is a most comical genius, and is only to be seen to be appreciated. He is gotten up in the most somber style, sable coat, gloved hands, broad band of crape around his hat, which is an immense stovepipe, and that cocked jauntily to one side, and to give him "tone," a huge cigar (such as they smoke here is stuck in his mouth. Instead of a subdued look, suitable to the occasion, he assumes a rather festive air, as if chaperoning a picnic party, or, as one going out on a lark, and bound to have a good time. I have seen a couple of peons start with a corpse to the car, and, it not being in sight, take a seat, one on each end, looking as comfortable as if they were seated on a red sofa—and, as they smoked, deliberately discuss the "nickel" question, which is agitating Mexico just now; or else argue as to which was the best drink, "tequila," or "pulque." A game of cards is admissible, and "pulque" is sometimes drunk to the corpse's health, to relieve the tediousness of waiting: Being somewhat of a stranger in Mexico, I shall not vouch for the two latter facts. There is a second-class car, which, having no curtain, exposes the poor unfortunate corpse, not only to the burning rays of the sun, but to the eager gaze of the passers by. No spoiler does the native see this sad sight, than down he drops on his knees and crosses himself; but the fresh Americans gazes as long as he can see a trace of it, with eyes as large as "moons." The coffin lid is rarely put on until the cemetery is reached and, in consequence, one often gets a glimpse of a sorrowful face and crossed hands. It is not etiquette for a Mexican to attend the funeral of his dead. This is left for hardened men, who are paid for all such work.

This is not the case, however, with the poorer class, who are not able to hire the commonest car, or even to buy a coffin. The peon rents a coffin for twelve-and-a-half cents, and is often seen with one containing some dearly beloved one on his back, wending his way slowly and sorrowfully to the cemetery, perhaps with feet bleeding as they come in contact with the rough stones. When he reaches the grave without ceremony, returns the coffin to the undertaker, and—that is all. No one either cares for or pities him, for he is only a poor unfortunate peon.—Mexico Cor. Texas Sitings.

The new salt fields in Western New York will produce 600,000 bushels of "the finest salt in the world" this year, and expect to double the production next year. A wide but

nation to the Biological Society, observed that medicine, as practiced by animals, is thoroughly empirical, but the same may be said of that practiced by inferior human races, or, in other words, by the majority of the human species. Animals instinctively choose such food as is best suited to them. M. Delaunay maintains that the human race also shows this instinct, and blames medical men for not paying sufficient respect to the likes and dislikes of the patients, which he believes to be a guide that may be depended on. Women are more often hungry than men, and they do not like the same kind of food; nevertheless, in asylums for aged poor men and women are put on precisely the same regimen. Infants scarcely weaned are given a diet suitable to adults—meat and wine, which they dislike, and which disagrees with them. M. Delaunay investigated this question in the different asylums of Paris, and ascertained that children do not like meat before they are about five years of age. People who like salt, vinegar, etc., ought to be allowed to satisfy their tastes. Lorain always taught that with regard to food, people's likings are the best guide. A large number of animals wash themselves and bathe, as elephants, stags, birds and ants. M. Delaunay lays down, as a general rule, that there is not any species of animal which voluntarily runs the risk of inhaling emanations arising from their own excrement. If we turn our attention to the question of reproduction, we shall see that all mammals suckle their young, keep them clean, wean them at the proper time, and educate them; but these maternal instincts are frequently rudimentary in women of civilized nations. In fact, man may take a lesson in hygiene from the lower animals. Animals get rid of their parasites by using dust, mud, clay, etc. Those suffering from fever restrict their diet, keep quiet, seek darkness and airy places, drink water, and sometimes plunge into it. When a dog has lost its appetite, it eats that species of grass known as dog's grass (*chiendent*) which acts as an emetic and purgative. Cats also eat grass. Sheep and cows, when ill, seek out certain herbs. When dogs are constipated they eat fatty substances, such as oil and butter, with avidity, until they are purged. The same thing is observed in horses. An animal suffering from chronic rheumatism keeps as far as possible in the sun. "The warrior ants have regularly-organized ambulances. Latroille cut the antennae of an ant, and other ants came and covered the wounded part with a transparent fluid secreted in their mouths. If a chimpanzee be wounded, it stops the bleeding by placing its hand on the wound or dressing it with leaves and grass. When an animal has a wounded leg or arm hanging on, it completes the amputation by means of its teeth. A dog, on being stung in the muzzle by a viper, was observed to plunge its head repeatedly for several days in running water. This animal eventually recovered. A sporting dog was run over by a carriage. During three weeks in winter it remained lying in a brook, where its food was taken to it; the animal recovered. A terrier dog hurt its right eye; it remained lying under a counter, avoiding light and heat, although habitually it kept close to the fire. It adopted a general treatment, rest and abstinence from food. The local treatment consisted in licking the upper surface of the paw, which it applied to the wounded eye, again licking the paw when it became dry. Cats also, when hurt, treat themselves by this simple method of continuous irritation. M. Delaunay cites the case of a cat which remained for some time lying on the bank of a river; also that of another cat which had the singular fortitude to remain for forty-eight hours under a jet of cold water. Animals suffering from traumatic fever treat themselves by the continued application of cold water, which M. Delaunay considers to be more certain than any of the other methods. In view of these interesting facts, we are, he thinks, forced to admit that hygiene and therapeutics as practiced by animals may, in the interests of psychology, be studied with advantage. He could go even further and say that veterinary medicine and perhaps human medicine could gather from them some useful indications, precisely because they are prompted by instincts which are efficacious in the preservation or the restoration of health.—British Medical Journal.

How He Saved His Money.  
I talked the other evening with an old timer. He has been through the history of mining in California, so far as San Francisco has had to do with it. He grew excited over the romances of old times. The owner of the Eagle block made his success or saved himself through Ralston's recklessness. He was a porter, I believe, and saving his money, put it all in Gould & Curry. That was twenty years ago. He grew rich with the bonanza and determined on a trip to Europe. He left his stock with Ralston, to deal with as he would with his own. The steamer that bore him had not left the bay before Ralston had sold out his Gould & Curry. The news reached him a steamer later in Paris, that giving Ralston a long time the use of the proceeds. At first he was angry, but seeing that prices had begun to fall he felt a little bit relieved, and wrote to Ralston to invest the cash in bonds and good securities and collect the interest. On his return to San Francisco he found the Gould & Curry boom over, and he was so thankful for what he had escaped by Ralston's supposed unscrupulousness that he turned his attention to property and he has shown that a man may begin very humbly in life and possess all the brains to manipulate money when he gets it.—San Francisco Chronicle.

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Flour 4 bbl	\$4 75@ 6 10
Wheat 4 bushel	100@ 110
Oats	48@ 50
Corn	48@ 50
Peas	1 00@ 1 15
Potatoes	40
Butter 4 lb	20
Eggs 4 dozen	18
Salt Pork 4 lb	10
Hay 4 ton	11 00@12 00
Feed 4 ton	26 00
Wool	25
Clover seed, p ime	8 00

**Bay City Market.**  
June 30, 1884.

**WHOLESALE QUOTATIONS.**  
Wheat—No 1 white, 1@105c.  
Flour—Bay City mills, \$5 25; Cream of Michigan \$5 00; Gilt Edge, \$5 50; Holly mills, \$5 13; Mayflower mills, roller process, \$6 00; Thread mills, \$5 13; Morning Star, \$5 25; Gold Medal, \$5 55; Pearl Dust, \$5 25; Winter Rye, \$4 50; Stiff & Stiff \$5 50; New York neckwheat, \$6 00.

Bran—Firm at \$18 00 per ton.  
Baled Hay—\$12 90 per ton.  
Beans—Firm at \$1 75@2 60 per bush.  
Butter—Tub 18c@20c; roll 27c.  
Potatoes—45@50  
Provisions—Mess pork firm at \$18 family do \$18 25; refined lard in tierces, 9c per lb; clear sides 10c; hams 14c; shoulders 9c.  
Cheese—Choice new at 15c per lb.  
Dried Apples—Firm 78c.  
Eggs—Fresh 17c per doz.  
Feed—Corn and oats firm at \$24 00 per ton; cooked feed \$28 per ton.  
Fresh Meats—Dressed hogs, \$8 25 per cwt; beef, \$9 00 9 25 per cwt; veal, \$8 00 8 50; mutton, \$8 50a 9 00; lamb 8c.  
Corn—58 60c.  
Middlings—Firm at \$23 per ton.  
Oats Firm; new mixed, 42c; white, 44c.  
Sugar—Granulated is being billed out at 7c; standard A brands at 7c. Yellow sugars range from 6 7c for desirable goods.  
Kerosene—Legal test, 12c per gallon; water white 15 per gal.  
Hides—Green city, 7c; salted, 8c; green butcher calf, 12c; green salted do, 13c; all inferior hides two-thirds price; dry Flint hides, 12c; salted, 8c; green butcher pelts, \$1 50@2 00.  
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