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Tawas City.

ATTENTION FARMERS!

The National Milling Co., of East Tawas, is now issuing contracts for

POTATO ACREAGE.

For delivery at the factory or on cars, this season. We cannot take potatoes not contracted for, as we expect by planting time to have contracted for all potatoes needed. Call at the Tawas Bay Lumber Co.'s office, in EAST TAWAS, and sign Contracts.

TEMPLE EMERY,
Manager.

THE 35th BOYS

Gave a Rousing Reception Monday Evening.

Last Monday evening the court house was crowded to its fullest capacity by the citizens of the Tawas to extend a welcome to the Tawas members of the Thirty-fifth Michigan Volunteer Infantry. The affair was given under the auspices of G. K. Warren Camp No. 233, Sons of Veterans, and was entirely informal. A most enjoyable time was had. Judge elect Main J. Collins of Oscoda, delivered the principle address of the evening and gave a most entertaining talk. Short addresses were also made by Rev. Sloan, of East Tawas, Rev. H. Goldie, C. A. Jahraus and J. M. Walker, of this city. Music was furnished by the City Band and the Tawas City High School choir. Miss Nettie Darling favored the audience with a touching vocal solo, "Break the News to Mother." Mable Redhead, gave a vocal solo, and recitations were given by Georgian LaBerge, Minnie Williams and Lattie Tapp three little girls, of East Tawas.

The following are the members of the 35th from the Tawas:

Co. Clerk Albert Borland, Co. C., Sergt. Will Langworthy, Co. C.; Corporal Henry Thompson, Co. E.; Privates Eli Grise, Malcom McKenzie, Ezra Couchy, Milton Beemer, Will Bunker, Earnest Heinrich and Joe Williams all of Co. E.

Arbor Day.

The first suggestion respecting the annual planting of trees by children is attributed to Hon. B. G. Northrop, secretary of the Connecticut Board of Education, who made the suggestion in his report in 1865. In 1876 he offered prizes to the children of Connecticut to stimulate Centennial tree planting.

The setting apart of an annual day for that purpose by the state authority originated with Hon. J. Sterling Morton, Secretary of Agriculture, who induced the then Governor of Nebraska to issue a proclamation appointing a day for the planting of trees throughout the state. In 1872 the day was made a legal holiday, in which provision was made for awarding premiums to those who set out the largest number of trees. It is calculated that more than 800,000,000 Arbor Day trees are now in a thriving condition in Nebraska alone. Minnesota's first Arbor Day was observed in 1876, when a million and a half trees were planted. Kansas followed Nebraska's example in 1878. Next comes Iowa and Illinois. Michigan passed an Arbor Day law in 1881 and Ohio in 1882. Since then Arbor Day has been recognized and encouraged by the civil authorities of more than 40 of the states.—Selected.

The Ledger Monthly for April.

The Ledger Monthly for April has on its cover a reproduction of Charles A. Whipple's painting "The Little Reader," presented by him to the Woman's War Relief Association.

The frontispiece is a reproduction of Fra Filippo-Lippi's lovely picture of "The Coronation of the Virgin," with the Easter lilies. "Easter Customs in Many Ladies," by Phebe Westcott Humphreys, is an interesting account of the celebration of Easter throughout Christendom. Grace Margaret Gould contributes an article on Easter bonnets and hats, which has eight illustrations. Spring fashions are fully described and illustrated by Mrs. N. S. Stowell and Miss Abbie E. Underwood.

Among the delightful fiction in this number is "My Great-Grand mother's Necklace," by Stanley Edwards Johnson; "The Orange Girl," by Sir Walter Besant, and "The Martyrdom of Fair Mae Carew," by Harold Frederic. "Art Needlework" and "Answers to Needleworkers," by Mrs. L. Barton Wilson, form part of the interesting miscellany. The price of the Ledger Monthly is only five cents. Robert Bonner's Sons, Publishers, Ledger Building New York.

"Give me a liver regulator and I can regulate the world," said a genius. The druggist handed him a bottle of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. Dr. G. S. Darling.

Treatment of Orchards.

The agricultural department is publishing various experiments to show the results of different treatments of orchards, that is, cultivating vs. cropping orchards. The deductions to be drawn generally are that trees in cultivated ground suffer less from drough and hot drying winds than those in pasture or grass land; that the fruit from cultivated trees is larger than from those in grass, and that roots spread more rapidly than may be generally supposed. It was found that the roots of trees only five or six years old have roots extending eight feet from the trunk, while the entire diameter of the top may be only eight feet. The roots of an apple tree which had stood in sod since planting, were just beneath the surface of the soil, while the roots of those in cultivated soil were nowhere less than eight inches from the surface. This would clearly indicate that if orchards are to be cultivated at all, they should be cultivated from the first, as otherwise plowing will seriously injure the roots. In most of the experiment station reports clean cultivation of orchards shows marked beneficial results as compared with any other method.

Not one child dies where ten formerly died from croup. People have learned the value of One Minute Cough Cure and use it for severe lung and throat troubles. It immediately stops coughing. It never fails. Dr. G. S. Darling.

Council Proceedings.

A regular meeting of the common council of the city of Tawas City held at the council chamber Tuesday evening April 11th 1899.

Called to order by Mayor George W. Mount. Present, Mayor Mount, Alderman Brown, Koenig, Phelps, Schlechte, Stone, Clerk Elliott and Attorney Jahraus. Absent Alderman Murray. Quorum present.

The following bills were read:

George Koenig, supplies.	\$ 1 89
Geo. Koenig, on board of registration.	2 00
Wallace Brown on board of registration.	2 00
S. C. Williams " " " "	2 00
C. A. Jahraus, attorney's salary	10 00
Thos. Galbraith, 2 days on creek	2 50
W. D. Wingrove, 1/2 " " "	62
Jno. Phelps, 1 " " "	1 25
Chas. Malcom, 1 1/4 " " "	1 25
A. P. Boomer, 1 " " "	1 25
Wallace Brown, 1 day on election board	2 00
Wallace Brown, 1 " making returns	2 00
Geo. Koenig, 1 day on election board	2 00
Geo. Koenig, 1 " making returns	2 00
S. C. Williams, 1 " on election board	2 00
S. C. Williams, 1 " making returns	2 00
Thos. Galbraith, clerk of election 2 days	4 00
L. J. Patterson " " "	4 00
Jacob Sands, gate keeper	2 00
Mark O'Brien, gate keeper	2 00

Temporary committee appointed to audit bills: Ald. Schlechte, Phelps and Stone.

Moved by Ald. Koenig and supported by Ald. Phelps that the bills be allowed as read, excepting the bills for election services, which shall be allowed at \$2.00 per day, in conformity with the law, and orders drawn for same. Carried, by the following vote: Yes, Ald. Koenig, Phelps, Schlechte and Stone. No, Ald. Brown.

Moved by Ald. Stone and supported by Ald. Koenig, that council reconsider the bill of John Phelps in Sitenhurst diptheria case. Carried, all voting yes.

Moved by Ald. Schlechte and supported by Ald. Stone that the bill of John Phelps be recommended to the board of supervisors for payment. Carried, all voting yes.

Mayor appointed as committee to settle with city treasurer: Ald. Koenig, Phelps and Schlechte.

Bond of Orrin Beemer presented. Moved by Ald. Koenig and supported by Ald. Schlechte that the bond of Orrin Beemer as constonable of 1st ward be approved. Carried, all voting yes.

Moved by Ald. Koenig and supported by Ald. Phelps that the bond of city clerk be placed at \$500.00 for the ensuing year. Carried, all voting yes.

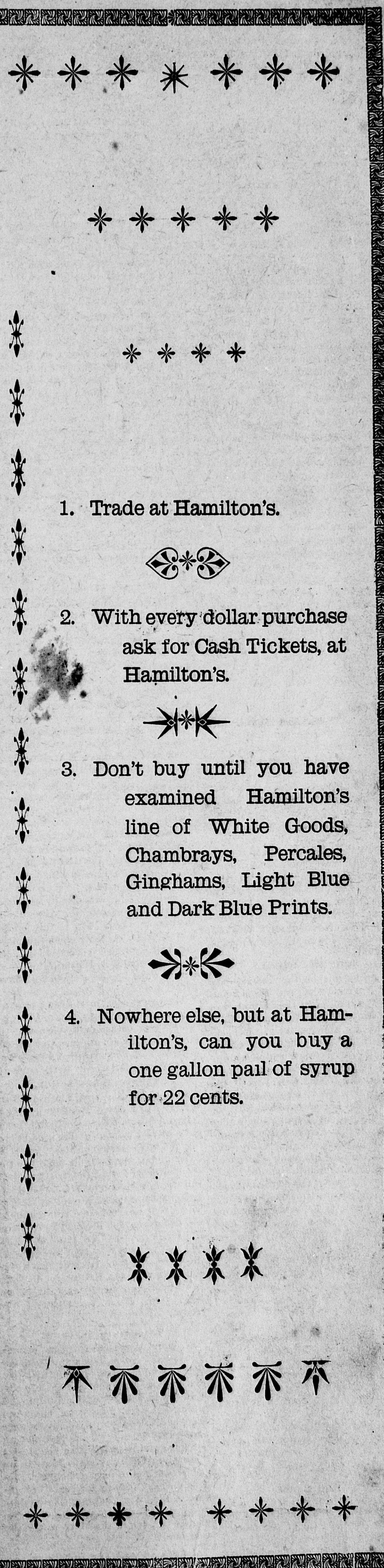
Moved by Ald. Phelps and supported by Ald. Schlechte that the bond of city treasurer be placed at \$3,000 for the ensuing year. Carried, all voting yes.

Moved by Ald. Brown and supported by Ald. Phelps that the druggists bonds be placed at \$2,000, and the retail liquor dealers bonds be placed at \$3,000 for the ensuing year. Carried, all voting yes.

Moved by Ald. Koenig and supported by Ald. Schlechte, that council adjourn. Carried, all voting yes.

GEORGE W. MOUNT, Mayor. ORLANDO ELLIOTT, City Clerk.

As the season of the year when pneumonia, lagrippe, sore throat coughs, colds, catarrh, bronchitts and lung troubles are to be guarded against, noting "is a fine substitute," will "answer the purpose," or is "just as good" as One Minute Cough Cure. That is one infallible remedy for lung throat or bronchial troubles. Insist vigorously upon having it if "something else" is offered you. Dr. G. S. Darling.



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The Dewey family continues to demonstrate that the admiral of that ilk is not the only family of the clan who deserves well of the country. The Dewey family is blessed with modesty and common sense. The admiral's brother, president of an insurance company, declines with considerable heat all propositions involving the use of the admiral's fame as an adjunct to the insurance business. The admiral's son and namesake, being appointed on a public reception committee, declines to pose as a national hero. "I have no right," he says, "to figure in demonstrations. I ought to keep quiet. I haven't done anything for the country." It may be said that this is merely the language of a sensible young man, but when we consider the long list of papa's sons who haven't done anything either, yet who are all saviors of the nation, we have to give young Dewey a proper meed of praise. Modesty is a virtue unfortunately rare in this free and enlightened republic.—Saginaw News.

Danger Threatens Trusts.

Just now the trusts are marching on triumphantly, their managers taking no thought of the morrow and gleating over the gains of today.

But the trusts carry within themselves the seeds of their own destruction.

By watering their stocks to the greatest extent and by impoverishing the purchasing classes through depriving them of an opportunity to labor, the trusts are creating conditions which will cause their downfall. And when they fall they will carry widespread ruin in their path.

In discussing this matter the United States Investor of Boston, a strong supporter of McKinley and the republican party, says:

"The outlook is distressing. We have gone on supremely unconscious of what we were doing, until we have evolved a state of affairs from which escape is impossible without great hardship. An enormous number of waterlogged business concerns, known as trusts, have been set afloat; in the smash that is bound to come the certificates of these organizations will sell at their real value, which means an appalling loss to investors.

"The end will be hastened by a diminution in the consumptive power of the country, due to the dislocation of a great horde of employes whom the trusts have rejected from positions previously occupied. We cannot imagine a much worse state of affairs."

That the trusts will be destroyed is no cause for regret, but rather for rejoicing, but that this destruction will plunge the country into a panic, the greatest ever known, is a matter for grave apprehension.

The only way to avoid this catastrophe is to curb and control the trusts before the evil day of their disruption through internal causes arrives. For this reason the people should give their aid to the democratic party—the only political organization that can aid them in this impending crisis.

Trusts must be controlled or the result will be a tremendous and all-enveloping disaster.—Chicago Dispatch.

Crop Report.

Issued by secretary of state, April 11, 1899:

The extremely cold weather in February was followed by peculiar and exceedingly disagreeable weather in March. While the temperature for the month has been lower than usual yet the conditions have not been at all favorable to crops. There has been more or less precipitation all through the month, but this not benefited wheat much, as the snow was either blown away or melted nearly as soon as it fell. There has been much freezing and thawing, especially during the first half of the month. This has caused many fields to be covered with water, or partly so at least, which was unable to settle away, as the ground was frozen to a great depth.

In answer to the question: "Has wheat during March suffered injury from any cause?" 305 correspondents in the southern counties answer "yes" and 106 "no"; in the central counties 73 answer "yes" and 93 "no"; in the northern counties 17 answer "yes" and 42 "no"; in the upper peninsula

all correspondents agree that wheat has not been damaged during the month.

The average condition of wheat in the southern counties is 70; central 73; northern 83 and in the upper peninsula 100. The average for the state is 72. It will be some time before the exact condition of winter wheat can be determined.

The average depth of snow on March 15 was, for the southern counties 1.23 inches; for the central counties 2.22 inches; for the northern counties 6.53 inches; for the upper peninsula 30.00 inches and for the state 2.22 inches. The average depth of snow on March 31 was, for the southern counties 3.17 inches; for the central counties 8.78 inches; for the northern counties 12.72 inches; for the upper peninsula 31.00 inches and for the state 5.75 inches.

The number of weeks of protection to wheat by snow was, for the southern counties 1.93 weeks; for the central counties 2.55 weeks; for the northern counties 3.19 weeks; for the upper peninsula 4.00 weeks and for the state 2.23 weeks.

The average condition of meadows in the southern counties is 77; in the central 83; in the northern 88; in the upper peninsula 100 and for the state 79.

The average condition for the state of horses and sheep is 95, of cattle 93 and of swine 94. A few diseases are reported but none of an alarming nature. A good many correspondents report that feed is becoming scarce on account of the lateness of spring.

In regard to fruit, the information

is as indefinite as that relating to wheat. The major portion of the correspondents agree that it is too early to ascertain the condition of trees and thereby fix the amount of damage done by the cold weather. Every conservative student of these questions will take into consideration the conditions that existed at the time these percentages were made and govern his deductions accordingly. The purpose of the department is to publish all the reliable information available at the time of making these reports. In another month a great deal more light can be thrown upon this subject, although many fruit growers believe it will take some time to determine the final results of the freeze.

The per cent of trees killed in the state, according to the present estimate, is as follows: Apples, 3; pears, 23; peaches, 46; plums, 20; sweet cherries, 26 and sour cherries, 5. The per cent of small fruit killed is as follows: Strawberries, 15; blackberries, 46; black raspberries, 33; red raspberries, 35; grapes, 19; currants, 7; gooseberries, 8. The following percentages mark the per cent of an average crop of fruit, based upon the prospects at the present time: Apples, 66; pears, 43; peaches, 12; plums, 51; sweet cherries, 40; sour cherries, 75; strawberries, 76; blackberries, 47; black raspberries, 58; red raspberries, 55; grapes, 69; currants, 81; and gooseberries, 80. The per cent of potatoes frozen in pits throughout the state is 39, and in cellars 26. It should be remembered that these percentages apply to those stored, not to the number of bushels raised.

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If in need of a Buggy or Wagon call and look over our stock before purchasing elsewhere. We handle both Flint and Owosso makes.

We have just received a new line of Little Giant Hand Seeders, Oliver Chilled, Smalley, and Gale Plows; Syracuse and Gale Steel Cultivators and Drags.

We can still give you the best Prices on Nails, Glass, Sash and Doors, and all builders supplies.

Come in and see for yourselves.

C. H.

PRESCOTT & SONS.

LOCAL NEWS.

Watch for "Ben Hur."
Subscribe for the HERALD.
The robins arrived this week.
The roads are rapidly drying out.
"Ben Hur" April 27. Don't miss it.
M. E. Friedman is in Detroit on business.
An 1898 bicycle for sale cheap at this office.
Cottons at the lowest figures at Prescott's.
Temple Emery went to Saginaw Wednesday.
New silk waist patters just opened, at Prescott's.
Smoke the D. & M., a strictly Union made cigar.
A. E. Sharpe was in Bay City on business this week.
G. L. Cornville was in Whittemore on business Monday.
Finest line of 10 cent gingham in the city, at Prescott's.
George Koenig was in Saginaw on business last Friday.
C. A. Jahraus did business at Whittemore, Tuesday.
We have been enjoying genuine spring weather this week.
Prescott has a few of those nobby 47 cent laundered shirts left.
J. W. King is agent for all kinds of agricultural implements.
Mrs. Hurlburt's millinery opening next Saturday and Monday.
Miss Lou Crandell is visiting her sister, Mrs. Curry, of Oscoda.
WANTED:—Large piano shipping box. E. D. SCHERMERHORN.
John Gillyooly, of East Tawas, has gone to Chicago, to learn the barber trade.
F. W. Schlechte is enlarging his residence by adding another story to the wing.
John W. King is the local agent for "Planet Jr." farm and garden tools.
Best selection of men and boys suits at prices lower than the lowest at Friedman's.
The Churchill, Alpena's finest hotel, was completely destroyed by fire last Saturday morning.
All the new colors can be seen at Mrs. M. D. Hurlburt's millinery parlors. Don't miss seeing them.
James Bain, aged 48 years, died at his home in Plainfield, April 4. He was formerly a resident of this city.
For sale.—Two collie dogs, six months old, for farm use. Price \$5 each. M. MURPHY.
August Kasischke arrived home yesterday from Ann Arbor, where he has been receiving medical treatment.
The ladies will enjoy the handsome display of new hats at Mrs. Hurlburt's spring opening Saturday and Monday.
One of the most entertaining and instructive entertainments ever witnessed here, will be the reproduction of "Ben Hur," April 27.
You can buy goods at least 25 per cent cheaper of Friedman than you can of any Chicago house, besides saving express charges.
John E. McDonald at the election a few days since, was elected county commissioner of schools, of Alean county, by a good majority.
"The Mission of Education" is the title of a lecture to be given by Assistant Supt. of Instruction D. E. McClure, next Friday evening.
An almost new Cabinet Domestic sewing machine for sale cheap. Has been in use one year, and is as good as new. Inquire at this office.
Friedman has just received a large assortment of ladies' tailor made suits capes and jackets direct from New York. They are beauties. Call and see them.
Last Sunday evening John Quick's barn, on the Meadow Road, was destroyed by fire, together with nine head of cattle, several hogs, a large amount of farming implements, hay and grain.
C. V. Hicks, Alpena, Pianos, Organs and Bicycles,

Farmers, you can get the best tools for sugar beet culture of J. W. King.
See our 98 cent, \$1.00, \$1.50, and \$2.00 shoes.
C. H. PRESCOTT & SONS.
The Iosco County Teachers' Association will meet at the high school in this city next Friday and Saturday.
The farm residence of Fred Weghan of Tawas township, was destroyed by fire on Thursday night of last week, together with nearly all contents.
All officers of the Iosco County Farmer's Institute Society are requested to attend a meeting at the court house in this city at 1 o'clock p. m. April 26.
Before the discovery of One Minute Cough Cure, ministers were greatly disturbed by coughing congregations. No excuse for it now. Dr. G. S. Darling.
Last Friday C. A. Jahraus was 40 years old, and in the evening a large party of his many friends gathered at his home and gave him a most enjoyable surprise party.
Remember that we buy our goods in the best markets for spot cash, therefore we can give you the benefit of the lowest market price.
M. E. FRIEDMAN.
Mrs. John Hunt and children, who have been visiting relatives here for several weeks, went to Vassar, Wednesday, for a few days visit before returning to their home in Grand Marais.
Buy a Deering ball-bearing binder or mower of John W. King, and you will be happy.
The attention of our farmers is called to the advertisement of the National Milling Co. If you wish to contract for potatoes do so at once before it is too late.
Miss Emma Conover who has been at DeWitt, during the past winter, arrived home last week. As soon as she can arrange business matters here she will return and make her home at that place.
County Clerk Mark wishes us to call the attention of township officers and notary of public to the fact that all official bonds must have a 50 cent revenue stamp attached before they can be filed.
If you have a cough, throat irritation, weak lungs, pain in the chest, difficult breathing, croup or hoarseness, let us suggest One Minute Cough Cure. Always reliable and safe. Dr. G. S. Darling.
James H. Nisbet arrived home Tuesday from Sandusky, where he has been for the past two weeks on business. Mrs. N. and children, who have been visiting at Maple Ridge, came with him.
Hugh Graham, a pioneer resident of Tawas township, died at the home of his son, Edward Graham, last Saturday, aged 87 years. The funeral was held Monday and the remains interred in the Tawas City cemetery.
County Clerk Mark issued marriage licenses Wednesday to Henry E. Thompson, of Tawas City and Miss May B. Robinson, of Reno, and Thomas E. Barlow, of AuSable, and Miss Rhoda Brown, of Tawas.
Last Tuesday Ed. Rafferty, who operates the chopping machine in the hop mill, had the misfortune of losing the ends of two of the fingers on his right hand, by allowing them to come in contact with the knives of the machine.
The county board of canvassers met Tuesday and canvassed the votes cast April 3. Grant for supreme judge carried the county by 439 majority; for circuit judge Main J. Conine received 983 votes; for county school commissioner John A. Campbell received 954. On the adoption of the county road system there were 700 yes and 628 no, giving a majority of 72 for its adoption. The amendment to the constitution relative to circuit courts was defeated by 26; relative to the establishment of a state printing office carried by 51; relative to the intermediate court by 53; relative to road and bridges by 161.
C. V. Hicks, Alpena, Organs Pianos, and Bicycles.

John M. Waterbury is at Ithica on business.
The ice in the bay is breaking up and navigation will soon open.
We understand that Prescott's mill will start up next Monday morning.
Married, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brown, in Tawas township, on Wednesday, April 12, 1899, Mr. Thomas E. Barlow, of AuSable, and Miss Rhoda Brown, Rev. H. Goldie, officiating.
FOR SALE:—I will sell the following articles at private sale: Large range cook stove, small heating stove, gasoline cook stove, secretary and book case, sewing machine, bedstead, and 16 ft. row boat. Most of articles good as new, and will be sold cheap for cash if taken at once. Inquire of residence.
E. D. SCHERMERHORN.
Mrs. Goodale, wife of Dr. H. A. Goodale, died on Monday last at her home in East Tawas, of pneumonia. The deceased was about 70 years of age, and one of the pioneers of East Tawas. She leaves besides her aged husband, one son and several grand children and a large circle of friends and acquaintances to mourn her loss. Funeral services were held at the home Tuesday afternoon. The remains were taken to Flint Wednesday for interment.
J. Sheer, Gedalia, Mo., conductor on electric street car line, writes that his little daughter was very low with croup, and her life saved after all physicians had failed, only by using One Minute Cough Cure. Dr. G. S. Darling.
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Good and True.
The following petit jurors have been drawn to serve at the May term of circuit court which convenes May 2.
Tawas City 2d ward—E. D. Schermerhorn, Thomas Moore.
Tawas City 3d ward—E. M. Schlechte, Charles Goodwillie.
Wilber—John Clute, Samuel Stanton.
Alabaster—Robert McKiddie, Thomas A. Murphy.
AuSable—John Tremain, A. L. Martyn.
AuSable 1st ward—Timothy Murphy, Myron Patterson.
AuSable 2d ward—Neil Black, P. S. Blackwell.
East Tawas 1st ward—Charles Gnath William Nesbet.
East Tawas 2d ward—S. A. Wood.
East Tawas 3d ward—S. J. Chillson.
Baldwin—M. V. Saunders.
Burleigh—Peter J. Hottois.
Oscoda—John Russell.
Plainfield—Eli Graves.
Reno—Samuel Hutchinson.
Sherman—M. Schnieder.
Whittemore News.
C. A. Jahraus, of Tawas City, was in town Tuesday.
Miss F. B. Oaks spent Sunday with her parents in East Tawas.
Another doctor contemplates locating here with a drug store.
Er. Howell has been attending some of the sick in town this week.
Robt. Dillmbeck, of the 35th Mich. who has been very sick is slowly recovering.
Mrs. VanNordstrom goes to Saginaw this week to receive medical treatment.
F. E. Hess received a new Huber traction engine this week. It is a very fine one.
Mrs. O. S. Burton has just returned from Onaway where she has been visiting for some time.
Mrs. Henry Burch who has been in Grand Rapids for the past couple of months receiving medical aid has returned.
Seven pupils from the Whittemore school passed the grade examination taking state diplomas. They were Louis Dutton, George Jackson, Willie Lestic, Frank Carroll, Harvey Brown, Lizzie Belknap and Pearl Stone. There were thirteen pupils passed in the county.



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Council Proceedings.

The common council of the city of Tawas City met at the council chamber Friday evening, March 31, 1899, pursuant to adjournment from March 28, 1899. Called to order by President Pro Tem Koenig. Present, Aldermen Brown, Koenig, Rollin, Gale and city attorney Jahraus and clerk Patterson. Absent, Mayor King and Alderman Dove and Waterbury. Quorum present.

Moved by Ald. Gale and supported by Ald. Brown, that council adjourn until Saturday evening, April 1, at 7 o'clock. Carried, all voting yes. L. J. PATTERSON, City Clerk.

The common council of the city of Tawas City met at the council chamber, Saturday evening, April 1, 1899, pursuant to adjournment from March 31, 1899. Present, entire board.

Moved by Ald. Rollin and supported by Ald. Dove that council adjourn until Wednesday evening, April 5, 1899. Carried, all voting yes. L. J. PATTERSON, City Clerk.

The common council of the city of Tawas City met at the council chamber, Wednesday evening, April 5, 1899, pursuant to adjournment from April 1, 1899. Called to order by Mayor King. Present, Mayor King and Aldermen Brown, Gale and Dove and clerk Patterson. No quorum.

Moved by Ald. Dove and supported by Ald. Gale that council adjourn until Thursday evening, April 6, 1899, at 7 o'clock standard time. Carried, all voting yes. L. J. PATTERSON, City Clerk.

The common council of the city of Tawas City met at the council chamber Thursday evening, April 6, 1899, pursuant to adjournment from April 5, 1899. Called to order by Mayor King. Present, Mayor King and Aldermen Brown, Dove, Gale and Rollin, attorney Jahraus and clerk Patterson. Absent, Mayor King and Aldermen Gale and Dove and clerk Patterson. No quorum.

Moved by Ald. Dove and supported by Ald. Rollin, that council adjourn until Thursday evening, April 6, 1899, at 7 o'clock standard time. Carried, all voting yes.

The common council of the city of Tawas City met at the council chamber Thursday evening, April 6, 1899, pursuant to adjournment from April 5, 1899. Called to order by Mayor King. Present, Mayor King and Aldermen Brown, Dove, Gale and Rollin, attorney Jahraus and clerk Patterson. Absent, Mayor King and Aldermen Gale and Dove and clerk Patterson. No quorum.

Minutes of March 14 were read and on motion of Ald. Rollin, supported by Ald. Dove, were approved as read. Minutes of March 27, 31, April 1 and 5, were read, and on motion of Ald. Dove and supported by Ald. Rollin, were approved as read.

To following bills were read: J. L. Webster salary to April 12, \$33.00; M. McGaffey draying, 25; Wm. Phelan 4 days on-snow plow, 8.00; S. Erabon draying, 75; Herald, printing, 29.10; L. J. Patterson, salary, 8.25; C. H. Prescott & Sons, supplies, 9.37.

Moved by Ald. Dove and supported by Ald. Rollin, that all bills be allowed as read, excepting that of C. H. Prescott & Sons, and that be referred back for correction. Carried, all voting yes.

Moved by Ald. Dove and supported by Ald. Rollin, that Ordinance No. 40, be taken up and passed to its third reading and read in full. Carried, all voting yes.

Ordinance No. 40 was then read as follows: ORDINANCE NO. 40.

An Ordinance granting permission to Northern Telephone Company to erect, maintain and operate telephone lines in the City of Tawas City, Michigan:

The City of Tawas City ordains: SECTION 1. That the Northern Telephone Company, their assigns, are hereby granted the right to erect, maintain and operate poles, wires and conductors within the city limits upon such avenues, streets, alleys and other public grounds and in such manner as the common council may from time to time direct for the purpose of operating a telephone line.

SECTION 2. No avenue, street, alley or other public place that may be used by said Northern Telephone Company, or their assigns, in constructing and maintaining such telephone line, shall be obstructed by them or by their agents or assigns while erecting poles, wires or conductors, longer than is absolutely necessary, and shall be left in as good condition after said use by said Northern Telephone Company, or their assigns as previous thereto.

SECTION 3. The privileges hereby granted unto said Northern Telephone Company, or their assigns, shall remain in force thirty years from the date of the passage of this ordinance, and no longer and the privileges granted therein unto said Northern Telephone Company shall not be exclusive but the common council may from time to time grant other Telephone Companies franchises and privileges as it may deem proper.

SECTION 4. Whenever it shall be necessary for the said Northern Telephone Company, or their assigns, to use any street, land, alley or other public place in said city to erect or maintain poles, wires or conductors, or any other poles, wires or conductors on streets and sidewalks notice of their intention to make such use of said street, lane, alley or other public place, and the said committee shall give such direction for the erection of poles, wires or conductors as in their judgement may be deemed best to secure the safety and protection of the interests of the public, or of any other poles, wires or conductors owned or operated in the city. Said committee shall give such directions in writing for the execution of said work, which shall be strictly complied with by said Northern Telephone Company, or their assigns.

SECTION 5. The said Northern Telephone Company, and their assigns, shall furnish telephone service to all persons, companies, corporations and municipal offices within said city at a uniform rate of charge, which shall not exceed \$24 for office and \$18 for residence per year for long distance connections; the exchange of said Northern Telephone Company, or their assigns, to be kept open and in operation night and day.

SECTION 6. All poles, lines and conductors shall be kept in good condition for use, and if any breakages occur they shall be repaired promptly.

SECTION 7. This franchise shall terminate and cease at any time in case said Northern Telephone Company, or their assigns, shall suspend the operation of such telephone line, or in case said Northern Telephone Company, or their assigns, shall fail to have such telephone line and service in operation within four months from the date this ordinance goes into effect, or their assigns shall fail to operate said telephone line in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 8. This Ordinance shall take effect from and after the 15th day of April, 1899.

Moved by Ald. Dove and supported by Ald. Rollin, that Ordinance No. 40 pass as read. Carried, all voting yes.

Moved by Ald. Rollin and supported by Ald. Dove, that diphteria bills be taken from table for consideration. Carried, all voting yes.

Moved by Ald. Brown and supported by Ald. Rollin, that the bill of George Koenig for 71 cents be allowed. Carried, all voting yes.

Moved by Ald. Rollin and supported by Ald. Dove, that minutes be approved as read. Carried, all voting yes. L. J. PATTERSON, City Clerk.

In pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the common council of the city of Tawas City met at the council chambers Thursday evening, April 6, 1899, for the purpose of canvassing the votes cast at the annual city election, held on Monday, the 3d day of April, A. D. 1899. Called to order by the Mayor. Present, Mayor King, Aldermen Brown, Dove, Gale, Rollin, attorney Jahraus and clerk Patterson. Absent, Aldermen Koenig and Waterbury. Quorum present.

The following is a true copy of the report submitted by the board of canvassers:

For Mayor: G. W. Mount, received in 1st ward 29 votes, " " " 2d " 44 " " " " 3d " 44 " Total, 117 votes. T. J. Armstrong, rec'd in 1st ward 32 votes, " " " 2d " 48 " " " " 3d " 32 " Total, 112 votes.

City Clerk: Orlando Elliott received in 1st ward 31 votes, " " " 2d " 46 " " " " 3d " 47 " Total, 124 votes. Edward Dove received in 1st ward 29 votes, " " " 2d " 45 " " " " 3d " 27 " Total, 101 votes.

City Treasurer: Jas. H. Nisbet received in 1st ward 36 votes, " " " 2d " 43 " " " " 3d " 46 " Total, 125 votes. W. H. Murphy received in 1st ward 22 votes, " " " 2d " 46 " " " " 3d " 29 " Total, 97 votes.

For Supervisor of the 1st ward: N. C. Hartshing received 27 votes, Henry Gale received 34 " Total, 61 "

For Supervisor of the 2d ward: Albert B. Boomer received 30 votes, Nelson Brabon received 31 " Total, 61 "

For Supervisor of the 3d ward: Wm. W. Ramage received 52 votes, John O'Brien received 23 " Total, 75 "

For Alderman of the 1st ward, full term: John M. Waterbury received 28 votes, Luke Murray received 30 " Total, 58 "

For Alderman of the 1st ward, (vacancy): John Stone received 30 votes, F. B. Emendorfer received 28 " Total, 58 "

For Alderman of the 2d ward: Thomas J. Moore received 35 votes, Edward M. Schlichte received 57 " Total, 92 "

For Alderman of the 3d ward: George Phelps received 50 votes, Anthony Lubawy received 24 " Total, 74 "

For Constable of the 1st ward: Orrin Beemer received 36 votes, John Kupp received 23 " Total, 59 "

For Constable of the 2d ward: George Webster received 40 votes, Martin Bay received 48 " Total, 88 "

For Constable of the 3d ward: John Brabon received 46 votes, George Sess received 27 " Total, 73 "

Moved by Ald. Dove and supported by Ald. Rollin, that G. W. Mount having received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Mayor; Orlando Elliott having received a majority of all votes cast for the office of City Clerk; James H. Nisbet having received a majority of all votes cast for the office of City Treasurer; Henry Gale having received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Supervisor of the 1st ward; Nelson Brabon having received a majority of all votes cast for the office of supervisor of the 2d ward; William W. Ramage having received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Supervisor of the 3d ward; Luke Murray having received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Alderman (full term) for the 1st ward; John Stone having received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Alderman (to fill vacancy) for the 1st ward; Edward Schlichte having received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Alderman of the 2d ward; George Phelps having received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Alderman of the 3d ward; Orrin Beemer having received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Constable of the 1st ward; Martin Bay having received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Constable of the 2d ward; John Brabon having received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Constable of the 3d ward; the same are hereby declared elected to their respective offices for the ensuing term. Carried, all voting yes.

The foregoing minutes were read. Moved by Ald. Rollin supported by Ald. Brown that minutes stand approved as read. Carried all voting yes.

Moved by Ald. Dove and supported by Ald. Rollin that council adjourn sine die. Carried all voting yes. J. W. KING, Mayor. L. J. PATTERSON, City Clerk.

Pick-Ups. Do not arrange the nests so the hens will have to jump down into them.

Did you ever see a farmer who was in love with his business that didn't prosper? There is no luck in the poultry yard. It is management that brings the profit.

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Water hot beds just before closing the sash in the afternoon. What is called "damping off" among plants follows a chilly atmosphere after they have been watered. Of course, everyone knows that pond water or rain water with the chill taken off by the sun or stove, is better than cold well water.—Farm Journal.

Whenever you see a neighborhood or section of the country devoted to dairying you invariably see farms that are improving in fertility, and farmers who are getting on the world in good shape.—Ew.

Good tools are needed in the garden as well as on the farm. If one depends upon the common hoe altogether to keep down the weeds and give all crops the necessary cultivation, the chances are that the garden will be sadly neglected when the busy season comes on.

One of the greatest mistakes we make is that of continuing on in any line of farming that we know isn't paying us a profit. A good farmer said to us the other day he kept more stock than was profitable he knew, and the question was why did he do it.—Ew.

We should watch the mistakes as we go along as well as successes, for it is by improving upon the faulty methods we practice that we become better farmers as the years go by. And there is no season that passes us by that doesn't chronicle some mistake made either in what we do or have failed to perform.—Guide.

It is a good plan to set two hens at one time and when they hatch give both broods to one of them and reset the other, or turn her out to get ready to go laying again. We have had a hen hatch three broods before stopping. They usually set better the second three weeks than they did the first. If this is done the chicks must be taken from the nests as fast as they come out, and eggs substituted.

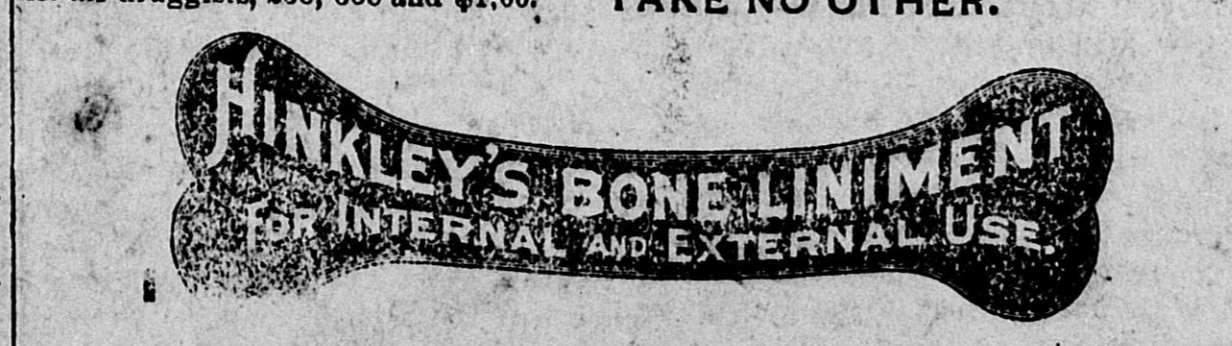
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