The Farmers' Institute.

County Farmers' Institute Society occured at the court house last Friday and Saturday, and was well attended. The farmers of the county indicate an increased interest in this organization each year, realizing more and more the benefits to be derived.

state conductor, and proved to be an by both the state and local speakers. excellent man for the position. He is

sions being on sugar beets and good. We are informed the ladies took part upper most importance to losco coun- portunity to gain valuable information. ty at the present time, and both of which were thoroughly discussed in a lively manner, and much good information obtained.

The care and feeding of stock and other topics received a certain amount W. H. Gilbert, of Bay City, was the of attention, and were well handled,

Owing to the inability of Hon. A. a man of broad, practical experience, E. Parmer, of Kalkaska, to attend, and has the happy faculty of impart- P. B. Reynelds, of Owesso, assisted of general interest as, in addition to good to place before us for election to ing his knowledge to others in a man- Mr. Gilbert. Mr. Reynolds was one topics relating to "Farm Crops," ner easily comprehended, and had an of the speakers at the institute two "Dairying," "Stock Feeding." "Fruit road commissioners, the name of a excellent way of keeping the discus- years ago, and a valuable man in the Growing" and "Sugar Beets," attenwork. He handled his topics most ceptionally acceptable to our farmers satisfactorily and filled the vacancies

The ladies' section at the Baptist church was well attended and reported as an intereting and instructive meet-1000 acre contracted for the Tawas ing. Mrs. Emma A. Campbell, of Ypsilanti, was again the state speaker. The institute this year did not de- and as usual handled her subjects in a stitution will be sections at which give this matter the attention which it vote so much attention to general farm manner to bring out the valuable technical instruction in "Sugar Beet topic as usual, the principal discus- points in a clear and concise manner.

The officers elected by the institute

society for the ensuing year are: President-John Sullivan. Secretary-John W. King.

Treasurer-John M. Waterbury.

Round-Up Farmers' Institute.

The State Round-Up Farmers' Institute will be held at Owosso, February 24-27, 1903. The program will be tion will be paid to "Good Roads," "Farm law," "Veterinary Science," "Forestry," "The Centralized School" Culture," "The Care of Highways," and "Cooking" will be given by experts. Several well-known speakers from other states have been secured.

for the round trip from all points in the matter the attention it demands? Michigan. Tickets will be on sale to return on or before February 28. Reduced rates have been secured in all the hotels in Owosso.

Daughters Sometimes Thought-

To some minds it appears that the daughters are not always as careful of their parents as they should be. The modern mother seems to us in great danger of being abused, says the Woman's Home Companion. Once her daughter comes upon the stage in long skirts the former abdicates. All the household shapes itself for the girl, and she takes this as her right The good mother lets her he abed in the morning, and then has a warm breakfast for her when she gets up. The mother stays home from the play in order that the daughter may go. She gives up society and makes over her old gowns so that the young woman may go out every night and have more new frocks. When there are women you know you will find that funds do they furnish? in all of these ways, or in several of them, the mother is the slave of the daughter.

World's Sugar Crop.

The world's crop of sugar for 1902-3 is estimated as follows: Old stock on hand, 1,800,000 tons; beet sugar crop, 5,850,000 tons, cane sugar crop, 3,470, enough to be able to judge, and I 000 tons: total, 11,120,000 tons. The claim that it will be a much cheaper, world's consumption of sugar during last year was 9,369,685 tons. It will be seen that with an average increase of consumption there will be about opens up a large tract of good farm-1,000,000 tons of sugar left at the end | ing land, and gives outlet to the imof the season, which, however, will be portant farming interest of Sherman. considerably less than the present excessive supply.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Better Than Gold.

with chronic indigestion and nervous | tending to county business I cannot debility," writes F. J. Green, of say, because I do not know, but in Lancaster, N. H. 'No remedy view of all hard things that are being helped me until I began using Elec | said about them, it becomes them to tric Bitters, which did me more good give us a full statement of their work. than all the medicines I ever used. What they have done? What it cost They have also kept my wife in ex- us? And how much of this cost has cellent health for years. She says gone for salaries or official pickings? Electric Bitters are just splendid for If this statement reveals to us that we female troubles; that they are a grand have found some men who can tonic and invigorator for weak, run trusted to handle county business down women. No other medicine can with wisdom, economy and honesty take its place in our family." Try the taxpayers will rejoice. them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guar- We want good county roads and anteed by J E. Dillon and Dr. Darl- are willing to pay for them, but we do

A Communication.

MR. EDITOR:-In a late issue you brought before us a matter that should take up the attention of every one interested in the prosperity of our county. As the matter received a very hasty and unfair handling at our institute, I beg the favor of your columns to place the matter, as I see it, before the electors and taxpayers of the

In an item in last week's Herald "a prominent farmer' has thought it fill a vacancy on the board of county citizen to whom no elector can have an objection so far as honesty, ability and interest in the welfare of the county goes. From the standing of and other educational topics, "Politi- the man, we are all agreed that he cal and Social Science," "Domestic was perfectly innocent of the inten-Economy," and "The Embellishment tion of being placed in this light beof Public and Private Grounds." fore the electors. The question in my Among the special features of the In- mind is this, is he in a position to deserves; can we reasonably expect him to sacrifice his interest in matters nearer to him, and of more imporance to him? Are there not others of equal fitness who would not be called The railroads offer a rate of one fare upon to make this sacrifice in giving

I-regret to say that this matter was February 23 and 24, and will be good most unbecomingly dragged in, by the tail, in the discussion on "good roads," at our institute, and I am glad to say that no farmer was guilty of this rudeness. I trust that it was not a lack of judgement on the part of the chairman, but the leniency of good nature that restrained him from giving it the the toe of his boot as soon as the odor gave warning of the "Purty Baste" perence.

It was the opinion of one speaker that we wanted a crank with powers enough to turn the board of commissioners at his will, and stated where the crank could be found. Another speaker could see nothing but evil in the motives for the choice of the members of the board, or in the character of their work. He knew just where the man could be found that would fit the place, and when the electors were ready for the show he would trot him out.

Here I would like to ask, has it ever occured to these men, who are so inmen callers in the evening she clever. terested in the farmers, that this is a ly or awkwardly (it depends on her question in which the farmers are training), effaces herself and goes more interested than any other class off to bed or to read alone in the and will have to pay the burden of the kitchen. When it comes to summer debt. At present two of the three holidays more than often it is the girl members of the board are from the who goes to the mountains or sea- villages, and it is proposed to elect anshore, while the mother stays at home. other from the villages, but this is in Sometimes the young woman takes a keeping with the past history of this money-getting position, works dur- county. The farmers supply the ing the day, plays the lady in the county funds and the villages supply evening and spends her salary on the men who spend them. For examherself, while the mother stays closer | ple, look at the large majority of those at home than ever, and does the now sitting on the board of supervisdrudgery. If you will think over the ors. What amount of our county

A good deal has been said about our county road commissioners with which I cannot agree. I was not in favor of adopting this supplementary system and did all I could to prevent it, but was opposed by those who can now see nothing but evil in their work. I have traveled over the old and new roads shorter and far better road than any other route from the southern part of the county to the county town. It When I listen to the wholesale condemnation of this board I wonder if men know what they are talking about. What economy or financial "I was troubled for several years ability these men have shown in at-

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The annual meeting of the Iosco roads, the two questions which are of in the discussions and missed no op-

sion moving. Mr. Gilbert was exthis year, as he is undoubtedly the with his ever ready suggestions. the most experienced and successful grower of sugar beets in Michigan, and being the gentleman who has the Sugar Co.

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TAWAS CITY, MICH., FEB. 6, 1903

L. L. C. Banquet.

At the Hotel Holland, last Friday evening, occured one of the most enjoyable social functions of the season, the eighteenth annual banquet of the Ladies' Literary Club.

A committee of four, Mesdames Goldie, Oakes, Eastnan and Bissette received the guests in the spacious hotel parlors, which were tastefully decorated with the Stars and Stripes, potted plants and cut flowers. When the guests were assembled, the president, Mrs. P. C. Goldie, in a few well chosen words, gave an address of town Monday. welcome. The secretary, Mrs. Milo Eastman, in a pleasing manner, reviewed the work of the club for the past year. Mrs. Samuel Anker, the treasurer, gave a fine report showing business Thursday. a snug little sum on hand.

Further entertainment was furnished by the following musical selections and readings, each number eliciting meritorious applause: vocal solo, Jay Oakes; mandolin and piano duet, Dr. Snow and Miss Luce; reading, Miss Reeves; ladies' quartette, the Misses Emery, Benton, Oakes, and Mrs. T. A. Thompson; piano solo, Miss Zoe Howell; vocal solo, Mrs. Funk; reading, Mrs. W. O. Emery; male quartette, the village on business last Friday. Messrs. Richards, Jay, B. F., and Geo. Oakes; vocal solo, E. L. King; piano solo, Mrs. Acthur Jackson; vocal solo, Miss Emery; double quartette, Mesdames Anker, Gardner, Goldie, Taylor, Oakes, Bissette, Messrs. Oakes and King.

the strains of a march rendered by Miss Luce and Dr. Snow, the company wended their way to the banquet hall where covers were laid for one hundred. Here the decorations were carnations and smilax. After a blessing invoked by Rev. Sheldon, the guests were seated. A nine course dinner was then served and after all had partaken of the many delicacies provided, the toastmistress, Mrs. Goldie, proposed the following toasts: "Clubs," Col. George A. Loud; "Clubs as Social Factors," Prof. Fell; "Club We- ill. man as Home Makers," Rev. Sheldon

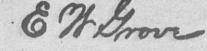
After the gentlemen had ably treated the subjects assigned them, the company arose, and after exchanging "good nights," turned their steps homeward, each one feeling it was indeed good to have been there.

A Society Event.

About 9 o'clock last Saturday evening the fashionable North end, East Tawas, was the scene of a social affair of great importance-to the participants. Miss Margarette Geraldine Vernon and Mr. Fredric Laurence Smith were joined to the holy bonds of wedlock. The bride was dressed in white silk, entrain, trimmed with pearls and old point lace, a family heriloom, and carried a boquet of pink carnations. After congratulations occured the grand march to supper and a serenade by the small boy with ten cans and sleighbells. The day. wedding was private, only a few intimate friends and country cousins being present.

ONE OF THE PEEPERS.

Escaped an Awful Fate. Mr. H. Haggins of Melbourne Fla., writes, "My doctor told me I had Consumption and nothing could be done for me. I was given up to die. The offer of a trial bottle free of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, induced me to try it. Results were startling. I am now on the road to recovery and owe all to Dr. King's New Discovery. It surely have teaming to do. saved my life." This great cure is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases by J. E. Dillon and Dr Darling, Druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial Bottles free.



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Laidlawville.

W. E. Laidlaw spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Don't forget the oyster supper and entertainment Friday evening

Miss Maude Shippy visited Mrs. G. Pringle, at McIvor, last week.

Mrs. John Kobs, who has been serious ill for the past three weeks, is jingle of the sleigh bells. rapidly recovering.

Joe and George Zimmith returned at Paulding, Ohio, Monday. from Onaway last week, and report being well pleased with the trip.

Wilber, where she has been engaged M. section. to teach the spring term of school.

Miss Teressa Binder returned to by the serious illness of her mother, who, at present, is much better.

of our young people surprised Miss but as he knows their destination he Edna McLeod, it being her seventeen- fully expects they are only loaned. th birthday. The evening was spent in playing games and partaking of a delightful lunch, Miss Edna was the recipient of some very pretty gifts. A most enjoyable time is reported by all present.

Whittemore.

Hal Granger, of the Herald, was in

Harry Bronson was at Hale on busness last Monday.

H. M. Belknap went to Hale Monday to do some surveying.

Mrs. Goodwin returned Thursday rom a visit with relatives. Faculty Smith, of Turner transacted

business here last Saturday. Gordon Stevenson who has been

eriously ill, is slowly recovering. Charles Francis, of Prescott, was in

John Leslie, of Port Huron, is visit ing his brother, T. G., of this village.

Mrs. Werely, who has been on the sick list for some time, is slowly re-A. B. Wismer, who has been get-

At the closing of the program, to ting out cedar, near McKinley, has returned home. Mrs. F. E. Hess has purchased Jesse

Chase's residence, and will occupy the

Mrs. Moyer, and daughter Minnie, who have been visiting relatives at Onaway, returned home last Saturday.

Reno Rumblings.

Mrs. Thos. Mason is on the sick list. John Johnson's little girls are quite

John Syze has purchased a new

Miss Lillie Daugharty is quite ill with la grippe. Colvin & Co. have opened a branch

store at Maltby.

to Tawas Saturday. William Hamilton lost a valuable

cow last Thursday. Archie McDougald has been on the

sick list for the past week. William Gillespie and J. Metcalf

eft Monday for the woods. Rev. Pierson preached in the Bap-

tist church Sunday afternoon. J. M. Walker, of Tawas City, tran-

sacted business at Siloam this week. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cooper are the parents of a baby girl born last Satur-

John McDougald has sold his team of colts to A. Blumenau, of Whitte-

Arthur Latter and wife, of McKin-

ley spent last Saturday with friends in Reno.

Mrs. P. Couchie, of Mio, is staying her illness.

Alex. Anderson and Jas. Charters attended the Farmers' Institute at Ta- fal-Lowell. was City Saturday.

A snow storm arrived Wednesday to gladden the hearts of those who

Mr. Parker and family arrived from Management." Lansing and are living on the farm owned by Robert Nash.

W. Colvin and W. Gillespie have taken J. McDougald's farm to work

during the coming season. Samuel Bailey has rented H. Hartley's blacksmith shop and is prepared Tablets. All druggists refund the to do all kinds of blacksmithing and

Sherman Shouts.

Mrs. N. Ecker entertained company last Sunday.

Hal Granger, of the Herald, was in

town Tuesday.

Eph Parent made a business trip to Tawas Monday.

We are again listening to the merry

E. C. Dewitt returned to his home

William Ullman moved to Turner Wednesday, where he succeeds Jo-Miss Maude Shippy left Sunday for seph Jordan, as foreman on the D. &

Miss Rose Kane has closed a very successful term of school in district Alpena, Monday. She was called here No. 1, and has returned to her home at Tawas City.

One of our citizens had three-quart-Last Monday evening about twenty ers of a cord of shingle boits disappear,

Monday evening Mrs. G. A. Pringle entertained a number of her friends at dinner, in honor of her 37th birthday. Covers were laid for fourteen. The table decorations were pink carnations and ferns, while a huge bunch of smilax was suspended from the chandalier. Upon leaving the dining-room each guest was presented with a pretty booklet souvenir. Those present from outside Sherman, were Mrs. Will Ellis, of Oscoda, Mesdames Bodine, Johnson, and Cataline, Emery Doane was in the village on of Twining, and C. M. and R. H. Goodwin, of Whittemore.

Hale Lake.

Dick Weishuhn and wife visited at Prescott this week.

Harry Thurston visited his family at Birminghan this week.

Charles Kissinger of Turner, called on friends at Hale this week.

Homer Smith and Dr. Cowie were at South Branch a couple of days this

Sam Anker and Al Walker, of East Tawas, took dinner at hotel Livingston Tuesday.

P. Hammond has moved his family from Novi to this place, and occupies the house vacated by Dr. Cowie.

H. M. Belknap, have been here this week laying out a new road north from here to Gooder township.

Real Estate Deals.

Below we give the real estate tranfers in the county for the first half of January. After this they will be published each week.

Marcissa and Dina Thebarge to C. J. McDon-ald, sec. 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, town 24, 8 e, consideration, \$1 United States to Mat Hagstrom, homestead in

Otto Kornac to John Kobs, lots 15 and 16, block 50, Tawas City, consideration, \$100. Benj. Ocha to Tawas Fish Co., frl, sec. 18, town 22, 9 e, consideration \$5.

Lauren A. Collins to F. E. Humphry, land in sec. 24, town 23, 5 e, consideration \$100. Sage Land & Improvment Co. to A. H. Wiltsie w ½ of se ¼ sec, 3, town 21, 5 e, \$80, A H. Wiltsie to Edward Wiltsie, n w 1/4 s e sec 3, town 21, 5 e, \$500.

F. F. French to E, E. Kunze and H. C. Bristol lots 7 and 8, block 32, East Tawas.

John Gillespie made a business trip losco BS & S Co. to H. C. Bristol, lots 11 and 15 block 39, East Tawas, \$500. Henry Sedgman to Frank Sedgman, lot block 36. East Tawas. \$100

Elmon F. Bills to H. Van Wormer, s. w. 1/4 s. w. 1/2, sec 15, town 23, 5e. \$500 Auditor General to U. M. Guilford, land in sec 25. town 21, 5 e. \$182,67

U. M. Guilford to A. H. Phinney, land in sec A. H. Phinney to Charles S. Wheeler, land in

C. W. Storey to Barney M. Loug; Jr. e 1/2 of s. Auditor General to John Simms, Jr. w 1/2 of n. w. 14 sec 4, town 22, 8e. \$7,92 Gardner, Peterman & Co to H. H. Alpin timber Ben Sawyer to Charles F. E. Ruel, s 1/2 of s

Thomas Curry to D. & M. Ry. Co., frl blk 18 Scheffler add to Tawas City, \$500. Auditor General to Reuben Wade, e ½ n w s e ¼ n e ¼, sec 2, town 21, 7 east, \$4.15. Isaac Bearinger to H. C. Hotchkiss land in sec

M. C. Miller to Sarah Remington, w 1/2 se 1/4 se 2, town 21, 5 east, \$600, Auditor General to John Sullivan, s w ¼ of n 14, sec 1, town 22 7 east, \$1.10. Ida W Dawson to T. A. Wood, ne ¼ of n w sec 25, town 21,6 east, \$100. H G Clay to George Whitebred, n w 1/4 of se sec 28, town 21, 5 east, \$180.

To County Teachers.

Examinations in reading for the with her sister, Mrs. Mason, during year will be based upon the fellowing

> March, 1903, "Vision of Sir Laun-June, 1903, "Sesame," of "Sesame

and Lillies."-Ruskin. Examinations in Theory and Art will be based upon the Manuel and Course of Study and Tompkins' School

Books of Reading Circle Course may be purchased of the Commissioner.

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Ladies' Fleeced Waistings for Dressing Sacques Ladies' Kid Mitts and Golf Gloves

Men's Covert Coats -Men's Duck Coats Men's Heavy Kersey Pants Men's Light and Heavy Woolen Socks.

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We have a few FUR COATS left, regular price \$20. You can have them for \$15.00. A Snap!

We have run through our Shoe Stock and sorted out all odds and ends, where had only one or two pair left of a kind, also all that had cartons broken, and have them piled on table marked less than HALF PRICE. Call and make selections quick! They will not last long.

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Two little dogs were playing in the street when a large, surly mongrel came along and interfered. The little fellows snapped at the big bully and were severely whipped for their temerity. Another dog on the sidewalk no sooner saw the fight than he started on a run for a livery stable near by. There he found three other dogs, and a barking colloquy ensued, and presently the four dogs made a dash to the rescue. Sylvester Vaughn, of Oscoda, and The mongrel saw re-enforcements coming and retreated rapidly, although not in good order, since the pursuers got in several hard bites before the bully escaped. Then the stable dogs returned to their quarters, and the little dogs resumed their play.-Toronto Empire.

> The Squirrel's Lesson. Two little squirrels out in the sun;

One gathered nuts and the other had "Time enough yet," his constant refrain; "Summer is still only just on the wane."

Listen, my child, while I tell you his fater He roused him at last, but he roused him too late.

Down fell the snow from a pitiless cloud And gave little squirrel a spotless white shroud

An Old Game.

Tell each one of the company you will name each one for some animal, and at a given signal each one shall shout his or her name aloud. You whisper in each one's ear (after telling the first to shout elephant) to keep per-

fectly still. Then the signal is given, and amid profound silence the unlucky "elephant" shouts his name aloud.

A Tongue Twister. Betty Botter bought some butter; "But," she said, "this butter's bitter. If I put it in my batter, It will make the batter bitter, But a bit of better butter Will make my batter better." So she bought a bit of butter Better than the bitter butter And made her bitter batter better.

So 'twas better Betty Botter Bought a bit of better butter. Carolyn Wells.

He Knew. Boston Teacher-And the three sons of Noah were Shem, Ham and-

Johnny-Beans!

Blanche.

adage still holds good.

before I met him."

Husband-What's that?

First Judicial Honors For a Woman. To Henry VIII. belongs the honor of having conferred judicial rights upon a woman. Lady Anne Berkeley of York was allowed by the sovereign, who had the widest experience of the virtues of women, to sit as judge, appoint a commission and actually to pass sentence on some men who had been killing her deer and despoiling

Both Involved. Mr. Younghusband (reading from paper)-"Married-Blanche de Smythe to Walter Wellington Beere." What old

memories that name awakens! Mrs. Y. (blushing)-I never imagined | you knew of my engagement to Walter. Mr. Y. (chillingly)-I was alluding to

Feminine Egotism. Husband (during the spat)-I must have been a fool when I married you.

Wife-Undoubtedly. But the old

Wife-A fool for luck.-Chicago Experienced. "How was it that he managed to

"Well, he had fleeced several fellows

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Tales of Two Cities.

All the News of the week from & Tawas City, East Tawas and Vicinity. *

Bulk oysters at Brown's.

Brown has a good stock and sells

Nels Sims returned Tuesday from a visit near Clio.

One week from next Saturday is Valentine day.

George L. Cornville was in Bay City, on business last Saturday.

Beautiful and useful premiums free

at Brown's for cash trade. Call at Brown's, and get some of

those elegant bulk oysters. Sheet music 10, 15, 20 and 25 cents. at E. L. King's, East Tawas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Sagar, of East Tawas, spent Sunday at Saginaw.

Dr. Tiffany drove to Harrisville, this week, on professional business.

Trade your old sewing machine for a new Singer, with H. A. Granger. v

Dr. C. A. Wakemam returned last Friday from a business trip to Detroit. Dr. Goodale was called to Grand

Rapids on professional business Tues- man. Mrs. Charles Carelton, of East Ta-

was, returned Wednesday from Sagi-Shingle bolts wanted. Enquire at the store of J. G. Dimmick, East

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Provost, visited friends at Alpena, last Sunday and

C. A. Jahraus and Collie Johnson were called to AuSable yesterday on

business. The Prescott liar has married another 90 year old groom and 87 year

old bride. Mrs. Ruth Grant-Mannasso and daughter visited friends at Bay City

this week. Miss Frankie McElheron, of East Tawas, spent last Sunday with friends at Saginaw.

Farm and city property, for sale by Carson, Ealy & Co., at the bank, East Tawas.

Miss Mamie Waterbury returned last Saturday from a visit with friends

at Bay City. The residence of Isaac Lupton, of Lupton, was destroyed by fire Wed-

nesday morning. Miss Rose Kane returned home Tuesday after a successful term of

school in Sherman. A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John H. North, of East

Tawas, last Monday. Mrs. J. W. Thompson returned last Saturday from a four weeks visit with

relatives at Jackson. Fred Maxwell left Tuesday to join his father and sisters at Laurel, Miss.,

where he will reside. Mrs. G. F. Stewart and son John, of Alabaster, went to Ann Arbor,

Tuesday, on business. When you want your dwelling or

furniture insured, call up the Tawas Bay Insurance Agency. Miss Gertie Evans resumed her posi

tion as night operator at the tele phone exchange Monday. Lizzie Tremain, a 17-year-old girl,

of AuSable, committed suicide by taking laudanum last Saturday. Charles Curry has purchased the

Smith property, on the corner of State and Sawyer street, East Tawas. Sheriff Johnson has purchased of

C. H. Prescott, the residence on Bay street, east of the Conover house.

Mrs. C. Stanton, of East Tawas, was called to Saginaw Monday by the serious illness of her brother-in-law.

One or two ice boats and several fish shanties took their departure from the bay Wednesday morning with the ice.

Finley McNeil, of AuSable, died last Saturday evening, of bright's disease. He leaves a widow and one son.

The celebrated Harrison wagon, the best made. For sale by.

WHITTEMORE & PHINNEY.

C. V. Hicks, Alpena music store.

S. B. Yawger, of Hale. was in the

city yesterday. The Alabaster Maccabees will give a dance Friday evening, February 13

A marriage license was issued Tuesday to John Laclair and Miss Maude Londo, of Plainfield.

Miss Ada Lalonde, of Alpen is visit- juries. ing her sister, Mrs John McCray, of East Tawas, this week. -

Wanted, at once, 1000 pounds of poultry-either dressed or alive Enquire at W. W. Brown's.

Miss Viva O'Brien, of Grand Ledge, is visiting at the home of her uncle. C. W. Luce, of East Tawas.

L. H. Braddock was called to Boyne City yesterday by a telegram announcing that his brother had been killed.

Abel Niemi and Myrtle Wikkala Mich. were married at Alabaster, last Saturday, Rev. E. O. Sutherland officiat-

at Harrisville Tuesday after a week's visit with his sister, Mrs. H. W. Stock-

H. F. Wood, who has been assisting his brother, G. T., in the jewelry ter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kulaszenstore, left last Monday for St. Louis, Mich.

Rube Smith, of Tawas township, left yesterday morning for Saginaw, where he is to receive medical treat-

a very pleasant social at the home of fine of \$50 and costs the other day for

Mrs. Frank Burt, who has been seriously ill at her home in East Tawas the past fornight, is somewhat improved.

Miss Ezoa Smith has closed a very successful term of school in Reno and returned to her home in this city last

Considerable excitement was caused last Friday evening by the "burning out" of the chimney on the court house. No damage.

The Hahn-Parke Quintette will furnish the third number of the High school entertainment course. March 12 is the date.

The republican county convention to elect delegates to the state conven tion will be held at the court house in this city, March 2.

Claud McCausland, of Buffaio, arrived Tuesday for a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. T. G. McCausland, of Alabaster.

Tawas, returned from Saginaw, where new improvements gives Mr. Henry they were called by the death of Mrs.

P.'s brother, G. Fessler. wish to sell or lease

> CARSON, EALY & Co. East Tawas.

Let us name you a rate on your Fire Insurance. We are representing the only reliable companies on the Shore. Tawas Bay Insurance Agency.

A full line of the latest and most beautiful valentines has just arrived at Dr. C. A. Wakeman's drug store. Call and examing them before pur-

W. C. Harper, of South Branch, was in the city on business Monday. He was accompanied by his daughter Laura, who will receive medical treatment while here.

Wanted .- Girls to work in silk factory. Good wages, permanent employment and nice, clean work. Write us for full particulars.—Belding Bros. & Co., Belding, Mich.

In the Review of Reviews for February, Prof. A. Frederick Collins reviews all the latest developments in wireless telegraphy, while cabling of the Pacific by the all-American and all-British lines is described by Mr. Thomas C. Martin.

state, I will sell the coming week, to parties who may wish, several stands, tables, a chamber set, sofa, flower pots, and numerous other articles. Inquire at my residence, Tawas City. A. WATERBURY.

C. V Hicks, Pianos and Organs.

The democratic state convention to

ance Agency between Bay City and Alpena, is the Tawas Bay Insurance Agency of East Tawas. Office at the Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCray, entertained the Young MarriedPeoples' pedro club, of East Tawas, Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. E Sager, were the prize winners.

John Wagner, living five miles this side of AuSable, was seriously, if not fatally injured, one day this week, by having a load of ties upset. He sustained three broken ribs and other in-

byterian church, in this city, but manner in which the details of the ocmeet as usual.

FOR SALE OR RENT .- The Maxwell farm, so-callled, at Maxwell Station, on the D. & M. Ry., at a reasonable price. Good Beet Land. Now is the time to purchase. Inquire of Carson Ealy & Co., Bankers, East Tawas.

A severe storm of visited this locality Tuesday night, several inches of snow falling. The strong northeast Chas. Atchison returned to his home | wind drifted it so badly that there is very little sleighing except in the spots The ice was broken up and the bay is nearly clear at the present time.

> Sophia, the nine-month-old daughski, of this city, died last Saturday morning, after only a few days illness. The funeral was held from the Catholie church Monday morning and the little remains laid at rest in the Catholic cementry.

The P. P. Ps. of East Tawas, held A Columbus, Ohio, milliner paid a Mr. and Mrs. McAuliff, Wednesday having on sale in his store the body of to live well on the royalities from his a humming bird. The case was patents. brought by the state game warden, on behalf of the society, which is making a crusade against the use of birds as a millinery adornment.

The Chicago Packer is authority for the statement that the apple situation is serious," at least so far as the com mission men are concerned. It ap pears that the supply in the storage houses is so large that there is much doubt as to their ability to dispose of them without a heavy loss.

We note an item going the rounds of the newspapers to the effect that a bad lobster may be readily distinguished from a good lobster by pouring hot water over it. The girls might try the experiment on the lobster that afwater should be at a boiling temperaure however to be effective.

John Henry has had the interior "5 his saloon, at East Tawas, entirely remodled and painted. A steel ceiling and maple floor have been put in, also Mr. and Mrs. Pinkerton, of East a handsome bar and fixtures. The one the most handsome drinking places in the Tawases. The carpenter List your property with us if you work was done by E. Rutherford and the decorating by Frank Dease, which is assuance that the work is well done. Mr. Henry has also remodeled the interior of the building adjoining the saloon and it will be occupied as restaurant.

Prof. Clinton D. Smith, of the Agricultural college, is of the opinion that the American woman is fast loosing her knowledge of cooking. He told the members of the Michigan Millers' association at Lansing last week that the American is always in a hurry, and rather than take the chance of getting an illy-prepared breakfast, most men would consent to take one prepared some time before. In this way, he accounted for the popularity of health foods.

An exchange truthfully says: "Boys with their hats on the backs of their smutty stories in their mouths, are cheap as old worn out horses. Nobody wants them at any price. Men will not employ them; girls will not marry them. They are not worth their keeping to anybody and will not keep that! themselves. If any boy should happen In view of my removal to a distant to read this description, let him take a good look at himself and do what his conscience says is best to do."

C. V. Hicks, Domestic machines.

Medal Dyspepsia Cure Dinasts what you eat-

The many friends of Dr. J. H. Botz nominate candidates for justice of the will be pleased to learn that he has resupreme court and regent of the uni- turned to Tawas and will resume the versity, will be held at Detroit, March practice of dentestry. He has repurchased the practice which he sold The old and only reliable Fire Insur- to Dr. Merritt about a year ago, and will again take charge of the offices at East Tawas and Oscoda February 16. The many friends of Dr. and Mrs. Botz extend to them a hearty wel-

The Ladies' Altar Society, of St. Joseph's church, held an "at home" at the resident of Mrs. E. D. Benedict, last evening. The rooms were decorated with the society colors-purple, and lighted by candles. About thirtyfive members of the society were present and a most enjoyable time was had. Four young ladies did honors at the table. This was the first affair of a purely social nature ever given by Rev. E. O. Sutherland is to preach the society, and the officers-Mesat AuSable next Sunday. There will dames Benedict, Kehoe and Kane, be no preaching services at the Pres- should receive much credit for the Sunday school and C. E. societies will cation were arranged and carried out.

Tried to Live Without Food.

Joseph William Sheppard, of New York, an inventor and once the possessor of wealth, starved himself to death in the belief that he could so spiritualize his life so that he could exist without eating.

He died in an apartment house last week, and Dr. Julian P. Thomas, a food specialist, who had known him for several years, told the coroner the aged man may have been without food for several months. His only nourishment was a very little wine and occasionally a sip of honey. Dr. Thomas sent a communication to the coroner's office, about the ease, stating that death resulted from starva-

Sheppard was 64 years old, well-educated and a student of psychology. He had been engaged in glass manufacturing until ten years ago, when he retired from business, being able

Sheppard declared that his fasting had made him spiritually and mentally far superior to all those around him. He partook much of the Hindoo belief and thought he was even nearer the point of superlative wisdom and bliss than the highest priest of the Yogas. He told his friends that by prolonged fasting he could solve all mysteries now beyond human intelligence, and in that state, even if he died as a man, his exalted existence would still go on in some other form.

Mysterious Circumstance.

One was pale and sallow and the other fresh and rosy. Whence the difference? She who is blushing with flicts them with his presence. The health uses Dr. King's New Life Pills to maintain it. By gently arousing the lazy organs they compel good digestion and head off constipation. Try them. Only 25c, at J. E. Dillon and Dr. Darling. Druggists.

> A Munchausen Yarn. Baron Munchausen, when hunting for deer upon one occasion, encountered a magnificent animal, but found himself without shot. Speedily gathering together a handful of cherry stones he loaded his gun with them and fired at the deer, hitting him squarely between the eyes, not killing him, however. The deer managed to escape, but some time later the baron encountered him again and was surprised to see a beautiful cherry tree growing out of the animal's forehead, covered with blossoms and fruit.

Milo Was a Glutton,

Milo, the famous athlete of ancient Greece (born 520 B. C.), was victor at both the Olympic and Pythian games for six times in succession. On one occasion he ran four miles with an ox on his shoulder, killed the animal with a blow of his first and then ate the entire carcass in one day. An ordinary meal for this gluttonous Titan was twenty pounds of bread, twice that much meat and fifteen pints of wine.

Well Dressed. She-Go away, you nuisance! You don't know when a woman is well

He-Oh, yes, I do. It is when she is, heads and long hair hanging down head and shoulders above her gown, their foreheads, and eigarettes and and when the lower part of it is in the way of a fellow's feet.-Boston Tran-

> He Hastens to Explain. The Wife-I believe that Mrs. Rivers thinks I am a fool.

The Husband-There is evidence of "Of what?" "That she thinks you are a fool, my

Mear."-Smart Set.

He Escaped.

"Sir," questioned an irate female shopper as she pounced upon a small man who was pacing the store, "are

you the floorwalker?" "N-n-no, ma'am," he gasped, "I-I'm o-o-only the p-p-proprietor."



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We have just received a large line of this new and substantial carpet and rugs. It is made from a Minnesota grass, and is one of the best

carpets on the market for halls, dining rooms, etc. It is practically indastructable, Call and examine it.

SHOE BARGAINS

We have several Broken Lots of Winter Shoes, for Men, Women and Children, which we wish to close out at once, and in order to do so we will sell at cost and less than cost. Do not miss this opportunity. They won't last long.

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Michigan

Manipulation of the Udder as Prac ticed by Progressive Dairymen.

A test of Danish dairy methods at the Wisconsin station, reported by Professor Woll in bulletin 96, shows a constant daily gain in the amount of milk from manipulation of the udder when milking.

The Soondergaard system, one of the methods taught in the dairy schools and used by progressive dairymen in Denmark, is as follows:

First Manipulation.-The right quarters of the udder are pressed against each other (if the udder is very large



only one-quarter at a time is taken), with the left hand on the hind quarter and the right hand in front on the fore quarter, the thumbs being placed on the outside of the udder and the four fingers in the division between the two halves of the udder. The hands are now pressed toward each other and at the same time lifted toward the body of the cow. This pressing and lifting are repeated three times; the milk collected in the milk cistern is then milked

Second Manipulation .- The glands are pressed together from the side. The fore quarters are milked each by itself by placing one hand, with fingers spread, on the outside of the quarter and the other hand in the division between the right and left fore quarter. The hands are pressed against each other and the teat then milked. The hind quarters are milked by placing a front of the hind quarter. The hands

manner. See Figs. 1 and 2.



SECOND MANIPULATION.

are lifted and grasped into the gland from behind and from the side, after which they are lowered to draw the milk. See Figs. 3 and 4.

Third Manipulation.—The teats are grasped with partly closed hands and lifted with a push toward the body of the cow, both at the same time, by which method the glands are pressed between the hands and the body. The milk is drawn after each three pushes.

Sugar Beets In Colorado. The Colorado growers of sugar beets are gradually coming to the conclusion that their lands will not withstand such heavy croppage and that they will peter out in time unless some kind of fertilizer can be employed in a practical way. Just how to add decaying vegetable matter, technically known as humus, to the soil is the one great problem for them to solve. Corral manure, green alfalfa, the lops and slices. Boil together one cup of sugar tops of sugar beets and even weeds produce valuable forms of humus rich in nitrogen. The humus produced is capable of combining with the phosphoric acid and potash of the soil to form humates. Sawdust, straw and carbohydrates produce a humus rich in carbon. This humus naturally has less power to combine with the phosphoric acid and potash of the soil than that formed from materials richer in nitrogen. The humus from soils which have been cropped for a series of years and one cup of water five or six miss-Field and Farm.

A HOME CONVENIENCE.

Clear Working Brain and What You Can Do With It.

The most practical convenience in the household is a good, clear brain that can plan work and execute it with the least labor and fewest steps. Many women go about their work without a plan and seem to think of but one or two things at a time, and this is more noticeable in the kitchen and dining room. There is where thousands of steps are daily taken, amounting to miles of travel at the best, but many a mile of needless travel just for want of plan and thought that should pre cede action.

Are you going up stairs with just one thing? There may be others that need to be taken up, or, in coming down, more than one thing to bring down. Are you setting the table? Take as many dishes at one visit to the china closet as possible on a tray or in the hands, having the things most needed nearest the hand, and in putting the dishes away make as few trips as you

If you go to the cellar for dinner sup plies, bring in a pan or a basket all you need. If you are about to bake, get everything together or have things so handy that you need only to reach out or turn around to get what you need. Make one dish and spoon useful for several things without washing if you have much to cook.

Have plenty of wood, coal and hot and cold water at hand before you begin to cook. It will save hands and aprons to have plenty of holders and small towels to use about the stove. Wash them once or twice a week. Asbestus paper is durable to use in the oven to protect food from burning.

Plan to sit down all you can while at work, for there are many things done while standing that when sitting in a chair of suitable height, with a rest for the feet, would save many an aching back.

When ironing it is a great relief to sit down a part of the time at least and get out of the habit of walking to the clothes frames with each separate article ironed. There are many things that do not require any special airing and may be put away at once.-Health Culture.

For a Wooden Wedding.

Stationers now supply special paper for invitations for such an anniversary. Small wooden plates or strips of birch bark could also be used. The newest out and the manipulation repeated un- idea is to have the invitations written til no more milk is obtained, when the | in the bowl of small wooden spoons. left quarters are treated in the same | In such form it will be necessary to deliver by special messenger, but this will not be difficult if the entertainment is limited to a dinner party.

There are many beautiful designs, inexpensive as well as unique, that lend a rare charm, to the appointments commemorative of this anniversary.

One of the most ornate forms of woodenware now on the market is the Russian lacquered, the decorations being in red and black. Bowls, spoons hand on the outside of each quarter, and trays are the most common, but it likewise with fingers spread and turned | may be possible to obtain plates. If upward, but with the thumb just in not, however, the bowls and trays could be used as serving dishes. Birch bark could be used in many ways as decoration, and wooden bowls could conceal the glass dishes in which flowers are placed.—Table Talk.

> Fashions In Silver and Jewels. Latest canes for men are square instead of round.

The revival of the cameo has brought to life cameo portraiture.

Very neat are the new sets of six individual soupspoons and a ladle, all in colonial style and nicely cased.

Drawstring chain bags, large or small, have much increased their vogue.

Flat frames carry nearly everything before them in chain purses and bags, gilt and gold leading in favor.

Single strings of round beads for the neck come in coral—white, pink or red in silver, gold, amber, turquoise, chrysoprase and artificial pearls.

The eigar piercer is a handy contrivance designed to fill the same office as the familiar cutter.

Feather fans in the natural plumage of the argus or golden pheasant are one of the novelties.—Elsie Bee in Jewelers'

Why Cornbread Isn't Good.

One reason, according to an exchange, why city people do not eat more cornbread is because the good cornbread cannot be made from the commercial cornmeal. It is overheated in rapid grinding and is afterward kiln dried to keep it from becoming musty. From such meal good bread cannot be made. Corn should be ground slowly and not too finely, and it should be eaten within a week after grinding in summer or two weeks in winter.

An Easy and Wholesome Dessert.

Blanch half a cup of rice. Then add salt, a cup and a half of water and half a cup of milk, and cook in a double boiler until the liquid is absorbed and the rice is tender. Remove the rind of four sweet oranges and cut them in



ORANGE AND RICE.

contains less nitrogen and mineral utes or until a sirup of good weight matter and more carbon than that is obtained, then let cool. Dress the from soils which have not been culti- slices of orange in the center of the vated. Those who live in the sheep dish, the hot rice in a wreath around the gentlemen very much. feeding districts are more fortunate them. Pour the cold sirup over the than most farmers in this respect.- whole, and serve at once.-Buston Cooking School Magazine.

Character In the Hat.

"Does the hat reveal character?" said an observant person whose specialty is character reading. "Of course it does. "The man whose hat fits him exactly and is set square and straight on his head is nearly always an orderly, deliberate man, regular in his habits, but

very often commonplace as regards mental attainments. "Men of large mental powers, thinkers and philosophers, affect hats a trifle too large for them. They are men of large ideas, and their big hats will often be found in conjunction with loose, easy fitting clothes, for in this, as in other matters, the body reflects the

"I distrust equally the man who wears his hat at the back of his head and he who habitually goes about with it tilted to one side. The first is of a candid, easy going type, but apt to be flighty; the latter, with a disposition for sport and frolic, is at the same time often frivolous and conceited. Neither of them, however, will be a coxcomb, like the man whose hat is too small for him, nor 'deep' and crafty, like the wearer of a hat which is always pulled down over the eyes."

Danger In Poisons.

It is lamentable that neither repeated warning nor sad experience seems to have the desired effect of making the poisons. In the last few days three rhildren have died presumably from taking poison that was carelessly left within their reach. One would suppose that such accidents would by this time have become almost impossible, yet they are constantly recurring with a frequency that demands further warning. If parents would learn to keep poisons in a place where they could not be reached by others there would be fewer accidents.

It is the old principle of familiarity breeding contempt. It cannot be too strongly impressed upon every one that the only immunity from danger is through constant care and precaution. It is a lesson that needs to be impressed upon every individual without exception.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

An Old English Superstition.

Attention has been called to the survival of folklore in rural parts of England by evidence given in a stabbing case tried at the Essex assizes. To quicken the healing of the wounds, the knife with which they were inflicted was smeared with grease and laid on oil to the knife or to any steel instrument that has inflicted wounds is to prevent it from rusting, for if the steel ress of the rust. Another quaint belief is that the application of an oiled knife is a certain and quick remedy \$1.00. Trial Bottles free. for scalds and burns.

Could Believe Some of Them.

An amusing story is told of a New behalf of a certain charity in which he is greatly interested. He has a fine voice and a graphic way of telling incidents both humorous and pathetic, so that his hearers are often "moved to laughter or to tears."

At the close of one meeting, at which he had spoken with great effect, and a large gain for the charity had been the direct resulf, a little old lady approached the minister.

"Oh," she said earnestly, "I've been so interested in hearing about those poor, dear children! And I suppose a great many of those stories you told are really true, aren't they?"-Youth's Companion.

Animal Sense Perceptions.

In the course of an article on animal sense perceptions, in which special attention is directed to nauseous or offensive odors as a means of protection, readers against regarding animal etiology too much from the human standpoint. Because animals cannot speak we must not assume that they have no means certain that the ordinary explanation of "warning colors" is the true one, while the evil smell of the durian fruit does not render it distasteful either to the orang or to man him-

Curiosity.

"What did that lady have the screen across one part of the room for, ma?" asked little Harry, who had been making a call with his mother.

"I suppose she had something there she didn't want seen," replied his mother.

"And was that the reason, ma, that when you thought she wasn't looking you peeped behind it?"

Complimentary.

"Gentlemen," said a judge addressing the jury in a recent Irish case reported in Law Notes, "you have heard the evidence. The indictment says the prisoner was arrested for stealing a pig. The offense seems to be becoming a common one. The time has come when it must be put a stop to; otherwise, gentlemen, none of you will be safe."

The Easy Part. Teacher-After all the trouble I have

taken, you are most imperfect in your lesson. Surely, you could not have me some warning that you were going found it so hard to learn! Pupil-It wasn't because it was so

was so easy to forget! Amused Them. Artist-Have you taken my picture to

the exhibition? Porter-Yes, sir. It seemed to please

Artist-What did they say? Porter-Oh, they didn't say anything. They only laughed.

A Comunication.

Continued from Page 1. not want the taxpayers' money wasted agree to refund the money on a 50and squandered, leaving us a string cent bottle of Greene's Warranted of mudholes, corduroy, profanity and Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your balky horses. This is about the result cough or cold. We also guarantee a of past efforts. And why? Because 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or our law-makers have not given us a money refunded. G. S. DARLING,

system that will do the work. When that system's work was condemned, they offer us a supplementary system with additional expense and wastethe county road system. To this it is proposed to add a national system from congress, with additional expense and waste of funds. Anyone reading over the bill will at least discover that whatever merit it may have, it does not lack in making provisions for hungry office-seekers and grovernment patronage. If a farmer has a horse that can all times be depended upon to eat more than its share of oats, but when the work is to be done only kicks or balks, the farmer immediately decides that he must have a horse to do the work. He first get rid of the balky one-trades him to the editor or his minister, or if he canordinary person cautious in the use of not do that he shoots him and puts a new horse in his place. Now why not act in this common sense way about our roads? What do we want of two or three systems of road building with all the expense and waste that means? Are our state and national law-makers so busy feeding hungry officials and getting themselves placed on junketing tours that they have no time to attend to this most pressing need of the taxpayers? Let us have one good road building system that will give us value for money in public roads that will be a credit to the first commercial nation on our planet. GOLDIE.

Escaped an Awful Fate.

Mr. H. Haggins of Melbourne Fla. writes, "My doctor told me I had Consumption and nothing could be done for me. I was given up to die. The offer of a trial bottle free of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumpthe bed of the patient. The purpose tion, induced me to try it. Results served by the application of grease or were startling. I am now on the road to recovery and owe all to Dr. King's New Discovery. It surely is allowed to become rusty the wound saved my life." This great cure is is supposed to be affected and fester- guaranteed for all throat and lung ing and mortification follow the prog- diseases by J. E. Dillon and Dr. Darling, Druggists. Price 50c and

To County Teachers.

Examinations in reading for the England minister who often speaks in year will be based upon the fellowing selections: March, 1903, "Vision of Sir Laun-

> fal—Lowell. June, 1903, "Sesame," of "Sesame and Lillies."—Ruskin.

> Examinations in Theory and Art will be based upon the Manuel and Course of Study and Tompkins' School Management."

> Books of Reading Circle Course may be purchased of the Commissioner. JOHN A. CAMPBELL, Comm'r.

Nearly Forfeited His Life.

A runaway almost ending fatally, started a horrible ulcer on the leg of J. B. Ormer, Franklin Grove, Ill. For four years it defied all the docthe editor of the Zoologist warns his tors and all remedies. But Bucklen's Arvica Salve had no trouble to cure him. Equally good for Burns. Bruises. Skin Eruptions and Piles. modes of communication; it is by no 25c at J. E. Dillon and Dr. Darling's Drug Stores.

Caught Napping.

Uncle-Dear me, Carl, what a poor memory you have!

Nephew-A poor memory, you say? Why, I can repeat four pages of the names in the directory after reading them through only once!

Uncle-I'll bet you a hamper of champagne that you can't do it. The nephew sends for a directory,

attentively peruses four pages and shuts up the book. Uncle-Well?

Nephew-Muller, Muller, Muller, etc., d infinitum. All the four pages of the directory

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