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Fresh, Clean
Stock of Gro-
ceries. He sells
for Cash, and
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TAWAS CITY, MICH.

J. V. Hobbs, M. D., Fort Valle, says: "I have been practicing medicine twenty-five years and know piles to be one of the most difficult of diseases to cure, but have known DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve to cure numbers of cases and do not hesitate to recommend it." Be sure you get "DeWitt's," there are injurious counterfeits on sale. Dr. G. S. Darling.

A WARM TIME

Was Had at the Annual School Meeting Last Monday Evening.

The high school room was filled to its capacity last Monday evening, on the occasion of the annual school meeting, and one of the most animating and exciting meetings held in several years was the result. Much talk had been indulged in for several days previous and many charges and counter charges had been made by some residents of the district and some ill-feeling engendered, a fact which is much to be regretted.

Moderator G. A. Prescott called the meeting to order at 7:30 and the motion to adjourn was not made until nearly 12, the meeting being in session about four and a half hours. The first business taken up was the reading of the minutes of last year's meeting, which were approved with slight correction.

The report of the director was then read and accepted. A motion was made to adopt the report by item and was carried. Some of the items were passed without objection, while others, including the director's and truant officer's salaries, were attacked, but in each case were adopted by a large vote. The report was very complete and the best presented in a number of years.

The report of the assessor was then read and unamously adopted. This report showed the total receipts from all sources during the past year to have been \$4473.12, and the expenditures to have been \$3596.62; leaving a balance on hand of \$876.50.

The board reported their estimates for the ensuing year as follows: Teacher's wages, \$2400; janitor's wages, \$160; fuel, \$150; incidentals, \$85; taking census, \$8.50. They also recommended the following amounts, which were voted by the district: Supplies, \$75; repairs, \$50; directors salary, \$50; making a total of \$2978.50, as compared with \$3395.50 last year; a reduction of \$417. A motion was made to cut the director's salary to \$25 per year, but was lost by a small majority.

The next business taken up was the election of two trustees to succeed George S. Darling and Henry Funk, and a most exciting contest was had. The first ballot showed 119 votes, and nearly a dozen ballots was had before an election was secured. W. W. Ramage and W. E. Whittemore were finally the winners.

One prominent citizen was heard to remark the next day, that "after all the excitement, talk and personal attacks, there was not one word heard which would tend to advance the standing of the work in our schools," and there are many who agree with him.

FARM FOR SALE.—Sited one mile northwest of Alabaster. Good buildings, convenient to school, postoffice, etc. Everything in first-class shape. Inquire of John A. McDonell, Alabaster, or M. Murphy, Tawas City, Mich.

Prescott.

Harvest small and laborers few.

Alvah Wood did business in town Saturday.

Hay crop reported light, especially old seeding.

Z. David, of Bay City, did business here this week.

School meeting Monday night. Results not known.

Wm. Figar took his son to Bay City Monday for ocular treatment.

The band boys cleared \$52 serving meals and music for the dance on the 4th.

Dr. Hull, of Maple Ridge, makes professional calls almost daily in our midst.

C. H. Prescott is kept busy overseeing his numerous and extensive farms.

G. Mills and family have removed to their farm two miles out of the village.

Wm. Warner has just completed a fine large barn on his farm just out of the village.

Clarence Sampson has returned from a few week's visit with relatives at West Branch.

L. Braddock done business in town Monday for the firm of W. J. Brotherton, of Bay City.

J. Franks, of Rose City, has been calling on old friends and transacting business as well.

A. Hill had a slight sun stroke Tuesday, while working on C. H. Prescott's new barn.

Mrs. G. Sanderson, of Alpena, is spending a short time with Rev. Sanderson and family.

Mumps have been doing the town, but are almost out of business—nearly every one being served.

J. A. Owen is completing a large barn on C. H. Prescott's farm, now occupied by J. Whiteside.

B. Mills has been in Tawas this week looking after the shipment of long timber and other business.

Mr. Curtis, of DeFord, Mich., is spending a short time with his daughter, Mrs. Delbert Lamb and family.

J. Weinberg now occupies his new store with a complete line of up-to-date goods. Call and see for yourself.

Children from six years and upwards can find steady employment in the sugar beet fields of C. H. Prescott.

Mrs. G. Eymmer, who had the misfortune to break several ribs by a fall is now able to leave her room and is slowly recovering.

N. Mett has sold his residence to our hustling merchant, J. Mills, and is about to build on his lots near the town hall.

Rev. and Mrs. Pierson have returned from a two weeks visit with relatives and friends in southern Michigan.

Prescott ball club will play against the Maple Ridge nine on the Prescott grounds, Friday afternoon, for a purse of \$5.00.

Mrs. Wilcox has been in Bay City for the past three weeks receiving medical treatment and returns much improved in health.

Wanted, a meat market in our village. Experience not considered, as long as our citizens can carry home a piece is all that is required.

John Pilen offers his residence for sale cheap. On account of Mrs. P.'s poor health they will remove to the southern part of the state.

G. Randall, lumber inspector, of Bay City, inspected two car loads of N. & B. Mills' lumber, for Black & Fox, of Bay City this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. W. Henry and Mr. and Mrs. H. Zeran attended the Orangeman's celebration at Standish the 12th.

The large raft of long timber shipped from East Tawas by N. & B. Mills, is reported ashore and badly broken up at Port Hope, which means a heavy loss to the firm.

Marriage Licenses.

County Clerk Mark reports the following marriage licenses issued since July 1:

July 3—Josiah Robinson, Reno.

Mary Charters, "

July 6—Joseph Watts, Grant.

Stella VanSickle, Reno.

July 12—Patrick H. Powers, East Tawas.

Laura M. Tompkins, Tawas.

The Picnic Season

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Indian Relish,
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Mustard Dressing,
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Also a full line of Libby, McNiel Libby's canned meats, including

Potted Tongue,
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Potted Ham,
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Roast Beef,
Chopped Dried Beef.

In fact, we have anything you may want in the Line of Fine Groceries.

Just try one sack of

Kern's Success Flour,
It can't be beat.

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Crop Report.

Issued by the Secretary of State, July 10:

The mean temperature and the precipitation during June have been below the normal. The cool weather was favorable to wheat, enabling it to fill well. There were heavy storms in some counties in the first half of the month, which did considerable damage to hoed crops and during the latter half of the month the other extreme prevailed, many crops suffering from continued dry weather.

The number of acres of wheat on the ground, as reported to the supervisors this spring is, approximately 1,906,947. Ninety-five per cent of this total acreage is based on actual reports, the other five per cent being a careful estimate taken from the Farm Statistics for 1898. The number of acres actually harvested will be considerably less than this number, since many acres were plowed up and put to other crops, and also many acres have been cut for hay. The report of this Department for June estimated that 18 per cent of the whole acreage would be plowed up.

The estimated yield per acre, as fixed by correspondents, is for the total area that was sown last fall. While this construction may not have been adhered to in all instances yet it is assumed that the estimate, that the crop will amount to about 15,250,000 bushels, is not far from being correct. Correspondents report that the crop is heading well, so that the crop may vary somewhat from the estimate, which is simply the best judgment of our correspondents based on what information they had July 1.

The average estimated yield is, in the southern counties eight bushels, in the central counties eight bushels, in the northern counties eleven bushels and for the state eight bushels.

The condition of corn in the southern counties is, compared with an average, 89, in the central counties 83, in the northern counties 87 and for the state 87.

The condition of oats for the state is 93.

The condition of potatoes, in the southern counties is 94, in the central counties 93, in the northern counties 95 and for the state 94.

The condition of clover sowed this year, as compared with an average, is in the southern counties, 86, in the central counties 94, in the northern counties 102 and for the state 90.

The crop of hay has been shortened in some counties by the dry weather and in some places by hail storms, which have damaged the crop to a considerable extent. Many correspondents report that clover fields are scarce, owing to the young clover having been killed by the drought last year. The average yield of clover in tons, per acre, is in the southern counties, 1.10, in the central counties 1.27, in the northern counties 1.39, and for the state 1.18. The average yield of timothy per acre is, in the southern counties 1.16, in the central counties 1.20, in the northern counties 1.19, and for the state 1.18.

The use of commercial fertilizers is steadily increasing in the state. Considerable knowledge is required in order to buy just such ingredients as are lacking in the soil, and are best adapted for promoting growth in certain plants. Their use will of necessity be limited to the older portions of the state for some time to come. Many farmers throughout the state have found the use of these fertilizers profitable. It is a subject worthy of investigation, and many farmers would do well to conduct experiments of their own along this line. Careful work of this kind could be done with much profit at a slight cost. The per cent of farmers that use commercial fertilizers is, in the southern counties 10, in the central counties 4, in the northern counties 1, and for the state 7.

An Immense Consolidation. It is Announced for Exhibition in East Tawas at an Early Date.

A wisacre of a remote past once remarked that no person or thing is so great but that his or its place could be filled, an epigram that serves well in the present instance. The Barnum and Bailey circus has for time im-

memorial been conceded first place in the affections of the people of the Eastern country. But the Barnum and Bailey circus has sailed across the Atlantic and is now startling the people of the Queen with an exhibition of American ingenuity. It will perhaps remain a fixed British institution.

Now comes the great Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' combined circuses and menageries, to fill the aching void. A casual glance at the names of the operators and directors of this colossal enterprise should and will be proof positive of the justice of the claims made for it. They are James A. Bailey, sole owner of the Barnum and Bailey circus; Lewis and Peter Sells, the acknowledged leading amusement caterers west of the Alleghenies, and W. W. Cole, who has again taken up the reins of management in this country after a long period of circus exploitation in Berlin, Paris and Vienna. In the Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' Combined Shows is found the outcome of the combination of the brains and fortunes of these—the greatest circus impresarios of a generation.

The Adam Forepaugh show, shortly after the death of its owner and founder, was purchased by James A. Bailey. Its prestige and place in circosdom are sufficiently well known to make extended reference unnecessary. Suffice is that its wild animal collection was unequalled by any other show, while its arenic performances were always regarded as par excellence.

The Sells Brothers' Circus has, for twenty years been "the" circus west of the Allegheny mountains. It has toured the West successfully for a score of years, and has extended the field of its operations to Anstralia and the East Indies.

With the departure of the Barnum and Bailey show for Europe the idea of the consolidation of these two institutions was conceived and consummated. Need more be said than that this consolidation is a reality—that the two great circuses, menageries and hippodromes will be seen as one—exhibiting in East Tawas, Friday July 28,

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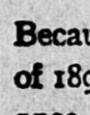
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Tawas City, Mich.

A Few Specialties For the Picnic Season.

Libby McNeil and Libby's Canned Veal Soup.

Libby McNeil and Libby's Canned Potted Tongue.

Libby McNeil and Libby's Canned Potted Ham.

G. H. Hammond & Co. Vienna Sausage.

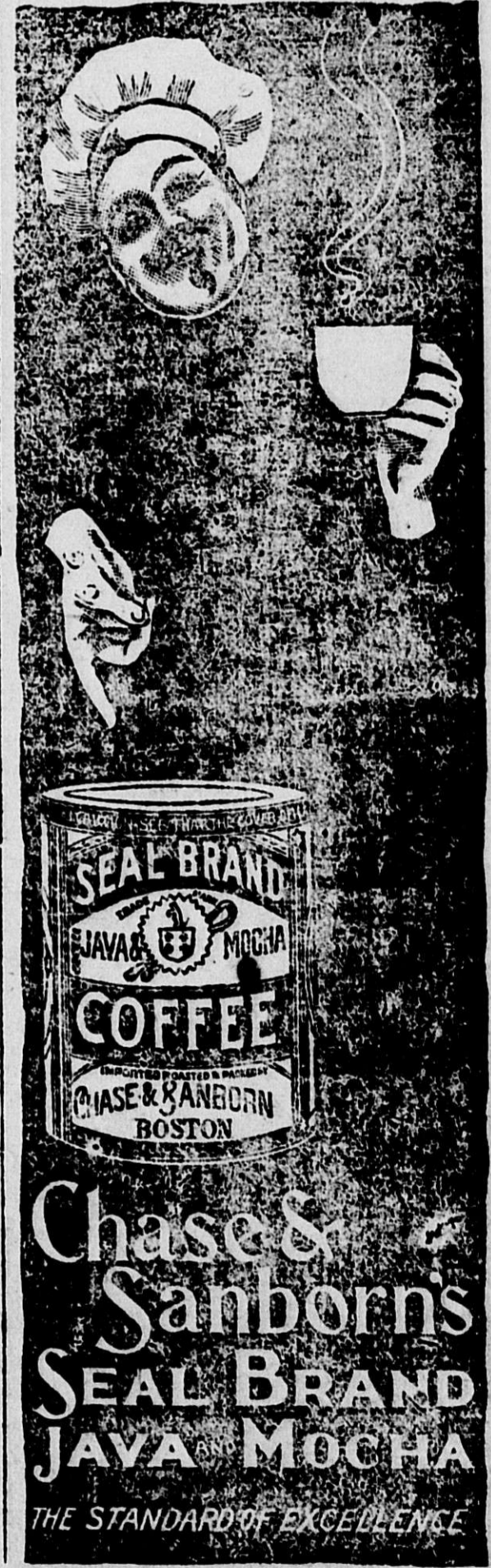
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A Complete Line of Heinz's Pickles and Beans.

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Tawas City.

LOCAL NEWS.

Monkey brand cove oysters, at Prescott's.

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

Pure paris green at 25 cents per pound, at Prescott's.

G. A. Prescott was in Bay City on business Wednesday.

Haying is in full blast. The crop will be light this season.

James Meilstrup, of West Bay City was in the city yesterday.

Thomas Curry is attending the races at Saginaw this week.

Granola, the finest breakfast food on the market, at Prescott's.

Mrs. Griffin, of Saginaw, is visiting relatives in Tawas township.

Mrs. J. B. Redhead spent a few days this week at Roscommon.

Dark and light wrappers with flounce, 95 and \$1, at Prescott's.

Otto and Fred Buch are visiting friends in Detroit for a few days.

Charles Curry, of East Tawas, attended the Saginaw races this week.

See the new lawns and challies at 5 and 6 cents per yard, at Prescott's.

Tom Tompson, of South Branch, was in the city on business yesterday.

Mrs. George Redhead left Wednesday for a visit with relatives at Lapeer.

Miss Corbett, of Reynoldston, Pa., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Graham.

Mrs. John A. Mark and children visited at AuSable last Friday and Saturday.

W. H. Hartley returned last Friday from a ten days trip to the Upper Peninsula.

New consignment of gingham at the old price, 10 cents per yard, at Prescott's.

Miss Sherwin, of Cleveland is a guest of Mrs. C. H. Prescott, sr., for a few weeks.

Miss Anna Simon, of New York City, has been the guest of Tawas friends this week.

Miss Marie McDonald went to Saginaw Monday, for a visit with relatives and friends.

Planet jr., double wheel hoes, just the thing for sugar beets and chicory. C. H. Prescott & Sons.

Miss Maudie and James Phinney returned from the C. E. Convention at Detroit, Wednesday.

Station Agent Clough reports the sale of 23 tickets to Standish and 31 to Saginaw, Wednesday.

Mrs. William Noble, of Linwood, visited relatives and friends in this city during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Prescott, of Cleveland, arrived Tuesday, for a few week's visit in this city.

Mrs. Rix, of Oscoda, spent a couple of days this week with her brother, W. F. Whittemore, and family.

Mrs. Blumenthal, of Howell, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sempliner, of East Tawas.

For Sale, one second hand mowing machine. C. F. ADAMS, East Tawas.

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

Gus Whedon, who has been acting as station agent at Rose City for a few weeks, arrived home yesterday.

A ball game at East Tawas last Sunday, the club of that town defeated AuSable by a score of 14 to 0.

Rev. and Mrs. Howard Goldie went to Alpena last Monday, for a two weeks visit with relatives and friends.

Editor Frank Taylor, of the Omer Progress, was in the city on business Monday and made this office a pleasant call.

Mrs. J. J. McSpaden and children; of Amherstberg, Ont., are the guests of her sister, Mrs. E. D. Benedict, of this city.

Will McGillverery, of the Press, has been appointed postmaster at Oscoda, in place of C. E. Pierce. Here's our best.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Graham, of Tawas township, died Sunday. The funeral services were held Tuesday.

Dave Lowe arrived from Chicago, Tuesday, for a visit with relatives and friends. He is accompanied by his friend Mr. Kelly.

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

In the absence of Rev. Howard Goldie, Rev. Walter Jones, of Wilber, will preach at the M. E. church next Sunday morning and evening.

Married, at the residence of the bride's parents, in Tawas township, Wednesday evening, July 12, Patrick H. Powers, of East Tawas, and Miss Laura M. Tompkins, Rev. A. Waterbury, officiating. A large number of relatives and friends were present and joined in extending the happy young couple congratulations.

All kinds of garden and farm tools at C. H. Prescott & Sons.

J. W. Curtis, of Whittemore, was in the city on business Monday.

John Corbett, of Reynoldston, Pa., has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Graham this week. Mrs. G. is his daughter.

Mrs. J. H. Nisbet, Miss Effie Graham and Miss Mable Crandall arrived home from the C. E. Convention at Detroit, Tuesday.

We are obliged to issue a supplement again this week, to accommodate our advertising, and also leave out some desirable matter.

I have for sale two milch cows, also a second-hand binder and mower. Inquire at residence in Tawas township. THOMAS CURRY.

Mrs. P. J. McCombs, returned to her home in Bay City, Wednesday, after a three week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nisbet.

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.

The D. & M. will run excursions from Bay City and Rose City to Tawas Beach, next Sunday. They are advertised to stop at Tawas City, Fare to the Beach 10 cents.

Mrs. G. L. Cornville and little daughter, Fern, left Wednesday for a visit with relatives and friends at Tecumseh. Mr. Cornville accompanied them as far as Bay City.

Rev. and Mrs. Cyrus K. Stockwell, of Vicksburg, are the guests of Rev. and Mrs. James Ebert, of this city. They are on their way home from the C. E. Convention at Detroit.

Mrs. C. H. Prescott, jr., and children, her mother, Mrs. Dunham, and Misses Belie, Alice and Katherine Dunham, of Cleveland, came Tuesday for a few weeks at Mrs. P.'s summer home.

"What might have been"—if that little cough hadn't been neglected—is the sad reflection of thousands of consumptives. One Minute Cough Cure cures coughs and colds. Dr. G. S. Darling.

Good sevythes, 50 cents and upward, at Prescott's.

We have received a communication from Whittemore, relative to school matters in that village, which we were unable to publish this week, owing to the lateness of its arrival and the crowded condition of our columns.

Rev. Cyrus K. Stockwell, pastor of the Congregational church, of Vicksburg, will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday morning and evening. Special music in the evening, led by Rev. Thomas, of Cleveland.

G. K. Warren W. R. C., of East Tawas, will hold a basket picnic at Tawas Beach, Thursday, July 20. All members of the G. A. R. and S. of V. and their families are invited attend. Take your baskets and enjoy a pleasant day.

The delegates from the International C. E. Convention will give their report at the Congregational church Sunday evening, July 16. All are cordially invited to come and receive the beautiful information and enthusiasm which they bring home to us.

Apple butter, 3 pound crock for 25 cents, at Prescott's.

Mr. Geo. F. Sterling, a Detroit photographer, took a spoonful of carbolic acid in mistake for medicine last Friday night and died in a few minutes. Mr. Sterling was well known throughout the state, and visited Tawas several times with his photograph car.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers expel from the system all poisonous accumulations, regulate the stomach, bowels and liver and purify the blood. They drive away disease, dissipate melancholy, and give health and vigor for the daily routine. Do not gripe or sicken. Dr. G. S. Darling.

An exchange says: "Now that the gasoline stove season has set in, remember this: If you have a gasoline fire throw flour on it, or meal or sand will put the fire right out, while water only spreads it. Now mix this in your mind so it will be handy when you need it."

Thomas Rhoads, of Centerfield, O., writes: "I suffered from piles seven or eight year. No remedy gave me relief until DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, less that a box of which permanently cured me. Soothing, healing, perfectly harmless. Beware of counterfeits. Dr. G. S. Darling.

N. C. Harting has pulled his yacht, the Comanche, out, and is having her center-board replaced and a new spar put in. Nick proposes to give the visiting boats a hard race for the prizes offered at the coming regatta, and if he don't win some of them, there will be disappointment in our city.

Pure, clean blood and a healthy liver result from the use of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the "famous little pills." They cure constipation, biliousness and sick-headache. Dr. G. S. Darling.

A. Achtzehn, of East Tawas, now has his restaurant and lunch room located in the Robinson block, and has a much more convenient and larger room. His customers will find his line of tobacco and cigars complete and will receive prompt service on all occasions.

Maple sugar 13 cents per pound, at Prescott's.

The "Tawas Beach Special" is a new train on the D. & M. time card. It leaves Bay City every Saturday evening at 5:30 and arrives here at 7:05 and at the Beach at 7:15. Returning it leaves the Beach at 6:35 Monday morning and arrives at Bay City at 8:25. A few slight changes in the time of other trains was made last Sunday. See corrected time card in this issue.

Died, at the home of her son, August Detmer, in Tawas township, Thursday, July 6, 1899, Mrs. Efranz Detmer, aged 82 years and 11 months. The funeral was held Sunday and the remains were interred in the Cold Creek Lutheran cemetery. Besides her son August, she leaves a daughter, Mrs. C. Fanning, of Saginaw, and a large circle of friends.

Uneda Gynger Wayfers 10 cents a package, at Prescott & Sons.

Electric L. O. L., No. 309, of this city, attended the Orange celebration at Standish Wednesday and were successful in landing the celebration for 1900 at Tawas City. This meeting includes lodges of Iosco, Arenac, Ogemaw and adjoining counties along the D. & M. and the Mackinaw division of the Michigan Central roads, and will bring to our city from three to five thousand visitors.

Last Sunday night, between 10:30 and 11:30, many of our citizens were awakened from their peaceful slumbers by a crowd of young men who were endeavoring to see which could make the most noise and use the worst language. City Marshal Webster secured their names and Wednesday they paid \$1 fine and costs, amounting in all to about \$5 each. They were all residents of Tawas township. Now, if the officers will serve a few of those who reside here and indulge in the same kind of fun (?), with the same dose, it will undoubtedly be appreciated and tend to lessen the amount of vulgarity on our streets.

An observing exchange remarks that running a newspaper is just like running a hotel, only it is different. When a man gets into a hotel and finds something on the table that he does not like, he doesn't kick all the fat into the fire and tell the landlord to "stop his old hotel." Well, hardly, he just pushes that dish aside and wades into some other brand of eatables. But it is different with some newspaper readers. They find an item they do not like and without stopping to think it may please a whole lot of other people, make a grand stand play and stop their paper. The paper doesn't stop, but that particular gentleman's copy fails to reach him next week and he is sure to sneak around and borrow his neighbor's copy, "just to see if the paper is still published," you know. The press still grinds on, however, and new subscribers line up in place of the dispeptic who stopped his source of information because a small part of it didn't suit him.

Whittemore.

W. H. Price attended the C. E. convention in Detroit.

It is expected that the grist mill will be grinding flour by Sept. 15.

Miss Sarah Beardslee has gone to Big Rapids to attend the Ferris' school.

A number of our citizens took advantage of the cheap rates to Saginaw and attended the celebration on the 12th.

In the last Whittemore items regarding teachers' examination, instead of "some" of the pupils of the Whittemore school took the examination, it should have read "seven." These seven all passed. Their names are Pearl Stone, Lizzie Belknap, Luella Pringle, Louis Dutton, Geo. Jackson, Frank Carroll and Harvey Braun. The last three named were too young to hold teachers' certificates, but the board of examiners granted them complimentary certificates.

Sherman.

John Arn was at Tawas Monday.

James Melvor visited Tawas City Tuesday.

G. A. Pringle was in Bay City a couple of days this week.

About 50 took in the Orangemen's excursion from here Wednesday.

Mrs. James Pittenger, of Edmore, is visiting her husband at Pfeiffer & Burch's mill.

Miss Cora Vaughn returned to Bay City Saturday, after visiting her parents a few days.

Mrs. Elias Smith returned Sunday from AuSable, where she was called by the serious illness of a sister.

Peter Nelson, an old resident of this township, died at East Tawas last week, and was buried Saturday.

WANTED

25 bushels of huckleberries wanted every day except Saturday at W. W. Brown's. Highest price, cash or trade.

FARMERS

bring in your eggs and butter. I am always in the market for them at the best prices. I am selling out my dry goods at about cost. Come early and get a bargain. Yours for Business,

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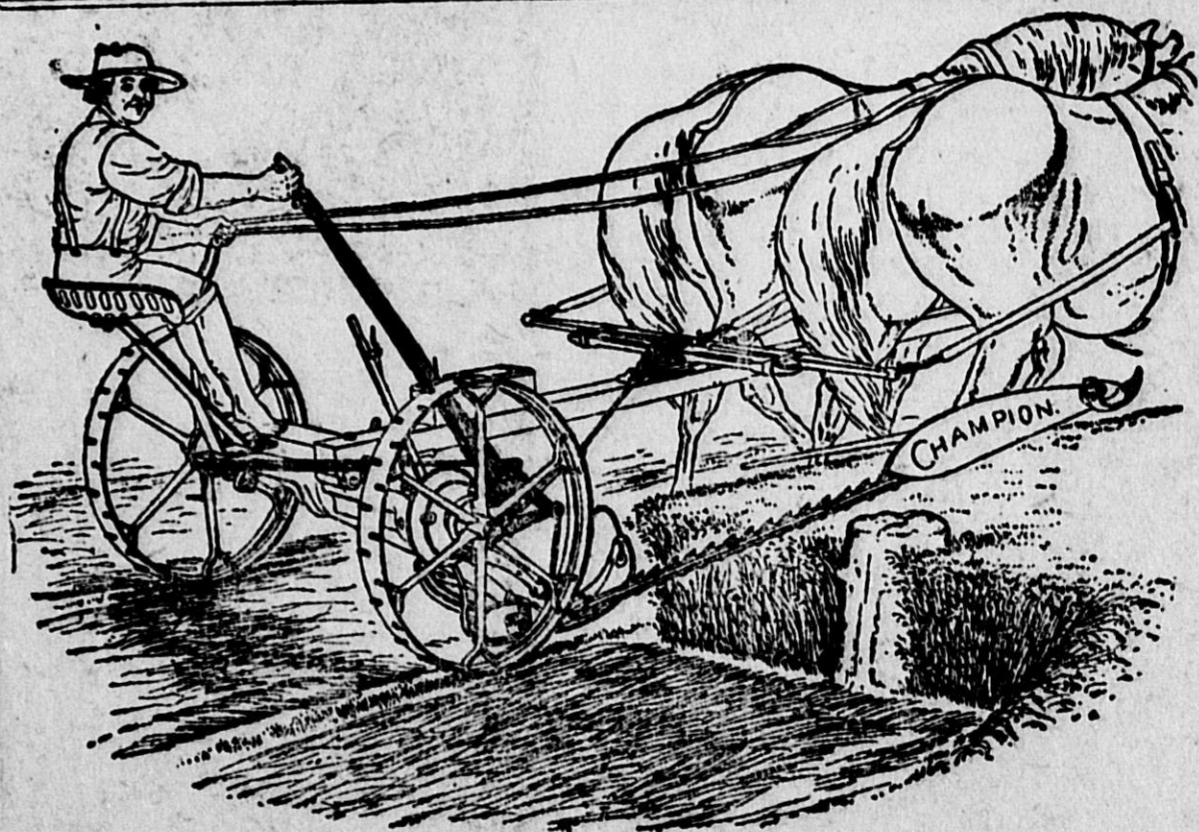
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