

TAWAS HERALD.

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Selling Out!

I am going out of the grocery business and will sell my stock at cost,

Commencing Oct. 1st.

Fresh Full Cream Cheese 11c lb.

Pure Cider Vinegar 15c gal.

And other bargains too numerous to mention

COME EARLY,

Our loss is your gain.

BROWN'S CASH STORE,
OPPOSITE DEPOT.

TAWAS CITY, MICH.

TERSE TALES OF THE TAWASES.

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

Buy a pair of Budd's baby shoes at Friedman's.

Fred Wade returned Monday to the Ferris Institute.

Attorney A. W. Black spent last Sunday at Bay City.

Harry Richards, of Au Gres, is in the city for a few days.

Rev. Fr. Kinney spent the fore part of the week at Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Price, of Turner, were in the city Tuesday.

Miss Ada Schrum, of East Tawas, left Wednesday for Ypsilanti.

Mrs. George Thomas Sr. left Thursday for a visit with relatives at Saginaw.

If you find any old style goods at Friedman's, you can get them for a song.

Mrs. C. A. VanWey left yesterday for Carson City, for a visit with relatives.

Second hand buggy for sale, or will exchange for cattle. A. Myers, East Tawas.

Next Sunday evening a song service will be conducted at the Presbyterian church.

A fine daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Nick Ecker, of this city, on Sept. 21.

John Wrather, of East Tawas, is spending the week with his mother at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Wood visited relatives at Pinconning a few days this week.

Try a pair of Pingree cushion sole shoes, the best in the land. Friedman sells them.

Gus Whedon left Monday for Detroit, to accept a position with the M. C. Ry. Co.

New goods, both in shoes and gent's furnishings, arrive daily at Jas. LaBerge's store.

Mrs. T. J. Warren arrived home last Sunday from a visit with relatives at Marquette.

An addition of 100 volumes from the state library has been received for our city library.

Mrs. G. S. Darling and Mrs. H. H. Funk spent a few days during the past week at Bay City.

Mrs. Andrew Murphy, who has been in very poor health for the past few weeks, is improving.

Do not buy old goods which are dear at any price. New goods arriving daily at Friedman's.

Mrs. Brennan and son, Lew, of Toronto, are the guests of Mrs. P. McGuire, of East Tawas.

Ed. Woichski spent Sunday last at Sterling, and accompanied his wife and babies home Monday.

A fine baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Sass, at Emery Junction, last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore were at Bay City Tuesday, where Mr. M. went for medical treatment.

William Wrather, of Detroit, was the guest of his brother, John, of East Tawas, a few days this week.

Miss Anna Provost, of East Tawas, leaves Monday to take up studies at the Bay City Business College.

John McRae was down from Rose City Tuesday. John will leave in a few days for a trip to Arkansas.

Mrs. Morehouse, of Dowagiac, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. L. Drake, during the past week.

For Sale Cheap.—A good work horse, weight 1400. Inquire at KANE'S Livery.

William D. Mitchell, of Alpena, and Miss Lydia L. Howey were married, Sept. 21, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Howey, of East Tawas, Rev. A. C. Kay officiating.

Some very fine second hand gent's watches, almost new, fully warranted in every respect, at almost fifty per cent off.

G. T. Wood, Jeweler.
C. V. Hicks, Pianos and Organs.

Fleeced lined underwear for men, 50 cents per suit, and upwards at Friedman's.

Miss Gladys Scout returned to Ithica N. Y., yesterday, after spending a couple of months with relatives in this city.

Thos. Nevin, of Toledo, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. W. H. Clough, of East Tawas, returned home last Saturday.

John E. Griffith and Mrs. Margaret Corner, of East Tawas, were united in marriage last Saturday evening, Rev. Sheldon officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Campbell, of Tawas township, returned Monday from a three weeks visit with relatives at Portland, Indiana.

Flour is out of sight but we still sell our bread at 5 cents per loaf, or six loaves for 25 cents. If you want baked goods call at Price's bakery.

Mrs. Bert Walker and children returned to their home at Cleveland Tuesday, after spending several weeks at the home of J. M. Walker in this city.

A blind man couldn't see the beauty of the "Keith-Konqueror" shoes sold by LaBerge, but his feet would quickly tell him they'd found a comfortable home at last.

A team driven by John Goldsmith, a 17-year-old Tawas township boy, ran away last Friday and the young man was thrown out and his left shoulder dislocated. Dr. Gibson set the shoulder and the patient is doing nicely.

George Redhead came home from Cheboygan last Monday, having resigned his position there to accept one with the Michelson-Hanson Lumber Co., at Lewiston, for which place he left yesterday.

Lyman McAuliff, engineer and Ed Musolf, fireman, with engine 21, pulled 7 loaded coaches from Bay City to Alpena, in two hours and 48 seconds, last Tuesday. This is the fastest time made over the D. & M. and the above gentlemen are to be congratulated on their success.

For Sale—Two good general purpose horses. Good age, good workers. Will be sold cheap for cash, or on easy payments. Enquire at Whittemore Roller mills, Whittemore, Mich., or G. P. Felcher, East Tawas.

C. V. Hicks, Alpena music store.

See the new line of fall and winter samples for custom made suits, at Friedman's.

No time like the present, and no one can do it so well, so you better have A. J. Merschell, of East Tawas, put up your eaves trough, or fix your stove or furnace.

The Home Restaurant, East Tawas, under the management of Mrs. Jennie Lawson, is more popular than ever. It is never closed and you can get a good meal any time you want it.

The American Express Co. will establish free distribution and gathering of express packages to the business men of East Tawas, beginning tomorrow. John Schrieber has been appointed agent.

Charles T. Prescott was down to Bay City a few days during the past week, and returned Tuesday with a very fine driving horse. While Charlie does not expect to track him, he is finely bred and has shown good speed in trials.

Albert Hoag has sold his interests in the Tawas Manf. Co., plant to his partners Messrs. Pease and Tyler, and will remove to Bay City. During his short residence here Mr. Hoag has made many friends who regret their departure.

Last Monday evening about 150 friends of Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Sheldon gave them a most enjoyable farewell reception. They were presented with a handsome clock, while Mrs. Sheldon's Sunday school class presented her with a handsome toilet set. During their stay in East Tawas, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon have made a host of warm friends who wish them well in their future field of labor. The family left this week for Grayling, which will be Mr. Sheldon's charge for the coming year.

FARM FOR SALE—The n. e. 1/4 of the s. e. 1/4 of section 3, one half mile south of town line, more than half of the farm cleared, good buildings, also 1 mowing machine, 1 rake, wagon, buggy, wagon, cutter, set of sleighs, single harness, double harness, 2 yearling mare colts, one fresh milch cow, and numerous other farm implements also household furniture, including stoves, tables, chairs etc. Inquire of JOHN RUEL, near County Farm.

C. V. Hicks, Domestic Machines.

Solomon the wise, said there was nothing new under the sun, but Friedman's store is always full of new goods.

All members of Tawas Bay Camp No. 11353, M. W. of A., are requested to attend the regular meeting on Thursday evening, Oct. 6.

The ladies of Baldwin Hive 144, of East Tawas, will serve warm meals and lunches at the fair next Wednesday and Thursday. Leave your baskets at home and get a nice warm meal for 25 cents.

Hon. B. T. O. Clark and A. J. Lacy were greeted with a fine audience at the court house last evening, and made excellent talks on state issues. Mr. Clark is one of the best known republicans of south-eastern Michigan and is giving his best efforts to defeat the machine which has gained control of his party in this state. Mr. Lacy is one of the rising young attorneys of Michigan, and both made most favorable impressions on their audience.

Rev. S. G. Taylor and family arrived Tuesday and will become residents of East Tawas. Mr. Taylor has resigned as a member of the Detroit conference of the M. E. church and will resume the practice of law. He has leased Capt. McDonald residence at East Tawas, and will open an office in that city. He has a host of friends in Iosco county who are pleased to welcome him back, and without doubt he will regain the extensive law practice which he enjoyed when he entered the ministry. We join in wishing him success.

The republican candidates who went to Alabaster last Monday evening had a very lively time coming home. When at Slingerland's corners, one of Chas. Curry's horses broke through a culvert and fell, the other one became frightened and succeeded in getting away and was not captured until it reached home. Sheriff Johnson and Mr. Curry then doubled up and started for home, but had the misfortune to break the evening before reaching town, which caused another delay. However they succeeded in getting home, and report an excellent meeting. Those who were in the rig with Mr. Curry were Congressman Loud, Judge Gordon and Edwin Rawden.

Price's Bakery has a full line of baked goods at "The Home" restaurant, East Tawas, try them.
MRS. JENNIE LAWSON.

W. H. CARSON. J. M. EALY. JOHN McNAIR.

CARSON, EALY, & CO., BANKERS.
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Individual responsibility, One Million Dollars.

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Four Per Cent Interest paid on time deposits.

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In sums of from \$50 to \$5,000, on long time, at low rates and on liberal terms.

LLOYD G. McKAY, Cashier.

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You can get a 32-40 Rifle, a 30-30 Rifle, a 38-56 Rifle, a 22 Rifle or a 16, 12 or 10 gage single or double barrel Shot Gun, either

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EAST TAWAS, MICH.

Iosco County Fair.

Oct. 4, 5 and 6, '04.

For this week I am going to make a big reduction in

Watches, All guaranteed \$1 to \$75.

Clocks, All guaranteed \$1 and up.

Big purchase of Roger Knives, Forks and Spoons at a sacrifice

W. B. MURRAY,

D. & M. Ry. Watch Inspector.

Returned Jeweler.

Grand - Fall - Opening!

Friday, Sept. 30th. and Saturday,
October 1st, 1904.

At the Emporium.

We have aimed to place before the Ladies of the Tawas and vicinity the Largest and Best Line of up-to-date Millinery ever shown in the city. The Prices are varied and will suit all purses. We have sufficient help to wait on all patrons, and invite you to call and see our stock whether you buy or not.

MISS J. FELCHER,

Opposite Hotel Holland.

EAST TAWAS, MICH.

A New Line of Ladies' and Misses' Coats and Skirts Just Received at M. E. Friedman's.

LOOK!

Read this carefully and see what you can save by buying the following articles of us for one week.

A good 50 cent Hair Brush for	37c.
A good 25 cent Hair Brush for	19c.
A good 25 cent Comb for	19c.
A good 10 cent Toilet Chamois for	8c.
A good combination Fountain Syringe for	98c.
A good complete Nursing Outfit for	19c.
A good Toilet Soap 10 cent cake for	8c.
A 25 cent bottle of Almond Cream	18c.
A \$1.00 bottle of Sarsaparilla for	75c.
A 50 cent box Kidney and Backache pills for	40c.
A 25 cent box Cold Cure for	18c.
A 25 cent box Liver Pills for	15c.
A 10 cent box Bronchical Tablets for	8c.
A 25 cent Razor Strop for	19c.
A 5 cent box Tooth Picks for	3c.
A 15 cent Shaving Brush for	13c.
A 10 cent Shaving Brush for	8c.

J. M. WUGGAZER & CO.,

The People's New Drug Store,
Tawas City, Michigan.

JOHN ARMSTRONG,

LICENSED EMBALMER and
FUNERAL DIRECTOR.

The Most Complete and Up-to-date Undertaking Establishment in this Vicinity. Prompt attention to Night or Day Calls.

A full line of First-class Furniture, Wall Paper, Etc. always in stock and Prices Right.

Phone 51. Tawas City.

Peaches, Pears, Plums, Tomatoes.

Now is the time to can your fruit, and here is the place to buy it. We handle only the best, and there is never a question about price for we always undersell.

If it is Sugar, Spices, Cans, Can Tops or Rubbers. You better see us if you want to save money.

Samuel J. Gait,

EAST TAWAS.

King's Furniture Store,

EAST TAWAS,

Carries the best and largest assortment of Furniture, Wall Paper, Musical Goods, Sewing Machine.

UNDERTAKER and LICENCED EMBALMER.

WHY DO SO MANY PEOPLE RIDE CRESCENTS

Twice as many Crescent bicycles as any other have been bought annually for the last six years.

WHY DOES THE NUMBER OF CRESCENT RIDERS INCREASE EACH YEAR

Crescent sales have increased steadily year after year.

You can answer these questions yourself if you will come to our store and see a Crescent. Probably then we will not need to ask

WHY DON'T YOU RIDE A CRESCENT

GEO. W. MOUNT.

TAWAS HERALD.

LEN. J. PATTERSON,
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Phone No. 68.

TAWAS CITY, MICH., Sept 30 1904

The prohibitionists of the tenth district have nominated Dr. G. S. Parmetier, of Petoskey, for congress. The convention was held at Bay City last Monday.

Two questions will be submitted to the voters at the general election in November. One for a general revision of the state constitution, and the other relative to the repeal of the section which limits the time for the introduction of bills in both legislative houses.

It is said that if the Hon. W. R. Burt succeeds in defeating "Don't-give-a-d—" Johnny Baird for the state senate in the Saginaw district, that it will remove one of the main spokes from the big machine wheel. If that is the case, the election of J. K. Mead and the defeat of "Bell Cow" Doherty in this district will take away the hub. Vote for Mead.—*Grayling Times*.

The Louisiana Purchase Exposition has made its fourth semi-monthly payment of \$500,000 upon the \$4,700,000 loan by the government to the exposition, bringing the total payments made up to \$2,408,149.14. There is no doubt of the entire amount paid to the government, but it is doubtful whether the stockholders of the exposition will get back any of the money they put into it. The attendance is steadily increasing.

The People see Their Way.

Whether or not direct voting will eliminate corruption in securing nominations the people of Michigan have satisfied themselves that the system is desirable, and that it does not lie in the mouth of any man to say that the people do not know what they want. The people have with their own eyes beheld the primaries of their parties disregarded and have seen nominations for the highest office bought and sold. They want to place it beyond the power of any man to buy a nomination for a state office, and they demand that the legislature pass a law providing for the direct nomination of all officers. The people have time and again sent their petitions to the legislature for the passage of needed laws, and they have time and again seen these petitions scorned and cast aside at the dictation of the machine bosses. The people have seen other important measures to which they were opposed enacted in a single day signed in the night at the dictation of one man. The people have felt the blighting power of the machine and they have had enough. The people want no machine of any kind; they want the free and untrammelled expression of the masses incorporated into law, and they propose to bring it about in this year of grace—*Lansing Journal*.

Judge Cahill on Record.

Fred Warner feels his chances slipping away from him. He regrets that Judge Cahill, of Lansing, one of the leading republicans of central Michigan, has openly taken the platform in favor of Mr. Ferris, the democratic nominee. Mr. Warner has endeavored to explain to the republicans the reason why Judge Cahill opposes him by saying it was owing to the fact that some years ago he, Mr. Warner, declined to authorize the payment of a bill that Judge Cahill held against the state. Admitting that Mr. Warner did not allow the bill, although it was afterward authorized to be paid by the courts, how does he explain Judge Cahill's attitude on the direct nominations question long before Mr. Warner was nominated for governor, or felt certain he would be nominated? Judge Cahill came out in advance of the republican convention in favor of a direct nominations law, and it was wondered after the convention by Michigan republicans what the judge would do, whether he would swallow

the makeshift measure as advocated by the men of his party who nominated Warner, or still cling to his first declaration for a broad primary reform law. Judge Cahill answered this conundrum by coming squarely out in favor of the candidate who espouses the direct nominations issue. This is thoroughly consistent and rebukes Mr. Warner, who is endeavoring to throw dust into the eyes of the independent voters of the state. Judge Cahill was on record on direct nominations weeks before Mr. Warner was nominated.—*Bay City Times*.

All about Beets.

As evidence that the Michigan sugar beet industry is no longer an experiment it may be stated that recently five tons of sugar beet reports arrived from Washington in Congressman Loud's district. One mail a few days ago brought in 50 sacks—7,500 reports, all about beets. Postmasters and carriers on the rural routes are delighted. There was a time when, owing to late frosts last spring in the beet region it was feared the reports would fall off, but the cars were tight and not a sack went overboard.—*Detroit Tribune*.

Grand Excursion to Alpena.

Via D. & M. Ry. Sunday Oct. 2. Excursion train leaves Tawas City at 9:15 a. m. round trip rate \$1.00. Proportionate rates from other stations. Children between 5 and 12 half fare. Tickets good only on excursion train. For additional information see hand bills and D. & M. agents.

Fearful Odds Against Him.

Bedridden, alone and destitute. Such, in brief was the condition of an old soldier by name of J. J. Havens, Versailles, O. For years he was troubled with kidney disease and neither doctors nor medicines gave him relief. At length he tried Electric Bitters. It put him on his feet in short order and now he testifies. "I'm on the road to complete recovery." Best on earth for liver and kidney troubles and all forms of stomach and bowel complaints. Only 50c. Guaranteed by G. S. Darling and J. E. Dillon, druggists.

D. & M. WORLD'S FAIR RATES.

From Tawas City: Season tickets sold daily, limited to Dec. 15, \$25.20; 60 day limit sold daily, \$21.00; 15 day limit sold daily, \$17.75; 7 day limit sold Tuesdays and Thursdays, May 17 to June 30, inclusive, \$13.30. Proportionate rates from other stations. D. & M. agents have lists of St. Louis hotels and boarding houses. St. Louis Exposition is over four times greater than the Pan-American and twice as large as Chicago Fair. See D. & M. agents for further particulars.

Excursion to Ohio and Indiana Detroit, Toledo and Bay City

Via D. & M. Ry. Wednesday Oct. 5th. Special through train to Detroit leaves Tawas City at 9:35 a. m. Round trip fare to Bay City \$2.00, to Detroit and Toledo \$4.00. Rate to Ohio and Indiana is one fare (half rate) from Detroit or Toledo to destination added to above rates to Detroit or Toledo. Children half fare. Bay City, Detroit and Toledo tickets good for 10 days; Ohio and Indiana tickets 30 days. See hand bills and D. & M. agents. If possible be sure and buy tickets and check baggage before day of excursion. Special rates from all stations.

Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting of the common council of Tawas City held in the council rooms Tuesday evening Sept. 20th, 1904. Meeting called to order by mayor.

Present: Mayor Hartingh, Aldermen, Hartingh, Hadwin, Garber, Stahmer, Schlechte and Clerk King. Quorum present.

Minutes of meeting of Sept. 6th, 1904 read and approved.

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

Mrs. O'Dell, salary	\$ 5 00
A. A. Ellsworth, work at library	2 00
John Armstrong, furniture for library	6 40
C. H. Prescott & Sons, cement, sup'l etc.	182 80
Tom Davison, labor on street with team	21 00
John Erabon, labor on street with team	24 40
Chas. Harris, labor on streets with team	24 50
Zene Shaw, labor on streets with team	7 00
E. Wolk, labor on str' and fire tank 8 1/2 da	12 75
Frank Howie, labor on street 7 da 4 hrs	11 10
Frank King, labor on street 8 1/2 da	12 75
John Phelps, labor on fire tank 1 da	1 50
Gari Kroger, labor on street 1 1/2 da	2 25
Mike Sasse, grubbing out tree	1 25
Charles Dixon, salary from Sept. 6 to date	14 00
	\$127 50

Moved by Garber and supported by Hartingh the bills be allowed and orders drawn for same. Carried all voting yea.

Moved and supported that the following persons having neglected to build sidewalk after due notice, that the marshal proceed and build same, and the expense thereof be spread upon the tax roll for 1904 as a tax upon the respective property herein described, if not paid by the respective owner:

Wm. Ramage lot 1 block 2 J. W. King addition to city of Tawas City.
John Houston # 1/2 lot 10 block 21 Tawas City.
Margaret Murphy lot 5 block 25 Tawas City.
Thomas Moore lot 2 block 10 Tawas City.
Carried all voting yea.
On motion council then adjourned.
JOHN B. KING, City Clerk.

FROST

HAS BEEN HERE AND

WINTER WILL SOON ARRIVE.

Your choice plants will need taking care of soon.

We have anticipated your wants and have a fine line of

JARDINIERS

All Styles and sizes

FLOWER POT'S

All sizes both painted and plain

G. H. Prescott & Sons

Tawas City, Michigan

The Secret of Saving really isn't a secret at all. If the buyer goes to the RIGHT STORE the saving will result without effort. An investigation convinces.

By trading at

The Corner Store

You can save in the following lines:

Groceries, Fruit, Candies,
Feed, Flour, Grain,
Shelf Hardware,

and

All kinds of Repairing.

Give us a call before buying elsewhere and be convinced that you can save money by buying at the RIGHT STORE.

Stickney & Robinson,

PHONE 57,

Tawas City, Michigan.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Fair next week.
 Fire insurance. F. F. French.
 The duck season opens tomorrow.
 Mrs. Luke Murray spent Tuesday at Omer.
 For furniture at right prices see Armstrong.
 See the baloon go up at the fair next week.
 S. Brabon was at Saginaw on business Monday.
 Emery Doane, of Prescott, was in the city Tuesday.
 J. M. Wuggazer has installed a new National cash register.
 Thos. J. Armstrong was at Hale Lake on business Monday.
 Only the latest styles sold at LaBerge's popular shoe store.
 F. F. French went to Detroit Wednesday to purchase new goods.
 A number of second hand bicycles from \$7.50 to \$10.00. at Mount's.

High class fire insurance.
 HENRY HANSON, East Tawas.
 Mrs. A. Sehill returned last Sunday from a visit with friends at Duluth.
 You can get blue print and self-toning paper at Emery's Photo gallery.
 The 11th Michigan cavalry will hold its annual reunion at Adrain, Oct. 5.
 Our duck hunters are busy today getting their guns greased for tomorrow.
 Regular mail service will be established to Cheboygan over the D. & M., Oct. 10.
 The East Tawas fire department will hold their annual dance Thursday evening, Oct. 6.
 Dr. W. E. Kay and Editor Hammond, of Turner, were in the city on business Tuesday.

The annual meeting of the board of supervisors, will occur one week from next Monday, Oct. 10.
Lost, three weeks ago, a telescope filled with ladies clothes. Return to Capt. Wilson and receive reward.
 The celebrated Harrison wagon, the best made. For sale by.
 W. F. WHITTEMORE & CO.
 Mrs. Margaret Foley has the thanks of the editor's family for a peck of delicious autumn strawberry apples.

For Sale—A comfortable little house, with three lots and a barn, can be had at a bargain. Enquire at this office.
 Arrangements have been completed for a baloon ascension on each day of the fair—next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.
 Miss Alice King was called home from Bay City last Saturday, by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Geo. King, of East Tawas.
 \$3.95 buys a mantle clock here that is positively worth \$6. Call and see it and be convinced.
 G. T. WOOD, Jeweler.

Ledger St. John, of Turner, was instantly killed by the midnight train north Saturday night while asleep on the track. He was well known throughout Arenac county.
 Fat people sometimes reduce their flesh by going without their regular meals. In like manner the man who has too much business can reduce it by stopping his advertising.
For Sale—I have a few very large well bred Oxford Down buck lambs, that I will sell at reasonable prices.
 THOMAS RUCKLE,
 Whittemore, Mich.

Dr. W. C. Gibson has leased the rooms over the store room recently vacated by F. W. Marzinski, and is now nicely located with his office. The doctor is receiving a very liberal patronage.
FARM FOR SALE—120 acres, 65 under cultivation, good house; two large barns, and 60 bearing fruit trees. Situated four miles from town. Can be had at a bargain. Enquire of L. J. Patterson.

Secretary Drake has received the invoice of 1000 beautiful sea shells which will be on exhibition at the fair next week. These shells will also be offered for sale, the prices ranging from 5 to 70 cents each.
 "On the Wings of Morning," probably the most thrilling story ever written, will begin in the Detroit Daily Journal on Tuesday, Oct. 4th. It involves a shipwreck in the South Seas; a wonderful island, a man and a charming maid.
 New line of up-to-date fobs for ladies and gents just received. I have the largest stock at the lowest prices.
 G. T. WOOD, Jeweler.

For Sale—A span of black horses, 6 years old, weight 2300, or will trade for a pair of heavy brood mares.
 JAMES LEONARD,
 Tawas City.
 Sea shells and curios make acceptable, enduring and highly prized holiday gifts, and they are within reach of anybody's pocket book. They will be on sale at the fair next week. Be sure and see them.

An article of extraordinary interest appears in the October Woman's Home Companion. It is a description of the perfect submarine boat, a marvelous American invention recently tested by the United States government, and which promises to revolutionize war. The article is by the naval expert. Morgan Robertson.
 George Crossier, a woodsman about 30 years of age, employed in McBain's camp, was killed by the excursion train on the D. & M. road about three and one-half miles south of Aloha station late last Sunday night. Crossier left Cheboygan under the influence of liquor and it is thought he went to sleep on the track.

Next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday occurs the 30th annual fair of the Iosco county agricultural society. Every person in the county should have sufficient interest to attend and help to make this a successful occasion. The officers are making a special effort to furnish plenty of attractions and their efforts should be appreciated.

For Sale—120 acres of good farming land, in Sec. 25, Grant township, 17 acres under cultivation. Nice stream of water the year round. Address Frank Black, East Tawas, Mich.
 At a mass convention held by the Arenac county socialists at the town hall at Saginaw, the following county ticket was nominated: For probate judge, Louis LaBerge; sheriff, Jos. Harhney; clerk, Chas. McCrory; treasurer, John C. Lentz; prosecuting attorney, Joseph Rashott; register of deeds, Isaac Molineaux; circuit court commissioner, Fred Sholtz; coroner, Louis Gendrau; surveyor, Joseph Chantney.

The fast night passenger train on the M. C. was wrecked Monday morning, near Linwood, by running into some cattle. The engine, baggage, mail, and three coaches were derailed. The engineer, Thomas Rae, of West Bay City, was seriously injured, and the fireman Horace Shaw, and mail clerk Ed Miller quite badly injured. The passengers were badly shaken up, but escaped injuries. Engineer Rae died Tuesday as the result of his injuries.

A new silk has come into being. Report does not say where it comes from but a contributor to the Philadelphia Record describes it as looking "like a beautiful southern sea swimmering in the sunshine, like a distant iceberg dreamily glowing in the north Atlantic ocean, like a dazzling snow-capped Alpine mountain or like anything shimmeringly beautiful." A silk of this kind in the modest tritoma shades ought to be stunning enough for the fondest demands of progressive womanhood.

For Sale—Two yearling Hampshire buck sheep also one new mile cow, four years old. Call at my farm on Hemlock Road or address
 REUBEN WADE, Tawas City.

Homeseekers Coming to Michigan.

It is something of a novelty to see "home-seekers" excursions run to Michigan, yet this is what is now being done by the Michigan Passenger association. Passenger Agent Winnett, of the D. & M., has just issued the following circular:
 The Michigan Passenger Association has arranged with practically all lines in Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Pennsylvania in the territory lying between Buffalo, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Louisville and Chicago to run home-seekers' excursions on September 20, October 4 and 18, and November 1, 15 and 29, 1904, to the following points in Michigan: AuSable, Beaverton, Branch, Brethern, Cadillac, Kaleva, Gladwin, Manistee and Merritt; tickets limited to fifteen days for date of sale.

Passengers going on the Detroit & Mackinac Ry.'s Annual Fall excursion to points in Ohio and Indiana, Wednesday, Oct. 5, are requested to inform their friends and relatives in those states that these home-seekers' rates will enable them to personally investigate Michigan's great resources and to purchase better homes and farms at a lower figure than can be found in any other section of the country. Communications addressed to T. G. Winnett, General Freight & Passenger Agent, will receive prompt attention from the Colonization Bureau of Michigan Railroads.

Northern Michigan at the State Fair.

"When Valmond came to Paris" is the title of one of Gilbert Parker's most sprightly tales. Another interesting little story is entitled "When Northern Michigan came to Pontiac." One feature at the state fair which which seems to have impressed all careful observers was the demonstration it was possible to make as to the agricultural capabilities of the portions of Michigan north of those lower tiers of counties which, according to the usual descriptions of the physical characteristics of the state constitute the chief reliance of Michigan from the farming standpoint.

Iosco was awarded the prize as the banner county among the northern subdivisions of the state, but there were many other counties whose exhibits were but slightly inferior to Iosco's while the samples sent down to show what the upper peninsula can do in the agricultural line astonished those who have not been in touch with the recent development of that section.

One of the remarkable migration movements in the history of the state but one concerning which little has been said, is that which has been going on during the past five years; in fact, almost ever since the end of the hard times in the lower part of the past decade. While the general movement to the cities and towns which has characterized former years has continued, there has also been a general movement to farming lands, especially in the region north of a line drawn from Saginaw to Muskegon.

This migration movement hasn't proceeded in masses, but has been made up of a steady stream of single families or small groups of families. Some few of them are foreigners but the greater portion of them have been composed of persons from the lower tier of counties, from Ohio and Indiana and from eastern states. They are persons who, being tenant farmers in the older settled sections, have desired to own farms of their own in a place where conditions were more favorable to their acquisition, or who, owning small farms where land is dear, desired to own larger ones where land is still comparatively cheap.

The result has been many changes and improvements in townships and even in whole counties in the upper portion of the lower peninsula. There has been a demand even for land which, because of its inconvenient distance from a railroad or other disadvantage of location, might be thought to be undesirable, and so brisk has been the market in some places that instances are related of farms formerly untenanted and unsaleable being sold two or three times within the past two or three years, each time at a profit to the successive holders.

These lands may not be as rich as the lands of the lower tier of counties were when first broken up, but they are a great deal richer now than the half worn out farms of the longer settled districts of whose unscientific cultivation the steady diminution in the wheat crop from 30 and 40 to 10 and 12 bushels to the acre and a similar diminution in other crops are an indication. Any way the experiments which many thousands of families have made have proved a success and they have increased in prosperity by reason of their move and added to the prosperity and sightliness of the communities with which they have identified themselves.

What has been going on in the lower peninsula has also been proceeding on a somewhat similar scale in the upper peninsula. One of the great landgrant holding companies has sold many thousands of acres in that section within the last four or five years, no inconsiderable amount of it in small tracts, and farm houses are beginning to dot many localities of this still more northerly region, formerly regarded as most inhospitable to agriculture.

This movement to the farming lands of Michigan has proceeded with little artificial encouragement, under the impetus of natural causes, but could be greatly stimulated with proper effort. Such showing as that made at the state fair with the attendant publicity which it received are among the things that contribute to this stimulation.

This isn't the first time Valmond has come to Pontiac, that is it isn't the first time that northern Michigan has made a demonstration of its agricultural possibilities at a state fair, but this latest is one of the most impressive of all the showings and, taken in connection with the prior showings, must be said to serve a most useful purpose.—Detroit Journal.



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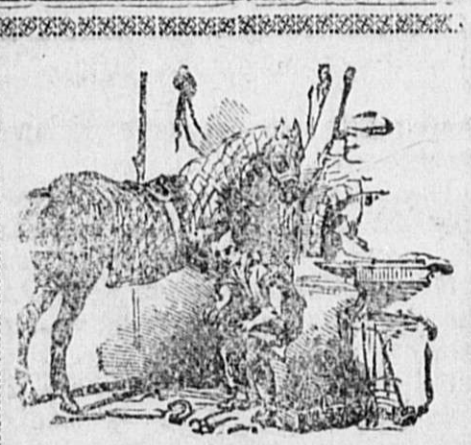
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