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Senatorial Convention.

The Republican Senatorial Convention for the 29th district is called for the 17th inst at Cheboygan. Each county is entitled to the same number of delegates as in the state convention.

The New School Law.

Sept. 1, 1884, the new school law with reference to temperance text books in the public schools, goes into effect. After this date every teacher who has not been examined in compliance with the requirements of this law and who is engaged in the public schools stands a chance of having his or her right to the public money questioned.

Something to Remember Him by.

"Ah, my dear friend," exclaimed a Flint man to another one day last week, "I want to always remember you."
"You do?"
"Yes, always."
"Well, I'll tell you how you can do it."
"How?"
"Just lend me five dollars."

Trying to Steal a Mill.

Last Sunday morning, says the Northern Tribune, three men from Bay City arrived at Wolverine and at once proceeded to the shingle mill heretofore owned and run by W. H. Ohear. They brought with them the proper tools and commenced a Sunday's work by taking the machinery out from the mill and placing it upon cars to be sent to Bay City. Ohear saw what was up and immediately stopped the work, whereupon the man having the dirty work in charge, offered \$100 to a number of men if they would put the machinery on the cars, and work was commenced. Ohear then mounted a horse and rode to Indian River where he employed some men with a hand car who brought him to Cheboygan where he consulted with his attorney. Arrangements were made with Sheriff Harrington, who was soon on the hand car and on his way to the battlefield, where he arrived about 7 o'clock p. m., much to the surprise of the enemy. Armed with a chattel mortgage upon the machinery in question he planted himself on the car which was nearly loaded, and ordered work stopped, but the Bay City boss told the men to go on with the work, but when the sheriff's handcuffs came in sight the argument was too strong and no one was ready to proceed. The "boss" himself wilted and concluded it was not best to fool with our sheriff. The property was left in the hands of at officer at Wolverine and Mr. Harrington returned to Cheboygan next morning. The plan seemed to be to get the property away on Sunday, as arrangements had been made to have the cars attached to the passenger train at night, and the legal owner would be obliged to go to Bay City to get his property and do his fighting in the courts there, but the plan failed. Other attempts have been made since to get the property, but with no success. Tuesday night one man who appeared to be a leader was brought to Cheboygan under arrest by the Wolverine officer but upon promises made that he would do nothing more in the matter he was released. A Mr. A. C. Haven, of Bay City, claims to have some interest in the property and was therefore proceeding to take it, but his legal interest must be rather small when he is obliged to steal property on Sunday in order to sustain it.

Each One had an Excuse.

The other day a temperate Brooklyn man concluded he would take a drink, and went into a saloon. To his horror he met a friend at the bar, who was also the kind of a man who "never touches liquor, sir." Each felt a little, however, when he perceived the reason of the other's presence. Just as they said "good morning," and were sliding up to the bar, a third party of similar abstemious pretensions came in, and would have backed out, but the others saw him.
"Ah-sh, gentlemen, what you are something?" said he. "The fact is, I suffered all night with a terrible; I thought I'd take something to warm me up."
Number two hesitated a moment, and said: "Well I don't care if I do. My rheumatism has been hurting me awfully for a week. I believe I'll join you."
Number three cooaged, and then put his hands on his sides, then satitated a moment, and finally said: "Well, I guess I'll take one, too. My wife's mother says I'd hurt so this kind of weather that I can hardly walk."
The Jewish Rabbi was set upon and quite severely pounded one night the fore part of the week. There seems to have been no

Tawas City and Vicinity.

"Yakie."
A hot September is predicted.
Petty thieves are getting too numerous.
Building operations have fallen off somewhat.
The Youngsters will soon be at school again.

Secure your reserved seats for Yakie at Simon's store.
Clean newspapers 25 cents per 100 at the Herald office.
Mrs. William Reynolds was blessed with a little girl last week.
Do not fail to see Yakie at Simon's hall Monday evening.

The blackberry crop has been nearly ruined by the drought.
The Detroit evening News is getting quite a circulation here.
Notice the "ads" of Wm. Graham & Son and C. H. Prescott & Son.
A large portion of the meat now sold in the markets is home production.
Eugene St. Amour, an old resident of the shore died a few days since at his home at Harrisville.
Ed Short will have a good substantial bridge across the river at Matthew street when completed.
The M. E. Sabbath school of East Tawas will give an excursion to the Rifle River Bridge next Saturday.

It takes a month for the pay car of the Michigan Central railroad to get over the different divisions of the road.
The grounds inside of the race track are being improved and an excellent diamond for base ball players will be laid out.
The barn at the East Tawas Salt & Lumber Co.'s mill caught fire on the roof last Monday, but was promptly extinguished.
J. P. Connor is willing to match the brown team of G. Oran's to outfit anything of their weight. John Sullivan where are you?
The accounts of the forest fires near East Tawas as they appear in the Chicago papers are enough to make one's hair stand on ends.
Over 25,000 people gathered to hear Ben Butler speak at Detroit last Monday. It is said to be the largest political gathering ever in Detroit.
Dr. R. J. Smith and Wm. Richards left East Tawas last Monday for a trip down the Au Sable. They expect to make the trip in about 10 days.
Do not forget the North Eastern fair that commences at Flint on the 22nd inst and continuing until the 26th inclusive. This promises to be the best of the year.
The school census as taken by Prof. S. B. Laird shows 483 scholar in this district against 364 last year making an increase of 119, which is an excellent showing.
The fire was dangerously near Alabaster Monday. All night long the inhabitants fought it to save property. Fortunately the shower subdued the fire to a great extent.
W. H. Casey is having a commodious sail boat built which he will use in the trade between this place and Alabaster. It will prove of great convenience to persons on the shore.
The Iosco County Gazette and the Alcona County Review both claim the credit of first mentioning the name of Gen. R. A. Alger as the Republican candidate for Governor.
At the meeting of the school board last Monday night the director, W. B. Kelly, was authorized to purchase more seats for the school house. No other business of any importance was transacted.
At the Congregational Church, East Tawas, next Sunday the Pastor will preach in the morning on "What is Truth". Evening subject Stick-to-itism.
The Cleveland down last Sunday was three hours late, caused by a peculiarly sad accident at Mackinac the evening previous. This was the death by drowning of the 10-years old son of Manager David Carter of the Detroit & Cleveland Steam Navigation Co.—Saturday Night.
The Lake Superior mines have so far this season achieved a combined output of 805,373 tons, as follows: Chapin, 220,834; Republic, 181,611; Cleveland, 147,548; Champion, 142,154; Lake Superior, 119,195.
That heavenly smile that lit up the "phiz" of our genial townman, John W. King, last Monday morning, making it more radiant than a sunflower, was caused by a bran new baby girl, making its appearance in his household the evening before.
A correspondent of the Scientific American having announced that he could manufacture diamonds if he could find a place frequently visited by lightning in which to place his apparatus, Rev. Father Desmout, of Cheboygan, this state, asks him to bring his plant to that place. Lightning has struck very close to his house four times within as many years, and the last

A northern farmer, speaking of the sandy plains of northern Michigan, otherwise called the pine barrens, says: "For grazing no lands can surpass the plains. The grass growing on them is exceedingly nutritious, and for sheep nothing can be better. Cattle that pasture on it are fat enough for beef in the fall. I have taken as high as three tons of hay from it, and still do not think it has been tested for all it is worth."
The most promising industry at Mt. Clemens is the establishment devoted to the manufacturing and bottling of Sprudel water. It has already become famous for its curative properties, and is fast superceding the imported mineral waters. Last week the company received an invoice of 50,000 bottles from glass factories in Germany.
Wm. Phelan and Thos. E. Connor who were out at Loon Lake last week claim to have caught a bass at that place measuring 4 feet 3 inches from the tip of the nose to the end of its tail and the same distance back again making 8 feet 6 inches by actual measurement. As they brought nothing back but the story our readers will make all due allowance.
T. F. Thompson & Co.'s mill at Au Sable says the Monitor, on the 27th inst cut 1,329 Norway logs in 11 hours. John Thompson sawyer, Finley McNeil gang sawyer, Nelson Morash boom company scaler. This is over two logs per minute; and considering the state of the lumber market, this reads like music in mourning.—Bay City Call.
The teachers for the ensuing year in the union schools of this place are: Principal, S. B. Laird; Assistants, Miss Libbie McIntosh, Mrs. B. Dennis and Mrs. E. G. Eldridge. The fall term commences next Monday. Preparatory for the beginning of the school year considerable improvements have been made in the way of reseating etc. and putting in extra seats thus giving accommodation for more scholars.
Morris B. Diamond, who claims to have a title to a good share of the city south of Twenty-third street, is still on the war path. He called at the police station last night and enquired if "his tenants" had left the keys of "his houses" there as he had instructed them. He was informed that they had not. He is now pantryman on the propeller Arundell. He states that he will appear before the legislature this fall and ask it to remunerate him for the wrongs the state has done him in the past eight years.—Bay City Tribune.
Last Friday night burglars entered the pool hall of W. A. Darling and carried off somewhere in the neighborhood of seven or eight hundred cigars. The same night the warehouse and office of the boat line on Prescott's dock was entered and some canned fruit and other articles taken, also a rubber coat belonging to J. B. McRoberts. There is no direct clue to the perpetrators of the acts, but suspicion falls upon several young rascals in this place who are most effectually paving the way to state prison and if they do not make it a point to mend their ways it will not be a very great while before they find themselves there.
Cheboygan Tribune: A man was brought down from Mackinaw City Sunday night and confined in jail, suffering under peculiar circumstances. About three years ago he was bitten by a rattlesnake, and since then every few months he has rabid attacks, rendering him quite dangerous to those around him. He always knows when the attacks are coming on, and thus is able to put others on their guard. In the recent attack he gave notice of it and requested to be confined. As there was no suitable place of confinement at Mackinaw City, he was ironed and guarded and brought down to Cheboygan on the Sunday night train, it requiring several to hold him. Sheriff Harrington says he was very wild all night and fairly made the building shake in his mad efforts. By noon of Monday he had quieted down, and stated that he was all right and was let go. He says that each occurrence is worse than the former.

The great German play "Yakie" will be produced at Simon's Hall Monday and Tuesday evening. This is an excellent play and the fact that Lewis, the Humorist of the Free Press is its author, will add much to its interest as Lewis's writings are the favorite in this locality. The following from the Omaha Bee speaks highly of the leading characters in the company:
"Alf. and Lulu Wyman supported by an evenly balanced company presented for the first time in the city, the Detroit Free Press man's comedy, "Yakie, the German Farmer." Mr. Wyman deservedly ranks among the first German comedians in the country, and finds able support in the person of his charming and talented wife. Mrs. Wyman is a bright, vivacious little lady, who by her graceful stage presence and charming natural artlessness, completely captures her audience the moment she appears upon the stage clad in her homespun clothes and wooden shoes.

Ed Ervin, of Whittemore, is in limbo for thirty days for disturbing the peace at that place.
All those who wish to spend a pleasant and enjoyable evening should "take in" Yakie at Simon's hall next Monday evening.
In the case against Robt. Martin of Whittemore for criminal slander tried at that place yesterday the jury found a verdict of guilty and the prisoner was fined \$100. The case has been appealed.
The parties who sent requests to the Chairman of the board of supervisors, E. Laidlaw, to have their names struck from the petitions against the Pinkerton bill are requested to send such requests to the clerk, he being the proper person.
Supervisor Laidlaw, of Wilber expresses it as his opinion that parties who worked against the Pinkerton bill will not make an effort to change the vote next October. If they are so declined they should take steps immediately. If they have any reasons to show why the bill should not be allowed they should prepare their proofs before the October meeting.
A Sad Suicide.
The people of this place and vicinity were greatly shocked early last Wednesday morning to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. Clark Esmond, at her home, from the effects of a dose of laudanum taken by herself with suicidal intent. She was first discovered in the morning by her husband, who stepped into the room occupied by her alone. He immediately noticed that there was something wrong and at once sent for medical aid and called the other members of the family to the bedside of his wife. Dr. Darling arrived very shortly but could render no aid, as life was almost extinct and did not last but a few moments after his arrival. A letter was found, which she had written in which she states her intention to commit suicide on account of unhappiness, but says she took the laudanum the night before and had been sick all day, but it is evident that she took another dose that night as the physicians say that she could not possibly have died from the effects of that taken the night before under the circumstances. A. G. Van Wey, the coroner, has impaneled a jury and an inquest will be held either this afternoon or to-morrow, when, if there be any more facts which should come to light they will be published. Pending the inquest the letter which was left has been withheld from publication.
Mrs. Lorinda N. Esmond was born in the township of Hamlin, Eaton county, Mich., December 6th, 1849, and was the daughter of Alonzo Knight, of this place. In 1871 she moved, with her husband, from her home in Eaton county to the township of Plainfield in this county where she lived until the winter of 1883 when she moved to Tawas City, her husband having been elected sheriff of this county. She was the mother of three children, two boys and one girl all of whom are now living.
This peculiarly sad death has cast a gloom over the village and sorely grieved the many friends with whom she associated, who will always remember her as generous and kind of heart and forget her rash and unnatural act, which so suddenly terminated her earthly career, leaving it to Him who knows all to judge.
Funeral to-morrow at 2 o'clock.

Republican County Convention.
A Republican County Convention, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the several county offices, to be elected at the fall election, will be held at the Court House in Tawas City on Tuesday, the 23d day of September 1884, at 1 o'clock p. m.
In accordance with the rule heretofore adopted, each town will be entitled to one delegate for each 50 of the total vote cast for Governor at the last state election [in 1882] and one additional delegate for every fraction of 25 votes, but each town will be entitled to at least one delegate.

Town	vote of 1882	No. of Delegates
Au Sable	269	5
Alabaster	59	1
Baldwin	235	5
Oscoda	262	5
Tawas	263	5
Burlough	25	1
Grant	46	1
Plainfield	12	1
Sherman	24	1
Thompson	18	1
Wilber	38	1

Dated September 3rd 1884.
By order of the County Committee.
SIBLEY G. TAYLOR, CHAS. R. JACKSON
Chairman. Secretary.

The Lumber Industry.
It is predicted by those who have given their attention to the subject that ten years henceforth the lumber industry will be transferred from the northern lake region to the south. It is an enormous interest. In 1880 there were 25,703 lumbering establishments in the country, employing \$181,000,000 capital, 146,000 hands, distributing \$31,435,000 a year in wages, using \$146,000,000 worth of material, and turning out an annual product of \$239,000,000 Michigan stands first, with a product of \$52,449,000; next comes Pennsylvania with \$22,457,000; Wisconsin with \$17,952,000; New York with \$14,260,000; Ohio with \$3,864,000; Minnesota with \$7,366,000; Maine with \$7,900,000. The southern states make a very small showing, few of them reaching a product of over \$4,000,000. But Michigan is consuming its lumber material at a frightful rate.—Bay City Tribune.

Thousands Say So.
Mr. T. W. Atkins, Gard, 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 complaints. Purify the

Personal.
Bert Taylor returned from his visit at Owassee yesterday.
Paul Kuach, of West Bay City called at this place Monday on a business trip.
R. M. Tackabury and family left Tuesday for Vassar which place they will make their future home. Mr. Tackabury goes into the grocery business at that place.
W. C. Groesbeck, wife and son, of Lansingburg, N. Y. visited W. N. Miller and family the fore part of the week. They are on a trip around the lakes and west.

State Sittings.
An \$8,000 school house will be built at Cass City.
Asa Bullman died at Burr Oak Friday aged 75.
The Flushing ladies' band have purchased sixteen new instruments.
The Muskegon drives this year contain about 700,000,000 feet of logs.
The Cheboygan Sanitarium has been opened and is drumming custom.
The Goddess of Liberty is again perched upon the Charlotte court house.
A Muskegon laborer named Solomon was killed by over-heating last Thursday.
John Spaulding's child died at Homer from a peanut lodging in its throat.
Three hundred bushels per acre is the guess on the Cheboygan potato crop this year.
Mayor Benjamin of Saginaw City, has vetoed the \$30,000 Vandepole Electric Light ordinance.
The drill at McMorrin & Co.'s mill is down over 500 feet, and there is a remarkably good show of oil.
City Marshal Miller of Mt. Clemens had a valuable 4-year old iron-gray horse stolen Thursday night.
Lapeer has a Lime Kila Club, we are told by a colored man who claims to be a charter member.—Lapeer Clarion.
The East Saginaw Zeitung a daily german paper published at that place collapsed last Saturday.
O. T. Booth, of Charlevoix county, has shipped to eastern markets sixteen cargoes of wood this season, aggregating 1,900 cords.
Fred Butler, a Flint boy, recently fell from a flag pole, a distance of seventy feet and is now in good shape to do it again.
It costs between \$150,000 and \$200,000 each year to drive the Muskegon River That's even more expensive than a balky horse.—Free Press.
The wells in Frankenmuth have been dry for some days past, and farmers have come into the village with stock to be watered.

TO THE PUBLIC.
W. H. Casey will deliver packages, parcels or other articles between Alabaster, Tawas City and East Tawas at reasonable rates. Collections also made for persons desiring the same. Passengers will be carried between Alabaster and Tawas City for 25 cents. Leave orders at the Bay Side house, Tawas City or Postoffice Alabaster. 35—6t. W. H. CASEY.

Just as Good.
Many unscrupulous dealers may tell you they have remedies for Coughs and Colds equal in merit and in every respect just as good as the old reliable Dr. Bosanko Cough and Lung Syrup, unless you insist upon this remedy and will take no other, you are liable to be greatly deceived. Price 50c and \$1. Sold by Geo. S. Darling.
H. C. Ripley, of East Saginaw, is handling 100,000 telephone and telegraph poles this season and is shipping several carloads to Texas.
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 Colds, Pains in the Chest and all Lung Affections. For proof, try a free sample bottle. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00.

GRAHAM & SON,
—DEALER IN—
Choice Staple and Fancy
Groceries.
AGENTS FOR THE TAWAS
STEAM BAKERY.
Fresh Bread received every morning.
Full line of Cigars and Smoker's Goods.

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."

As yet we have said nothing in the state senator matter, and now that we have an occasion to make our say, we will mention this: The shore has the senator for the last term, they are entitled to it this. The Representative was from the railroad side of the district and the shore has kindly allowed it to remain here, and we know of no man more competent to fill the position of State senator from their side of the district than Mr. C. R. Henry, of Isocoo county. —Ogemaw County Times.

The following brief sketch of Mr. Markey's life we clip from the Ogemaw County Herald: Daniel P. Markey is of Irish descent, but was born in Livingstone county, this state, in 1856, making him only 28 years old at the present time. He attended the public school of his native town until he became a young man, when he went to Ann Arbor. He graduated from the law department in 1881. The following October he came to Ogemaw county, and for the first six months he taught the village school and attended to his professional duties outside of school hours. In December of the same year he was appointed Circuit Court Commissioner for Ogemaw county, to fill vacancy, by Gov. Jerome. In 1882 he was elected to the same office. In 1883 he was appointed Judge of Probate to fill vacancy. To day the firm of Markey & Hall, of which Mr. Markey is a member, has the larger part of the business of the county.

At the recent convention of lumber manufacturers in Chicago a Muskegon lumberman said: "I can speak for but one firm in Muskegon, and that firm is so infinitesimal among thirty-eight mills that there is hardly any use for me to speak of that. We usually manufacture about 20,000,000 feet. We shall have sawed up this year about 9,000,000 feet to Saturday night. At that time our mill will close. We close because we are poor to run any longer. We cannot afford to sell lumber at the present prices. We cannot afford to turn trees into lumber at the present prices, and so we feel actually compelled to shut down our mill the last week in the month of August and wait until something turns up. We have a few teams, and a few men. Those few teams will be employed in getting out in the winter of 1884 and 1885 twenty to thirty per cent of the logs that we usually get out. That is about the position we are in to-day."

The Abundant Crops. We are harvesting this summer the greatest small-grain crops ever grown in this country. It is a question whether it will exceed that of 1882, which was phenomenally large. Our growing corn crop also promises to exceed that of any former year fully 500,000,000 of bushels. A large corn crop insures cheap meats, as it is the food of hogs and cattle as well as man. Our cotton crop also at present writing promises to be as large as any ever grown; but, then, crops are everywhere abundant in Europe, Asia, and Africa, as well as America. Nature has been prodigal of her gifts, corn, meat, cotton wool, of everything in short that supplies food and clothing for mankind; yet, the fact remains that business is depressed the world over; trade is slack; failures are numerous, and all who buy or sell complain of dull times, small profits, or no profits at all. "We have produced too much," says one school of economists; but how can that be with the world full of empty stomachs and bare backs? The vast mass of mankind have never had quite enough to eat and wear, no matter how bountiful the crops. The trouble seems to be want of money, and hence under-consumption, not overproduction, is the real complaint. There cannot be too much cotton and wool; but the chronic complaint of mankind is the lack of means wherewith to purchase the necessities of life. The children of men are happy, not when food and clothing are plentiful but when they are making money so that they can purchase what they need; hence trade is stimulated when there are new gold and silver discoveries and when paper money is being omitted by the government.

The blight on the trade of the world today is because of the adoption of the gold unit of value by the commercial nations. Silver, the money of the great mass of mankind, and with which all retail trade everywhere is transacted, is being discredited by the civilized world, and consequently there is less money with which to purchase goods and keep the wheels of commerce moving. Big crops will do us little good until bi-metalism is re-established.—From Demorest's Monthly for September.

A Political Duty. Resolved, That we call the attention of the democrat and greenback parties to the shameful and ignominious position in which the greedy office seekers who control those organizations have placed them. The direct vote to good government never proposed a scheme more destructive of political virtue and prejudicial to the people's interest than the open bargain and sale arrangement made by these fusionists for the mere purpose of political spoils. No reform in existing abuses of government can take place if we put our state in the control of men who trade their votes before election. They will cheat the people after and cannot be trusted to bring about the

backers and democrats should vote the prohibition ticket but no considerate and conscientious prohibitionist can fail to see in it a powerful reason why he should cast his ballot for the republican candidates. The resolution says: "The direct vote to good government never proposed a scheme more destructive of political virtue and prejudicial to the people's interest than the open bargain and sale arrangement made by these fusionists for the mere purpose of political spoils." Now, what is the manifest duty of the conscientious voter? Could he discharge his obvious duty by remaining away from the polls and permitting the success of the bargain by allowing the parties to the fusion to win the victory and secure the spoil? Plainly he could not. Can he discharge his duty by so casting his ballot that it will not count against the fusionists? Clearly he cannot. A voter who accepts the resolution as a statement of a truth must feel bound by a good conscience to cast his vote so that it will surely count in defeating this fusion scheme, than which none has ever been proposed more destructive of political virtue and prejudicial to the people's interest. The resolution goes on to say: "No reform in existing abuses of government can take place if we put our state in the control of men who trade their votes before election." The resolution presents the strongest possible considerations that can be urged upon patriotic and conscientious citizens to put their votes where they will the most surely accomplish the rebuke and overthrow of the corrupt combination between the democratic and greenback leaders.—Bay C. Tribune.

Essays on Plumbing. During the recent intermission in the plumbing business in the East the men made good use of their time writing essays. While these essays do not throw light on all the mysteries with which the craft is clothed, they are nevertheless instructive to a certain degree. A Boston man, after opening out with the rather ambiguous statement that the plumber's labors "go hand in hand with the work of the skilled physician," goes on later to say that the plumber is at a disadvantage often in the estimation of the public because his work, being buried out of sight, is unappreciated. It is not clear that the writer means this as another point of intimate relations between his trade and the medical profession, but he adds: "It is a misfortune that the plumber is sometimes compelled to render a large bill for which there is little in sight to show." Certainly the same could be said of the physician, and the public would indorse the statement in both cases. This essay is evidently written by a practical man who has the interests of the business at heart, but is perhaps of a too credulous disposition, as shown by his matter of fact remark that "it is a happy circumstance that architects are turning their attention to the subject of house-sanitation." We believe he is mistaken about this. The latest reports from all the building inspectors in the country are against him, and a Cincinnati plumber declares that the "modern improvements in the art of sanitation are due to the labors and experience of a long-suffering plumber rather than to the intellectual efforts of the artistic and skilled architect." He wants the plumber awarded the chief place in the procession of the onward march of sanitary science. At all events he wants the relations with the architect, the builder and the doctor clearly defined so that each will have to bear his own share of the "burdens." He states positively that it has been customary for the architects to plan houses, arranging all the sinks, closets and drains "according to his fancy without reference to sanitary correctness." The specifications for plumbers' materials refer mainly to the plumbing to the lowest bidder, who, in order to save himself, puts his whole mind on the arts of substitution and how not to do things. The chief sufferer then is the confiding owner, who finds his costly dwelling "little better than a whitened sepulchre." The essayist declares that this house owner will be fortunate if the doctors do not get that part of his fortune which remained after the plumbing was paid for. "It is demonstrated," he continues, "that twenty per cent. of the houses are re-plumbed annually, and the reason is that the plumber has too long permitted himself to occupy the position of the humble mechanic, asking leave to carry out the designs of his superiors as cheaply and slowly as possible, and expected to submissively grin at the abuse heaped upon himself." He advocates a higher education for plumbers and would have a master plumber on every Board of Health. Then he promises that proper drainage shall carry away all noxious elements and "our friends, the doctors, may stand by and approve."—St. Louis Republican.

DETROIT & CLEVELAND. Steam Navigation Company's Steamers "City of Detroit"—Northwest between Cleveland and Detroit.—Leave from foot of Third St. Detroit at 10 p. m.—Leave from 23 River St. Cleveland at 8:30 p. m. THE \$2.25 ROUTE. Week days—Standard Time. THE \$3.00 ROUTE. City of Mackinac—City of Cleveland Leave from foot of Wayne St. Detroit, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 A. M. Mondays and Saturdays at 10 P. M. For Marine City St. Clair Port Huron Sand Beach Oscoda Alpena Harrisville Cheboygan St. Ignace and PICTURESQUE MACKINAC. Folders free—Or send 25 cents for our illustrated book of 120 pages. A LAKE TOUR TO PICTURESQUE MACKINAC historical and descriptive of this Great Historic Summer Resort and Sanitarium.

WIDE AWAKE!

Our trade has increased 50 per cent since last fall and is growing rapidly.

The only reason for this is we are wide awake and keep up with the growth of the country. We buy goods at bottom prices and sell them at a reasonable advance, accommodating all customers in a business-like way.

Our Stock is large, well selected, and fresh, and comprises a very extensive line of all classes of Goods needed by the citizens of Tawas and vicinity.

There is no better place on the shore to purchase provisions of all kinds, Wearing apparel, House-keeping articles of every description Flour Feed and Grain than at our Store.

We offer the best flour for the money ever sold in this vicinity.

We have the best make of cooking or heating Stoves in the market, and have exclusive sale for them in this town. In short we do not exaggerate in the least when we say that we have the facilities and are prepared to feed, cloth and keep warm more people for less money than any other establishment in the Tawas.

Drop in and see us and leave an order for a Garland Stove, and three or four tons of coal, we can bill your order for either or both at extremely low prices.

Our prices on Sugars have been very popular and we see new faces every day, and we find that our customers are not keeping a good thing to themselves but tell their friends and neighbors.

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Town Lots for Sale. The undersigned has for sale thirty-six (36) building lots, located in blocks 40 and 41, in the village of Tawas City, which he will sell on reasonable terms; said lots have good soil, and are adjacent to the proposed new depot grounds. Parties desirous of purchasing would do well to apply to WILLIAM KENNEDY, Tawas City.

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Arundell, Metropolis, Captain John Stewart, [Captain John Robertson,

Leave Bay City daily [Sunday excepted] at 1:30 p. m. [City time.] upon arrival of trains from Detroit, Port Huron and the west arriving at Tawas at 6 p. m., Alpena 2 a. m. Leave Alpena 6 a. m., Tawas 12 noon, arriving at Bay City at 4:30 p. m.

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FACTS AND FIGURES.

California is at present producing not far from \$13,000,000 of gold and silver bullion annually.—San Francisco Call.

Three of New York's leading life insurance companies have written \$450,000,000 of new insurance the past year.—N. Y. Tribune.

The Niagara Suspension Bridge is 2,260 feet long, that at Kief, Russia, is 2,562 feet, and that between New York and Brooklyn 5,980 feet.—Buffalo Express.

Thirty-three thousand deaths from diphtheria occurred in the province of Kharkof, the southern part of European Russia, between the years of 1871 and 1882.

Over 34,000 of the 4,440,822 pieces of mail matter that were sent to the Dead-Letter Office last year contained checks, money, etc., to the amount of about \$1,030,000.—Washington Star.

The State of New York gave its paupers \$2,753,175.17 in 1883, of which New York and Brooklyn paid \$1,256,495.37. The whole number of the relieved was 135,154, of whom 43,000 in round numbers were natives and 44,000 Irish and 16,000 German.—N. Y. Times.

Some Indian tribes have always been under the protection of the United States, and the number has steadily increased with the progress of industry westward. The total expenditure for the maintenance of these tribes from 1789 to 1882 amounted to \$203,409,443.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

There were thirty-three failures in 1883, with liabilities of half a million or more each. St. Louis contributed one to this roll of distinction, C. Conrad & Co., with liabilities of \$636,000. Boston heads the list, New York follows a good second, and Chicago is third. The aggregate liabilities reported for the whole thirty-three failures is \$37,300,000, or an average of \$1,330,000 for each failure.—N. Y. Herald.

Consul Baker, who is stationed at Buenos Ayres, is much impressed with the possibilities of the Argentine Republic in the wheat-producing line. He estimates the wheat crop of this year at 19,500,000 bushels, more than half of which will be surplus for export. He says that the surplus corn will amount to 5,000,000 bushels. As yet there are less than 2,000,000 acres under cultivation out of 800,000,000, the rest being used for grazing cattle and sheep.

The last census reveals the encouraging fact that the proportion of the blind to the population has decreased with each successive enumeration since 1851, in which year account of them was taken for the first time. The decrease in the decade ended in 1881 was much greater than in either of the preceding decennial intervals, the number of cases returned on this latter occasion being 22,832, being equal to one blind person in every 1,133.—Detroit Post.

Statistics show that Tennessee has at least 800,000 dogs. The food for each dog would raise one hundred pounds of bacon, which would be 30,000,000 pounds of bacon. This at ten cents per pound, would be worth \$3,000,000. This is not all. These dogs probably destroy 50,000 sheep, worth two dollars per head, and they prevent the raising of \$1,000,000 worth of wool and mutton that otherwise would be raised. Thus it costs more than \$4,000,000 to feed these worthless dogs. The food of these dogs would feed 100,000 able-bodied laborers, and the wool lost would clothe 1,500,000 people.—Chicago Times.

It is not the rage to go to sea on our experience which convinces us.

He that judges, without informing himself to the utmost that he is capable, can not acquit himself of judging amiss.—Locke.

A little fellow of five, with his first boots on, being told that the baby wanted to kiss him, replied: "Yes, he takes me for his papa!"

Lord Lytton spoke wisely when he said that the stomach is the seat of memory, for a man is not likely to forget that he's hungry.

Fogg complains that he got nothing by complaining to his landlord. It was like putting a new piece of cloth into an old garment. The rent was made worse.—Boston Transcript.

Honest and courageous people have very little to say about either their courage or their honesty. The sun has no need to boast of his brightness, nor the moon of her effulgence.—Hosea Ballou.

There is something exquisitely cool in a Yankee's reply to the European traveler, when he asked him if he had just crossed the Alps: "Wall, now you call my attention to the fact, I guess I did pass risin' ground."

"Papa's Home To-night" is the title of a new song. So the old man has yielded at last. Let's see—it must be about fifteen years since they began to coax him with "Father, Dear Father, Come Home."—Chicago Herald.

"Miss Gimps" said a lady to another during a recent call, "why don't you join the daughters of temperance?" "Cause." "Cause why?" "Why—why—why" was the blushing reply. "I intend joining one of the sons in a month."—Chicago Tribune.

The counterfeiting trade has been dull during the year, the only dangerous piece being a silver dollar. It is when the \$1,000 bill is successfully counterfeited that the newspaper man suffers.—Oil City Derrick. Yes, it is then he suffers the want of it.—Scissors.

More deaf than formerly.—Little girl—"Papa, did mamma say yes to you right off when you asked her to marry you?" Papa—"Certainly she did." L. G.—"Why don't she say yes now just as quick when you ask her to do things?" Papa—"Mamma's hearing is not so good now, darling—that's all."—Philadelphia Call.

"I have more trouble than any living man, or dead one, for that matter."

SOCIETIES.

IOSCO LODGE NO. 841, I. O. O. F.—Regular meetings held every Wednesday evening at their hall.

TAWAS CITY LODGE, NO. 392, F. & A. M.—Regular communication held at Masonic Hall, on Thursday evening or preceding the full of the moon in each month.

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DRAIN NOTICE.

To the Drain Commission in and for the township of Sherman, county of Iosco, State of Michigan, we the undersigned free holders of the township of Sherman, do hereby make application to you to clean out a ditch commencing about 10 rods below the section line east on section 23 running south a distance of 90 rods more or less into the east branch of the Augier river.

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. McWhorter and Jane McWhorter, his wife, of the township of Baldwin, Iosco county, Michigan, mortgaged 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 August, 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 fifty 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 the statutes in such case made 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, thence running southwesterly along the northwesterly side of River street, sixteen (16) rods, thence fifty nine (59) degrees west to Tawaser, 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 by date of sale, and costs and charges allowed by law, together with an 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.

Commissioners Notice. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF IOSCO—Probate Court for said County.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that we will meet on Thursday, the ninth day of October, A. D. 1884, and on Friday, the sixth day of March, A. D. 1885, at 10 o'clock a. m. of each day, at the Court House in the town of Tawas in said county, to receive and adjudge claims.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage, bearing date the 26th day of March, A. D. 1883, executed by Lucy A. Bristol of East Tawas, Iosco County, Michigan, mortgagor to Andrew Blust of the Township of Tawas County and State of Michigan, mortgagee, 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 205, 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 the statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the lands and premises therein described, as follows, to wit: 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 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 by date of sale, and costs and charges allowed by law, together with an attorney fee. Said sale will be by public auction to the highest bidder on Saturday, the 27th 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.

HENRY A. GOODALE, Mortgagor; SIBLEY G. TAYLOR, Attorney for Mortgagor.

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Railroad Directory.

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Table with columns: Leave, Arrive, Station names (Mackinaw, Grayling, Mackinac, etc.)

DETROIT AND BAY CITY DIVISION. Going South.

Table with columns: Leave, Arrive, Station names (Detroit, Bay City, Lapeer, etc.)

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Table with columns: Leave, Arrive, Station names (Jackson, Bay City, Saginaw, etc.)

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but his suddenness prevented him from being present. In the following year, the daughter being suddenly struck, when at Versailles, by a mortal sickness, supposed to have been the effect of poison administered by the creatures of her reprobate husband, cried out in her agonies that Bossuet should be instantly sent for and brought to her bedside. While couriers were dispatched in hot haste to fetch him from Paris she made her confession and received the last sacraments, much distressed, it is said, by the "inflexible severity" of the priest in attendance, and anxiously watching the door for Bossuet's arrival. It was past midnight when he came, and she immediately exhaled from him a promise that he would not leave her as long as she breathed. With the crucifix in his clasped hands on which the Queen-mother, Anne of Austria, not long before had breathed her dying kiss, he threw himself on his knees by the bedside; and as the life of the ill-fated Princess rapidly ebbed away he wept and prayed with her, with words so full of consolation and faith that the people of the Court, who as usual crowded the chamber, were melted into passionate tears by the scene. Within an hour of her death, whispering in English that Bossuet might not understand, she desired that a superb emerald and diamond ring she wore should be given to him as a memorial when all was over. She expired at three a. m., only nine hours after the seizure, and the ring with the message was immediately conveyed by Mme. La Fayette to the King, who sent for Bossuet, placed the jewel on his finger, and charged him to wear it always, and to preach the Princess' funeral discourse. As soon as the incident got wind Bossuet was congratulated by the courtiers, who at the same time expressed a regret that the proprieties of the pulpit would scarcely admit of his mentioning a circumstance so honorable both to the departed Princess and to himself. "Why not?" was his reply; which, flying from lip to lip, excited an eager curiosity to see how the great orator would carry out his implied intention. It was not till near the end of the discourse that their curiosity was gratified, and it was in a way that took them by surprise. Among the virtues of the departed, Bossuet found occasion to commemorate not only her liberality, but the pleasing grace with which she enhanced the value of her gifts. "This art of giving gracefully," he added, "which she so well practiced in life, accompanied her—I know it—into the very arms of death." Those three words "Je le sais," pronounced with a sudden emphasis and a gesture of the hand sparkling with the well-known jewel, electrified the brilliant audience, which was as much moved by admiration of the orator's address in dealing with so delicate a matter, as it had been previously thrilled by his pathos in depicting the consternation of that night of horror, when the precepts of the Court rang with the terrible cry: "Madame is dying—Madame is dead!"—*Quarterly Review.*

The Power of Memory.

Most wonderful is the number of remembrances to be found in every human mind, their variety and correctness; their removal from consciousness when they are not wanted, and their return again and again when they are wanted; the facility with which they are recalled, and their opportune recurrence when they are sought for. We need not look to extraordinary instances; the memory of every child, duly considered, is astonishing. Some thousands of objects are remembered; persons, with their names and characters; events, with their times and places; things, with their various qualities; words, with their proper signification. These are remembered after months and years; they are brought back with little effort and often come of themselves just as needed. The remembrances of most persons go back to the years and lessons of childhood, and include what has been witnessed in many hundred scenes, heard from many hundred persons, read in many hundred books. Much is forgotten, but much is remembered; and more might be remembered, and recalled more readily and correctly, if the laws of memory were promptly known and used.

The power of memory is increased by exercise. It is generally stronger in youth than in old age. There is much difference in the beginning of life in natural ability, some remembering everything more easily than others. The three most desirable qualities of memory are—faculty, retentiveness and readiness; and all these are improved by practice. The first and second depend much on the attention given to what is to be remembered; the third on the number, variety and arrangement of the associations by which it may be recalled. There are minds on which most impressions are so slight that they are soon forgotten. Others who have learned and retained much, do not remember things at the right time. Few have memories so quick, retentive and ready as not to need some special culture, and there are none whose memories may not be improved by attending to what is most important, and forming associations to aid recollection. Artificial memory is the use of arbitrary arrangements to aid in recalling dates, words and facts which have no natural connection. They are found easily, when distributed in various localities on a page or a wall. Such connections are occasionally of use for time; but natural connections are more lasting, and are on every account to be preferred when attainable. There seem to be some varieties of memories—a special aptitude for remembering words, or numbers, or facts, or arguments, or voices, or faces. There is some difference in natural perceptibility; but most of the differences in memory are to be attributed to the degree of attention given to various objects, and to habits of observing and thinking.—*Prof. Gobelin.*

Thirty thousand patents were is

The New York City has 7,926 butchers, bakers, and grocers; there are 10,000 liquor dealers.—*N. Y. News.*

The taxable valuation of Connecticut is \$348,774,879, an increase of \$6,532,813 over last year.—*Hartford Post.*

The reduction of silver ores and other metallurgic operations on the Pacific Coast require the use of 2,000 to 3,000 tons of salt per year.

The average ocean steamer burns about 100 tons of coal a day. The largest steamers—the Greyhounds—burn nearly 200 tons.—*N. Y. Sun.*

In Dakota the farmers are plowing by steam at a cost of less than one dollar an acre. The motor is a very broad-wheel traction engine.—*Chicago Herald.*

Last year about 190,000 head of cattle were shipped east over the Union Pacific and Northern Pacific railroads. During the present summer the number that will be sent forward is estimated at 200,000.

The recent report of the National Board of Fire Underwriters shows that no fewer than 2,872 hotels in the United States have been destroyed by fire during the past eight years, an average of 359 yearly.

The phosphate beds in the Bear Creek hills of Autauga County, Ala., are of great value in the manufacture of sulphuric acid. These beds yield 500 or 600 tons of phosphates to the acre.—*Chicago Journal.*

Mr. George M. Pullman states that there are in this country 190 railway Directors' private palace cars, which cost \$2,500,000, and which he pronounces wholly unnecessary; but the Directors think differently.—*Chicago Journal.*

The recent Papal encyclical against the Freemasons is aimed at no less than 138,065 lodges throughout the world, with 14,160,594 members, whose annual receipts are estimated to amount to about \$890,000,000, of which sum fully two-thirds are expended in charities.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

The power developed by the explosion of a ton of dynamite is equal to 45,665 tons raised one foot, or 45,665 foot-tons. One ton of nitro-glycerine similarly exploded will exert a power of 65,452 tons, and one pound of blasting-gelatin similarly exploded, 71,050 tons.

The Kamschatkans are in danger of becoming extinct. Kamschatka proper is a district larger than the whole of France. It once had a population of about 50,000, but in 1880 the total had fallen to 6,200. Shooting and fishing are the chief occupations, and fish the chief, if not the only, food. The average annual income rarely exceeds \$5, for which forty pounds of flour could not be bought. The mortality of the country is great.

WIT AND WISDOM.

If a woman loses her voice driving out chickens could she be called a blacksmith? She certainly would be a hoarse-shoer.

By struggling with misfortunes we are sure to receive some wounds in the conflict; but a sure method to come off victorious is by running away.—*Goldsmith.*

Mr. William Doodle—"Yes, Miss Frost, I always wear gloves at night; they make one's hands so nice and soft." Miss Frost—"Ah! and do you sleep with your hat on?"—*Chicago Tribune.*

There are two things, each of which he will seldom fail to discover who seeks for it in earnest; the knowledge of what he ought to do, and a plausible pretext to do what he likes.—*Baptist Weekly.*

Pug dogs are made of laziness, snappishness and peevishness," says a writer. This is shameful. When they begin adulterating little pug dogs it is time for the law to interfere.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

They chopped down one of the big trees of Mariposa, Cal., a few days ago, the rings of which betokened its age to be 4,300 years, and imbedded in the heart of the monarch of the forest was found a joke about house-cleaning and a man falling down stairs on a piece of soap.—*Chicago Times.*

The Boston girl is compelled to suffer many criticisms from the illiterate Western journalist on account of her superior culture. One of them recently wrote that the young lady is "so awfully cultured that she won't call it the 'sweet by-and-by.'" She calls it the "sugared subsequently."—*Boston Transcript.*

A correspondent writes: Will you please inform me when straw hats can be worn without exciting comment? Certainly. Straw hats can be worn without exciting comment when worn on the head. But when they are worn caving along the street in a gale of wind you must expect a remark or two.—*Philadelphia Call.*

At Augusta, Ga., the other day lightning struck a hen that was sitting on a nest of eggs. When that thunder-bolt got out of the hen-house it looked as though it had been drawn through a sausage machine, and the way it scooted for a cloud was a caution. Bet you it'll never strike a setting hen again.—*Burlington Free Press.*

Wisdom dwells in blue skies and broad sunshine, and the wide hills and the infinite waters; in peace of mind and freedom, and the worship of earth. He is poverty-stricken who is absorbed in the one little enclosure of which he holds the title deeds that he loses his grasp on the bending universe.—*Gail Hamilton.*

One fellow was from Wilcox and the other resides in this county. The Wilcox man said: "After our cyclone, a year or two ago, a large number of birds and chickens were found from which every feather had been stripped by the terrible wind; in fact, they were peeled as slick as an onion, but the fowls were still alive and kicking." "Oh, that's nothing," exclaimed the Pulaski man. "One of my neighbors had his well blown so crooked by the

To the Electors of Iosco County, Michigan:

Sir:—You are hereby notified that at the general election to be held in this State, on Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November next, the following officers are to be elected, viz: Thirteen electors of President and Vice President of the United States; a Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, State Treasurer, Auditor General, Commissioner of the State Land Office, Attorney General, and Superintendent of Public Instruction; also a member of the State Board of Education in place of George F. Edwards, whose term of office will expire December 31, 1884; also a Representative in Congress for the Twelfth Congressional District of this State, in which your county belongs; also a Senator for the Twenty-ninth Senatorial District, consisting of the county of Iosco; also a Representative to the State Legislature for Iosco district, to whom your county belongs.

You are also hereby notified that at said election the following proposed amendments to the Constitution of this State will be submitted to the people of this State for their adoption or rejection, viz:

An amendment to section 6, article 6, relative to Circuit Courts, provided for by Joint Resolution No. 15, laws of 1883.

SECTION 6.—The State shall be divided into judicial circuits, in each of which the electors thereof shall elect one circuit judge, who shall hold his office for the term of six years, and until his successor is elected and qualified. The Legislature may provide for the election of more than one circuit judge in the judicial circuit in which the city of Detroit is or may be situated; and the circuit judge or judges of said circuit, in addition to the salary provided by the Constitution, shall receive from said county of Wayne such additional salary, as may, from time to time, be fixed and determined by the board of supervisors of such county; and the board of supervisors of such county in the Upper Peninsula is hereby authorized and empowered to give any pay to the circuit judge of the judicial circuit in which such county is situated, such additional salary or compensation, as may from time to time be fixed and determined by such board of supervisors.

An amendment to section 13, article 4, relative to the compensation of members of the Legislature, and to prohibit the use of passes or free tickets on railroads, provided for by Joint Resolution No. 43, laws of 1883.

SECTION 13.—The compensation of the members of the Legislature shall be a salary of seven hundred dollars for each regular session, and at such regular session they may legislate upon such subjects as are submitted to them by special message of the Governor, after the expiration of the fifty days of the session limited for the introduction of bills; when convened in extra session their compensation shall be a salary of one hundred dollars, and they shall receive no other subjects than those expressly stated in the Governor's proclamation, or submitted to them by special message. They shall be entitled to ten cents and no more for every mile actually traveled in going to and returning from the place of meeting on the usually traveled route. Each member shall be entitled to one copy of the laws passed and documents of the Legislature of which he was a member, but shall not receive at the expense of the State, books, newspapers, or other perquisites of office, or any other perquisite or compensation not expressly authorized by this constitution; and no member of the Legislature shall accept or use any free pass or free ticket on any railroad during his term of office.

You are hereby further notified that at the said General Election, the following county officers are to be elected, viz: A Sheriff, a Clerk, Register of Deeds, a Treasurer, Prosecuting Attorney, Judge of Probate, Circuit Court Commissioner, Surveyor and two Coroners.

Given under my hand at the Court House in Tawas City, this 25th day of August, 1884.

CLARK ESQOND,
Sheriff of Iosco County, Michigan.

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Hear Ye! Hear Ye!! Hear Ye!!!

J. Dimmick at his Mammoth Store, East Tawas, will on Tuesday July the 1st offer the following inducements to all Cash Customers [viz] all Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Lamps, Crockery and Glassware, and Gentlemen's furnishing Goods, will be offered and sold to all

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Customers at a reduction of 20 per cent or in other words eighty cents will buy a dollars worth of Goods at the regular marked prices. This sale will continue for sixty days only and no Goods in the above mentioned Lines will be added to my stock during this sale. Be it remembered that

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before the delivery of Goods. All Goods sold on book account will be charged regular prices. The above mentioned line of Goods are full [in fact to full, that's what's the matter] and embrace exceeding desirable Goods. The

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DRY GOODS

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Bay City Market.	Tawas City Markets.
July 30, 1884	The following are the prices paid for grain and produce in this market. Corrected weekly by Hamilton & Bryant Tawas City, July 30, 1884
WHEAT—No 1 white, 1@105c.	Flour 4 bbl \$4 75@ 6 10
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 85; Pearl Dust, \$5 25; Winter Rye, \$4 50; Stiff & Soft \$5 50; New York buckwheat, \$6 00.	Wheat 4 bushel 100@ 110
Bran—Firm at \$18 00 per ton.	Oats 48@ 50
Baled Hay—\$12 00 per ton.	Corn 75
Beans—Firm at \$1 75@2 60 per bush.	Peas 1 00@ 1 15
Butter—Tub 18@20c; roll 27c.	Potatoes 1 40
Potatoes—45@50.	Butter 4 lb 20
Provisions—Mess pork firm at \$18 family do. \$18 25; refined lard in tierces, 94c per lb; clear sides 103c; hams 14c; shoulders 93c.	Eggs 7 dozen 18
Cheese—Choice new at 15c per lb.	Salt Pork 4 lb 10
Dried Apples—Firm 7@8c.	Hay 4 ton 11 00@12 00
Eggs—Fresh 17c per doz.	Feed 4 ton 26 00
Feed—Corn and oats firm at \$24 00 per ton; cooked feed \$23 per ton.	Wool 25
Fresh Meats—Dressed hogs, \$8 25 per cwt; beef, \$9 00-9 25 per cwt; veal, \$8 00-8 50; mutton, \$8 50-9 00; lamb 85c.	Clover seed, prime 8 00
Corn—58@60c.	
Middlings—Firm at \$23 per ton.	
Oats—Firm; new mixed 42c; white, 44c.	
Sugar—Granulated is being billed out at 76c; standard A brands at 78c. Yellow sugars range from 64c 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, 14c; all	

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