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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Sunday is Easter. This is good Friday. Ariel Quartet tonight. Fire insurance. F. F. French. The newest styles in wall paper at E. L. King's. High class fire insurance. Henry Hanson, East Tawas. C. A. Jahraus has been in Bay City on business this week. Secretary of State Prescott was at Lansing a portion of this week. Spalding official base ball guide for 1906 now on sale at Hanson's bazaar. Homer Eggleston, of Saginaw, called on friends at East Tawas this week. Mr. and Mrs. John Feidler are the parents of a fine son born last Saturday. A new line of fine note paper and envelopes to match, at Hanson's Bazaar. Special Easter services will be held at the M. E. church next Sunday evening. Harry LaBerge will arrive home from the U. of M., tonight, for the Easter vacation. Mr. and Mrs. R. Munroe visited relatives and friends at Alpena a few days this week. L. H. Braddock has commenced the work of building his new residence on Lake street. Hon. William McKay, of Caro, was the guest of his sons Lloyd and Don a couple of days this week. Thomas E. Garber came up from Bay City last Saturday and remained over Sunday with his family. Eugene Hanson went to Alpena Monday where he will resume his position at the Middle Island L. S. S. Do not forget the masquerade ball at the East Tawas opera house next Monday evening. You are invited whether masked or not. C. V. Hicks. Domestic Machines.

See our new line of fine stationery at Hanson's Bazaar. A. S. Larabee was in the city on business yesterday. The finest line of new spring wall papers ever exhibited at E. L. King's. Tom Dean left Wednesday to resume his position at the Sturgeon Point L. S. S. Rev. C. W. Hastings attended the meeting of the Saginaw Presbytery at Saginaw this week. A full line of base balls, gloves, mitts, masks and bats—Spalding's goods—at Hanson's Bazaar. Albert Maller, of Petoskey, was the guest of relatives and friends in this city a few days during the past week. Thomas Borland came up from Linwood Park, last Saturday and spent Sunday at his home in East Tawas. The arrival of a new boy is reported at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard VanPatten, of Hancock, on the 2nd inst. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nisbet have been at Saginaw this week where they attended a meeting of the Saginaw Presbytery. Ed McDonald left Monday for St. Clair Flats, where he has accepted a position on the government works the coming season. For Sale:—Two Plano binders, one new, the other nearly so, cheap for cash, or on easy terms. Benj. Sawyer, Tawas City. Dr. and Mrs. G. S. Darling arrived home last Saturday evening from a five weeks sojourn in the sunny south. They report a most enjoyable time. Special Easter services will be held at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning, also in Sunday school. A collection will be taken for foreign missions. C. V. Hicks Pianos, and Organs.

Our correspondents will please remember that their letters should reach this office not later than Wednesday of each week.

We are agents for Spalding athletic and base ball goods in the Tawas. Call and see our line. Prices are the same as in Chicago. Hanson's Bazaar.

Miss Ezoa Smith, who is a teacher in the schools at Detroit, has been spending the Easter vacation at her home in this city. She will return tomorrow.

Do you need a pair of fine shoes, a nobby hat or tie to complete your Easter outfit? If so, get it from the finest line in the Tawas, at James LaBerge's.

For Sale:—A 10 acre farm in Baldwin. Good buildings, good orchard, good land. \$300 takes it. Address M. V. Saunders, Glennie, P. O., Mich.

Masquerade dance at the hotel, in Alabaster, April 19. Costumes for ladies and gentlemen will be rented for the occasion. Everybody is cordially invited.

James M. Walker has been appointed, by Gov. Warner, as the Iosco county member of the state board of corrections and charities to succeed W. F. Bisbee, of AuSable.

J. C. Barber says that the boys who stole a quantity of dynamite caps from the old stove mill may find them a painful plaything if they lose an eye or hand as the result.

Roual LaBerge came down from Cheboygan and spent last Sunday. Mrs. LaBerge, who has been visiting at East Tawas for the past four weeks, returned with him Monday.

Card of Thanks:—To the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our mother, we desire to express our sincere gratitude.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. GRAHAM. The remains of Miss Hallie Wilcox who died at Hillman, Montmorency Co passed through here last Saturday to Mayville, where the funeral was held. The many friends of this young lady will learn of her death with deep regret.

The last field of ice disappeared from the bay Saturday night, and our local fishermen have been busy this week getting their nets set. They hope for a better season this year than they had last.

The Easter dance and supper by Wilber Tent No. 855, will be given at their hall in that township, next Wednesday evening, April 18. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend and have a good time. Music by Murph's string band.

Reno Gaul, who is employed in the R. R. shops at Paducah, Ky., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Gaul, and many friends in this city. That part of the country seems to agree with Reno, as he is now in the heavy weight class, weighing 211.

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M. V. Saunders and family, of Baldwin, are moving to Glennie, Alcona county, where he will engage in the hotel business. Mr. Saunders will make a specialty of caring for hunters and fishermen who may want to enjoy the excellent sport of this kind in that vicinity.

Next Monday and Tuesday F. F. French & Co., will remove their stock to the store room in the bank block, East Tawas. The room has been remodeled and will give the firm one of the very finest stores in the Tawas, which with their excellent line of goods will make their place of business more attractive than ever.

Some of our patrons seem to have the idea that the advance in the price of the Herald was only a bluff to have our subscribers pay up. Such is not the case, the price of the Herald is now \$1.50 per year, and if you neglected to take advantage of the chance to extend your subscription or pay what you were in arrears at \$1.00 per year it was not our fault. C. V. Hicks, Alpena music store.

An Easter sermon will be preached at the Baptist church next Sunday morning, and there will be special music and decorations. Owing to the weather conditions the subject announced last week for Sunday evening was not given, but it is expected that next Sunday evening "The Beginning of Life, or the Open Gate" will be presented. A choir is being organized and the singing will be made a special feature of the service. A cordial invitation is extended to all to worship here.

Dan McDonald, of the Townline, is anxious to learn the whereabouts of his son John, who left home on the morning of March 27, and of whom nothing has since been heard. The young man was 21 years of age, about 5 feet 10 inches in height, weighing about 150 pounds, dark hair and smooth face. He was dressed in a striped smock jacket, with belt, overalls, socks and rubbers, and dark cap. He was of a very quiet, retiring disposition. Any information as to his whereabouts will be thankfully received by his anxious parents. Neighboring papers will please copy.

According to reports from Alpena and Rogers City, it is said that the Steel Trust has secured options on vast deposits of lime stone in Presque Isle County, around Black Lake. There seems to be a veritable boom in lime stone deposits. The object of the Steel Trust in wanting lime stone is supposed to be the fact that it is establishing steel works at the south end of Lake Michigan to cost \$12,000,000, and lime is a necessity in smelting iron ores. A plant of that size would require vast amounts of stone in the years to come and the Trust always goes ahead and makes sure of its supplies as far ahead as possible.

Improved farms for sale; some to rent or lease on shares. John W. Curtis, Whittemore.

Maccabee County Camp.

The Iosco County Camp Knights of Modern Maccabees met in this city last Tuesday for the purpose of perfecting an organization and electing delegates to the Great Camp review next June. Besides the camps of this county those in Alcona and Oscoda county are also included in this organization. In this territory there are 16 tents with an endowment membership of 927. Of this membership 657 are in this county, 228 in Alcona and 22 in Oscoda county.

The organization was completed by the election of John A. Mark, of this city commander, and John W. Tait, of East Tawas, record keeper. Three delegates were elected to the Great Camp review as follows: John A. Mark, of this city, W. L. M. Blakelee of AuSable, and D. C. Magahay, of Lincoln.

School Patrons and Teachers.

Our County Teachers' Association convenes at AuSable Friday evening and Saturday, April 20th and 21st. Supt. of Public Instruction Patrick Kelly, will lecture Friday evening.

Every teacher in Iosco county who has the interest of his or her school at heart will attend this meeting unless prevented by sickness. The object of these meetings is to promote educational progress in Iosco county. Every country teacher should be allowed to dismiss school early enough to attend.

School boards and patrons are especially invited to attend. Let us come together and discuss those matters that tend to morally, physically and educationally uplift us.

Very respectfully, J. A. Campbell, Com.

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A tale of horror was told by marks of human blood in the home of J. W. Williams, a well known merchant of Bac, Ky. He writes: "Twenty years ago I had severe hemorrhages of the lungs, and was near death when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery. It completely cured me and I have remained well ever since." It cures hemorrhages, chronic coughs, settled colds and bronchitis, and is the only known cure for weak lungs. Every bottle guaranteed by G. S. Darling, and J. M. Wuggazer & Co. druggists. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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When, on February, we decided to advance the price of the Herald from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per year, we had many doubts as to how our readers would receive the announcement, and expected to lose a large number of our subscribers, but we have been most pleasantly surprised. The larger portion of them took advantage of our offer to extend their subscriptions and paid up before April 1. Of the 956 bona fide subscribers on our list February 1, just 41 have ordered their paper discontinued. To offset this 32 new subscribers were added, making a net loss of only 9. We are again shown that our readers appreciate our efforts to give them the best paper in Iosco county, and are willing to aid us in making it better. We wish to extend to them our thanks and to assure them that our effort will be to improve the paper, to make it worth more than the 50 cents additional cost to each and everyone of them. We now have under way extensive improvements which cannot fail to be appreciated by our readers.

Spring is coming! So is the woman with a towel around her head, a broom in her hand and a mania for pulling down stove pipes, tearing up carpets, and poking furniture through windows. Yes, spring is coming. So is house-cleaning and other woes.

Boys, I never heard a man say that he had too much education; but I've heard many a man declare that he had seen times when he could have used more education to advantage, or when his progress was stopped or seriously retarded by lack of education. Can't you take a hint or must you wait to be kicked?—*Moderator Topics.*

An Honest Ballot vs. Political Servility.

Anent the claim of the machine and the machine bossed newspapers that the democrats can vote at republican primaries and control the majority party's nominations, it is only necessary to say that the assertion is mendacious as the real purpose of the framers of the present law was dishonest. No honest democrat and no honest republican has any wish to vote in the caucus of an opposite party for an insincere motive. That democrats have voted in republican primaries and that republicans have voted in democratic primaries is likely; but no democratic ever voted in a republican primary unless he was solicited to do so by a republican henchman for the purpose of beating out another member of his own party. It is entirely within the power of the men in charge of the primary under an honestly framed law to stop such practice and that too without resort to a scheme which practically destroys the secrecy of the ballot. For many decades the progressive people of this country who favored pure elections worked for the proposition of the untrammelled ballot, and the Australian voting system was perfected. At one blow the Michigan legislature has sought to nullify much that is good in that law by compelling voters to file a statement of their political affiliations in the county court house and the state house also—a hardship upon the laboring man who may be in the employ of a political bigot who carries his politics into his business, and an insult to the vast majority of citizens who object to being tagged in the interest of any party whatever. This simple argument we believe appeals to every man not dominated by trickery in politics.

But if this argument in behalf of the secrecy of the ballot does not appeal to the honestly inclined citizen, what does he think of the law that provides seven specific days upon which, or by which, some specific political action must be taken previous to the day of election? If he is a man who believes in simplicity of elections he will denounce it; if he be-

lieves in the machinery of politics and in making a business of politics he will uphold it.

But the law is on the statute books and must be obeyed or the penalties of primary disenfranchisement must be suffered. The democratic organization has recommended its observance and The News trusts that everywhere an effort will be made to comply with its complex requirements. We have advocated enrollment and advocate still further compliance with the act, but The News or the democratic organization or independent thinking citizens are not prevented from denouncing the measure as one dishonestly conceived and ridiculous in fulfillment. It isn't strange, when Governor Warner said that he would sign "any kind of an old primary bill," that he got the political fake under which we are now operating.—*Saginaw News.*

Late Sown Wheat Injured.

Lansing, April 9.—The Michigan crop report issued by the secretary of state today says that the condition of wheat on April 1, was 75 per cent of the average. Many correspondents report late sown wheat badly damaged by freezing and thawing, and predict that a large amount of the acreage will be plowed up.

While early sown wheat tops have a brown appearance, correspondents are quite generally of the opinion that the roots are alive and that favorable weather will improve its condition.

In answer to the question: "Has wheat suffered injury from any cause?" 305 correspondents in the southern counties answer yes, and 61 no. In the central counties 81 answer yes and 28 no, and in the northern counties 28 answer yes and 29 no.

The secretary estimates the total amount of wheat remaining in the farmers' hands at 3,000,000 bushels.

The average condition of rye in the state is 82 per cent, of meadows 82 and of live stock 96. Reports concerning the fruit prospects are quite favorable, with the exception of peaches. The figures are: Apples, 82 per cent; pears, 76; peaches, 57, plums, 69; cherries, 78; small fruits, 81.

In answer to the question, "Are peach orchards being sprayed for curl leaf?" a large portion of the correspondents answer no.

Must Carry Signals.

It will be of interest to owners of gasoline, naphtha, steam or motor launches in this district to know that custom officials are preparing to strictly enforce marine regulations affecting such boats. Gad Smith, collector of the district of Superior, is authority for the statement that there will be no exceptions made regarding the enforcement of the law after the opening of navigation season and that all owners must comply or be subjected to a heavy fine.

Last season when the regulations were issued governing small craft, custom officers everywhere decided that being such a radical departure from the law heretofore governing these boats, owners should be allowed time in which to prepare to make the necessary changes," said Mr Smith. The law was enforced as far as possible last year, but there were no prosecutions where the cases possessed merit. However ignorance of the law will be no defence this season, as owners have had a full year in which to prepare for changed conditions, and the law will be enforced literally." The following are rules governing all classes of small boats.

"All vessels propelled by gas fluid, naphtha, or electric motor provided with signal lights when navigating between sunset and sunrise. The kind of lights that may be used are mentioned in the pilot's rules. A fog bell of not less than eight inches in diameter must be carried on all vessels propelled by machinery. A whistle must also be provided on such vessels and must be of such character as to be heard in ordinary weather at a distance of at least two miles. The fine for violation of any of the provisions of the act of congress prescribing rules to prevent collisions of vessels on the great lakes is \$200. The vessel may be liable for said penalty and may be seized and proceeded against by any official in the district court of the United States for any district."

Devil's Island Torture.

is no worse than the terrible case of piles that afflicted me 10 years. Then I was advised to apply Bucklen's Acania Salve, and less than a box permanently cured me, writes L. S. Napier, of Rugles, Ky. Heals all wounds, burns and sores like maggie. 25c at G. S. Darling's and J. M. Wuggazer & Co. druggists.

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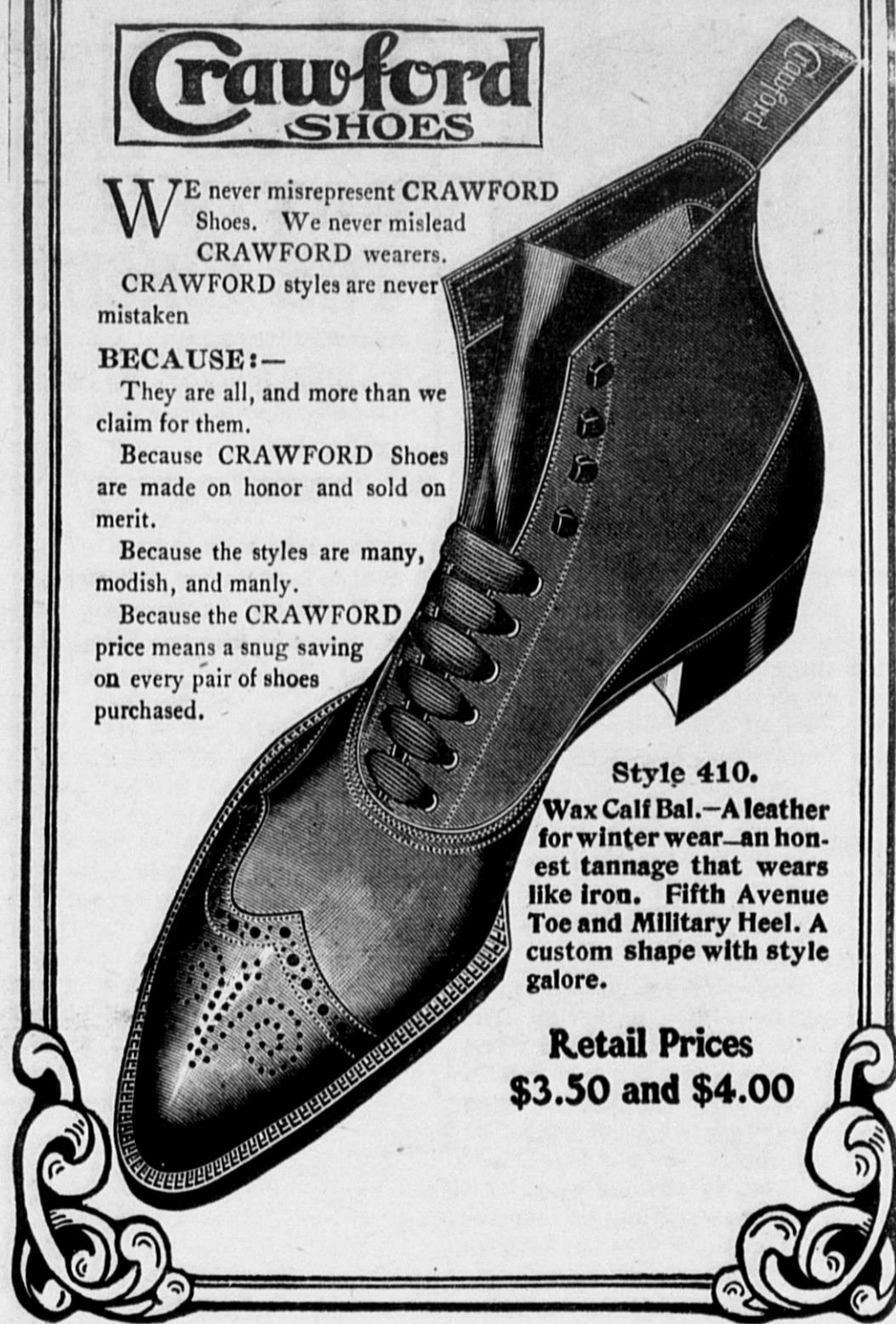
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Do not fail to hear the Ariel Quartet of Boston, at the court house tonight.

West Branch voted a big majority to bond for water works, at the recent election.

For Sale:—A forty acre farm at Hale. For particulars address C. D. Geer, Hale Mich.

Iosco County voted in favor of a revision of the state constitution by a majority of 251.

A masquerade ball will be given at the hotel in Alabaster next Thursday evening, April 19.

The next meeting of the Iosco County Teachers' Association will be held at AuSable on the 21st inst.

Martha Washington glassware, "the newest thing out" in glass, will soon be on sale at Hanson's Bazaar.

Dr. D. C. Howell was defeated for mayor of the city of Onaway at the recent election by the narrow margin of three votes.

For Sale:—A set of new computing meat scales. Will be sold at a bargain if taken at once. Enquire at the Herald office.

The Herald desires to secure a good, live correspondent from every neighborhood in Iosco county. Write us for particulars.

If you need first-class plumbing, tin or sheet iron work see A. J. Merschel, of East Tawas. He also carries a full and complete line of hardware. Prices always right.

Girls Wanted.—Between the ages of 16 and 30, to work in the silk factories. Clean, light work; good wages; steady employment. For particulars address, BELDING BROS. & CO. Belding Mich.

The D. & M. Ry. has just issued a handsome new booklet on Tawas Beach. It is beautifully illustrated with fine half-tones showing many pretty views on and around the bay, and of the cottages at the beach.

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The state board of equalization will meet this year to equalize state valuation. This is a function that is discharged every five years and upon the result depends the proportion of state taxes each county shall pay.

Wanted:—Travelling salesman. Must furnish references and invest \$1,000.00 in first class 6 per cent bonds. Salary and expense paid. Experience not required, we teach business at our mills. The Wheeling Roofing & Cornice Company, Wheeling, W. Va.

A spreading rail caused the D. & M. south-bound through freight to jump the track at Alcona, at midnight last Friday night. Eleven flat and coal cars were derailed, and the track badly torn up, but the crew escaped unhurt. All trains were delayed several hours.

During the year of 1905 the Modern Woodmen of America made the greatest net gain of any fraternal insurance order in the world, it being 55,507. Careful and economical administration of its affairs, and reasonable and safe assessments makes this the most popular insurance order in existence today.

A Great Success.

One of the most enjoyable entertainments ever given in this city by local talent was, "Aunt Dinah's Quilting Party" at the court house last Friday evening. This comedy is crowded from beginning to end with solid fun, while the plot is just strong enough to give coloring and unity to the whole performance. The specialties introduced were so well done that they would have been a credit to professionals. Mr. H. C. Pease as "Freddie" was particularly strong as the mischievous boy, and kept things moving. The "Hindu Song" by little Misses Jahraus and Lighthouse was a delightful surprise and elicited a deserved encore. Miss Murphy as "Merandy Spriggins," the old maid, was so well done that it left no room for improvement and was certainly one of the most laughable features of the play. Indeed it is a mistake to make special mention of any individual work as the different parts were well taken, and Miss Walker's fine presentation of "Aunt Dinah" had strong support from every member of the company. Great credit is due Mr. Pease, who we understand had the management of the production. We are informed that in response to a special request it will be repeated at East Tawas in the near future.

State Fair's New Buildings.

That the exhibitors of cattle, sheep swine and other exhibits of the State Fair will be housed in buildings this year, instead of under tents as was necessary last year, will be welcomed by every stock owner in the state.

The society has commenced the erection of five cattle, two sheep and two swine barns, each one to be 28 feet by 250 feet. One dairy, one agricultural and one poultry building, each 40 feet by 150 feet. One horticultural building, 70 feet by 150 feet. One band stand, 32 feet by 36 feet and two stables for speed horses each 40 feet by 160 feet. The plans for each of these buildings calls for them to be perfectly sanitary and of the latest style of architecture. The contracts also require the work to be completed at least one month before the fair, August 30th September 7th thus insuring comfortable quarters for every exhibit.

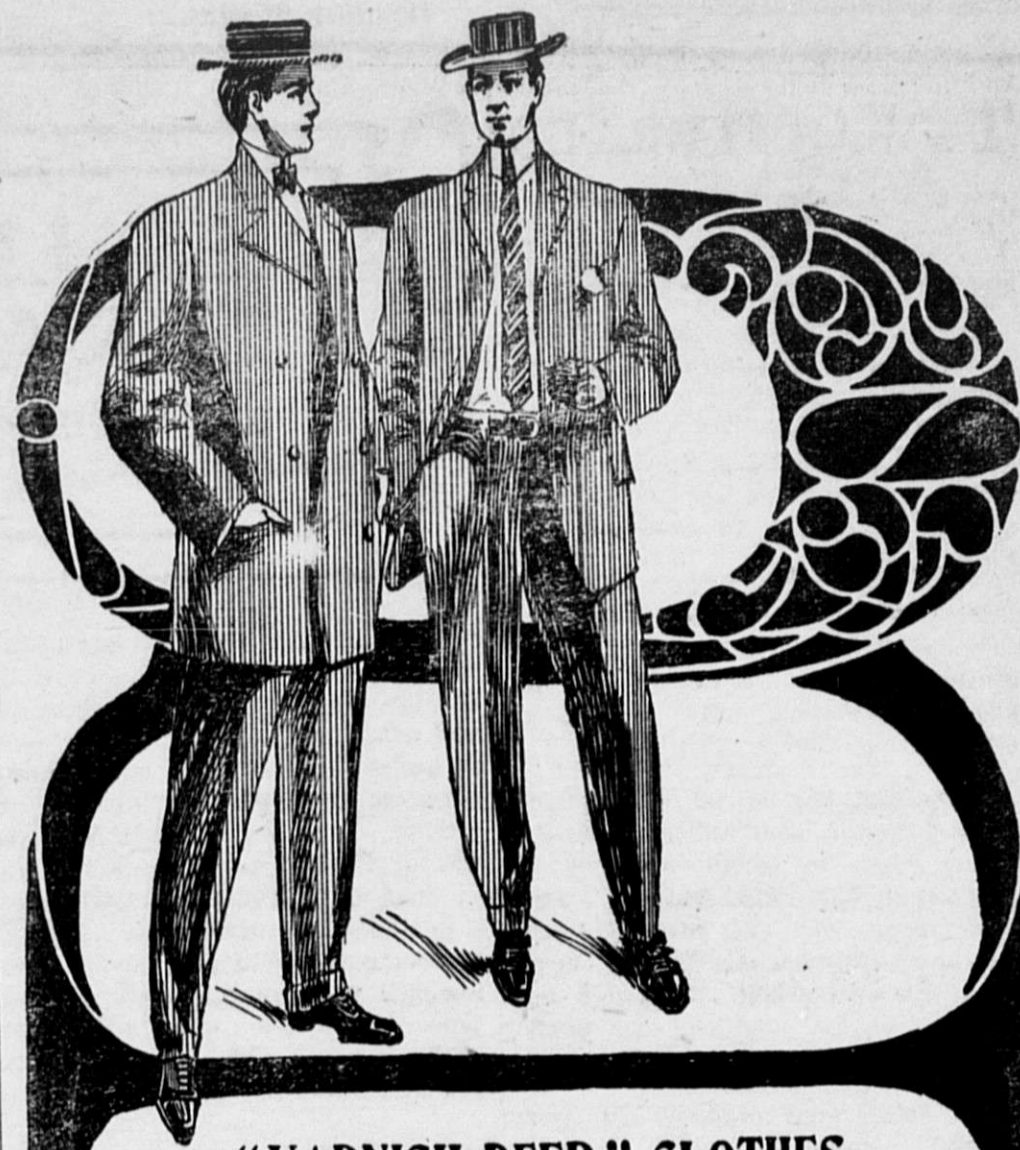
Program for May Festival at the University.

The thirteenth annual May Festival at the University of Michigan will be held from Thursday, May 10, to Saturday, May 12. As usual there will be five concerts. The choral works will be Dvorak's "Stabat Mater" and Verdi's "Aida." The latter opera was given at the May Festival of 1903. In addition to these works, another number of unusual interest is Professor Stanley's setting of the Twenty-first Psalm, for tenor solo, chorus, and orchestra.

All of the chorus parts will be sung by the Choral Union, an organization of three hundred voices. The late Professor Paul R. de Pont of the University faculty was for many years its president.

The orchestral work will be done by the Theodore Thomas Orchestra of Chicago, whose director, Frederick A. Stock, will assist Professor Stanley in conducting programs of some of the concerts.

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