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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. 37

THURSDAY, JANUARY 9

No. 1



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CITY AND VICINITY.

With this issue the News enters upon its thirty seventh year.

On January 1 taxes to the amount of \$7,572 53 remained uncollected.

This is the week of prayer and special services are being held in all the churches.

Eighth annual green tickets sale largest ever. Begins Jan 7. Lokker-Rutgers Co.

John Weersing has moved his real estate office from Central avenue to the Yntema block on River street.

An Anti-Tuberculosis society has been formed in Coopersville. This is a good move for only by organized can it be combatted.

Joe Pino has taken a months vacation from the position of night clerk at Van Drezers restaurant to recover from his recent severe illness. His place has been taken by Ray Fairbanks.

Mrs. James Brayton of Grand Rapids, state regent of National Society of the Daughters of the Revolution organized a chapter of the society at the home of Mrs. C. M. McLean last Thursday afternoon. Seventeen members were enrolled. Mr. McLean was appointed regent of the Holland chapter.

A large number of the local lodge of Free Masons went to Saugatuck last night to attend the dedication of the new Masonic hall. Grand Master Sweet of Dowagiac was in charge of affairs and Postmaster Fred Wade was toastmaster at the banquet which followed the dedicatory exercises.

People sending letters through the mail to friends living on rural routes should bear in mind that all letters, whether sealed or not, must bear a two cent stamp. Another rule of interest to rural routes is that patrons who mail letters and place pennies in the box for postage, must enclose the money in a piece of paper.

One hundred worth of groceries were stolen from M. Wursma's peddling wagon at Zeeland last Sunday night. Mr. Wursma hails from Muskegon and drives the wagon through the county selling groceries. The robbery was committed while the wagon was in a livery stable at Zeeland.

The Annual Roudup Farmer's Institute of Ottawa county will be held at Zeeland the 27th and 28th of this month. This institute promises to be one of the best of its kind ever held in this county. Yours truly is working hard to make a success of it. Program and further particulars later on.
J. V. D. Luyster, Sec.

The first marriage license of the year 1908 was issued by County Clerk Fred F. McEachron January 2. The couple who have the honor of being the first to secure a license to marry in Ottawa county this year were Bert A. Yarrington of Berlin and Edith Woodman also of Berlin. For the year 1907, the number 410 marks the record.

A man 35 years of age, dead broke, was found in front of Kuite's meat market Thursday night in great pain. On reciting to Patrolman Steketee a tale of woe to the effect that he had been operated upon for appendicitis five times, the last time about three weeks ago, and that he was threatened with another attack, enough money was raised to send him back to Chicago. Dr. Winter examined him and said that he was able to stand the journey.

The original Rube Comedian, E. Knapp, showed here last week at the Amuse theater, his funny song "Morning Si," being quite a hit, and he kept his audience laughing heartily with his funny saying. His eccentric dancing was great. He got curtain calls every performance, proving that he is one of the best comedians ever seen in our city. Miss Ethel Darr opened the show with her dainty dancing and closed with toe dancing. She certainly is a clever little actress. The Amuse had the best vaudeville show seen of its history last week. And there will be others.

Eleven Days In Cuba.

(Continued from last week.)

From Ceballos we went to Bartle, a new town started two years ago on the Cuban railroad in the province of Santiago. Bartle is east of Camagui, and the north and south shores of Cuba are about equal distances from it. This is the most American looking town we struck. It resembles a typical Michigan community, with its houses and stores made of lumber and its wide streets. The faith that progressive men have in promising looking business enterprises is shown here in the shape of a handsome stone depot. The depot shows the faith that Sir William Van Horn has in the future of Bartle, for it is the best on the Cuban railroad and was erected but a short time after the axe of the first settler was driven into the timbered land to clear away a site for the town. Sir William knew that the land in the locality was good, that the situation was all that could be desired, and he also knew that the founder of the town, D. O. Bull, of Toronto, Canada, had the qualifications necessary to push a project of this kind to success.

The inhabitants of Bartle are from Canada, England, and this country, the states represented being Ohio, Georgia, Michigan, Florida

along the old trails used by Cuban soldiers or Cuban settlers of other days we got close to Cuban nature. The weather was not hot enough to be oppressive, it never is there, for early in the day, when the sun's rays are expected to scorch, the trade wind hurries over the island and takes away the sting of the heat. We were dressed in our summer clothes, light underwear, the thinnest gauze, and outing shirts, and although it was Thanksgiving week in November the weather was August and the wind was tempered to the shorn lamb. Flower gardens were above us as we marched along. That's no joke, for there the flower gardens are on the tree tops. On many of the trees there is a fungus growth in which the flowers take root and bloom in all their tropical glory. Orchids are the principal flowers that grow on the treetops, but other blossoms also appear and make a scene of unique beauty. These flower gardens are on the taller trees and below them growing wild, were orange trees, lemon trees and other tropical plants, adding to the wild picturesqueness of the most novel forest scene it has ever been my lot to witness. Occasionally above all would tower stately palms and somber cedars adding the spice of variety to it all. Surely the tree top flower gardens of Cuba are wonderfully beautiful.



Lemon tree eighteen months old from which we took a lemon 5 1-4 in. in diameter

and New York. There are not many Cubans there. We enjoyed our stay in Bartle for it was just like going home.

Sleeping in the hotel at Bartle is one of the pleasures of life. There are partitions in the rooms, but as they do not reach the ceiling it is so far as air space is concerned nearly the same as one big room. There are no windows in the rooms, but a wide space in each bedroom fitted with shutters. When we got ready to retire we drew our beds up to the open space and were fanned all night long by the soothing breezes that simmer through the night dew. This dew is something great in its way. It settles over the island every night and as you lie abed the drip of the water from the roof and from the trees to the grass below makes you think it is raining. But it is not rain, only a heavy, heavy dew that refreshes the island, drives away any chance of drought and cools and comforts every living thing. To hear the drip of the dew in the middle of the night when awakened by the scream of some feathered creature, and then look out the window at the countless stars and realize that not a cloud or a raindrop is between land and sky is a novel experience to a Michigander, for in Michigan our dew is mist and when the mist forms into drops sufficient to be divorced from mistiness, then it is rain with attendant clouds hiding the system of lighting planets in the heavens. This Cuban dew is a great thing for the island, being one of the reasons why it never grows dry and why irrigation is not needed.

"Oh, but," you say, "the mosquitoes will eat you up if you keep your windows, or rather your shutters, open."

"Mosquitoes nothing! We slept with our windows open every night, and not once were we bothered by the annoying whirr of these packages of itching stings. As for flies, they are not numerous enough to be taken seriously in Cuba."

While at Bartle we saw Cuba at close range, for we skirmined around the vicinity on horseback for nearly three days. It was a fine experience, this roaming through the island on ponies imported from Texas and on bronchos brought in from the ranches of the northwest. As we followed along in Indian file

Sometimes we would break away from the heavily timbered lands into the open country, but the open country seldom lasted for more than a mile. In these open places we had the opportunity of seeing how high the guinea grass and the parana grass grew. Sometimes the grass covered our horses and brushed our faces as we rode. We saw some spears of it growing near trees, and these spears were eighteen feet high, the trees keeping the grass from being leveled by the wind. We saw a little prairie lands in our travels. They call them savannahs there. But timber land and the land where the cabbage palm and the royal palm broke the monotony of the plains of guinea grass and parana grass, predominated.

The only game worth shooting that we saw while we rode through the woods was possum. It was pos



A Plant in a Cuban Garden

sum, possum, possum on many a limb. Finally the sporting instincts of Mr. Ford, a young man from Washington, D. D., got the better of judgment and he drew a bead on a plump looking possum. But Mistah Possum was too smooth for Ford and the bullet found him not. Then we as usual fell back upon our old reliable scout and interpreter, Judge Templeton. The Judge took his trusty six shooter, forgot all about political conditions in Ohio long enough to concentrate all his thoughts upon the mighty duty before him or rather above, and then glancing along the polished barrel with blinking eye he carelessly triggered with delicate touch and away sped the bullet on its grand mission of destruction. The possum with lumbering grace but with angle around the

dropped Mistah Possum in the underbrush. The possum played possum for a time, but Mr. Jarvis and Mr. Ford cut away the underbrush with their trusty machetes and the victim of the Judge's bullet was located after a diligent search. Thus did Judge Templeton gain fame as our champion marksman. He later gained fame as our champion fisherman, catching everything from the little fish in the little brooks of Bartle to the big fish that swim in the gulf. But he never caught a shark. Neither did Mr. Snell, although the shark was not to blame. It did all it could. It bit. As an acrobat the Judge also excelled. His horse stumbled him over his head, and after perambulating in the ethereal azure for a period the Judge lit on his shoulders, took a headpin and landed right side up in a sitting posture. As an acrobat though the judge was not in it compared with your humble servant from Holland. I gained fame the first time I tried to mount my horse without assistance. I flew under the horse and landed on the other side, and then they solaced me by saying that the saddle twisted to the bottom instead of the top of my trusty steed. Trusty because said steed never moved while I was indulging in my acrobatic stunts. Mr. Avery also dented the acrobatic record. But it was because his saddle girth broke, not because he did not know how to ride horseback. Alderman Gilson of Toledo, Ohio, held down his horse well. He was heavy enough to do it. Li Brand Whitlock, the mayor wants to keeps down the lid in Toledo all he has to do is to get Dick Gilson to sit. The lid will stay put if weight will do it. Every ounce of Dick is good fellowship at that.

Now and then we heard the tinkling of a bell and soon a six-ox outfit would come lazily moseying along. These ox teams are the means of transportation in the forests of Cuba. They are attached to big two wheelers and while slow are as sure as the crack of doom. When night overtakes an ox team outfit and its driver, the driver fastens the six oxen to a long rope and turns them loose. Then he swings his hammock under the cart like two-wheeler and sleeps the sleep of the wearied and unworried. In the morning the tinkling of the bell tells the driver where his oxen are feeding and he hies to them and drives them to the cart, hitching up and meanders slowly on the way.

Occasionally we would come to a clearing over which underbrush was just beginning to straggle. Some of the spots in these clearings were still bare. Mr. Bull told us that these were the places where the insurgent armies or the Spanish armies camped during the war days. He said that the places were entirely bare when he first rode through the wilderness looking over the Bartle lands, and that it was surprising how quickly barrenness gave way to verdure.

One day as we reached one of these open spots we saw a pack of dogs dart from one side of the fringe of woods, leap through the clearing and dash into the woods on the other side. We thought that some hunters were following their dogs after fleet footed game, but we had another guess coming. We were told that they were wild dogs. Once they were tame and domestic but when war broke up households, the dogs were allowed to roam at will and as the years went by they forgot their early training and became wild. Every Cuban family thinks it an honor to have a lot of dogs around the house so you can imagine that there are a considerable number of them now at large in different degrees of wildness. But they are not dangerous unless driven into a corner. Many a night in the land looking days two years ago Mr. Bull slept in the woods wherever night overtook him and was never molested by wild dogs.

To be continued

The Standard Roller Mills, which has been idle since the Walsh-De Roo company went bankrupt, together with the large elevator on the north have been purchased by John Leenhouts, a farmer of Holland township. Itte Muller, who resided here from D. ... equipped with new ... operated by motor ... cereal plant still re ... sion of John J. Ca ... William



Jamestown.

Wesley Goen is busy drawing logs for a new barn.

J.S. and Phillip Matzen of Grand Rapids visited with Al Matzen a few days last week.

Al Simmer was in Grand Rapids on business last week.

Birney, the 9 year old son of E. D. Harig of Byron Center fell from his hand sled and fractured his skull, from which he died instantly.

Saugatuck.

Officers were elected as follows at the Congregation church election: D. F. Bird, F. Hayes and Jos. Bedford trustees for three year and E. H. House trustee for two years and A. C. Zwemer as honorary trustee. John Koning was elected treasurer, J. A. Aliber, Secretary and Miss Cornelia Koning, organist. A vote of thanks was given Miss Koning for her past work in that line. A vote of thanks was also extended to their choir. Votes of thanks were taken for the Ladies Aid Society and the trustees for their work. Mrs. Joseph Zwemer, F. G. Hayes and W. H. Manning were elected delegates to the association. W. H. Manning, W. A. Coates and W. R. Takken were elected as the soliciting committee.

Howard Coates has gone to Chicago to take a position as stationary engineer.

H. M. Bird is becoming interested in the poultry business and has bought some fancy English pheasants. He has also some thoroughbred Rhode Island Reds.

Mrs. Fred Plummer who has been quite ill for the past couple of weeks is somewhat better.

As Miller Robinson's family could not very well leave here he decided to give up his position in Jacksonville, Florida and is now home again. While in Jacksonville he had charge of the watch repair work for the firm which did repairing and adjusting for the railroad companies.

Douglas.

Enrollment for fall term was larger than same time last year.

A class in book keeping will be formed immediately upon the opening of school. This will take the place of botany, which will be suspended until the opening of the spring term.

The supper at the M. E. parsonage netted \$7.50.

New Holland.

K. Weener was in Grand Rapids a few weeks ago.

Bert C. Slag of Zeeland is visiting his parents.

John Meeuwssen is busy buying cattle.

The young Ladies' Mission Circle met at the home of Miss Nettie Brouwer Wednesday afternoon.

Benj J. Essenberg was in Holland Friday to visit his brother, N. J. Essenberg who had his leg amputated at Ann Arbor a month ago and who is now very ill with pleurisy.

Mr. and Mrs. John VanderVorste of Westfield, North Dakota, are visiting relatives at New Holland.

John J. Slag is remodeling his residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reidsema who left for Denver Col., some five months ago on account of Mr. Reidsema's health are expected home in a week.

Mr. H. L. Stratton of Grand Rapids are visiting their parents at this place.

Edward J. Smith is very sick with typhoid fever.

Mrs. K. Weener is also on the sick list.

Zeeland.

A public meeting of the Y. M. C. A. will be held Monday evening, January 26, at Good Will Hall. A good program will be given.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the State Commercial and Savings Bank of Zeeland, Mich., will be held at the banking rooms on Tuesday, Jan. 14, 1908, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Overisel.

Mrs. Tucker who has been seriously ill is now improved.

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this week from Coopersville where he has been the guest of relatives.

Rev. Boot, a Missionary to China has been in this vicinity this week, to collect money with which to build schools in China.

Mrs. D. Korting is on the sick list.

There has been fine skating, this week, on Beltman's Pond and a number of young people have availed themselves of the opportunity.

Miss Sena Voorhorst of Holland spent the holidays with relatives here.

A. Lampen has been appointed janitor of the Christian Reformed church.

Hamilton.

Jacob Borgman and wife of Orange City, Iowa, arrived here last Friday for a month's visit with his brother William and family.

The Hamilton cornet band is progressing finely, and last Thursday evening, Jacob Wickers of Holland, a noted cornet player, gave instructions to the band. The third Thursday in February a concert will be given to our citizens by the home band.

The four boys of John Oonk of Holland, visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Klinkers.

Mrs. Henry Elmer returned home last Saturday from a fourteen day stay in Grand Rapids where she has been caring for her daughter who has been very sick but is now improving.

William Root of this place and Miss Freda Selby of Dunningville while skating on the bayou in this village fell and received severe bruises.

Messrs Lewis and William Peterham returned home with their sister, Mrs. Flora Holzman to Hobart Tuesday.

Mrs. Abe Japinga of Kalamazoo sister of Jacob Osterhouse of this village, visited here last week.

Grove Clark and Miss Bertha McWilliams were married recently.

Mrs. G. L. Davies was called to Lansing by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. L. L. Appleyard. Mrs. Davies returned Wednesday and her daughter is improving.

Smoking hams is the business being done here now.

East Holland.

The Misses Sophia and Janet Schaap and Edward Boeve are home for their Xmas vacation. They attend Hope college in Holland.

The Misses Francis and Mary De Witt, students of the Theological school, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weersing.

Cornelius Herdis is visiting relatives and friends at this place.

Mrs. John Terpstra visited her sister in Kalamazoo last week.

John Baron went to Forest Grove Tuesday, where he will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Boeve and family spent New Years in Graafschap at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boeve. Miss Lena Brandt was also a guest there the same day.

Gibson.

Carl Bennett spent his vacation at home. He is attending the Saugatuck high school.

Jim and George Campbell of Douglas visited our school last Friday.

The quarterly meeting was well attended last Saturday and Sunday and all are invited to assist Revs. Young and Bradley with their revival meetings during this week at the W. M. church.

Mr. and Mrs. Argo left last week for the south where they will spend the winter.

Leap Year parties are all the rage now days.

Mr. Spencer's health is improving.

Crisp.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. John Kooiker died last week Monday.

The families of Albert Mulder and Dick Dams are quarantined on account of diphtheria.

Rev. G. D. DeJong was in Holland last Sunday and conducted services in the Sixteenth street Christian Reformed church, while Student DeVries of Grand Rapids occupied the pulpit here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Noor of Muskegon spent a few days with their parents here.

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The Misses Jennie and Gertie Arends of Holland spent New Years at home.

West Olive.

For months past Mr. and Mrs. Patterson Sankey have looked forward to the celebration of their Golden Wedding which occurred at their home north of West Olive on Jan. 2. It was a brilliant affair, the house being decorated with evergreens and a supper served that would fully satisfy the appetite of a king. Mr. and Mrs. Sankey received many costly gifts, and many good wishes which they seemed to enjoy. May they live to celebrate their Diamond wedding was the wish of many.

Mrs. E. D. McNeil and son Robert left Monday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Ledlie of Pittsburg, Pennsylvania. During her absence the store will be in charge of Mrs. Charles Binns.

Mrs. A. Fredricks of Chicago is at home for a period of time looking after her interests here.

We notice our Deputy Game Warden Chas. K. Hoyt violated the game law by capturing a dear New Years.—Success and prosperity Charlie.

There are a number of hunters using ferrets in bagging rabbits. It will be well for these men to leave them at home or suffer the penalty of the law. They are known and this is a warning.

Beaverdam.

Arnold Bareuse spent New Year's day with his parents.

Many young people from this vicinity attended the entertainment at Vriesland last Monday evening.

Nellie Ver Meulen has again resumed her duties at Ypsilanti.

Our Hope students all left for Holland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Baron of Holland visited with parents here this week.

Rev. Scholten conducted services here last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Dalman from Zeeland visited friends and relatives here the past week.

The Women's Mission meeting met at the parsonage last Wednesday afternoon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. Huyser on Dec. 30, a boy.

Will Huyser spent a few days with his parents the past week.

Miss Margaret De Groot from Vriesland visited many friends here New Year's day.

Among the visitors here Sunday were Jennie Holsteger of So. Blendon, Jennie Schut from Kalamazoo, Messrs. Holsteger and Scholten from S. Blendon, Mrs. G. Van Uyke and Mrs. Mouw from Grand Rapids.

East Saugatuck.

H. Kotman is slowly recovering from his illness.

Mrs. G. J. Nyland of Holland was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Schrotenboer, Sunday.

A. Feyen of Holland visited his brother, F. Feyen, Sunday.

The Misses Jennie and Reka Brinks returned last week from Grand Rapids, where they have been visiting their sister, Mrs. S. Harmon.

Miss Goldie Palmer, teacher in the Laketown school, is entitled to much credit for the manner in which she carried out the Christmas program. A good program was given by her pupils and the Misses Mary Carter and Clara Zwemer both contributed numbers to the program which were greatly enjoyed.

Mr. Maxam and Miss Minnie Kolenbrander were married by Rev. J. Manni Dec. 31. They will reside here as Mr. Maxam is night operator for the P. M. Ry. at this station.

H. Bouwkamp and family from Holland and S. Meplink and family from Graafschap were the guests of Miss Minnie Hazelaar New Years.

Real Estate Transfers.

Amelia R. Heath by executors to Chas. O. Skinner, w. 1/2 of lot 30, Judson's add, village of Saugatuck; \$250.

Alonzo A. Greenhalgh to Daniel L. Barber and George Crawford, lot 20, village of Saugatuck, \$300. (Deed made in 1893.)

Mortimer A. Sooy et al to John Dobben, lot 7, Osborne's sub. lots 1 and 2 add. 1, Harrington; \$450.

William B. Baarman and wife to Cornelius Van Loo, pt n 1/2 ne 1/4, ne 1/4, ne 1/4 sec 2J Zeeland; \$600.

Effie Schilleman to Peter Baar and wife, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 27, 28, 41, 42, Schilleman's add to city of Zeeland; \$1000.

Ernestine Payelsen to Roy E. Richard and wife; lot 16 blk 3, Cutler & Sheldon's add to city of Grand Haven; \$200.

Jan Bredeweg and wife to Second Ref church, Jameston, pt nw 1/4 sec.

15 tp of Jamestown; \$100.

Jacobus Sprint and wife to John G. Smith, lot 14, blk B. Bosman's add, Holland; \$1125.

Jan Ten Hagen to Tisma Van Dragt, n 1/2 sw 1/4 sec 23 tp of Olive \$650.

Isaac Bazan and wife to John J. Wabeke se 1/4 ne 1/4, sec 2 tp of Holland; \$1400.

Pieter Bareman et al to William Bareman, pt n 1/2 ne 1/4 ne 1/4 sec 24, Zeeland; \$100.

Gerrit J. Diekema et al to Peter Bontekoe, w 18 ft lot 5 blk 14, S. W. add Holland; \$150.

Charlie Kantenberg and wife to Henry Kantenberg w 1/2 sw 1/4 sw 1/4 sec. 2 twp Blendon; \$500.

Mrs. Geertje Zonnebelt has sold 60 acres of land in Holland township to Elce Kleiterp of Wisconsin for \$3,700.

The Old and New Way.

Some Important Facts Which May Prove Helpful.

Thirty years ago old-fashioned cod liver oil had to be forced down a patient's throat. Invalids couldn't take it, children wouldn't. But the doctors prescribed it, and it had to be taken by force. Yet it cured people where enough could be taken into the system, for it has ever been the greatest of all tissue builders and general reconstructors known to medicine.

We are now anxious to have every one know that Vinol is a new form of this very old and valuable remedy, containing in a concentrated form all the medicinal elements of cod liver oil, actually taken from fresh cods' livers, but by an extractive and concentrating process it is made without oil or grease and it is as delicious to the taste as a fresh orange.

Vinol does not upset the stomach like old fashioned cod liver oil and emulsions; its strengthening and healing properties are remarkable, and both doctors and patients are delighted with its action.

Many wonderful cures right here in Holland have been effected by its use, and we ask all our customers to try Vinol on our guarantee to return money, every time it fails to make rich, red blood, increase the appetite, cure stomach troubles give strength and renewed vitality to the aged, run down, tired and debilitated, or cure chronic colds, hacking coughs or bronchitis. R. M. DePree & Co., Druggists, Holland, Mich.

Eighth annual Green ticket sale largest ever. Begins Jan 7. Lokker Rutgers Co.

TEXAS EXCURSION!

Pick roses at Brownsville. See the large stock ranches, some having 80 to 100,000 head of blooded stock. See the greatest cotton State. See the greatest corn farms. See the greatest sugar plantations. See the greatest alfalfa farms. See the wonderful Gulf Coast county. See the wonderful truck and fruit farms giving net profits of \$150 to \$500.00 per acre. Crops on the market 3 to 6 weeks ahead of any part of the country.

Tuesday, January 21st

is the date we go. See us about lowest rates. Entire trip can be made for \$50.00. Get literature etc.

GULF COAST LAND CO., 238 1/2 So. River St., Holland, Mich.

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Cheapest fuel Holland has seen for years. We have large quantities that must be moved, and quote the following prices:

YARD PRICES.		DELIVERED PRICES.	
Hemlock	\$1 00	Hemlock	\$1 25
Ash	1 25	Ash	1 50
Maple	1 75	Maple	2 00

Send in Your Order to any of the Coal Dealers, or to

C. L. K. Co.'s Office



Is your baby thin, weak, fretful?

Make him a *Scott's Emulsion* baby.

Scott's Emulsion is Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites prepared so that it is easily digested by little folks.

Consequently the baby that is fed on *Scott's Emulsion* is a sturdy, rosy-cheeked little fellow full of health and vigor.

ALL DRUGGISTS: 50c. AND \$1.00.

A Long Life

How To Conserve Energy and Prolong Life.

The time comes to every one when the life force begins to fail. It is a little harder to climb a hill or walk up stairs. Exercise is taken less vigorously or abandoned, and we feel that the end of active service is drawing near.

It is more than probable that we have been over-driving the machine of the body which will give out like any machine if overtaxed and we should immediately take steps to change the gear, build up the strength and restore the life forces. To this end nothing equals our delicious cod liver and iron preparation, Vinol, which is far superior to all other tonics and cod liver preparations because it is made by a scientific, extractive, concentrating process from fresh cods' livers, combining with peptonate of iron all the medicinal, healing, body-building elements of cod liver oil, but no oil.

As a body builder and strength creator for old people, delicate children, weak, run down persons, after sickness and for chronic coughs, colds, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles, Vinol is unexcelled.

Try it on our offer to return your money if it fails. R. M. DePree & Co., Druggists, Holland Mich.

For a mild easy action of the bowels, a single dose of Doan's Regulants is enough. Treatment cures habitual constipation, 25 cents a box. Ask your druggist for them.

"Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil is the best remedy for that often fatal disease—croup. Has been used with great success in our family for eight years."

Here's Good Advice.

O. S. Woolever, one of the best known merchants of Le Raysville, N. Y., says, "If you are at all troubled with piles, apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It cured me of them for good 20 years ago." Guaranteed for sores, wounds, burns abrasions, 25c a Walsh Drug Co's. Drug store.

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40 Acres, Ottawa Station	" 1,250
30 Acres, Olive Center	" 1,550
40 Acres, 5 1/2 miles north east of Holland	" 2,700
40 Acres, 2 1/2 miles north of Zeeland	" 3,200
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All the blood in the body passes through the kidneys once every minutes. They work night and day. When healthy they remove about 500 grains of impure matter daily, when unhealthy some part of this impure matter is left in the blood. This brings on many diseases and symptoms—pain in the back, headaches, nervousness, hot, dry skin, rheumatism, gout, gravel, disorders of the eyesight and hearing, dizziness, irregular heart, debility, drowsiness, dropsy, deposits in the urine etc. But if you keep the filters right you will have no trouble with your kidneys.

Michael Schwarz, retired dairyman, 689 Central Ave., Holland, Mich., says, "Doan's Kidney Pills have been used in my family with very satisfactory results. Last fall I caught a severe cold which settled in my kidneys. I thought little of it at first but it soon grew worse and I was annoyed with dull, heavy pains across my back and loins. I felt as if my back was splitting and I could not bend over or lift anything only with great misery. I gradually grew worse and did not know what to get to relieve me. I was telling a neighbor of my trouble and he advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills. I procured a box at Doesburg's drug store and after using them only a short time felt greatly relieved. I continued taking them and when I had used half a box, my backache and accompanying symptoms of the trouble had all disappeared. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me and I felt better in every respect.

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"I have had seven years of proof that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best medicine to take for coughs and colds and for every diseased condition of throat, chest or lungs," says W. V. Henry, of Panama, Mo. The world has had thirty-eight years of proof that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best remedy for coughs and colds, la grippe, asthma, hay fever, bronchitis, hemorrhage of the lungs, and the early stages of consumption. Its timely use always prevents the development of pneumonia. Sold under guarantee at Walsh Drug Co.'s drug store. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

The "New California" south Eastern Texas.

Where is the "New California?" All concede that it is in Southeastern Texas. The climate there is unsurpassed, and the lands, which are the most fertile known, sell for from \$15 to \$35 per acre. For a fare of \$25 for the round trip from Chicago, the Rock Island railroad will give special excursion trips the 1st and 3rd Tuesday in each month. Special hotel cars will provide berths and meals for \$2 per day. See Henry Kleyn, special agent at Holland, Mich., for information.

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Watched Fifteen Years.

"For fifteen years I have watched the working of Bucklen's Arnica Salve; and it has never failed to cure any sore, boil, ulcer or burn to which it was applied. It has saved us many a doctor bill," says A. P. Hardy, of East Wilton, Maine, 25c. at Walsh Drug store.

Mind Your Business!

If you don't nobody will. It is your business to keep out of all trouble you can and you can and will keep out of liver and bowel trouble if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They keep biliousness, malaria and jaundice out of your system. 25c. at Walsh Drug Co.'s drug store.

Heavy, impure blood makes a muddy, pimply complexion, headaches, nausea, indigestion. Thin blood makes you weak, pale, sickly. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills restores

TWO HUSBANDS SLAY WIVES

EACH MURDERER ATTEMPTS TO END HIS OWN LIFE.

Strikingly Similar Tragedies, Caused by Jealousy, in Ludington, Mich., and Easton, Pa.

Ludington, Mich., Jan. 6.—Crazed by jealousy Leonard Brown of Grand Rapids came here from his home Sunday, drove six miles into the country to the farm of Robert Johnson, where his wife was staying, and shot the woman, wounding her so that she died in a few hours.

Brown then fired two bullets into Johnson's body, and tried to commit suicide, firing three shots into his own head. None of them will prove fatal, however, and Johnson will also recover from his wounds. Brown, who had not lived with his wife for two years, accused Johnson of breaking up his home.

Easton, Pa., Jan. 6.—Frank Smith, son of City Comptroller Chester Smith, murdered his wife Sunday and then attempted to commit suicide. Smith and his wife had been separated for some time. Sunday morning the husband forced an entrance to the house occupied by his wife and her sister. After securing a carving knife Smith stole to the room occupied by the two women and plunged the weapon into his wife's heart, killing her instantly.

He left the house and going to his father's residence, several blocks away, told him of the crime he had committed. The startling information unnerved the father and before he could regain his composure the son attempted to kill himself by gashing his throat and abdomen. The physicians say that Smith will recover. He charged his wife with infidelity.

Boston, Jan. 6.—Vito Constanzo, aged 23, shot and fatally wounded Mamie Zarella, aged 25, Sunday, and then shot himself. The woman died before a doctor could reach her. Constanzo is not expected to live. A quarrel, due to jealousy, is supposed to have led to the deed.

MUNCIE'S STRIKE IS BROKEN.

Cars on All Lines, Almost Without Molestation.

Muncie, Ind., Jan. 6.—The backbone of Muncie's labor element is broken. Cars were run Sunday from morning until dusk over the city, with the exception of a scattering stone throwing on outskirts, the cars were unmolested, notwithstanding they were manned by imported strikebreakers and unguarded as far as deputy sheriffs or troops were concerned.

Muncie, Ind., Jan. 4.—At a conference Friday night between Adj. Gen. Perry, Mayor Guthrie, the sheriff, city officials and several prominent citizens, it was decided to ask Gov. Hanly to send state troops here at once.

When the day's work was ended many of the policemen who had been on constant duty for 48 hours lay down on the station floor and fell asleep. The majority of the special men who had been sworn in refused to serve longer.

As a result Gen. Perry telephoned Gov. Hanly details of the situation and he promptly ordered out battery A and four companies of Indianapolis infantry and eight companies from other cities in the state. The understanding was that martial law is not to be proclaimed until necessary, the duty of the troops being to work in conjunction with the police in maintaining order. The troops will be brought by special cars.

SLAIN WOMAN IDENTIFIED.

Victim of New Jersey Murder Recognized by Her Sister.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 4.—After a half-dozen supposed identifications had been disproved the police were satisfied Friday night that the woman murdered on the flats that border the Passaic river, in Harrison, was Helena Salter Whitmore, who, with her husband, Theodore S. Whitmore, conducted a furnished room house at 235 Adams street, Brooklyn.

The identification was made by the woman's sister, Mrs. Susan Schmitter, of the Bronx, and corroborated by Mrs. Schmitter's husband, Martin, Frank Englert, a friend, and finally by the murdered woman's husband. Whitmore has been detained by the police and a summons was issued for Englert. The latter, who admitted an intimate acquaintance with Mrs. Whitmore, was able to go into so minute detail in his identification that the authorities believe he will prove a valuable witness.

SAUSAGE CASE DECIDED.

Use of Cereal and Water Declared to Be Adulteration.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 4.—Circuit Judge West Friday afternoon in an opinion held that the use of cereal and water in sausage is an adulteration of the product and brings it within the scope of the state pure food law prohibiting adulterations.

The decision was made in the application of Armour & Co. for an injunction to restrain the state dairy and food department from interfering with the sale of their sausage because cereal and water are used in its manufacture.

Pioneer Passes Away.

Denver, Col., Jan. 6.—William L. Dalley, who, with William N. Byers, founded the Rocky Mountain News in 1859, died at his residence here after an illness of several months. Mr. Dalley was born in Tiffin, O. in 1833.

FINANCIAL BILL IS NOW IN SENATE

PREPARED BY REPUBLICAN MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

FOR EMERGENCY BANK CIRCULATION PLAN

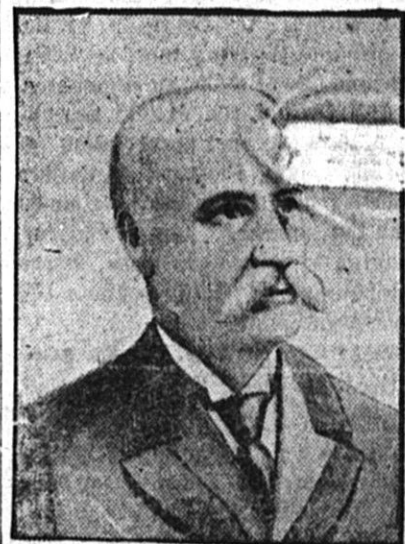
The Amount of Such Currency, Shall, at No Time, Exceed \$250,000,000—Aldrich Introduces Bill—Authority of Comptroller of Currency.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The financial bill, which has for some time been in preparation by leading Republican members of the senate committee on finance, was Tuesday printed and given to the public.

The bill provides for an additional issue of bank circulation which shall at no time exceed \$250,000,000 upon bonds other than those issued by the government, including state and municipal bonds in approved cases. The comptroller of the currency is given discretion in the issuance of the proposed currency and is authorized to decide as to the time and the amount to be awarded to any banking institution. It is provided that the increased circulation shall in no case exceed 75 per cent. of the value of the bonds deposited.

Senator Aldrich introduced the bill in the senate soon after that body convened. Following are the first three sections of the bill:

"That any national banking association which has circulating notes outstanding, secured by the deposit of United States bonds to an amount of



Senator Aldrich.

not less than 50 per centum of its capital stock, and which has a surplus of not less than 20 per centum, may make application to the comptroller of the currency for authority to issue additional circulating notes to be secured by the deposit of bonds other than bonds of the United States. The comptroller of the currency, if in his judgment business conditions demand such additional circulation and the condition of the association making the application warrants the issue, may approve such application and shall determine the time of issue and shall fix the amount, within the limitations hereinafter imposed, of such additional circulating notes to be issued. Whenever after receiving notice of such approval any such association shall deposit with the treasurer or any assistant treasurer of the United States such of the bonds described in section two of this act as shall be approved in character and amount by the treasurer of the United States and the secretary of the treasury, it shall be entitled to receive, upon the order of the comptroller of the currency, circulating notes, in blank, registered and countersigned as provided by law, equal in amount to 75 per centum of the market value, as fixed by the treasurer of the United States of the bonds so deposited, such additional circulating notes to be used, held and treated in the same way as circulating notes of national banking associations heretofore issued and secured by a deposit of United States bonds, and shall be subject to all the provisions of law affecting such notes. Provided, that the amount of such additional circulating notes, delivered at any time to any association, shall not in any case exceed the limit fixed for such issue by the comptroller of the currency. And provided further, that the total amount of circulating notes outstanding of any national banking association secured by United States bonds or otherwise, shall not at any time exceed the amount of its unimpaired capital and surplus. And provided further, that there shall not be outstanding at any time circulating notes issued under the provisions of this act to an amount of more than \$250,000,000. And provided further, that all acts and orders of the comptroller of the currency and the treasurer of the United States authorized by this section shall have the approval of the secretary of the treasury.

"Section 2. That the treasurer of the United States, with the approval of the secretary of the treasury, may accept as security for the additional circulating notes provided for in the preceding section, bonds or other interest-bearing obligations of any state of the United States or any legally authorized bonds issued for municipal purposes by any city or county in the United States, which has been in existence as a city or county for a period of 15 years, and which for a period of ten years pre-

vious to such deposit has not defaulted in the payment of any part of either principal or interest of any funded debt authorized to be contracted by it, and which has at such date more than 20,000 inhabitants as established by the last census, and whose net indebtedness does not exceed ten per centum of the valuation of the taxable property therein, to be ascertained by the last preceding valuation of property for the assessment of taxes; or the first mortgage bonds of any railroad company, not including street railway bonds, which has paid dividends of not less than four per centum per annum regularly and continuously on its entire capital stock for a period of not less than five years previous to the deposit of the bonds. The treasurer of the United States, with the approval of the secretary of the treasury, may accept, for the purposes of this act, securities herein enumerated in such proportions as he may from time to time determine, and he may at any time require the deposit of additional securities or require any association to change the character of the security already on deposit.

"Sec. 3. That all bonds deposited to secure circulating notes issued in accordance with the terms of this act shall be transferred to the treasurer of the United States in trust for the association depositing them, with a memorandum to that effect attached to or written or printed on each bond and signed by the cashier or some other officer of the association making the deposit. A receipt shall be given to the association by the comptroller of the currency, or by a clerk authorized by him for that purpose, stating that such bond is held in trust for the association on whose behalf the transfer is made, and as security for the redemption and payment of any circulating notes that have been or may be delivered to such association. No assignment or transfer of any such bond by the treasurer shall be deemed valid unless countersigned by the comptroller of the currency. The provisions of sections 5,163, 5,164, 5,165, 5,166 and 5,167 of the revised statutes respecting United States bonds deposited to secure circulating notes shall, except as herein modified, be applicable to all bonds deposited under the terms of this act."

The remaining portions of the bill consist of additions to the existing law. These additions provide for a tax on the average amount of such notes of a bank's circulation as are based upon the deposit of bonds other than bonds of the United States, provision being made in this section for a tax on notes secured by Panama canal bonds amounting to one-fourth of one per cent. each half year on notes secured by two per cent. bonds. Associations having on deposit bonds bearing interest at a higher rate than two per centum per annum are required to pay a tax of one-half per cent. each half year on notes thus secured.

A monthly tax of one-half of one per cent. is imposed upon the average amount of notes issued on bonds other than bonds of the United States, and monthly returns, under oath, are required of an association to show the average monthly amount of notes so secured in circulation. Exempting United States bonds called for redemption by the secretary of the treasury, it is permitted by the bill that national banking associations may withdraw their bonds held for circulation security by the deposit of lawful money to a proportionate amount.

ASK FOR BROWNSON AIRING.

Resolution Introduced in Congress Calling for Information.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Representative Gill of Maryland Tuesday offered a resolution designed to open the way for a congressional airing of the Admiral Brownson incident. The resolution, which was referred to the committee on naval affairs, reads:

"That the secretary of the navy be, and he is hereby requested, if not incompatible with public interests, to furnish to the house of representatives for its information copies of all official letters, reports, orders and so forth, filed in the navy department in connection with the appointment of Surgeon Charles F. Stokes as commander of the United States hospital ship Relief, and also all letters, reports, orders and so forth, filed in the navy department in connection with the appointment and resignation of Rear Admiral Willard H. H. Brownson as chief of the bureau of navigation."

Memorial Unveiled.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 8.—In the presence of thousands, including the officers and sailors of the Pacific squadron and citizens of San Diego and other California cities, who had gathered here to witness the ceremony, the memorial monument to the Bennington dead was unveiled Tuesday afternoon at the National cemetery on top of Point Loma.

Kentucky Legislature Convenes.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 8.—Promptly at 12 o'clock Tuesday the last legislature which will convene in the present historic old capital building was called to order. There was no hitch in the carrying out of the Democratic program. The lower house was called to order by Clerk James Stone.

Noted Kentucky Jurist Dies.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 8.—Judge A. S. Berry, well-known Kentucky Democratic politician and a former member of congress, died of pneumonia at his home at Newport, Ky. He was judge of the Campbell county (Ky.) circuit court.

A Strike, A Flurry, And A Panic.

The longshoreman strike on the Crosby line in the Grand Haven warehouses was quickly settled. The men walked right out and turned around and walked right in again. The company wanted to cut, but the cut never came to pass as it was decided that the men should be taken back for the old scale of pay. Though work is a little scarce in Grand Haven the men were touched with the optimistic spirit that told them in a still small voice that the flurry will soon pass and good times again flourish. The same spirit must have moved the company after slight reflection and the men in control acted accordingly. All of which goes to show that even as day is unto night so is the flurry of 1907 to the panic of 1893 and its days of want, when Coxey's army marched to the national capitol and trespassed upon the grass in front of the white house.

Congress Should Improve L. S. S. Laws.

The first gun in this session's fight to increase the efficiency of the life saving service was fired by Congressman Lovering who introduced a bill providing that:

"A retired list be created for all members of the life saving service, and that those placed upon the retired list shall receive thereafter seventy five percent of the regular compensation of the grade held at the date of retirement.

"That when a man has seen 30 years of service or is 64 years of age, or has become incapable of performing his duties, through disabilities incurred in the service, or not arising from vicious habits, he be placed on the retired list by the secretary of the treasury.

"That the secretary of the treasury shall assemble a board who shall make a sworn report to him, and to consist of one superintendent of a life saving district, one officer of the revenue service on duty as assistant inspector, and one medical officer of the public health and marine hospital service, who shall examine men for the retired list.

"Officers and surfmen on the retired list may be assigned to such duties as they may be able to perform and receive full pay for their respective grades when employed."

This attempt to do justice to the men in the service is getting to be an old story, and it is hoped that this session of congress will witness the attaining of results. Certainly something must be done, for under the present conditions it is difficult to get men, and the personnel of the crews is deteriorating. Improvements as suggested in the Lovering bill must be made or soon we will not have any life saving service worthy of the name.

Another clause might well be added to the bill providing that the men be allowed half pay during the months they are out of commission. But by all means do something.

With Gov. Guild starting his third term in Massachusetts, the friends of Gov. Warner can be pardoned if they express the opinion that in 1909 Michigan's scrapping governor will be entering his third term.

Is this one, nine, nought, eight? No, you've got the wrong number, this is blankety, blank, blank, Yov're caught. This is 1908.

Still, in the waters of Black Lake there are a lot of fish caught that we never hear about. If the seines could only talk!

Now that tax time is over it is expected that real estate will take another jump. Real estate is always good in Holland.

In Holland the man who can solve the telephone situation will be the Man of the Hour.

Notwithstanding the large haul, fish is still high, enough in price in Holland.

This Taft boom is a heavy proposition for the others to buck.

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WHAT YOU SAW IN THIS PAPER 35 Years ago To-day.

"Pres. Bennett informs us that he secured a loan sufficient to construct and equip the railroad he has for some time been laboring at, from Grand Haven through Ohio via Columbus on to Cincinnati, and thence to Pensacola, Florida, connecting the best harbor on Lake Michigan with the best harbor on the Gulf of Mexico. The loan also includes sufficient to construct a line of ocean steamers, connecting the train by direct route to Cuba.

"This route will connect the peach region with the orange region, the fruits of the tropics will be exchangeable with the fruits of the temperate and northern regions, while it will open untraveled tracks of country to commerce and rapid interchange of productions."—Grand Haven Herald.

It is gratifying to publish the above item of news for the information of our readers, for an enterprise of such grand proportions so surely of being accomplished, can but add largely to our expectant profits. President Bennett certainly has reason to be proud of the distinction awarded him; and the Herald should be proud to be the organ of the great railroad and steamboat King. We as a party interested however, are enabled by private dispatches, per grapevine telegraph, to inform our readers that the loan has been extended so as to include a line of ocean steamers from Cuba to Simmes' Hole, where preparations will be completed, as soon as the road is in running order, to visit the fairy regions beneath the water thus forming one of the most delightful routes for pleasure seekers in the world, and adding to the fruits of the tropics and the temperate zone, the luscious oils of the arctic regions.

And, further, that should our citizens show a proper appreciation of the effort, it is proposed to build a branch road to this city to connect with the steamer Fanny Shriver, running to Saugatuck, from thence to a place called Chicago, about 100 miles from Grand Haven.

WHAT YOU SAW 30 YEARS AGO

Gold in New York, yesterday, 10 1/2

Just as we go to press our special correspondent at Zeeland sends us the news that P. Vijn's saw mill burned at about 12 o'clock Thursday night. It is believed to be the work of an incendiary, as no fire had been kindled in the mill for four months. The mill was insured for \$2,000, consequently the loss is not heavy. The fire department was promptly on hand and prevented the spread of the conflagration.

The Dramatic society which is organized under the auspices of Columbia Fire Co. No. 2, further perfected their organization by adopting rules of order and by electing the following officers on Monday evening last: President R. A. Schouten; vice president, A. M. Kanters; secretary, F. J. Ort; treasurer, G. J. Dinkeloo. The society has adopted as their motto: "Oefening baart Kunst." Everything will be conducted in the Holland language. They will hold their regular business meetings every Monday evening in Columbia hall, and are now ready to take in new members according to their adopted rules.

The First National bank at Charlotte, N. C., has begun paying out Mexican dollars and the other banks are ordering barrels of the coin. The dollar costs 97 cents and the exchange of a barrel containing \$5,000 is less than one half of one per cent.

The county building of Allegan was burglariously entered on Monday night last, the county safe blown open, and over \$2,400 stolen. The charge used for the explosion must have been terrific, as it broke the thick glass in the windows and hurled the safe door against a walnut bookcase six feet distant, smashing it, and scattering the whole inside of the door over the room.

LATER—The latest news from Allegan is to the effect that the three men on the hand car passed the target man at the crossing in Plainwell at 5:15 Tuesday morning. He also learned that two of them concealed themselves in a box car and were carried to Wayland where they were discovered and ordered out by the conductor. They then got on the passenger and went to Grand Rapids, arriving there in advance of the dispatches sent from here to intercept them.

WHAT YOU SAW 25 YEARS AGO

F. G. Churchill, of Elmira, N. Y., has arrived in this city and is to be assistant train dispatcher at the Chicago & West Michigan railway depot. He is a gentleman of fine appearance and has had many years of railroad experience.

Elijah Becker, son of C. P. Becker of this city, who has been in the employ of the Chicago & West Michigan for some time, was very seriously injured on last Thursday after-

noon while coupling cars in the New Buffalo yard.

The musical entertainment on Wednesday evening last passed off very smoothly and pleasantly, and was listened to by an audience of the best people of Holland. While some exception is taken, and perhaps very justly too, to Prof. Stanton's specialties in the last part of the program, it cannot be denied that he is the finest soloist that has ever appeared in this city. The selections by Miss Wallace were well received, her imitation of a cornet with the voice, with piano accompaniment, was a novelty. That part of the program supplied by our home talent, was especially worthy of mention, particularly the solos of Miss Maggie Plugger and J. M. Doesburg, and also their rendering with Mr. D. Gilmore, the trio, "Life has no Power." Mr. Doesburg's friends were pleased to note the progress he has made in voice culture during his stay in Detroit. The debut of Miss Plugger may be said to be a decided success, she displaying the elements necessary in a fine singer, and also a cultivated voice. Her singing was a surprise to many of the audience, and her kind assistance was highly appreciated by those having the management of the entertainment. The accompaniments, both to the instrumental and vocal selections, were unusually difficult, but were handled in a masterly manner by Misses Boone and Wallace. Upon the whole we consider that the entertainment can be very properly styled "the musical event of the season."

The boiler of the "Star Mills" of Filmore Center exploded last Tuesday at about 1 o'clock, instantly killing C. Teleman, the 18 year old son of H. Teleman, and wounding and scalding four other men very severely. A farmer from Graaischap, A. DePree, who was in the boiler room eating his lunch when the explosion occurred, was badly scalded about the head, besides having sustained fractures of both his legs. Although his wounds are very severe it is hoped he will fully recover. G. Barkel, "tail sawyer" in the saw mill, was attending to his duties in the mill at the time of the accident and received a bad fracture of one of his legs and was badly scalded about the head and side of his body. The other two men, C. P. Zwemer of Overisel and M. Looyengod of Filmore, were severely scalded. The boiler which is twenty feet long and about three and one half feet in diameter, was thrown about 600 feet from the boiler room and is in a bad condition, one end being entirely blown out. The damage being in the neighborhood of \$1,200. The cause of the explosion is claimed, by those who ought to know, to be a defective safety valve and steam gauge and an incompetent engineer. The affair causes a deep gloom to fall over the entire population of that community, and great sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Teleman, who have lost their son through this terrible accident.

The following is the Roll of Honor for December, of the school in District No. 1, township of Holland: Janie VandenBelt, Bennie VanDam, Betsy Ballanche, Charlie Howlett, Katie VandenBelt, Fred Van Dam, Frank Tracy, Fred Kooyers, Willie Kooyers, Harry Huntley, Gerrit Van Dam, Cecil Huntley.

Jennie E. Osborne, teacher.

WHAT YOU SAW 20 YEARS AGO.

Married:—At the residence of the bride's parents in this city on Wednesday evening, January 4, 1888, by Isaac Fairbanks, Esq., Francis Ingham Walsh and Miss Dirkje Trench, both of Holland.

From the proceedings of the common council it will be seen that two ordinances, one licensing a street sprinkler and the other to license drays, omnibuses, etc., have been introduced and submitted to the common council for passage at its next regular meeting.

When we pick up the Holland News we look for a fringe of hair around the edges of the paper. What's the matter with trying the water on a ream of paper?—Luther Lance.

The Roll of Honor of the "Marsilje School" for December. The following are the names of the pupils who were not tardy or absent: Eva Coster, Vinnie Harrington, Ida Johnson, Wirtie Lockhart, Trude Marsilje, Josie Peterson, Mary VandenBelt, Theo. VandenHeide, Rose Coster, Mertie Welch, Willie Bekman, Tina Marcus, Dana Harrington. The following are the names of those who drew cards for good behavior: Grace Huntley, Gertie Hidding, Mary Deur, Lizzie VandenHeide, Christina VandenHeide, Eva Allen, Eva Coster, Willie Plasman, Mirbet Marsilje, Gerrit Kamper, Maggie Kamper, Willie Balgoen, Georgie, Mertie and Lora Welch. Names of the pupils who drew prizes for good work during last term: Allie DeFrel, Gertie Hidding, Rose Coster, Vinnie Harrington, Addie Huntley. E. F. Stanton, teacher.

WHAT YOU SAW 15 YEARS AGO.

Benton Harbor offered \$500 for the arrest of the party who tried to kill Mayor Hobbs last spring. Warren Puterbaugh caught the man and the council now refuses to pay. He will bring suit.

Sheriff Keppel has made his predecessor, Ed. Vaupel, undersheriff and has appointed the following deputies: Francis Murray, Charles Christmas, and Harry Oakes of Grand Haven, Frank VanRy and Jacob Lokker of Holland, P. R. Averill of Coopersville, James Parady of Allendale.

Hon. F. B. Stockbridge received the re nomination for U. S. senator at the hands of the Republican Legislative caucus, Thursday evening.

Wheat 67 cents.

Have you seen the new Columbia postage stamps?

WHAT YOU SAW 10 YEARS AGO.

A marriage license was issued last week in Allegan to Walter Sutton of this city to Miss Clara Fleser, of Salem.

The League of the Ottawa's elected the following officers at their last meeting:

Sachem—Homer Van Landegend. Jr. Sagmore—Peter Vanderhout. Sr. Sagmore—Geo. A. Van Landegend.

Prophet—Chas. Hiler.

Chief of Records—Guy M. Wise. Collector of Wampum—J. Hoogenstyn.

Guard of Forest—Geo. Moomey. The next meeting of the League will be on Friday evening, Jan. 14, in S. of V. Hall.

The Young Women's Christian Association will observe the thirtieth anniversary of their organization by inviting the public to attend a program specially prepared for the occasion. The attraction will be an address by Miss Lizzie Cappon, who was the first president of the organization, and has lately returned from China.

A Stephan has connected his residence with the local telephone exchange.

Patrons Will Contest Validity of Telephone Franchise.

Formal action was taken in a meeting of the patrons of the Citizens' Telephone company last Thursday night asking the common council to secure legal counsel to test the legality of the franchise of 1905 to the J. W. Watkins company. While the action is to be inaugurated by the city, the expense will be borne by the patrons of the Citizens' company. An assessment of \$2 each on business telephones and \$1 on residence telephones is to be made for the purpose of carrying on the fight, and already a goodly sum has been collected.

Two hundred patrons voted unanimously in favor of the resolution which will be presented to the council. Mayor VanPuiten presided over the meeting and the spirit of fight was evident from the time the committee which conferred with the company reported through its chairman, George W. Browning that they were unable to secure anything definite from the company. All the company would do was to make individual contracts for one, two, five or ten years at the present rate. The question of taking out a franchise, the committee reported, was evaded. The company claims that the Holland exchange is a losing proposition and that the new subscribers must put up the increased rate of \$18 and \$30 for telephone service.

A finance committee composed of Jacob Lokker, H. Van Tongeren and Benjamin Van Raalte, jr., was appointed to solicit the funds for the test case.

The patrons decided to pay the present rate for the first quarter of 1908 and until a court decision on the franchise has been secured. If the company wins the suit and insists on advancing the rate, patrons declare that either a contract with another company will be made or an independent exchange installed.

Seminary Notes.

The Western Theological Seminary will be represented next Sunday as follows. Dr. Dubbink, Gelderland; Z. Roetman, Beechwood (evening); A. Stegenga, Harlem; M. Vander Meer, Kalamazoo, 3rd; W. Van der Laan, Grand Haven, 1st; A. Muyskens, Three Oaks.

G. Hankamp of the Junior class was obliged to return home owing ill health.

BIRTHS

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Born to...
Wedne...

ROYAL
BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure
The only baking powder made with Royal Grape Cream of Tartar
No Alum, No Lime Phosphate

IN SOCIETY

Bert Koolvord and Bernard Hilt spent New Years day in this city.

Miss Ethel Metz was in Grand Rapids last Thursday.

Mrs. Ben A. Mulder was in Grand Rapids Saturday.

John DeVries of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. J. E. Telling has returned from a visit with friends in Chicago.

Edwy Nies has left for the M. A. C. at Lansing to resume his studies.

Miss Katherine Post has returned to Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kiekentveld saw "The Man of the Hour" at Powers last Thursday night.

Mrs. A. Van Duren, who has been visiting relatives at Utica for several weeks, returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Orr attended "The Man of the Hour" at Grand Rapids last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kooyers left Friday morning for Muskegon to visit relatives.

John L. Rademaker of Milwaukee is visiting at the home of the Keppel brothers.

Lynn Hardie and Miss Lena Beeuwkes have returned from a visit to the former's parents at Fennville.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Bosh are visiting in Toronto, Canada, and Cleveland, Ohio.

John G. Winter has returned to Anna Arbor after spending his vacation with relatives.

Miss Maude Kleyn, who has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Kleyn, has returned to Ann Arbor.

Prof. John Nies, of Chicago who has been visiting his parents, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Burdick, of Chicago, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Pino.

Harry Bontakoe returned to Grand Rapids Monday after sending two weeks with his parents.

Miss Grace Browning left Monday for Chicago to resume her studies at the Kenwood Institute.

Dr. and Mrs. James G. Van Zwaluwenburg returned Friday morning to Ann Arbor, after spending two weeks with relatives.

Peter Van Regemorter, who has been visiting relatives here for a few days has returned to his home in Sioux Center, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman Smith, who have been visiting friends here for several days, have returned to their home at Blanchard.

Misses Edna J. and Carrie Robinson attended "The Man of the Hour" at Grand Rapids last Saturday evening.

The Misses Gertrude Boot, Kate Steketee and Ella Van Putten left today for Ypsilanti to resume their studies.

Mrs. J. B. Scully of Chicago who has been visiting at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Henry Boers returned home Monday.

G. F. Armstead of Cash Bargain store, left Thursday evening for Clyde, O., to attend the meeting of the stockholders of the American Sugar company.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wendel and son Edward were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Mieras and Mr. Mrs. John Duursma of Grand Haven during the New Years holidays.

Miss Hazel Wing left Tuesday for Oberlin, O., to resume her studies at the school of music.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Mokma left Tuesday for Prairie View Kansas, to visit their daughter, Mrs. G. H. Tien who is sick at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Bertsch, Mrs. N. J. Whelan and Harris Bertsch saw the Man of the Hour Saturday.

At a congregational meeting held last evening in the Fourth Reformed church, a call was extended to the Rev. John DeHaan of the Oakdale Park Reformed church of Grand Rapids.

Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Kremers entertained a few friends at a candy party last Thursday evening. Candy making, sand bags, and music made the evening pass very rapidly, and the company dispersed at a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dykstra and daughter, Marie of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dykstra and wife of Savannah, Ga., spent New Years day with Mrs. G. L. Azling and family—Saugatuck Commercial Record.

The consistory of the Central avenue Christian Reformed church, with their wives, were entertained last Thursday evening by the pastor, the Rev. R. L. Haan, at the parsonage. A most enjoyable time was spent and refreshments were served.

A surprise party was given last Thursday evening at the home of Miss Mamie Lemmen. Those present from Zeeland were Misses Effie Ten Have, Susie De Bruyn, Nettie Brill, Minnie DeBruyn, and Messrs Edgar Hall, Leonard VanHoven, Wm. Huyzer, Cornelius Boone, Peter Brill, Richard Boonstra and from Holland Misses Carrie Schepers and Anna VanDyke.

Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of payment of a mortgage made and executed by Henry Bosch and Jennie Bosch his wife of the City of Holland, Michigan to Henry De Jongh of the same place. Said mortgage being dated the twentieth day of January A. D. 1908 and recorded on the twenty seventh day of January A. D. 1908 in liber 70 of mortgages on page 77 in the office of the Register of Deeds for Ottawa County, Michigan. By said default the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative and there is now claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of seven hundred and twenty nine dollars and eighty three cents and no suit at law or other proceeding having been instituted to recover the said mortgage debt or any part thereof, notice is therefore given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public vendue of the premises described in said mortgage, to-wit: All of lot seven of South Heights being a subdivision of lot five of addition No. 2 in the City of Holland, Ottawa County and State of Michigan. Said sale to take place on the Sixth Day of April A. D. 1908 at three o'clock in the afternoon at the North front door of the Ottawa County court house, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa is held to satisfy the amount that may be due on said mortgage, principal and interest, and all legal costs including an attorney fee of fifteen dollars provided for in said mortgage. HENRY DE JONGH, Mortgagee. GERRIT W. KOORYERS, Attorney for Mortgagee. Business Address: Holland, Michigan. Dated January 6, 1908. 1-19.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on the 8th day of January, A. D. 1908.

Present, Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of

Martin H. Clark, deceased.

Mortimer A. Sooy having filed in said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, that the

3rd day of February, A. D. 1908,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)

DON'T MISS THIS SALE

The Eighth Annual Green Ticket Sale of the Lokker=Rutgers Comp'y

Sale Begins Tuesday, Jan. 7 and Closes Saturday, Jan. 18

This Green Ticket Sale means a closing out of all odds and ends that are left from our Fall and Winter stock, which we would rather sell at a discount than carry them over till next season. Our stock consists of Men's, Boys' and Youth's Clothing, Gent's Furnishing Goods, Shoes, Rubbers, Trunks and Valises. We carry everything that is kept in a first class clothing and shoe store. Don't miss this sale as it means money out of your pocket if you do. As we are desirous of making a clean sweep of last year's business we respectfully ask all who are in arrears for a prompt remittance. During this sale we will give a discount of 10 per cent on all regular goods with the exception of Rubber Footwear. Fur Coats at wholesale prices. No premium tickets during this sale. Below we give a few prices:



Men's Suits

We have some odds and ends, not old suits, but some we have only one or two of a kind left, which we will sell from 25 to 35 per cent less than the regular price. All regular up-to date suits at a discount.

Also a lot of Boys' Suits, odds and ends, at greatly reduced prices. Regular goods, 10 per cent discount.

Mens' Pants

Special \$2.00 Pants at....\$1.69
Men's Pants, all prices from \$1.00 to.....\$5.00
Boys' Pants from.....75 to 3.00
Boys' Knee Pants, all kinds and sizes, prices ranging from 23c to.....\$1.25
10 per cent discount on all regular goods.

Underwear

Odds and ends in Men's Wool Underwear at the following prices:

\$1.00 now \$0.75 \$1.50 now \$1.25
1.25 now 1.00 2.00 now 1.60

All regular goods, 10 per cent discount

Mens fleec lined goods, now per garment 1.11; ed shirts or drawers, per garment 23c.

Fur Coats

We have decided to go out of the Fur Coat business, and we therefore want to close out every coat we have left. We don't want to carry over a coat. All Fur Coats and Fur Lined Coats at cost, and some below cost, as they must go.



OVERCOATS

Compare our with so-called 1-4 off COATS

All Sizes and All Prices

Handkerchiefs

Good Red Handkerchiefs3c
Good Blue Handkerchiefs.....3c
Good White Handkerchiefs3c

Men's Woolen Overshirts

From the cheapest to the best flannel. Prices 45c to \$2.50.
Come in and see if in need of one.

Suspenders

25c Suspenders no21c
50c Suspenders now.....42c

Shoes



We have some odds and ends which will be closed out at greatly reduced prices. Some are Winter Shoes (flannel lined), and some are regular goods, where we have only one or two pair left of a kind. All regular goods 10 per cent off.

In our Merchant Tailoring department we will give a discount of 5 per cent for 10 days only, beginning January 7.

Sweateretts

A sample lot of Men's Sweateretts, some are soiled a trifle, at the following prices:
Those formerly sold at 50 cents, now.....25 cts
Those formerly sold at 25 cents, now.....15 cts

Sweaters

Men's and Boys' 50 cent Sweaters, to close out, at 38 cents. All regular Sweaters and Sweater Coats at 10 per cent off.

Children's Suits

All kinds, prices ranging from \$1.75 to \$7.50, too many kinds to mention here.

Mufflers&Neckwear

Christmas is past and we still have a few nice silk mufflers left, which will be sold at a sacrifice. Also a splendid line of Neckwear.

Sox and Hoisery

All kinds and all prices.



Hats & Caps

Hats, all prices, from 45 cents to \$4.00. A lot of Boys' 50c Caps, to close, at.....25c
A lot of Men's Sample

Caps, to close, at the following prices:

50c Caps, now.....\$0.35
75c Caps, now......50
\$1.00 Caps, now......75
\$1.50 Caps, now.....1.00

Trunks, Suit

Cases & Valises

10 PER CENT DISCOUNT



Men's Smoking Jackets 1-4 off

Men's Shirts

Men's Fancy Shirts, odds and ends, \$1.00 shirts, now.....69c
Men's Fancy Shirts, odds and ends, 50 ct. shirts, now.....38c
Men's Work Shirts, odds and ends, 50 ct. now.....38c



Men's Smoking Jackets 1-4 off

During this sale is the time to buy a lot of goods at a sacrifice, as we must close out our Winter goods in order to make room for our Spring goods. Anything bought during this sale which is not satisfactory can be returned and money refunded. If you do not see what you want in this bill or on our counters, then please ask for it, as it is impossible to have everything on display. Remember the sale begins January 7 and closes Jan. 18.

SECOND TRIAL OF HARRY THAW BEGUN

NINE TENTATIVE JURORS SE-
LECTED BY COUNSEL THE
FIRST DAY.

Night Sessions Held—Public Interest
in Case Has Waned—Crowds Fol-
low Defendant's Wife—Jury to Be
Well Cared For.

New York, Jan. 7.—At the close of three court sessions, which marked the first day of the second trial of Harry K. Thaw for the alleged murder of Stanford White, nine tentative jurors had been selected out of 57 talesmen examined by District Attorney Jerome, for the prosecution, and Martin W. Littleton, for the defense.

All of the men in the jury box are subject to peremptory challenge, of which each side has 30. In view of the difficulty experienced last year in discharging five jurors after they had taken the oath of service, it was agreed this time not to administer any oaths until both sides finally are satisfied with the full panel.

Legal insanity at the time of the tragedy is to be the sole defense. This was made clear at the very outset of the proceedings Monday when Mr. Littleton formally served notice that the former plea of not guilty was amended by the specification that the defendant was insane when the homicide was committed.

Nine Possible Jurors.
The occupants of the jury box at the conclusion of Monday night's session were the following: Charles E. Gremmels, ship broker; John R. Hatchett, cigar dealer; George B. Morewood, importer; Floyd S. Sanford, bank manager; James E. Conway, hotelkeeper; William E. Brower, decorator; Arthur R. Naething, baker; Maurice Bouvier, exporter; George W. Cary, dry goods dealer.

Of the above men, it was generally predicted that Mr. Gremmels would be challenged by the district attorney. He declared he had scruples against capital punishment, but could lay them aside if sworn as a juror.

Morewood entertains certain opinion with regard to expert medical testimony and probably will go out on challenge from the defense. Sanford may also be excused, for he confessed to an opinion regarding the truth of certain important testimony at the first trial. Conway, who said he read the evidence presented a year ago, without gaining any particular opinion from it, may be made the subject of a challenge from Mr. Jerome. Hatchett and Naething appear like fixtures. Bouvier, who has slight prejudices against defense of insanity, probably will not be retained.

Evening Sessions to Be Held.
Three court sessions, including an evening sitting from eight to ten o'clock, are to be held daily until the jury is completed. How long this will take neither District Attorney Jerome nor Thaw's counsel would hazard a guess Monday.

The trial opened with little or no ceremony and there was distinct evidence of a slackening of public interest. Admittance to the courtroom was rigorously restricted and all day long there were vacant benches in the curtained quarters given over to spectators.

Crowds Follow Mrs. Thaw.
Mrs. Evelyn Thaw was again the center of interest, even to the exclusion of the defendant himself. She was followed by throngs of curious persons as she entered and left the courthouse for the morning and afternoon sessions. She did not attend the night session.

Every possible convenience is to be provided for the jurors who are to be locked up throughout the trial. They are to be quartered in one of the fashionable hotels on Upper Broadway and luncheon is to be served at an expensive downtown restaurant.

TWO ACCUSED OF FRAUD.
Government Printing Bureau Chemist and Ink Maker Indicted.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Allegations of fraud and graft in supplying the bureau of engraving and printing with black dry color, used in the manufacture of ink, resulted Monday in the indictment by the federal grand jury here of Edwin M. Vandick, formerly a chemist and ink maker employed in the bureau, and Victor Bloede, president of the Victor Bloede company of Baltimore, manufacturers of ink and colors.

Vandick and Bloede are charged in the indictments with conspiracy to defraud the government, the allegation being that they entered into an agreement by which Bloede was to pay Vandick a percentage of the money his company received from the government for the black dry color furnished to the bureau of engraving and printing.

Dies at Age of 92 Years.
St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 4.—Mrs. Nan-
nie G. Hoagland, aged 92 years, widow
of the late millionaire philanthropist,
George Hoagland, is dead. She was
prominent in church work and was a
member of the Methodist church here
for 55 years. She was a native of
Haverhill, Mass.

Verde National Forest Created.
Washington, Jan. 4.—The president
has signed a proclamation creating
the Verde National forest in Arizona,
with an area of 721,780 acres located
in Maricopa and Yavapai counties.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Clarence Sturgeon, 19 years old,
was hanged at Louisville, Ky., for
murder.

Charles M. MacDonald, formerly a
prominent lumberman, died at La
Crosse, Wis.

The employers' liability law was
held unconstitutional by the supreme
court of the United States.

Irving H. Wheatly of Galestown,
Md., may die from eating two ounces
of black pepper on a wager.

Former Supervisor Lonergan of
San Francisco, who confessed to ac-
cepting bribes, dropped dead.

Three persons lost their lives in a
fire that destroyed the laundry of the
French hospital in San Francisco.

C. Arthur Pearson, one of the jour-
nalistic magnates of England, has se-
cured control of the London Times.

The jury in the case of Caleb Pow-
ers, tried in Georgetown, Ky., for com-
plicity in the murder of William
Goebel, disagreed.

Secretary of War Taft in his an-
nual report strongly urged that higher
pay be given the officers and en-
listed men of the army.

Mrs. C. M. Lane, mother of Frank-
lin M. Lane, a member of the Interstate
Commerce commission, died in San
Francisco, aged 70 years.

Bishop Charles D. Williams of the
Episcopal diocese of Michigan has
opened a downtown office in Detroit
for the discussion of civic matters.

Michael Ziennski was shot in the
head and instantly killed at Camden,
N. J., by Antonio Gehnski, who then
shot himself in the head and will
probably die.

George W. Eckert, known all over
the world as the breeder of owl
pigeons that have won first prizes at
shows in all parts of the country, died
at Allentown, Pa.

The condition of the king of Bel-
gium, who is suffering from the gout,
is becoming worse. It is declared that
the bone of one of his heels is slowly
decaying and the spread of the dis-
ease is feared.

Unless the spinners modify their
demands, the cotton mills throughout
the country, owned by 500 members
of the Federation of Master Spinners,
will be closed January 25 and 150,000
employees locked out.

An explosion, declared by the police
to have been caused by a dynamite
bomb, partially wrecked the First Na-
tional Bank building in Kansas City,
causing \$10,000 damage and slight
injuries to nine persons.

The president designated Maj. Gen.
George W. Davis, retired, to represent
the United States at the ceremony to
be held at Guatemala City on January
20, to celebrate the completion and
opening to traffic of the inter-oceanic
railroad, the first of its kind in Cen-
tral America.

Showing the effects of the American
financial stringency on trade with
Great Britain, the exports from the
consular district of Huddersfield to
the United States for the last quarter
of last year amounted in value only
to \$225,000 as compared with \$430,000
for the same period in 1906.

TWO KILLED IN COLLISION.
Passenger Train Crashes Into Freight
at East Dubuque, Ia.

Dubuque, Ia., Jan. 6.—Two persons
were killed and one perhaps fatally in-
jured Sunday in a collision between a
passenger train on the Chicago,
Burlington & Quincy and a freight
train on the Chicago, Great Western
railroad in East Dubuque.

The dead are: J. W. Blanchard, La
Crosse, engineer of the passenger
train, and Winfield McGanghey, East
Dubuque.

W. H. Smith, freight brakeman, had
legs badly crushed and will probably
die.

Murdered by Discharged Miner.
Ironwood, Mich., Jan. 7.—Capt. Wil-
liam Thomas, superintendent of the
Aurora mine of the United States
Steel corporation here, was shot and
killed Monday by John Bendette, an
Italian miner, who had been dis-
charged.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Jan. 7.

LIVE STOCK—Steers \$3.75 @ 7.65
Hogs 4.20 @ 4.50
Sheep 3.80 @ 6.55
WHEAT—Winter Straights..... 4.50 @ 4.70
FLOUR—May 1.12 1/2 @ 1.14 1/2
JULY 1.06 1/2 @ 1.07 1/2
CORN—May 60 1/2 @ 62 1/2
RICE—No. 2 Western..... 90 @ 91
BUTTER—Creamery Firsts..... 21 @ 23
EGGS—Good to Choice..... 27 @ 30
CHEESE 9 1/2 @ 15 1/2

CHICAGO.

CATTLE—Choice Steers \$5.50 @ 6.25
Fair to Good Steers 5.00 @ 5.50
Yearlings, Plain to Fancy 2.25 @ 3.25
Fair to Choice Stockers 4.00 @ 4.25
Calves 4.00 @ 7.25
HOGS—Prime Heavy 4.50 @ 4.62 1/2
Mixed Packers 4.40 @ 4.60
Heavy Packers 4.35 @ 4.50
BUTTER—Creamery 22 @ 25
Dairy 17 @ 22
LIVE POULTRY 9 1/2 @ 11
EGGS 15 @ 24
POTATOES (per bush) 55 @ 60
GRAIN—Wheat, May 1.07 1/2 @ 1.07 1/2
July 99 @ 1.00 1/2
Corn, May 60 1/2 @ 61 1/2
Oats, May, New 52 1/2 @ 53 1/2
Rye, December 75 @ 75 1/2

MILWAUKEE.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Nor'n \$1.12 @ 1.14
Corn, May 61 @ 61 1/2
Oats, Standard 51 @ 51 1/2
Rye, No. 1 82 1/2 @ 83

KANSAS CITY.

GRAIN—Wheat, May \$1.01 1/2 @ 1.02
July 91 @ 92
Corn, May 55 1/2 @ 55 3/4
Oats, No. 2 White 50 @ 51

ST. LOUIS.

CATTLE—Beef Steers \$3.00 @ 5.00
Texas Steers 2.80 @ 5.25
HOGS—Packers 4.00 @ 4.50
Butchers 4.40 @ 4.50
SHEEP—Native 3.00 @ 5.25

OHAMA.

CATTLE—Native Steers \$3.50 @ 5.50
Packers 2.75 @ 5.25
Cows and Heifers 2.00 @ 3.75
HOGS—Heavy 4.00 @ 4.37 1/2
SHEEP—Wethers 4.40 @ 4.55

Hundreds of Readers

Will Appreciate It.

Now is the time when the doctor
gets busy, and the patent medicine
manufacturers reap the harvest, un-
less great care is taken to dress
warmly and keep the feet dry. This
is the advice of an old eminent au-
thority, who says that Rheumatism
and Kidney trouble weather is here,
and also tells what to do in case of
an attack.

Get from any good pharmacy
one half ounce Fluid Extract Dan-
delion, one ounce Compound Kar-
gon, three ounces of Compound
Syrup Sarsaparilla. Mix by shak-
ing in a bottle and take a teaspoon
full after meals and at bedtime.

Just try this simple home-made
mixture at the first sign of Rheuma-
tism, or if your back aches or you
feel that the kidneys are not acting
just right. This is said to be a
splendid kidney regulator and al-
most certain remedy for all forms
of Rheumatism, which is caused by
uric acid in the blood which the
kidneys fail to filter out. Any one
can easily prepare this at home and
at small cost.

Druggists in this town and vi-
cinity when shown the prescription,
stated that they can either supply
these ingredients, or, if our readers
prefer, they will compound the
mixture for them.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

28th Judicial Circuit in Chancery
Said pending in the Circuit Court for the County
of Ottawa, in Chancery, on the 27th day of De-
cember 1907.

Thomas L. Davis, Charles L. Davis,
Esther Davis Rous and Margaret G. Davis,
Complainants.

vs.
Edward L. Davis and Bessie Davis,
Defendants.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on
file that the defendants are not residents of the
State of Michigan, but reside in the State of
Washington, on motion of Walter L. Lillie, Soli-
citor for Complainants, it is ORDERED that let-
ters for Complainants cause their appearance to be
entered herein within four months from the
date of this order, and that within twenty days
from the date hereof that said complainants
cause this order to be published in the Holland
City News, a newspaper published and circu-
lated in said County, such publication to con-
tinue once in each week for six successive
weeks.

Walter L. Lillie, Philip Padgham,
Solicitor for complainant, Circuit Judge
Business Address: Grand Haven, Michigan
52 6w

ORDER FOR APPEARANCE
State of Michigan
28th Judicial Circuit in Chancery
Said pending in the Circuit Court for the
County of Ottawa, in Chancery, on the first day
of November A. D. 1907.

EVELINA BANE,
Complainant
vs.
CHARLES WM. BANE,
Defendant.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file
that the above named defendant is not a resi-
dent of the State of Michigan, but is at present
residing in the City of Chicago, in the State of
Illinois, on motion of Walter L. Lillie, Solicitor
for the Complainant, it is ORDERED that said
defendant enter his appearance in this cause
within four months from the date of this order,
and that within twenty days after the date of
this order the said complainant shall cause the
same to be published in the Holland City News,
a weekly newspaper published and circulated in
said County, such publication to be continued
once in each week for six successive weeks.

Walter L. Lillie, Philip Padgham,
Solicitor for Complainant, Circuit Judge
Business Address: Grand Haven, Michigan
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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court
for the County of Ottawa.

In the matter of the estate of
MARY COOK, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months
from the 28th day of December, A. D. 1907,
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 pre-
sent their claims to said court, at the Probate
Office in the City of Grand Haven,
said County, on or before the 28th day of April,
A. D. 1908, and that said claims will be heard
at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said
days, for the purpose of examining and adjust-
ing said claims.

Dated November 25 A. D. 1907.
Frank Sadie,
Erastus J. Yennans
Commissioners

NOTICE OF MEETING OF COMMISSIONERS
ON CLAIMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court
for the County of Ottawa.

In the matter of the estate of
LAMBERTUS FRIS, Deceased.

Having been appointed commissioners to re-
ceive, examine and adjust all claims and de-
mands of all persons against said deceased, we
do hereby give notice that four months
from the 16th day of December, A. D. 1907,
thereby allowed by said court, and that all
creditors of said deceased are required to pre-
sent their claims to us for examination
and adjustment, and that we will meet at
the office of Gerrit W. Kooyers, at Holland,
Michigan, in said County, on the 16th day
of March, A. D. 1908, and on the 16th day
of April, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock in the
forenoon of each of said days, for the purpose
of examining and adjusting said claims.

Dated December 19, A. D. 1907.
GERRIT W. KOOYERS,
WM. J. WESTVEER,
Commissioners.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court
for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said court, held at the Prob-
ate office in the City of Grand Haven,
in said County, on the 19th day of De-
cember, A. D. 1907.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, in the
matter of the estate of
HENRY E. GAGE or GAZE, Deceased.

Laura M. Gaze having filed in said court
her final administration account, and her pe-
tition praying for the allowance thereof and
for the assignment and distribution of the
residue of said estate.

It is ordered, that the 30th day of Janu-
ary, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon,
at said probate office, be and is hereby ap-
pointed for examining and allowing said ac-
count and hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice
thereof be given by publication of a copy of
this order, for three successive weeks pre-
vious to said day of hearing, in the Holland City
News, a newspaper printed and circulated in
said County.

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.
BERNARD BOTTJE, Register of Probate.

A true copy.
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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court

for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said court, held at the Prob-
ate office in the City of Grand Haven, in
said County, on the 19th day of December,
A. D. 1907.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby,
in the matter of the estate of
MARIA G. VAN DER HAAR, Deceased.

Arend Vischer having filed in said court
his final administration account, and his pe-
tition praying for the allowance thereof and
for the assignment and distribution of the
residue of said estate.

It is further ordered, that public notice
thereof be given by publication of a copy of
this order, for three successive weeks pre-
vious to said day of hearing in the Holland City
News, a newspaper printed and circulated in
said County.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.
BERNARD BOTTJE,
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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court
for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said court, held at the Prob-
ate office, in the City of Grand Haven,
in said County, on the 12th day of
December, A. D. 1907.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge
of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of
Berend J. Vrugink, Deceased.

Gerrit J. Vrugink having filed in said court
his petition praying that a certain instrument
in writing, purporting to be the last will and tes-
tament of said deceased, now on file in said
court be admitted to probate, and that the ad-
ministration of said estate be granted to himself
or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the
13th day of January, A. D. 1908,
at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said
Probate office, be and is hereby appointed
for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public no-
tice thereof be given by publication of a
copy of this order, for three successive
weeks previous to said day of hearing, in
the Holland City News, a newspaper
printed and circulated in said County.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.
Bernard Bottje,
Register of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court
for the County of Ottawa.

In the matter of the estate of Peter
Gerson, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months
from the 16th day of December, A. D. 1907,
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
Grand Haven, in said County, on or be-
fore the 16th day of April, A. D. 1908,
and that said claims will be heard by said
court on the 16th day of April, A. D. 1908
at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated December 16th, A. D. 1907.
EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court
for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said court, held at the Prob-
ate Office, in the City of Grand Haven,
in said County, on the 13th day of December,
A. D. 1907.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge
of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of
John Slag, Sr., Deceased.

William O. Van Eyck having filed in said court
his petition praying that a certain instru-
ment in writing, purporting to be the last will and
testament of said deceased, now on file in said
court be admitted to probate, and that the ad-
ministration of said estate be granted to him-
self or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the
13th day of January, A. D. 1908,
at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said
Probate office, be and is hereby appointed
for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public no-
tice thereof be given by publication of a
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weeks previous to said day of hearing, in
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EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.
Bernard Bottje,
Register of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court
for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said Court, held at the Prob-
ate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in
said County, on the 27th day of December,
A. D. 1907.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of
Probate.

In the matter of the estate of
DIRK DE VRIES, Deceased.

Arend Vischer having filed in said court his
petition, praying for license to sell the interest
of said estate in certain real estate therein
described.

It is ordered, that the 27th day of January,
A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon,
at said Probate Office, be and is hereby ap-
pointed for hearing said petition, and that
all persons interested in said estate appear
before said court, at said time and place, to
show cause why a license to sell the interest
of said estate in said real estate should not be
granted.

It is further ordered, that public notice
thereof be given by publication of a copy of
this order, for three successive weeks pre-
vious to said day of hearing, in the Holland City
News, a newspaper printed and circulated in
said County.

A true copy.
EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.
BERNARD BOTTJE, Register of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court
for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said Court, held at the Prob-
ate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in
said County, on the 20th day of December,
A. D. 1907.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, in the
matter of the estate of
NANCY TER ACHTER, Deceased.

William O. Van Eyck having filed in said
court his petition, praying for license to sell
the interest of said estate in certain real
estate therein described.

It is ordered, that the 20th day of Janu-
ary, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock in the fore-
noon, at said probate office, be and is hereby
appointed for hearing said petition, and that
all persons interested in said estate appear
before said court, at said time and place,
to show cause why a license to sell the in-
terest of said estate in said real estate should
not be granted.

It is further ordered, that public notice
thereof be given by publication of copy of
this order, for three successive weeks pre-
vious to said day of hearing, in the Holland
City News, a newspaper printed in said
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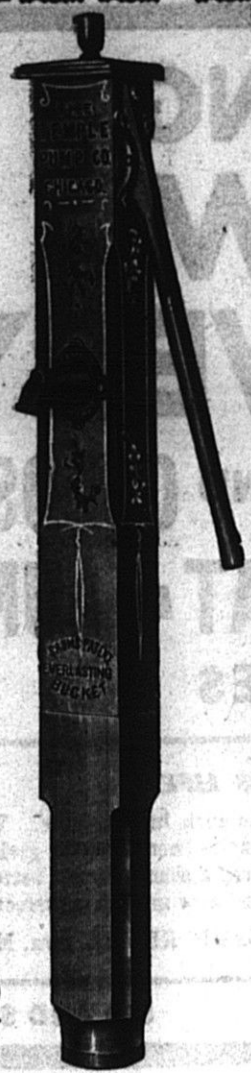
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Orrine is in two forms, No. 1 which can be given secretly in food or drink; No. 2 in pill form for those who desire to be cured. Either form cost \$1 per box, and both are sold under the liberal guarantee that your money will be refunded if Orrine fails to cure.

Orrine is for sale by Model Drug Store, Holland, Mich.

Attention!

I the treasurer of Holland township will receive tax in the following places: I will be at the office of Isaac Kouw real estate dealer, 36 West 8th street, in the Vander Veen block opposite the Interurban railway office at Holland on Thursday December 12 and Saturday December 14. Thereafter on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays of each week until January 10, 1908.

Will be at Zeeland at the Commercial Savings bank on Wednesday, December 18, and each Wednesday thereafter until January 10, 1908, and on Monday and Friday of each week I can be found at my homestead on Alpena Beach road.

Henry Klomprens,
Treasurer of Holland Township.
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Mrs. Mary Dowling of No. 288 8th Ave., San Francisco, recommends a remedy for stomach trouble: "Gratitude for the wonderful effect of Electric Bitters in a case of acute indigestion, prompts this testimonial. I am fully convinced that for stomach and liver troubles Electric Bitters is the best remedy on the market today." This great tonic and alternative medicine invigorates the system, purifies the blood and is especially helpful in all forms of female weakness. 50c. at Walsh Drug Co., drug store.

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THAW'S SISTER ASKS DIVORCE FROM EARL

ON EVE OF NEW YORK TRIAL,
PROCEEDINGS ARE BEGUN
IN LONDON.

Notoriety Gained by Countess of Yarmouth and Husband in Connection with Gotham Case Said to Be Reason for Nullification of Marriage.

London, Jan. 4.—The countess of Yarmouth, who was Miss Alice Thaw of Pittsburgh, has begun proceedings for the nullification of her marriage with the earl of Yarmouth. The countess of Yarmouth is a sister of Harry K. Thaw. The Yarmouth case is entered in the defended list for trial at the coming sittings of the divorce court. It will be heard in camera.

It is said here that the estrangement results from two causes. The first cause is said to be the action of the earl of Yarmouth during the first trial of Harry K. Thaw, a half-brother of the countess, who is to be tried on Monday for the second time for the murder of Stanford White at New York.

Yarmouth Went to Egypt.

It is said when the trial was about to begin Yarmouth went to Egypt and lived in seclusion in the select colony of English folk who reside there during the winter months. The second cause is said to be the action of the Thaw family in determining upon an insanity plea for Harry Thaw. Yarmouth is declared to have objected to insanity figuring in the New York Thaw trial, on the ground that it would have a direct influence on the succession of the Yarmouth estate in the event there was an issue from the marriage. It is also said the earl's parents used every influence to prevent the institution of proceedings to nullify the marriage.

Married in Pittsburgh.

Alice Cornelia Thaw, daughter of the late William Thaw of Pittsburgh, was married to George Francis Alexander Seymour, earl of Yarmouth, in Pittsburgh, on April 27, 1903. The marriage followed a rather brief courtship and put a stop to the earl's stage career, which had begun in private society theatricals at Newport, and had later been more or less successful in a professional way. Yarmouth was starred in light comedy by a New York manager, his title being thinly veiled in the programmes and announcements.

Favorite with Harry Thaw.

Lady Yarmouth has always been the favorite of the family with her brother, Harry Kendall Thaw, whose second trial for the killing of Stanford White will begin before Judge Dowling of the supreme court of New York. She went to America from England, where she made her home since her marriage, and was present during the entire three months of the first trial of her brother, which resulted in a disagreement of the jury. It had been given out that Lady Yarmouth would not be present at the second trial out of deference to the wishes of her husband and other members of his family. It was said that the earl strongly objected to the notoriety and prominence of the Yarmouth name in connection with the first proceedings.

PETTIBONE IS ACQUITTED.

Charles H. Moyer Also Is Formally Set Free at Boise.

Boise, Idaho, Jan. 6.—The end of the prosecution of the men charged with the murder of ex-Gov. Steunenberg, with the exception of the cases of Harry Orchard and Jack Slinkins, came Saturday with the acquittal of George A. Pettibone.

Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, was formally released Saturday afternoon, and will return with Pettibone in a few days to Denver.

The case of Orchard, the self-confessed assassin of Steunenberg, is in the hands of Prosecuting Attorney Vanduyne of Canyon county.

MEDAL FOR MILWAUKEE MAN.

Bravery of Edward McGrath Recognized by President Roosevelt.

Washington, Jan. 4.—The president has awarded a railroad life saving medal to Edward McGrath, station agent for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway at Stowell station, Milwaukee. He is a cripple, making it necessary for him to wear a piece of wood attached to the bottom of one shoe. Risking his own life, he saved a child from being run over by a train.

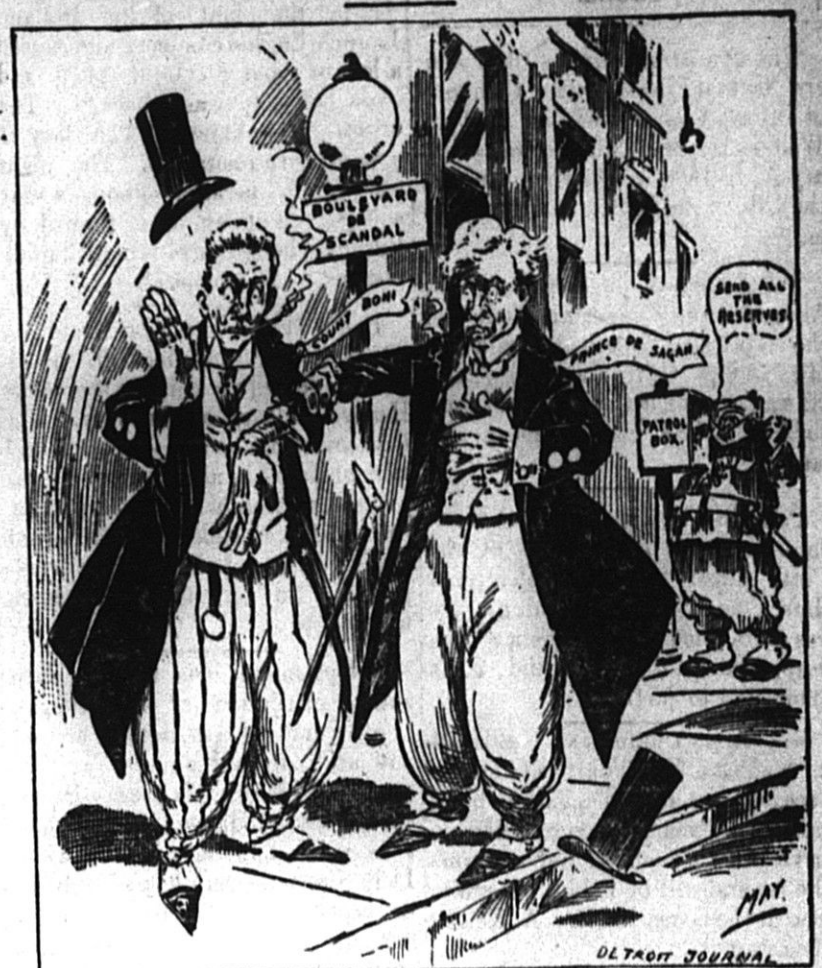
Whisky Kills Famous Pugilist.

New York, Jan. 7.—The greatest fighter of his time, and the winner of several hundred fistic encounters, George Dixon, the negro pugilist familiarly called "Little Chocolate," died Monday in the alcoholic ward of Bellevue hospital, a victim of a long fight with drink. Idolized in his prime by thousands as a pugilistic hero, Dixon passed away practically penniless and without friends. He was 37 years old and for many years held the title of featherweight champion.

Rev. P. B. Morrison of Eau Claire Dies.

Eau Claire, Wis., Jan. 6.—Rev. P. B. Morrison, a pioneer Episcopal clergyman of Wisconsin, died here at noon Sunday. He was 78 years of age. Prayer had just been offered at Christ church for his recovery when the rector announced his death.

FOR THE SCANDALWRIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP.



MEYER AIDS PROHIBITION

MAIL CARRYING CONTRACTORS
NOT TO TRANSPORT LIQUORS.

Order Will Take Effect in Southern States July 1 and in Many Sections at Once.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Postmaster General Meyer has issued an order which has a direct bearing upon the prohibition movement. The order is as follows:

"It is hereby ordered that it shall be a condition of any contract hereafter entered into for carrying the mails upon star, screen wagon, messenger or special service route, that the contractor shall not transport intoxicating liquor from one point to another upon such route while in the performance of mail service."

The bids for star route service in what is known as the second section, comprising North Carolina, South Carolina, Florida, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi and Tennessee and Kentucky, will be opened Wednesday and as a consequence beginning on July 1 next every contractor in the states mentioned will be prohibited from carrying intoxicating liquors on his route.

The order will become effective at once, however, in many sections of the country where it is necessary to install new and supplementary service. It is believed that this order will have a far-reaching effect and will meet the approval of a large number of people, judging by the enormous number of complaints that have been sent here to the department.

TAFT LOSES POINT IN OHIO.

Erie County Committee Rescinds Its Indorsement.

Sandusky, O., Jan. 7.—Resolutions adopted by the Erie county Republican committee last March declaring for Secretary Taft as Ohio's candidate for the Republican nomination for president, were rescinded Monday night by a vote of 15 to 2, when 21 out of 30 members, represented in person or proxy, held a stormy meeting.

The committee deposed Carl B. Clark, local Taft leader, as chairman. The grounds for the committee's action were stated to be that the previous Taft resolutions do not represent the sentiments of the people now that Senator Foraker is in the presidential race.

KILLED BY REJECTED SUITOR.

Young Missouri School Teacher Is Murdered Near Seneca.

Seneca, Mo., Jan. 7.—Miss Lena Craig, a young school teacher who was shot four times Sunday night by John Hopkins, a rejected suitor, died Monday. Hopkins endeavored to cut her throat after having shot her, but was overpowered. He then tried to cut his own throat and, failing, fled, but was later found by the police and clubbed into submission.

The tragedy took place four miles northwest of here at the home of Ezra Hopkins, brother of the assailant, where Miss Craig was boarding. She was 19 years old. Hopkins is 35 years old, a widower with three children.

Whitcappers Are Convicted.

Columbus, Ind., Jan. 6.—A jury Sunday returned a verdict of guilty against David Fox of Smithville and Jacob Kirk of Kirkville, charged with whitcapping William L. Vanest of South Bethany last June. The men will serve a term at Michigan City of from two to 14 years.

Harden Gets Four Months.

Berlin, Jan. 4.—The notorious Harden-Von Moltke libel suit came to an end Friday evening when the accused editor of Die Zukunft was sentenced to four months' imprisonment and to pay the entire costs of both the present and the former trial.

Dr. A. R. Hill Succeeds Jesse.

St. Louis, Jan. 7.—A. Ross Hill, dean of the college of arts and sciences and a director of the school of education at Cornell university, was chosen president of the University of Missouri to succeed Richard H. Jesse.

RENT RIOTS BREAK OUT IN NEW YORK

POLICE USE CLUBS FREELY AND
MANY OF THE STRIKERS
ARE HURT.

Red Flags Cause Rows—Wives and Daughters of the East Side Tenements Take Active Part in the Fighting.

New York, Jan. 6.—Incipient riots broke out on the East side Sunday as a result of the tension between the landlords and the striking tenants, and before the disorders were quelled by the police reserves, which were called from several precincts, many combatants were injured and five were arrested.

The police used their clubs freely, but there was no way to obtain the number of injured, as they were hurried away and cared for by friends. The disorders were general throughout the affected district.

The most serious trouble occurred on East Eleventh street, where a landlord, who had been unable to collect rent, ordered his tenants to remove the American and socialistic flags with which the strikers had decorated the tenement. The landlord was hooted and jeered by the tenants and other strikers, who were holding a mass meeting in the house, and he called the police. The striking tenants resented the appearance of the officers and in the clash that followed the reserves used their night sticks vigorously. Five protesting tenants, somewhat battered, were arrested. The offending decorations were removed.

Women Fight Beside the Men.

Hardly had order been restored at this point when the police reserves were hurried to East Twelfth street, where striking tenants were making a demonstration against a landlord who had objected to the flying of red flags over his property. The crowd failed to obey the police order to disperse and was set upon with night sticks. One woman, it is reported, was rendered insensible during the fight, in which wives and daughters, as well as fathers and sons, participated.

The police tried to gain entrance into the tenement, but the strikers barricaded the door and, a semblance of order having been restored, the officers withdrew. Ambulances were summoned to care for the injured, but the strikers declined to admit the physicians, stating that they would call their own doctors.

East Side in a Ferment.

There were several other outbreaks which were checked by the police, and all during the day the teeming East side swarmed into the streets and held impromptu meetings. There were many altercations between landlords and tenants, and the reserves of four precincts were kept in readiness to respond to hurry calls.

Several mass meetings were held Sunday night by the strikers. It was announced at the headquarters of the strikers that the organizing of the tenants in Hoboken and Jersey City was going on rapidly, and that by the first of February over 50,000 tenants in those cities would be ready to enforce their demands for lower rates.

Vote for "Greater Birmingham."

Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 7.—By a majority of 2,602 the voters of the territory interested declared Monday for a greater Birmingham. The law under which Monday's election was held becomes operative October 1, 1909. The territory embraced in greater Birmingham comprises 41½ square miles and the estimated population is 125,000.

Noted Hebrew Composer Dead.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 6.—Rev. Dr. Alois Kaiser, for many years cantor of Oheb Shalom temple and whose musical compositions, especially those for use in Hebrew devotional services, are known and used all over the world, died Sunday of heart disease, aged 68 years. He was a native of Austria.

LOCAL

The annual meeting of the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Ottawa County will be held on Wednesday, the 15th day of January A. D. 1908 in the City Hall of the City of Zeeland at 10 o'clock a. m.

For the month of December, the Allegan county superintendents of the poor issued orders to the amount of \$735.66. Of this amount \$210.52 was expended for local aid and \$525.14 for the county house and farm.

Peter Stykstra was arrested Monday for being disorderly at the Ninth street Christian Reformed church on Sunday morning. He was arraigned before Justice Van Duren and paid a fine and costs amounting to \$5.00.

Mrs. Jacob Pluim died Tuesday at her home 252 East Fourteenth street. Deceased was an old pioneer here, and was 78 years of age. She is survived by a husband and one son. The funeral will be held this afternoon at the home, the Rev. A. Keizer officiating.

The total number of deaths in this city for 1907 were 95. In 1906 there were 119; 1905, 139; 1904, 113. The total number of births during 1907 were 312, and in 1907 there were 273 showing a big increase in births during the last year.

The re-opening of the New Auditorium Saturday evening for roller skating under the management of P. E. Congdon of Holland, was well attended and the affair was well managed. The sport will no doubt become very popular here this winter.—Allegan News.

Owners of dogs may now take out tags at 50 cents for the balance of the year ending in June. There were a large number of dogs in the city when the tax fell due which were to young to be licensed at that time. They are now of sufficient age and must have the tags or run the risk of landing in the hands of Poundmaster VerWey.

In Allegan county 66 divorce cases were filed last year and 47 were disposed of, 2 of these being dismissed and 2 withdrawn. This is a falling off since 1906, when 79 cases were filed and 58 disposed of. It is believed that about fifty cases are pending, though the records show about three times that number, running back ten years or longer.

Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Roller of East Fourteenth street tendered a reception in honor of their brother, Hein TeRoller, of Seattle, Washington, who is here visiting relatives and friends. The party numbered about forty. All were old friends and acquaintances of the guest.

George Klungel, a recent employee of the Idea theater company, was sentenced by Justice VanDuren Saturday morning to 30 days in the county jail at Grand Haven, after pleading guilty to the charge of jumping a board bill of \$7 which he owed Mrs. Machielson.

The body of Adrian Van Hall, the missing tug engineer of Grand Haven, was found in Grand river Thursday near the wharf. It is believed that he fell between the tug Callister and dock in the early morning of New Year's day. Van Hall had been rescued from drowning near the same place three different times.

The Young People's Christian Alliance will hold a public meeting in the First Christian Reformed church of Zeeland on Thursday evening, Jan. 16. The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock. Special round trip tickets can be procured for 15 cents at Fris' News Stand and at Henry Brink's bookstore. A special car will leave at 7:30.

The annual meeting of the Holland Poultry and Pet Stock Association was held last night and in was decided to secure the services of Charles McClave of New London, O., as judge of the next show, to be held next December 16 to 22. The officers were elected as follows: pres., J. B. Hadden; vice pres., Jacob Westvelt; Sec., Fred Kleyn; Treas., Robert Westvelt. About 20 members of the association went to Grand Rapids to day to attend the show on there.

Have you heard of the green ribbon episode? A certain party in Allegan, old enough to know better at that, being past middle age, wrote a letter to a woman living on the north side to meet him on the corner by the postoffice Tuesday evening, a green ribbon in his buttonhole to be the distinguishing mark. He showed up at the appointed time all right and so did the woman's husband, who got the letter first. Lively diddles all right and the bearer of the green ribbon could not boast of flying the winning colors either.—Allegan News.

Fire broke out at midnight Tuesday in the plant of the Holland Launch Engine company and caused a loss of about \$6,000 to plant and stock before it was checked. The origin is unknown. The loss is covered with insurance. The plant has been in operation about a year and the company was formed by Harmon Garvelink of Grand Rapids assisted by local capital.

Henry Hayes, living on Land St., was stabbed in the cheek just below the temple, with a knife in the hands of Henry Tubergen Tuesday. The boys are each about 8 years old and were engaged in an altercation over juvenile matters when Tubergen became angry, whipped a jackknife out of his pocket and slashed his companion. No serious consequences will follow.

The premium lists for the sixth annual exhibition of the Allegan Poultry and Pet Association are out and an unusual number of fine prizes are offered this year. Everything goes to indicate that the show to be held on January 10, 11, 13 and 14 in Streeters opera house, will be the best one yet. Holland poultry fanciers will be there making a strong bid for the price ribbons, as this city is well up in the poultry raising business.

The Citizens Band held their annual meeting Monday evening and the report for the year was submitted and was very satisfactory. The officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Henry Wilson; vice pres., Ben Veldman; secretary, Gerrit Heneveld; treasurer, Ben Veldman; librarian, H. J. Wickerink; Instructor, Frank Wurzburg; Manager, William Van der Hart.

"Here's the double dutch," was the remark President Roosevelt made to Congressman Gerrit J. Diekema of the Fifth District of Michigan when he reached his pew Sunday morning in the Little Dutch Reformed church in Washington, accompanied by his niece Miss Christine Roosevelt. Congressman Diekema sat directly behind the president and it is very seldom that the president ever speaks to any one in church unless it is to some intimate friend, which shows how popular Congressman Diekema is with the president. Just before the congregation began to sing hymn number 98, "Hail to the Lord," which is so familiar with every reformed church member, President Roosevelt turned around to Congressman Diekema and said, "This is a good old dutch hymn," and the president sang it with a will.

Sheriff Jesse G. Woodbury has a protege in whom he takes considerable pride. His name is Charlie McCarthy and he is a sailor. When he first struck Grand Haven several years ago he was up against it and on the "hike." He was lodged in jail where he attracted the attention of the sheriff and his family. The young fellow was taken in and given a chance to do better. He promised to turn over a new leaf and did better. Last summer he sailed all season and sent his money to Grand Haven to be taken care of. He arrived in his adopted city the other day with good clothes and money enough to last him through the winter. He had not drank a drop all summer and as the sheriff's home has been his only home, when he finished laying up his boat in Chicago he steered directly for Jesse's headquarters.

It beats all how they catching fish these days. The tug H. J. Dornbos brought into Grand Haven on New Year's day what was no doubt one of the largest hauls of fish caught in a single gang of nets, amounting to 3610 pounds. The spawning period having closed fishing for herring has been suspended in Lake Superior waters until the advent of another fall. It has been the most successful season in the history of the industry. Traveling in immense schools the herring were easy to take and it was not uncommon for one tug to bring in as much as fifteen tons in a single day. The scene of the greatest activity was in the vicinity of Bayfield, Wis., where some dozen or more tugs and a large fleet of launches were in commission. The catch there was so large—as much as 250 tons daily—that it was hardly possible to handle the fish. Now who says our system for the propagation of fish is a failure? The money used to protect our fisheries is well spent and in the end the benefit accrues to citizens generally in plenty of fish at reasonable prices.

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Rev. Bergen Preaches Telling New Years Sermon.

Rev. J. T. Bergen, formerly pastor of Hope church, now pastor of a church in Dubuque, Iowa, delivered a New Year's eve sermon that has attracted a great deal of attention. Excerpts of the sermon follows:

"Do not be gloomy and look at the dark side of the old year. Be happy and look at the bright side. Let the faith of your heart guide your vision and you will see the happy old year as truly as you wish the Happy New Year."

A distinguished professor once said—"An optimist sees the doughnut, a pessimist sees only the hole." Be an optimist at the close of the year.

Things are to us largely as we look at them. How softly the first snow flakes are falling. Here comes the old sour face. He sees the first flake and mutters—"Now the boys and girls will skate on my side-walk; I'll run in and get some ashes and dull their confounded skates." The cheery lad sees the same snow flake and shouts—"Hurrah! Here comes the snow. Hurry up Jim, and get the bob in good shape!"

The professor of science sees the same flake. He catches it upon his coat sleeve, and looking at the pearly star, all beautiful in its crystalline flash, he cries—"Wonderful work of nature's silent, mighty law!" Richard Hoffman sees the flake as it floats down through the gently undulating air, and feels the poetic music of its birth out of the throes of the storm cloud. Forth he rushes to his piano and his desk, and plays and writes the "Snow Flake" one of the most brilliant of all his many great compositions, bright as the dazzle of the snow and fierce with the rush of the winter wind.

So the falling moments of the old year can yield what we are in our heart as we think of this passing time. There has been enough of pain, sorrow and sin in this year to make us gloomy forever. And there has been enough blessing and joy to make us happy through time and eternity.

Even losses will leave some beauty and cheer behind them. A short time ago I saw a bald head. Its owner was happy, jovial and good. As we gazed across the shining expanse of his denuded cranium the polished scalp reflected the dying beams of the setting sun and sparkled like the iridescence on mother of pearl. And I thought as I watched the occipital rainbow, "It would be perfectly beautiful if I could only forget the hair which had been there." With graver import, we must forget the losses of the past and enjoy the present with its countless beauties and blessings.

"It has been a panic year," says old blue streak. What do you mean by "panic year?" There has been so much corn in Iowa that all her hogs, both porcine and humani could not eat it before next harvest. So forth it goes out into all the world. The export trade of the country is far ahead of the import trade. Every economic law is on the side of America. And still some howl at the money straightness. Well, the president says that the wicked rich men are to blame, and the wicked rich men through their subsidized press say that the vociferous president did it. Now here comes Taft, whom the wicked rich man's papers have called safe and sane, and he says that the trusts did it. It is now up to the trusts to arise upon their gonty feet and shout "Taft done it." In political circles the panic has become a howling farce. And probably the best way to treat it will be to laugh it down.

Think of the growth of the law enforcing movement during this year. Denver with a lid on! Davenport with saloons closed tight on Sunday! Dubuque dry on Christmas, her saloons as dark and cold as an abandoned mine! The fight is on in Chicago. There's the lawless element of the whiskey tribe has taken a stand with large resources and will die in that trench. Chicago is a mighty battle ground to day. But law will win out and the heart of the West will be clean.

Think of the wave of the revival of Gospel preaching and personal righteousness that is sweeping over our land. Goodby! Nineteen Hundred and seven, Happy Old Year, God was in the midst of thee. God has blessed thee.



Rev. M. Van Vessum of Drenthe has declined the call recently extended him by the East street Christian Ref. church of Grand Rapids to work in the field of domestic missions in the two classes of that church.



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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa. In the matter of the estate of Filmore Bird, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1908 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 Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1908, and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

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