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THE trial of General Marsh, charged with connection with the military steal, was commenced at Lansing Tuesday.

THE snuff trust is the latest monopolistic combination of capital. We hope it will not be long before it is snuffed out.

THE prohibition congressional convention held at Bay City last Saturday, nominated Joseph Leighton, of that city, as their candidate for congress.

It is claimed that a letter has been received from Michigan's defaulting quarter-master general, Will L. White, stating that he is in South Africa.

THE spectacle of Bourke Cochran, Richard Croker, and David B. Hill sleeping together in one of those \$30. rooms at Kansas City, will be worth the price of admission.

THE West Branch Herald-Times of last week announces the candidacy of Dr. C. L. Nauman, of that village, for the republican nomination of state senator from this district.

THE Republican who denounced Congressman Sibley as crazy a year or two ago, are now revising their opinions. The Democrats are doing the same in the reverse direction.

It would be a difficult question to say what one of the republican candidates for governor is the favorite in Iosco county at this time. Bliss, Sterns and Ferry all have their friends.

A DEMOCRATIC city official at Elmira N. Y., who had been holding his job nine years, is short \$36,000. Good plan for the people to vote new men into office once in a while when one man holds an office too long he thinks he owns it.

THE Gaylord Herald says that a certain aspirant for congress in this, the 10th district, has sent \$100 to a prominent Vanderbilt "gill room" man for electioneering purposes, and the said "gill room" man put it in his pocket where it would "do the most good." Great is politics.

WE believe it is a safe assertion that the independent voter will this year be found more numerous than ever before. There are many men in both the old parties that are beginning to realize that party is but a sham, whereby certain ambitious politicians and trust agents secure easy jobs for themselves and tax the people for the benefit of their employers.

THE cut in the dividend declared by the sugar trust, accompanying a rise in the price of its product to wholesalers, is explained plausibly by the officers of the company on several grounds. The explanation which they neglect to give, and the most probable one, is that it was necessitated by the campaign contribution pledged in return for favors to be granted in connection with trade with our new possessions.

THE next meeting of the Michigan Schoolmasters' Club will be held at Ann Arbor Friday and Saturday, March 30 and 31. Friday morning will be devoted to the subject of the teaching of English. The leading paper will be by Professor Martin W. Sampson of the University of Indiana and will deal with teaching of English literature. Professor Demmon of the University of Michigan and Professor Barbour of the State Normal College will lead the discussion. Friday afternoon will be devoted to

valuation alone is \$6,000,000. This information was probably made public just at this time for the effect it will have on delegates to the gubernatorial convention. The richest man in Detroit will certainly be a "liberal" candidate.—*Alpena Echo.*

It is perfectly natural that naval officers should think that there is no necessity for fortifying the Nicaraguan canal. But when the average citizen takes out his slate and calculates that a fortress can be built at each end of the canal which will cost less than a battleship and will be practically impregnable, he begins to doubt the advisability of the United States trying to rival the continental powers in the size of its navy.

A NEW YORK house has just entered into a contract with the sportsmen of Milford, Del., for the bodies of 20,000 birds to be delivered within sixty days, the feathers of which are to adorn the hats of ladies. The contract prices is 8 cents apiece. Good, Christian women will wear herdgear on the street and at church adorned with the plumage of these slaughtered innocents. There ought to be a law in Delaware prohibiting such inhumanity.—*Ex*

No one who has not seen an African kopje can easily realize it. It is not a hill—what is left of it after ages of denudation; but the special feature of it is that it is almost invariably covered with a breastwork of boulders. Tropical torrents have washed away the earth and all the soluble components of the rock, and what is left consists of heaps and lines of detached masses of sandstone, ironstone or granite. The kopjes are the Boers' fortifications, and they have any number of them.

That Last Legislature.

Lapeer, March 19.—The management of the Home for the Feeble-Minded here have just discovered themselves to be in an awkward dilemma an account of what seems to have been an oversight of the last legislature. A bill was passed by that body providing for another new building for the institution to be built the coming summer. The building committee's recent attempt to draw upon this fund has proven unsuccessful, and a letter from the auditor-general tells the reason why. According to the appropriation act, this particular fund is not made available until July 1. All the other funds have been drawn upon, and just why this one is scheduled for use so far in the future is what puzzles the committee, who are desirous of meeting advanced obligations for the new building. If the appropriation had been made immediately available the board would have completed the building the present summer, as they desired to do, but if they wait for funds until July they will probably only get the building enclosed by next winter. The only way out of the dilemma is to borrow the money and let the state pay the interest while the money lies idle for four or five months in the treasury at Lansing.

Have No Use for Their Toes.

If shoes go on forever why should not our toes grow together? We have no use for them. We can't manage them. About one man in 1,000 can pull on his interosseal muscles and spread out his toes. In the remaining 999 these muscles are as dead as fiber. They haven't been used since the infant stuck his toes in his mouth and crooned a baby song without words. If we wore mittens all the time the individual control of our fingers would be lost. We eat so much soft food that we have scarcely any need of teeth. Gums would answer every purpose, as mastication is performed by machinery before we begin a meal. There are over 200 distinct muscles in the human body, of which the best of us keep about 100 in prime condition by proper use.—*New York Press.*

What's Your Face Worth?

Sometimes a fortune, but never, if you have a sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, all signs of Liver Trouble.

couraging experience with stains, and a few hints on how to remove them may be of value.

Stains from acids may be removed from any color known to be fast by applying ammonia to the spots. White goods, in the other hand, should first be washed in clean water and then dipped into chloride water remove any acid stains.

Wine stains may be removed by holding the spots in milk while it is boiling.

Medicine stains may be removed from silver spoons by rubbing them with a piece of cloth dipped in sulphuric acid and washing it off with soapuds.

Fruit stains may be removed from tablecloths and napkins by pouring boiling water through the spots before the articles are washed. Old fruit stains yield to freezing.

Vaseline stains usually seem quite hopeless, but even they may be made to vanish. Place two thicknesses of blotting paper on the ironing board; over them place the material with the spot well saturated with benzine. Now cover this with two more pieces of blotting paper and press with a moderately hot iron. The process may need to be repeated, but success is inevitable.

Ink spots on cotton, silk or woolen fabrics should be treated to turpentine. Saturate the spots with the spirits of turpentine and let it remain several hours, then rub it between the hands. The ink will disappear and neither the color nor the texture to the article will be injured.

Teachers Attention.

Regular examinations for certificates of all grades will be held in Tawas City, March 29-30 and Aug 16-17, 1900.

Special examinations for the granting of 2nd and 3rd grade certificates will be held June 21st and 22nd and October 18th and 19th at Whittemore and Ausable respectively if requested by a sufficient number to warrant expense of holding same.

J. A. CAMPBELL,
Commissioner.
C. M. JANSKY,
W. H. PRICE,
Examiners.

Council Proceedings.

An adjourned regular session of the Common Council of the city of Tawas City, held at the Council chamber, Monday evening, March 19th 1900.

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

Minutes of meetings of Dec. 13th, January 19th and January 29th read, and on motion of Ald. Stone, supported by Ald. Schlichte, minutes of Dec. 13th, and January 29th were approved and minutes of meeting of January 19th were laid over for consideration and correction until next meeting.

The following bills were then read:
G. S. Darling, gasoline \$ 6.44
O. Elliott, 2 mos. salary 17.00
C. A. Jahraus, 2 mos. salary 8.00
Wm. Loyd, labor .75
Julius Webster, services 4.00
" " 1/2 mos. salary as marshal 6.00

Moved by Ald. Phelps, supported by Ald. Koenig that bills of O. Elliott, C. A. Jahraus and G. S. Darling be allowed as read, and orders drawn for same. Carried.

Moved by Ald. Stone, supported by Ald. Schlichte that bills of Julius Webster and Wm. Loyd be laid over until next meeting. Carried.

Moved by Ald. Phelps, supported by Ald. Stone that W. W. Ramage, be appointed as Election Commissioner from the 3rd ward. Carried.

Moved by Ald. Stone, supported by Ald. Phelps that N. C. Hartingh be appointed as Election Commissioner from the 1st ward. Carried.

Moved by Ald. Koenig, supported by Ald. Phelps that Chas. Brandt be appointed as Election Commissioner from the 2nd ward. Carried.
Resignation of Luke Murray, alderman of the 1st ward (2 years) presented.

Moved by Ald. Stone, supported by Ald. Phelps that the resignation of Luke Murray be accepted.

Moved by Ald. Koenig, supported by Ald. Schlichte that Ald. Stone be appointed Election Inspector from the 1st ward, and that he also act as a member of the board of registration. Carried.

Moved by Ald. Stone, supported by Ald. Koenig that an order be drawn in favor of the County Treasurer for \$8.71 in payment of the tax on the property of Mrs. Wm. Marquardt, on lots 3 and 4, block 6 for the year 1899. Carried.

On motion council then adjourned.
G. W. MOFFET, Mayor.
OSLANDO ELLIOTT, City Clerk.

Banker Routs A Robber.

J. R. Garrison, Cashier of the bank of the Tawasville, Ohio, had been robbed of \$200 by a serious lung trouble until he tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Then he wrote: "It is the best medicine I ever used for a severe cold or a bad case of lung trouble. I always keep a bottle on hand." Don't suffer with coughs, colds, or any throat,

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HARDWARE,

—AND—

GROCERIES.

"The only way to build up a town is for all to go hand in hand, every man to the wheel." These words, which are along the line advocated by the HERALD, appeared in the Grand Rapids Tradesman, which continued: "Banish all feelings of discord, if any; let harmony prevail, and you are sure to prosper. Talk about your town, push it, speak well of it, encourage your people at the head of municipal affairs, choke the croakers, beautify the streets in every way, patronize its merchants, refrain from sending outside for goods, favor home enterprise always, and if you can't say something good, keep quiet. You are hustlers—keep it up. Be courteous to strangers who come among you so they will go away with good impression."

"I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure in my family with wonderful results. It gives immediate relief, is pleasant to take and is truly a dyspeptic's best friend," says E. Kartgerink, Overisel, Mich. Digests what you eat. Causes fail to cure.—G. S. Darling

A man's home paper is worth more to him than any other because it gives him more facts and local news, besides always working for the best interests of the home community. When you subscribe for your home paper

An exchange says: Every town has a liar or two; a smart alec; some pretty girls; more loafers than it needs; a woman who tattles; an old fogey that the town would be better without; men standing on the street corners and make remarks about women; especially are they found at the postoffice; a man who laughs every time he sees anything; scores of men who stand around with the caboose of their trousers worn as thin as glass; men who can tell you how war question ought to be settled and how to run other people's business, but who make a dismal failure of their own.

Mrs. Harriet Evans, Hinsdale, Ill., writes: "I never fail to relieve my children from croup at once by using One Minute Cough Cure. I would not feel safe without it." Quickly cures coughs, colds, grippe and all throat and lung diseases.—G. S. Darling

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vention.
 May 3—Republican state convention at Detroit.
 June 19—Republican National convention at Philadelphia.
 July 4—Democratic National convention at Kansas City.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION.

To the electors of the city of Tawas City: Notice is hereby given that the Board of Registration for the city of Tawas City, by virtue of the statute, in such case made and provided, will meet on
 Saturday, the 31st Day of March.
 A. D. 1900, from eight o'clock in the forenoon until eight o'clock in the afternoon, of said day, at the city hall, in the third ward, (in accordance with a special act of the legislature of 1899), for the purpose of completing the list of qualified voters of said city, as required by law, and at which time and place all persons entitled to the elective franchise, whose names do not appear on the register of election for the ward in which such person resides, must register their names therein, to entitle them to vote at the general election to be held on Monday, the 2d day of April A. D. 1900.
 Dated at Tawas City, Mich., March, 28th 1900.
 ORLANDO ELLIOTT, City Clerk.

ELECTION NOTICE.

To the Electors of the County of Iosco: Notice is hereby given that at the annual Township election to be held in the several Townships and Cities of said County of Iosco, on the first Monday in April next, there will be elected three County Road Commissioners, one for a term of two years, one for the term of four years and one for the term of six years, as provided by the following Report and Resolutions adopted by the Board of Supervisors of said County, January 10, 1900.
 To the Hon. Board of Supervisors of Iosco county:
 Your committee on Roads and Bridges would respectfully recommend that there be elected three County Road Commissioners at the annual Township election held on the first Monday in April, 1900, and that the compensation of said Commissioners be fixed at Two Dollars a day for time actually rendered to the county in the discharge of the duties thereof, and that the proper notices be served upon the electors of the county of the election of said Commissioners.
 M. Butts,
 Henry Gale,
 Chas. E. Thompson,
 A. J. Rodman,
 E. L. King, Committee.
 Moved by Sutherland supported by Long, that the report of the committee on Roads and Bridges be adopted.
 Carried by the following vote: YEAS 25 NAYS 0.
 Dated Tawas City Iosco County Michigan March 7th 1900.
 JNO. A. MARK, County Clerk.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

To the electors of the city of Tawas City: Notice is hereby given that a general election will be held in the city of Tawas City, Iosco County, Michigan, on
 Monday, the 2d, day of April.
 A. D. 1900, at which election the following officers will be elected, viz:
 Three County Road Commissioners; one for a term of two years; one for a term of four years, and one for a term of six years.
 Also the following city officers: to wit: One Mayor, one Clerk, one Treasurer, one Justice of the Peace (for four years); also one supervisor, one alderman and one constable for the First Ward, also one supervisor, one alderman and one constable for the Second Ward; also one supervisor, one alderman and one constable for the Third Ward.
 And that, in accordance with a special act of the legislature of 1899, said election will be held at the city hall, in the Third Ward, and that the polls of said election will be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon and shall thereafter as may be, and shall be continued open until five o'clock in the afternoon of said 2d day of April, A. D. 1900, and no longer.
 Dated this 8th day of March, A. D. 1900.
 ORLANDO ELLIOTT, City Clerk.

MORTGAGE SALE.

By reason of default in the payment of twenty four dollars and forty cents, claimed to be due at this date upon a mortgage given by Frank Barzilinski and Victoria, his wife, to Medora Harting, dated January 6th, 1896, and recorded March 28th, 1896, in Liber 14 of Mortgages at page 270, in Register of deeds office, in Iosco county; no lawsuit having been commenced to recover the same, By virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, the premises in said mortgage described as lot 8, block 16, Tawas City, Michigan, will be sold at public auction on 26th day of May, 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, to the highest bidder therefore, at the front door of the Court House in Tawas City; that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county of Iosco to satisfy judgment with interest, costs and attorney fee at date of sale.
 Dated March, 1st, 1900.
 MEDORA HARTING,
 N. C. HARTING,
 Attorney.
 Business Address, Tawas City, Mich.

Order of Hearing.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF IOSCO.
 At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate office in the City of Tawas City on the 1st day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred. Present Hon. E. Laidlaw Judge of Probate.
 In the matter of the estate of Julia A. Esmond Deceased, on reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Clark Esmond, one of the executors named in the last will and testament of Julia A. Esmond, deceased praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that Edward V. Esmond and Clark Esmond may be appointed the executors thereof.
 Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 27th day of March next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be held in the Probate office, in Tawas City and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted; and it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to all persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tawas Herald a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
 E. LAIDLAW,
 Judge of Probate.
 By GEO. L. CORNVILLE,
 Register.

Pacal Balm Cured Them.

Here's what they say: "Catarrh cured."

From Tawas City and East Tawas.

Republican caucuses tonight.
 John McDonald left Tuesday for Duluth.
 A fine line of paints at W. W. Brown's.
 School closes today for the spring vacation.
 A fine line of buggy whips at W. W. Brown's.
 Smoke the D. & M., a strictly Union made cigar.
 Republican city convention tomorrow evening.
 The Prescott mill is expected to be up about April 1.
 S. B. Yawger, of Hale, was in the city Wednesday.
 C. M. Davis, of Whittemore, was in the city Saturday.
 Sheriff Shien went to Lansing on business Wednesday.
 Fine line of children's shoes; new and nobby, at Prescott's.
 While looking over advantages, don't overlook drawbacks.
 W. W. Brown went to Saginaw Wednesday on business.
 Val Laces; Torchen Laces and All-overs. C. H. PRESCOTT & SONS.
 A first-class second-hand wheel for sale cheap. Inquire at this office.
 Keep your feet dry by buying your rubbers at C. H. Prescott & Sons.
 Almost any man can understand a joke—when its on the other fellow.
 Mrs. G. S. Darling went to Flint Wednesday for a visit with friends.
 The boards of registration will be in session one week from tomorrow.
 Mrs. H. H. Funk, of East Tawas, was in Bay City, Wednesday.
 If a man can spit in a corner, it makes no difference if it is on the floor.
 Buy a Durant-Dort buggy of G. S. Darling and get your money's worth.
 Miss Mary Black will spend vacation week at her home in Maple Ridge.
 Rev. H. F. Shier, of East Tawas, has been in Detroit and Ann Arbor this week.
 Miss Lillian Smith goes to her home at Marine City, today, to spend the vacation.
 Spring cannot be far off. The crow and the "alley" politician have put in their appearance.
 A teachers' examination will be held in this city on Thursday and Friday of next week.
 Mrs. G. A. Prescott left Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Cleveland, O., and in Pennsylvania.
 Charles Birney came up from Saginaw last Saturday and spent Sunday with his family.
 A republican county convention will be held at the court house in this city, tomorrow, Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Dan Flynn, of Hale town, are the parents of a fine ten pound boy, born Tuesday.
 Don't forget we have our garden seeds in and are ready for the spring trade. C. H. PRESCOTT & SONS.
 Walter Q. King has accepted the agency for the Air Blast Butter Separator, in this and Arenac county.
 Mrs. and Miss Sherwin returned to their home in Cleveland Tuesday, after a visit with Mrs. O. W. Prescott.
 Miss Lida Patterson left yesterday for Grand Rapids, where she goes as a delegate to the state C. E. convention.
 Mr. Braddock, of Saginaw, the new manager of C. H. Prescott & Sons' hardware department, arrived Tuesday.
 County Clerk Mark issued a marriage license yesterday to Henry Rice, of Alabaster, and Miss Essie Nash, of East Tawas.
 Reports from the fruit section of the state indicate that peach crop will be the largest this year that has been known in years.
 Send us one dollar and get the HERALD one year and the Farm Journal until December 1904. Don't wait until it is too late.
 "Personal appearance is a helpful factor in business success." "Yes, and business success is a helpful factor in a personal appearance."

Be sure to see our percales, gingham and white goods before buying elsewhere. C. H. PRESCOTT & SONS.
 Will O'Brien, who has been with the Michigan Telephone Co. for the past ten months, arrived home Tuesday.
 Mrs. Smith, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. C. Barrie, returned to her home in West Bay City, Wednesday.
 The republican county convention at Alpena Tuesday endorsed L. G. Defoe, of that city, as a candidate for congress.
 M. B. Smith, Butternut, Mich., says, "DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the very best pills I ever used for constiveness, liver and bowel troubles". —G. S. Darling.
 The D. & M. will sell return trip tickets to Grand Rapids, for the prohibition state convention, at one fare for the round trip. Date of sale March 28-29.
 G. S. Darling has the finest line of carriages and buggies ever brought to Iosco county. They are the Durant-Dort famous "blue-ribbon" make and cannot be excelled.
 A Washington dispatch says that a counterfeit \$1 certificate has been discovered in circulation. The specimen found is said to be a poor sample of zinc etching. Look out for them.
 House cleaning time is drawing close, so don't forget your walls and ceilings. We keep the only wall finish worth using, Alabaster, C. H. PRESCOTT & SONS.
 For the Epworth League state convention at Owosso, the D. & M. will sell round trip tickets at one fare. Tickets on sale April 5 and 6th and limited to return to and including April 7.
 The social given by the young people of the Hemlock Road Baptist church at the Grange hall Tuesday evening was a big success, nearly \$70 being cleared toward new seats for the church.
 To secure the original witch hazel salve, ask for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, well known as a certain cure for piles and skin diseases. Beware of worthless counterfeits. They are dangerous.—G. S. Darling.
 Eighteen deaths were reported the secretary of state from Iosco county during February. Only one occurred in Tawas township, four in East Tawas and three in Alabaster.
 Mrs. J. H. Wilson, sr., lost a shawl on the road between this city and the county farm Tuesday afternoon. The finder will confer a favor by returning the same to her or leaving it at this office.
 Dan Kennedy, of Grant, had the misfortune to break a leg Tuesday while engaged in a friendly scuffle, with Frank Downing, in George Webster's lunch room. He was removed to his home the same day.
 Lewis Ackerman, Goshen, Ind., says, "DeWitt's Little Early Risers always bring certain relief, cure my headache and never gripe." They gently cleanse and invigorate the bowels and liver.—G. S. Darling.
 George Morse, a former Tawas City boy, was last week elected treasurer of the thriving village of Onaway, by 28 majority. George is the leading hardware merchant at that place, and his many friends here are glad to know of his prosperity.
 The D. & M. will sell round trip tickets to the state C. E. convention at Grand Rapids, at one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale March 26-27, limited to return to and including March 30. For route and particulars inquire of agent.
 Oscoda elected the following village officers last week: President, E. W. Ely; clerk, Chas. Heniger; treasurer, Sam B. Gardner; assessor, H. J. Markham; trustees, Philip Heniger, M. Marks, G. D. McKay, and Thomas Thomas B. Barley.
 Mrs. Fitzgibbon, who went to Hamilton, Mont., last fall, returned Monday. She was accompanied by her son James, who will spend a few weeks visiting here. This is his first visit to Tawas in ten years, and he sees many changes in his boyhood home.
 An exchange says that some of the churches have placed slates in the vestibules on which the girls register their names as they enter. This makes it convenient for the boys who

is the largest and best on the shore.
 Mr. Manchett, a prominent cedar buyer, of Toronto, Can., has been in East Tawas, this week looking for a location to establish a cedar yard.
 The latest word received from Mrs. Howard Goldie, who is seriously ill at the home of her parents, Reg. and Mrs. G. Sanderson, at Lincoln, is to the effect that she was somewhat improved.
 The ladies of the M. E. church, will give a "sociable," at the home of Mr. J. B. Simmons, this Friday evening. If the snow holds out, a sleigh ride will be given after supper. Supper fifteen cents. All are cordially invited to attend.
 The republicans of Reno have nominated the following township ticket: supervisor, Charles E. Thompson; clerk, Elmer E. Odell; treasurer, Thomas Jackson; highway commissioner, Ernest Crego; justice, James Sheppard; school inspector, Frank Horton; member of board of review, Ethan Thompson.
 W. C. Sterling & Son, of Monroe, have leased the fine offices on the first floor of the Emery block, in East Tawas, and are having them fitted up for occupancy, and will make this headquarters for their cedar business. The office will be in charge of W. P. Sterling, the junior member of the firm.
 "Wait for the wagon and we'll all take a ride," Did you hear about the sleigh ride this, Friday, evening? If you have not had a sleigh ride this winter, or if you wish to have the finest of the season, attend the M. E. social at the home of Mr. J. B. Simmons, on Lake street. Come. Tell your friends and have them come. Supper 15 cents.
 The following are the republican nominations in Tawas township; Supervisor, John Preston; clerk, Malcom McLeod; treasure, F. E. Hayes; school inspector, Thomas Bradley; highway commissioner, Lafayette Colby, justice, full term, Wm. Freels; justice vacancy, W. E. Laidlaw; member of board of review, Thomas Curry.
 A. G. VanWey has just received a Racine chemical fire extinguisher and a test was made yesterday which proved very satisfactory. A quantity of dry shingles were piled up and saturated with oil. After the fire was well under headway the chemicals were turned on and the fire quickly subdued, and this in the face of a strong wind.
 Wm. Orr, Newark, O., says, "We never feel safe without One Minute Cough Cure in the house. It saved my little boy's life when he had the pneumonia. We think it is the best medicine made." It cures coughs and lung diseases. Pleasant to take, harmless and gives immediate results.—G. S. Darling.
 About 9.30 last Friday evening the residence occupied by George McKiddie, and owned by W. H. Woodmacy, of East Tawas, was discovered to be on fire. Prompt assistance arrived and the fire was soon put out, with slight damage to the building. It caught by a spark from the chimney dropping on a bed. Mr. McKiddie and family lost considerable of their clothing and bedding.
 Rev. Barry, of Saline, occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church last Sunday, and at the close of the evening service he was extended a unanimous call from the church board to this church. Mr. Barry did not accept at this time but will let the board know soon as to his decision, which will undoubtedly be favorable. He made an excellent impression with his congregation and all hope he will come here. He returned to his home Tuesday.
 "Sing a song of swelled head, a fellow full of gin, coming home at 4 a. m., his wife won't let him in. His feet are full of tanglefoot, his head is full of wheel; the keyhole runs around the knob; he a funny feeling feels. He puts his foot upon the porch, his head upon the ground; all the time within his 'mug' the wheels are going 'round. He thinks that he is sober and that everyone is tight, he thinks he's in his bed room, instead of out all night. He thinks the moon's a dollar and will buy a dozen drinks, and various other thoughts he thinks and thinks and

Wanted—Two week's more sleighing.
 Sheriff Shien is a frequent visitor. Why?
 Mr. Edna Latter became a benedict last week.
 N. C. Harting visited our town last week.
 H. M. Belknap is scaling logs at Hale Lake this week.
 Dr. Treadgold, of Turner, did business here Monday.
 C. H. Prescott sent 300 bushels of wheat last week to be ground in our mill.
 Thos. Lealie has in the neighborhood of 1,000,000 feet of logs in his mill yard.
 Mr. Fotheringham, of Richmondville, Sanilac county, is about to start a bank here.
 The social given last Friday evening for the benefit of Rev. A. C. Kay netted about \$10.
 Messrs. Blumenau and Lealie shipped 14,301 ties last week. How is that for Whittemore?
 Whittemore public schools "Debating Society" settle the question "whether it is just or not to retain the Philippines."
 Prospective land buyers from Canada are in town. Mr. Curtis can take care of all who desire to purchase first-class agricultural lands.
 Rev. W. E. Sitzer, W. Caton, N. Y., writes, "I had dyspepsia over twenty years, and tried doctors and medicines without benefit. I was persuaded to use Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and it helped me from the start. I believe it to be a panacea for all forms of indigestion." It digest what you eat.—G. S. Darling.
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Democratic Nominations.

At the democratic caucuses and convention held last evening the following nominations were made:
 Mayor—Len. J. Patterson.
 Clerk—W. H. Hartley.
 Treasurer—Henry Kane.
 Justice—Thomas E. Conners.
 FIRST WARD.
 Supervisor—Henry Gale.
 Alderman 2 yrs.—Edward Livermore.
 Alderman 1 yr.—Thos. J. Armstrong.
 Constable—Dan Ross.
 SECOND WARD.
 Supervisor—Nelson Braband.
 Alderman—Emil Buch.
 Constable—Frank Seiloff.
 THIRD WARD.
 Supervisor—W. W. Brown.
 Alderman—George E. Shaw.
 Constable—John Wood.
 The indications are that several changes will be made before the ticket is printed.

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