

# TAWAS HERALD.

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## Now Ready.

After many unavoidable delays my stock of New Spring Millinery has arrived, and the Ladies are invited to the Grand Opening

At the **Emporium,**

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 14th, 15th and 16th.

An entire new line of New York Hats, and Elegant Productions from the Work Rooms.

A Cordial Invitation is Extended to All.

**J. Felcher,**

Simpliner Building.

East Tawas, Mich.

### TERSE TALES OF THE TAWASES.

An Epitome of the Happenings in which the People are Interested.

G. T. Wood, the Jeweler, Nick Bradshaw arrived in the city yesterday.

For furniture at right prices see Armstrong.

Assessing officers are on their annual rounds.

See those beautiful Oxfords just received by James LaBerge.

Agricultural implement men are getting very busy these days.

A fine new line of ladies' set rings just received at G. T. Wood's.

Mrs. Wallace Brown left for Flint Tuesday, on a two weeks visit.

Capt. George E. Davis, of Sebawing, was in the city on business Tuesday.

Earnest Crego, of Whittemore, was in the city on business last Saturday.

Eugene Smith came home from Alpena last Friday, and has been on the sick list.

Several new advertisements appear in this issue to which your attention is directed.

C. W. Orton, of the Sugar Co., was in Bay City on business the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Collins, of East Tawas, are the parents of a son, born Wednesday.

J. M. Waterbury has the cement foundation to his new residence nearly completed.

Prompt attention given to all repairs and satisfaction guaranteed at G. T. Wood's.

Mrs. Joseph Londo and grandson, of Reno, were the guests of Mrs. E. E. Odell Tuesday.

F. E. Baker, of East Tawas, has a copy of the New York Herald, issued April 15, 1865.

After several weeks serious illness Dr. M. J. Conant has so far recovered as to be out again.

Mrs. Joseph Halleck and children returned last week from a visit with relatives at Duluth

Superintendents of the poor Davison and McLeod were at Whittemore on business Tuesday.

Don't buy a wagon or buggy until you see the line handled by Murray & Co., of East Tawas.

J. M. Wuggazer and William Roulier were at Bay City on business the fore part of the week.

Mrs. H. P. Eggleston has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Miller, of Alpena.

C. W. Orton and A. C. Carton, of the Sugar Co., have been at Cheboygan this week, on business.

The latest styles in patent leather Oxfords are now on exhibition at LaBerge's shoe store, East Tawas.

J. M. Wuggazer & Co., announce a grand opening of their fine new soda fountain for tomorrow, Saturday.

Any one in need of good pasture for horses or cattle can secure same by inquiring of Joe Watts, Edson, Mich.

Oxford buggies, the kind that gives satisfaction. See them at W. F. Grise's blacksmith shop, Tawas City.

Murray & Co., of East Tawas, have just received a car load of the famous "Blue Ribbon" buggies. There are no better made.

Go to Andrew J. Merschel, East Tawas, for your roofing, eave troughing, well supplies, etc. Special attention given to farmers work. All work guaranteed satisfactory.

"The Home Restaurant," at East Tawas, is the proper place to go for a first-class meal. Mrs. Dease serves meals at all hours and in an up-to-date style. You are invited to call.

Weddings rings. Solid gold. W. B. MURRAY, Jeweler, East Tawas.

Miss Owens millinery store.

C. V. Hicks, Alpena music store.

Dr. G. S. Darling was called to Flint this week by the serious illness of Mrs. Molonzo. He returned Wednesday.

All members of Tawas Bay Camp No. 11353, W. M. of A., are requested to be present at the next regular meeting, April 21.

Miss Clara Shaw returned to her school near Grayling, last Saturday, after a couple of weeks vacation with her parents in this city.

The high northeast wind last Monday night carried the immense field of ice out of the bay, and none is now visible as far as can be seen.

The St. Cecilia's Guild of Christ's church will give a "cake sale" on Saturday, April 16, 1:30 to 5:30 p. m. in the Emery block, East Tawas.

Miss Mable Corner, who has held a position with Davis, Kishlar & Co., for the past two years, has resigned. Miss May Miller is her successor.

Fred Noel, of East Tawas, is prepared to do all kinds of painting, paper hanging and calcimining, etc., on short notice. Give him a call.

All persons holding premium tickets from my store must present the same before May 1, next.

M. E. FRIEDMAN.

The Herald is proud of its fine corps of correspondents, and to them is due a large part of the popularity of the paper among the people of Ioseo county.

Misses Matie McCulley and Lizzie Nash, returned to their schools near Onaway last Saturday, after spending a weeks vacation at their homes in East Tawas.

Rich cut galss, elegant line. W. B. MURRAY, Jeweler, East Tawas.

James Hamilton is always looking to the wants of his patrons. His latest move is to put down a flowing well in the rear of his store, where the farmers may water their horses.

The W. R. C. will serve a 15 cent supper at the G. A. R. hall on Saturday evening, April 23, the proceeds of which will be used to purchase flowers for Decoration day. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

For sale.—A 2 story house, 10 rooms and bath room, city water, and good well with pump in summer kitchen. A good stable and chicken house; lot 4x8 rods, near Catholic church, East Tawas. See A. G. Emery.

Alabaster's new band is composed of sixteen pieces, and the boys are making rapid advancement. They will soon be ready to fill engagements and furnish music equal to any of them. A. C. Hebel is manager and C. M. Davis secretary.

East Tawas is afflicted with an attack from sneak thieves. Last Friday night Geo. E. Oakes lost 30 chickens, and Monday night the grocery of Sam Tait was entered and a quantity of ham and tobacco stolen. Entrance was secured through the back door.

Miss Laura Thomas, sister of Mrs. E. O. Sutherland, a nurse in the Womans hospital, Saginaw, was operated upon for appendicitis Monday. It was a critical case but the patient is doing nicely with prospects of recovering. Mrs. Sutherland has been with her but is expected home today.—Midland Sun.

Miss J. Felcher has opened her new millinery parlors in the Sempliner building, East Tawas. The interior has been nicely papered and painted and with the new furniture presents a most attractive appearance. Miss Felcher has a most attractive line of the latest spring millinery, containing the latest New York goods, pattern hats, etc. She extends a cordial invitation to the ladies of the Tawas and vicinity to attend her grand opening which is being held today and tomorrow.

C. V. Hicks, Domestic Machines.

Born yesterday, to Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ingoloski, a son. Mike is all smiles over the happy event.

In our next issue we hope to be able to announce to our readers the full particulars of the location of a new industry in our city, of considerable importance.

J. H. Nisbet attended the meeting of the Saginaw Presbytery which met at West Bay City this week. He was elected lay commissioner to attend the general assembly which meets at Buffalo, May 19.

The state board of pardons will meet at Jackson prison April 26 and 27. Among the other applications for pardons to be considered will be that of William H. Woods, who was sent from this county for arson, in connection with the burning of Prof. Jansky's house at AuSable a couple of years ago.

The farmers are exhibiting much more interest in the matter of raising beets for the Sugar Co., during the past few days. A realization of the advantages given our county by the location of this industry here, and the severe loss, its removal would be to us, should cause every farmer in the county to make a special effort to raise at least one acre, and as much more as he may be able to handle.

Harry DeKalb, the general agent for the Cassopolis Drill has been in the city this week, assisting James

O'Brien, the local agent, in getting started. Mr. DeKalb informs us that the demand for these drills this season exceeds that of any former year, even at this early date more sales having been made than during any previous year. They are the best drill made and worthy of their rapidly increasing prosperity.

Evangelist D. A. Shannon, formerly pastor at White Pigeon, Mich., will preach at the Tawas City Baptist church next Sunday April 17, morning and evening, and every evening during the week following. Services will begin at 7:30 each evening. Rev. Shannon just closed a two week's services at Gaylord, where about 60 persons accepted Christ. Pastor Ehle of the Gaylord church says of him: "He is deady in earnest and everybody knows it." A cordial invitation is extended to the public to come and hear the gospel proclaimed in all its simplicity and purity. Let all Christian people earnestly implore the God of love and power to draw many of our friends and neighbors into Himself.

CHAS. E. EHLE, Pastor.

C. V. Hicks, Pianos and Organs.

### Special Notice to Teachers.

A special set of questions on the manual will be prepared for the June examination. The usual examination in "Theory and Art" will be given. Teachers should make a special preparation along this line.

J. A. CAMPBELL, Commissioner.

**The Celebrated Hamilton Watch** Made especially for Rail Road use, in 17, 21 and 23 jewels. Positively the Best watch for the money manufactured. See a full line at **S. C. Wood's, Leading Jeweler, The Old Stand, East Tawas.**

## HANSON'S BAZAAR EAST TAWAS, MICH.

### 20 PER CENT. REDUCTION SALE!

For TEN DAYS beginning MONDAY, APRIL 18th, and ending THURSDAY, APRIL 28th, a

Reduction of 20 per cent.

Will be given on all sales of our HANDSOME CHINA, BRILLIANT CUT GLASS, TURQUOIS and JAPANESE WARE, VASES, JARDINIERS, DECORATED PARLOR LAMPS, and Decorated Globes for same, DECORATED CHAMBER SETS, Etc., Etc.

At this Sale Exceptionally Rare Values in a quantity of

ODDS AND ENDS, will be offered, and in which the original cost cuts no figure.

It being conceded that our Regular Prices are less than the same class of goods are sold for in larger cities, customers will readily see their advantage by purchasing at this sale.

DON'T MISS IT!

**HENRY HANSON** PROPRIETOR.

## FARMERS, ATTENTION

We are prepared to buy everything in the line of farm produce, for which we will pay the highest market price.

We have a complete line of Groceries, Meats, Fruits, Vegetables, Canned Goods, etc., and we solicit the patronage of the Tawas and vicinity. We shall endeavor to please our customers, and merit their patronage.

**SAMUEL J. TAIT,**

SUCCESSOR TO W. J. WARREN.

Warren Block, East Tawas.

## RICHARDS' HARDWARE.

**Best Wall Finish!**

Will not Crack, Chip or Rub Off.

Cheaper than Paint. More Sanitary than Wall Paper!

TRY IT!

**F. H. RICHARDS & Co** EAST TAWAS, MICH.

OUR TINNING DEPARTMENT IS RESERVED FOR SHOP WORK ONLY.

Call and see the PRETTY, NEW, SPRING STYLES Just Received At FRIEDMAN'S.

See Our window display of  
**PAINTS and COLORS**

This week we have a complete line and guarantee the prices to be right as well as the goods.

Our line of CARPENTERS' and BUILDERS' SUPPLIES is also complete and every article guaranteed.

We can meet Chicago prices when quality is considered. Give us a call and save your Money.

*Wagner & Powell*  
GENERAL HARDWARE.

**Fiz! Fiz! Fiz!**

OUR NEW SANITARY FOUNTAIN has arrived and is now ready to quench the thirst of our people. Everything new clean and up-to-date!

All kinds of Fountain Beverages always on hand. Fresh Fruit, Sundaes, Phosphates, Welch's Grape Juice, etc.

**Our Fizzician**

has nothing to do but look after the wants of our Soda Fountain Customers so you are always assured of prompt service.

**J. M. WUGGAZER & CO.,**

The People's New Drug Store,

Phone 164.

Tawas City.

**Brown's Provision House.**

**WE ARE READY**

To fill your order for the Best in the market at Most Reasonable Prices.

We carry the following at

**LIVING PRICES.**

- Grain Fed Chicago Beef
- Choice Young Pig Pork
- Sausage, in Caseings,
- Sausage in the Bulk
- Liver Sausage
- Choice Pastry and Bread Flours
- Shelled Corn Bran Middlings
- Street Car Feed, Baled Hay
- Beautiful Fresh Oranges,
- Fresh Lettuce
- Bagas Carrots Onions
- Good Potatoes
- Clover Seed Timothy Seed
- Garden Seed

**BROWN'S STORE.**

Opposite Depot,

TAWASCITY,

MICHIGAN.

**TAWAS HERALD.**

LEN. J. PATTERSON,

PROPRIETOR.

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Subscription Price, \$1.00 Per Year When Paid in Advance. If not so paid \$1.50 will be charged.

ADVERTISING RATES:—Display advertisements, 10 cents per inch; reading notices 5 cents per line. All resolutions of condolence, obituary poetry, cards of thanks or notices advertising entertainments for which an admission is charged, 5 cents per line.

Phone No. 68.

TAWAS CITY, MICH., APR. 15, 1904.

Congressman Loud will receive the nomination at the congressional convention at Alpena next Friday without opposition.

John D. Rockefeller has purchased a site for the erection of a hospital at Chicago. An advance in the price of oil may be looked for.

Congressman Hearst enters an absolute denial to the report from Indianapolis which stated that he was out of politics and would devote his entire time to journalism. He says he is in the race for the presidential nomination in good faith and to stay.

The work of District Attorney Jos. W. Folk, of St. Louis, Mo., in his fight against corruption in public office is making him one of the most talked of men in the country. Here is a young man that it will be well to keep your eye on as he is very liable to be heard from in the future.

It looks as if Senator Dougherty, of this district, would be renominated without opposition. It will be interesting to watch the result of the vote in Aleona county next November, as it has been announced that over 400 Grangers have declared that none but candidates favorable to primary reform get their votes, and that the Clare man is the one man they will not support.

The U. S. supreme court last week rendered a decision in favor of Congressman Hearst, in his suit against the coal trust, thus deciding that he, as a citizen, can do what the congressional investigating committee said could not be done, viz: force the fuel trust to produce their records and give testimony which they refused to do at the hearing. As a "trust buster" Mr. Hearst seems to be even more successful than President Roosevelt.

The whisky business of the United States has been given a great boost by the intense cold of last winter, according to reports from the department of commerce and labor. No fewer than 394,891 barrels of rye extract have been put on the market in the last year, as compared to 351,724 during the previous year. It is far to presume that 43,000 more barrels of concentrated liquid heat were needed by chilly citizens in search of a counteracting influence. Aside from the whisky industry the coal trade was the only one that did not suffer on account of the extreme frigidty.

A few weeks ago, a number of gentlemen engaged in growing fruit, met in convention and solemnly resolved "that the robin is a nuisance, a cherry thief, and that he deserves to be exterminated." Cherries, of course, are a trouble to raise, and when raised, can be sold for cash; therefore, if the robin will persist in eating them, that settles, or should settle the robin. And yet we believe that life would still be worth living, even though we had fewer cherries and more robins, and we also believe that the cheerful chirp of the first robin, after such a winter as we just passed through, gives a thrill of pleasure fully equal to that derived from the sale of a few handfuls of cherries he takes as a dessert after his dinner of worms. We hope that the robin will appeal his case to a higher court.—*Holly Advertiser.*

**Makes a Clean Sweep.**

There's nothing like doing a thing thoroughly. Of all the Salves you ever heard of, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best. It sweeps away and cures burns, sores, bruises, cuts, boils, ulcers, skin eruptions and piles. It's only 25c, and guaranteed to give satisfaction by G. S. Darling's and J. E. Dillon's drug stores.

**City Council Proceedings.**

A regular meeting of the common Council of the city of Tawas City, held at the council room Tuesday evening April 5, 1904. Called to order by the clerk. Present: Aldermen Stahmer, Katterman, Schlechte and clerk Crandall. There not being a quorum present, on motion meeting adjourned to Thursday evening April 7, 1904. E. A. CRANDALL, City Clerk.

Adjourned regular meeting April 7, 1904. An adjourned regular meeting of the common council of the City of Tawas City, held at the council room Thursday evening April 7, 1904. Called to order by the mayor. Present: Mayor Schlechte, Aldermen Dixon, Garber, Katterman, Stahmer, Schlechte and clerk Crandall. Quorum present. Minutes of regular meeting of March 15th, and the adjourned regular meeting of March 29th, 1904, read and approved.

Following bills presented and referred to committee on claims and accounts:

Dan Ross, draying	\$ 25
E. Wonk, labor	30
Tawas Herald, printing	25 80
Chas. Dixon, reg' bd. 2.00 elec. bd 2.00 extra services, 3.00	7 00
W. Schlechte reg. bd. 2.00 elec. bd. 2.00 extra services, 3.00	7 00
Carl Stahmer reg. bd. 2.00 elec. bd. 2.00 extra services 3.00	7 00
Juo, A. Mark elec. bd. 2.00 ex. srv. 2.00	4 00
W. F. Whittemore, elec. bd. 2.00 extra services 2.00	4 00
W. H. Murphy 1 day gate keeper	2 00
Geo. Stark 1 day gate keeper	2 00

Moved Ald. Garber, supported by Ald. Katterman, that bills be allowed as read and orders be drawn for same. Carried, all voting ye. On motion council then adjourned. E. A. CRANDALL, E. M. SCHLECHTE, City Clerk. Mayor.

Statutory meeting April 7, 1904. Pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the common council of the city of Tawas City, met in regular session at the council room Thursday evening April 7, 1904, for the purpose of canvassing the votes cast at the annual city election, held on Monday the 4th day of April, A. D., 1904.

Called to order by the mayor. Present: Mayor Schlechte, Aldermen Dixon, Garber, Katterman, Stahmer, Schlechte and clerk Crandall. Quorum present.

The board of canvassers then submitted their report, of which the following is a true copy: Tawas City, April 7 '04.

Canvass of votes cast at annual city election held Monday April 4, 1904, for the various city and ward officers of the city of Tawas City, Michigan.

We find that for mayor, Nicholas C. Hartingh rec'd in 1st ward 47 votes

" " " " 2nd "	46 "
" " " " 3rd "	49 "
Total	142

Edward M. Schlechte " 1st " 19 "

" " " " 2nd "	51 "
" " " " 3rd "	28 "
Total	98

For city clerk John B. King rec'd in the 1st ward 52 votes

" " " " 2nd "	46 "
" " " " 3rd "	45 "
Total	143

Wilfred Grise " 1st " 15 votes

" " " " 2nd "	52 "
" " " " 3rd "	31 "
Total	98

For treasurer Thos. Davison rec'd in the 1st ward 53 votes

" " " " 2nd "	56 "
" " " " 3rd "	55 "
Total	164

For justice of the peace Thos. E. Connors rec'd in 1st ward 25 "

" " " " 2nd "	38 "
" " " " 3rd "	39 "
Total	112 "

Arthur W. Lowe " 1st " 31 "

" " " " 2nd "	53 "
" " " " 3rd "	37 "
Total	121 "

For supervisor, 1st ward Spencer C. Williams..... 42 Thos. J. Armstrong..... 24

Majority..... 18 For supervisor, 2nd ward Fred Marzinski, Jr..... 31 Len J. Patterson..... 64

Majority..... 38 For supervisor, 3rd ward Fred W. Rollin..... 50 Hal A. Granger..... 27

Majority..... 23 For alderman, 1st ward Richard G. Hartingh..... 49 Edw. B. VanHorn..... 25

Majority..... 17 For alderman, second ward Geo. H. Hadwin..... 17 John Kulaszewski..... 37

Majority..... 20 For alderman, third ward Jas. E. Brown..... 40 Jos. W. Minor..... 36

Majority..... 4 For constable, first ward Wm. M. Baxter..... 45 Herman Rempert..... 29

Majority..... 25 For constable, second ward J. Ernest Chase..... 54 Otto Kasischeke..... 41

Majority..... 13 For constable, third ward Wm. C. Wilson..... 53 John Breunau..... 25

Majority..... 25 signed City Council Thos. E. Garber and Carl Stahmer Board of Canvassers. Charles Dixon Wm. Schlechte C. Katterman

Moved by Alderman Garber supported by Ald. Schlechte, that Nicholas C. Hartingh having received a majority of all the votes cast for the office of Mayor; John B. King having received a majority of all the votes cast for the office of City Clerk; Thomas Davison having received a majority of all the votes cast for the office of City Treasurer; Arthur W. Lowe having received a majority of all the votes cast for the office of Justice of the Peace; Spencer C. Williams having received a majority of all the votes cast for the office of Supervisor of the First ward; Len J. Patterson having received a majority of all the votes cast for the office of Supervisor of the second ward; Richard G. Hartingh having received a majority of all the votes cast for the office of Alderman of the first ward; George H. Hadwin having received a majority of all the votes cast for the office of Alderman of the second ward; James H. Brown having received a majority of all the votes cast for the office of Alderman of the third ward; William M. Baxter having received a majority of all the votes cast for the office of Constable of the first ward; J. Ernest Chase having received a majority of all the votes cast for the office of Constable of the second ward; William C. Wilson having received a majority of all the votes cast for the office of Constable of the third ward, the same are hereby declared elected to their respective offices for the ensuing term.

Carried by vote as follows: Yeas—Alderman Garber, Dixon, Stahmer, Katterman, Schlechte, 5 and Nays, none.

Minutes of regular meeting of April 5, 1904, adjourned regular meeting of April 7, 1904, and statutory meeting of April 7, 1904 were read, and there being no objection, were approved as read. On motion council then adjourned. "Sine Die." E. A. CRANDALL, E. M. SCHLECHTE, City Clerk. Mayor.

**Carpets!**

**Curtains!**

It will only be a few days when you will be looking over your house with a view of house-cleaning and thinking about replacing some of those worn carpets and curtains with New ones. Call and let us show you Our Line which is Complete and Prices Right.

Carpets from 17 cents up to \$1.25 per yard.

Lace Curtains from 75 cts. up to \$3.25 per pair.

Also a Fine Line of Curtain Mulls.

We have just received some more Embroidery Scrim

Try us and see how quick we can turn you out a Carpet.

**C. H. Prescott & Sons,**

PHONE 41.

Tawas City, Michigan.

**BICYCLES REPAIRED**

On Short Notice and Prices Right.

Have your wheel ready when the time comes to use it.

We have everything in Bicycle Repairs and Light Hardware.

A full line of Groceries, Provisions, Fruit, and Candies.

**The Corner Store,**

STICKNEY & ROBINSON,

Phone 57.

Tawas City.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Pianos and Organs at King's Furniture Store.

For sale, at a bargain, a second hand piano. Inquire of W. F. Grise.

Last month 181,134 barrels of salt was inspected by the state salt inspector.

Davidson's ship yards at West Bay City will begin operations again next week.

Yesterday was opening day in both the American and National base ball leagues.

The Alpena Savings Bank has increased its capital stock from \$50,000 to \$75,000.

The republican congressional convention meets at Alpena one week from today.

Gov. Bliss has designated April 29 as Arbor day, and urges an observance of the same.

Mrs. Burt, wife of Hon. W. R. Burt, of Saginaw, died very suddenly Tuesday, of heart disease.

The celebrated Harrison wagon, the best made. For sale by W. F. WHITTEMORE & Co.

The Thompson Line announces that the steamer Holland will leave Detroit next Tuesday for Lake Huron ports, ice permitting.

James LaBerge, the East Tawas shoe merchant invites your inspection of the large line of new shoes and Oxfords he has just received.

Ex-Queen Isabella, of Spain, grandmother of King Alfonso, died at Paris last Saturday morning. She was born at Madrid Oct. 30, 1830.

The "Jaxon" wagon is the best. They always give satisfaction and are sold right. Murray & Co., of East Tawas, have just received a car load of them.

The summer session of the University of Michigan for the year 1904 begins Monday June 27, and continues in the literary, engineering and medical departments to August 5, and the law department to August 19.

The iron work for the D. & M. railroad bridge across the Cheboygan river has been unloaded on the Goodwin farm, a short distance from the river, and its expected that the bridge crew will commence about April 15 to put up the superstructure.

Few persons know what is meant by "sizes" in the matter of coats, shoes, etc. A size in a coat is an inch. In underwear is two inches. In socks, one inch is meant. In a collar, a size is half an inch. In gloves, a quarter of an inch. In hats, one eighth of an inch.

The verdict of the Aleona circuit court in the case of Chris Smith vs. the D. & M. railroad, has been reversed by the supreme court. The jury awarded Smith \$5,000 damages for the death of his wife, who was killed by a train while crossing the track at Black River.

Low rates to Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Wyoming, Manitoba, Western Ontario, Saskatchewan and Assiniboia, via Detroit & Mackinac Ry., on each Tuesday in March and April, viz. March 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29; April 5, 12, 19 and 26. Call on or write D. & M. agents.

Don Howell entertained a number of his young friends Friday evening last at the home of his parents on State street. Various games were indulged in and light refreshments were served. A pleasant evening is reported by those present.—Onaway Outlook

The editor of the Marine City Globe says that there is but one surer way to commit suicide than to call a Kentuckian a poor judge of whisky. That is to print all the news of things exactly as they happen, without any whitewash finishes, then to lean back in the editorial chair and calmly await the end.

The Arena republican club are making elaborate arrangements for their first annual banquet which will be held at Omer, on Saturday evening of next week. The list of speakers will include Congressmen Loud and William Alden Smith, and Homer Warren, of Detroit.

Sheriff Shepard, of Lenewee county is anxious for his term of office to expire so he can get back on the farm as there is no money in the office for him. He only got \$92.40 in six weeks, and had to pay his board bill of \$63 and his turnkey's salary out of that. He should come north and learn how to make his office pay.

The state board of health are sending inspectors into the lumber districts of the north woods to take care of the smallpox situation. It seems that the lumbermen pay no attention to the quarantine rules and local officers cannot handle them. The camps are breaking up and many are starting home, carrying with them the germs of disease.

Wesley Bradfield, a student of forestry in the senior class of the University of Michigan, has been appointed forester by the Michigan State Forestry Commission. He will serve on the forest reserve in Roscommon county. Fifty thousand white pine seedlings have been purchased and will be set out on this reserve this spring; and in addition seed will be sown to furnish the state with its own plants after this year and next.

Don't try to get rich quick; in fact, don't try to get rich at all. Riches do not bring happiness, usually the reverse. A competence that makes him independent should satisfy any reasonable man; but don't worry lest you will be unable to leave each of your children a fortune. To inherit a fortune is a calamity to any child. Give them a fair education, teach them to work, help them to start modestly, and let them shift for themselves.

Dr. J. F. Hovis has had a serious set back by reason of the infection which was communicated to him through a slight abrasion on his right hand while attending a patient. The doctor has failed noticeably and is still weak from the effects of the poison going through his system. At one time, when Dr. Hovis was in the hospital, it was thought that it would be necessary to amputate his arm. As yet he has been unable to make any calls, but his speedy recovery is hoped for now.—Oscoda Press.

According to a statement from Bradstreet's commercial agency, 84 per cent of the men who failed during 1903 did not advertise their business. This shows very plainly that the chances for success are decidedly against the man who does not advertise what he has to sell. The multiplication of producers and dealers in all lines gives the buyer more facilities for supplying his wants, and thus it is that constant advertising is required by the wise seller, both to secure trade and to hold it.

As spring draws near the timely question of housecleaning again stirs the breast of the average housekeeper. The annual war of cleaning, dusting, and scrubbing useless things is about to begin. Each year we buy more articles, lug them into the house and seldom take anything out. Possibly we need them, but two-to-one we don't. As one writer remarks, it would be a boon to life if once a year a day were called and the things that were not necessary for beauty or utility carted away. In direct contrast the Japanese give us a picture of life. There, even a nobleman, can load all his temporal belongings on a wheelbarrow and walk off with it.

FOR SALE.

The John W. King farm, known as the old Anschuetz farm, for sale. A very desirable farm of 160 acres for a thousand dollars less than it is worth. This farm for a few days yet before rearing can be bought for \$1,000. For terms write J. C. BARBER, Tawas City, Mich.

New Carpets!

See What We Offer.

Spring House Cleaning always shows the worn out places in the old carpet, and emphasizes the necessity of a new one. We are offering an elegant line of the Newest Designs and Best Makes of

Ingrains and Brussels

at prices that make your old ones an expensive luxury. We have them from

38c to \$1.10, per Yard.

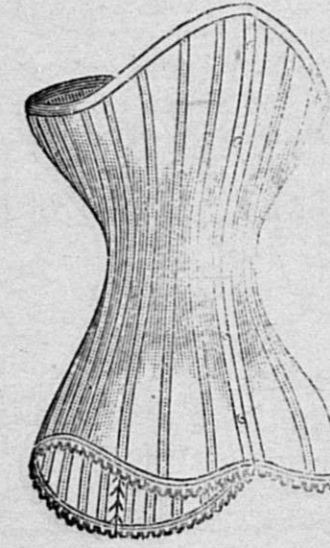
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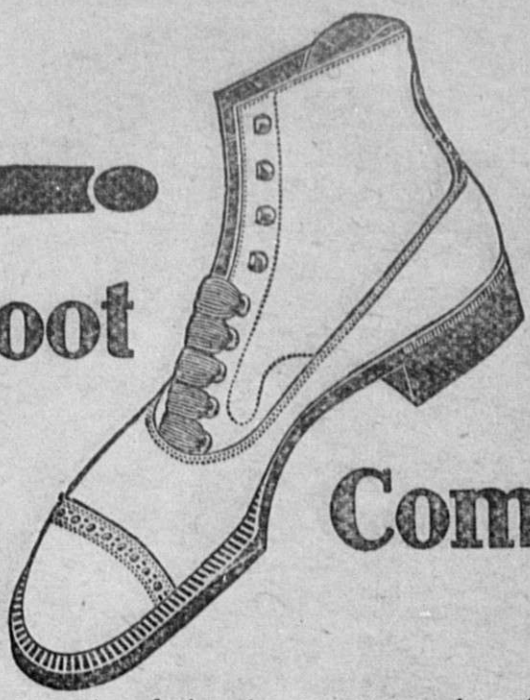
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