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WHITE WINGS.

The Tawas Yacht Races a Decided Success.

The yacht race given on Tawas Bay on the 4th and 5th inst. were a grand success in every particular. and if fine weather, full entries, a good course and well pleased yachtsmen make a successful race, the people who got up the races and conducted the affair can rest assured that they have nothing to regret.

Friday was spent by most of the boats in going over the course, rigging out and getting ready for the race, and on Saturday at 2 p. m. all were ready for the starting gun. The races were over a triangular course ten miles long, starting and finishing in front of the commercial dock in East Tawas, and the last leg being along the shore for three miles past Tawas City and East Tawas, and extending up into the Bay opposite the Summer Resort of the D. & M. Ry. Co.

The starting gun was fired twenty minutes after the preparatory gun and all had five minutes to get over the line. The following boats competed in Saturday's race,—viz: The Willie, Banner, Comrade, Vim, Cassaline from Bay City, Vision from Saginaw, Jack and Idlewild from Alpena, Morning Star, Comanche, Walter A. and Evening Star from Tawas.

An allowance of 2 seconds per foot per mile was allowed for the smaller boats, making 20 seconds over the course. The Comanche from Tawas being the largest boat on the water line being figured as a base, she being 38 feet 9 inches and the smallest boat being the Evening Star of 18 feet.

At the second gun fire all went off in the one two three order the Willie and Vim being first over, on the first leg to the buoy in the Bay, a raft was encountered which threw out the first boats they having to tack around it while the rear boats seeing the trouble headed by and made the buoy without the tack, and at the Can buoy, 5 miles of the course, the Cassaline from Bay City being ahead and the Comanche second, the race from here in being very exciting. Gradually the Comanche overhauled the Cassaline, and at last buoy had a fair lead of about a minute and on the home stretch, came in an easy winner by four minutes.

The wind was quite light but very steady allowing the carrying of light sails.

The Cassaline took second prize of \$15 and the Jack of Alpena third of \$10, and the Willie fourth, of \$5.

The Comanche allowed the Cassaline 1 m. 55 s., the Jack 4 m. 58 s., and Willie 2 m. 38 s. The following is the time of the first seven boats, finishing the race.

	Actual Time.	Corrected Time.
Comanche	1:46:55	1:46:55
Cassaline	1:51:19	1:49:24
Jack	1:54:24	1:50:43
Willie	1:56:05	1:50:43
Vision	2:07:40	2:01:30
Vim	2:08:57	2:04:17
Banner	2:07:30	2:05:46

Sunday was the big day, two excursions from Alpena and Bay City coming into town and bring a large crowd of people, and the docks and shores were lined with people to see the races.

At the gun fire, the Comanche swept over the line almost before the smoke had cleared away, and with a hard, fresh breeze, showed the way over the course to the stake off the summer resort, thence around to the Can Buoy. Here the Cassaline and the Vision by keeping nearer to the shoals off Tawas Point had smoother water and were able to lay a closer

course, and at the Can Buoy all three boats came together the last two having a little the best of it, while the Comanche held the other tack; and just as the buoy was reached the Comanche parted her throat halliards, which were old, having been rigged in a hurry to prepare her for the race, she having just come off the ways. This necessitated the dropping of the mainsail and sending a man aloft to reave a new hiliard, taking up 25 minutes of time, in which the entire fleet of ten yachts passed her, before she again got under sail. From the can buoy to the third stake the Vision, Cassaline and Willie were neck and neck, with the Jack, the old Banner and the Vim close up, with the flying spray, snow-white sails, and bellying balloon sails which each boat cracked on with a free sheet, it was a pretty sight and well repaid all who come to see the race, as well as those who put up the money and took the trouble to make the races a success.

The Vision turned the last stake a few yards in the lead, followed by the Cassaline, Willie and Vim, and at this time took place the only unfair feature of the race, as claimed by the Willie, Vim and Cassaline. They claim that after turning and laying out for the home stretch, the Vision, kept crossing and zigzagging on the course to keep the other boats from passing her. It is to be hoped this is not true. But at any rate, the Cassaline, as soon as before the wind clapped on a balloon jib and in a few minutes was ahead, and rushed across the line two minutes over her time allowance, the Willie second and the Vision third, the Old Banner fourth and the Walter A. of Tawas fifth, the rest being strung out behind, the Comanche bringing up the rear.

The Cassaline thus wins the first heat for the D. & M. silver championship cup, valued at \$100, and will be entitled to its custody until the next race. The Willie won the second prize of the yacht's compass presented by Mayor Murphy of Tawas City, the Vision \$5.00 cash, the Banner \$4.00 cash, and the Walter A. \$2.00 cash. In this race the judges furnished the following time:

Cassaline,	1:32:32.
Willie,	1:34:05.
Vision,	1:35:30.
Banner,	1:39:30.
Walter A.	1:42:33.

The honors therefore belong to West Bay City, as they carry away the two trophy prizes of cup and compass and three money prizes aggregating \$24, Saginaw one prize of \$5 and Alpena one prize of \$10 and Tawas one prize of \$25 and East Tawas prize of \$2.

There were four prizes in the first race, all money, \$25, \$15, \$10, and \$5. The second race had five prizes, the Cup, Compass, \$5, \$4, and \$2.

Under the system all boats had a chance, and only the slowest got no prize; some twelve yachts competed altogether, and it must be confessed the yachtsmen of Saginaw Bay must build faster boats if they wish to keep the prizes away from the fish boats, as they certainly took the prizes this year.

The Cassaline is a brand new fish boat of 32 feet keel, just launched by Mr. Beutel of West Bay City, and on her first trip, newly rigged, and next year with canvas stretched and fitted, will do much better than this year, yet, with a fresh wind and choppy sea, she sailed like a clipper.

There was wind to suit them all. The first day was light, fair and steady, the second day, strong, fresh, steady and with some sea, so that the yachts proper had all they could do to lug their whole sail.

The main thing is that all yachtsmen who participated were well pleased, and desire to come again; the weather was all that could be desired, and all agree that Tawas Bay is the ideal place for a yacht race.

The Railroad Company exerted themselves to make it a success in every way, and will do so next year, and this winter will on the ice lay out a larger and more exact course, so that next summer it may be stacked out with precision, and the people of Tawas stand ready to treat visiting yachtsmen always as well or better than they did this time.

It is now in order for the cup to be placed in the hands of a club or responsible party to hold until the next leg is sailed, and it will probably be in Bay City during the coming winter months.

Teachers' Institute.

At Oscoda last week was held the, Oscoda County Teachers' Institute Mr. W. N. Ferris, of Big Rapids, whom many of our readers heard lecture in East Tawas last winter, was conductor, with Commissioner Stephenson as assistant. Fifty-eight teachers and would-be ones enrolled. Nearly all the active teachers of the county were there and it was a success in all ways. Mr. Ferris is a fine conductor, and all teachers speak well of the work done. It was intensely practical, many cobwebs being removed during the week. If our schools are not better this year, it will not be the fault of the Institute.

State Superintendent Hammond was unable to be there on account of important business. From Tawas City there were the following teachers present:—Eva Drake, Mabel Bannan, Minnie Shippy, Maud Shippy, Tresa Shaver, Laura Goldie, Anna Kehoe, Wm. Kehoe, May Crandall, Ida Redhead, Clara McElhinney and Mary Mc Casey. East Tawas had nine, AuSable nineteen, Oscoda twelve, Whittemore four, Alabaster one, (Celia Martin) and Bad Axe one.

It looks as if the most of the education was in the south end of the county from this list, as it meant more for our teachers to attend this meeting than it would those of the upper end of the county. Nearly all of our teachers paid board and rail road fare.

On Tuesday evening Mr. Ferris gave his lecture, "Making the World Better," in the Wigwam, and on Thursday evening Commissioner Stephenson spoke on "Educational Ideas," for an hour, and was followed by Mr. Ferris in "Success." The work of both evenings was much enjoyed by the large audiences who heard it.

Mr. Ferris commended the teachers for their promptness and interest in all exercises. He said it was one of the very best small institutes he had attended during his twelve years experience in the work. The teachers were very prompt and they deserved the praise they received.

There are fifty-one actual teachers in the county. Of this number eighteen took work in training schools during the past summer. That means over thirty-five per cent. of our of our teachers. Where is the county that can show a better record?

The institute did good work in methods and undoubtedly it will show its value ere the year closes. Let the Teacher's use what they got here and we will lead the state.

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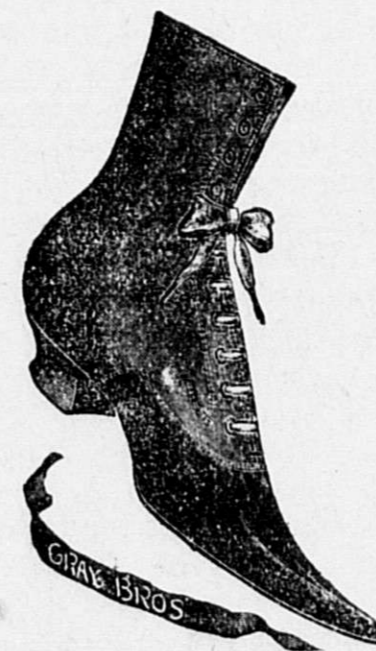
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WASHINGTON LETTER.

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Such a hubbub has been raised about the construction that should be placed upon section 22 of the Dingley tariff law, imposing discriminating duties, which was amended by the conference committee in a way alleged to be more or less mysterious, and which has been referred to attorney General McKenna for an official opinion, that Mr. McKinley has been asked to return to Washington at the earliest possible date, in order that he and the entire cabinet may take a hand in determining the opinion that shall be given out by the Attorney General. \$30,000,000 a year in revenue is involved in this construction, and a possible demoralization of almost our entire foreign commerce. It is understood that Mr. McKinley has promised to return shortly, but has set no date. Attorney General McKenna, probably thinks it a reflection upon his legal ability to have the public know that this matter is to be discussed by Mr. McKinley and his colleagues of the Cabinet, has made a public denial that the opinion was being held back to await Mr. McKinley's return. All the same, nobody expects the opinion to be rendered until Mr. McKinley returns and approves of it.

A Kentucky democrat - John G. Woods, of Louisville, has put a portion of the administration on pins and needles by bringing a suit against the Postmaster General to prevent his removal, with out cause, from a position in the classified civil service. He obtained a temporary restraining order against his removal, and the hearing was to have taken place Saturday, but the government asked for a continuance of one week, and got it. The case will probably be appealed to the U. S. Supreme Court, no matter how it may be decided.

According to advices just received, Senator Burrows has spent the entire summer in trying to smooth the way for his own return to the Senate, and in placing obstacles in the path of Governor Pingree, who thinks he would fill that Senatorial chair much better than Burrows does, and he is not yet easy in his mind. Pingree has got Burrows where he has got all the other Michigan republicans, afraid of him.

The Civil Service Commission has received such an avalanche of correspondence from the army of would be recruits for Uncle Sam's Civil Service, concerning offers made to furnish information, for a fee, by private parties, that it has issued a circular letter containing the following pointed announcement: "No person has any information of importance to applicants, concerning examinations which cannot be obtained without cost from the Commission. All claims to the contrary, therefore, are misrepresentations."

The receipts of the government for month of August, under the Dingley tariff law, were 6,538,582 less than the receipts for August 1896, under the Wilson tariff law. It may be that the claims of the republicans as to the revenue producing qualities of the Dingley tariff will be realized at sometime in the future, but the above figures show that they are, as yet a long way from being realized.

The republicans are showing how confident they are of carrying Ohio by colonizing voters there from West Virginia and other adjacent states. The democrats are fully aware of what is being done in that line, and

Boss Hanna's henchmen will find it much easier to carry men into Ohio and give them temporary work than it will be to register and vote them.

The Spanish Minister is still keeping the revenue cutters of the U. S. Government busy hunting for Cuba filibusters. He informed Secretary Gage that the filibusters had abandoned Florida as a starting point and were preparing to send several expeditions from the Carolina coast, and Secretary Gage obediently issued an order to the commanders of all revenue cutters in southern waters to keep an extra close watch on the Carolina coast for filibusters. This sort of work must be more or less distinguished to the officers and men in our revenue marine service, but they have no choice in the matter. They must obey the orders of the Secretary of the Treasury, even if those orders are dictated by the Spanish Minister.

Interchangeable Mileage Tickets.

A new form of Thousand-Mile Ticket, the result of careful consideration and discussion between the railroads and their principal patrons, will be placed on sail September 1st, at all important Michigan Central ticket offices. The ticket is sold for \$30.00 with a rebate to the purchaser of \$10. when used up in compliance with its conditions and is accepted on all the lines in the Central Passenger Association, forty-five in number and covering a vast extent of country.

No mileage book has yet been devised so acceptable to all parties concerned and so advantageous to the holder. Every one who is likely to travel a thousand miles in a year should avail themselves of it, and should consult the nearest Michigan Central ticket agent, at Bay City.

Remedies and Delays.

The best remedies are sometimes the cheapest and most easily applied. When the busy farmer is advised to resort to remedies for diseases which require some time so procure and prepare when he cannot afford to do so, he will procrastinate or abandon the attempt. For that reason it is better to suggest something which can be applied immediately and which is conveniently within reach. For instance, nearly all poultry houses will be infested, with lice in summer, and sometimes in the spring. If a few hours of vigorous warfare is given, the vermin may be kept down, but it is frequently the case that the farmer has no time to send for and mix remedies. Now, one of the best things to do, and which can be done in a few moments, is to make an application of boiling water which has been "strengthened" with rock salt (or any kind of salt preferred), and apply with a watering can. The hotter the water applied the better, as it will kill any insect it touches, and the salt will assist in destroying the eggs of lice. Better remedies may then be tried, but never delay with lice.

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A HOT GAME!

Prescott's Sluggers Bite the Dust.

There has been sorrow and mourning in the vicinity of Prescott's store since Monday. The bold challengers for the championship of the base ball arena are repenting and bathing their bruised bodies in arnica and horse liniment, while the Klondikers wear laurels. The two teams met in battle array last Monday afternoon and for three long hours the battle waged hot.

The Sluggers marched onto the field in command of Capt. Ed. Wilcox tied up in a surcingle, Charlie Story served up the curves for this nine while "Snooks" Krum acted as the receiving end of the battery. Fred Marzinski covered first. The handsome form of N. G. McPhee was seen at second, while the Hon. George A. covered third. Little Tommy Garber gamboled around at short stop. Lon Cox chased flies in left field, while Frank Stickney kept things warm in center, and Capt. Ed "held" everything in right field.

The Klondikers under command of their handsome captain, Willie Ramage, lined up as follows: Len Patterson caught Ern. Walker's artistic curves, while Collie Johnson's athletic form covered two feet each side of first base. George Mount, without any shoes, muffed balls at second and the handsome captain looked after third. Stubby Wharton was short stop. Henry Gale appeared like a tall sycamore in left field, and Attorney Jahraus made acrobatic attempts to catch flies in center. Johnnie King looked after right. This was as they started, but many changes were made on both sides before the end.

John Patterson, assisted by a horse pistol and an old army bayonet, umpired the game and no kicking was tolerated. Gale tried it once but retired when introduced to the aforesaid pistol.

The game! Well, the tally boy claims he got all the scores, but no record of the errors was attempted. It would require a man of more genius than we possess to give it a proper "write up."

The Sluggers went to bat first and before the Klondikers succeeded in putting out three men they had eight runs to their credit. The Klondikers could only make six in their half of the first, and Capt. Ed and his men became prime favorites with the ladies. But by the end of the second innings their admirers became less numerous as the score was 12 to 11 in favor of the other fellows, and the poor Sluggers were never again in the front. Capt. Ed, however, proved himself to be something of a slugger and made more runs than any other member of his team. The same honor also went to Handsome Captain Willie, of the Klondikers. Space will not allow us to give full detail of all the brilliant(?) plays. The score by innings was as follows.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Klondikers	6	6	5	1	0	8	4	4	*	34
Sluggers	8	3	1	1	0	4	1	2	9	29

NOTES FROM THE FIELD.

The Senator retired after six innings.

The score card is not on exhibition in Wilcox's window.

The attendance was large, many being present from East Tawas.

Of course Wharton won(?) the game, even if he did stub his toe.

The sluggers worked in a "ringer" or two toward the last but it was too late.

Capt. Ramage out run Senator Prescott in race between third and home.

Jahraus' grand double swing proves him to be an acrobat of no mean ability.

Considerable surprise was expressed when Gale was bluffed out by the umpire's pistol.

J. B. Redhead, who relieved Prescott, in the sixth, showed that he was a foot ball player also.

The air in the vicinity of home base was badly broken up by the efforts of some of the boys to hit the ball.

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LOCAL NEWS.

The Misogynist.

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But if looking for trouble
Ride one that's built double.

And thus to be happy,
Stay single for life;
But if looking for trouble,
Just get you a wife.

—Hardware.

School opened Tuesday.

Circuit court comes next Tuesday.

Den. O'Brien spent a few days this week in Bay City.

Andrew Murphy is seriously ill at his home in this city.

If you are in arrears please call and settle up your subscription.

Miss McDougal of Alpena, was the guest of Miss Nellie Brabon Sunday.

J.B. Redhead and Nick Ramage left yesterday on a prospecting tour.

Mrs. J. H. Botz and children are visiting relatives and friends in Ontario.

Lodging rooms to rent at the home of Mrs. S. Cody, Weston street, East Tawas.

E. G. Anschurtz returned last Friday from a six week's trip in the upper peninsula.

C. W. Terry and family, of Minden City, visited Tawas friends during the past week.

Mrs. Luke Murray and children left Monday on a visit with relatives in New York State.

Miss Maggie Murphy commenced the fall term of school in the Syme's district, Wilber, Wednesday.

Miss Maggie McCassey, of Prescott, has been the guest of her cousin Miss Mary McCassey, of this city, during the week.

Road Master Bolan completed the ballasting of the D. & M. roadbed between Emery Junction and this city Wednesday.

The topic for the Christian Science meeting at Lowe's hall, East Tawas, next Sunday morning, is "Practical Godliness."

J. M. Waterbury completed the school census last week and found 504 children of a school age in this district No 7.

Mrs. N. G. McPhee and daughter Belle, arrived home Sunday morning, from an extended visit at Bay City and other points.

Mrs. Frank Whaling and daughter Maud, returned to their home in Kalamazoo Tuesday, after several weeks visit in this city.

The man who rides in one of the "famous blue ribbon line" of buggies, which G. S. Darling has for sale, is the happiest man in town.

James Larmer moved his family to Rose City Tuesday. Jim is brakeman on the Rose City train which lays at that place nights.

Mrs. Angus McClelland, of Tawas township, arrived home Wednesday from Canada, where she was called by the death of her mother.

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Clark Esmond, of Hale, has received notice of the allowance of his pension claim, at the rate of \$8 per month from Sept. 16, 1896, through his attorney, G. L. Cornville.

Warren Budd, of this city lost two of his fingers of his right hand on Tuesday of last week, by allowing them to come in contact with a circular saw, while at work in Emery's mill.

Dr. Howell, has concluded to return to East Tawas, and this week removes his household and office furniture back from Flint. The Doctor's many friends will be pleased to welcome him back.

Mrs. John Sullivan, of Baldwin, lost a valuable Paisley shawl on Wednesday of last week, between the East Tawas bridge and the Park. The finder will confer a favor by returning the same to her.

The Michigan grand lodge of Odd-fellows will hold its annual encampment at Kalamazoo the second week in October and celebrate its semi-centennial, the grand lodge having been organized in that city in 1847.

If you are in need of a first-class buggy, road-wagon, or platform wagon, come in and look over our stock.
C. H. PRESCOTT & SONS.

Dr. J. H. Botz will be absent from his office in East Tawas during the next four weeks. A portion of the time he will be at his office in Oscoda, after which he will join Mrs. Botz on a visit in Ontario. Dr. F. G. Olp, of Detroit will have charge of the office during his absence.

Fire destroyed nearly a block of buildings in Oscoda yesterday morning, including Bonefant's saloon, C. V. Hick's drug store, M. Mark's store the village hall, several other store buildings and four dwellings. The loss is heavy as there was no insurance on stocks or buildings.

Died, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Zimmeth in Tawas township, on Saturday Sept. 4, 1897, typhoid malaria fever. Andrew August Zimmeth, aged 19 years, eight months and 19 days. The young man was ill about two weeks. The funeral was conducted from the Catholic church Monday, and was largely attended.

A poor man, who barely earns enough to eke out a living on, went into a grocery store the other day and inquired the price of butter, flour, oatmeal and several other necessaries of life, but decided that they were too dear. He finally said he guessed he would take a pound of tobacco and let the other things go for this time.—*Ex.*

There is a mistaken idea that culture means to paint a little, and to quote passages from late popular books. As a matter of fact, culture means mastery over self, politeness, charity, fairness, good temper, good conduct. Culture is not a thing to make a display of; it is something to use so modestly that people do not discover all at once that you have it.

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A. G. EMERY, Photographer,
East Tawas, Mich.

If a man had a two dollar setter pup, he would look after it carefully and not let him be around at night all over town. But if he has a boy, it is different. He is turned loose at an early age to go to the devil, and the people wonder where the army of tramps, huns, loafers, dead-beats, gamblers, and drunkards come from each decade. They are germinated from the poor seed gathered from our homes and sown broadcast on our streets and alleys. It may be that your boy is making a growth in that direction. At all events the boy ought to be given an equal showing with the pup.

C. V. Hicks, Oscoda, Pianos, Organs and Bicycles.

The Durant-Dort Carriage Co., of Flint, put up the best buggies on the market. Call on G. S. Darling and examine them and you will be thoroughly satisfied.

An eastern exchange says: 'If you want to get acquainted with human nature, edit a newspaper for a short time. You know nothing of the ups and downs of life until you have served in this capacity. You may have conducted a bank, sold goods, preached, practiced law, sawed wood, put up stove pipe, and hunted potato bugs, but you still need a few months experience as a country editor to complete your knowledge of the eccentricities of life.

HALE LAKE.

Mr. Latham's threshing machine from the Henlock Road is with us this week.

Miss Nellie Nunn returned home last week from a visit with her sister at Sanilac Center, Mich.

Anker's shingle mill at Long Lake have nearly finished their summer's run, and will close down shortly.

We hear several of our neighbors talking about "Mc Kinley's good times," and quoting the price of wheat, but when we speak of other produce they have nothing to say.

TOWN LINE.

Rather warm weather.

A large amount of wheat is being sown this fall.

Threshing machines have been humming here for the past week.

Romeo Harris is no employed in A. L. Jones' green house, at East Tawas.

School commenced Tuesday in Dist. No. 2. with Miss Dunham, of Whittemore, as teacher.

Misses Carrie and Effie Goodwillie, of Tawas City, spent Sunday with Miss Rhoda Brown.

At the annual school meeting Monday night, in Dist. No. 3, Parker Clark was elected moderator.

Miss Minnie Shippy has been engaged to teach the fall term of school in district No. 3, commencing next Monday.

The social given by the ladies of the M. E. church Wednesday evening was largely attended. Sixteen dollars was netted for the church fund.

Charles Wright Jr., who has been employed with Snyder & Perrin's show for some time returned Sunday from Lansing where the show is laid up for the winter.

BADGER,

A Correction.

By an error in last week's list of teachers it was stated that Mabel Bannan, Margaret Mc Gillivery and W. H. Price had received first grade certificates. These parties only wrote one-half the examination, and these papers were forwarded to the State Superintendent. They could not be granted a first grade without writing on all the sixteen subjects, which they did not.

F. F. STEPHENSON,
County Comm'r. Schools.

D. & M. Special Rates.

September 15th and 16th, for Saginaw Jobbers & Manufacturers Association Assembly, at Saginaw, one and one third fare, (certificate plan). Dates of sale, Sept. 15th and 16th, limited to return Sept. 16th.

Cyclists Attention

All Bicycle riders are requested not to ride on the sidewalk on the north side of Lake street, between N. C. Harting's residence and the Simon corners, in Tawas City, by request of the citizens.

M. MURPHY, Mayor.

Take Notice.

All farmers having no cash market at home for their grain, produce and any other products of the farm apply to us for information.

M. MURPHY & Co.,
Tawas City, Mich.

C. V. Hicks, Oscoda Pianos, Organs and Bicycles.

Early Fall Attractions..

WE ARE RECEIVING DAILY NEW
GOODS IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.

Our SHOE STOCK is filled with up to date goods, which we are selling at about 25 per cent. less than present values. Now is the best time to buy Shoes as values will be greatly increased inside of the next thirty days.

New things in Dress Goods,
New Neckwear, New Wash Goods,
New Hosery, New Gloves,
New Outings, New Underwear,
New Prints, New Silks.

At prices which are lower than any house on the shore.

Ladies' Waits.

We have a few Ladies' Waists left. Price to close out, just 50 cents on the dollar.

OUR GROCERY STOCK

Is complete and prices right. Lowest prices on Flour, Feed, Pork, Coffee and Tea. Come in and see how much groceries \$1.00 will buy.

C. H. Prescott & Sons.

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Tawas City, Michigan.

