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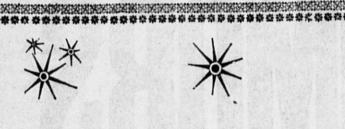
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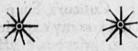
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#### Democratic Convention.

The democratic county convention meet at the court house in this city Monday, pursuant to call. The attendance was small but the business was promptly transacted with the utmost harmony.

Delegates were elected to attend the state convention as follows:

Sylvester Vaughn. Milo Eastman.

Henry Gale.

George C. Anschuetz.

William H. Hartley, of this city, was nominated for county school commissioner by acclamation.

#### sampson Off on Facts.

An examination of the biographies of men of high rank in the navy shows that Admiral Sampson's theories do not hold good, For instance Admiral O'Neill, Sampson successor as chief of ordianance, served before the mast and rose by sheer merit; Capt. Dyer, who commanded the Baltimore in Manila bay, also rose from the ranks; Admiral Hichborn, chief constructor of the navy, began as a ship carpenter; Admiral Melville whose superior engineering knowledg is known all over the world, also came up by the merit route. All these officers display just as much 'social refinment' as Sampson does himself.—Minneapolis Tribune.

#### The Easy Saginaw Sucker.

Even in this age of electric lights and enlightenment there be those who still doubt the success of clairproves to the contary. A clairvoyant lady has illustrated it to the entire convincement of many. The process was simple, but not within the reach of the humble. All that was required by the madam on the part of the investigator was to bring to her \$100 in gold, which she placed in a belt and allowed the patron to wear for three weeks, at the end of which time would be ripe to listen to the unfoldment of metaphysical science. The madam's departure before the end of three weeks caued some of her patron to rip open their belts, Prestogol dummit! The money had disappeared and then they remembered that Solomon said: "There's a sucker born every day."-Ex.

#### Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, three \$1,00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It absolutely guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, lagrippe, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at G. S. Darling, and J. E. Dillon East Tawas.

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#### An Honest Medicine For LaGrippe.

George W. Waitt, of South Gardiner, Me., says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken lots of trash of no account Like Oliver Twist, children ask but profit to the yendor. Chamber- for more when given One Minute an honest medicine." For sale by, a well known remedy for whooping Dr. G, S. Darling.

#### The Girl of Today,

Every few days some arology for manhood with more brass than brains jumos up with an essay on girls. This abominable class of literature always begins with a sneer and ends with a kick. A distinct flavor of sourness permeates it. The gennine girl is absolutely unessayable. Nobody understands her; she doesn't understand herself. She is a delightful bundle of contradictions. As wise as a serpent, she is as innocent as a dove. She is modest as a violet and as sweet as a barrel of molasses. She is as rosy as a winter apple and and plump as an Indian summer partridge. She knows something about the piano and lots about making biscuit. She is tender with her sweetheart and sets the dog on the other fellow. She is an armful of delights and blessed is the youth she takes into partnership in wearing out the sofa. She is a daisy and a dumpling, and m all God's created creation here is nothing to be named in the same breath with her. Them's our sentiments and the man who differs from us has treason in his soul and bile on his liver. -Ex.

#### Strikes a Rich Find.

"Iswas troubled for several years chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H., "No remedy hoped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters voyance, but a recent test in Saginaw are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak, run downwomen. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50 cents. Satisfaction guaranteed by G. S. Daving or J. E. Dillon drug-

#### Names For Farmers.

It is a wonder that the naming of farms has not been popular in this country, and that they have been left nameless and uninteresting from the early settlement of the land until to day. Of recent years the more intelligent farmers have recognized the yalue of having a farm name or trade signature. It is a first class advertising scheme to have a good name for a farm. It is realy of more importance than a good name for the animals on the farm. A writer of the Country Gentleman discusses matter at length, and shows how the billboards erected on tarms by live merchants advertise everything but the farmer and his products. He says the first thing on a billboard should be the name and postoffice address of the proprietor. People would notice the announcement of good butter or fruit for sale on such boards as quickly as they would soap clothes, or sarsaparilla.

The named farm is easier reached by letters, telegrams or express packages, and is of more interest to every person who lives upon it. To the this habit of naming places this writer thinks may traced why British families cling to such homes for generations. He warns farmers against applying their own names to places, as that is not a lasting method, as the Jones farm may become the Smith farm in a few years, and in a few years more may be known as the Brown farm. Names such as "The Oaks," "Sunyslope," etc., he commends. I'o some extent this naming of farms has obtained in eastern Connecticut, but it ought to be more prevalent because it is of advantage to business. A fitting and worthy name really adds to the value of a farm. It does not cost anything to name a farm, but it does make it more widely known if it is well named. - Norwich Bulletin.

lain's cough remedy is the only thing Cough Cure. Mothers endorse it that has done any good whatever. highly for croup. It quickly cures I have used one bottle of it and the all coughs and colds and every throat chills, cold and grip have all left me. and lung trouble. It is a specific for I congratulate the manufactures of grippe and asthma and has long been

#### Got Them All In.

The superintendent of schools at Spokane, Wa., desirous of testing the powers of composition existing in a class of 8-years-olds, requested that three sentences be written, each to contain one of the three words, "bees," "boys" and "bear." A small girl laboriously concocted the following sentence: Boys bees bare when they go in swimming,"—Ex.

#### A Widow's Love Affair.

Receives a setback, if she has offensive breath through constinution. biliousness or stomach trouble, but Dr. King's New Life Pills always cure those troubles; clean the system sweeten the breath, banish headache: best in the world for liver, kidneys and bowels. Only 25 cents at Dr. G. S, Darling's or J, E, Dillon, s drug

#### Plant Shade Trees.

Trees add much to the comfort and beauty of the home, whether it be located in the city or in the country. They should be set out in large holes that have been filled into the proper depth with good, rich, soil. Elm, soft maple, black locust, catalpa, box elder, ash, in the order named, are desirable trees. Every planting should include some elms because they are long lived and more permanent than the others mentioned. Continuous shallow cultivation is necessary for success, and if this is neglected, failure is almost certain.

#### PUBLIC AUCTION.

Tre undersigned will sell at public auction at his residence on Hemlock Road, in Grant township, Monday. March 25, 1901 at one o'clock, p. m. the following property to wit:

Fifty-tw sheep, 16 head of cattle, four horses, seven pigs.

Terms of sale: Six months time will be given on good approved notes. On sums over \$15 five per cent discount will be given on cash payment. PETER BAMBERGER.

#### Remarkable Cures of Rheumatism.

From the Vindicator, Rutherford-

ton, N. C. The editor of the Vindicator has had occasion to test the efficacy of Chamberlain's Pain Balm twice with the most remarkable results in each case. First, with rheumatism in the shoulder from which he suffered excruciating pain for ten days, which was relieved with two applications of Pain Balm, rubbing the parts afflicated and realizing instant benefit and entire relief in a very short time. Second, in rheumatism in thigh joint, almost prostrating him with severe pain, when h was relieved by two applications, rubbing with the liniment on retiring at night, and getting up free from pain. For sale by, Dr. G. S. Darling.

#### A Card.

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

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#### 'Phone No. 68.

Congress was adjourned at noon Monday.

EVERY member of President Mc-Kinley's cabinet have been reappointed.

MICHIGAN prohibitionists refused to endorse Carrie N .tion's saloon smashing acts.

THE Michigan Press Association will hold its 33d annual meeting at Lansing, March 14-15.

F. A. PLATT, secretary of the Flint Building and Loan Association, is a defaulter to the some of \$40,000.00

renominated for mayor of Chicago for the third term. His opponent is with a flurish of trumpets and a pro-Judge Hance,

THE question of changing inaugeral day from March 4th to some date when more desirable weather is to be had is again being discussed.

JUDGE WEIST, of Ingham county announced on the opening of hi court Monday, that all grand jury in ditements would be tried this term

MID the greatest military display in the history of the country William McKinley was inaugerated president of these United States, for the second time on Monday.

HON. D. J. CAMPAU has resigned the position of chairman of the democratic state central committee, and Hon Justin R. Whitting has been elected to the position.

WHILE the defeat of the river and harbor appropriation bill will effect some good appropriations it will also a let of money which would have been wasted in useless work.

THERE has been 1358 bills introduced in the present legislature. Rep. Colby, of Wayne, introduced 65, Rep, Mark Willis, of Sanlac did not introduce any. Rep. Sharpe presented 36.

OUR own and only Ping. is busy for a few days in London, instructing the newKing how to conduct the affairs of state. From there he goes to South Africa to give Lord Kitchner a few pointers on how to whip the Boers.

PEOPLE this spring will probably have a chance to vote on the propoture a salary of \$1,000 a term with extra compensation of ten cents a mile for traveling expenses. As the statesmen travel on deadhead tickets, the ten cents a mile for railroad fare seems superfluous.

GAGE, secretary of the treasury, referring to the resignation of his assistant secretary, Vanderlip, young newspaper man, says, "A successful newspaper man is almost always competent to fill any other position in life." Vanderlip has been Steel Trust.

THE prohibition state convention nominated Walter S. Westerman, of Adrian, for justice of the supreme court, and Joshua Stansfield, of Bay City, and Archibald Buttars, of Charlevoix, as regents,

THE democratic state convention at Grand Rapids, Wednesday, nomination Judge A. C. Adsit, of Grand Rapids. for Justice of the supreme court, and Edward C. Shields of Howell, and Elmer R. Goldsmith, of Petoskey, for regents of the Univer-

SENATOR CARTER, of Montana, signalized his retirement from the U. S. Senate by talking the river and harbor appropriation bill to death. It is intimated that he did so at the request of Mark Hanna, to even up matters with the senate for refusing to pass Hanna's ship subsidy bill.

THERE was not a single appropriation passed by the fifty sixth congress that did not provided for an increase of salaries, although it is well known to everybody that government employes, as a rule receive more than they could earn at private employment. Using the people's money for gratuities is extravagance of the worst kind,

TAKING stock at this time it is found that the legislature of Michigan, though in session more that two months, has by far the larger and CHARTER H. HARRISON has been more important part of its work yet before it. It entered upon its duties fessed intention to carry out the govadministration. It was going to attend strictly to its duties and to facilitae legislation by all legitimate means. It has done comparatively little work and some of that of a character that had better been omitted. It has weakened public confidence in its good faith and has entirely dispelled tha hope of a short session. - Free Press.

#### The Hatchet Plan.

Miss Susan Anthony-is hardly fair to mention her in the same breath with the Kansas reformer's methods, in course of on address she said, the other day.

"The hatchet is the weapon of barbarism, the ballot is the one weapon

"In Kansas, since 1887, Mrs. Nation, with all the women in the 286 cities of the state, has had the right to vote for mayor, for the members of the common council, and for every other officer of the municipality. Women equally with men have the ly.-Gentleman's Magazine. responsibility. Therefore, the duty Mrs. Nation and all the women of Kansas is to register and vote only for such men or women who will publicly pledge themselves to do their duty and to carefully retire to private life every officer who has failed to show his hand.

"By the process of weeding out the sympathizers with the saloon and voting once for men and women true to principle the women would see the fruit of their labors, proving to themselves and to the world the power of the ballot over the hatchet."

### Protect the Home Builder.

The building and loan association business has an honorable history. By means of a combination of small payments gathered at short intervals, it has enabled many men of very moderate means to build homes for sition to pay members of the legisla- themselves who otherwise would never have known the delights of their own yine and fig tree.

But, as these enterprizes have proved successful, they have become with all sorts of additional schemes of one kind and another attached to them. As a result, unscrupulous

bricks of various kinds. The revelations of the Flint scandal make it evident that these insti- yo' house and visit that cook of yourn? tutions need as thorough inspection I subtinly would like permission to visas is given to any bank, and any op- it yo' kitchen. position that the officers of these in Senator Jones was in his library the stiutions may make to a law for that other senator was down in the kitchen hired at \$10,000 a year by the big purpose is only greater evidence in visiting the cook. the need of it.

No matter how able and respectable a board of directors may be they are practically certain never keep tab on the secretary as completely as they are supposed to. They are his friends or they would never have chosen him and are always inclined to make as little fuss as possible about their investigations until some suspicion is aroused, when it it al-

ways too late. Private banks and building and loan associations are a danger to the public unless kept under the same supervision as regular banking corporations. The legislature should provide a law that will give protection to the small investors. It is of far greater importance that their funds should be kept safe than those of men of greater wealth .- To-Day.

#### Obeyed Orders.

One of the officials of the road had invited a party of gentlemen to take a little pleasure excursion over a part of the line on his private car. Before the appointed day he was taken sick and called in his chef and commissary.

"Eph," he said, "I have asked these friends and can neither go with them nor disappoint them. I want you to give them the best there is in the larder and see that it is served as well as it would be at the best hotel in the world."

Eph scratched his head and looked troubled, but simply said, "Yes, sah." On the return several of the gentlemen congratulated the official upon having such a "man," and one or two intimated that if Eph ever wanted another position he would have no trouble in securing it.

Finally Eph reported. "It wa' a great outin, sah," he assured his employer. "Yas, sah; dat's right, sah; a stupendificious outin, sah. De gem'men all done me proud, and I tells 'em it wa' you, sah."

Then Eph showed the bill, and it was a stunner for length and amount. He stood hat in hand until the official said: "Pretty steep, Eph; pretty steep. Nothing left out and nothing but the best."

"Dat's right, sah. I was fusticated mos' to deaf, sah, but I jes' says to myself, sah, dat dey was no greater epicac in de lan dan you is, and I bought and ernor's expressed desire for a business | cooked and served, sal, jes' like it wa' you."-Detroit I de Press.

#### The Smothering Scene.

As to stage appointments, there were no plush or velvet curtains or couches draped with satin in early days. The furniture was as unpretentious as the costumes. Indeed on one occasion when a lady was playing Desdemona to her husband's Othello a disastrous and at the same time ludicrous effect, though of course unrehearsed, had been imminent through the lack of even a nail or two to make an old stool

It was the smothering scene, and the couch was made up of two chairs and a rickety stool covered, of course, with the simplest draperies-a red merino curtain trimmed with yellow worsted fringe. Imagine a Desdemona endeavoring to recline gracefully, all the while feeling portions of her couch sliding from under her. This is how the scene was played out:

Desdemona-Kill me tomorrow; let me live tonight. (I'm falling, dear!) Othello-Nay, if you strive- (Keep quite still.) Desdemona-But half an hour. (Oh, hold me!)

Othello-Being done, there is no pause. (I'll push the stool under.) Desdemona-But while I say a prayer. (Do be quick, Robert, it is slipping.) Othello-It is too late!

Which, indeed, it was, for the bed collapsed, and Desdemona's body lay upon the floor, her head upon the sole chair, which stuck to its post faithful-

#### A Dreadful Moment.

A conductor on the Park line had an experience the other day that is quite certain to cause him many uncomfortable minutes in the future. His car stopped at Spruce street to let a middle aged lady on, and as she took her seat the conductor gave the motorman two bells, and the car shot ahead. When the conductor entered the car, the woman in question was looking out of the window and did not see his outstretched hand.

"Fare, please," remarked the con-

ductor. The woman evidently did not hear him, for she did not turn her head. Neither did she hold out the necessary coin.

"Fare, please," said the conductor in a louder tone.

But the woman paid no heed. Then the conductor touched her on the shoulder and in a tone of voice that rang Bits. through the car exclaimed: "Your fare, please, lady!"

Then the woman turned hastily around and looked at the conductor. The knight of the bellcord gave one gasp and fled to the back platform.

The woman was his mother-in-law .-Omaha World-Herald.

#### The Two Senators.

Congressman Jones of Virginia told this story of his father: Directly after banking institutions of importance the war Jones senior was sent to the state senate. An old slave who had belonged to him was also elected to the senate. The two drew adjoining seats. Senator Jones was very courteous and men have found here a chance to in addressing his former slave always furnish confiding investors with gold called him senator. The old negro stood it for some time and finally said: "Massa William, I don't like dis senator business. Kain't I come down to 3

#### A Cool Housemaid.

A rather curious method of burglar catching was resorted to by an ingenious maidservant recently in New York. As The Electrical Review tells the story, while in pursuit of her household duties the maid noticed a man's foot inside the clothes closet, She did not scream, neither did she jump at the door nor shut it with a bang. Instead she took a broom and began to sweep that corner of the room near the closet. Her approach was gradual, and the sweeping was done so naturally that it would not have aroused the most suspicious burglar. At last the broom brushed the door gently, but hard enough to close it to the fraction of an inch. With five or six more gentle sweeps that closet door was shut and almost latched, which she at length succeeded in doing by gently pressing her arm against it.

As the telephone in her house was so near the closet that the burglar would be able to hear her if she called for assistance, she bethought herself of another plan. In the back yard some telephone linemen were at the time making repairs on a wire that runs to another house in the block. She went out and spoke to them. They promptly tapped a wire, attached a testing instrument and called up one of the down town exchanges, which in turn got the house owner, who in his turn called up police headquarters. From there the call was sent to the police station nearest the house, and two policemen were sent around and got the man.

#### Novel Use For His Fodder.

"I have heard of some strange and curious expedients that have been used to clear the tracks in cases of railroad wrecks," said a well known railroad official recently, "but the methods used on a small railroad not far from Baltimore a few years ago to clear the tracks and incidentally save a fine engine from serious damage were the most original I ever heard of.

"The wreck had been caused by ice forming on the rail from an overflowing tank near the trestle. The train had two engines. The first engine and the cars had run out on the trestle and dropped over. The rear engine was left standing half sidewise on the trestle, which was 30 feet high. It seemed as if the touch of a man's hand would cause it to topple over, and it blocked the road, which was only single tracked, and the wrecking car with its derrick could not be used. 'If we only had something soft to drop It on and then hoist it back,' said one official, 'we could manage all right.'

"This remark gave a farmer of the neighborhood an idea. He offered to sell his big stock of corn fodder. The plan was to pile the fodder from the ground underneath the trestle to within a few feet of the track and then topple the engine over. The plan worked well, and owing to the elasticity of the fodder the engine was not damaged

#### Some Childish Humor. Here are some specimens of childish

in the least."-Baltimore Sun.

humor from the Chicago News: "Oh, mamma," exclaimed 4-year-old Flossie as she observed the moon in its second quarter, "come and look at the moon. Half of it is pushed into the sky, and the other half is sticking out."

Tommy, aged 5, had been busy whittling and managed to raise a blister on his hand which caused a slight break in the skin. Running to his mother, he showed it to her and said, "Mamma, I guess I'm beginning to wear out."

"Did they sing any pretty songs at Sunday school?" asked a mother of her little 4-year-old daughter upon her return home, "Only one," replied the little miss. "It was something about Greenland's ice cream mountains."

Papa-Well, Willie, have you been a good boy today? Small Willie-Did you ask mamma? "Why should I ask her? Don't you know whether you have been good or not?" "Yes, but mamma's idea of goodness differs from mine, and I don't want to go back on anything she says."

The Benefit of the Doubt. Not long ago a young lady was spending some weeks at a Scotch country house, and just before dinner one evening two cousins of the hostone of them the great man of the family-arrived unexpectedly. Shortly before dinner was announced the butler sought the young lady and said to her confidentially:

"We're puttin on yesterday's soup, an for fear there shouldna be enough, ye maun decline."

"Decline soup!" exclaimed the young lady, much amused. "But, you know, John, that wouldn't be manners."

"Na," said John coolly; "but they'll think ye ken nae better."-London Tit-

#### The Second Need.

Stockman - You remember that "pointer" you gave me on the street yesterday? Bonds-Yes. What about it?

Stockman-Why, I tried it, and as a consequence I've come around to see if you couldn't let me have a retriever .-Richmond Dispatch.

F. E. Hess, Prop.

C. M. Davis, Miller:

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During the month of March we will make contracts with the farmers of Iosco county for potatoes and other vegetables used by us. Call at office of National Milling & Evaporating Company, East Tawas.

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#### Council Proceedings.

Regular session, March 5th 1901. Called to order by E. M. Schlechte, Pres.

Present: Ald. Moore, Schlechte. King, Livermore, and Atty. Jahraus. Absent: Ald, Phelps, Walker and Mayor Nisbet. Quorum present.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved. The following bills were then presented, and

City Clerk,

on motion were allowed as read, DE. B. VanHorn, snowploiwng, C. A. Jahraus, salary, 18.00 L. J. Patterson, printing,

F. M King, salary, 28.00 Geo. Koenig. supplies, On motion council then adjourned E. M Schlechte, Orlando Elliott.

### REGISTRATION NOTICE.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF TAWAS

Pres. Protem.

Notice is kereby 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 30th DAY OF MARCH, A. D., 1901, 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 accordauce 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 does 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 1st day of April A. D., 1901.

Dated at Tawas City, Mich, March 5th 1901, ORLANDO ELLIOTT, City Clerk,

### NOTICE OF ELECTION.

To THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF TAWA

Notice is hereby given that a ganeral election will be held in the City of Tawas City, Iosco County, Michigan, on

MONDAY, THE 1st DAY OF APRIL,

A. D. 1901, at which election the following state officers are to be elected. Viz: One Justice of the Supreme Court, and also

two Regents of the University, Also the following county officers, Viz: One County Commissioner of Schools. Also the following city officers, Viz: One Mayor,

one alderman, one constable for the First ward, one Supervisoe, one alderman, one constable for the Second ward, one supervisor, one alderman, one constable for the Third ward. Ana 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

one clerk, one treasurer. Also one Supervisor,

7 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as may be, and shall continue open until 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said 1st Day of April A. D. 1901, and no longer.

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### NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from Various Sources

Six below zero Tuesday morning. Fine new line of whips at W. W.

Brown's. Rev. D. Q. Barry drove to Oscoda Monday.

Buy a Durant-Dort buggy of G. S. Darling.

All winter goods at greatly reduced what one can obtain. price at Mount's.

Fifteen cases of small pox are reported at Saginaw.

Sping elections occur three weeks from next Monday.

\$25.00, at Mount's. All that is dignified about some

men is their whiskers. Mrs. N. C. Hartingh returned yes-

terday from a visit at Bay City. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Oliver of

East Tawas, spent Sunday at Alpena. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs.

Wesley Groff, of this city, Wednesday. Farmers, W. W. Brown pays

highest market price for butter and The Baptist Ladies' Aid will give

a birthday party at Easter, Every-

John L. Graham has been in Bay City and Sagnsaw on business this

week.

Ten new subscribers have been hands clean. added to our subscription list this

you a chance on long mirror at

Mount's.

Monday. The finest bananas 15 cents a

dozen, oranges 25 cents. at W. W. Brown's

Miss Edna Kelly of Alpena, spent a few days with Miss Pearl Hurlbert this week.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Springer, of East Tawas on Monday last.

The Presbyterian society give their "Olde Folkes" entertainment at Alabaster tonight.

been visiting relatives and friends in Dr. G. S. Darling. Detrcit, for the past week.

southern Michigan have lost 40,000 Friday evening, was a very enjoyable rural population in the past ten affair, and \$8.05 was raised toward

Mrs. M. D. Hurlburt leaves tomorrow for Detroit and Cleveland to purchase her stock of spring millinery goods.

The board of supervisors were in session Tuesday and Wednesday. No business of special importance was transacted.

B. B. Williams, of Dexter, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs F. F. Taylor this week. The gentleman is Mrs. T's father.

If big feet were as fashionable as big heads are prevalent in this country, the chiropodists would have to hunt another trade.

the coming year is being discussed, days of the winter, and Wednesday ations wrote 57.231 certificates and but candidates seem very slow in an- but little better, nouncing themselves.

ing party to a number of her lady C. E. society of the Baptist church friends Wednesday. They went to here to hold a rally at this place in the Darling farm in Wilber, and re- June. The association includes all port a good time.

For sale or exchange, 40 acres of land close by corporation limits of

W. A. Sperl, and Thomas Osborne. of Whittemore, were in the city Monday.

The bark mill of the tannery at Cheboygon, was destroyed by price

The dude with the puff shirt pink tie and leather belt, will soon be with us again,

Before you buy your bicycle this spring call and see the Crescent wheel at Mount's.

Mr. and Mis. Charles Nillems returned Wednesday from a two weeks visit at Yale,

The board of director of the Iosco County Agricultural society will ings of January, 1900, of \$12,152.95. meet April 6th.

If we cannot keep our secrets ourselves, we need not expect others to keep them for us.

healthy cattle and hogs. Ask for it

at W. W. Brown's.

It is always well to obtain what one desires, but it is better to desire only

Wanted, at W. W. Brown's first ward meat market, young fat beef and 100 pound pigs.

Mrs. George Wakeman, of Posen, has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. You can buy a Cresent wheel for C. A. Wakeman, this week.

> Detroit capitalists are organizing to handle an invention to transmit facsmile handwriting by telegraph,

A marriage liscense was issued Monday to Edward L. Bouquette and Miss Mabel l'ooleigh, of this city.

The celebrated Harrison wagon is he best made. For sale by WHITTEMORE & PHINNEY.

G. S. Darling has the finest line of carriages and buggies ever brought to Iosco county. They are the Durant-

The state convention of the Michigan Christian Endeavor societies will be held March 26-28, at Port Huron.

Charles Goodwillie left Monday for Lancaster, N. Y., where he has se-Every cash sale of one dollar gives cured a position. His family will remain here for the present,

Miss Carry Zeimer, who has been Miss Beyrl Hurlbert was home the guest of her sister, Mrs. Peter from AuSable from Saturday until Evertz, for some time returned to her home in Ionia, last Saturday.

> The Ladies of the M. E. church will serve ta 10 cent supper at the home of Jas. Hamilton on Wednesday evening March 13. Everybody

pronounced by experts to be the finest in Michigan, has recently been discovered on a farm one mile north of Chesaning.

When you are billous, use those famous little pills known as De Witt,s Little Early Risers to cleanse the Mr. and Mrs. Emil Buch have liver and bowels. They never gripe,

While not largely attended, the Twenty eight of the counties of box social at the high school last meeting the coming graduating ex-

> Mutual Insurance Co. met at Standish and decided to make a fight against paying assessments amounting to \$6,000 for losses incurred during the past year,

> For the Michigan Christian Endeavor Union, at Port Huron, March 26-28, the D. &. M. will sell tickets via. P. M. Ry., at one fare for round trip. Dates of sale March 25-26 limited for return to March 28.

We have been treated to all kinds of weather this week. Sunday night a young cyclone held forth, but did no damage. Monday was passingfair. The question of city officials for while Tuesday was one of the coldest gan accident and sick benefit associ-

The Alpena Baptist Association Mrs. G. S. Darling gave a sleigh- have accepted the invitation of the the Baptist young people's societies in the district.—Oscoda Press.

Tawas City Mich. Twenty acres in- land. Close by corporation limits of burn, belching or any other stomach Total enrollment, 294; average daily attenproved. Good buildings and a fine Tawas City. Twenty acres improv- trouble, this preparation can't help dance, 242; average number belonging, 273; per young orchard, Apply M. Murphy, ed. Good buildings and a fine young but do you good. The most sensi-

G. K. Warren W. R. C., No. 170 of East Tawas, will hold an anniversary meeting at the G. A. R. hall, this, Friday, evening. Members of the G. A. R. and S. of V. are invited to attend.

The lingering cough following grippe calls for One Minute Cough Cure. For all throat and lung troubles this is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. Prevents consumption.

A statement issued by Railroad Commissioner Osborn shows that the Michigan earnings of railroads during the month of January were \$3,-004,612,58, an increase over the earn.

For sale, 100 acres of land one and one half miles north of Alabaster. 35 acres improved, with good house, barn and young orchard. International stock food makes fat sell improved and wild land seperate. Inqure of James McCue Tawas City.

> It is said that a new mail route is be established from Mio to the Au-Sable & Northwestern Railroad, west of McKinley. If this service is secared the route to Roscommon would be abolished. The new route would insure better service. - Oscoda Press.

Headache often results from a disorderd condition of the stomach and Indian. Though excellent playing constipation of the bowels. A dose Mrs. Shein won as a prize, a beautior two of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will correct the disorders and cure the headache. Sold by G. S. Darling Druggist.

Here's a good one from an unknown exchange on the Philippine question. "Spain had a little tiny lamb, the meekest lamb around; she "blosomin' men" executed. Dr. sold the lamb to Uncle Sam for twenty millions down, then Sam he took it by the tail, to lead in home, you know; the mutton rare turned out a bear, and Sam cannot let go.'

Mrs. C. E. Van Deusen, of Kilbourn, Wis., was afflicted with stomach trouble and constipation for long time. She says, "I have tried many preparations but none have Never call anybody bad names, no done me the good that Chamberlain's matter what they call you. You Stomsch and Liver Tablets have." cannot throw mud and keep your These Tablets are for sale at Darling's drug store. Price, 25 cents.

> It pays the readers of a newspaper to read the advertisments, because the merchants who advertise are the ones who offer special inducements. The man who advertises moves his goods faster and carries less stock. Advertising is a sign of enterprise. Read the prices quoted by our merchants each week and compare them with outside prices.

Every newspaper has its friends, and friends of any respectable newspaper often feel that they should like to show their apprectation of its ex-A vein of coal seven feet thick, cellence in some way. Let ine merchant know where you saw the advertisement. He will be glad to find out and it will convince him that he is getting his money's worth when he advertises in the local paper. Then you might ask your neighbor to sub-

The kickers on the farm are not as hard to get along with as the kickers in the towns. On the farm there are the kicking cow and our long-eared friend, the mule, while in the town there is the old mossback who wants all the privileges of municipal living without paying for them and blocks so far as he can every municipal im-Members of the defunct Home provement. The cow may be sold for beef and the mule traded for a shot gun, but nothing but a funeral will get rid of a town kicker.-Ex.

> A compilation just completed by Insurance Commissioner Barry shows that fraternal insurance companies wrote 65,068 certificates in Michigan, covering insurance aggregating \$75 .-636,950, and at the close of the year had in force in the state 294,643 cer tificates representing \$355,073,400 of insurance. The Michigan assessment life wrote 604 policies, and the assessment life companies of other states wrote 3,299 certificates. The Michiof other states, 755.

The stomach controls the situation. Those who are hearty and strong are gests what you eat and allows you to eat all the good food you want. If For sale or exchange, 40 acres of you suffer from indigestion, heart- Wortz, and August Blust, 90. orchard. Apply M. Murphy city. tive stomachs can take it.

"The Round Dozen."

The ladies of the "Round Dozen Club" were very pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Zeiter and Miss Marie McDonald at the former's homeTuesday evening. As is usual on these occasions the ladies went unegcumbered with men or or other bricabrac and gave themselves up to the enjoyment of such quiet and harmony as is seldom known where men are. The Round Dozen Club knowing this full well, adopted as resolution one of their constitution, "When you can't get rid of your man, then you need not come."

But as continued absence of a long expected danger always breeds carlessness, it so happened that the picket guard of the Round Dozen Camp fell into a peaceful and serene sleep; within her comrades paid attention to nothing but their knittin' and gave the full measure of their mental capacity to the encouragement of some foolish Jack who tried to catch a pedro on the second hand around.

Now it chanced that a parcel of men passed that way and, seeing the angarded condition of the camp, bethought themselves to attempt to gain admittance. This they did, and then, well, to make it short the reconciliation scene would have brought tears to the eyes of a cigar store ful little book. Mrs. S. won all out two games of the evening. Through also playing Mrs. Jahraus won a B flat mouth organ. There was no connection, however, between Mrs. J's playing and the mouth organ. Mrs. J. furnished music for a little impromptu dance which some of the Darling and Tom Garber broke eyen on the men's prize. Being only one, they drew for it. Tommy, lucky man, drew a blank and the Dr. drew a beautiful little box within which was a cigar. Tommy though he lost the first prize and the Doctor (afterwards) thought he won the booby

Mrs. Zeiter and Miss McDonald served a delicious lunch and although there were 7 extra men there was an abundance. Some of the ladies insinuated treason but it wasn't that at all it was only that men are generally light eaters.

#### SCHOOL REPORT

The following is the report of Tawas City Schools for month ending March 1, 1901.

FIRST PRIMARY-WINNIFRED DUPRAW Teacher.

Number enrolled during the month 52; average daily attendance 41; average number belonging 48: Neither absent nor tardy William McCue, Willie Bay, Eddie Halleck, Roy Redhead, Kenneth Goldie, Leo Halleck, Leslie Smith, Ellen Buswell, Roy Clark.

SECOND PRIMARY-FLORENCE B. OAKES, Teacher.

Number enrolled during the month, 48; average number belonging, 43: Neither absent nor tardy, Stella Buswell, Lottie Bay, Grace Wilson, Albertia Wilcox, Edward McGill, Nina Sawyer, Bert Stickney, Llody Armstrong.

GRAMMER DEPARTMENT .- MISS MARY BLACK Teacher.

Number excelled during the month, 34; average daily attendance, 80; average number belonging, 32: Neither absent nor tardy, Harold Braband. Muriel Murphy, Lizzie McCue, Frances Halleck. Highest average standing, Harold Braband, 92; Stella Murphy 90,

WARD SCHOOL, PRIMARY DEPART-MENT.-MARGARET MURPHY, Teacher.

Number enrolled during the month, 52; average daily attendance, 45; average number belonging, 48: Neither absent nor tardy. Hymen Friedman, Mary McGarry, Fern Mark, Ethel Whittemore, Crawford Armstrong, Don Garber, Atlee Mark, Edith Baguley, Elsie Musolf, Edith Baxter, Stephen Nisbet, Russell Birney, Highest average standing; Edith Baguley, 95: Don Garber, Hazel Brown, Ethel Whittemore, Fern Mark, Marry McGarry, 94; Marry Smith, Arminta Brabond, 93.

INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT.-TER ESA SHAVER, Teacher.

Number enrolled during the month, 28; average number belonging. 27: Neither absent nor tardy, Jennie Birney, Marguerite Brguley, Mamie Swartz, Katie Smith, Ethel Garber, La-Vina Cox. Highest average standing, Ethel Garber, katie Smith, 98; May Murray, 97; Marguerite Baguley, 96; LaVina Cox, Jennil Birney. Sucile Smith, 95; Evelyn Braband, Mamie Swartz, 94; Gryce Birney, 93.

HIGH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT .- NANCY McARTHUR, Preceptrees.

Number enrolled during the month, 80; average daily attendence, 67, average number be

Neither absent our trrdy; Lena Redhead, harles Bigdlow, Ernest Kasischki, Anna the sick and accident benefit societies Graf Harlow Whietemore. Lulu Murphy, Ruby Armstrong, Ivan Badguley, Philip Halleck Lois Garber, Mabel Ross, and Maggie McGill. Highest average standsng: Grace Redhead, and Lois Garber, 98; Arch.e Barry, 96; Lena Redhead, Mattie Galbriath, and Harlow Whittemore, 85; Minlie Smith, 94; Mabel Crandall, those who can eat and digest plenty Mabel Ross, Lillian Sawyer, Ina Bradley, and Anna Graf, Maggie McGill. Katie McDonald,98 of food. Kodol Dyspepsia cure di- Stella Friedman, abel Redhead, Nina Cran. dall, Pearl Hurlbert 92; Willie Myles, Rose Mc-Douald, Agnes Galbjaith, and Mary Holiand, 91; Rowland Goldie, Ivan Bagguley, Sadie

PRICES For the next

## DAYS!

For the Next Thirty Days I will offer my Entire Stock at Greatly Reduced Prices to make room for New Spring Stock.

## The Following are Only a Few Prices

the tollowing ale only a lew Life	60	i
Men's Snag Proof Rubbers from \$1.75 to	\$1	50
" Common " " 1.50 "	1	25
1 lot Wos. Warm Shoes worth \$1.25 to \$1.75	1	00
1 lot Men's Woolen Socks, per pair		20
" Lumberman Socks worth 75c a pair at		50

#### GLOVES AND MITTENS.

Men's	Mittens	Reduced	from	75 to	50	cents.
"	"	"		50	40	"
"	Gloves	"	"	75	50	"
"	"		"	50	40	

In fact, Everything in the line of Boots, Shoes, Rubbdrs, heavy Woolen Socks, Gloves and Mittens will be sold at a sacrifice for the next 30 days as I must have the room for Spring Goods.

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# Is None to Good for our Customers.

OUR AIM is to have Pure Groceries, Healthy Meats, Fresh Eggs, Choice Butter, and Fresh, Home Baked, Bread, Doughnuts, Pies, Cakes and Cookies.

## THIS WEEK:

White Fish, Holland Herring, Macherel, Codfish and Salmon 13c a can, 15c a can, and 18c a can.

Young, Juicy Round Steak, 12 cents per pound Shoulder " Sirloin " 13 " " " Porterhouse 14 " "

#### Full Weight and Cut to Suit You!

Choice Bananas, new bunch, 15 cents per dozen Sweet Oranges,

# FIRST WARD MEAT MARKET W. W. BROWN,

Opposite Depot,

Tawas City, Mich.

Newsy Items Gathered From Many Sources.

FARM NOTES.

The use of commercial fertilizers has prevented the falling off the East, the yields of which were decreasing every year. It is al ficient manure on a large farm to retain its fertility and more fertilizers should be used.

As manure will soon be hauled out, this is an excellent time to handle the manure by turning it over in the heap, the coarser be decomposed more evenly and will be in better condition for hauling to the fields when spring work begins.

The characteristics of a breed good qualities.

better it is prepared the less lia- ticular flock only, bility to damage from drought.

Grease is fatal to lice. An animal that is in good condition is seldom attacked by such vermin. It is only when the animals are half starved and receive no care that they become thus afflicted The cows need the curry comb as well as the horse, and with their skins kept clean, plenty of food given, and dry beding, they will keep clear of lice.

young lambs should not be kept decayed limbs coming on; these bulk of the work of this character ing may be necessary to deteron grain and hay only. Turnips, carrots, or even ensilage will be found excellent for promoting the milk yield and keeping the animals thrifty. The young land season, and nipping off the ends that receives an abundant supply of milk will get into market early and bring a good price.

For many years it has been known that by penning sheep on small areas the land will rapidly improve in fertility. A case has trimming needs to be done. We the soil, and yet it is in the air in Dr. G. S. Darling or J. E. Dillon mentioned in which a Georgia farmer penned fifty sheep for to pruning at all, while there may the legumes, the clovers, the cowcotton more than doubled next year. The penning of sheep on small plots is a regular practice in England, the farmers in many cases depending upon sheep al most exclusively for improving their soils.

One of the breeds of cattle possessing excellent characteristics, is the Devon, which is red in color. It does not rank as high for the production of milk or beef as the breeds specially adapted for these purposes, but Devons are very hardy and can subsist where some of the other breeds could not thrive. The Devons were extensively used when oxen were necessary, as they are active and can endure heat and cold well. The cows of the Devon breed are fairly good as milkers, and are also very docile disposition.

genous substance, and can be has been ruined by not being used to advantage as a portion painted. Water gets in the wood up the fertility of their fields by of the ration for cows, sheep and decay sets in and soon the tree planting clover without underswine. The mode of feeding on fails. the part of some is to grind one part cow peas with four parts corn, or with two parts corn and two parts oats. the ground corn, peas and oats being fed with cut hay or other bulky food. About twenty bushels per acre of cow peas can be secured, but the labor of picking the pods is an dren when troubled with bad coughs, item. The veins are valuable as also whooping cough, and it has alhay, or the crop may be plowed ways given perfect satisfaction. It under when the seed pods are about filling, in which condition gist as the best cough medicine for on the box and wrapper. It is a they quickly decompose in the

The sowing of clover seed is a matter which occurs early in the season, frequently the seed being sown on snow. The better plan in the averages of staple crops in is to wait and harrow the wheat with a harrow having slanting teeth, going over the wheat field most impossible to produce suf- the clover seed, by which plan less seed will be required and more seed will germinate because of being covered. Nothing is gained by sowing to early, as seed will not germinate until the ground is warmed. The harrowing of the wheat will prove very benefical, especially if fifty pounds of nitrite portions to be thrown to the of sod per acre can be broadcaste center. The manure will then before harrowing. There will be no injury done the wheat plants by the harrow. Wheat responds fertilizer given early in the spring.

stored to by breeders in order to impossible to select any breed as avoid out crosses. It may require the best. Individual characteris- of the seeding. It is a very use those who cross two different may be used, there will be found corn field it can be started im-Plowing cannot be done too are full sisters. Anyone who early, as it will soon be time to should be so bold as to claim any necessary. Even those who beget the land ready for corn. If breed as the best for laying would plowing is done before frost is find others ready to make the

PRULING THE ORCHARD.

young trees can have their growth ficient implement. regulated to a large degree by watching them in their growing of growing shoots and cutting away others. Trees of beautiful outline may be produced in this

there are no leaves in the way, rogen is the most expensive and we are better able to see just what necessary fertilizing element of may find many trees that require measureless quantities. Only druggist. with the result which his yield of branches, and it will be better to can capture it for the farmer and them croweed. Air and light and roots. Take a crop of clover tree, if all branches are expected of this is plowed under it will rethe tree is apt to be too thick too and potash extracted, amounting the number.

The cow pea is a very nitro- to the cuts, Many a fine tree nitrogen derived from the air.

#### Good Cough Medicine For Children.

"I have no hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says F. P. Moran, a weil known and popular baker, of Petersburg, Va. "We have gvien it to our chilwas recommended to me by a drugchildren, as it contained no opium or other harmful drug." Sold by, Dr. G. S. Darling.

THE PROBLEM OF CULTIVATION.

The thorough cultivation of all is one very essential element to of the soil, of course, and it success with them, and in modern should be for best results a rich, farming this thorough cultivation sandy loam. It should be thor largely depends upon the prelim- oughly worked just as early as intensifies its utility. For the soon as the soil is fit to work. It preparation of the soil and its any considerable area is to be seeding we have the plow, the pay to buy a good drill and hand disc harrow, the float, the roller, cultivator for the purpose. The the pegtooth harrow, the smooth | seed should be put in drills fourto be determined by the character kind of soil that has been sugthe finest garden tilth can be is hearier. The cultivation given, and a good deal better should begin as soon as the rows tilth than is usually provided will can be seen, avoiding any deep be found to pay and pay well. When the seed bed for a crop

has been well prepared, after cultivation becomes much eaiser, and with a moderate amount of labor, can be given much more very quickly to any cultivation or frequently (if circumstances require it) by using a weeder than in perhaps any other way. If a The number of eggs that a hen heavy rain has formed a crust upcan be fixed only by carful selec- should lay in a year depends so on spring grain after it has been tion of the best specimens year largely upon circumstances of seeded, a twelve foot weeder will after year, in breeding being re- climate and food as to render it break it up in very short order, and very greatly to the advantage half a century to bring a breed to ties largely affect the result. In full tool also in putting in grass the desired position sought, hence all flocks, no matter which breed seed on a cereal crop. In the breeds are liable to destroy the some members that lay 50 to 100 mediately after planting and kept per cent, more eggs than others, up well along in the season, some even when the hens and pullets of the teeth being removed just over the rows as may become believe in rather deep cultivation at some stages of growth will gone, provided the westher will same claim for other breeds. find a tool almost worth its weight tom that supports the roots. I permit, the frost will assist in re- Even the best layers in a flock may in gold, as the phrase goes, last winter, perhaps February, tesducing the lumps, A good corn be behind the others the following throughout a considerable portion ted this method; I selected two crop largely depends upon the year, and to make clains in favor of the period during which culti- onions, cut the roots from one Tax for the year 1896. Amount paid -Three dollars and 12 cents. condition of the ground. The of breeds is to refer to some par - vation is continued. As a dry and let the other remain. June Oated Feb. 2nd 1901. season tool it is invaluable, for 29, the one that had been trimmwith it the dust mulch so import- ed was in good condition, while ant in the conservation of mois- the one had long since been exture can be constantly maintained hausted from sprouting. I had In one of our exchanges a while on the other hand the effects before tested the matter in a correspondent makes this timely of heavy, driving rains that pack small way, and invariably found suggestion: Now is a good time to and incrust the surface can be al- it to have a good effect. The look through the orchard and see most immediately overcome. In best time to trim the onions can about the pruning which needs to fruit growing, too, where frequent be decided by experiment. I bebe done. Orchards do not require surface cultivation is all impor- lieve any time in February, bepruning every year, except it tant, it is a valuable implement fore the onions begin sprouting, may be where they are growing the whole season through. If the will answer the good purpose. freely, then there may be a few under soil becomes too compact, Cutting does not appear to inbranches to cut away each year. a deeper working tool may occa- duce rotting. The hard portions Ewes that are providing for in old orchards there always are sionally be used, but for the great unmolested. Some experimentshould be trimed out. Many the weeder is destined to be ef- mine the proper depth to cut,

VALUE OF LEGUMES. It will be well in considering plans for the coming season look ing to the greater producing cap- Morgantown, Tenn, but Bucklen's acity of the farm, to give much At this season of the year when attention to the legumes. Nitcut out too many than to leave store it in their leaves and stalls must be let in to all parts of the which weighs a ton; if the whole to bear alike. The lower part of turn to the soil the phosphates many limbs just above the lower to about 42 pounds of potash and branches and the center of the 12 pounds of phosphoric acid, tree is too crowded for the best and, in addition, supplies about results. In taking off branches 50 pounds of nitrogen, which was that are not wanted, cut them not in the soil before the clover close to the base, and never an crop was grown. To supply this inch or two above where they amount of nitrogen by means of start; for if not cut close, three or farmyard manure it would be four shoots will start out, thereby necessary to spread from five to increasing rather than decreasing seven large loads, according to the composition of the manure.

Small twigs are apt to be too Leguminous plants, such as numerous and these should be clover, cowpeas, soy beans, etc. cut out. An important part of are more suited to green manurthis work is in properly painting ing than such crops as oats, rye, the wounds. When pruned after etc., which latter provide only the sap starts it is not so easy a humus by their decay within the matter to get the paint to adhere soil and do not enrich it with

> For centuries the Romans kept standing its peculiar property of absorbing nitrogen from the air through the tubercles forming on the roots. The farmer who devotes himself largely to the legumes for feeding and plowing down will find an increasing productiveness in his soil.—Ex.

> Counterfeits of DeWitt.s Witch Hazel Salve are liable to cause blood poisoning. Leave them alone. The

GROWING ONIONS.

The first thing is the selection inary preparation facilitates and possible, for onion seed should su simplifies after cultivation and be put in the ground about as Es through pulverization before planted with onion seed it will several times, and then sowing harrow, etc., and by the use of teen inches apart and covered these tools in an intelligent way, about half an inch deep, in the and condition of the soil itself, gested, and not so deep if the soil stirring, and working the soil away from the bulbs. At the second hoeing the crop should be 28th and 29th, 1901, and will be for certificates weeded carefully and thoroughly by hand. About four pounds of seed will sow an acre for the purpose of growing onions for market. For pickles as high as as fifteen to twenty pounds is often sown, and for growing sets the seed is sown in broad drills at the rate of about fifty pounds per acre. There are many good and profitable varieties, among which the Yellow Globe Danvers and the large red Weathersfield are standard sorts, yield well and sell well. The Danvers ripen the earlier. Both are good crops. Homestead.

#### TO PREVENT SPROUTING.

After the onions are cured sufficiently with a sharp knife cut off the hard lump at the botand the results should be notic-

A Horrible Outbreak.

"Of large sores on my little daughter's head developed into a case of scald head" writes C. D. Isbilt of Arnica Salve completely crued her, It's a guaranteed cure for eczima, tetter, salt rheum, pimples, sores ulcers and piles. Only 25 cents at

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M. E. CHURCH.
Rev, G. J. Pipper, Pastor,
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nday School11:45 p. m-
worth League devoitonal meeting.6.30 a.m.
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