

THE TWO CITIES.

The Local Happenings of Tawas City and East Tawas.

Circus today.

Burnham's cream custard at Prescott's.

Mrs. P. E. Shien has been visiting at Osceola this week.

Henry Kane has been in Huron county during the past week.

It will pay you to look over the remnant counter at Prescott's.

F. S. Dewey, of Bay City, was in the city on business Saturday.

Tom Ferguson, of the Alpena Herald, spent Sunday in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Armstrong spent Sunday with friends at Omer.

Rev. Lyon, of Lansing, is enjoying a few weeks vacation in this city.

A big Maccabee excursion will be run from Bay City to Tawas Beach next Sunday.

Miss Mary Quosky, who has been in Alpena since last fall, has returned to her home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laraber, of Flint, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. G. S. Darling, of this city.

Mrs. Hurlburt and son Lloyd, and Mrs. Harmon, of Bay City, are spending a few weeks in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McCombs are now residents of this city, having moved here from Bay City this week.

Bicycles, sewing machines, umbrellas, trunks and furniture repaired and supplies for same, at King's Furniture Store, East Tawas.

Prof. L. Fuerbringer, of St. Louis, Mo., was in the city a day or two last week, on business.

Miss Sadie Gates, of East Tawas, has gone to her old home in Canada, for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Edith Sherwin returned to her home in Cleveland Wednesday, after spending a few weeks with friends here.

Miss Margaret McDonald and Miss Kittie Johnson, of Alpena, spent Sunday as the guest of Miss Nellie Brabon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Fluent, of Lewiston, visited Mrs. F.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. McCassey, of this city, during the week.

John Corbett, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. John Graham, returned to his home in Reynolds-ville, Pa., Wednesday.

Mrs. Stormer, of LaPorte, Ind., and Miss Stormer, of Ous, Ind., mother and sister of Carl Stormer, are visiting him for a short time.

One dollar will secure the HERALD one year, and the Farm Journal for the balance of 1899, all of 1900, 1901, 1902, and 1903. Subscribe today.

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.

Mason & Morgan's Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. is billed for this city Saturday night. They give their show under canvass and are well spoken of.

Rev. and Mrs. Howard Goldie arrived home last Saturday from a two week's visit at Alpena. Mr. G.'s brother Harry came with them for a visit.

Eugene Hanson, of East Tawas, who has been visiting at North Williams, returned home last Friday. He was accompanied by Harry and Charlie Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Lackamp, Elston, Mo., write: "One Minute Cough Cure saved the life of our little boy when nearly dead with croup." Dr. G. S. Darling.

Arrangements are being made for the Iosco County Farmer's Institute picnic, which will be held near the Hall school house, in Grant, about the 21st of August.

The new Prescott residence is now enclosed and the masons are engaged in plastering it. It is one of the prettiest houses on the shore, and adds much to the appearance of Lake street.

You can't cure dyspepsia by dieting. Eat good, wholesome food, and plenty of it.—Dudol Dyspepsia Cure digests food without aid from the stomach, and is made to cure. Dr. G. S. Darling.

The Tawas Herald has been enlarged to a six-column quarto. The Herald is a neat and enterprising paper and should be liberally supported by the business men and citizens of Iosco county.—Alpena Herald.

As yet, we have heard of no visitation, in this locality, of that much talked of "kissing bug" and all the swollen lip can be accounted for and traced to the old fashion yum yum, for which there is no immediate cause for alarm, barring the possible transmission of microbes.

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

First come, first served; so march up and pay for the HERALD a year ahead. This will secure that good little paper, the Farm Journal, for the balance of 1899 and all of 1900, 1901, 1902, and 1903, nearly five years, without any further pay. Shall we hear from you within one week?

An exchange says: "Merchants who want newspaper men to roast grocery pedlars, cheap John stores and the like, would make newspaper men feel more like doing so, if these same merchants would quit using the free letter heads of soap firms and wholesale gargling-oil envelopes, baking powder statements, sidewalk advertisements and rubber stamps; and patronize home printers."

Barred from Mails.

A largely operated advertising plan is excluded from the mails by a decision rendered by Acting Assistant Attorney-General Barret, for the postoffice department. The plan consists of puzzles with prize offers, whose solutions is easy by counting dots in a circle, spokes in a wheel or arranging a set of jumbled letters to form names of prominent persons, but the catch is in a proviso imposing conditions on successful contestants. The heavy mails following these advertisements bring out circulars from the promoters, which the department holds is designed to lead patrons to believe they have won valuable prizes conditioned on their making or obtaining subscriptions, selling articles, etc. The department in directing the postmaster at Boston, in a test case, to refuse to accept for mailing, circulars relating to such schemes holds that they deceive the credulous and uneducated.

"What might have been"—if that little cough hadn't been neglected—is the sad reflection of thousands of con-

Another Swindle.

A Michigan exchange says the preparations are on foot to introduce into that state a scheme that has been very profitable to those who have been engaged in it in Canada for some three years past, but very disastrous to the farmers there. It consists of the publication of a so-called "Farm For Sale Journal," which is to be devoted to descriptions of farms for sale as its title indicates. The state is to be canvassed by agents who first use arguments to induce the farmer to offer his farm for sale and next, by glowing representations about the pictures and descriptions that are to be used in the Journal, and of the vast circulation it is to have among farm buyers, they lead the farmer to sign a very shrewdly worded contract to pay to the order of these parties a sum of from \$100 to \$500, depending on the price put on the farm. Ostensibly the payment is to be made only when the farm is sold, but the supposed contract eventually turns up in the form of a promissory note for the amount, and it is so worded that it can be filed in the recorder's office in the county where the land lies, in such a way as to make it a lien on the farm. The promoters of the scheme are not interested in making a sale at all, and don't care whether one is made or not. The payment that is to be made to them does not depend upon a sale being made, although the farmer is induced to believe that it does. It is a very cunning scheme, designed to get something for nothing, and it is said that a state like Michigan, well worked, will net the promoters of it at least \$200,000. When one of these agents comes around it will be a good time to whistle for the dog.—Wisconsin Farmer.

Weekly Climate and Crop Bulletin.

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Climate and Crop Bulletin of the Weather Bureau, Michigan section, for the week ending July 22, 1899:

The mean temperature during the week ended July 22d, 68.4 degrees, was 0.07 of a degree below the normal; the average total precipitation, 0.37 of an inch, was 0.10 of an inch less than the normal; the sunshine averaged 58 per cent of the possible amount.

Generally the weather conditions of the past seven days have been very favorable for harvest work and the advancement of corn, oats, potatoes and beans. Drier weather in most parts of the southern and central counties has allowed farmers to secure wheat and rye and the balance of the hay crop. Generally wheat has been secured in good condition and threshing has become quite general in the southern counties; the yields are very light as a rule, but the quality is good. Oats have ripened fast and cutting has been quite generally begun in the southern counties; reports indicate that the oat crop will be very good and in many cases exceptionally so. Corn, beans and late potatoes have continued to make fine progress and are in very promising condition. Corn is tasseling quite generally and is setting for ears. Sugar beet thinning is about finished in the more northerly counties, and reports from all sections say that the crop has made good progress and is in promising condition. Pasturage in most parts of the state is good. Apples have been falling badly during the past few weeks and prospects for a good apple crop have materially decreased. Haying is well advanced in the upper peninsula, although the wet weather has somewhat interfered with the work; the yields in that section of the state are very good.

FARM FOR SALE.—Sited one mile northwest of Alabaster. Good building, convenient to school, postoffice, etc. Everything in first-class shape. Inq. of John A. McConell, Alabaster, or M. Mump y, Tawas City, Mich.

THE FIRST 100

Persons to pay \$1.00 for a year's subscription to the TAWAS HERALD will be presented, free of charge, with the FARM JOURNAL from now until December 1903, (nearly five years). Accept this

JUST RECEIVED!

An Elegant Line of

OUTING FLANNELS,

Consisting of

Gold Rod,

Cindrellas,

St. Claire,

English Flaneletts.

We purchased the Goods before the advance and will sell them at the old Price as long as they last. It will pay you to look them over and purchase now, as they will not last long.

I Guess We Are In It!

Do you want an Enlarged Picture of any of Your Family? We have made arrangements to furnish you one Free with every purchase of Ten Bars of Soap, just as an advertisement. If you want a picture enlarged of any of your family come quick, as this offer is only for a limited time and will be cancelled without notice. Remember, the Picture is Free.

JAMES HAMILTON,

Tawas City, Mich.

EVERY PRICE

A MONEY SAVER.

Our mid-summer Bargain Sale is your Money Saving Shoe Opportunity. The following Reduced Prices talk stronger than words, and the Goods will talk stronger than the Prices when you see them. Every department offers many bargains. We quote but a special few especial values in Ladies Tan Shoes:

One lot of Ladies' \$3 narrow toe shoes reduced to **\$1.50**

Large lot of Misses' \$2 tan shoes reduced to **\$1.50**

One lot of Men's \$2 and \$3 narrow toe shoes reduced to **\$1.50**

All Men's Summer Underwear, worth 50 cents, reduced to **\$.39.**

36 pair of Mens' \$4.00 Pants, your choice at \$3.00, for a short time.

You will also find a full line of Shoes, Rubbers, Mens' and Boys' Pants, Overalls, Underwear, Socks, Collars and Cuffs, also a full line of Fancy Silk Shirts, Fancy Shirts, and Working Shirts and Neckties, and all at Prices below the Lowest, quality being considered. See our line of Men's Woolen Socks at 25 cents per pair. Nothing like it ever offered in Tawas City. Call and be convinced.

G. W. Mount,

Tawas City.

LEN. J. PATTERSON, Editor and Proprietor.

Entered at the Postoffice at Tawas City, Michigan, as Second Class Mail Matter.

Subscription Price \$1.00 Per Year, if Paid in Advance, Otherwise \$1.50 Per Year.

ELIHU ROOT, has been named as secretary of war, to succeed Gen. R. A. Alger.

REAL estate business in Michigan shows a great improvement according to the reports of real estate agents throughout the state.

It is openly charged that certain persons instigated the strike on the Brooklyn Rapid Transit lines for the express purpose of depressing the price of the company's stocks in Wall Street.

THE statement that Hon. W. C. Whitney, whose shrewd manipulation procured the last nomination of Mr. Cleveland, in spite of seemingly insurmountable obstacles, had gone to Europe for the purpose of trying to persuade Admiral Dewey to allow his name to go before the next Democratic convention, as a candidate for the Presidential nomination, while interesting, is not regarded as of any particular importance.

It is disgusting to hear people speak scornfully of girls who have to work for a living. No sensible man is dazzled by the glitter of a jeweled hand, a gold bracelet or a watch, all of which may have been bought on time.

We are a gang of gay gamblers, so we are. The army of the United States, if divided up into brass bands would furnish every town in the United States of over 5,000 population with a band of 100 pieces.

In taking the next census the enumerator besides questions as to age and color, will ask you whether you are a male or a female; married, single, widowed or divorced; whether married during the census year; whether a mother, and if so, how many children; how many of these are living; place of your birth and the birth of your parents; number of years in the United States; whether naturalized and if papers have been taken out; your profession, trade or occupation; the number of months you have been unemployed during the census year; your attendance at school during the census year; whether you are able to read or write; whether you can speak English, and if not, what language; the number of families and of persons in your house and the number of persons in your family.

Meeting, June 29, 1899.

The Board of Supervisors of Iosco county Michigan, met in the court house in the city of Tawas City, said county, on Thursday, June 29, A. D. 1899, pursuant to adjournment from April 28, 1899.

The Board was called to order by Geo. C. Anschuetz chairman, who ordered the roll called. Present—Supervisors Anschuetz, Braband, Brown, Butts, Gale, Gardner, Grant, Jackson, Long, McCallum, Ramage, Robinson, Sutherland, Taylor, Warren, Thompson. Quorum present.

The following are the committees for 1899-1900: Claims and Accounts—Wm. W. Ramage, Harvey A. Brown, Willard J. Robinson, Chas. Thompson, Phillip Rosenthal.

To the Chairman and the Board of Supervisors of Iosco county.—At an adjourned meeting of the common council of the city of Ansbale held June 9, the following motion was passed.

On motion, a recess was taken until this afternoon at one o'clock, standard time.

The Board of Supervisors of Iosco county met in the court house at Tawas City, said county, on Friday, June 30, A. D. 1899, pursuant to adjournment from yesterday.

The Board was called to order by chairman Geo. C. Anschuetz who ordered the roll called.

The Journal of yesterday's proceedings was at this time read and upon motion of Sutherland supported by Brown were approved, all present voting therefor.

From the committee on claims and accounts.

Your committee on claims and accounts respectfully submit the following as their report, recommending the allowance of the several amounts as given below and that the clerk be authorized to draw orders for the same.

Moved by Jackson supported by Warren that the report of the committee on claims and accounts be accepted and the recommendations therein set forth carried out.

Yea—Braband, Brown, Butts, Gale, Gardner, Grant, Jackson, Long, McCallum, McDonald, Ramage, Robinson, Sutherland, Taylor, Thompson, Warren.—17. NAYS—none.

From the County Board of Superintendents of the Poor.

Table listing county farm expenses: Two teams and harness \$545.00, Labor 195.55, Machinery 79.03, Lumber 212.14, Furniture 177.05, Hay and grain 382.00, Cattle, hogs and sheep 17.22, Food 32.45, Hardware 2.30, Total \$2319.37.

Table listing miscellaneous expenses: Funeral expenses \$28.50, Transportation out of county 3.44, Freight 6.51, Dr's salary for quarter ending June 30 50.00, Medicines 11.01, Frank Williams 1.00, Total \$100.85.

Moved by Warren supported by Grant that the report of the committee on claims and accounts be accepted and the recommendations therein set forth carried out.

Yea—Braband, Brown, Butts, Gale, Gardner, Grant, Jackson, Long, McCallum, McDonald, Ramage, Robinson, Sutherland, Taylor, Thompson, Warren.—17. NAYS—none.

Moved by Sharp supported by Grant that the report from the county treasurer be received and spread upon the journal.

One o'clock p. m., standard time, the chairman called the Board to order. Quorum present.

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Table listing miscellaneous expenses: Nelson Braband 3.00, Harvey A. Brown 2.00, M. Butts 2.00, Henry Gale 1.50, L. Gardner 2.00, J. A. Jackson 2.00, B. M. Long 7.00, David McCallum 16.00, Angus F. McDonald 16.00, W. W. Ramage 5.00, W. J. Robinson 7.00, A. J. Rodman 7.00, Phillip Rosenthal 16.00, A. E. Sharpe 2.00, Geo. Sutherland 16.00, F. F. Taylor 18.00, Chas. Thompson 2.00, W. H. Warren 2.00, Total \$123.00.

Moved by McDonald supported by Brown that the report of the committee on mileage and per diem be accepted and adopted.

Yea—Braband, Brown, Butts, Gardner, Grant, Jackson, Long, McCallum, McDonald, Ramage, Robinson, Rodman, Sharpe, Sutherland, Warren, Thompson.—18. NAYS—none.

The Journal of the day's proceedings was then read and on motion of McDonald supported by Brown was approved, all members present voting therefor.

Thereupon on motion the Board adjourned.

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WHAT YOU WANT TO REMEMBER!

THAT— We are selling everything in Dry Goods at Rock Bottom Prices.

THAT— We are closing out our Shoes at Greatly Reduced Prices, to make room for our fall stock.

THAT— We are Headquarters for Bargains and Low Prices.

THAT— We have the finest Assortment of Cereals and Fainceous Goods that can be found.

THAT— We are selling Indian Rubber Bicycle Tires at \$4.00 per set.

THAT— We are agents for Sherin Williams & Co's mixed paints.

If you have any doubts come and see our Goods and get our Prices.

Advertisement for Ramblers Bicycles featuring a bicycle illustration and text: 'How can we sell 1899 RAMBLERS AT \$40? Because \$40 is the regular list price of 1899 Ramblers, and we give our assurance, backed by the makers' guarantee, that they are "The Best Ramblers Ever Built!"'

Advertisement for Golden Oak furniture: '\$1.00 will secure the TAWAS HERALD one year, and the FARM JOURNAL until December 1903. This offer will hold good only for a short time. Subscribe today!'

Advertisement for Peter Evertz furniture: 'Is the latest and most artistic finish in Furniture. It is handsome and sure to please. I have a complete line in Bed Room Suits, Side Boards, Book Cases, Dining Tables, Dinning Chairs, Center Tables, Rockers, Etc.'

Advertisement for Charles Katterman furniture: 'I am prepared to do all kinds of Plain and Fancy Painting, Graining, Paper Hanging, Cal-cimincing and work in all branches of the trade on short notice.'

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C. H. Prescott

