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TAWAS CITY'S CHOICEI

Main J. Connine is Unaminously Endorsed for Circuit Judge.

As the result of a strong feeling upon the subject among our business men, a meeting of the business men and tax payers of the city was held at the council chambers Wednesday evening to consider the matter of a choice of a candidate for Circuit Judge at the coming spring election.

When the meeting was called to order at eight o'clock, the council chamber was crowded to its full capacity with taxpayers. With one or two exceptions every business man in the city was present, and those not there were detained at home by sickvess. The meeting was composed of republicans, de nort 1, .i.veriter, .20 | goldites and prohibitonests.

Remarks were called for and while all present as will be seen by the resolutions, expressed the most kindly 15 feeling for Judge Simpson, the present incumbent, and fully endorsed his administration as circuit judge for the past twelve years, it was evident after some fifteen or twenty had spoken, it was concluded that there was but one candidate in the field, so .18 Far as Tawas City was concerned, as

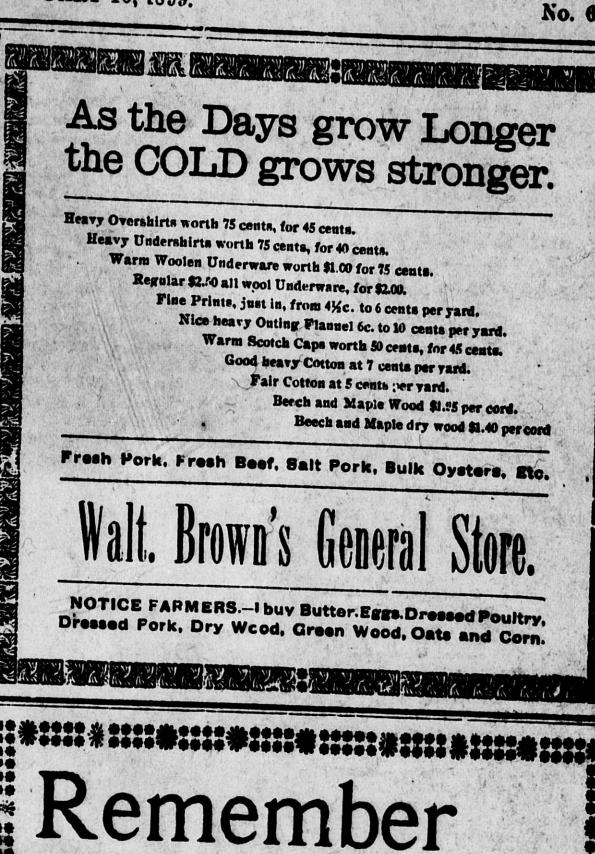
Rev. Johnson is still sick, and has not been able to attend services for the past two weeks. He is reported to be on the mend.

Alex and Charles McCool, of Oscode, with their families are in town, called here by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Snooks.

T. W. Campbell did not find it profituble to run his mill during such cond weather, so closed down until the mercury shows a warmer hand.

Anna Montgomery, of Northvill, is home with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Montgomery. She was called here by the death of her _sister Mis. Geo. Campbell.

Several said deaths have occured m our midst this wiater but none seems so and and fouching to the hearts of so many as the death of the wife of our esteen 1 townsman Geo. Campbell, which occured at 1 o'clock Last Saturday morning, aged 23 years. This oright young laly was the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. "m. Montgomery and known by nearly every one for miles around. They were married about 7 years ago and it looked to those of their most intimite acquintinces that a min bow of sunshine would be theirs to enjoy for years to come. Young as ware Mr. Cumpbell had early in life set out to obtain a home and his line farm and buil lings are evidence of his industry and energy. To hear the young wife plead to live to care for her two little ones was pathetic in the extreme. Her aged mother hearing of her daughter's daugerous condition, arose from a sick bed and with that mother's love that knows ro bounds flew to her side only to see her pass from earth to one beyond. Many were the terrs that mingle! with the grief stricken husband, parents, brother an I sister as Lizzie was laid to get. Services were held at the F. M. church, A. R se presiding.



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very man neartily endorsed Main J Connie, for the important position. The following resolutions were offered, every person in the meeting

voted for their adoption. WHERBAS the time has again arrived when a a candidate must be selected by the people to fill the important and bonorable position of Circuit Judge of this circuit, which has been for so many years in the past, and is now filled so ably and hono ably by the gentleman whose term is about to expire, and

WHEREAS, it is essential, if a change shall be made, for the interests of the county, that the very best material should be used in selecting a man for the position who possesses andoubted ability, a spotless reputation and unquestioned integrity and honesty of purpose, when chosen as Judge of the 234 Judicial Circuit, of which this county forms a part, and

WHEREAS, public sentiment in this circuit, has in a great measure crystalized and centered itself upon a gentleman, whose high stauding at the bar, long residence in the county, large experience in the practice of the law, and learning and ability and recognized judicial qualifications, have made him the natural selection of the people of this circuit, we are thereby impelled to join in such recognition of Main J Connine, of AuSable, as a man possessing in a pre-eminent degree the above qualifications, and best fitted for the high position of Judge of this circuit.

THEREFORE, we, business men and cit zens of Tawas City, believe it our duty, in order to unpaid, and advertised the same for maintain on as high and honorable a place the office and duties of Circuit Judge, as the same has heretofore enjoyed, to endorse hereby candidacy of Main J. Consine for such office, and we hereby pledge him our support and promise taking Goods on the shore. to use all honorable means in our power to se cure his nomination and election.

It would be impossible to get a better expression of the voters of this Steads, Dining Room Tables, city-previous to election-than that expressed at this meeting. The people of Tawas City have spoken, and 25th judicial circuit for the ensuing six years is Main J. Connine.

The meeting was very enthusiastic, I also carry a full line of every person present desiring to make himself heard as a supporter of Mr. Connine, and the fact that Mr. Connine knew nothing of the meeting or its purport shows the strong hold he has upon the people of this section.

ROSE CITY.

Zero weaather. Good sleighing and those that are

Seized for Taxes.

Sheriff Shien, who is collecting the taxes of Aurable township, and G. H. Cosgrove, treasurer of Oscoda township, yesterday made seizures of property belonging to the Loud firm for the 1898 taxes of said firm, still sale. We are informed that the H. M. Loud Sons Co. will replevy the property seized, on the grounds that this new firm cannot be held for the H M. Loud & Sons' taxes. The property was assessed to the latter firm which has since been reorganized under the name of H. M. Loud Sons Co.

The amount of taxes in the two their choice for Circuit Judge of the to vaships is about \$6,500. The firm have paid the taxes on certain parts of their property, but from the present indications intend to evade, if possible, the major portion of the tax assessed.

Circuit Court.

The regular February term of circuit court convened Tuesday, Hon W. H. Simpson, presiding.

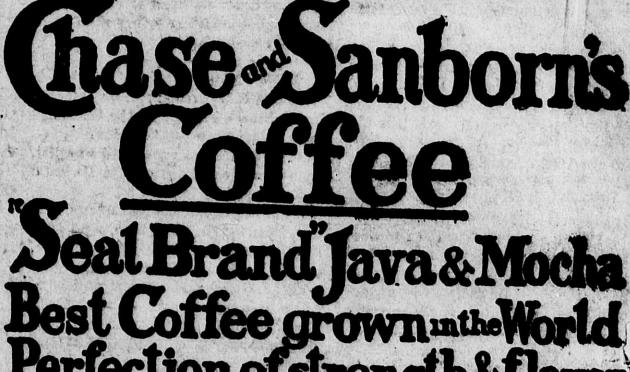
There were only five cases on the calandar and it was found the jury

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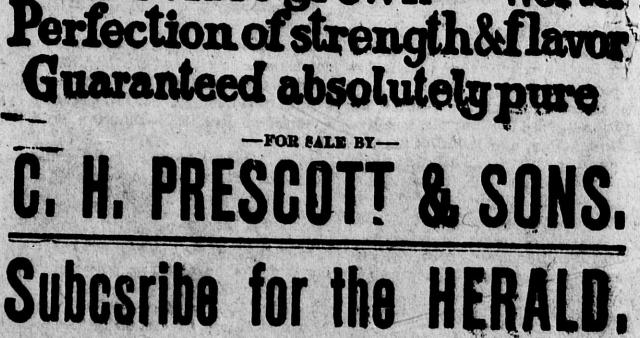
and many have recovered so as to be out again.

Justice Cumning is able to be out divorce from Peter Leonard. again, and is once more at his old mainenlars Savings Bank. H. A. Newlud & Co. agrieved.

would not be needed and they were discharged.

The 'case against Alex Wickland for a violation of the liquor law, was the only criminal case and that was Several are still sick with la grippe discontinued, on the payment of the cost by the defendent.

Elizabeth Leonard was granted Tax matters was then taken up for stard administering justice to the thr balance of the day, when court adjourned until next Mfuday.







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Demogratic State Convention

The democrats of Michigan will meet in State Convention at the Acudemy of Music, in the city of Kalamano, on Wednesday, March 8th, 1899, at 12 o'cleck uson, for the purpose of nominat-ing a candidate for the office of Justice of the Saprems Court of Michigan, and two Regents of the Baiversity, and to transact such other business as may proparly come before the con-vention.

According to the rule adopted by the Dema-cratic State Convention held in Detroit in 1890, and since followed, every county in the state is entitled to one delegate to the State Convention for each SN votes cast for governor at the last general electics, and one additional delegate for a fraction of and less than 25) votes. But each county is entitled to at least two delegates. All delegates must be rule on the counties the constant. they copresent.

they represent. The delegates from the soveral congressional districts are regasted to most in cardia at ten o'clock on the day of the convention in such places as may hereafter be designated by the lists Contral Committee, for the purpose of so-lecting cardifates for recommendation to the convention for the following named positions, to-wit: One chairman of the District Delega-tion; one vice-president of the Convention; one member of the Committee on Credentials; one member of the Committee on Credentials; one member of the Committee on Permission Organ-instice and Orfer of Bisiness, and one member of the Committee on Escolutions.

In view of the increasing dangers wilch men-nessour country and its institutions, we appeal to all patricite paople, ragar liess of party, to inv as de sliming or differences, and units in pro-tecting the rights an Pilberties of the people from the approximents of organized monopoly. We believe that the efforts of reform would be more additival the efforts of reform would be mins efactive if these wir wrent as a este stial pringies were a st patting farth their energies in different policical organizations. Therefore we cardially livite the members of the Union Bilver and Papples Parties: all those who have voted in theoret with the Democratic Party; all these who enbection to the principles set forth in the Chicago Piatform, and all others who are desiries of herecisting with the party in the future to participate in the cauches for the election of delegates to this convention.

DANIEL J. CANPAU, CEARLES S. HAMPTON, Chairman. circust judge he has made a record ed too deeply into the soil to be not equaled by any Judge in the state reached by the roots of garden for enforcing the collection of taxes.

COMMISSIONS in the cavalry branch of the regular army, are vainly sought after by many West Pointers, but James Fuller Mc Kinley, son of Abner, and nephew of the president, whose only military experience consisted of a few weeks service as a private in the 8th Ohio Volunteers, has been nominated to be a 2.1 Lieut. in the soil by preventing the packthe cavalry branch of the regular army. The nomination is likely to be coufirmed, simply because there is nothing against the young man per-

sonally, but all the same it ought not to be.

MR. KEEGAN, a representative of the International Mechanics Union, who was among those heard by the senate committee on education and labor, on the eight hour bill; made some startling charges. He charged that the Cramp Shipbuilding Conpany and the Maxim-Nordenfeldt Gun Company, being unable to fill at the price specified contracts for guns and gun carriages, awarded then by the governmen, had had the work performed by Government emplyes at the Washing Nevy Yard, and received in cash, the difference between the cost of making and the contract orice. He charged that under the arrangement specified, the Cramp Company had received \$17,000, as the difference between the cost of making the gun carriages and the contract price, and that the Mixin-Nord mfeldt Co. had received \$2,4)) each for guns which were made by govern ment employes, at a cost of \$1,0.0 each, thus pocketing a profit of \$14.00 on each gun, vithout engaging in the work of making them. Senator Kyle has been directed to personally investigate these charges.

plants, many of which are shallow rooted.

Coal ashes contain no plant food of any kind, but if the soil is a little heavy they may be used with benefit to make it friable and more easily worked.

Porfect drainage, while it does not add to the store of plant food, brings into use that which is in ing of the soil in such a manner as to lock up the plant food where the rootlets cannot reach

We must get away from the notion that under drainage is practiced solely to get the water out of the soil. One of its greatest benefits is to allow the air to get into the soil, the drains acting as air pipes, which allow free circulation of air, and from this air the nitrogen is extracted which goes to make a thrifty growth.-Ex.

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THA WORK of civilizing (?) the Filip ines was com a most by the Ameriand last Saca day.

It has been announced that Judge Simpson has wich trawn from the judicial race, in this circuit.

AGUINALDO . will . probably learn from experience that he is not fooling with of 1 Spain when he attacks Uncle Sam,

THE American-Spanish treaty of peace was racified by the senate last Mouday, by three votes more than the necessary two-thirds.

AGUINALDO is always pictured bareheaded. It remains to be seen whether he hasn't used up his bat talking through it.-Philadelphin Times.

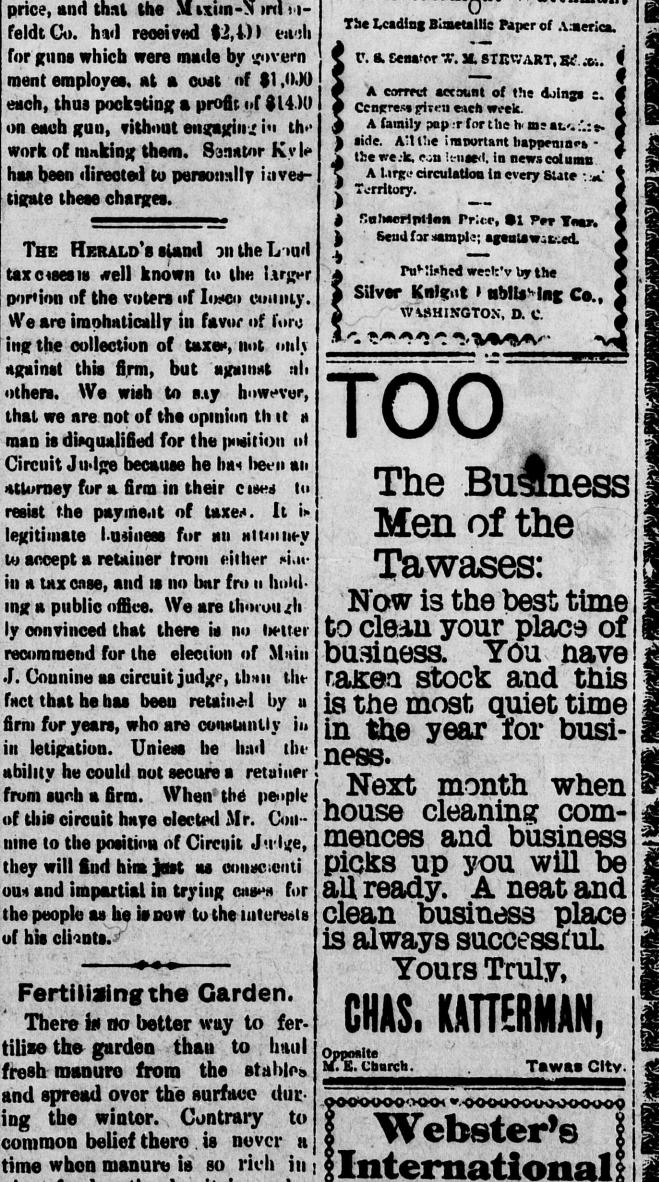
W. C. JOHNSON, senior vice-commander-iu-chief of the G. A. K., will succeed the commander-in-chief, Col. James A. Sexton, of Chicago, who died Sunday morning.

Two inspector general at Havana has discovered a lot of rotten meat in the supplies sout him. This particufar impector general should keep

cepted commissions in the army,

THE HERALD's stand on the Loud tax cases is well known to the larger portion of the voters of losco county. We are imphatically in favor of fore ing the collection of taxes, not only against this firm, but against al. others. We wish to say however, that we are not of the opinion that a man is disqualified for the position of Circuit Judge because he has been an stlorney for a firm in their cases to resist the payment of taxes. It is legitimate Lusiness for an attorney to accept a retainer from either sine in a tax case, and is no bar fro a hold. ing a public office. We are thorough ly convinced that there is no better recommend for the election of Main J. Connine as circuit judge, than the fact that he has been retained by firm for years, who are constantly in in letigation. Unless he had the ability he could not secure a retainer from such a firm. When the people of this circuit have elected Mr. Counine to the position of Circuit Judge, they will find him just as conscienti ous and impartial in trying cases for of his clients.

Fertilizing the Garden. still and say nothing about the beef, else be may be courtmartialed. There is no better way to fertilize the garden than to haul The house judiciary committee has fresh manure from the stables and spread over the surface dur. reported a resolution declaring that ing the winter. Contrary to Gen. Wheeler, Col. Campbell, Col. common belief there is never a Colson and Major Robbins vacated time when manure is so rich in their seats in the house when they acplant food as the day it is made, and the sooner after that it can FIFTE FOUR American soldiers were be got to the place where it is to cilled and 200 wounded in the soran i be used the more value will it add to the soil. as Manila on Sunday. The Philip-It is almost impossible to put pines seem to be au expensive article too much manure on a garden. they are costing a good many lives We would not hestitate to put it and a pile of money.-Alpena Echo. a foot thick on the surface, for it will leach only so much more WHAT better recommend can M. plant food into the soil, and by plowing time next spring will be Circuit Judge than the fact that he settled down until it can easily be plowed under to furnish humus for the betterment of the phythe largest fims in this section of the 'sical condition of the soil. Woud ashes make an excellent fertilizer for the garden, but they



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J. Counine have for the position he has been retained for 10 years - every important case which one of state have had?

When Judge Simpson was elected should be saved and applied on 12 years ago, he had for years been top of the soil after it is plowed the atterney of several of the largest in the spring, as potash is one of lumber firms and engaged in fightthe plant foods that may be washing the collection of taxes. Yet as



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J. H. Nisber mis been at Turner

just been received at this office.

carthing why, till we turn up our toes

with gripp : patients," said one of the doctors to lav, "is their refusal to stay in loors up on the least improvement. Often where a few more days' cire would make a convalesce at entirely well he receives a complete set-Eugene V. Dabs, the graat labor back by cushing out into the cold." These are dongarous times for th nealth. Croup, colds and throat Wm. Livermore, of Lapeer, is the troubles lead rapidly to Consumption. A bottle of one Minute Cough Cure used at the right time will reserve Tho has Dividson has been on the life, health and a large amount o money. Pleasant to take; children ike it. Dr. G. S. Darling.

or cry, sho it or sing. not caring a

on business is portion of this week. The republican county convention will be held at the court house. Feb. 21.

leader. spoke at Alpana, Muday u ight.

guest of his brothur, E1, of this city, [this week.

sick list this week, with the popular complaint.

Prof. Supposed resumed his school duties Monday, after a week's seige of the la grippe.

Chas. McCausland, of Bay City, apent Sunday at the home of his paronts in Alabaster.

Rev. How red Goldie has been coufined to the house for the past week, with the la grippe.

'Gene Snith, went to Pine River, Tues lay, to assu ne charge of the D. & M. station there.

Mrs. Wn. Bean and children of Alpena are visiting relatives and ifriends at Alab ster.

Harry Prestor, who has been in Presque Isle county since last fall, arrived home Morday.

Wesley F. Walters, of Saginaw, wasiin East Tawas a few days this week calling on friends.

Republican caucuses have been called for next. Tuesday evening at the various polling places.

L. B. and Henry Koenig, of D :droit, visited Rev. John Karrer, of this city, a few days this week.

The cold weather still lasts, The mercury has registered from zero to 12 below every night during the past week.

The crop report issued Feb, 1 reports considerable damage to wheat throughout the state, from lack of show.

the coming season are of the richest or dead, will not occupy his pulpit colorings and many new figures are more than one Sunday, and will then submitted for the approval of the find it necessary to leave town in a public. There is a siight advance in hurry. The press and the pulpit go prices, especially among the cheaper hand and hand with white wash papers. Call at this office and see brushes and pleasant words magnifyour new sample books, which have ing the little virtues into big ones. just arrivel.

LaGrippe is again epidemic. Every prevaution should be taken to avoid t. Its specific care is One Minute Cough Cure. A. J. Sheperd, Publisher Agricultural Journal and Advertiser, Elden. Mo., says: "No one will be disappointed in using one Minute Cough Cure for La Grippe," Pleasant to take, quick to act. Dr. pound. As a flesh producer, one G. S. Darling.

"Do you know," said a well known Northville gentleman to the Record 'that boys are more particular who they go with than girls? You may think it a strange statement, but it i so. A girl will go on the street in open day with a boy who gets drunk but if a boy found out that a girl got dound ne wouldn't go with her. I wish our girls would be as particular with whom they go as the boys are,"

Micanopy (Fia.) Hustler, with his for the development of a perfect aniwife and children, suffered terribly damaged in cooking,-Presbyterian from La Grippe, One Minute Gough Banner. Cure was the only remedy that helped them. It acted quickly. Thousands of others use this remedy as a Pianos, and Bicycles. specific for La Grippe, and us exhausting after effeats. Dr. G. S. Darling.

and may be to freeze or fry.

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· A preacher comes at a newspaper man in this way: "You dare not tel: the truth. If you did you could not live; your newspaaer would be a failure." The editor said: You are right, and the minister who at al. times and under all circumstances | The new styles : a will paper for tells the truth about all members, slive The pulpit, the pen and the gravestone are the great triumvirat." And the minister went wway looking very serious, while the editor turned to his work and wrote about the surpassing beauty of the bride and her wealth of glossy hair.-Ex.

Food Value of an Egg. Six large eggs will weigh about one pound of eggs is equal to one pound of beef. About-one third of the weight of an egg is solid nutriment, which is more than can be said of meat. There are no bones and tongin pieces that have to be laid asi le. Practically an egg is animal food; and yet there is none of the disagreeable work of the butcher necessary to obtain it. Bags at average prices are among the cheapest and most autritious article of diet. Like mlik, au egg is complete food in itself, con-Mr. S. A. Fackler, Editor of the taining everything that is necessary mal. It is also easily digested, if not

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The wood market is very lively these days, but thus far the supply has been sufficient to meet the demand.

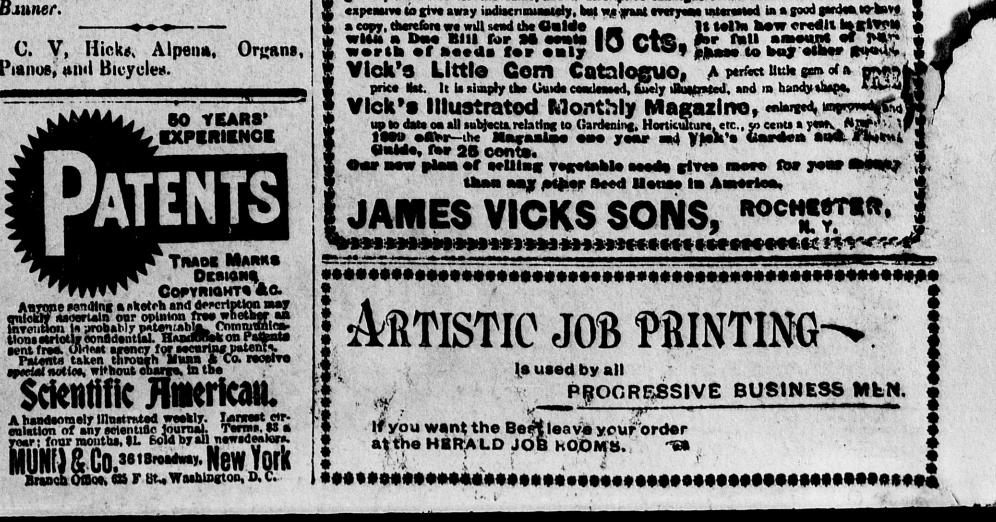
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bermer, returned to Chicago Tuesday, after spending a few days with relatives and friends hare.

The Ludses' Aid Society of the Baptift church, will serve supper at the Hurlburt building, Feb. 22. Supper 10 and 15 cents.

her home in S.ginaw, inst Saturday, father, Ira O.tell, of East Tawas. C. V. Hicks, Alpena, Pianos, Orgaus and Bicycles.

We have received the annual seed catalogue of F. B. Mills, of Rose Hill, N. Y. It gives a fine discription of this immense institution, and a complete list of the seeds, plants and bulbs raised by Mr. Mills. There are also listed there in a number of new flowers and vegetables for which Mrs. Kittier, B. Wilson returned to the proprietor is offering large cash prizes to the person supplying a suitafter spending a few days with her able name. The catalogue will be sent free on application. C. V. Hicks, Alpena, Organs

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Making a Hotbed.

In a few short weeks now the sunual work of starting hot beds will be resumed. It is remarkawho do not start early vegetables in hot beds, but wait till spring to make garden in the open ground. We don't know of anything that brings in greater returns on investment than a proppeople do not know just how a hothed should be made and managed, so we give full instructions gardener:

rests upon the glass. Every effort should be made to give the plants all the sunlight possible, as its rays are vieifying to a degree beyond the amount of its bld how many farmers there are heat, it having a chemical and physiological effect beyond ex planation. Even dull light is better than no light, consequently it is a bad plan to cover shashes with mats, except for the direct purpose of keeping out cold. erly constructed hothed. Many Peppers and egg plants require more heat than other plants. Success depends on bottom heat from the manure, top heat from below, as followed by a practical the sun, water from daily application and air at midday. Without

A hotbed is a box or frame plenty of air the other requisites without a bottom or top, made will be fruitless. All seedings for one, two or more sash, as should be transplanted into other may be demanded for either hotbeds or intermediate bed home use or market. It may be when two inches high. Hotbeds made pormanent of brick or stone may be used for forcing lettuco, or temporary of plank or one-inch | radish, egg plant, pepper, tomacommon boards, the back board toes, cabbage, cauliflower and about twenty inches high, oue- ornamental flowers.

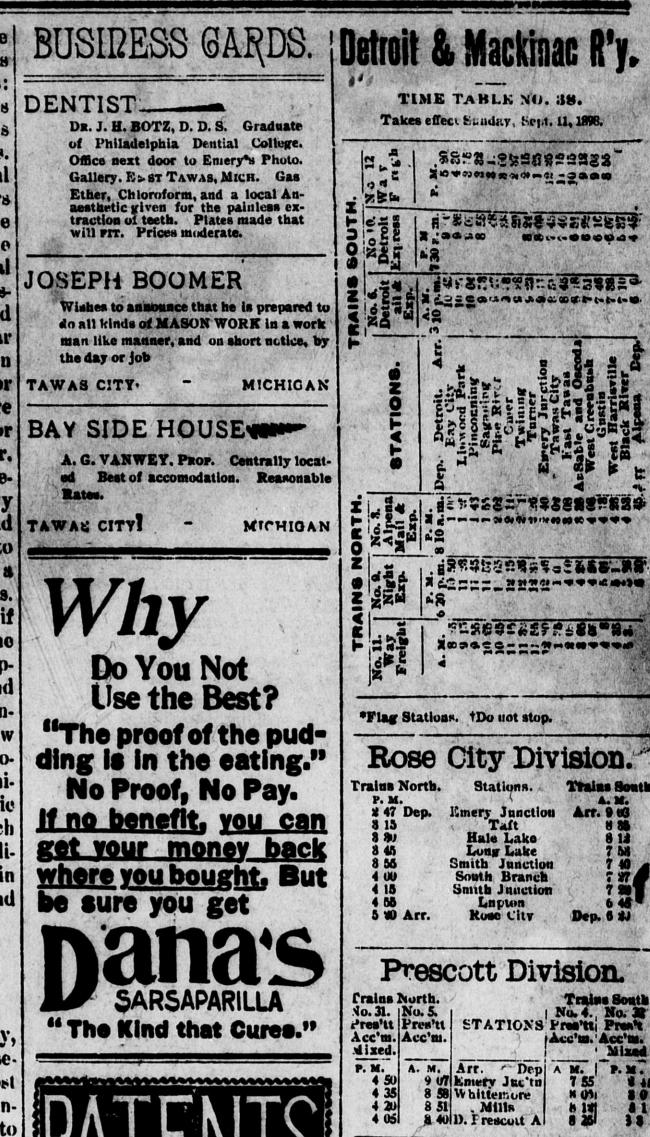
half greater elevation than the We have known locations front-which should be twelve where stable manure for hotbeds to fourteen inches-the whole was not readily obtained, and to made to support a sash or several meet such conditions we give the of any dimensions, the best of following directions for manufacabout three by seven feet. The turing a fermenting material for back being higher than the front the production of a moderate and gives a declivity to the sash, thus continuous heat, the quantities casting off the rain, which it named being sufficient for a box would not do if fiat. The box at twelve by seven feet. Take as proper season is placed upon a the crude materials 500 pounds bed of fermenting material, which, of straw, three bushels of powdermaking a gentle and continuous ed quicklime, six pounds muriatic heat, warms up a layer of soil acid, six pounds saltpeter. Feeting upon it, and thus germin-

three or four inches of forest leaves or old hay in the bottom. Upon that spread eight inches of straw, tramp it down and sprinkle with one-third part of quicklime. Dilute the six pounds of muriatic acid with twenty gallons of water, and, by means of an old broom sprinkle the bed with one-third part of the solution. Make another layer of eight inches of straw, applying quicklime and the solution as before. Repeat for a third layer. Upon this make a fourth layer of straw. and upon it sprinkle the four

of the road with broken stone (macadam) or gravel. Gravel is the best for the following reasons: It is more abundant and combines with the road-bed and for this reason is better for filling holes. Gravel deposits are more general than supposed, and the farmers can use their teams during the idle spells in handling it on the roads. Now, this is a radical change in our present road system. The changing of one road master that has put in his year for another as green as when he was elected is not good for our road improvements. There should be a county supervisor and a good, practical engineer. whose duty should be to prepare every road in the county and instruct the local road TAWAS CITY! master as to the best points to improve. In short, we want a radical change in our road laws. This the farmers can secure if united. The railroads in the state have been liberally supported by the farmers and should give liberal aid to improve our common roads. Now there is no better test of the progressive character of a community than the state of the public roads. Here is a point in which all can unite irrespective of political ties. Agitate this reform in every county in the state and thus secure good roads.

Winter Pruning Small Fruits.

Such fruits as the raspberry, blackberry, currant and gooseberry need winter pruning most particularly after they are beginning to age. One is very liable to Having prepared the excava- let them overproduce or overtion of proper dimensions, spread grow while they are still young, which makes them weak and unproductive of good fruit before their time. Old shoots thus Send model, drawing or photo. tion. We solvise, if patentable of charge. Our fee sot due till patent weakened should be pruned entirely out, as well as the weaker branches that are too abundant to allow free circulation of air and light among the leaves. Of raspherrics and blackberries only strong, sound young canes should be loft. Gooseberries and currants fut only from branches at least one year old, judgment must be exercised to have a few young branches left to take the place of ones that may depreciate by age. Dun't encourage mere growth than needed, as the other branches will have more strength to give botter and more fruit. Plants handled carefully bave long lives before them.-Mechan's Monthly.



ales seed and forces plants into rapid growth. The value of the bed depends principally upon the character of the formenting material. This should be rich stable manure (no cow dung) forked over two or three times at intervals of a week and kept in a deep or compact pile till it begind to smoke or steam, indicating that the process of fermentation has set in. If the dung be very rich in grain an addition of frost leav es is desirable, as they serve to prolong the period of formentation which might otherwise be too rapid.

Select a well-drained location, pounds of saltpeter dissolved in and one never flooded by rain, thirty gallons of water. Place excavate a pit whe or two feet the box in position, bank up outdeep and one feot broader and side, within the box spread three one foot longer than the box. inches of rich, finely pulverized Into this place six inches of earth and put on the sash. rough barn-yard manure, cornheat will soon be generated which stalks, leaves or straw, for drain- will continue for two or three age, and on it lightly fork in the weeks. fermenting dong and tramp it firmly down to a depth of two Improved Highways. feet. Place on the box and fit Here is a subject for the farm the sash lightly, cover with mats ers to agitate in their clubs and and allow fermentation to again institutes during the winter. proceed, banking up with hot There is no class that has so deep manure on the outside all around an interest in good roads as the at an angle of 45 degrees. Place farmers, says Farmers' Tribune. on top of the manure a layer of Over the common roads he has three inches of rich, moist, finely to haul his produce to the nearpulverized soil. In a day or so est market, and he and his famithe temperature will rise to. 120 | ly have to attend church and do degrees. When the temperature their trading and seek their has fallen to 90 degrees destroy amusements in the towns and the weeds which have sprouted cities. This is very pleasant and sow the seed for which the when the roads are dry and bed is intended. Cover every smooth. But when wet weather night with mats to exclude frost sets in and the common roads beand give air during the day, never come beds of mire, or when they allowing the temperature to fall freeze up and become like stones below 70 degrees or rise above dumped edgeways, pleasure rid 90 degrees. The secret of grow- ing is out of the question. Now, ing good plants is to give plenty the query is, how can we secure of air, otherwise the plants will better roads? First, we must be sickly, spindly specimens. secure perfect drainage. This is obtained by the use of the im-proved road grader that rounds up the center of the road and fills all bules and secures a smooth Short, stocky plants are what is obtained by the use of the unare desired. New the seed in proved road grader that rounds rows three inches apart and one up the center of the road and fills quarter to one-third inch doep, and cover by sifting on fine carth. surface. This grader should not Water every evening. Remove be left on the roadside to rust till the mate every merning about 9 the convenience of the road mas o'clock, give air shoul 10 o'clock. ter can find leisure to use it. Im-Cut of the air in the afternoon mediately after a rain, as soon as as soon as the six becomes the least chilly. Cover with mats before amoest. Hotheds should be covered party in the evening, to retain their heat, and in the morning mecover when the sun



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