

***PETOSKEY NORMAL SCHOOL
AND
BUSINESS COLLEGE***

Petoskey, Emmet County, Michigan

The Normal Commencement.

The Twelfth Annual Commencement of the Petoskey Normal School and Business College will be held tomorrow, Thursday evening, June 6th, in the Grand Opera House. The program will be as follows:

- Overture Opera House Orchestra
- Invocation.
- Vocal Solo. "A Gipsy Maiden"
 Miss Florence M. Smith.
- Oration, "The Relation of the Educated Man to Society," W. J. Baughman.
- Cornet Polka Prof. Avery Brown
- Essay, "Venceremos Grace J. Tyrrell
- Vocal Duet. Mr. Parks and Mrs. Armstrong
- Valedictory. America as a World Power
 R. P. Vansaw.
- Vocal Solo "O, Haste Thee Sweet,"
 Miss Florence M. Smith.
- Presentation of Diplomas.
- Class Song Class of 1901
- Benediction.

The eight members of the class of 1901 will be graduated as follows:

Literary course—William Logan Baughman, Grace Levering Tyrrell, and Ralph Perry Vansaw.

Electrical Engineering—William Austin Sherk.

Shorthand—Addison Jacob Hoffer, and Alleyne Feehan Mills.

Commercial—Ellery Ashley McDonald and Mary Louisa Lutz.

The class though not the largest, is one of the brightest ever sent out from the Normal, and a credit to the school. The people of Petoskey are cordially invited to be present.

PETOSKEY NORMAL AND BUSINESS COLLEGE AN ASSURED CERTAINTY.

The Evening News is proud to announce that the Petoskey Normal and Business college is again on the eve of opening for business with a competent, experienced man in charge.

E. L. Warren, arrived from Syracuse, N. Y., Friday, and lost no time in becoming acquainted and getting matters shaped up for opening the school next week, and we think we make no mistake when we say that Mr. Warren presents all the earmarks and elements of a successful conductor of an educational institution and of a gentleman of the first water.

The people of Petoskey welcome Mr. Warren to their midst, and wish him the very best of success in his enterprise, and these good wishes will be backed by energetic plugging and work for the school which is needed in our midst. Following is a general prospectus of the school in its courses:

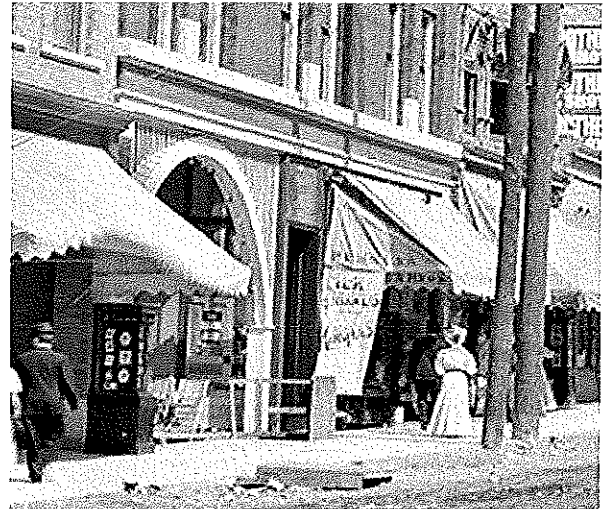
The Petoskey Normal and Business college will open on Monday, Jan. 3, 1910, with a full quota of teachers already to take care of at least from 100 to 150 students.

The normal course includes Latin, German, French, higher English, also a thorough preparation for a teacher's certificate. The shorthand course includes shorthand, touch typewriting, business correspondence, spelling, etc. The business course includes bookkeeping, business arithmetic, commercial law, penmanship, spelling, etc.

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In the background {above the Normal Business College sign} is the county building clock tower {since torn down} The clock is down on the waterfront now.



Front of the Normal Business building occupying only a portion of the building.



EAST & NORTH FACING GRAVES NORMAL SCHOOL SIGNS (2013):



Circa 1908. Notice sign {top building} looks fairly new.

Petoskey Record
 Local News, 2nd column
 Wednesday, September 11, 1901

M. O. Graves has put out posters announcing the opening of the Petoskey Normal School and Business College on September 30th, in its new home in the second story of the Barnum block, corner of Mitchell street and Woodland avenue. The new rooms are designed especially for Mr. Graves, and are much more convenient for his school than the old ones in the Smith block.

The Independent Democrat, Local News, 3rd column
 Friday, September 13, 1901
 Price 5 cents copy \$1.50 year

--Prof. M. O. Graves is busily engaged in preparing for the opening of the Petoskey Normal School and Business College in the new Barnum block on September 30th. The new quarters occupy the entire second floor of the block, and are being arranged especially for the needs of the school. The Professor already has a number of students on the ground, with the prospects of a good attendance at the opening.

THE PETOSKEY NORMAL SCHOOL AND BUSINESS COLLEGE
 Petoskey, Emmet County, Michigan

Extracted 1889 ad from Michigan Teachers Directory

Tenth Year

**The Petoskey Normal School
 and Business College**

is the **TEACHERS' SCHOOL**

AMBITIOUS TEACHERS can prepare here for higher grade certificates more quickly, more thoroughly, and at less expense, than at any other school in the North Central States.

- Third grade teachers prepare for second grade in six to twenty-four weeks.
- Second grade teachers prepare for first grade in twelve to thirty weeks.
- First grade teachers prepare for State certificates in twenty-four to forty-eight weeks.

School All the Year Our Summer Terms

offer special advantages to teachers who wish to crowd for examination or to pursue advanced studies.

All studies offered during our regular year (except laboratory work) are offered during the summer.

At Petoskey, "the Beautiful," you enjoy all the pleasures of an ideal summer resort, with all the advantages of thorough and skillful instruction.

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PETOSKEY Normal School.

M. O. GRAVES, M. A., (U. of M.)
 PRINCIPAL.

Our Summer Terms

Offer three lines of work of Special Benefit to Teachers.

1. Reviews for all Grades and State Certificate.
2. Complete Commercial and Shorthand Courses, Typewriting and telegraphy.
3. Individual Instruction in all Language, Collegiate and Literary Studies.

A Summer Spent in "Petoskey, the Beautiful," is an Inspiration.

Petoskey Summer Normal School
 Extracted Michigan Teachers Directory

. . . **COURSES** . . .

- Normal**—All grades—County and State certificates.
- Preparatory**—Classical, Scientific, English—for any college or University—Latin, Greek, German, French.
- Post-Preparatory**—Prepares for sophomore year in college.
- Commercial**—Shorthand, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, Telegraphy, Electrical Engineering, Common Law.
- Special**—Civil Service, Fencing, Elocution, Delsarte, Music, Drawing, Kindergarten, Spanish, Italian.

TUITION—County certificate and English preparatory, \$5 per month, \$10 per quarter.

State certificate courses, Commercial, Special and Languages, \$7 per month, \$15 per quarter.

LIVING EXPENSES—(Board, furnished room, light and heat), \$1.50 to \$2.00 per week.

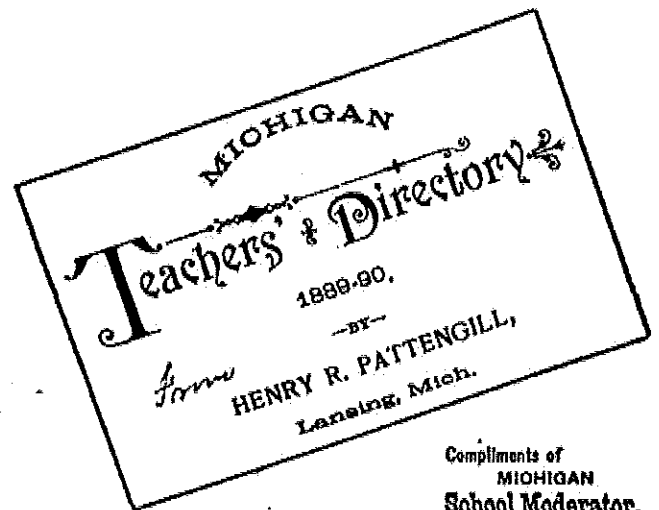
The Principal is a graduate (M. A.) of the University of Michigan, and all other teachers employed are equally well fitted for their work. Remember that the

PETOSKEY SUMMER NORMAL

is a practical teachers' **SCHOOL**, and *not* a summer lecture course. You take what you need. You progress as rapidly as you can do the work.

M. O. GRAVES, M. A., *Principal,*
 Petoskey, Mich.

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 Graves Petoskey Normal School



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