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LOCAL NEWS.

For quality go to Brabant's. Congress convened Monday. Fire insurance, F. F. French. Santa Claus headquarters at Johnson's jewelry store. Mrs. Albert Syze, of Ellake, was in the city yesterday. William Phelan left last evening for a visit at Detroit and other points. Buy your underwear of LaBerge, East Tawas, and get satisfaction. You will find all the latest magazines at The Bargain Store, Tawas City. Mrs. H. H. Funk, of East Tawas, was in Flint on business last Saturday.

Miss Rose Kane left yesterday for Grand Marais. Herman Joppich is delivering for Woizeschke & Musolf. Signet rings, a large assortment at Johnson's jewelry store. Remember that our special premium offers expire January 1. When you get a suit of clothes at Nels Brabant's you are satisfied. Bracelets are selling good. We have some new styles. L. L. Johnson. For hardware, plumbing and heating go to A. J. Merschell, East Tawas. For styles and comfort in shoes you'll make no mistake in purchasing the K. P. Smith & Sons shoe at Brabant's.

About five inches of snow fell Tuesday. Two weeks from tomorrow is Christmas. Friedman's prices are money-saving prices. Fire insurance. Henry Hanson, East Tawas. C. V. Hicks pianos and organs, Alpena. A swell line of cuff links at Johnson's. Monograms engraved free. Look over the new line of holiday goods at Hanson's Bazaar. Haviland china in beautiful designs at Hanson's Bazaar. Raymond and Langdon pianos. See them at King's Music Store. Try Brabant if you want a nice dressy tie. New ones just received. All the latest popular music, 10 and 15 cents, at The Bargain Store. If you want a handsome lamp for a Christmas gift, go to Hanson's Bazaar. FOR SALE—A house and two lots in Tawas City. Inquire of Herman Grabow. Books for boys and girls in large varieties, and very cheap at Hanson's Bazaar. Mrs. W. J. Robinson, of Bay City, spent last Sunday with her parents in this city. Mrs. Wm. Osborn, of Prescott, spent last Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Gilroy. You can buy shoes almost anywhere, but for good shoes you have to go to Friedman's. Our assortment of wall papers will please you. King's furniture store, East Tawas. The finest line of fur coats on the market are sold at James LaBerge's, East Tawas. Have you thought of those Christmas photos? Now is the time for sittings to avoid the rush. Bert Mosher, of Twining, was the guest of his sister, Miss Maude, a couple of days this week. All the latest styles in up-to-date photos, from \$1.25 to \$4.00 per dozen, at Brown's Studio. Benj. Buswell, of Beach Park, O., is the guest of his brother Charles, and family, of this city. If you wish to pay your subscription in wood please do so now, as we need it this kind of weather. FOR SALE—A mare and yearling colt at a bargain. Inquire of John Sullivan, of Baldwin township. L. L. Johnson, jeweler and engraver, Tawas City. Engraving free on all purchases at our store. A good barn for sale, also a quantity of second-hand lumber. Inquire of A. Barkman, East Tawas. LOST—A red heifer, one year old, lately dehorned. Notify Andrew Smith, Route 2, Tawas City, Mich. The life saving crew at Tawas Point will go out of commission for the season, at 12 o'clock Saturday night. By making part payments you may have selections laid away for you until needed at Hanson's Bazaar. It will pay you to look over our stock of holiday goods before you decide upon your purchase. Hanson's Bazaar. If you are looking for holiday goods, you will find the finest line in the Tawas at The Bargain Store, Tawas City. A swell line of Waterman Ideal fountain pens at Johnson's jewelry store. The kind you can't loose with the clip-cap. The best selected line of ties and gents' furnishings will be found in the new stock just received by James LaBerge. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Allen returned to their home in Bay City Monday after a few weeks visit with relatives in East Tawas. As usual, the best line of shoes on the market are found at James LaBerge's, the old reliable shoe store at East Tawas. FOR SALE—A boiler and 15 h. p. engine, and 7 h. p. gasoline engine. Enquire of William L. Wingrove Tawas City, Mich. FOR SALE—I have a house and four lots on Plank road, in Tawas City, for sale. Enquire of C. E. Lickfelt, Alabaster, Mich. Mrs. Ludwig Johnson, of Baldwin, died on Friday last of paralysis. The funeral was held from the Swedish Lutheran church, East Tawas, Tuesday afternoon. The L. O. T. M. will have a benefit entertainment at the Royal Theater next Wednesday evening, Dec. 15. A double show, and one of the best of the season, will be given. Turn out and give the ladies a good crowd. Admission 10 cents. There are a quite a number of our present subscribers who will not receive the Herald after January 1st unless they call and settle their subscriptions. We cannot afford to furnish you your reading matter without pay, and hope that all will call and settle their accounts before that date. We need the money. C. V. Hicks Ludwig and Janssen Pianos, Alpena. Write for prices.

The heavy wind storm Monday evening put our city lighting plant and a part of our telephone connections out of business. Will J. Gurley has removed his family from East Tawas to Rose City. Mr. Gurley being now employed on the Rose City division. Lee Force came up from Bay City Wednesday morning and reports Mrs. Force as improving from the effects of her recent operation. Mr. and Mrs. Archie Colby have moved to Onaway. Archie having been given a run on the north end, as fireman for the D. & M. Ry. FOR SALE—Eighty acres of good farming land, fenced, being the n 1/2 of w. e. quarter, sec. 17, Tawas township. Address Reuben Wade, Melvor. If you want to loan money or have any money saved you wish to deposit to be safe, go to the Tawas Exchange Bank of A. Barkman, East Tawas. James J. Hopkins will have an auction sale of personal property, at the old Chase farm, on the Plank road, on Wednesday, Dec. 22, beginning at 10 o'clock. Gib Huntley, who has been in charge of the construction of the new bank block, has completed the work, and returned to his home at Caro last Saturday. Ealy McKay & Co. were forced to move into the new bank building Monday morning, owing to the wrecking of the chimney on the old building by the storm Sunday evening. Mrs. Russell Misener and children, of Bay City, who have been visiting relatives in this vicinity, left this week to join her husband in Oregon, where they expect to make their home. To each of our subscribers paying for the Herald for one year in advance before January 1st, we are going to send the Farm and Fireside one year and a copy of the handsome Baby Calendar for 1910 free of charge. January 4th, 5th and 6th are the dates of Dr. W. N. Yeager's next visit to this city. Those wishing first-class dental work will arrange to have it done then. Crown and bridge work a specialty and all work guaranteed. Painless extraction. The superintendents of the Oscoda, AuSable, East Tawas, and Tawas City schools, and County Commissioner Campbell, met at the court house to discuss high school athletics for the coming spring. A constitution was formulated and a very congenial meeting adjourned to Feb. 12, at which time an election of officers will be held. The McCormick Nursery Co., Monroe, Mich., want a reliable man to sell their trees, shrubs, roses, etc., in this section. Experience not necessary. They furnish free outfit and pay weekly. We advise any man or woman in this community who has some spare time to write them for particulars. The Baby Rambler Rose is one of their specialties. Mention this paper when writing. The D. & M. will have the rails laid into Hillman about the middle of next week and will be running trains over the road about Christmas. The working crew laying rails is within three miles of Hillman and Mr. Jones, their foreman, stated to the Herald yesterday, that the crew laid about a half mile of track a day. Hurrah! for the D. & M.—Hillman Herald. To the tax payers of Tawas City: The tax rolls of the various wards of the city of Tawas City will be in my hands for collection, December 1, 1909. A. C. BROWN, City Treasurer.

Make your holiday purchases at Friedman's where you will find the largest selection of seasonable gifts and the lowest prices. The Herald one year, the Farm and Fireside one year, and the famous Baby Calendar, all for \$1.50. Read our special offer elsewhere. LOST—A neck fur was lost between the Tawas on Saturday evening last. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning the same to this office. M. E. Friedman has installed a Reed City Gas Light Co.'s plant in his store. He has a regular 'daylight' store now all the time. It is certainly a fine store light. A glance through the advertising columns of the Herald will convince anyone that they cannot find a better place to do their Christmas trading than in the Tawas. Rev. J. B. Brown announces that, by request, he will preach on "Communion," at the East Tawas Baptist church next Sunday morning. A cordial invitation is extended to all. If those of our patrons who are waiting for job printing will have patience a short time we hope to be able to get caught up. The demands for the Herald's advertising space has been such, together with our large amount of job printing, that we have been unable to keep up with our orders, even by working much overtime. The Oscoda County Herald and the Oscoda County Times, published at Gaylord have been consolidated. Glen R. Miner, of the Times having purchased the Herald plant from H. C. McKinley, who has published that paper for more than a quarter of a century. Mr. Miner now has one of the best newspaper properties in northern Michigan and an exclusive field. That he will give the people of Oscoda county an excellent paper is certain.

Last evening as we were printing the supplement for this issue, our gasoline engine suddenly gave a 'dying cough' and stopped. An examination showed that the exhaust lever was broken. It is not necessary to repeat here what was said but it is something we were never able to understand, why such accidents most always happen when one can least afford the time lost. Auditor General Fuller is notifying the county treasurers of the state that they will have to give a larger bond for the collection of the big state tax, which is due next month. Lake, Oscoda and Roscommon counties are the only ones excepted. In counties having a board of auditors, the auditor general will not require a bond for the full amount of the tax, as these officers check over the books each month. The handsome new bank block of Ealy, McKay & Co., bankers, of this city is completed. It is certainly a credit to the city and without doubt the finest office building in this section. The building is of cement blocks and pressed brick, 22x40 feet, with basement, and artistically designed. The interior is conveniently arranged for the accommodation of the banking business, with a nice private office in the rear of the business office, a large fire proof vault and basement. The fixtures are antique oak, and the business office has tile flooring. The building is heated by a furnace. We congratulate Messrs. Ealy, McKay & Co. on their handsome new home and congratulate the city for having such an enterprising, reliable banking institution. The peculiar properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have been thoroughly tested during epidemics of influenza, and when it was taken in time we have not heard of a single case of pneumonia. Sold by Red Cross Pharmacy.

Baldwin Lodge.
Baldwin lodge No. 377, I. O. O. F., of East Tawas, elected the following officers for the ensuing term last Thursday evening:
Noble Grand—Edwin Rawden.
Vice Grand—Chas. Bigelow.
Secretary—C. R. Dease.
Treasurer—C. L. Bonney.
Trustee—Harry Hewson.

Fourth Class Postmaster Examination.
Saturday, January 8, 1910, the United States Civil Service Commission announces that on the date named above an examination will be held at East Tawas, Michigan, for the position of fourth class postmaster of class B at Wilber, Michigan. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$122 for the last fiscal year. Age limit, 21 years and over on the date of the examination, with the exception that in a state where women are declared by statute to be of full age for all purposes at 18 years, women 18 years of age on the date of the examination will be admitted. Applicants must reside within the territory supplied by the postoffice named above. The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements. Application forms and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from the postmasters at Wilber and East Tawas, Michigan, from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C. Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington within seven days before the date of the examination, otherwise it may be impracticable to examine the applicants. U. S. CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.



HANSON'S BAZAAR

Opera House Block East Tawas, Mich.

In years past we have established our reputation as headquarters for Holiday Shoppers and this season we have a most elaborate display of

NEW, ATTRACTIVE, ORNAMENTAL AND USEFUL MERCHANDISE.

ever offered for holiday trade, and our prices are so low that we are confident that you cannot equal them anywhere in the state.

Our Famous China Line Consists in parts of

Chop Plates Cake Plates Salads Spoon Trays
Cups and Saucers Sugar and Creams
Ice Relishes Smoking Sets Celery Trays
Roll Trays Olive Trays Plates

Beautiful Banquet or Parlor Lamps

In Fancy Goods We Offer

Gloves and Handkerchief Boxes
Work Boxes Toilet Sets Prayer Books
Collar and Cuff Boxes Beautiful Gift Books
Japanese Novelties
Albums Bibles Etc. Etc.

Dolls, Doll Cabs, Games, Toys, Etc.

HENRY HANSON

PROPRIETOR

Christmas Gifts

We have the finest line of goods especially suitable for Christmas gifts that we have ever shown. Ladies' and Gents' Watches, Chains, Etc. Also a swell line of Bracelets, Rings, Bar Pins, Handy Pins, Mantel Clocks and many other attractive and useful articles which will please the children, father, mother, uncle, aunt and in fact anyone you wish to buy a present for. We have the goods and sell them at prices that are Right. Come and see me if you want to save money. We have one price for everybody and that is the Lowest, the reason is extremely low expenses as compared with others.

Call and examine our stock. We earnestly solicit your patronage and will do our best to deserve it.

L. L. JOHNSON
Tawas City Michigan

EALY, McKAY & CO., Bankers

RESPONSIBILITY \$1,000,000.00

We are Rated as High as Any Banking Firm in the State of Michigan

We are now in our New Building where we have splendid facilities for the accommodation of our patrons

For Christmas a Pass Book or Bank Certificate is becoming a Very Popular Present

We would be glad to have you keep an account with us, or if you wish to borrow any money call and see us.

L. G. McKAY, Cashier.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS!

Watches	Gold Filled \$9.00
Nickel \$1.00 to \$20.00	
Signet Rings	\$1.50 to \$18.00
Bracelets	Very much in favor, \$1.25 to \$8.00
Cuff Links	With signet top, stone or gold \$1.00 to \$8.90
Clothes Brushes	\$1.25 to \$3.50
Scarf Pins	Gold Filled and Gold \$0.50 to \$3.50
Vest Chains	Simonds is the best, \$3.50 to \$11.00 Others at \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$3.00

Timely Gift Suggestions.

WHAT TO GIVE HER.	WHAT TO GIVE HIM.
Diamond Rings \$7.50 up	Ash Trays .50 up
Hand Bags 3.50 "	Clothes Brushes \$2.25 "
Locketts 1.50 "	Vest Chain 1.50 "
Fobs 1.50 "	Fobs 1.50 "
Back Combs .50 "	Military Sets 4.50 "
Waist Sets .75 "	Locketts and Charms 1.50 "
Veil Pins .50 "	Signet Rings 4.50 "
Jewel Cases .75 "	Shaving Cups, Brushes 4.50 "
Cuff Buttons 1.00 "	Scarf Pins .50 "
Broaches .50 "	Tie Clasps .50 "
Scarf Pins .50 "	Smoking Sets .50 "
Belt Pins 1.00 "	Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens 2.50 "
Rose Hat Pins 1.00 "	Gillette Safety Razors 5.00 "
Signet Hat Pins .75 "	Dressing Cases 4.50 "
Rings, solid gold 1.50 "	Traveling Cases 4.50 "
Bed Room Clocks 1.50 "	Emergency Cases 1.00 "
Brush, Comb, Mirrors 5.50 "	Desk Set 26.00 "
Bracelets 1.25 "	Traveling Clocks 4.50 "
Signet Rings 1.25 "	Hull's Umbrellas 1.50 "
Stone Rings 2.00 "	
Beads 2.50 "	
Rosaries 1.50 "	

Cut Glass
\$1.25 to \$20.00
Gillette Safety Razor
\$5.00, \$5.50 and \$6.00
Fountain Pens
Waterman's Ideals. Best on earth, \$2.50 to \$7.50
Clocks
Gold and Silver plated \$1.50 to \$5.50
Locketts and Chains
Elegant New Line. All the New Styles
Fobs
For Men or Women, \$2.50 to \$8.00, Gold Filled

W. B. Murray, JEWELER East Tawas

Satisfaction!

You Can Get It Here

Our Holiday Goods Have all Arrived and are now Ready For Your Inspection. Come and See the Finest Line of Beautiful Holiday Goods Ever Shown in the Tawas. Novelties shown here that cannot be found elsewhere. You Cannot Fail to get what you want here.

F. F. FRENCH & CO.

East Tawas Michigan

YOUR CHRISTMAS DINNER

You will find a nice line of everything you need in the line of Staple and Fancy Groceries here.

Fruit-Nuts-Candies

A fine line selected especially for the Happy Holiday Season. All Fresh and Clean, and at Right Prices.

You will find satisfaction by trading here. Prompt service, Good Goods and Right Prices.

JOHN L. SWARTZ

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Next to Friedman's Tawas City

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

We have opened a new department and are prepared to make loans on Real Estate.

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

—How to be well dressed all the time.

Some men are well dressed only while their clothes are new. From that time until they buy another new suit, they look seedy, careless and shabby.

Might just as well be well dressed all the time. This costs no more if you wear

Clothcraft All-Wool Clothes

These are the only clothes at their prices that positively hold their shape and style as long as they last. They are made of pure wool and are scientifically tailored—that's the reason. And a Signed Guarantee goes with each suit whether it costs \$10 or \$25.

Your clothing troubles are over the minute you decide to buy CLOTHCRAFT. It's worth trying.

M. E. FRIEDMAN, LEADER OF LOW PRICES
Tawas City, Michigan



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AN ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING

Was that Held at Bay City for Organization of the North-eastern Michigan Development Association.

At Bay City, on Thursday of last week was held what is beyond doubt the most important meeting—at least to the north-eastern portion of Michigan—that ever assembled in that city. Nearly one hundred representative citizens from all walks of life, representing every county on the east side of the lower peninsula from Saginaw to the Straits of Mackinac, assembled in the city hall for the purpose of organizing the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau. The object of the organization is to settle up the new unoccupied farming lands of this section.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor E. E. Evans of Bay City, who was made temporary chairman. J. Burt Kiely, of Roscommon, was made temporary secretary. A committee composed of Frank Buel, of Bay, William Stone, of Arzac, A. W. Black, of Iosco, W. A. Blackburn, of Alpena, Frank Ford, of Cheboygan, and Senator Foster, of Gladwin, were appointed to formulate a plan for organization.

While this committee was at work the meeting was addressed by Secretary of State Martindale, who gave a description of the plan mapped out by the state public domain commission for the handling of the state tax lands in this section. Addresses were also made by State Land Commissioner Russell, and others.

The committee on organization reported in favor of the election from the delegates present, two directors from each county which board should proceed to the election of officers; also for the appointment of an executive committee and a committee of ways and means, which report was adopted.

Saginaw county, which was not included in the original call for the meeting, had delegates present and requested membership, which was granted. The preliminary meeting then adjourned.

At 7:30 in the evening the board of directors met and proceeded to organize by the election of officers and appointment of committees. The officers elected were:

President—V. S. Maloney, Cheboygan
Secretary—T. F. Martson, Bay City
Treasurer—R. Hanson, Grayling.

The directors from Iosco county are L. J. Patterson and A. W. Black. Under the plan of organization the directors elected at this meeting will serve until the January meeting of the various boards of supervisors when these bodies will elect two directors to serve for the ensuing year.

The executive committee appointed was instructed to meet at once and draft a constitution and by-laws which are to be submitted to the directors at a meeting to be held in Bay City December 28, at which time the objects and plans of the organization will be completed and reports prepared to submit to the various boards of supervisors at the January meetings.

The meeting was one which could not fail to broaden any one who was present either as a delegate or spectator. Enthusiasm for the building up of this section of Michigan was the key note. Not a knocker was present. Boosters everywhere. State officials, representatives of the railroads, farmers, business and professional men from every walk of life. All enthusiastic to see the dawn of prosperity for this section, and believing that that prosperity lies in the settling by actual farmers, the lands that are now unoccupied and which are only awaiting the practical men in search of homes to come here where they can secure good lands at a low figure.

The realization of the great wrong that has been done northern Michigan by the fake real estate agents who have brought settlers in here and sold them sand plains at a big profit to themselves must be overcome, and must be one of the prime objects of this association. If we can secure settlers for the good lands the question of what to do with the plains will take care of itself.

And right here we wish to say that there are thousands of acres of the best farming lands in this section that can be found anywhere. It is true that there are also many acres of plains that are not suitable for diversified farming, but which make excellent grazing lands, and are successful for the growing of certain forage crops and fruit. No where in this country can so good farming lands be purchased at the low price as these lands are at present being sold.



CHRISTMAS TIME IS WHEN WE TURN FROM SELFISHNESS AND TRY TO MAKE OTHERS HAPPY. COME AND SEE HOW EASY WE CAN LIGHTEN THE LOAD OF CHRISTMAS SHOPPING AND AT THE SAME TIME GIVE YOU MORE FOR YOUR DOLLARS THAN YOU CAN GET ELSEWHERE.

DON'T FAIL TO VISIT OUR CHINA AND TOY DEPARTMENT UP STAIRS

We have fitted up a nice, light room up stairs in our store and we have there displayed one of the finest lines of China, Toys and Games that has ever been displayed in the Tawas. The department is in charge of competent help and you will not be crowded and jostled in making your selections like it has been in the past down stairs.

TOYS:--All Kinds and Discriptions.

STEAM ENGINES PREFORMING BEARS MECHANICAL TOYS STUFFED ANIMALS
DOLL GO-CARTS BLOCKS, IN LITTLE WAGON WHEELBARROWS
DOLLS FROM ONE CENT TO FIVE DOLLARS EVERYTHING IN THE LINE OF DOLLS

Suggestions for Men

Neckwear, 25 and 50 cents
Neckwear, in holiday boxes, 75c and \$1.00
Silk and Wool Mufflers
Gloves and Mittens, fur lined
Sweater Coats Slippers
Handkerchiefs Ash Trays Cigar Jars Smoking Sets
See our Holiday Boxes for men, containing one pair of Silk
Suspenders, one pair of Garters, and one pair of Arm
Bands, all put up in a nice Holiday Box suitable for
gifts, 75 cents and \$1.00 per box.

We have attractions on the Second Floor which you cannot afford to miss.

Suggestions for the Ladies

This is not a hard subject to handle, as Ladies like anything that is pretty to wear, or to use in the house.
Sugar and Cream Sets
Cups and Saucers
Olive Dishes
Spoon Trays
Salad Dishes
Bread and Butter Plates
Fern Dishes for Table
Celery Trays Cake Plates
Salad Sets Handsome Parlor Lamps
See those beautiful Holland Dutch Sets consisting of Sugar, Creams and Tea Pots.
A Nice Box of Stationary Fancy Handkerchief
A nice Suit Case or Bag makes the finest of Christmas gifts.
Get your wife a nice Umbrella with detachable handle. Nothing could be more appreciated.

BY MAKING PARTIAL PAYMENT WE WILL LAY SELECTIONS AWAY UNTIL WANTED.

"QUALITY UP, PRICES DOWN" IS OUR MOTTO
REMEMBER YOU'LL DO BETTER AT "PRESCOTT'S"

C. H. PRESCOTT & SONS

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Tawas City

Michigan

D. & M. Ry. Holiday Rates.

D. & M. Ry. will sell tickets on account of Christmas and New Year holidays at one and one-half fare for the round trip to all points on its line and to nearly all points on other lines in the Upper and Lower peninsulas of Michigan, also to Toledo and Chicago. Tickets will be on sale December 24, 25, 31st and January 1st, 1910, limited for return passage up to and including January 3rd, 1910. See D. & M. agents and hand bills.

Many persons find themselves affected with a persistent cough after an attack of influenza. As this cough can be promptly cured by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, it should not be allowed to run on until it becomes troublesome. Sold by Red Cross Pharmacy.

A Merry Christmas

Will require a GOOD CHRISTMAS DINNER, and all the necessary "makings" for such a dinner can be found at our store. The prices are the lowest and the good the best. You cannot afford to do your holiday trading elsewhere.

A NICE LINE OF HOLIDAY GOODS IN ALL DEPARTMENTS.

CANDIES AND NUTS:--We have the Largest and Best line of these goods ever brought to Whittemore, and selected especially for our holiday trade. A nice line of FANCY BOX CANDIES suitable for gifts.

J. M. SPARLING & CO.
WHITEMORE MICHIGAN

Whittemore and Vicinity.

J. Spooner, funeral director.
H. Macomber was in the city Monday.
Miss Hilda Blumenau visited at Bay City last week.
Mrs. Grant Harriman and her little son returned Monday from a few days visit at Bay City.
Miss Nida Campbell spent last Saturday at Tawas City with her little friend, Luella Patterson.
Mrs. Grant Harriman lost a large bunch of keys some time ago which she would like very much to recover.
William Stapleton returned Monday from Canada, where he had been with his little daughters, who will make their home with an aunt there.
Dr. W. N. Yeager, the Rose City dentist, will be here December 21, 22, and 23, prepared to do all kinds of dental work. All work guaranteed. Painless extraction a specialty.

Hale Hummings.

Dewayne Moor spent last Sunday with A. Shellenbarger.
Chester Scully's children are just recovering from the measles.
Mrs. Ed Colgrove visited at Tawas City a few days this week.
The Baptist Ladies' Aid will have a bazaar the 19th. Particulars later.
Ervin Self left last week for Battle Creek, where he is attending business college.
Dr. Cowie is gaining nicely, and his many friends are pleased to see him out again.
Sheriff and Mrs. Hadwin, of Tawas City, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beedon.
Dr. W. N. Yeager, the dentist, will be here next Friday, December 17. Call early and make an appointment.
Arthur Latter, of the Cleveland Sheep and Stock Co.'s ranch, was at Tawas City on business a couple of days this week.
Miss Florence Schroyer visited Miss Clark at Long Lake Friday evening, returning Saturday, accompanied by Miss Clark, who spent the day in town.
John Armstrong, licensed embalmer and funeral director. Attention paid to smallest details. Equipment and methods that render the most excellent service possible. Phone 51 day or night, Tawas City.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.—The tax rolls of the township of Plainfield are now in my hands for collection, and I can be found at the Hale Exchange Bank each day during banking hours.
FRANK BEEDON,
Township Treasurer.

Hemlock Silvers.

Lee Force has returned home from Bay City.
Claude Irish spent Saturday and Sunday at home.
Thomas Scarlett went to South Branch Wednesday.
Willie Long left Thursday for Lakeview to visit his sister.
Reuben Smith was in Saginaw on business a few days the past week.
Thomas Lowe jr., arrived home from Stanley, North Dakota, last Wednesday.
Misses Myrtle McKenna and Nellie Scarlett spent Sunday with Miss Hattie McAuliff, at East Tawas.
Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Crissman and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Force, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Pringle.
A Christmas tree and entertainment will be given at Grant school Dist. No. 2, on Thursday evening December 23. All are invited.
Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Smith have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stark and Mrs. Ike Lupton and children, of Lupton, the past week.

Served as coffee, the new coffee substitute known to grocers everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee, will truck even a coffee expert. Not a grain of real coffee in it either. Pure healthful toasted grains, malt, nuts, etc. have been so cleverly blended as to give a wonderfully satisfying coffee taste and flavor. And it is "made in a minute," too. No tedious 20 to 30 minutes boiling. Sold by James Hamilton.

Sherman Shots.

Tom Wood was at Turner Tuesday. Heavy wind and snow prevailed in our section Tuesday.
A. B. Schneider was at Tawas on business Wednesday.
Matt Jordan is busy buzzing wood for the farmers these days.
Miss Mynee Norris spent Sunday with friends at East Tawas.
Wm. Kane has gone to South Branch to work in the woods.
Several cars of lumber, hay and wood have been loaded at McIvor the past week.
George L. Pringle, of Port Huron, returned home Tuesday after a two days visit here.
An elegant line of holiday cards, all kinds, from 1 cent to 10. W. H. Pringle, McIvor.
Charles Sullivan moved his chair shop to Standish, where he expects to spend the winter.
Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Pringle were at Bay City and Saginaw Monday, purchasing holiday goods.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jordan returned to their home at Bay City

Monday, after a ten days visit with their parents.
Owing to the heavy snow storm Tuesday, the box social was a failure. It will now be held at the K. O. T. M. hall, at McIvor, on Saturday evening, Dec. 11.
Fred Schneider died at his home in this township, Thursday, Dec. 2, after a short illness. The deceased was 34 years of age, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Schneider. He is survived by six young children, one son and five daughters, who are now left orphans, their mother having preceded the husband to the great beyond some two years ago. The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church at East Tawas, last Saturday, Rev. E. A. Kinney officiating.
CARD OF THANKS:—We wish to extend to the friends and neighbors, also the Arbeiter Society, our heartfelt thanks for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our son, Fred.
MR. and MRS. M. SCHNEIDER and Family.

If you are suffering from biliousness, constipation, indigestion, chronic headache, invest one cent in a postal card, send to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines Iowa, with your name and address plainly on the back, and they will forward you a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Sold by Red Cross Pharmacy.

East Tawas M. E. S. S.

The following officers were elected by the East Tawas Methodist Episcopal Sunday school, for 1910, at a meeting of the Sunday school board, Monday evening:
Superintendent—Edwin Rawden.
Ass't Supt.—A. J. Merschel.
Secretary—Bert Bonney.
Ass't Sec'y.—W. G. Richards.
Treasurer—Blanche Richards.
Chorister—Rev. T. H. Martin.
Ass't Chorister—Blanche Richards.
Organist—Mrs. W. Warren.
Ass't Organist—Kate Jackson.

South Branch.

Mr. Segar, of Cass City, was here last week buying Christmas trees.
B. J. Bennett of West Branch, visited Bud Thayer and wife last Friday.
Will Barringer and Tobias Mudget are at West Branch this week. Mr. E. is attending the Farmers' Institute and Mr. Mudget is on the jury.

The dinner given by the Grange last Saturday was a success socially, the members and outsiders all bringing well filled baskets of everything good to eat. Schools No. 1 and 2 recited, and Robert Trudell and Miss Millie Alderton gave some fine selections on the piano. The rest of the time was spent in getting acquainted.
The A. O. O. G. of this place elected the following officers at their meeting Saturday night:
C. G.—Hiram Quigly.
V. C. G.—Henry Woodberry.
Chaplain—Kate Seldon.
Sec'y and Treas.—Frank Seldon.
Lecturer—Edith Golden.
Conductor—A. E. Greve.
Conductress—May Coburn.
Inner Guard—John Coburn.
Outer Guard—George Golden.

Rich Men's Gifts are Poor
beside this: "I want to go on record as saying that I regard Electric Bitters as one of the greatest gifts that God has made to women, writes Mrs. O. Rhinevault, of Vestal Center, N. Y., "I can never forget what it has done for me." This glorious medicine gives a woman buoyant spirits, vigor of body and jubilant health. It quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells; soon builds up the weak, ailing and sickly. Try them. 50c at J. M. Wuggazer's and Jas. E. Dillon's.

NEVER THROW UP YOUR HANDS
If a man ever feels like throwing up his hands, it is when his bowels are all tied up and his liver fails to act. Mild-Lax, just one little harmless pleasant-tasting tablet, will act like a charm on the bowels and in a few hours the world will look 100% better to you. "It serves you right." At your druggists.
Coughs that are tight, or tickling, get quick and certain help from Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. On this account druggists everywhere are favoring Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. The tender leaves of a harmless lung-healing mountainous shrub give to Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy its curative properties. Those leaves have the power to calm the distressing cough, and to soothe, and heal the most sensitive bronchial membrane. Mothers should, for safety's sake, always demand Dr. Shoop's. It can with perfect freedom be given to even the youngest babes. Test it once yourself, and see! Sold by C. H. Prescott & Sons.

Preventics, the new Candy Cold Cure Sablets, are said by druggists to have four special specific advantages over all other remedies for a cold. First—they contain no quinine, nothing harsh or sickening. Second—they give almost instant relief. Third pleasant to the taste, like candy. Fourth—A large box—45 Preventics—at 25 cents. Also fine for feverish children. Sold by C. H. Prescott & Sons.

Stung for 15 Years

by indigestion's pangs—trying many doctors and \$200.00 worth of medicine in vain. B. F. Ayscove, of Ingleside, N. C., at last used Dr. King's New Life Pills, and writes they wholly cured him. They cure constipation, biliousness, sick headache, stomach, liver, kidney and bowel troubles. 25c at J. M. Wuggazer's and Jas. E. Dillon's.

Notice to Tax Payers.

The tax payers of Tawas township are hereby notified that I will be at my home on the Meadow road, in said township, all day every Friday and each week day evening, for the purpose of receiving taxes.
JOSEPH BLUST, Treasurer,
Tawas Township.



Here is where you always get more for your money than elsewhere, and for the approaching holidays we are prepared to give you some of the best bargains you ever had. Come and see what we offer you.

We are going to close out our stock of heavy winter goods by Christmas if LOW PRICES will do it, and if you want some of the BEST BARGAINS you ever had, come and see the low prices we are offering on

LADIES' COATS	LADIES' AND MEN'S FUR COATS	LADIES' SKIRTS
LADIES' SUITS		MEN'S SUITS

These goods must go and the Reduced Prices we are offering make it to your interest to get some of them. Another chance such as this may never come your way again.

Special Holiday Stock

In Ladies' and Gent's Furnishings

Muffs	Sweaters	Neckties	Gloves
Handkerchiefs	Fascinators	Fancy Collars	
Mittens	Belts	Hats	Caps

Dolls and Toys

We have just received a nice line of these goods for the little folks. You can give them a happy Christmas at small expense if you come here to buy.

BLUMENAU'S BIG DEPARTMENT STORE

Whittemore, Michigan



Look at this list and see the usual worries of Holiday Shopping vanish. Here is a line which make your Christmas Shopping a pleasure, as it is easy to make selections suitable for all which will give general satisfaction.

A BEAUTIFUL LINE OF TOILET ARTICLES

In Ebony, Coco Bola and Circassian Walnut

Cigar Jars	\$1.00 to \$1.50	Baby Sets	\$.75 to \$2.25
Shaving Sets	\$1.50 to \$5.00	Hand Painted Comb and Brush Sets	\$1.50 to \$6.00
Traveling Sets	\$3.00 to \$4.00	Smoking Sets	\$1.50
Manicuring Sets		Pipe Racks	\$2.00
Dressing Mirrors	\$.50 to \$2.50	Necktie Racks	\$2.50

LOWNEY'S BEST BOX CANDIES 25c TO \$2.00 PER BOX

Handsome Cut Glass

A large selection of Handsome Pieces of the Very Highest Quality and at prices from \$1.50 to \$12.00

Christmas Cards and Postals

One of the largest lines to be found anywhere, containing all the latest Novelties and Pretty Designs from 1c to 25c

See The Wonderful THERMOS BOTTLE, Only \$3.75

Fancy Christmas Cigars

Robert Burns, in boxes of 12	\$1 00	Owls, in boxes of 25	1 00
Francis Lewis, in boxes of 12	50	Edward Cope, in boxes of 25	1 00
Iroquois, in boxes of 12	50	Sanches & Hays Pets, box	1 00
Iroquois, in boxes of 25	1 00	Certificate, boxes of 25	1 25
Portuonda, in boxes of 25	1 00		

Alcohol Gas Stove

The Manning-Bowman Quality—the newest thing out and not only convenient but a necessity. Only \$3.00

Christmas Candies

The largest line of the Purest and Best, made especially for the occasion, in bulk or box, from 10c per pound up.

Fancy Stationery and Box Paper

We have the Very Finest of Correspondence Stationery in Handsome Boxes—the Haribert Quality—in all the Latest Styles. There is nothing Better. Prices Per Box, from 25c to \$1.75

Fancy HAND BAGS and POCKET BOOKS, From 25c to \$10.00

RED CROSS PHARMACY,

J. M. WUGGAZER & CO., Proprietors
Tawas City, Michigan

CHRISTMAS SPECIALS

FOR NEXT WEEK

Six bars of Fairy Soap for	25c
Eight pkgs Rub No More Washing Powder	25c
Eight bars Big Acme Soap	25c
Three cans Leader Evaporated Milk	25c
Seven pounds Rolled Oats	25c
Six pounds Best White Beans	25c

We have just received a full line of Christmas Candy which it will pay you to inspect. See us before buying elsewhere.

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Phone 7

TAWAS CITY, MICHIGAN

OH, SAY!

You must not forget to call and look over the elegant assortment of Christmas toys for the little ones. And by the way boys we have a beautiful line of Handkerchiefs for the young lady. Don't miss getting one for your Best Girl. And I say old man if you want to see your wife smile just come in and buy her an elegant Cream and Sugar Set. Ladies', we will be pleased to have you call and look over our Christmas Line.

G. A. PRINGLE

McIvor, Mich.