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NEWS YOU WANT TO KNOW

Brief Items of the Week's Happenings Gleaned Here and There

Register Saturday.
Next Monday is election.
Rubbers at Nels Brabant's.
Are you clipping your coupons?
One week from Sunday is Easter.
C. V. Hicks Pianos and organs, Alpena.
Allie Bigelow spent last Sunday at Cheboygan.
Fire insurance. Henry Hanson, East Tawas.
Hosea Bigelow is visiting at Rose City this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Jacobs spent Sunday at Omer.
Don't forget the railroad farmers' institute next Tuesday.
Mrs. George Flintoff spent a few days this week at Bay City.
The board of registration will be in session tomorrow, Saturday.
C. V. Hicks Ludwig and Jensen Piano, Alpena. Write for prices.
Harlow Whittemore is home from Alma College for the spring vacation.
Baptist bazaar and bake sale April 9th and 10th. Don't forget about it.
Girl Wanted.—A good girl for general house work. Inquire of Mrs. H. S. Waterman, East Tawas.

Photo postals 75 cents per dozen at Brown's studio.
John Patterson returned from Flint yesterday.
Teachers' institute at East Tawas April 30 and May 1.
Rev. C. H. Prescott came up from Cleveland yesterday.
Nobby new hats, all the newest styles, at Nels Brabant's.
Miss Ethel Garber has been visiting at Bay City this week.
Miss Edith Redhead is visiting friends at Prescott this week.
Mrs. G. W. Gilroy visited her parents at Prescott this week.
Carl Taylor is home from the M. A. C. for the spring vacation.
Get our prices on furniture before you buy. John Armstrong.
Miss Gladys Nelson of East Tawas, is spending her vacation at Ithaca.
For farm insurance against fire and lightning inquire of F. E. French.
Carl Stahmer left Tuesday for La Port, Ind., on a prospecting tour.
New Eau paint is the best. For sale by A. J. Jerschel, East Tawas.
Get your confirmation photo at Brown's studio.

The plant of the Alpena Veneer Co. was destroyed by fire last Friday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kasischko spent last Sunday with friends at Cheboygan.
Miss Edyth Walker is home from her school work at Jackson for the spring vacation.
Stephen and Miss Margaret Nisbet are visiting relatives at Prescott this week.
C. A. Britt, of Sherman, was in the city Wednesday and made the Herald a pleasant call.
A little paint judiciously spread will make a big improvement in the appearance of our city.
Miss Thompson, of Twining, has been the guest of Mrs. A. Stealy, of East Tawas, this week.
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Funk and children went to Flint last Friday. Hosea returned Monday.
Miss Ruby Watson, of Port Huron, is the guest of Miss Maude McVicar, of East Tawas.
For sewing machines, needles and coils of all kinds see John Armstrong, Tawas City.
Nels Brabant has just received a nice line of new Easter ties. Call and see them. All the new novelties.
Don't forget our new wall paper—the finest in the country—ready for your inspection, at King's furniture store.
Mrs. Black has returned to her home at Maple Ridge, after a weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Nisbet.
Eleven deaths and 15 births were reported to the department of state from Iosco county for the month of February.
Myron Phelps has been in this vicinity during the past week in the interests of the Alpena Marble & Granite Co.
Watch E. L. King's furniture bargain window. Bargains each week. Sideboard \$9.75; upholstered rocker, \$2.00, and others.
Miss Alice Nesbitt, who is attending the Normal at Ypsilanti, is spending the spring vacation at her home in East Tawas.
Tawas City has a few young men who are past masters in the art of profanity. There should be a reformation in this line.
It is certainly a close race in the Herald's popular voting contest. If you have a favorite in the race get busy and help them now.
Lost:—Between the Tawas town hall and Tawas City, a black leather hand bag. The finder will please leave same at Herald office.
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Black returned Monday from a ten days visit at Lansing and Ionia. Albert enjoyed a sojourn of the grip while gone.
Wanted:—A girl for general house work, in a family of two, residing in Detroit. Address "M," in care of the Herald, Tawas City.
Mr. and Mrs. John Anschuetz and Miss Eva and Anthony Anschuetz, of East Tawas, spent a few days during the past week at Bay City.
Nels Brabant has taken the partition out of his store and repapered the interior making it one of the neatest places of business in the city.
Tawas township has two tickets in the field again this spring. The peoples' ticket is headed by George C. Anschuetz for supervisor. Chas. W. Force for clerk, John Kobs, jr., for treasurer and John McArdle for highway commissioner. W. E. Laidlaw for supervisor, Charles Curry for clerk and Joseph Blust for treasurer as candidates on the republican ticket.
Edward Graham, whose home is in Detroit, has been acting as porter at the Holland for a few weeks. Last Sunday he stole Landlord Aker's watch and disappeared, but was captured at Oscoda Monday evening, where he had pawned it for \$2.00. He was landed in jail here Tuesday morning and in the afternoon appeared before Justice Tai, of East Tawas, and pleaded guilty. He was fined \$32 and costs or 65 days at the Detroit house of correction. Sheriff Hadwin took him to Detroit this morning.

Harry Rollin went to Flint this week where he expects to find employment.
Brown, the photographer, is prepared to make you an artistic confirmation photo.
M. E. Valentine and son Carl have been visiting relatives in Lapeer county this week.
Wanted:—To rent an eight room house in Tawas City. Inquire of Mrs. Chas. Nelen.
The ladies' aid of the M. E. church will have a food sale at Robinson's store Saturday afternoon.
James S. Meistrup, well and favorably known here, died at Bay City Tuesday, aged 59 years.
Misses Elizabeth Jahraus and Margaret Johnson have been spending the week at Oxford.
George Prescott, who is attending school at Cleveland, came home yesterday for the spring vacation.
Mrs. James Roberts returned to her home at Greenbush last Saturday after several days visit with Mrs. John Preston.
Miss Mary Borland, of East Tawas, left Saturday for Detroit, where she has accepted a position as stenographer.
Brown's studio, Tawas City, is the place to get artistic photographic work done. He is making a speciality of confirmation photos.
Senator Foster has our thanks for a copy of the Michigan Legislative Handbook, a very convenient little reference volume in legislative matters.
Nels Brabant has added a full line of rubbers for men, women and children. They are the best made and it will pay you to invest in a pair.
Mrs. G. A. Bissette, of East Tawas, announces that she will begin taking orders for the Star Knitting Co.'s goods during the second week in April. Say your order for her.
Ten election tickets, three large township financial statements and considerable other job printing has kept the Herald force going some this week.
A local option mass meeting will be held at the East Tawas opera house tomorrow, Saturday, evening, to which all will be welcomed. Good speakers will be present to present the question.
Mrs. Chas Nelen has leased one of the store rooms in the Huston block and will next Monday open a new millinery and ladies' furnishing store. Read her announcement elsewhere in this issue.
Girls Wanted:—To work in the silk mills. Clean, light work, good wages, steady employment. For particulars as to work, wages, and conditions, address Belding Bros. & Co., Belding, Mich.
On motion of Attorney A. W. Black in the circuit court last Monday Judge Connine granted Dr. C. A. Wakeman a new trial and the case will probably come up at the next term of circuit court.
Mrs. G. T. Woods and daughter of Charles City, Ia., arrived last Saturday for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Morris. Mr. Woods is expected here this week having sold out his business interests in the western city.—Pine-Combing Press.
Mrs. James Sheldon, of East Tawas, died at Mercy hospital, Bay City, Wednesday. She has been ill with pneumonia for some time, and was removed to that institution on Wednesday of last week. Besides the bereaved husband three little daughters and a large circle of relatives and friends are left to mourn the death of a loved one. The funeral will be held from St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.
Henry Wilnot, formerly D. & M. station agent in this city, and for several years past agent at Mikado, died very suddenly last Friday evening. The remains were brought to East Tawas Saturday, and on Monday services were held from the home of Miss Estella French, and the remains were taken to Dundee, N. Y., for interment. The deceased was about 70 years old. Mr. and Mrs. Wilnot had their household goods packed ready for shipment to their former home at Dundee, N. Y., when he was taken. The bereaved widow has the sympathy of a large circle of friends in the Tawas in her hour of sorrow.

Charles T. Prescott went to Bay City last Friday for medical treatment, and was taken so ill with inflammatory rheumatism that he was unable to return. Mrs. Prescott went down Saturday. Mr. Prescott is slowly recovering.
Miss Sybil Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clark, of this city, was united in marriage at Cheboygan, March 20, to Charles Burgtorf, a prominent young man of Mullet Lake, Rev. A. P. Schultzburg, officiating. The bride's many friends in this city unite in extending congratulations.
April 15 is the date of the opening of the trout season is the statement of state Game Warden Ash, of East Tawas. It has been stated that the new law changed the date back to May 1, but as the new law does not go into effect until ninety days after the adjournment of the legislature the open season this year will be the same as last.
Last night as the night freight was backing onto the sidetrack known as the "old main line," at East Tawas, the way car struck Barney Blust's team and both horses were killed. Barney was attempting to cross the siding with a load of fence posts. The way car was derailed and Barney was slightly injured. The accident occurred near the residence of Wm. Phelps at about midnight. The team was valued at about \$500.
Alfred C. Hebel died at his home in Alabaster Wednesday night of Bright's disease. The deceased was about 32 years of age and leaves a wife and three little daughters to mourn his untimely death. Mr. Hebel has been employed as book keeper for the U. S. Gypsum Co. for several years and was a young man of excellent habits and his early death comes as a shock to a large circle of friends, who unite in extending the bereaved family the most sincere sympathy. The funeral will be held from the home at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon, under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity. Burial at Tawas City cemetery.
Next Monday the voters of the county will settle, for two years at least, the most important question that has ever come before them, whether or not the saloons shall be discontinued. In the campaign which has been fought hard for the past few weeks the Herald has endeavored to be fair with both sides for the reason that our patrons stand on both sides of the question. Personally the editor is favorable to local option and hopes to see it carry at the polls. However we respect the opinions of those who differ with us and believe that a majority of them at least are honest in their contention. What ever the result may be next Monday, we are firm in our belief that what the majority decides will be for the best.
Lost, or mislaid while packing to move to Owosso, November 16th last, a \$50 note, in my favor by William Binder, due on or before one year from date. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at Herald office or sending to my address, 605 Spring St. Owosso, Mich.
WARDWELL CHASE.

New Millinery Store Tawas City

I wish to announce to the Ladies of the Tawas and vicinity that on next

Monday, April 5

I will open a new line of up-to-date Spring Millinery and Ladies' Furnishings, and solicit your patronage.

Miss Clous

an experienced trimmer is in charge of my trimming department and will give careful and personal attention to details.

Mrs. Nelen

Huston Block - Tawas City

NEW SPRING JEWELRY HAS ARRIVED

EAR RINGS are very much in favor
GRAPE JEWELRY in all colors, beautiful
Bracelets, Broaches, Scarf Pins, Hat Pins, etc.
SHIRT WAIST SETS, all new styles
LOCKETS and CHAINS " " "
BRACELETS " " "
HAT PINS " " "
Come in and see them.
Leave your order for a Silk Umbrella, Hull's
New Spring Styles on exhibition. The finest made
detachable handles for suitcases and trunks.

W. B. MURRAY

East Tawas - Michigan

Dressing Well Means Knowing How—This Tells How

Style is no good if the garment won't hold it. But the garment will hold style if it's pure wool.
So the question is this: How to get style and pure wool combined without paying a fancy price?
There is only one line of clothes in America that is made with the single purpose of solving this problem.
That line is CLOTHCRAFT.

Clothcraft Clothes

Style and Wool—\$10 to \$25
CLOTHCRAFT has style, it is guaranteed pure wool and it sells at sensible prices.
It is the only guaranteed all wool line in the country that sells at \$10 to \$25.
The makers of CLOTHCRAFT are the oldest firm of clothes makers in America.
They have developed processes of eliminating waste and of saving factory expenses that enable them to make good clothes cheaper than any house in the country.
These factory savings pay for the better wools and better tailoring in CLOTHCRAFT CLOTHES.
Don't Judge by the Price
Please don't judge these remarkable clothes by their prices. You never saw any other clothes at these prices that are nearly as good as CLOTHCRAFT.
That's why the signed guarantee goes with each garment—to protect you against the faults common with other moderate priced clothes.
You take no chance with CLOTHCRAFT.

Fit your feet with a pair of Our Shoes—the Best on Earth.
All the New Things in Oxfords—Patent Leather, Oxblood, Tans and others. R., K., L. & Co., the famous shoes for working men. Budd's Baby Shoes, the only shoe for the little folk. We have them all, and many others.

We have the largest and most complete line of handsome CONFIRMATION SUITS to be found anywhere. Come in and see them. You can save some money here.

M. E. FRIEDMAN

"LEADER OF LOW PRICES"

PHONE 5 3R TAWAS CITY

Farmers, Merchants, Citizens!

MONDAY IS ELECTION DAY

Are You Going to Vote for Good or Bad?

SEVENTEEN SALOONS IN IOSCO! \$105,000.00 taken in over their bars each year. \$75,000.00 goes out of the county each year forever. Nothing comes back. Cleaned out for good.

Will you help keep this in the county, and help build up the Farmer, the Merchant and the Workingmen of the county?

Or will you keep on sending it to Milwaukee and Cincinnati for beer and whiskey, and rob Iosco?

Which do you think needs it the most, the distillers and brewers, or your little families—your wives and children at home? Which will you help?

You don't want a saloon next to your Home door, do you? No! Nor next to your School or Church? No! You don't want your Boys and Girls in saloons, do you? No! Then why vote for that which you are ashamed of?

Do you want your Boys or girls in school or church to tell that you voted for whiskey and saloons? No! Then why not vote so they will be proud of you?

The Schools and Churches are trying to build up our boys for this world and eternity. The saloon destroys their work and tears down that which they build up. Is this not so? You know it is. Won't you help in the good work, and save them for good citizens, and for eternity?

In the U. S. 200 men die drunkards every day. Their places must be filled by the young men coming up. Will you be a partner in that business, or will you help the Boys?

TAXES.—Iosco county gets \$4250 a year from licenses. It pays out much more than that in taxes now for orphan children and prisoners taken care of by the state, and the asylums and poor farm, to say nothing of the jail fees, officer, court and jury fees, resulting almost entirely from whiskey and intemperance. So there can be absolutely nothing lost in taxes. But if that sum had to be raised extra, it would be just \$1 on each \$500 valuation, or two mills on the dollar. Don't let that scare you.

BUSINESS AND PROSPERITY.—Maine, for 30 years without a saloon, has \$100.10 in the savings banks for each man, woman and child in the state; Kansas without a saloon has \$103. Michigan has \$8.75. Which pays the best? Surely it pays to save the money which now goes out through the saloons.

FINALLY.—When in your voting booth Monday, ask yourself the simple question: Shall I vote for my Home, my Family, and Myself, or shall I vote for the saloon?

Surely there can be but one answer—YES!

BUSINESS MAN.

JOHN BELL, President J. P. NIGGEMAN, Vice Pres.

HALE EXCHANGE BANK

OF BELL, NIGGEMAN & CO.

RESPONSIBILITY, \$500,000.00

We Pay 4 Per Cent on Six Months Deposits and 5 Per Cent on Yearly Deposits

Money Loaned on Endorsed Notes and Chattel Mortgages

Agency for American Surety Co. Bonds. Township officials and others will do well to see us before securing Bonds.

FRANK BEEDON, Cashier, Hale, Michigan

OPPOSED TO PROHIBITION.

What Distinguished Churchmen and Laymen Say

President Taft, Cardinal Satolli, Bishop Hall, Apostolic Delegate Falconia, Cardinal Gibbons, Bishop Henry C. Potter, Archbishop Messmer, Archbishop Ryan, Bishop Clark, Rev. Lyman Abbott, Rev. Dr. Parkhurst and Others Express their Views in Dissent

President-Elect William H. Taft: "Nothing is more foolish, nothing more utterly at variance with sound policy than to enact a law which by reason of conditions surrounding the community is incapable of enforcement. Such instances are sometimes presented by sumptuary laws, by which the sale of intoxicating liquors is prohibited under penalties, in localities where the public sentiment of the immediate community does not and will not sustain the enforcement of the law. In such cases the legislation usually is the result of the agitation by the people in the country districts who are determined to make their fellow citizens in the city suffer. The enactment of the law comes through the country representatives who form a majority of the legislature, but the enforcement of the law is a dead letter. The constant violation or neglect of any law leads to a demoralization of all laws." "Four Aspects of Civic Duty" by William Howard Taft.

DECLARE IT WILL BE "DRY."

Lapeer Supervisors Prepare to Levy "Last" License Tax.

Lapeer, March 24.—It has developed that the supervisors of Lapeer county were so sure that the county would go dry that they spread on the tax rolls the full amount now paid by the saloons in license fees. As the county receives only one-half the license money, the supervisors spread enough taxes on the rolls to make up for the anticipated loss the coming two years.

WANTED.—SUCCESS MAGAZINE requires the services of a man in Tawas City to look after existing subscriptions and to secure new business by means of special methods unusually effective; position permanent; prefer one with experience, but would consider any applicant with good natural qualifications; salary \$1.50 per day, with commission option. Address with references, R. C. Peacock, Room 102 Success Magazine Bldg., New York.

Read the pain formula on the box of Pink Pain Tablets. Then ask your doctor if there is a better one. Pain means congestion, blood pressure somewhere, Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets check head pains, womanly pains, pain anywhere. Try one, and see 20 for 25c. Sold by C. H. Prescott & Sons.

HARNESS SHOP and SHOE REPAIRING. A Good heavy timber hook work Harness for \$35.00. Work and stock guaranteed. Farm Harness for \$25.00. We can make any kind of Harness you want, light or heavy, strap work, etc. W. CRATSENBURG Whittemore - Michigan

HALE HOTEL. First-class accommodations for the Traveling Public. Rates \$1.00 Per Day. First-class Livery in connection, and special attention to driving Commercial Men. JOHN J. LOVE, Prop. Hale - Mich.

HURON SHORE COMPANY. ENGINEERS-CONTRACTORS. Special attention to Land Surveying, and Construction of Concrete Bridges and Culverts, Etc. Highway officials will do well to get our figures on concrete work. L. O. PETTYES, Manager East Tawas - Michigan

Probate Order. STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Iosco. At a session of said court, held at the Probate office in the city of Tawas City in said county, on the 15th day of March A. D. 1909, Present: Hon. Alfred R. Weir, Judge of Probate.

Order for Publication. STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Iosco. At a session of said court, held at the Probate office in the city of Tawas City in said county, on the 30th day of March A. D. 1909, Present: Hon. Alfred R. Weir, Judge of Probate.

Notice of Hearing Claims. THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF IOSCO. In the matter of the estate of John Butler deceased. Notice is hereby given that four months from the 15th day of February A. D. 1909, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at the probate office, in the city of Tawas City, in said county, on or before the 15th day of June A. D. 1909, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Friday, the 18th day of June A. D. 1909, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. ALFRED R. WEIR, Judge of Probate.

BOYS & GIRLS CAN YOU SPELL? WABASH COASTER FREE. We will give the fine wagon shown in the illustration to the boy or girl who spells the most words correctly in the list below. It is a large and roomy wagon with many good features. It has a large steering wheel, a seat for the driver, and a large basket for the load. It is made of the best material and is guaranteed to be durable. It is a real treat for the boys and girls of the town. C. H. Prescott & Sons

Whittemore and Vicinity. Easter vacation next week. Grange this Friday evening. T. J. Spooner, funeral director. Fire insurance. L. A. Chichester. C. H. Dillenbeck, funeral director. Mrs. Chas. Gordon who has been quite ill is improving. J. A. Campbell was at Tawas City and Wilber last Tuesday. Prof. Harkett will spend his vacation at AuSable with relatives. Miss Florence Schroyer is home from Malby to spend her vacation. Dr. McDowell, of Turner was in the city on professional duty last Tuesday. Mrs. C. F. Blinn was called to Onondago last week by the serious illness of her father. Mrs. W. H. Price is visiting her parents and friends at East Tawas this week. George Jackson who is teaching at AuSable will spend his vacation at his home here. The K. and L. O. T. M. M. meet fraternally with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Campbell this Friday evening. Somebody thought Will's eye was out or his nose was out of joint last Wednesday night. How was it Will? John Hess was at Bay City last Monday for repairs for his saw mill, and now the whistle can be heard daily. Our M. A. C. boys, E. I. Redegib, Ben Cataline, Leslie and Leon Belknap of Lansing are here spending the Easter vacation. Mesdames Wm. Allen, H. M. Belknap, J. Curtis and D. K. Hurford attended the Guild at Mrs. Market's in Reno Thursday. A pleasant and profitable day was spent. Landord Harriman of the Drummond House is the proud papa of a baby boy who arrived at the hotel last Tuesday. Grant is passing cigars, and wears a smile that is wool and a yard wide. We dread to see next week, it will be so lonesome. Won't some one be kind enough to cause a little excitement so we will have something to talk about. On account of special meetings at Hall, Rev. E. A. Schultz will again preach in the Baptist church here at 10:30 a. m., Sunday school 2:00 p. m., B. Y. P. U. 7:00 p. m.

While we speak of official candidates we must not forget our candidate in the "Herald Contest" who also seems to be doing some hustling for votes. Everybody is getting interested and hope to see one of the prizes landed here. The peoples party candidates are: supervisor, P. J. Hottos; clerk, Geo. Weryly; treasurer, Gus. Miller; highway commissioner, Ed Wilson; overseer, Mike Seebeck; justices, Samuel Nichols, H. B. Stone. The Barleigh township republicans have nominated, Supervisor, Irving Boardstreet; clerk, U. G. Colvin; treasurer, Peter St. James; highway commissioner, W. C. Ostrander; overseer, C. S. Robinson; justices, Henry Smith, Adolphus Cataline; board review John Stout. The candidates for city officials are: mayor, J. A. Campbell; clerk, Edward Williams; treasurer Frank Horton; assessor, H. M. Belknap; justice, Eli Dutton; alderman 1st ward, A. H. Wylie; alderman 2nd ward, Joseph Goupi; constable, 1st ward, H. E. VanNorstrand; constable, 2nd ward, Simon Goupi.

Hale Hummings. W. S. Hodges was at Tawas City Tuesday. P. H. Hammond made a business trip to Owosso Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Featherston were called to Pontiac this week by the death of Mrs. F.'s aunt, Mrs. John M. Norton. John Armstrong, licensed embalmer and funeral director. Attention paid to smallest details. Equipment and methods that render the most efficient service possible. Phone 611 day or night. Tawas City. The Parish Republican ticket is: supervisor, Leander Garrison; clerk, R. L. Trim; treasurer, Frank Beeson; highway commissioner, Elmer Steiner; justices, Dr. Kingman and R. L. Trim; board of review, Ed Strapson, The Union ticket is: supervisor, H. J. Featherston; clerk, Lewis Nunn; treasurer, J. J. Graves; highway commissioner, Seth McKee; justices, Lamon Alberton and Charles Love; board of review, Henry Baldwin. A convention was held in Tawas, March 27, 1886, being the most grand of George and Elizabeth Sugden. When a mere boy his parents moved to Michigan, settling in Oakland county. Mr. Sugden was united in marriage to Miss Margaret Bearinger, July 25, 1880, and the following year they moved to Saginaw. The family came to Tawas in 1886, afterwards residing in Grant township, Omer and Twining and coming to their farm near this village four years ago. After a lingering illness he died Saturday, March 20, 1909, aged 52 years 11 months and 24 days. He is survived by the wife, three sons, his mother and three brothers.

Alabaster Dust. Ed Livermore is visiting friends here. John N. Johnson was at Tawas City on business Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nash visited relatives here Tuesday. Mr. Hebel, of Chicago, was called here by the death of his son Alfred. Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Bowen, of Tawas City visited at the home of John D. Bowen and family over Sunday. John and Otto Anderson was called to Bay City yesterday to attend the funeral of their brother-in-law, J. S. Mielstrup. Engineer Charles Bigelow of the E. & M. is back on duty this week. Charlie's nerve seems to be just as good as before he became a benedict. The many friends of J. S. Mielstrup were shocked to learn of his unexpected death at Bay City Tuesday. Mr. Mielstrup left here Monday after a three weeks visit much improved in health. His death was due to a shock of apoplexy.

Whittemore Schools. Three months of school. Those who are behind in their work must make good or be left in their grades for another year. A class in physical geography will be started this week. This is the first of spring, beware of "Spring Fever"—a disease common among school children. The fifth and sixth grades are diagramming complex sentences. Vacation the week proceeding Easter Sunday. The boys are anxious for the weather to settle so they can resume playing ball. "If at first you don't succeed, try again," is a motto for pupils to emulate. Missies Lilah Barnum and Elsie Aldrich were visitors in the primary room last week. The second grade is learning the popcorn song this week. The fourth grade has been learning the poem "Little May," which we think very appropriate for springtime.

Teachers Attention. An Inspiration Institute will be held in the new high school building, East Tawas, the evening of April 30 and May 1st. Prof. E. C. Rowe, Department of Psychology, Mount Pleasant Normal will be present. Every progressive teacher will be present. J. A. CAMPBELL.

Notice. Tawas City, April 1, 1909.—All persons are hereby warned against dealing with Bernard Blust in a business way, or buying from him any farm produce or stock, as he has not good title to such property, and people dealing with him or buying personal property must settle with the owners thereof for the value of the same. SOPHIA BLUST.

"Beautiful" Is the Word to Express It. When talking of New Spring Goods our new line is certainly "Beautiful." It contains New Suits, New Oxfords, New Hats, New Ties, New Gingham, New Wash Goods. And everything else you need for Spring Wear, and we are selling them at Prices which make it to your advantage to trade with us. Thursday, Friday, Saturday April 8, 9 and 10. Are the dates of our SPRING MILLINERY OPENING and our trimming department will be in charge of Miss Roe, of Detroit, a trimmer of large experience and our stock contains all the latest in New and Up-to-date Styles. Come and see them. Blumenau's Big Dep't Store WHITTEMORE, MICH.

Sherman Shots. Mrs. A. Drager spent a couple of days this week at Tawas City. Miss Marvel Ellis of Oscoda, spent a few days this week at Melvor. Ernest Smith has resumed work as baggageman at Emery Junction. Collie Johnson has his teams hauling lumber from Leslie Bros. mill to Melvor. Pick out your Easter cards while the assortment is large at W. H. Pringle's, Melvor. The candidates on the peoples' ticket are: Supervisor, John Jordan; highway commissioner, Wm. Kolb; clerk, Charles Schneider; treasurer, James Whitney. Candidates on reform party are: Supervisor, Thos. A. Wood; highway commissioner, John Canell; clerk, R. H. Goodwin; treasurer, Peter E. Hammond. Sunday school will be organized next Sunday afternoon at the school house, Dist. No. 3, one mile south of Melvor, instead of Dist. No. 2 as heretofore announced.

Keystone School. Received too late for last week. Freddie and Johnnie Miller, and Marion and Roy Bradshaw were enrolled last Monday. Orle States and Theodore Stout started last week. The sixth and seventh grades wrote a composition for their language class Friday. The third graders also wrote a story for their language. We had a spelling match Friday. There was a temperance lecture at our school house Tuesday night, the 10th. It was attended fairly well. The fifth graders drew a map of South America. The eighth grade began the study of civil government this week. We also have begun the study of reading for examination. The third, fourth and fifth grades are studying about digestion, for their physiology. The sixth and seventh grades have been studying about anatomy and hygiene as given in their physiology. The 8th grade have been studying about the brain and the effect of alcohol.

Reno Rumblings. Miss Maude Sloan of Emery, visited friends here this week. Mrs. G. Croft and children, of Emery Junction, visited relatives here this week. Miss Hazel Murphy, of Tawas City, is visiting her sister Miss Muriel Murphy this week. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Westervelt have moved into their farm situated between Taft and Hale. March has not been very lamblike owing to the cold wind which has prevailed all the month. The Siloam Sunday school took a vote last Sunday on the question of local option, the temperance issue of the day, with the result that the 27 present stood solid for temperance. Mr. and Mrs. John Metcalf and three little sons expect to start for north-western Canada this week, Wednesday. Mr M. has relatives there. Their many friends regret to see them leave, but wish them health and prosperity in their new home.

Whittemore Schools. Three months of school. Those who are behind in their work must make good or be left in their grades for another year. A class in physical geography will be started this week. This is the first of spring, beware of "Spring Fever"—a disease common among school children. The fifth and sixth grades are diagramming complex sentences. Vacation the week proceeding Easter Sunday. The boys are anxious for the weather to settle so they can resume playing ball. "If at first you don't succeed, try again," is a motto for pupils to emulate. Missies Lilah Barnum and Elsie Aldrich were visitors in the primary room last week. The second grade is learning the popcorn song this week. The fourth grade has been learning the poem "Little May," which we think very appropriate for springtime.

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