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A SHOCKING ACCIDENT.

James Davis Loses his Left Arm by Being Caught in a Planer.

James Davis, aged about nineteen years, and son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Davis, met with a most distressing accident yesterday afternoon, which resulted in the loss of his left arm above the elbow. The young man was employed in Gale and Ramage's mill and while at work at the planer in some way got his left hand caught between the feed roller and the knives. The machinery was stopped immediately by Mr. Gale, who saw the accident, but the arm had been drawn on to the knives to the elbow, and literally cut in shreds. He was taken to Dr. Darlings office and the injured arm was amputated two inches above the elbow. He is resting nicely.

Sherman.

Joe Schmieder was in Tawas Tuesday.

Mrs. Emil Harmon and little son visited East Tawas this week.

G. A. Pringle was in Turner Monday and Bay City Wednesday.

Mrs. George Gaw, of Alpena, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ida Rhoades.

Mrs. Nelson Johnson visited Turner and Twining Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Earnest Barlow, cook at Pfeiffer & Burch's shingle mill, is seriously ill.

Joe Smith, of Alabaster, visited at the home of M. Schmieder, Tuesday, on his way home from Chicago.

Messrs. Cluky, Jordan and Roth made our trout streams a visit and captured a fine string of speckled beauties.

SCRIBLER.

Alabaster School.

School closed Friday, June 2, with a picnic, at which a large number of pupils and patrons of the school were present.

Those who were not absent nor tardy during the month of May: Eta White, Lizzie McCue, Selma Wilson, Rose Barron, Belle Barron, Louise Barron, Willie Wilson, Willie McCue.

Those who spelled the school down: Etta White, Mary Martin, Maude McDonell.

Louise Barron won the arithmetic match.

Those having the greatest average in their respective grades: Mary Kenney, 84; Etta White, 87; Elmer Wilson, 83; Mable Poppan, 87; Grace McCue, 92; Effie Bruzza, 94; Edece Hendrierson, 99; Rose Barron, 97.

TRESSA E. SHAVER,
Teacher.

Nitrogen Gathering.

One of the most important discoveries in agricultural science in recent years has been in reference to the leguminous plants. Investigations have proved that plants belonging to this class, such as clover, peas, beans, vetches, lentils, are endowed with properties found in other crops. They have the power of drawing nitrogen from the atmosphere and transmitting it to the soil, a valuable faculty, if one remembers that this important ingredient of plant food in commercial forms often costs more than 10 cents per pound. Now, as an average crop of clover stores up about 105 lbs of nitrogen to the acre, some idea may be had as to the saving accomplished by taking advantage of the proprieties invested in these crops.

Many who follow the practice known as "green manuring" imagine that other crops have similar properties as the legume, and can be substituted in their place. Such crops are barley, rye and buckwheat are frequently grown as soil renovators, but there is a wide distinction between their properties and those of the legume proper, and it would be well for every farmer thoroughly to understand the difference. Clover and peas belong to the class of plants known as nitrogen gathers. When cultivated and turned under they not only furnish organic matter, but also add to the soil the nitrogen they have gathered from the air, thus increasing the amount of actual plant food in the soil. Rye, barley, buckwheat etc., are nitrogen consumers. They cannot get nitrogen from any source except the soil, and when turned under they do not add one whit to the soil's fertility, except in the non-nitrogenous matter they contain. In other words, they then simply replace what was in the soil before, that which they had absorbed while growing.

Now, as to fertilizing nitrogen gathers and nitrogen consumers. As the first get nitrogen from the air, they do not have to be supplied with this ingredient, but need only phosphoric acid and potash; as these two ingredients are less expensive than nitrogen, the cost of fertilizing legumes is comparatively small. On the other hand, the nitrogen consumers must be fertilized not only with phosphoric acid and potash, but with nitrogen as well.

These suggestions are not given with the idea of discouraging the practice of cultivating buckwheat, rye or barley as soil improvers, but to point out their true function, saving farmers the inconvenience and expense of discovering by costly experience the difference between these two classes of plants.

An important point in favor of the nitrogen consumers is that such usually grow during the season when they serve as a covering for the soil, and thus prevent loss of fertility through leaching.—R. Garwood.

J. A. Schear, of Sedalia, Mo., saved his child from death by croup by using One Minute Cough Cure. It cures coughs, colds, pneumonia, la grippe and all throat and lung troubles. Dr. G. S. Darling.

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THE Olympia, having on board Admiral Dewey, sailed from Hong Kong Tuesday. The health of the admiral is said to be much improved. It is also stated the Olympia will proceed direct to Gibraltar and thence to New York.

THE income tax bill, which was passed by the house committee of the whole Thursday, retains the rates provided in the Sayre bill recently passed by the senate. They range from one-fourth of one per cent on incomes of from \$1,000 to \$2,000 to 1 1/2 per cent on those in excess of \$20,000. Incomes derived from property otherwise taxed are exempted.

THE governor of Texas is about to invite the Governors and Attorney Generals of all the other states to attend an anti-trust conference. He says that he desires to meet the trust issue in the most intelligent and practical manner. Uniformity of state laws and policy is, he thinks, absolutely essential, and he is satisfied with the anti-trust bill recently passed by the Texas legislature and signed by himself last week. This is the most severe and comprehensive of the many anti-trust statutes which have enacted. The enforcement of it might even prevent the formation of ordinary partnerships in Texas.

"ALL the obituaries of the late Mr. Flower agree that he was an optimist, and that he was always ready to bet on the American Eagle," says the Boston Herald. "He was ever cheerful, hopeful and self-reliant, and he abhorred everything that squinted in the direction of hypocrisy. 'Young man,' said he to one who asked his advice as to investing in one of the Flower specialties in the stock market, 'stop preaching against the trusts and look pleasant. If there's a good monopoly around, manage to get in to it, and don't make faces at it.' The advice may not have been based on sound economic principles, but it had the merit of being frank, anyway."

EIGHT years ago James Doyle walked from Colorado springs to Cripple Creek and discovered the famous Portland gold mine. That made him a millionaire. Now he is spending his time in the county jail at Colorado Springs because he refuses to abide by the decision of a Colorado court. The judge who committed him for contempt has resigned from the bench, but the millionaire mine-owner still occupies his cell in the jail, because he thinks he is fighting for a principle. Doyle does not find jail life oppressive. A bath has been built in his cell, his meals are sent in from a neighboring hotel, his table is set with cut glass and silver, and he himself dresses for dinner every night. Not yet 40 years old, Doyle can look across the street to the plaining mill where, a few years ago, he worked, for his day's wages, and straight in front of his window stretches away the trail which he followed when he found the Portland gold mine.

THE editor of the Linden Leader pays his respects to the desecrators of Memorial Day in his current issue, thusly: "The old soldiers have been dead long enough so they ought not to hear a little thing like a baseball game or a horse race on Decoration day, anyway. What's the use of bottling up a barrel of respect for a whole day. Life's too short for a little thing like that. Knock out the plug, open up the bung-hole of joyous frolicking fun and let 'er sizzle. On the same day your brother dies give a dance the same evening—it would be an event in honor of the occasion. Were the soldiers of '61 and '98 our brothers? If so, isn't it our duty to pay them respect for at least one whole day each year. But in this day of higher education, higher civilization and bristling activity, there seems to be a tendency for fifteen minutes of respect and forty-seven hours-five minutes of fun. Of course we understand it's just as different people view the subject, and that squares things up within each and every individual think tank."

Another Accident.

Word was received here early this morning that Mrs. Keys, mother of C. M. Smith, who went to Alpena yesterday, had broken her leg, and that amputation would probably be necessary. No further particulars were obtainable at time of going to press.

Whitemore.

Work is being pushed on the grist mill.

Nelson Shaw has moved into O. Burten's house.

Rev. Johnson and wife, of Rose City, were in town Wednesday.

The Drummond house is receiving a new coat of paint. S. Earhart is doing the work.

There will be no school next Thursday and Friday on accounts of Teacher's Examination at the school house.

Some of those who have got wheels recently are Misses Alice Drummond and Sarah Beardlee, Henry Jordan, John Fitzpatrick, Aaron Blumenau, Sam Blumenau, Harry Osborn, Robt. Wilkins and Joe Bouchan.

A very severe hail storm passed over this place Tuesday. Large irregular shaped chunks of ice fell for a few minutes. One was measured that was 7 1/2 inches around and another one 5 inches long. It is reported that some young cattle were knocked down. There was no wind with the storm. If there had been a great many windows would have been broken. Everyone pronounced the hail the largest they had ever seen in this country.

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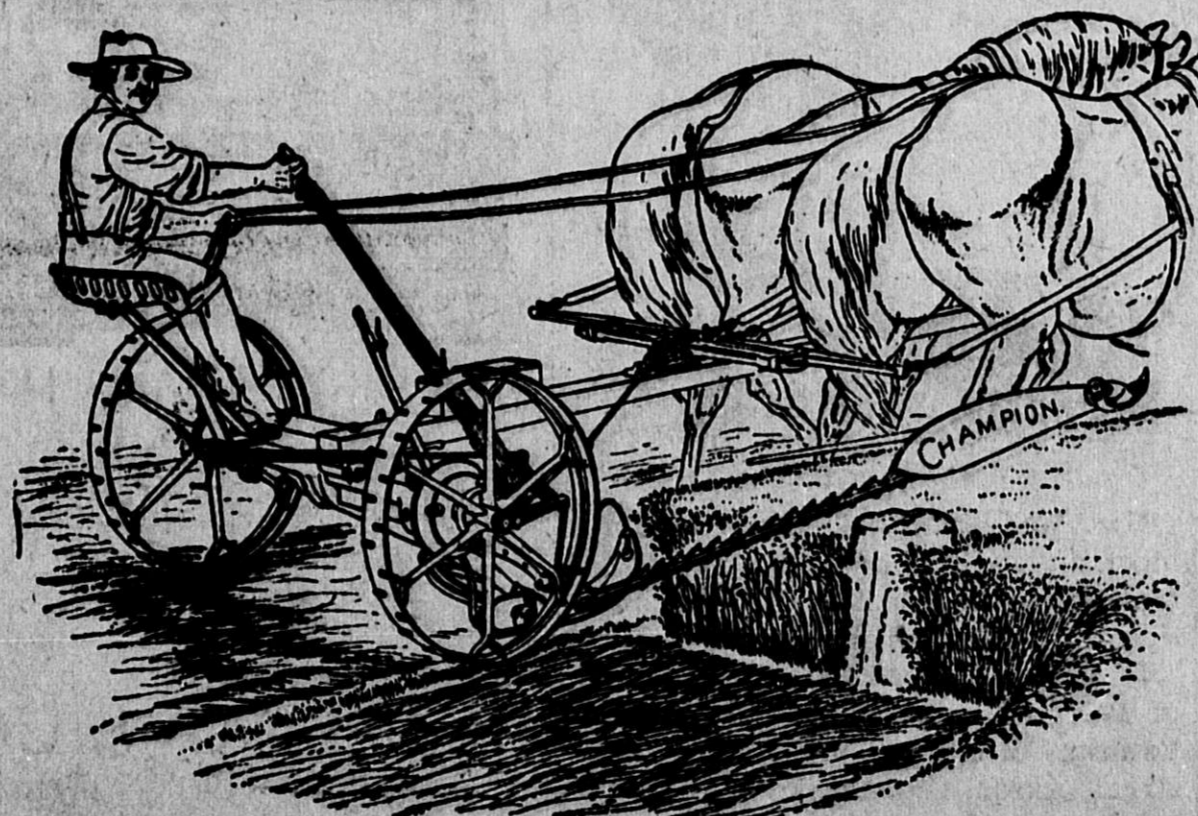
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Tawas City, Michigan.

LOCAL NEWS.

Very Warm.

Comes a cry across the threshold,
Sounding shrilly on the cars,
Such a cry as in its echoes
Wakens all the woes of years;
Orating harshly on the hearer,
Prompting deeds he'll live to rue—
Comes once more that fiendish question:
"Is it hot enough for you?"
Flies a man straight through the threshold,
Through the hall and down the stairs,
What his fate is in his transit
No one knows—and no one cares.
He's the fool who asked the question.
Hark the fiendish, ghoulish glee
Of the man who fired him, saying:
"Yes, it's hot enough for me!"
—Philadelphia North American.

Celebrate at Tawas City.

When in doubt, advertise.

Two weeks more of school.

Friedman leads in styles and prices.

Ald. J. S. Stone was in Omer Monday.

Black Italian undershirts—\$1.00, at Prescott's.

Men's overshirts only 15 cents, at Friedman's.

Smoke the D. & M., a strictly Union made cigar.

Ambrose Schill was in Omer and Standish this week.

Best 5 cent cotton in the market, at Friedman's.

Mrs. Mary Shaver visited friends at AuSable this week.

M. E. Friedman is in Detroit purchasing new goods.

Best salt at 75 cents per barrel, at C. H. Prescott & Son's.

Rev. Egbert has been at Oscoda this week assisting in meetings.

For shoes go to Friedman's. You will get the best for the money.

W. O. Emery, of East Tawas, was in Saginaw on business this week.

Nails by the pound at the same old price, at C. H. Prescott & Son's.

Dick Walker has been at Turner a few days this week inspecting lumber.

Chase & Sanborn package tea dust at 30 cents, at C. H. Prescott & Son's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCausland, of Bay City, spent Sunday at Alabaster.

Baked pork and beans 10 and 15 cents per can, at C. H. Prescott & Son's.

Fred L. Twining, of Twining, was in East Tawas, on business Wednesday.

The repairs were completed and Prescott's mill started again Monday noon.

WANTED:—3000 bushels of huckleberries, will pay cash.

M. MURPHY.

John McInerney, spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Bay City.

Hobson is a new postoffice in Alpena county, and Kate Turner is postmistress.

Wash dress goods of all descriptions at prices lower than the lowest, at Friedman's.

Surveyors are at work on the proposed new railroad between Lewiston and Alpena.

We have them—\$1.50 and \$1.35 shoes for 98 cents. At C. H. Prescott & Son's.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosco Johnson, of Turner, visited Mrs. W. Johnson, of this city during the week.

Mrs. George Elliott and little son, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Prescott.

See those beautiful silk waists just received, at Friedman's.

Picket's Negro Minstrels at East Tawas opera house tonight.

Uneda Biscuit 5 cents per package, at C. H. Prescott & Son's.

The next meeting of the board of supervisors will be held June 29.

Men's, boys' and children's suits at rock bottom prices, at Friedman's.

The biggest 4th of July celebration on the line will be held at Tawas City.

Rev. Martin, of St. Louis, Mo., is the guest of Rev. C. L. Wuggazer, of this city.

Scotch lawns, just the thing for a nice, cool dress, only 5 cents per yard, at Friedman's.

F. F. Taylor, of East Tawas, was in Harrisville on business Monday and Tuesday.

Rich Hartingh is home from Bay City, where he has been attending business college.

You can save from 15 to 25 cents on every dollar's worth of goods you buy of Friedman's.

N. C. Hartingh and family left yesterday for a trip to Bay City on yacht Commanche.

The hoop mill was closed down yesterday afternoon while repairs were made on the pump.

The adjourned term of circuit court will convene, one week from next Tuesday,—June 20.

Michigan Division Sons of Veterans holds its annual encampment at Grand Rapids June 14-15.

Fifty cents, 69 cents, 75 cents and \$1. shirt waist,—"can't be beat,"—at C. H. Prescott & Son's.

Mrs. L. H. Dupraw and son Henry of Alpena, visited relatives and friends here a few days this week.

We sell Alabastine in all colors, the only wall finish that is fully warranted, at C. H. Prescott & Son's.

Station agent Ivor Hanson, of Twining, has been spending a week's vacation with his parents at East Tawas.

Gus Whedon, arrived home Wednesday evening from South Rodgers, where he has been acting as station agent.

The tearing down of the old tram on the W. S. & L. Co's dock improved the appearance of that corner of the city.

Mrs. C. D. Bennett and daughter Miss Maude, arrived home Saturday, after an extended visit in southern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carbury are the parents of a fine boy, born last Tuesday. It weighs 13 pounds and looks like its pa.

E. L. King makes and repairs umbrellas. Take them to him. Also your bicycles, furniture and sewing machines to be repaired.

Rev. A. F. W. Schlechte and children of Mishawke, Ind., are the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Schlechte of this city.

At the Baptist church next Lord's day morning the pastor's subject will be "Burden Bearing." Children's exercises will be given in the evening.

C. A. Birney is home from New Orleans, where he went to attend the international convention of B. of R. T. He reports a very pleasant trip.

New line of elegant Dining and Library Tables. Also many new styles of Oak Rockers and Dining Chairs, at King's Furniture Store, East Tawas.

Jacob Alterfer had a three inch gash cut in side of his head while at work in the Union Cooperage Co.'s mill yesterday, by being caught by pile of falling plank.

The Alumni of the Tawas City High School have issued invitations to their first annual banquet, to be held at the Masonic hall, Friday evening, June 23.

A special examination for teachers' certificates of the second and third grades will be held at Whittemore on Thursday, June 15th.

F. F. Stephenson,
Commissioner of schools.

Childrens day exercises will be held at the M. E. church Sunday evening next. The collection taken will be for the aid of the M. E. board of education.

Rev. Howard Goldie, will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon for the graduating class of the Tawas City schools, at the Baptist church, Sunday evening, June 18.

Fred Ash, of East Tawas, who has been attending the school for the deaf at Flint, arrived home Wednesday for the summer vacation. Fred is making excellent progress in his studies.

The attention of our city council is called to Act 249, of the Public Acts of 1897, relative to the destruction of noxious weeds, and it is hoped that a strict enforcement of this law will be made in our city this year.

The commencement exercises of the Class of '99, of our city schools will be held at the Baptist church, Tuesday evening, June 20. Hon. D. E. McClure, assistant superintendent of public instruction, will deliver the address.

A very severe electrical storm visited this locality about 2 o'clock last Monday morning. Lightning struck the cupola of the Congregational church, tearing off some shingles and siding, and doing considerable other damage.

The propeller T. S. Faxton, formerly on the Alpena Bay City route, will run between Bay City, Point Lookout and Tawas this year during the resort season. She will arrive from Chicago in time to start on her regular trip about June 20.

To cure piles, STRIKE AT THE ROOT—that's the way DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve STRIKES AT THE ROOT—it removes the CAUSE quickly and permanently. Don't squander time and money in a vain effort to remove the effects. Dr. G. S. Darling.

Crop Report.

U. S Department of Agriculture. Climate and Crop Bulletin of the Weather Bureau, Michigan Section, for the week ending June 3, 1899.

The mean temperature for the week ended June 3, 1899, was 62.0 degrees, or 1.7 degrees above the normal; the average total precipitation was 1.21 inches, or 0.41 of an inch above the normal; the sunshine averaged 46 per cent of the possible amount.

The worm showery weather of the past week has generally been very favorable to meadows, pastures, oats and garden truck, but has greatly interfered with farm work; in the southern counties, where the heaviest showers occurred, they have caused some damage by washing out corn and beet seeding and delaying cultivation. Corn planting is nearing completion in all parts of the state, and although some of the seeding has rotted in the wet ground, making replanting necessary, there has been less complaint so far this year of corn rotting than in former years. Corn has germinated slowly, but is making steady growth; in the southern counties cultivation has begun; some localities report damage by cut worms, but this complaint is far from being general. Sugar beet seeding is well advanced in the more northerly counties, and is nearing completion in the southwestern counties, where it was delayed by heavy rains. Wheat continues in very poor condition, and has shown very little improvement during the past seven days; in the southern counties it is beginning to head, but continues to indicate an exceedingly light crop; much damage to wheat by insects is again reported this week. The plentiful showers have been very beneficial to meadows and pastures, and the hay prospects has been materially improved. In the southern counties strawberries are ripening and are yielding an abundant crop. Oats, rye and peas have made good progress, and are in generally good condition. Many fruit trees, especially peaches, which had apparently weathered the cold winter, are now dying; some orchards are being damaged by the tent caterpillar. In most counties apples, cherries and small fruits are setting well and look promising. Beans and late potatoes are being planted; early potatoes are coming up, look very well, and are being cultivated. In the southwestern counties early sugar beet seeding is above ground and being cultivated.

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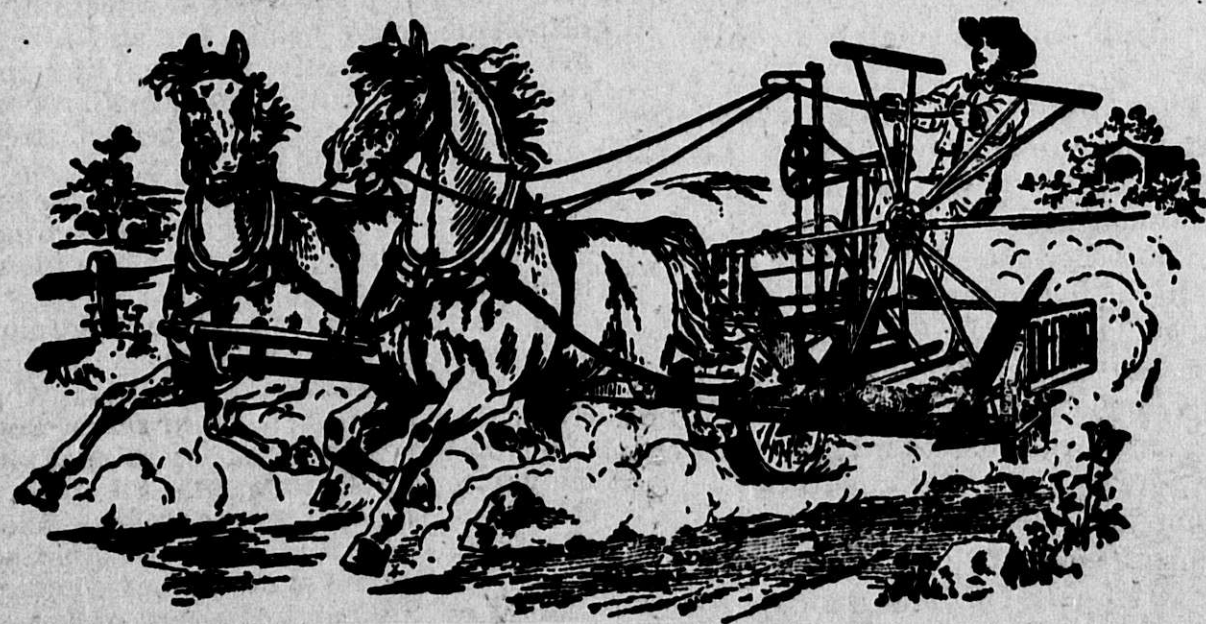
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Tawas City, Mich.

Pick-Ups.

A rusty machine is bad; a rusty farmer is worse.

Every farm should have a name. Think up some appropriate name and put it on the front gate.

Don't scrimp food for man or beast. Better three thrifty calves than four starveling runts.

Use nitrogenous manures for grass or stalk growth of plants, phosphoric acid for grain development.

Time is money on the farm at this season of the year and every convenience possible should be provided to expedite work.—*Ex.*

If you had the wagons and farm machinery to pull, as the horses now do, don't you think your bill for lubricating oil would be much larger than it now is?

The farmer that don't keep abreast of the times has no one to blame but himself. What he does do can be up-to-date, let that be much or little.—*Guide.*

The report of the agricultural department shows that the dairy cows of this country were worth \$39,500,000 more at the beginning of this year than they were the year previous.

It is a good idea to have a box of wood ashes or air slaked lime in the hen-house where the hens can dust themselves as often as they like. No danger of body lice if they can get at it.

The farmer should free himself of his prejudice against pure bred poultry and remember that the so-called "fancy" fowls are as practical for the farm as any of the old-fashioned kinds.

Many farmers will readily acknowledge that clover is the most profitable crop they can grow, and then go right on and neglect it more than any other crop.—*Guide.*

Keep the stables well ventilated in summer. When horses have to be kept up of nights it's a sin to compel them to stand in a close stall and sweat their lives away.

Some crops will not do well when they follow certain other crops. It is well to know just what kind of rotation is best adapted to every condition and surrounding.

Clover is more appreciated by farmers in sandy soils than clay, but the latter class are fast learning that vegetable mould cannot be supplied so easily or cheaply as by young clover.

Work all the weeds, grass and stalks you can into your soil. If you practice burning all sorts of stubble and rubbish on the farm your land will soon show its deficiency of humus, and work up cloddy and hard.—*Ex.*

It's alright to farm on the theory plan in a small way, not risking too much of the main money crop in so doing. It's the only way we can advance rapidly along progressive lines of agriculture.—*Farmers Guide.*

A chane is no stronger than its weakest link. You may be using judgment and skill in breeding and feeding your flock, you may excel in all points but one and still you may fail. Success depends on little things. Look out for the weak links.

If you are afraid of overworking yourself and want an occasional rest, just circulate it around among your neighbors that you need a new binder, and you'll have visitors early and late, and they won't be in a hurry to leave you if you don't buy.

There is and there is not overproduction in dairying. Of really superior products the supply is not equal to the demand, nor is it likely to be for years to

come; of inferior goods there is such an over-production that the products made habitually sell for less than it costs to make them.—*Ex.*

Careless, improper feeding makes considerable difference in the amount of profit obtained and can be done either way—that is, by feeding too much, so that more or less of the feed is wasted, or too little, so that not only is the feed largely wasted, but that proper growth is not secured with the stock. This is one advantage that a small farmer or feeder has over the one who feeds so extensively that he is not able to supervise the feeding properly, so that each head of stock will receive the right amount. Of course such a stockman cannot feed as economically as one who can feed his stock personally and use his knowledge of their wants to the best advantage. It is the acquiring and using of this knowledge that enables the careful feeder to derive a fair profit in feeding stock for market when feil. The high prices for feed that have prevailed the past winter will materially reduce the measure of profit derived from feeding stock and should cause every feeder to put in extra care in harvesting increased crops the coming season.

Good Care of Calves,

It should be the principal aim of every stockraiser to raise only the best stock, for scrubs are things of the past and buyers have no use for them. Next in importance to good blood comes the question of feed and shelter. It is impossible to fit an animal for market unless it is fed judiciously. Some feeders think that if a young animal is to be prepared for market it must have different care and treatment from the animals which are to be retained on the farm, but I think all stock should have equal care and that we cannot care for them too well. The calf for instance, if it is to be raised by hand, should not be confined in a dark stall in the barn nor should it be turned into the pasture with no shelter, at least not until it reaches an age when rains will not injure its growth. It may be put in a good pasture when it is six or seven months old as it will then be able to look after itself. When a calf is raised artificially it must not be neglected or it will fall away instead of gaining. It should be fed milk, pure and sweet, warmed to 90 or 95 degrees, four or five times a day while it is young. The quantity of milk may be gradually decreased as it grows older and some ground oats, bran or oil meal may be added. Care must be taken not to over-feed as this will cause scours. If scours should occur give a tablespoonful of salaratus in milk twice a day until they are checked. Let a calf have grass just as soon as it will begin to eat it for all the elements of food that nature calls for are contained in grass. I think stock foods can be used to advantage in some cases, for instance, if an animal gets stuned, then good stock food is very valuable, or if a bunch of cattle are being finished for the market, but I should not use it at any other time. Some stock-raisers expect too much of a young calf or pig. They think if they simply throw them some feed they will grow fast and thrive whether they have comfortable surroundings or not. There are numerous minor details to be looked after which if neglected will result in loss to the owner as well as the animal. A good bed goes a long way toward making a nice calf, likewise good, pure water at all times.—*H. M. Edge, in Prairie Farmer.*

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De'toit mail & Ex. No. 6.	Det. Ex. No. 10.	W. F. R't daily ex't Sunday a. m.
Alpena, leave 6 23	4 45	
Black River 7 10	5 37	7 55
W. Harrisville 7 28	6 07	8 50
W. Greenbush 7 45	6 24	9 12
Au'Sible, Osc'da 8 18	6 51	10 25
East Tawas 8 45	7 10	11 15
Tawas City 8 41	7 45	12 25
Emery Junc'n 9 11	8 09	1 25
Turner 9 23	8 54	2 26
Omer 9 38	8 38	3 00
Pine River 9 47	8 48	3 17
Pinconning 10 04	9 07	3 55
Bay City, arr. 10 45	9 50	5 20
Det. arr. 3 10 p. m.	7 30	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Alp'n mail Exp. daily No. 3.	N't Exp. Daily, No. 9.	Way Freight a. m.
Detroit, leave 8 10 a. m.	6 20 p. m.	
Bay City leave 1 00	10 50	8 25
Pinconning 1 43	11 45	10 04
Pine River 2 02	12 05	10 25
Omer 2 11	12 15	10 45
Turner 2 26	12 31	11 15
Emery Junc'n 2 40	12 45	11 55
Tawas City 3 02	1 04	12 30
East Tawas 3 08	4 01	1 35
Au'Sible, Osc'da 3 38	4 28	2 05
W. Greenbush 4 08	4 56	4 08
W. Harrisville 4 23	5 10	4 35
Black River 4 53	5 33	5 37
Alpena, arrive 5 45	6 30	

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No. 6.	No. 10 Daily.
Lv. Tawas City 8 51 A. M.	7 45 P. M.
Ar. Saginaw 12 20	10 40
" Flint 12 53 P. M.	12 05 a. m.
" Chicago 8 45	
" Holly 1 30	A. M.
" Detroit 3 10	7 30
" Monroe 3 40	8 10
" Toledo 4 15	8 45
" Vassar 11 58 A. M.	
" Marlette 12 37 P. M.	
" Port Huron 1 50	
" Midland 1 03	
" Mt. Pleasant 2 55	
" Clare 3 07	
" Reed City 3 25	
" Manistee 5 35	
" Ludington	
" Manitowac	
" Milwaukee 6 30 a. m.	

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DEPART	IN EFFECT	ARRIVE
Bay City Bay City	Jan. 29, 1899	Bay City B. City
8:41 am 7:35am	Det. Exp.	10:45pm 10:38pm
9:01 am 7:55am	Det. Exp. Jackson & J. & C. Ex.	12:25pm 12:19pm
9:06 am 8:00am	Chicago Ex.	11:00am 11:04am
10:15 am 9:05am	J & C Ex.	8:25pm 8:19pm
9:51 pm 8:45pm	J & C Ex.	9:20pm 9:14pm
12:41 pm 12:45pm	Mack'n Ex.	8:25am 8:18am
11:11 pm 11:05pm	M & D Ex.	5:35pm 5:29pm
8:35 am 8:30am	Grayling	6:45am 6:38pm
8:35 pm 8:30pm	Cladwin	10:00am 9:47am
9:14 am 9:05am	Midland	9:55am 9:48am
10:05 pm 9:00pm	Midland	5:25pm 5:19pm
9:48 am 10:00am	Vassar	11:50am 12:05pm
5:19 pm 5:40pm	Vassar	7:20pm 7:26pm
8:41 am 8:35am	Saginaw	11:10am 11:04am
6:06 am 6:00am	Saginaw	12:25pm 12:19pm
7:31 am 7:25am	Saginaw	3:55pm 3:10pm
10:11 am 10:05am	Saginaw	5:00pm 5:14pm
6:01 am 5:55pm	Saginaw	9:20pm 9:14pm
6:51 am 6:45pm	Saginaw	10:40pm 10:30pm

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