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LOCAL NEWS

From Tawas City and East Tawas.

A Song of Seed Time.

"Whoa! haw!" cheerily,
Over the fields the cry,
Glad with yielding of the soil
And brightness of the sky.
Farmer and boy and hired man,
Harrow and horse and plow
"Whoa! haw!" hear the cry,
"Steady, I tell ye now!"
Over the field in straggling line,
Ever and on they go,
And watchful on his lofty pine
Sitteth the thoughtful crow.

—Farm Journal.

Arbor Day.
Plant a tree.
Democratic caucuses tonight.
The roads are becoming settled.
The trout season opens next Tuesday
Buy your dishes at W. W. Brown's.
Democratic county convention next Monday.

See that nice new bicycle shoe at
C. H. PRESCOTT & SONS.
Smoke the D. & M., a strictly Union made cigar.

The famous Gale plow is for sale by John W. King.

Iosco county Teachers' Association at AuSable, May 12.

The agricultural implement dealers are becoming numerous.

The new steel Gale is the best plow on the market. For sale by John W. King.

The annual re-union of the 3d Mich. Cavalry will be held at Grand Rapids, June 7.

White goods! Checks, stripes and plain. Nobbyest things for shirt-waists, at Prescott's.

H. F. Moeller, has been appointed general passenger agent for the Pere Marquette system with headquarters at Grand Rapids.

Cleanse the liver, purify the blood, invigorate the body by using De Witt's Little Early Risers. These famous little pills always act promptly. Dr. G. S. Darling.

The D. & M. will sell round trip tickets to Detroit, for the republican state convention, at one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale May 2d and 3d, limited to return May 4.

There are 139 illustrations in Biggle Cow Book, many of them made from photographs from life. There are eight colored paintings of as many different breeds. Biggle Cow Book is cream, rich Jersey cream—you ought to have it. Send 50 cents to the publishers, Atkinson Co., Philadelphia.

W. H. Shipman, Beardsley, Minn. under oath, says he suffered from dyspepsia for twenty-five years. Doctors and dieting gave but little relief. Finally he used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and now eats what he likes and as much as he wants, and he feels like a new man. It digests what you eat. Dr. G. S. Darling.

About May 1, the postoffice department will be ready to supply postmasters, for sale to the public, small books of 2-cent stamps interleaved with parafined paper to prevent premature adhesion, the pages of six stamps each, making a book of convenient size to carry in the pocket or pocketbook.

Thursday, April 19, the members of the Saline W. C. T. U. gave Mrs. D. Q. Barry, who has for several years been president of that organization, a most pleasant farewell visit. After a afternoon's visit, tea was served. Before leaving the ladies presented Mrs. B. with an elegant silver fruit stand, as a token of the appreciation of her services.

W. W. Mayhew, Merton, Wis., says, "I consider One Minute Cough Cure a most wonderful medicine, quick and safe." It is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. It cures coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, grippe, whooping cough, pneumonia and all throat and lung diseases. Its early use prevents consumption. Children like it and

"I think DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills in the world," says W. E. Lake, Happy Creek, Va. They remove all obstructions of the liver and bowels, act quickly and never gripe. Dr. G. S. Darling.

A St. Louis young man claims that he has been hypnotized by a girl and as a result fears that he may have to marry her. Well, why shouldn't he? That's the usual preliminary to a proper marriage. Any man who marries a girl who hasn't hypnotized him may be set down as a fortune hunter, and he is missing a great deal. There is nothing so delightful as being hypnotized into marrying an attractive girl. In former times they used to speak of it as falling in love.

There were 903 post-offices in 1800; today we have 75,000—that is, in America alone. It took a letter sixteen days to go from Philadelphia to Lexington, Kentucky; twenty-two days to Nashville, Tennessee. The cheapest letter postage was eight cents, and to send a letter more than a hundred miles cost a shilling. Three million letters and papers were then sent in a year; at the present time the post-office handles about 30,000,000 pieces of mail in a single day.—*The Ladies' Home Journal.*

Some people say that the private character of an employe should have no bearing upon his relations with his employer; that so long as he does his work satisfactory, it is nobody's business how he spends his time away from his place of employment. This is a fallacious idea, however. In railroads, banks and other lines of business there is becoming a more strict watchfulness in regard to the habits of employes, and if they are known to be spending their spare hours in dissipation it is not long before they are dropped from their positions. Employers know that it is only a question of time when fast living means stealing.

It is flippantly said that dogs are supplanting babies in the feminine heart, but such a statement is the result of superficial observation. At the bottom of this dog devotion lies a more profound and more pathetic cause. There has been so much public encouragement given to bachelors of late that these favored beings no longer seek the society of feminine confidants. They can pour out their woes in bachelors' magazine and find relief for their weariness at a noonday rest. With these newly acquired comforts why should they risk the dangers of platonic friendships? And if a woman cannot draw invisible reins over unsuspecting men, can she be blamed for seeking a substitute in the reliable fidelity of dogs?—*Ex.*

Spreads Like Wildfire

When things are "the best they become the best selling." Abraham Hare a leading druggist, of Belleville O., writes: "Electric Bitters are the are the best selling bitters I have handled in 20 years. You know why? Most diseases begin in disorders of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, blood and nerves. Electric Bitters tones up the stomach, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, purifies the blood strengthens the nerves, hence cures multitudes of maladies. It builds up the entire system. Puts new life and vigor into any weak, sickly, rundown man or woman. Price 50 cents. Sold by G. S. Darling and J. E. Dillon, Druggist.

A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Sycap of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

JAS. E. DILLON.
G. S. DARLING M. D.
H. A. GOODALE, M. D.

J. I. Carson, Prothonotary, Washington, Pa., says, "I have found Kodol Dyspepsia Cure an excellent remedy in case of stomach trouble, and have derived great benefit from its use." It digests what you eat and

Noby Suits

Made to Measure from the Latest 1900 Suitings, from \$9.00 up. During the remainder of April I will give with each order for a made-to-order suit, a \$2.50 Hat, free.

Price of Suit,	\$9.00
Price of Hat,	2.50
Actual cost of suit to you,	\$6.50

Remember that this offer is for the balance of April only, and does not mean May 1.

All Suits Made in a First-Class Manner.

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Tawas City, Mich.

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EAST TAWAS, MICH.

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CONVENTION DATES.

- April 30—Isosco County Democratic convention at Tawas City.
- May 1—Tenth district congressional delegate convention at Standish.
- May 1st—Democratic state convention at Port Huron.
- May 2—Republican State Convention at Detroit.
- June 19—Republican National Convention at Philadelphia.
- July 4—Democratic National Convention at Kansas City.

THE vice-presidential office seems to be having a lively time chasing the man.

By a vote of 33 to 32 "Boss" Quay, of Pennsylvania, was refused a seat in the U. S. senate, Tuesday.

WOULDN'T it be a merry campaign with Sampson on one ticket as vice-president, and Schley on the other?

WILLIAM H. KING, a democrat, is now congressman from Utah, to succeed B. H. Roberts, who was "fired" because of his being a mormon.

CAN'T somebody persuade Altgeld and Cleveland to unite in a joint debate on "What would Thomas Jefferson do?" There would be money in it.

THE case of Col. Eli Sutton, for complicity with the military steal, was commenced in the Ingham county circuit court at Mason Wednesday.

QUAY and Clark both know how it feels to get kicked out, and both announce their determination to try again. It takes lots to satisfy some men.

STERNE and Ferry are having a pretty race for delegates in the various counties of the state. The other candidates do not seem to be in it at this time.

"PING," still claims he will run for governor as an independent if Ferry gets the republican nomination. As usual, Ping, will adopt the surest way to defeat his own desires.

THERE seems to be a growing belief throughout the country that the office of vice-president of the United States should be abolished, and we can see no good reason why it should not.

WITH Lem Defoe in congress and Harry Gustin as commissioner of the state land office, Alpena should certainly be satisfied. But the question is: Will she get what she wants?

AN indictment has been filed by the grand jury, charging C. W. Taylor, the republican governor of Kentucky, with being an accessory to the murder of Wm. Goebel, the democratic contestant for his office.

THE Mohawk club will hold its fourth annual banquet at Detroit next Tuesday evening, Hon. W. J. Bryan, Hon. J. Hamilton Lewis, Gov. J. C. W. Beckham, of Kentucky, are among the prominent speakers.

EX-PRESIDENT Cleveland had something to say recently about spreading political sails for every breath of popular sentiment. No doubt he has had lots of time to meditate over such things since he was becalmed.

UNCLE SAM paid \$14,000,000 to run

THE race for the republican nomination for county treasurer this fall promises to be very interesting. At present, W. F. Whittemore and G. W. Mount, of this city, and J. G. Dimmick and James Richards, of East Tawas, are looking after the nomination.

It has been claimed for some months that the war in the Phillipines was practically over, yet last week was the bloodiest since the war began. Over 400 Filipinos were civilized (?) and about 25 Americans killed and wounded. The war in these islands will be over when the natives have been subjected to the same civilizations (?) that has been given the American indian—extermination.

GRADUATES of the Independent Medical college of Chicago and other so-called medical diploma mills, will have to pass an examination before the new state medical board if they wish to continue practicing in Michigan. The several hundred of these gentry who gained a foothold in Michigan under the practically worthless law which was superseded by the act of 1899, was given a decidedly black eye by the supreme court Tuesday, that tribunal having denied the mandamus asked for in the case of Richard Metcalfe vs. the Michigan state board of registration in medicine. All of these alleged graduates had banded together and made a common cause, backing Dr. Metcalfe in his attack on the new law.

For Three Great Battleships.

Washington, April 24.—The Naval Board on construction today finally approved the plans for the three battleships authorized by the last congress and gave instructions to have the specifications prepared at once preliminary to calling for bids from the shipbuilders.

The ships will be enlarged Iowa in type, with the same rectangular superstructure and the two turrets, bow and stern, on the main deck. The turret guns will be 12-inch caliber, like the Iowa's guns; there will be a turret at each corner of the superstructure carrying two 8-inch guns and twelve 6-inch rapid-firers will be disposed along the sides of the central citadel.

The ships will make nineteen knots speed and have a displacement of about 15,500 tons, making these new ships by far the largest in the United States navy and as big as the latest type of the British armored vessel.

More Bother Wanted.

How airily we prattle of a war with Turkey! The sultan? Pish! We could "put him out in a punch," in the graceful diction of Mr. Tom Sharkey. That is what we said about Spain. But we gave a performance equal, if not superior, to that promised in our advance notices, didn't we? Same with the Turk. One—two—three!—and 'twould be all up with Brother Hamid. And then—

But our careless, joyous jingoism stops with the counting out of Mohammed's favorite son, What the aftermath might be we know not, neither do we care. Sufficient unto the day is the glory thereof. We simply decline to think about aftermaths. Let them take care of themselves.

When we finally, after some little hesitation, decided to intervene in Cuba, a little while ago, the horizon of our projected work encircled the Antilles. The Phillipines? We didn't even know where they were. But we found out. It was no great task to relieve Cuba of the Spanish yoke; but the fruit of the day's work was blood and tears, shed where least expected; new geography, new issues, a new American republic—empire, some call it.

Yet, sharp as was the lesson, we seemingly have learned nothing from it. We talk airily of an American warship off Smyrna. Where's Smyrna? Does any one know? What would be the effect upon Europe if an American warship were to throw a shell into Smyrna? Has any one taken the trouble to consider?

If we have any definite opinion in such matters it is this: The United States is equal to any strain that may

What is Socialism?

Realizing that many of our readers are becoming more or less interested in the question of the new social democracy, we will from time to time print certain articles on the question. We do so for the purpose of giving our readers an opportunity of becoming familiar with this doctrine as propounded by its advocates. Below is an article from the Appeal to Reason, defining "socialism".

A great many people believe that they know what socialism means, but they do not. They vainly imagine that it refers to bursting bombs, burning buildings, rapine and plunder. But these folks have never looked for the definition in Webster's dictionary which says that socialism is

A theory of society that advocates a more precise, orderly and harmonious arrangement of the social relations of mankind than that which has hitherto prevailed.

Of course that does not sound so very bad. Still for fear that Noah Webster may have been out of his head when defining socialism, let us go to some other authority and read carefully the definition in the Standard dictionary, which says that socialism is

A theory of policy that aims to secure the reconstruction of society, increase of wealth, and a more equal distribution of the products of labor through the public collective ownership of labor and capital (as distinguished from property) and the public collective management of all industries. Its motto is "Everyone according to his deeds."

Ha, Ha! "Everyone according to his deeds!" Are you in favor of a system which will give you all you earn? Do you want all the wealth you produce or do you prefer to give the Hannas and Rockefellers and Vanderbilts and Goulds a rake off on all the creations of your labor? But possibly you are not satisfied yet as to whether socialism has been properly defined or not. Let us get an up-to-date dictionary. Maybe things have changed since Noah Webster died. We have if here. The Century dictionary defines socialism as

Any theory or system of local organization which would abolish entirely, or in a great part, the individual effort and competition on which modern society rests, and substitute co-operation; would introduce a more perfect and equal distribution of the products of labor, and would make land and capital, as the instruments of production, the joint possession of the community.

It is very sad, isn't it? You have been thinking all these years that you knew what socialism meant and it isn't what you thought it was at all, is it? But let us go the whole hog. Let us have all the authorities. Let us look into Worcester's dictionary, which plainly states that socialism is

A science of reconstructing society on entirely new basis, by substituting the principle of association for that of competition in every branch of human industry.

But possibly some of you may not have one of the above named dictionaries and are suspicious—you may believe that we know your circumstances and are trying to trick you. Have you then an Imperial dictionary? It says that socialism means

The abolition of that individual action on which modern societies depend, and the substitution of a regulated system of co-operative action.

Then, again, there are our religious friends who have vaguely, but wrongly, believed that socialism was the enemy of religion. What have you to say of this statement made by the Encyclopedia Britannica?

The ethics of socialism are identical with the ethics of christianity.

Crop Report.

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Climate and Crop Bulletin of the Weather Bureau, Michigan Section for the week ending April 21st, 1900.

The mean daily temperature for the week ended April 21st, was 50.0 degrees, or 6.0 above the normal; the average total precipitation was 1.04 inches, or 0.52 of an inch above the normal; the sunshine averaged 38 per cent of the possible amount.

The warm showery weather of the past week has been exceedingly favorable to all vegetation; it has slightly delayed field work but this delay is not serious when compared with the wonderful improvement in rye, grass and meadows; the condition of wheat has also improved somewhat, but as the season advances it becomes more apparent that the wheat crop this year must be a very poor one. Many

counties, in the southern counties oat and barley seeding is well advanced and early potato planting has begun; in the central and northern counties oat seeding has just begun, while in the upper peninsula snow and frost are just leaving the ground and farmers are preparing for plowing. Reports from all sections of the State regarding the conditions of fruit trees and fruit buds are very encouraging.

Council Proceedings.

A regular meeting of the common council of the city of Tawas City, held at council chamber, Tuesday evening, April 24th, 1900.

Called to order by Mayor Nisbet. Present: Aldermen Schlechte, Moore, Livermore, Walker, Phelps, King, Atty. Jahraus and Clerk Elliott All present.

Petition received from A. G. Van Wey, asking for permission to open a certain ditch. Moved by Ald. King, supported by Ald. Walker that the request of above petition be granted. Carried.

Mayor Nisbet then appointed the following committees:

Ways, Means & Finance—E. M. Schlechte, J. M. Walker, Geo. Phelps.

Claims and Accounts—J. M. Walker, E. M. Schlechte, Thos. Moore.

Streets and Sidewalks—J. M. Walker, E. Livermore, Thos. Moore.

Public Improvements—Geo. Phelps, E. M. Schlechte, J. B. King.

Licenses—E. Livermore, Geo. Phelps, Thos. Moore.

Purchasing—E. M. Schlechte, E. Livermore, Thos. Moore.

Ordinances—Thos. Moore, E. Livermore, Geo. Phelps.

Street Opening—J. M. Walker, Thos. Moore, J. B. King.

Nuisances—Geo. Phelps, E. M. Schlechte, E. Livermore.

Taxes—E. M. Schlechte, J. M. Walker, J. B. King.

Fire Department—J. B. King, Thos. Moore, Geo. Phelps.

The following bill was then read and referred to committee on claims and accounts:

Marshall Wilson (boy) burying dog .50

Moved by Ald. Walker, supported by Ald. Schlechte that bill be allowed as read, and order drawn for same. Carried.

The following bonds were then presented:

Liquor Dealer's bond of Jas. Tarkin with A. G. Van Wey and Wm. Boldt as sureties in the sum of \$3000.

Liquor Dealer's bond of Andrew P. Murphy, with Wm. Drager and M. E. Friedman, as sureties in the sum of \$3000.

City Treasurer's bond of Thos. Davison, with Thomas Curry and Chas. W. Curry as sureties in the sum of \$4000.

Moved by Ald. Phelps, supported by Ald. Walker, that the bonds be referred to the city att'y for his inspection as to their correctness of form. Carried.

Moved by Ald. Walker, supported by Ald. Phelps, that the two liquor bonds presented be referred to a committee for investigating the sureties of same. Carried.

Mayor appoints as said committee: J. M. Walker, E. M. Schlechte, Thos. Moore.

Moved by Ald. Walker, supported by Ald. Phelps that the bond of Thomas Davison be hereby approved. Carried.

Moved by Ald. Walker, supported by Ald. Phelps that the regular meeting time of the council, be changed from the 2d and 4th Tues. days, to the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, of each month. Carried.

Moved by Ald. Moore, supported by Ald. Livermore that the council adjourn to Friday evening, Apr. 27th, 1900.

ORLANDO ELLIOTT,
City Clerk.

WM. NISBET,
Mayor.

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PETER EVERTZ,

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that, whereas my wife Eunice, has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I hereby warn all persons not to harbor or give her credit on my account, as I will be responsible for no debts contracted by her after this date Dated April 1900

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MISS E. DONOHUE,
Residence opposite "Isoco,"
East Tawas, Mich.

LOCAL NEWS

From Tawas City and East Tawas.

SPRING.

The grass is green on the hillside,
And at dusk the whippoorwill calls;
The trees are laden with blossoms,
And God's sunshine is over all.

The farrows lay brown in the meadow,
And the bluebird sings in the trees,
And the hum of the bees in the sunshine
Has a cheerful sound to me.

Oh, what can match in beauty,
The wild flowers at my feet?
Our work, our flowers, and our loved ones,
Make life on the farm complete.
—By Malvina Jones Thompson.

Democratic caucuses tonight.

Buy your paints of W. W. Brown, "Uncle Tom" next Monday evening.

G. A. R. social evening next Tuesday.

The best place to buy your shoes is at Friedman's.

Supervisors are busy making their assessments.

W. F. Bisbee, of AuSable, was in the city Tuesday.

A nobby line of men's neckwear at C. H. P. & Sons.

C. S. Pierce, of Oscoda, was in the city Wednesday.

Dr. D. J. Kerns, of Alpena, is in the city this week.

Mrs. M. D. Hurlbert was in AuSable Wednesday.

Mrs. P. J. McCombs returned to Bay City Tuesday.

John McGary of Alpena, spent Sunday in this place.

The best 50 cent overall in the market at Prescott's.

F. B. Stickney was at Whittemore on business yesterday.

Mrs. Mell Morse, of Rose City, was in the city Wednesday.

John W. King sells the Gale, Bement and Saginaw plows.

Fred Yockey, of AuSable, was in the city on business Monday.

New goods at the same old prices is what you get at Friedmann's.

Rev. J. Pierson, of Prescott, was in the city on Wednesday last.

G. A. Prescott did business at Bay City, last Friday and Saturday.

Miss Edyth Redhead returned Wednesday from a visit at Rose City.

The finest line of teas and coffees in the city at C. H. Prescott & Sons.

George Koenig has had the interior of his store nicely papered and painted.

Ambrose Schill, of East Tawas, went to Rose City on business, Monday.

Buy a Durant-Dort buggy of G. S. Darling and get your money's worth.

W. B. Kelly is having a front put in the addition adjoining the post-office.

C. W. Spencer, of South Branch, was at East Tawas, on business, Monday.

A fine line of bicycle sundries just received at C. H. Prescott & Sons.

Charles Katterman has contracted to paint six of C. H. Prescott & Sons' houses.

Remember, Friedman will sell you goods cheaper than any merchant in the state.

Thomas Curry has seed oats and peas for sale. Also a quantity of baled hay.

"Planet Jr." cultivators and seeders for your spring gardening at C. H. Prescott & Sons.

The D. & M. has ordered 150 new cars to aid in caring for its large freight business.

Sam Shaffer, representing the Deering Co., has been in the city a

Charles Brandt left yesterday for Houghton, in search of employment.

If in need of a carpet, don't buy until you have looked at our line.
C. H. PRESCOTT & SONS.

The City of Alpena, of the D. & C. fleet, left Detroit yesterday morning, for her first trip to Mackinaw.

Mrs. W. D. Wingrove, was called to Tonawanda, N. Y., last Friday, by the serious illness of Ed. Evans.

R. L. Walker went to Grand Marais, Monday evening, where he has accepted a position with a lumber firm.

An adjourned meeting of the city council will be held tonight, at which time the saloonist's bonds will be considered.

Don't be humbugged by sham advertisements, but when you want the best in dry goods and clothing go to Friedman's.

W. F. Whittemore is building an agricultural implement building next to the bank. It will be occupied by John Preston.

Get in line and subscribe for the Herald. One dollar per year, and the Farm Journal until December 1904, thrown in.

W. E. Waterbury arrived home Wednesday morning from Sturgis, where he accompanied his mother, who will visit friends there.

Harry Richards, of AuGres, has been in the city a few days this week. He is arranging to "work out" his horses on the track in this city.

The sub-district ministerial association of the M. E. church met at AuSable Monday and Tuesday. Rev. Howard Goldie, of this city, was in attendance.

V. H. Bagger and family, formerly residents of this city, have returned after several years absence in Montana, and we understand will remain here permanently.

What action will the new city officials take relative to stock running at large? Will the law be enforced? There are many of our citizens who are waiting to know.

G. S. Darling has the finest line of carriages and buggies ever brought to Isoco county. They are the Durant-Dort famous "blue-ribbon" make and cannot be excelled.

Henry Wilmot has resigned as D. & M. station agent at East Tawas. Mr. W. has purchased the Locke store building and we are informed will open a grocery store therein.

W. W. Brown has moved his crockery and bazaar stock from the Friedman building to his grocery store. A. P. Murphy will open a saloon in the former place May 1.

Grip Tent No. 455, K. O. T. M., of this city received a class of ten candidates last Monday evening, and will initiate about 30 next Monday evening. A full attendance is desired.

For the democratic state convention at Port Huron, May 1, the D. & M. will sell return tickets at one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale April 30 and May 1, limited for return to May 3.

All members of G. K. Warren Camp, No. 233, S. of V., are requested to attend the regular meeting next Wednesday evening, May 2. The camp is busy preparing for Memorial day.

Dr. J. D. Kerns, V. S., will be in Tawas City for the next week or ten days. Persons requiring the services of a first-class veterinary surgeon can secure the same by calling at Johnson & Kane's.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Miss Marie McDonald on Wednesday evening by the P. K. Klub and their substitutes, when the unsuccessful half of the Klub banqueted the winners.

J. M. Walker of this city has some choice strawberry plants for sale. They are the very best. Price fifty cents a hundred at Tawas City. Orders for 400 plants or more delivered at any D. & M. R. B. station.

The Tawas City Lath & Heading Co.'s mill started up Tuesday noon for the first time and will continue operations. Everything will be running smoothly within a few days and a large quantity of lath will be made.

Astronomers are busily searching for another world. And yet this one seems to be more than people can readily handle.

The D. & M. Ry., will sell tickets to Detroit and return on the occasion of the Mohawk Club Banquet, May 2, at one fare for the round trip, tickets on sale May 1, limited to return May 3.

Mrs. Howard Goldie, who has been seriously ill at the home of her parents, Rey. and Mrs. Sanderson, at Lincoln, is rapidly improving, and will soon be able to come home. Rev. Goldie has been in the city this week.

Two of the bloodhounds belonging to Stetson's Double Monster Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., which is to exhibit at the East Trwas opera house, Monday evening, April 30, were recently imported from Siberia by Manager Stetson at a cost of nearly \$500 each.

John W. King is the only exclusive agricultural implement dealer in Isoco county. He carries a full line of Deering binders and mowers, discs, plows, harrows, rakes, cultivators, seeders, etc. It will be to your interest to call on him for anything you need.

Next Sunday evening's service at the M. E. church will be taken up by the third quarterly meeting. Rev. W. M. Ward the presiding elder will preach and administer the sacrament of the Lord's supper. Love feast at 7.00 and preaching service at 7.30 o'clock.

There are 139 illustrations in Biggle Cow Book, many of them made from photographs from life. There are eight colored paintings of as many different breeds. Biggle Cow Book is cream, rich Jersey cream—you ought to have it. Send 50 cents to the publishers, Atkinson Co., Philadelphia.

"No family can afford to be without One Minute Cough Cure. It will stop a cough and cure a cold quicker than any other medicine," writes C. W. Williams, Sterling Run, Pa. It cures croup, bronchitis, consumption and all throat and lung troubles. Pleasant and harmless. Dr. G. S. Darling.

There is a law in Michigan which requires all persons practicing as veterinary surgeons to be graduates of some reputable veterinary college, or to have passed an examination before the state board and been properly registered. Those who are practicing without having done so are liable to prosecution.

A man who goes to a blacksmith shop to have his teeth filled, or a plaining mill to get his hair cut, or a saloon to get his hardware, or a barber shop to get dry goods, or a feed store for a suit of clothes, or a butcher shop to get his eyes tested, must have wheels in his head.—Exchange. If your head is level, go to Friedman's for your spring suit.

Koenig's grocery and bazaar has just been decorated with paint and paper. It looks well and is done right as the right paint was used—the Sherwin-Williams paint, sold by C. H. Prescott & Sons. The paper was bought at the right paper store—Peter Evertz, and the work was done by our city decorator. Get the right material, applied by the right man and your work is guaranteed satisfactory. My shop is opposite the M. E. church Charles Katterman, Box 108, Tawas City, Mich.

Married, at St. Ann's church, Alpena, on Tuesday last, Miss Georgine daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oyide Lalonde, of that city, and John McCray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCray, of Alpena. Mr. McCray, is employed in Supt. Luce's office, at East Tawas, and he and his bride will be at home to friends, at East Tawas, after June 1. The groom is well known in this city, being a graduate of our high school, and has a large circle of friends here, who join the HERALD in extending congratulations.

An exchange says that a well-known lady, whose name they dare not disclose, walked into a Cheboygan store the other day and asked to see some goods which happened to be in the rear of the building. With head erect and legs wabbling, the polite clerk started ahead of her saying

Prescott.

E. Weinberg was in Detroit last week.

Mrs. Alf. Hill visited relatives in Tawas City last week.

Bruce McKenzie is visiting his sister, in Oscoda this week.

Mrs. H. R. Beatty returned from Williamston, where she has been visiting her parents.

Lonora Baird, teacher in district No. 2, has been confined to the house with the measles for the last two weeks.

Hale.

Fishermen are numerous.

May flowers are plentiful.

Everyone is busy getting in their spring crops.

Mrs. S. B. Yawger was in Tawas Tuesday.

Walking is good down the railroad track—so Fred says.

School opened in the Gardner district Monday with Miss Tate, of East Tawas, installed as teacher.

Mr. Latta, of Reno, and Mr. Draper, Twining are conducting revival services in the Baptist church this week.

We would advise the young man who purchases tickets for the opera in Tawas to use them next time even tho' he goes alone.

Mrs. Maud Tubbs, deputy great commander, L. O. T. M., of Alpena, spent a couple of days in Hale this week instructing the members of Meredith Hive. Several new members were initiated.

Shocking Accident.

Mrs. Phoebe Richard, the aged wife of Benjamin Richards, met with another shocking accident Saturday afternoon. The weather being warm and pleasant, she thought of taking a short walk, and in order that she might reach her bonnet, that was hanging in the clothes press, she climbed to the top of a chair. The chair tipped over, and Mrs. Richards was precipitated to the floor, and in the fall both bones of her right leg were broken. Dr. Howell was called and he pronounces the fracture a very serious one.

Sometime in early fall, last year, Mrs. Richards fell and injured her side, and tho' her life was almost despaired of for several months, still she rallied from the shock, but never fully recovered. This fresh injury is thus made doubly serious, and her family and friends are greatly shocked.—Gazette.

A Big Bloodhound.

The largest bloodhound in the world is with Stetson's Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. He weighs 203 pounds and cost \$1000. The undying-inevitable Uncle Tom's Cabin appears at the opera house, East Tawas next Monday evening, under the successful management of Wm. Kibble. It is the best dramatization of this celebrated play ever presented, and the specialties are of high order. Of the specialties the dancing of the Topsis is a fine exhibition of suppleness and dexterity. The natural melody of the Lone Star Quartette, in their southern songs, the overture of the orchestra and the mandolin students are equally entertaining in the extreme. A calcium light situated in the key of the gallery arc, cast rich, glowing colors over the tableaux with charming effect.

The publishers, Wilmer Atkinson Co., tell us Biggle Cow Book is most elaborately and beautifully illustrated in wood engraving, in half tone and in color work; and the type, press work and binding are simply superb. Eight of the principal breeds are shown in colors true to life by a first-class artist. No expense has been spared on these portraits, and they must certainly gratify and please. There are twenty-six chapters covering the whole ground of the dairy. Those on Ailments and Remedies are worth the whole price of the book to any one owning even a small dairy. The villager with one cow will find the work a great help. The creamery chapter is up-to-date, and will certainly interest many. It is an up-to-date book, and should form part of the library of every progressive farmer and cow owner in the United States.

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All persons are warned against loafing or loitering around the school premises, or taking wood therefrom. All such offenses will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

By order of
SCHOOL BOARD.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Democrats of Isoco County will meet in convention at the court house in the City of Tawas City, on Monday, the 30th day of April, 1904, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of selecting three delegates to represent them in the Democratic State convention, called to meet in the city of Port Huron, May 1, 1904, and to select delegates to the following conventions of said party to be hereafter called:

1st convention to nominate candidates for state offices.
2d convention to nominate a candidate for congress, 10th district.
3d convention to nominate a candidate for state senator, 28th district.
4th convention to nominate a candidate for representative in the legislature, Isoco district.
The convention will also select a chairman, secretary, and members of the county committee for the ensuing two years and transact such other business as may legally come before it. In accordance with a rule adopted by the county committee, each township and ward will be entitled to one delegate for each 50 votes, or major fraction thereof cast in said ward or township for governor at the last general election, as follows:

Alabaster.....	2
AuSable.....	3
Baldwin.....	3
Burleigh.....	3
Grant.....	1
Oscoda.....	5
Plainfield.....	1
Reno.....	1
Sherman.....	1
Tawas.....	5
Wilber.....	1
AuSable City, 1st ward.....	2
" " 2d ward.....	2
" " 3d ward.....	2
East Tawas, 1st ward.....	2
" " 2d ward.....	3
" " 3d ward.....	3
Tawas City, 1st ward.....	3
" " 2d ward.....	2
" " 3d ward.....	2

Dated the 16th day of April, 1904.
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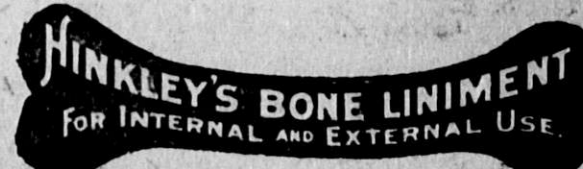
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Special examinations for the granting of 2d and 3d grade certificates will be held June 21st and 22d and October 18th and 19th, at Whittemore and AuSable respectively, if requested by a sufficient number to warrant expense of holding same.

J. A. CAMPBELL, Commissioner.
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