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# HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XV.

HOLLAND, MICH., SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1896.

NO. 2

## DON'T BE IMPATIENT

REMEMBER there are still two months more of cold weather and 1 on three or four months more before winter.

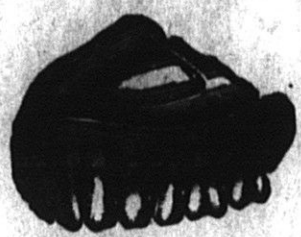
### Underwear and Hosiery

can safely be exchanged for lighter weight garments. Instead of trying to make those thin thread-bare garments last through the winter and risk your health just when you should be most careful, it would be far better and more economical to take advantage of our

**1 OFF SALE**  
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**C. L. Streng & Son.**

DR. A. C. V. R. GILMORE, Dentist.



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### Holland City News.

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MULDER BROS., Publishers.

Rates of advertising made known on application.  
HOLLAND CITY NEWS Printing House, Root & Kramer Bldg., Eighth St., Holland, Mich.

### CITY AND VICINITY.

Wheat 67 cents.

News and Inter-Ocean \$1.50.

Skating this week was good all the way from the city to the park.

The musical event of the season will be "The Crucifixion," at Winants Chapel, Thursday evening.

George W. McBride of Grand Haven was in the city Saturday, engaged in the trial of a civil case before Justice Van Schelven.

Under the general incorporation law hereafter all villages in this state will hold their annual charter elections on the second Monday in March.

Thursday next the Ottawa County Forestry Commission will meet in Grand Haven and hold its first session with the committee on forestry of the board of supervisors.

Mrs. O. E. Yates has so far recovered from her recent injury that she attended the meeting of the Monday Night Club at Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Hummer's this week.

M. E. Campney has purchased the material of the late Hamilton Observer and on or about Feb. 15 a new paper will appear there, with our friend John C. Holmes as editor.

The soiree given by Mr. and Mrs. I. Marsilje to the officers and teachers of the Sunday school of the Ninth street H. C. Ref. church on Friday evening was a pleasant affair and largely attended.

Saturday last complaints were lodged against E. F. Sutton and his bar tender Nick Bush for violations of the liquor law, the former for permitting minors to play cards in his saloon and the latter for selling to minors. Both have been held to the circuit court for trial at the March term.

Our attention is often drawn to mention of the organization of Farmers Clubs in different parts of the state. As regards this immediate vicinity the matter is allowed to go by default. Nevertheless there is nothing that our farmers stand more in need of than just such organizations.

The American ambassador at Berlin, Hon. Theodore Runyon, died Sunday. He was a cousin of Mrs. Maria Scott, widow of the late Dr. C. Scott, president of Hope College. Some years ago Rutgers College honored him with the degree of L. L. D. His remains will be brought to his New Jersey home for interment. Hon. E. F. Uhl of Grand Rapids, the present assistant secretary of state, is mentioned as his successor.

From the recent report of Commandant Graves of the Soldiers Home at Grand Rapids it appears that the average number of inmates present during the year was 536, and their cost per capita for maintenance was \$122.02. As the general government pays \$100 per year toward the maintenance of each inmate the total net cost per capita to the state of Michigan was but \$22.02.

News and Inter-Ocean \$1.50.

Thus far the winter has been most pleasant, to the delight of everybody.

Supt McLean and family on Saturday moved into their new home on Maple street.

Rev. and Mrs. W. Van Antwerp have taken rooms for the present with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Wheeler, on Ninth street.

Kellogg Brothers are preparing for an early opening in the line of house painting and papering. They do good work. See notice.

Owosso, one of the cities coming under the provisions of the new general charter, is anxious to experiment the one assessor plan.

An order has been issued by the postmaster-general extending the scope of the free delivery system in large cities so as to include also the collection of mail matter from house to house.

The Pleasant Evening Challenge Pedro Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Marshal on Eighth street Friday evening. W. J. Scott captured the head prize and George Shaw the booby prize.

Aart Van Tol and another party from Grand Haven, were patrolling River street one day this week, debating in their minds whether there wasn't room for a hardware store in that locality.

A family in Homer, Calhoun county, have captured a house rat which is affording great sport. The rat proves to be a fighter. A prize is offered to the person bringing a cat that will kill it. So far six cats have succumbed to the prowess of his ratship.

In Duxbury, Mass., is still standing the house of John Alden, and it is today occupied by the ninth descendant of that name. It was built in 1650, and is the identical house in which the original John Alden, the guileless charmer of Priscilla, lived during the latter part of his life.

Mrs. H. Schaftenaar has received the gratifying intelligence from the superintendent of the Kalamazoo asylum that her husband is steadily improving, though slowly. He is yet very quiet and not inclined to conversation, although he replies cheerfully when addressed, and manifests no excitement whatever.

The annual business meeting of the Old First church was held Monday evening. The treasurer's report showed that the receipts of the year from all sources and for all purposes were \$4,168.29. The matter of placing a pipe organ in the church was brought up and favorably discussed, but owing to the times no action was taken.

Harley Davidson of St. Paul and Joe Nilsson of Minneapolis skated a two-mile race for the amateur championship of Minnesota on Thursday of last week, the former winning the race in the remarkable time of 5:54, lowering the world's championship time formerly held by Joe Donohue of Newburgh, N. Y., nine and one-fifth seconds.

Miss Anna Dehn, one of the teachers in the Fourth ward school, was taken down with diphtheria Saturday, and as a precautionary measure the board ordered the school closed for the week. At this writing Miss Dehn is in a fair way of recovery. The lessons in all the rooms will be resumed Monday, Miss Sena Visscher taking the place of Miss Dehn.

The general traffic agent of the C. & W. M., Thomas McGuire, was in Green Bay, Wis., the other day in consultation with the officials of the Green Bay, Winona & St. Paul road. The C. & W. M., which is a strong competitor of the Ann Arbor road, is desirous of making better and shorter western traffic connections, and run a line of winter steamers across Lake Michigan from some point on the west shore.

Our esteemed contemporary of the Times in a recent issue ventured to criticize the News as to the correctness of some of its local jottings. With reference to one of these items he requested last week to "stand corrected," which request is granted. So far, so good. As to the others, the topics were of too trivial a nature for us to put in a justification. Besides, we rather enjoyed our contemporary's attempt at witicism, and the unusual energy it brought out. The balance of this friendly jottling has been consigned to the waste basket, since it did not harmonize with the following incident: Born at the home of the editor of the Times, on Friday morning—a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. P. McKay, on Sunday—a daughter.

Will Kellogg and family are contemplating to move on a farm.

A special session of the classis of Holland will be held at Zeeland on Tuesday next.

Theol. student W. T. Janssen of the Western Seminary has received a call from Hope church, in George, Ia.

Chicago has by ordinance limited the number of dogs to be kept by any one individual or family to six—only six.

Martin Saddler, an employee of the Ottawa furniture factory, broke his right arm while skating on Black lake Tuesday evening.

The Y. W. C. A. of this city have issued cards for a reception, at their rooms, to Miss Yale, this (Friday) evening, from 8:00 to 10:00 o'clock.

John Kramer, the efficient post office clerk, was agreeably surprised on his 22nd birthday Tuesday, by his young friends presenting him with an easy chair.

Gen. Harrison is the third ex-president that has appeared before the U. S. supreme court to argue a case. Andrew Johnson and Grover Cleveland were the others.

Ex-secretary of state Gil R. Osmun, late managing editor of the G. R. Evening Press, has been promoted to the position of editor in chief of the Chicago Evening Journal.

The members of the life savings crew that reside at the harbor the year round were busy this week filling the ice houses of the Macatawa Hotel. The quality stored was first class.

Mrs. Martha Carroll of Hopkins, sister of Dr. Geo. Baker, and Miss Etheline Gardner of South Haven, have opened a dress making establishment in the millinery store of Benjamin Sisters.

A reception will be given on next Monday evening by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stevenson at their home on River street, to Rev. and Mrs. W. Van Antwerp, the new pastor of Grace Episcopal church.

Reindert De Weert, a farmer living a few miles north of here, has received intelligence of the death of his aunt Mrs. Hendrika Beekman, at Apeldoorn, Netherlands, and that she has left an estate valued at about \$40,000, to be divided among a number of nephews and nieces, of which he is one.

John Kerkhof returned Friday from his visit to south-western Texas, where he found roses in bloom and strawberries ripe for the market. John Toren of Grand Rapids was his companion on the trip. Mr. K. expects to make another tour, in the interest of the land agency with which he is connected, leaving here on Feb. 11.

The Y. M. C. A. will give a social in Bergen Hall on Wednesday evening Feb. 12. This being Lincoln Day, the program will be devoted entirely to that topic, and the various parts filled by the younger members of the association. The annual meeting for the election of directors and the rendering of reports will be held on Feb. 14.

At the adjourned session of the circuit court on Thursday, Judge Padgham passed sentence upon A. Romeyn of Zeeland, convicted for selling liquor without license. The respondent at the time laboring under a bona fide impression that the peculiar system under which he solicited orders for the delivery of bottled beer was not in violation of law, the judge let him off with a fine of \$25 and costs, amounting to \$23.

The Ladies Aid Society of Hope church netted \$59.34 cents on their birthday party Tuesday evening, and besides, they enabled all those present to enjoy a very pleasant evening. A short program was rendered in which Prof. H. Boers and Mrs. L. M. Thurbert took charge of the literary parts, while the musical features were divided between Mesdames Dijkema, Hummer and Gillespie, vocally, and Miss G. Alcott, P. Root and Wm. Olive instrumentally.

Three more candidates for county honors in Ottawa have been heard from: W. H. Trasher of Georgetown, as register of deeds; P. Brusse of Zeeland, either as clerk or register; and Judge Soule of Grand Haven as prosecuting attorney. To the extent that the law permits the present county officials to continue to hold over, we are credibly informed that but few have manifested an aversion to a re-nomination, and that with some of them there is a fair prospect in that direction.



A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—Latest United States Government Food Report. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall St., N. Y.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ward, on Wednesday—a daughter.

G. J. A. Pessink has moved to the corner of River and Fifteenth streets.

The sign of P. F. Oostema & Co., grocers, has been changed to B. Oostema.

In the opinion of lumbermen the prospects are fair for a good season's business.

Don't fail to take in "The Crucifixion" at Winants Chapel, on Thursday evening.

A. L. Holmes of Grand Rapids, the well known hydraulic contractor, was in town this week.

R. E. Werkman will leave Feb. 25 for St. Paul with another excursion party of home seekers.

J. D. Heider has sold his residence on River street to Dr. B. Godfrey. It will be occupied by his sister.

The new factory of the West Michigan Seating Co. has so far advanced that mechanics are putting on the roof this week.

J. M. Mendelsson, a representative of the Atlas plate glass works of Amsterdam, Netherlands, registered at the City Hotel Tuesday.

Miss Carrie Purdy, daughter of Jas. H. Purdy, who has been critically ill with typhoid fever for nearly three weeks is slowly improving.

The number of ice boats on Black Lake this week was increased to five. In the evening there is hardly any one to be found on the streets, everybody being out skating.

Postmaster De Koyser is putting up a nice barn in the rear of his residence on Thirteenth street, and his friends suspect him of having his eye on one of our famous trotters.

The Bay View Reading Circle will meet with Miss Jennie Kanter on Feb. 4, at 2:30 p. m. Quotations from Edmund Spencer will be given in response to the roll call.

Ex-Mayor George P. Hummer was present at the farewell banquet given Madrice Houseman at Grand Rapids on Wednesday night. The latter is to engage in the practice of law in Chicago.

At the annual meeting of the Walsh-De Roo Milling Co. the old board of directors was re-elected: L. Cappon, H. Walsh, C. J. De Roo, G. W. Mokma and L. Mulder. The officers and management also continues the same as last year.

George S. Turner, who for twenty years was an employee of the C. & W. M., and one of the most efficient engineers on the road, died at New Buffalo on Tuesday. The remains passed through this city on a special car on the noon train Wednesday, on their way to Grand Rapids, where the funeral took place the same afternoon. The deceased had a large circle of acquaintances among the railroad men of Holland, and was universally respected.

Highest Award—  
at the World's Fair

**DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER**

MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder, from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

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We are prepared to give you the best (which is the cheapest) Insurance as we represent the following great companies: Insurance Co. of North America, the oldest stock Fire Insurance Company in the United States. The Philadelphia Underwriters, known as the "Whale", with assets as large as 15 or 20 ordinary Insurance Companies. It is the strongest American Company. We are also agents for the following strong companies: The Imperial of London. The Lancashire of Manchester. The Pennsylvania of Philadelphia. The Niagara of New York. The London and Lancashire of Liverpool, etc. The Companies we represent paid all their losses in the great Chicago and Boston fires (hundreds others failed) and their financial condition is the very best to-day. We shall highly appreciate a part of your insurance business.

**H. & W. C. WALSH, Insurance Agents.**

## The Monroe Doctrine

IS DESERVEDLY POPULAR IN AMERICA.

### Sunlight and Daisy Flour

are equally and as deservedly popular in Holland, also in other parts of Michigan, also in several other states, also in several foreign countries, and this is all so because our farmer neighbors all sow the best wheat in America and we make it into the best flour.

The Walsh-De Roo Milling Co.

## If You Need

The services of a first-class  
—DENTIST—

Call on—  
**Dr. A. Lambert,**  
Cor. 8th and River Sts., above Holland City State Bank.

Golden Drip Syrup 25c a gallon at G. Van Putten.

10 Pounds of Douglas & Stewart's rolled oats for 25 cents at G. Van Putten.

LOW RATES

FOR

SOUTHERN SETTLERS.

For the benefit of intending settlers, the Chicago & West Michigan Ry will sell tickets on the first Tuesday of each month until further notice, at very low rates, to various points in the Southern States. Ask agents for full particulars.

GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A.

51-4w

Here's your chance. All brands of coffee 19c a pound at G. Van Putten.

Rooms To Rent.

Partly furnished. Two large rooms and clothes closet. Just the thing for light housekeeping. No connection with other parts of the house. Inquire mornings, at north-west corner of Pine and Eleventh streets. 2-2w

All kinds of Package Yeast for 4c a package, at G. Van Putten.

Twenty-five ounces of Pure Baking Powder and a Bread Knife for 25c, at G. Van Putten.

Keep Right On!

Buying of C. A. Stevenson the Holland Jeweler.

You cannot Err!

Buy Belknap Bob Sleighs of H. De Krul, Zeeland.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder  
World's Fair Highest Award.

Good California Raisins 4c a pound, or 7 pounds for a quarter, at G. Van Putten.



To the Golden Rod.  
BY GEN. D. M. CUTCHEN.

Hail to thee flower of a people united,  
From ocean to ocean, fair child of the sun;  
Sign of a Union perpetually pledged,  
Hail to thee, symbol of many in one.

II.  
Single thy stalk, although many thy branches,  
Countless thy blooms as the waves of the sea,  
Oas as the ocean—diverse as the billows,  
Symbol of liberty—flower of the free.

III.  
On hills of New England, in glades of the South-  
land,  
Where unfettered winds o'er the broad prair-  
ies run,  
Everywhere fearless, fit mate for the eagle,  
Flower of the nation, the many in one.

IV.  
Lift up thy head, Golden flower of the nation,  
Bend, while we crown thee, bright child of the  
sun,  
Semper ubique—E Pluribus Unum,  
Beautiful Golden Rod—many in one.

—G. R. Democrat.

Municipal Ownership.

Mayor Pingree of Detroit, whatever  
else may be said of him, is evidently  
the growing man of the people, not  
easily got rid of, and a sort of second  
Ben Butler. In a recent speech at a  
banquet of business men of Provi-  
dence, R. I., he paid his respects to  
corporations that own municipal  
franchises and held them responsible  
for most of the corruption that pre-  
vails in cities, because by their joint  
power and influence they practically  
rule the town, and elect aldermen  
that they own. Coming down to the  
problem of municipal ownership of  
street railroads he gave his views as  
follows:

"While I am not yet ready to advo-  
cate municipal operation of street  
railroads, I am strongly in favor of the  
city owning the tracks of iron, just as  
it owns the bricks in the pavement.  
I would then advocate the letting of  
the right to run cars to the lowest bid-  
der, taking certain good streets and  
certain poor ones in lots, the fat with  
the lean, for periods of, say ten or fif-  
teen years. The right of inspection  
of the books of the company to be open  
to the proper officers of the city and a  
yearly statement by each com-  
pany showing earnings and traffic.  
Until civil service reform, working  
smoothly and honestly, can be made  
to operate in American cities, I am  
not in favor of municipal running of  
cars. This may perhaps come later.  
As yet, it would be too great a power  
in the hands of corrupt politicians.

"I will not go into the argument  
why low street car fares benefit a city  
and its large class of working people.  
It is the pennies that count. The  
pennies, daily, make many dollars  
yearly. To a working man or a shop  
clerk it is often a question of a few  
dollars between barely able to live and  
getting along nicely. Low street car  
fares encourage manufactures and  
public school education of children.  
It favors the building of homes and  
discourages tenement life. If this  
land of ours is not to be a place where  
the average man who labors can live  
in comfort and bring up a family, it is  
a failure as a republic. It was to be  
able to do this that our forefathers  
left the old world with its class condi-  
tions. A country, and especially a  
republic, becomes great and its people  
contented and happy, not through the  
number of its millionaires, but through  
the average prosperous condition of  
its working and farming classes, and  
in public affairs it is to that end that  
our efforts should be directed."

THE TREE AND WHY WE  
SHOULD PLANT IT.

Tree Culture—How It Can Be  
Encouraged.

ACTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVIS-  
ORS.

III.

Among the essays on forest tree  
culture in Ottawa county, submitted  
to the committee on forestry was the  
following by Mrs. John W. Barnes, of  
Grand Haven:

In response to the invitation of the  
board of supervisors I submit the fol-  
lowing for their consideration:

I am thankful that the call has  
been made, and hope it will prove the  
beginning of better things and that  
the subject will be agitated and acted  
upon, until Ottawa county will be noted  
at home and abroad, for its useful and  
ornamental trees.

It is to be regretted that farmers  
and others living in the county have  
not been more alive to their interests,  
and the interests of their children  
and children's children, and planted  
more trees or left more of the primi-  
tive growth standing. However, in the  
early settlement of the county the  
farmer had but small means with  
which to provide for his family. It is  
a man's first duty, to provide the ne-  
cessities and comforts of life for his  
family. There seemed to be no other  
way but to fell the proud lords of the  
forest, to get the land under cultiva-  
tion that he might raise grain, grass,  
and vegetables for himself and the  
domestic animals upon which they so  
largely depended for their living. His  
patient oxen, his co-laborers, must be  
provided for; they must graze in sum-  
mer, and be fed in winter; so also his  
cows, and pigs, and hens. Where  
was the money coming from to pro-  
vide sustenance for so many, while he  
cleared the land, and brought it under  
cultivation? The money was in his  
trees, and he went to work with a  
will to get it out. The sound of his  
ax rang out early and late on the clear  
frosty air; and the beautiful forests  
where the wild deer had bounded in  
freedom, where the wild turkey, squir-  
rels and birds of almost every descrip-

tion found their natural home, where  
they fed on nuts and slacked their  
thirst at crystal springs and running  
streams, was laid low. He did leave  
an orchard of grand old maples, for  
that was to furnish the year's supply  
of sweetening. How delicious was  
the wax candy made from the life-  
blood of these magnificent trees! No-  
thing we buy now in the way of con-  
fectionary will begin to compare  
with it, and "the sugaring-off parties"  
the young folks enjoyed in those days  
were something sweet to remember  
for a lifetime. Such maple syrup as  
we buy now for a pure article would  
have been relegated to the vinegar  
barrel. Sometimes a little sap of the  
last runs, after the rains had com-  
menced and the buds had started, was  
boiled down for vinegar. That was  
much like the maple syrup of to-day.  
Nature had such a curious way of giv-  
ing warning when the sugar season  
was drawing to a close. On the bot-  
tom of the cakes that had been  
"caked" in tin pans and other tin ves-  
sels could be discerned a delicate  
tracery of twigs and buds and leaves,  
not unlike that which the frost traces  
on the window pane. This is no myth  
but a veritable fact, and I wish some  
scientific person would offer us an ex-  
planation through the columns of our  
local papers.

If the farmer was fortunate enough  
to have pine growing on his farm, the  
logs were made into rafts and floated  
down our magnificent Grand river to  
Mill Point, and sold, and the money  
was invested in pork and flour. The  
farmer did not buy pine land; it was  
considered worthless for agricultural  
purposes. When it was discovered  
that it was adapted to fruit raising, it  
came like a revelation, and a new era  
was inaugurated.

The farmer must depend upon him-  
self for disposing of his hard-wood  
trees. His oxen, cows and sheep were  
allowed to browse, while he and his  
boys split rails with which to build  
his zig-zag fence. This cost no money.  
After hauling a year's supply for  
fuel, near his home, to be worked up  
in winter, he piled the remainder in  
heaps, and fired them as soon as they  
were dry enough to burn. His  
corn and potatoes were planted be-  
tween the stumps and cultivated with  
the hoe. When after ten or fifteen  
years of hard work he could look over  
his fields of waving grain his soul was  
satisfied. He felt repaid for all the  
hard labor he had bestowed.

Young men of Ottawa county, or-  
ganize and redeem the county. Make  
it the pride of the state. Carry for-  
ward the good work commenced and  
complete it between here and sur-  
rounding places. Plant nut-bearing  
trees behind the willows and poplars,  
butternuts, hickorynuts, black wal-  
nut, birch and other native trees;  
raise a fund and purchase foreign var-  
ieties of some reliable nurseryman,  
trees that have been acclimated.  
When they come into bearing—and  
this will not be long—let it be under-  
stood that the nuts are free, and that  
any one can have them for the pick-  
ing up from the ground. Young men,  
restore our beautiful river! Let it be-  
come what it was in former years, a  
"Grand River,"—a "beautiful river,  
gliding along under the willows, bend-  
ing so low," so low till their graceful  
branches are reflected in the lucid wa-  
ters, seemingly as tangible as the liv-  
ing, growing trees that fringe its  
banks on either side. No need of a  
dredge to deepen the channel. Plant  
the trees and nature will do the rest.

Farmers of Ottawa county, plant an  
orchard of young sugar maples on  
some hill side or other favored locali-  
ty; let it be a wind-break for your  
choice fruit—your apples, peaches,  
pears, plums, quince, etc., etc. Leave  
ample room about your home, and  
your wife and daughters will delight  
in beautifying it with delicate flower-  
ing shrubs, roses and other favorites.  
The light out-of-door exercise will  
bring roses to their cheeks, buoyancy  
to their step, and happiness to their  
hearts. Shrubs, plants, bulbs, flower-  
seeds, etc., are abundant and offered  
cheap enough to place them within  
the easy reach of all.

Farmers, plant trees! Beautify your  
homes! Give your family an abun-  
dance of healthful fruit. So shall thy  
days be long in the land which the  
Lord, thy God, hath given thee.

MRS. JOHN W. BARNES.  
Grand Haven, Mich.

FOR THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

Progress—After Fifteen Years.

After an absence of fifteen years I  
had the pleasure of making a very  
brief visit to the southern portion of  
Brazoria county, in the great state of  
Texas. In definition of this word  
"great," let me give you some facts:  
For five hundred miles on the south  
state of Texas is washed by the waters  
of the Gulf of Mexico. If a man  
should start from Texasana and keep  
the boundary line for the whole  
circumference of the state he would  
cover over four thousand miles before  
returning to his starting point, and  
would walk the same distance going  
from Chicago to London. The Ger-  
man Empire could be placed in the  
state of Texas and still have room for  
the state of Michigan. The whole of  
New England could be placed in the  
Pan Handle of Texas and still have  
room for France. The Lone Star  
State is larger than some of the em-  
pires that have ruled the world.

All along the line the progress has  
been wonderful. But a few years ago  
and cotton was the only staple raised.  
Last year Galveston alone shipped  
four thousand cars of wheat. Even  
in the Central Belt the growing of  
fruit was thought to be unprofitable;  
now everything from a strawberry to  
a Keiffer pear is grown, while the  
Concord and Delaware grapes grow  
here to perfection.

In 1892 3,500,000 acres of corn were  
planted, and a harvest of 78,000,000  
bushels of corn followed, showing con-  
clusively that something beside cot-  
ton and eastor beans can be raised.  
Oats do well, while three crops of  
sorghum can be raised in a year. A  
few years ago Irish potatoes and many  
vegetables were imported; to-day,  
cabbage, turnips, beets, onions, etc.,  
are all grown to perfection, while  
ground was being prepared for spring  
crops. Only a few years ago and cot-  
ton seed was considered a waste prod-  
uct and burnt; now the demand for  
cotton seed oil exceeds the supply,  
while in yards adjacent to the oil mills  
the cottonseed meal and hulls are fed  
to cattle, producing a quality of beef

unsurpassed. Everywhere are the  
evidences that northern energy has  
combined with an even, temperate  
climate to make a new era of prosper-  
ity for the South.

Our respected townsman ex-mayor  
B. Kanter laid the successful founda-  
tion for a deep water harbor at  
Quintana fifteen years ago, and while  
a 25 ton coaster was about the only  
craft that could make the harbor, now  
the ocean-freighter goes to Velasco,  
five miles up the river, for a full cargo  
of freight. Rain water then was the  
only available drinking water; now ar-  
tesian wells 1,200 feet deep throw a  
three-inch stream continuously. By  
courtesy the postmaster's house was a  
tavern; now a hundred-room hotel is  
open to welcome all.

Education commenced and ended  
on horseback; now schools and col-  
leges are deemed an absolute necessity,  
even in the new Holland settlement  
of Gothland. Religious services and  
schools have begun with the first  
breaking of the prairie sod, while the  
state of Texas has a school fund of  
\$100,000,000.

The cowboy started in the spring  
and through the northern part of Tex-  
as, the Indian territory of Oklahoma,  
the Cherokee strip, and part of Kan-  
sas he drove the wild and ever-moving  
herd until in the fall he landed them  
at their destination. Now he hustles  
them on the cars at Velasco and in  
five days sells them in the Chicago  
stockyards.

The very finest lands of Brazoria  
county were neglected; now in De-  
cember, 1895, 500 head of fine cattle  
were taken from the tract where this  
spring the Holland farmers will put in  
the first crops, while Bernhardt Carl  
of Ranch Prairie gathered 2,500 bush-  
els of corn off 45 acres of land. But a  
short time and the beautiful fruit of  
Texas will be in the markets of St.  
Louis and Chicago, while the refriger-  
ator rooms in the ocean liners will  
carry to the markets of the world figs,  
grapes, peaches, prunes, berries, etc.  
The range cattle and the cow boy will  
disappear with the Texas pony, but  
the fattened steer and blooded horse  
will compete with the best of their  
class. The large ice plant of Houston  
is pointing out the way how they will  
slaughter their own cattle and cure  
and put up the meat of the succeeding  
generations of the pig that now grows  
fat on California clover and what  
sweet potatoes it can steal. And  
when this great state shall, instead of  
hiring the convicts out to railway  
companies, put them to work on its  
highways, the progress of the past  
will dwindle away in comparison to  
the giant strides of the future of that  
class who are the mainstay of every  
country, the man who feeds them all—  
the farmer.

JOHN KERKHOFF.  
Holland, Jan. 29, 1896.

FOR THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

Keep It Before the People.

I was glad to notice the other day  
that the "Single Tax Courier," pub-  
lished in Minneapolis, is now regular-  
ly on file at the Y. M. C. A. reading  
room.

The paper, as its name indicates,  
upholds the theory of the "single tax"  
which, if put in force, would abolish  
all taxes other than a tax on the rental  
value of the ground.

Under this system it would be un-  
profitable to hold land idle for specu-  
lation, and labor could employ itself  
on all land not in use, by paying rent  
in the form of a tax to the state in-  
stead of into the private pocket of an  
idle landlord, as is now the case.

It is claimed in behalf of this sys-  
tem, that if applied to its full extent  
it would abolish poverty, that is, pov-  
erty of the involuntary kind, wipe in-  
digents and the equally idle land-own-  
ers out of existence, and make genu-  
ine, unselfish Christianity a possibil-  
ity.

Single-taxers, Mr. Editor, are not  
red-handed fellows, thirsting for gore,  
but rather seem to be an orderly and  
logical crowd, and their arguments in  
behalf of this system of taxation will  
be found hard to refute.

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Holland, Jan. 29, 1896.

COMING TO HOLLAND.

DR. J. W. MORLEY LEE, THE DISTIN-  
GUISHED JAPANESE THROAT AND  
LUNG SURGEON, EYE AND  
EAR EXPERT.

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The noted specialist, who has enjoyed  
such wonderful success in Japan,  
Europe, New York and this state,  
will on Thursday February 6, open  
an office in the New City Hotel. All  
invalids who visit these eminent  
physicians before Friday February 13,  
will receive services three months  
free. They treat all chronic diseases  
such as rheumatism, paralysis, neur-  
algia, headaches, fits, sleeplessness,  
brain and nervous exhaustion, St.  
Vitus' dance, cancers, tumors, skin  
diseases, including pimples, freckles,  
ulcers, salt rheum, etc.; also heart,  
liver and kidney diseases, male and  
female weakness, nervous debility,  
exhausted vitality, confusion of ideas,  
aversion to society, loss of memory  
and energy, etc. is quickly and perma-  
nently cured by an original and never-  
failing treatment. Cure guaranteed  
when others have failed, but will not  
accept incurable cases. They will  
examine you thoroughly, free of charge  
and if you are incurable they will  
frankly, kindly tell you so.

Take one candid thought before it  
is too late. A week or a month may  
place your case beyond the reach of  
hope.

Young men who have become the  
victims of solitary vice, that dread-  
ful habit which annually sweeps to  
an untimely grave thousands of  
young men of an exalted talent and  
brilliant intellect, may call with con-  
fidence.

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catarrh are no longer incurable dis-  
eases by their new and never-failing  
method.

Remember! it costs you nothing  
whatever to consult these eminent  
specialists, and therefore the most  
humble in circumstances can avail  
themselves of their vast experience.  
Catarrh and catarrhal deafness are  
positively and permanently cured by  
their new Japanese method.

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tention to diseases of ladies. Merited  
reward. Her cures unequalled in the  
history of science. Her remedies we

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covery has no equal as a Cough remedy.  
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St. Wayne, Ind., testifies that he was  
cured of a Cough of two years stand-  
ing, caused by La Grippe, by Dr. King's  
New Discovery. B. F. Merrill, Bald-  
winsville, Mass., says that he has  
used and recommended it and never  
knew it to fail and would rather have  
it than any doctor, because it always  
cures. Mrs. Hemming, 212 E. 25th  
St., Chicago, always keeps it at hand  
and has no fear of Croup, because it is  
stantly reliever.

H. Walsh, Holland,  
A. De Kruij, Zeeland.

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prompt, positive action in all cases of  
lung trouble. It is a positively reli-  
able cure for coughs and colds

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hand the finest of Staple and Fancy Gro-  
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H. Walsh, Holland,  
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### STATE NEWS.

Interesting Paragraphs from Many Points in Michigan.

At Newaygo Etta Husted, an 15-year-old girl, cut her throat while despondent.

Chicken cholera is playing havoc with farm poultry in Berrien and Cass counties.

Kalamazoo doctors report about one-sixth of the population suffering from influenza.

George Faust, an Ann Arbor railroad employe, was killed while making a coupling at Durand.

A post office has been established at Noko, Sanilac county, with Clinton J. Leers as postmaster.

Men are at work grading for the new railway now building between Marquette and Ishpeming.

At Jackson a Young Men's Christian association has been formed with a membership of over 250.

While operating a buzz saw at Three Oaks the balance wheel broke, a piece of it killing Arthur Davis.

A new telephone line has been completed between South Haven and Saugatuck, a distance of 20 miles.

William Bowser, of Allegan, was killed by the accidental discharge of his gun while hunting near Laocota.

German residents of Jackson celebrated the 25th anniversary of the re-establishment of the German empire.

During a scuffle with another boy Steve Clinton, of Detroit, received injuries from which he died in a few days.

Congressman Avery has offered in the house a bill providing for the erection of a life saving station at Charlevoix.

Citizens of Bangor have formed an improvement association to secure the location of manufacturing establishments.

Fruit growers of Monterey township, Allegan county, have taken steps toward the organization of a protective association.

Mayor Turner, of Lansing, was the only representative from Michigan at the recent free silver conference in Washington.

Emil D. Greiner, of Lawton, a popular business man and prominent in secret society circles, committed suicide by taking poison.

The charter elections in most of the villages of the state are only a few weeks away, and the selection of candidates is now being discussed.

Despondency over financial troubles and illness were the causes which induced Ortus C. Eaton, a farmer living near Albion, to hang himself recently.

The comptroller of the currency has declared a dividend of five per cent. in favor of creditors of the insolvent Northern national bank of Big Rapids.

At the annual meeting of the Michigan Association of Prisoners of the War, held recently in Grand Rapids, Col. Zach Aldrich, of that city, was elected president.

Feed for stock is so scarce in the northern part of Berrien county that a few of the more fortunate farmers are selling straw to their neighbors at \$6 to \$8 per ton.

Congressman Atkins has introduced a bill in the house which practically provides that Uncle Sam shall maintain a militia organization distinct from that maintained by the several states.

William W. Upton, who was appointed justice of the supreme court of Oregon in 1867, died in the city of Washington Thursday, aged 78 years. He was a member of the Michigan legislature once.

An extensive deposit of fine quality grindstone has been found in Austin township, Sanilac county, and in the spring operations will be started toward getting it out and placing it in the market.

A number of Grand Rapids citizens, including several business men, are making preparations for an expedition to the Alaska gold fields next spring. It is their intention to prospect for the yellow metal until fall.

A big dam has been constructed on the Menominee river, which will hold back the water for seven miles and force it into several lakes. The dam is 325 feet long and ten feet high, and the material and work cost only something like \$700.

A Houghton dispatch says that Judge Jay A. Hubbell announces that he is not a candidate for delegate at large to the republican national convention. This leaves but one candidate in the field in the upper peninsula, Capt. John Duncan, of Calumet.

The hundreds of thousands of bushels of potatoes which northern Michigan farmers had on hand when winter set in, and which are being fed to stock or held for better prices, or rather, a price of any kind, in the spring, will doubtless be left on the hands of their owners, as there is absolutely no market or prospect of one.

**Miners' Wages Advance.**  
Ishpeming, Jan. 25.—It is announced here that in case the mines at the Winthrop get out 18,000 tons of ore this month they will be paid three dollars per day, and other labor accordingly. This will be a return to the high wages of four years ago. The miners' wages at the Ishpeming mines are steadily being raised. The best miners at the Lake Angelina property are earning \$75 per month and even higher.

**Michigan Men at a Banquet.**  
Washington, D. C., Jan. 28.—The Michigan State association, of Washington, celebrated the 79th anniversary of the admission of Michigan to the union with a banquet at the Hotel Page Monday night. Nearly all the members of the Michigan delegation in congress and many of the citizens in Michigan living in this city were present.

**Heavy Loss by Fire.**  
Coleman, Jan. 24.—The entire plant of the Michigan Heading & Hoop company, excepting the boiler house, was destroyed. The dry kilns, sheds and a large amount of manufactured stock burned at a loss of fully \$25,000, with only \$10,000 insurance.

### A RESIDENCE WRECKED.

Blown to Pieces by Dynamite by Enemies of the Owner.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 28.—William E. Boyd and wife visited their recently purchased house in the eastern suburbs Sunday afternoon, and when they left everything was safe and in order. Early Monday morning the house was shattered by an explosion that aroused the people for a mile around, and the ruins were soon consumed by the fire which immediately started. It is believed the explosion was maliciously placed in the cellar and touched off. Boyd until recently was engaged in the chattel mortgage business. The house was valued at \$2,500 and the furniture at \$3,000, and the insurance is \$3,000.

### KIND TO A MURDERER.

Women Rave Over the Slayer of a Grand Rapids Man.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 29.—J. H. Hert Holmes, who killed Albert Johnson in a quarrel because Johnson shoved his cold hands down Holmes' back, was bound over for trial Tuesday for murder in the first degree. Forty prominent society women were in court and their influence was toward having it pronounce murder in the second degree, that the young man might be released on bail. Holmes is being lionized. His cell is constantly banked with flowers and his table is supplied with the choicest fruits and delicacies.

### FOUND IN AN OLD BIBLE.

Michigan Aneke-Jans Heirs Make a Valuable Discovery.

Decatur, Jan. 27.—The Michigan heirs to the semi-fabulous Aneke-Jans estate in New York city are just now in great glee over the discovery by F. E. Shoudy, one of the heirs living in this county, of a Holland Bible 10 years old which contains, it is said, the lacking data necessary to substantiate their claims. The 50 Michigan heirs are instructed by their eastern attorneys to immediately file their claims, as the present holders of the property are making advances toward a compromise and express a willingness to settle upon liberal terms.

### SUICIDE OF A BRIDE.

For an Unknown Cause She Sends a Bullet Into Her Heart.

Owosso, Jan. 24.—Mrs. Philo Hughes, only 22 years old, who a month ago became the bride of a prosperous farmer in Hazelton township in this county, committed suicide while preparing for bed by shooting herself through the heart, using a revolver her husband kept in a bureau drawer. She had attended a party with her husband the evening before, and seemed to be in the best of health and spirits. There is no cause so far as known, as her married relations have been happy, and everything about her life seemed pleasant.

### Police Chiefs Choose Officers.

Jackson, Jan. 23.—At the annual meeting of the Michigan Chiefs of Police and Sheriffs' association Wednesday officers were chosen as follows: President, C. P. Collins, Detroit; vice president, H. O. Carr, Grand Rapids; secretary-treasurer, J. P. Sanford; directors, A. J. Peek, Jackson; F. C. McEuen, Mason; George Mallory, Port Huron; B. D. Keppel, Grand Haven. The next annual meeting will be held at Saginaw, the date being changed from the third Tuesday in January to a similar date in July.

### Warfare Ends for the Present.

Ann Arbor, Jan. 29.—The nine big literary fraternities will accede to the demands of the regents and admit the four outside literary fraternities and all professional fraternities and independents to the annual ball February 14, without discriminating regarding the decorations of booths or display of fraternity emblems. But next year they say they will leave the fraternities outside of the combination in the cold by holding this greatest social event of the university year in Detroit.

### Aged Convict Pardoned.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 28.—Bartholomew Sands, one of the oldest convicts in the state prison, was pardoned by Gov. Rich Monday on the unanimous recommendation of the pardon board. Sands was committed in September, 1869, to life imprisonment from Oakland county. He is now past 72 years of age, and has long been an inmate of the prison hospital. He has but a short time to live, and his daughter has executed a bond to the state guaranteeing to care for him.

### Physicians Elect Officers.

Kalamazoo, Jan. 29.—The Southwestern Michigan Academy of Medicine in annual meeting Tuesday elected officers: President, Dr. S. Belknap, Niles; first vice president, Dr. Elliot, Hickory Corners; second vice president, Dr. Schaberg, Kalamazoo; secretary, Dr. Rockwell, Kalamazoo; treasurer, Dr. Kanney, librarian, Dr. Van Deusen, Kalamazoo; censors, Dr. Della Pierce, Colter, Ames. The annual banquet took place the same evening.

### Appointed by the Governor.

Lansing, Jan. 25.—Gov. Rich has appointed George Gundrum, of Ionia, a member of the state board of pharmacy for five years, to succeed himself, and William Stevens, of Ann Arbor, a member of the board of trustees for the eastern asylum for the insane for five years to succeed J. S. Goodyear, of Ann Arbor, resigned.

### Trial Postponed.

Niles, Jan. 29.—The trial of Allen Thompson, charged with attempting to kill Dr. John Sweetland, at Mottville, by throwing a dynamite bomb into his office two months ago, has been postponed until February 10. Detectives claim to have unearthed some startling evidence exonerating Thompson.

### Spiritualists Adjourn.

Decatur, Jan. 27.—Michigan Spiritualists closed their annual midwinter meeting Sunday night at Bangor with an address by Mrs. Jennie Hagan Jackson, of Grand Rapids.

### SINFUL HABITS IN YOUTH

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THE RESULT of ignorance and folly in youth, overexertion of mind and body, induced by lust and exposure are constantly wrecking the lives and future happiness of thousands of promising young men. Some fade and wither at an early age, the blossom of manhood, while others are forced to drag out a weary, fruitless and melancholy existence. Others reach matrimony but find no solace or comfort there. The victims are found in all stations of life: The farm, the office, the workshop, the pulpit, the trades and the professions.

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Sheep.....	2.50 @ 3.50
Hogs.....	4.25 @ 4.85
FLOUR—Minnesota Pat'ns.....	2.00 @ 2.75
Bakers'.....	2.80 @ 3.10
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	70 3/4 @ 70 1/2
May.....	71 1/4 @ 72 1/4
CORN—No. 2.....	36 1/2 @ 36 3/4
Dairy.....	30 1/2 @ 30 3/4
OATS—Western.....	25 @ 26
PORK—Mess.....	10 7/8 @ 11 00
LARD—Rendered.....	6 15 @ 6 20
BUTTER—Western Crm'y.....	15 @ 16
EGGS.....	15 1/2 @ 16 1/4
CHICAGO.	
CATTLE—Beeves.....	\$3.40 @ 4.65
Stockers and Feeders.....	2.50 @ 3.85
Cows.....	1.50 @ 3.00
HOGS—Light.....	4.10 @ 4.45
Rough Packing.....	4.10 @ 4.15
SHEEP.....	2.40 @ 3.75
BUTTER—Western Crm'y.....	15 @ 16 1/4
Dairy.....	9 @ 17
EGGS—Fresh.....	15 @ 16
POTATOES (per bu.).....	15 @ 23
PORK—Mess.....	10 7/8 @ 11 00
LARD—Spring.....	5 50 @ 5 75
Wheat.....	3 00 @ 3 50
GRAIN—Wheat, May.....	63 1/4 @ 64 1/4
Corn, No. 2.....	27 1/2 @ 27 3/4
Oats, No. 2.....	24 1/2 @ 25 1/4
Rye, No. 1.....	42 @ 42 1/4
Barley, No. 2.....	33 1/2 @ 34
PORK—Mess.....	10 55 @ 10 70
LARD.....	5 70 @ 5 75
ST. LOUIS.	
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red.....	70 1/4 @ 70 3/4
Corn, No. 2 White.....	26 1/2 @ 26 3/4
Oats, No. 2 White.....	22 1/2 @ 23 1/4
Rye, No. 2.....	40 1/4 @ 40 3/4
OKLAHA.	
CATTLE—Native Steers.....	\$3.50 @ 4.40
Texas.....	2.70 @ 3.60
HOGS.....	4.00 @ 4.25
SHEEP.....	3.50 @ 3.65
OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Steers.....	\$3.25 @ 3.35
Feeders.....	2.75 @ 3.00
Cows.....	1.50 @ 3.25
HOGS.....	4.00 @ 4.20
SHEEP.....	2.45 @ 3.25

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## Holland City News.

SATURDAY, Feb. 1.

G. VAN SCHELVEN, Editor.

### A General System of Sewerage—When Shall We Have It?

We should have it now. At any rate we should be getting ready for it.

In order to fairly introduce the subject let us first examine the city charter, with reference to its provisions for a general system of sewerage.

Whenever it may become necessary in the opinion of the council to provide sewerage and drainage for the city, or for any part thereof, it shall be their duty to instruct and direct the board of public works to devise or cause a plan of such sewerage or drainage to be devised for the whole city, or for such part thereof as they shall determine.

This then clearly indicates the first step to be taken in the premises.

Such plan shall, in the discretion of the board of public works, be formed with a view to the division of the city into main (trunk) sewer districts, each district to include one or more main sewers, with the necessary branches and connections, the districts to be numbered and so arranged as to be as nearly independent of each other as may be. Plans or diagrams of such plan when completed shall be submitted to the council, and when adopted shall be filed with the clerk of the board of public works for future guidance.

Main sewer districts are then to be sub-divided into special (lateral) sewer districts, each connecting with the main sewer, and embracing such lands as will be benefited by the construction thereof, that is, by such lands as can connect with such lateral or street sewer.

When upon the adoption of such plan the council shall determine to construct a sewer, whether trunk or lateral, they shall determine what part of the expense shall be paid by the city at large and what part by special assessment, according to benefits. The plat and diagram of any such proposed sewer is to be advertised, before letting, and the manner of assessment, etc., is similar to that for special street improvements. The construction, supervision and control of sewers is left with the board of public works, the common council retaining a general direction, the same as with the water and lighting works.

There are other provisions in the charter for the construction of special sewers in special districts, but of these we are not treating.

It is evident from the above, that the construction of sewers, in the manner indicated, involves two assessments, first for trunk sewers, covering a large territory or district, and then for lateral or street sewers, emptying in such trunk sewers. The construction of a trunk sewer would come first, the lateral sewers along each street following later on, as fast as the people desired it or the council may deem necessary.

We shall now gather a few points from a paper read before the sanitary convention held in this city four years ago, bearing upon this matter locally:

"It is but natural that Holland, located as it is, should sewer into Black river or Black lake. If in the river, it will have to be below the water works so as not to further contaminate whatever water is unavoidably taken from the river, in an exigency of fire. Just where to locate the exit, is a matter of detail.

"Of the two systems of sewerage in vogue, the combined and the separate, the latter—which is limited to the small sized sewer for the removal of sewage proper only—is the most suitable for a city, the size of ours, the combined system being too complicated and too costly, and also apt to be too heavy a drain upon the water supply. Besides, the combined system, which carries off both sewage and storm or surface water—makes it necessary to accommodate the sewer to the heaviest rainfall, so that in dry times the sewage flowing through so large a sewer, causes it to flow very slowly.

"From a preliminary survey made last summer, it appears that we have an average fall throughout the city of 28 to 30 feet to Black river and lake, ample for sewerage purposes. We gather this information from a report made the other week by a special committee of seven of our eminent citizens, appointed by the mayor to investigate the question of sewerage of this city.

"The approximate cost of a lateral sewer, 9 to 12 inches tile, including digging, tile laying, manholes, catch basins, etc., is from 60 to 90 cents a foot; that of a 20 inch sewer is from \$1.50 to \$1.75 a foot. Sewer pipe leading from the house or yard into the street need only be 4 or 6 inches. The cost of making the connection, to the individual, in this city, will average about \$30. . . ."

It should be remembered that these figures were given four years ago.

When it comes to the details of what system to adopt, how best to divide the city into main and lateral districts, and other matters pertaining to the construction there will naturally be found a diversity of opinions. This however is no drawback. Let the matter receive thorough investigation at the outset and no doubt a satisfactory conclusion will be arrived at, and let that then be adopted.

For the present we will merely add that we know of no better or surer way nor to secure a practical system of sewerage for the entire city than for the common council to continue to grant special permits for special sewers when specially requested to do so, and for the verification of this statement we appeal to our experience of the past four years.

### About Completed.

Since the organization of the Carriage & Bending Company in this city last fall the News has repeatedly mentioned the progress that was being made with the construction of the building. Work has been prosecuted almost continuously during the winter; the boilers were steamed up last Thursday, the machinery is now being placed in position for operation, and it is expected that a force of men will shortly be set at work. Just at this time therefore a description of the plant and the line of work for which it is intended will not be out of place.

The company organized with a paid in capital of \$25,000, and the following officers were elected to conduct its business affairs for the first year: President, D. B. K. Van Raalte; vice president, Isaac Cappon; secretary and treasurer, D. Den Bleyker. The other directors are G. J. Diekema, L. Lugers, W. E. Russell and P. Siersma.

The company started out by effecting the purchase of four acres of the most available land on the lake front from L. Van Slooten. This tract is located just west of C. L. King & Co.'s large plant, and includes abundance of yard room and superior dockage facilities.

Through the kindness of W. E. Russell, who has superintended the construction of the buildings and who has considerable capital invested in the enterprise, a News reporter was this week shown through the works. The plant consists of a main machine and finishing department 80 x 100 feet and three stories in height, a saw mill 30 x 90 two stories in height, and a boiler room 24 x 45 one story high. All of these buildings are of substantial construction and attractive external appearance. On the ground floor of the main building is to be found the boiler room and all the heavy machinery including rip and heavy band saws, railroad cut offs, shaft pole feller and gear bending machines, steam boxes and a dry kiln 34 x 36. With the exception of a commodious and cheerful business office fronting on the lake and a stock room the entire second floor is devoted to the lighter machinery to be used, such as polishers, shapers, stickers, morticers, tenoners, rounders, sanders, band and re-saws, while the upper floor is set apart for finishing purposes.

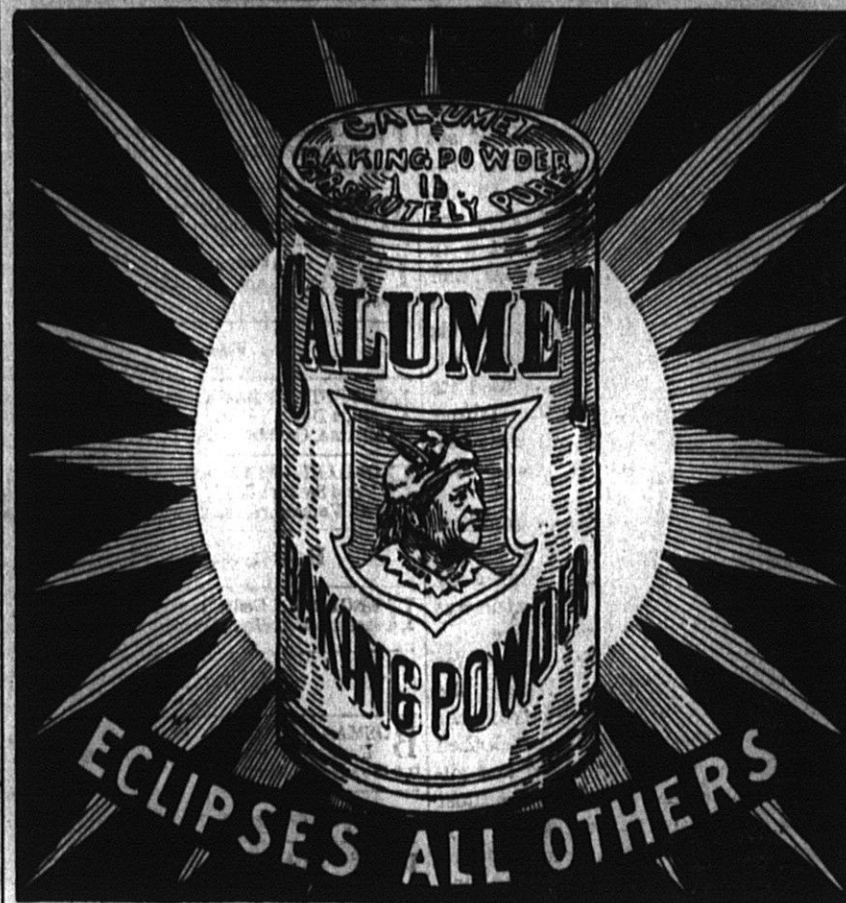
All of these floors are exceptionally well lighted, heated by both steam and hot air, and especially designed and adapted for manufacturing purposes. They are all connected by a large steam elevator for the conveyance of material to the upper floors and the lowering of goods when ready for shipment. On the second floor the elevator connects with a track on a level with the railway siding, so that the products can be shipped without inconvenience and with comparatively little handling.

The saw mill extends along the lake front to the north of the main building and will have a capacity of about 40,000 feet of lumber a day. It is fitted out with circular, cut-off, edging and slab saws, and all the other needed appliances to be found in a first class mill. Logs can be conveniently handled from either the yard or lake.

In the engine room, which is 20 x 44 feet in size, there is a Little 90 horse power engine for operating the machinery, also a 10 horse power Comstock engine for running the dynamo. Steam for setting them in motion is provided by two 90 horse power boilers, which can be used singly or together. When tested early in the week both boilers and engines worked smoothly and satisfactorily.

The Carriage & Bending Co. will, when in complete running order, turn out all kinds of carriage wood work, including bodies, shafts, poles, gears, rims, fellers etc. Mr. D. Den Bleyker, the manager of the company, has had large experience in this line of manufacturing and it is his purpose to turn out as superior a line of work as can be found on the market.

As soon as the weather is favorable a beginning will be made with a dock 200 x 50 feet, which will give the company shipping facilities equal to any to be found on the south shore of Macatawa Bay, as it will carry them out to the deep water line where any steamer or vessel that can gain admis-



sion to our harbor, can land. Material can be brought right to the door of the factory and manufactured articles shipped abroad to the best of advantage. A survey has also been made for an extension of the C. & W. M. spur, and work will be begun on the same between now and spring.

### The Crucifixion.

Next Thursday evening, February 6, "The Crucifixion," a meditation on the sacred passion of the Holy Redeemer, the words of which were selected and written by the Rev. J. Sparrow Simpson, while the music was composed by J. Stainer, will be rendered in Winants Chapel under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of Hope church. This promises to be the musical event of the season, and marks an epoch in the history of music in Holland.

Mr. Francis Campbell will conduct the chorus, and Miss Maude Squire of Grand Haven will preside at the organ and piano. Mrs. Davis of Grand Rapids has been engaged to sing some of the solos, by virtue of the reputation she has gained in her effectual rendering of them in Grand Rapids.

No one should neglect this opportunity of hearing an oratorio which stands second only to the "Messiah," both in rank and sweetness.

Tickets for sale at Will Breyma's. Tickets 35 cents. No extra charge for reserving seats. Begins at 7:30 o'clock.

FOR THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

### Society For the Promotion of Christian Instruction.

In order to remove wrong representations that are made with reference to the above society we request *De Wachter* to place the following four articles from the by-laws:

ART. 1. The foundation of the society is God's infallible Word.

ART. 2. The improvement of the christian element in our public instruction is the aim of the society.

ART. 3. To obtain said object the society holds meetings to discuss the merits of public instruction and to revive an interest therein.

ART. 4. The society intends to make itself felt in the candidature of members of the school board and in a faithful representation at the polls.

Meetings are held in the rooms above "De Grondwet" office, if possible every month. All those joining in with the above articles are requested to attend the meetings.

In behalf of the Society,  
A. C. RINCK, President.  
ABEL H. BRINK, Sec'y.  
Holland, Mich.

[The above has been translated by us from the Dutch and is published in the News at the request of parties representing said society. But why? The object and principles of the society as here stated may on a charitable reading be considered as not objectionable. But whether back of all this there is not an ulterior object, is a matter of grave suspicion, especially in view of the very hostile attitude towards the Public Schools assumed by the president of the society and others associated with him. If however there is a sentiment being fostered for which this society is used merely as a masked battery, detrimental to the Public Schools of our city—sufficient unto that day will be the evil thereof. The one reprehensible feature in connection with this matter however, and which is to be strongly condemned, is the implied accusation as though there was something so dreadfully wrong with our Public Schools that it required a special organization such as the above to bring out a reform in order to give to our schools a positive christian character. To express it mildly, such an innuendo is misleading and not honest.—Ed.]

The official call for the Democratic national convention contains the following striking invitation: "All Democratic conservative citizens of the United States irrespective of past political associations and differences who can unite with us in the effort for pure economical and constitutional government, are cordially invited to join us in sending delegates to the convention."

The following item appeared in the Detroit Free Press of Monday: "While investigating a larceny case Detectives Palmer and High arrested Torrent Wildey, 22 years of age, who is wanted by the Grand Haven authorities on a charge of criminal assault, the complainant being Barbara Dierdorf, a farmer's daughter, living east of Grand Haven. The assault is alleged to have been committed some time during last May, but the local police were not notified to keep a lookout for the young man until November 6, when they received a letter of inquiry, giving a description of the man wanted, and stated the charge against him. Up to yesterday the search had been unsuccessful. While being registered Wildey stoutly denied his guilt. He will be held for the Grand Haven authorities." Sheriff Keppel left for Detroit on Monday, and returned with his man on Tuesday. He was arraigned before Justice Pagelson, waived examination and has been held to trial in the circuit court on \$1,800 bail.

Will Boot, the state prison convict from Grand Haven, was sentenced Monday to ten years additional confinement for the late murderous assault upon the deputy warden, his sentence to commence from that day. Boot asked the judge to send him to the Marquette prison, thinking that in view of his record at Jackson he wouldn't receive fair treatment there, but the suggestion was refused. Boot was sent up from Grand Haven in the first instance for a term of three years, for larceny from the person, a year ago last summer. If he had not got into his present trouble he would only have had to serve about a year longer. This was his second term in Jackson, having been sent up before for a term of years from Battle Creek for highway robbery. Boot is a first-class criminal. He has traveled the country over and once visited Germany, by sailing from New York on a cattle steamer.

The Day of Prayer for Colleges was observed in this city with a marked degree of interest. In several of the churches appropriate services were held, either in the morning or evening. The leading feature of the day was the address in the afternoon in Winants Chapel by Rev. Dr. Hulbert of the Oak Park Congregational church of Chicago, who delivered a forcible sermon on what might be headed as "The old truth presented by new methods," with the crucified Christ as the foundation. In the opening address by President Kollen the statistical statement was given of the religious standing of the College, with reference to church-membership of the students. Out of a total of 81 in the College dept 63 were church members, a per cent of 78; while in the grammar school dept out of a total of 115 the same membership was 46, a per cent of 40. The Y. M. C. A. connected with the institution has a membership of 124, of which 88 are active and 36 associate. During the year four Sunday schools were conducted within a radius of six miles from the city, by 19 students, with an aggregate attendance of 283 scholars. These facts were mentioned as powerful incitements for prayer and praise.

The *G. H. Tribune* gives the following synopsis of Sheriff Keppel's recent visit to Jackson: "On the way down Kelly told the sheriff that his name was an assumed one. He stated that his home was not very many miles from Grand Haven, that he had held various positions of trust, and if he had divulged his name he could have received recommendations from a congressman and other prominent men. To drink he attributed his down-fall. However, Kelly would not divulge the secret of his life. He was a bright man, very intelligent and his story is probably true. In visiting the prison Mr. Keppel saw nearly all of the Grand Haven colony. He had a conversation with Henry Sickman who is in fair health. Hep Donker is enjoying life and growing fat. He has but a short time to serve. Johnny Verboeks was slightly under the weather."

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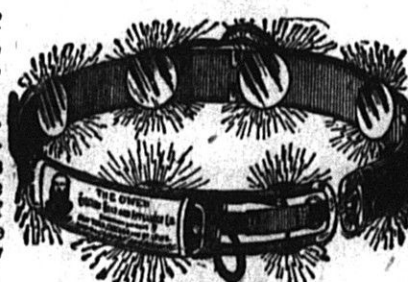
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### ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

"The Crucifixion," at Winants Chapel, Thursday evening.

Special linen sale next week at Vandersluis' dry goods store.

A new time table will go into effect on the northern branch of the C. & W. M. Monday.

Mrs. H. G. Birchby who has been confined to a bed of illness several days, is slightly improving.

M. Van der Heide has traded his house and store in the First ward with T. Slagh for some lots in Slagh's addition.

J. S. H. Holmes, the Grand Rapids murderer, has been held for trial on the charge of murder in the first degree.

Rev. C. M. Steffens, of Rochester, N. Y., spent a day in the city this week, and from here went to Dubuque Ia., to visit his parents.

There will be a social next Wednesday evening at the residence of Mrs. A. Self, for the benefit of the German Lutheran church. Everybody is invited.

Architect Price is at work on plans for a residence of Prof. J. Sutphen, on Fourteenth street; also for a double house, with four suites of rooms, on Market street, for M. Van Putten.

Castle Lodge K. of P. will give their third annual ball in Lyceum Opera House on Thursday evening, Feb. 13. The accompanying banquet will be given in their hall. Invitations are now being sent out.

A very pleasant social party was given on Thursday evening under the auspices of the Eastern Star, at which about 125 attended. Excellent music was rendered by Pritchard's orchestra of this city, and the heroes of the progressive pedro contest were Dr. Lambert and Miss Jennie Blom.

One of our citizens would solve the local tramp problem by building a little bull pen in the city hall basement, putting all tramps there and feed them on bread and water.—G. H. Tribune.

We fear that this little bull pen would soon be crowded upon the adjoining lawn, as a match to that woodpile.

Any one wishing to see business done on an extensive scale should visit the yards of C. L. King & Co. Logs are now being received from northern points at the rate of 40 car loads per day, and it is a common thing to see the C. & W. M. siding blocked up with cars consigned to this large manufacturing establishment. There are now over 4,000,000 feet of logs decked up in the yards, and the firm expects to secure about 1,000,000 feet more before the supply will be complete.

Rev. B. Smits of Ypsilanti stopped over in Holland Saturday, on his way to Benton Harbor, where he preached Sunday. In this connection we find the following in the Benton Harbor News: "The Congregationalists are unanimous in their choice of Rev. Smits as pastor of their church. Mr. Smits is also pleased with the city and the church and has agreed to come here, provided the church will pay him the salary he is now receiving—a parsonage and \$1,200."

Last summer Dr. Heath of Saugatuck bought an interest of Mr. Bird in the drug store of Bird & Phelps at that village, and the firm was changed to Heath & Phelps. They omitted however to take out a new liquor license (tax) from the government, which subjected them to a penalty of \$100. Messrs Heath and Phelps were arrested by U. S. Marshal Ed. O'Donnell and brought before U. S. Commissioner H. D. Post on Wednesday. They waived examination, and were bound over to await action of the grand jury.

Dr. F. M. Gillespie, senior warden of Unity Lodge, attended the annual session of the Grand Lodge, F. & A. M., at Saginaw this week. The meeting was largely attended, not less than 500 delegates being present, representing a membership of 37,000. The absorbing topic was whether or not the Grand Lodge should assume control of the Masonic Home at Grand Rapids, as offered and desired by the trustees. The proposition was rejected, and the threat made by the trustees to close its doors, unless the Grand Lodge made some provision for its maintenance. There are at present 37 inmates in the home.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Crispell, on Sunday—a daughter.

Martin Van der Poel's father, who resided near the Waverly quarry, died Wednesday morning, aged 67 years.

Prof. Samuel Dickle of Albion College has declined to serve longer as chairman of the Prohibition National Committee.

Members of the Ladies Singing Club are requested to notice that there will be no meeting next Thursday evening, Feb. 6.

Our furniture factories are well pleased with the amount of orders they gathered in at the recent furniture exposition at Grand Rapids.

Several attempts at perch catbathing through the ice were made during the week, but somehow or other the dear little finnies won't bite.

At Grand Rapids the rivalry and antagonism between the Bell and the Citizens telephone companies has developed into an actual cutting of the wires. This is worse than the cutting of rates.

List of advertised letters for the week ending January 31st, at the Holland, Mich., postoffice: D. S. Dykstra 3, G. F. Dyk, Miss Hattie Holland, Thomas De Pree, Kochler, Miss Helv. Lydens, Dr. S. Darwin Ward.

Our wide-awake dry goods merchant John Vandersluis announces a special linen sale for next week. The assortment may not be as great as you find in Grand Rapids, but the prices will be just as reasonable. Monday he received his first shipment of spring dress goods. Go and see the beautiful new spring goods.

Congressman Smith of the Fifth district made his oratorical debut as a member of the House on Monday, by delivering a short but forcible speech on the Armenian troubles in the East. He took occasion to refer incidentally to the indignities and sufferings meted out to missionary Adams. Mr. Smith spoke to a full house and the force and eloquence of his address were received with marked approval.

### Personal Mention.

Capt. Coats of Saugatuck was in the city Tuesday.

S. Wesselius of Grand Rapids registered at the City Hotel Tuesday.

Prof. and Mrs. J. H. Kleinheksel visited the Valley City on Saturday.

Jacob and Eddy Van der Veen of Grand Rapids spent Sunday at the old home.

James Riley and wife of Grand Haven spent Saturday with relatives in this city.

Miss Mae Martell of Saugatuck was the guest of Mrs. Arthur Goodrich the past week.

Miss Frances Van der Sluis of Grand Rapids visited with Miss Jennie Kanter this week.

J. Johnson, special detective of the C. & W. M. had occasion to spend Tuesday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Fenn of Allegan were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. James Reeve, Sunday.

C. J. Cook, our active Port Sheldon correspondent, favored the News office with a call on Saturday.

Will Stearns, a former C. & W. M. telegraph operator at this station, Sundayed with relatives here.

Mrs. A. Cloetingh and daughter Anna of Muskegon spent several days in the city this week, renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Harper and niece, of Streator, Ill., are visiting their parents and grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Meengs.

P. Sketee and F. S. Godfrey of Grand Rapids came down on Friday and drove to the Park, looking after their cottages there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kramer took the train for Grand Rapids Tuesday morning to spend the day with the latter's mother, Mrs. P. Boot.

### IS THIS THE MISSING LINK?

Savants Think That an Authentic Remote Ancestor Has Been Found.

At the last meeting of the French Societe d'Anthropologie, says the Paris Figaro, the savants of Paris were convinced of the importance of a recent discovery made in Java by Dr. Dubois, a Dutch naturalist, who has at last, he considers, found the real missing link.

This scientist made a journey to Java and collected 400 boxes of bones, and among these remains he has found a skull, a thigh bone and two wisdom teeth, which he declares belong to the same skeleton. He has given the name Pytheanthropus Erectus—that is to say, neither man nor monkey—to the being to which these bones once belonged.

When fac-similes of Dr. Dubois' discoveries were seen by the members of the Societe d'Anthropologie they ceased to regard the matter as a joke and were unanimous in their regrets that in place of a thigh bone Dr. Dubois had not found a tibia, because this portion of the mysterious being's anatomy would have allowed them to decide in a much surer manner whether the animal in question really did walk with his nose in the air, which Ovid remarked was the principal characteristic of humanity.

### HIDDEN BY VERDIGRIS.

An Egyptian Venus de Milo in the Gallery of the Louvre.

An Egyptian statue, the finest of the kind existing, and as a work of art ranking with the Venus of Milo and the Venus de Medici, has just been discovered in the Egyptian gallery of the Louvre, almost by accident. It is in bronze, says the Boston Traveler, and is the portrait of a queen of the 13th dynasty, named Karomana. This statue was covered with a thick coating of verdigris, which concealed its most striking beauties, so the visitors constantly passed it without even suspecting that a treasure was before them.

An almost invisible trace of gold having been detected on the surface, it was thought that perhaps some gilding lay under the verdigris, and the statue was scraped a little with extreme care.

Something was brought to view far different from gilding. When the beautiful queen was relieved from her verdigris she was found to be clothed in a robe damascened in gold and silver. The workmanship is of the most exquisite description, surpassing anything known in ancient or modern art. Indeed, the artists in work of the kind in Paris often stand for hours before this marvel in an ecstasy of admiration and despair. The face has a caressing fixity of purpose, not unlike that of the wonderful Venus of Milo in the same building, but even greater delicacy of outline. It sets one dreaming as to its meaning and mystery.

### VERY PRIVATE TELEPHONES.

They Are Rented in New York by the Extremely Wealthy.

Strangers in New York city, who may have occasion to speak on the telephone with one or other of the most distinguished social lights of the city, are apt to be annoyed at not being able to get the right telephone number. When the "central" is asked for the number she asks in reply if you don't know it. When you reply that you can't remember it or have lost the memorandum, she will answer back: "We cannot give you Mr. Croesus Vandersbilt's house unless you know the number."

The truth is, says the Pittsburgh Dispatch, that the girl would be breaking strict rules of the company if she gave this information. Many of the millionaires and prominent society people have telephones in their residences, but only for private use. The mistress of the mansion makes known the number only to particular friends, and in exchange receives their numbers. She also leaves her number with the head of the hospital where she happens to be on the managing committee.

Such families put telephones into their palaces only on the proviso that their names and telephone numbers shall not appear in the directory. This exclusive system is adopted in order to prevent the annoyance of being constantly rung up by outsiders.

### A GIGANTIC STRUCTURE.

A Building with a Floor Area of 591,800 Square Feet.

The industrial exposition of Berlin, which will take place in 1896, is rapidly assuming shape. Almost all the buildings are under roof, and the artisans are now busy with the exterior and interior decorations. The main building of the exposition is enormous. It has a front of 670 feet, while its depth is 690 feet. The floor space of this gigantic building is 591,800 square feet. The entire construction is of stone and iron, while the walls are constructed of pressed cement boards. The only wood in the building is used in the floors and in the framework of the dome, which, both on the outside and inside, is covered with sheets of aluminum. The main building is so arranged that, after passing two spacious halls to the right and left of the entrance, an immense center hall 535 feet long by 80 feet wide divides the building through its entire depth. To the right and left from this center hall there are 13 wings on each side, each 150 feet in length and 50 feet in width.

### An Executive Heart.

A man whose heart has in the past 20 months traveled from the left to the right side of his body, is a patient in the Alameda, Cal., county infirmary, and his case is greatly interesting the physicians. The patient is Frederick Moran, 30 years old. He had no trouble of any kind with his heart until 20 months ago, when it began to work toward the right side of his body. The physicians say his heart is now at the extreme of the right side of his body. He has suffered great pain since the trouble began, but is now almost well, apparently. The superintendent of the infirmary says that this is only the third case of the kind he ever heard of.

### Brooklyn's Statues.

The equestrian bronze statues, bas reliefs, that serve as panels on the Brooklyn memorial arch are life size, one representing President Lincoln, the other Gen. Grant, and they are placed at the opposite sides of the large arch. It is stated that after a long search for suitable models for the horses, during which the saddle horses at West Point and the prize horses of various shows were examined, the artists decided upon A. J. Cassatt's saddle horse Clinker for Gen. Grant, and Billy, a western horse, owned by one of the artists, for the Lincoln statue. The work is said to be very spirited and the general effect excellent.

### The Old Lady Knew.

A Methodist paper says that three brothers who were preachers made a visit to their mother. One of them said: "Do you not think, mother, that you ruled with too rigid a rod in our boyhood? It would have been better, I think, had you used gentler methods." The old lady rose to her full height and replied: "Well, William, when you have raised up three as good preachers as I have then you can talk."

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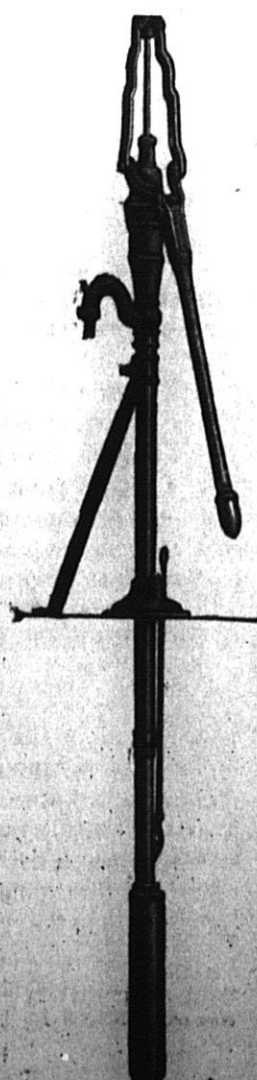
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### CONGRESSIONAL.

The Proceedings of the First Session.

In the senate on the 23d resolutions were introduced relative to the Armenian troubles, to enable the president to veto items in appropriation bills, and to enable congress to pass bills over the veto by a majority vote, and to create a national reserve. Senator Wolcott (Cal.) spoke against the Davis Monroe doctrine resolution, declaring that the doctrine had been misapplied and that the administration foreign policy was ill advised....In the house no business of importance was transacted.

The three subjects most prominently before the public—the Monroe doctrine, finance and tariff—each came in for consideration in the senate on the 23d. A bill was introduced to repeal the refunding act of 1870 and the specie payment resumption act of 1873. A favorable report was made on the bill authorizing construction of bridges over the Missouri, Mississippi, Minnesota and Illinois rivers....In the house the rules of the first congress were adopted.

After a brief but stirring debate the senate on the 24th agreed to a concurrent resolution urging decisive action by the European powers against Turkey, and pledging to the president the support of congress in the most vigorous action he may take for the protection of Americans in Turkey and the redress for injuries to American persons and property. The free coinage bill was discussed. Adjourned to the 27th....In the house 15 pension bills were passed. Adjourned to the 27th.

Senator Frank J. Cannon and Arthur Brown, of the new state of Utah, took the oath of office in the senate on the 27th, the former drawing the term ending March 3, 1899, and the latter the term ending March 3, 1897. Aside from this event the session was given to further speeches on the silver bond bill....In the house the resolutions passed by the senate calling on the powers signatory to the treaty of Berlin to enforce the reforms in Turkey guaranteed to the Christian Armenians were adopted after debate, in which Mr. Hepburn (Ia.) advocated giving the Turkish minister his passports and severing all diplomatic relations with Turkey.

### DOMESTIC.

Benjamin Wells, a retired business man, 72 years old, of Fostoria, O., was mourning the loss of \$8,000 as a result of the work of two bunko workers.

A locomotive boiler exploded at South Charleston, O., killing Engineer Trimble and Fireman Waters and injuring 11 other persons.

Miss Clara Barton, president of the American Red Cross society, and five companions sailed from New York on the American line steamship New York for Constantinople, where she will seek permission to enter Armenia to administer assistance to the needy and afflicted of that country.

An advance of six cents per 100 pounds on all grades of refined sugars was ordered by the American Sugar Refining company. The war in Cuba and the advance in German raw sugars was given as the cause.

The mayors of Peru and La Salle and the presidents of the villages of Utica and Kangley, in Illinois, and all the saloonkeepers in the four places were indicted for allowing saloons to remain open on Sunday.

Rev. Augusta Chapin, D. D., pastor of the First Universalist church in Omaha, and the only woman doctor of divinity in the world, resigned her pastorate.

James T. Gray, tobaccoist at Richmond, Va., failed for \$100,000.

The 28th annual convention of the National American Woman Suffrage association began in Washington, and Miss Susan B. Anthony delivered the address.

The National Centennial Phrenologists' association will hold its annual convention in Chicago next May to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the birth of phrenology.

The receipts from internal revenue for the six months of the current fiscal year aggregate \$76,807,522, a decrease, as compared with the corresponding period of 1894-95, of \$5,040,198.

In a fire at the Herr's island stock yards near Pittsburgh, Pa., many cattle were cremated.

The Saratoga (N. Y.) Racing association decided to abandon the idea of holding a meeting this season.

President and Mrs. Cleveland gave their annual reception to congress and the judiciary.

In a mutiny off the Andrew islands on board the American trading schooner Maria, Capt. Brown, Mate Herman Hohmann and a passenger were murdered by the crew.

At the convention in Chicago of the National Association of Manufacturers Theodore C. Search, of Philadelphia, was elected president.

Harvey Davidson, of St. Paul, skated two miles in 5:54, lowering the world's championship time held by Joe Donoghue, of Newburg, N. Y., 9 1/5 seconds.

In the lower Mississippi valley farms and plantations were inundated by heavy rains, fences destroyed, bridges swept away, and the damage to property was heavy.

William Foster, Jr., engaged in New York in the business of mining and manufacturing, made an assignment with liabilities of \$500,000.

There were 373 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 24th, against 412 the week previous and 363 in the corresponding period of 1895.

Henry C. Foster, a negro, 23 years old, was hanged in Chicago for the murder of George W. Wells on October 4, 1895.

The National Editorial association in session at St. Augustine, Fla., elected R. H. Thomas, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., as president.

W. A. Bullock lost \$1,000 in bill's out of his vest pocket in Milwaukee. He had taken the money out of a savings bank in 1893 so that he would be sure of having it.

The 15th annual meeting of the American Forestry association opened in Washington. The object is to secure protection for the 17,544,800 acres of forests on public lands.

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The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 24th aggregated \$979,967,447, against \$1,062,701,224 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1895, was 6.6.

The two boys of Isaac H. Claggett, aged seven and nine years, were burned to death in his house at Montevideo, Minn. Both he and his wife were absent at the time.

George Ward, a Cherokee Indian, was hanged at Van Buren, Ark., for murdering Henry Bacon in July last year.

Joseph Wicker, his wife and two children attempted to ford a stream in a wagon in Randall county, Tex., and all were drowned.

The reports made to the comptroller of the currency by the 3,706 national banks in the United States of their condition December 13, 1895, shows loans and discounts amounting to \$2,620,961,792, against \$2,059,408,402 September 28, 1895, the date of the previous report.

Gold was found in San Diego county, Cal., which assayed \$167,250 to the ton. At Muncie, Ind., Jacob Hobbs, was sentenced to three years in state's prison, fined \$25 and disfranchised for five years for stealing three pocketknives valued at 15 cents.

Rev. T. B. Hargrove, fell dead in the pulpit in the midst of his sermon at the Methodist church in Coldwater, Miss.

George Thorne and Andrew McDugan, both married, and residents of North Lawrence, O., were struck by a passenger train on the Fort Wayne road and instantly killed.

The fishing schooner Falcon, which sailed from Gloucester, Mass., with a crew of 12 men November 23, has been given up for lost.

John Goodwin, an aged and wealthy planter of Birmingham, Ala., while temporarily insane murdered his wife and committed suicide.

In an opinion rendered to Gov. Holcomb Judge Advocate General W. L. Stark declared the Nebraska statute exempting state militiamen from federal services void in that it violates the constitution.

The coinage of gold at the Philadelphia mint since January 1 amounts to \$5,498,709, mostly double eagles.

While insane Patrick McMahon fatally injured his uncle and aunt, named Sexton, with an ax in New York.

A bill to be introduced in congress by Senator Hansbrough (N. D.) will make it "unlawful for any person or persons, corporation or company to use the national flag or the coat of arms of the United States, or any pattern, imitation or representation thereof, upon or in connection with any advertisement for private gain."

As the result of an investigation into the accounts of the state department in Washington treasury experts were said to have found a deficiency of \$61,000.

Fire destroyed the rubber company's mill at Lambertville, N. J., the loss being \$100,000.

A woman's six-day bicycle race commenced in Chicago with ten starters.

Free-delivery mail service will be extended to 18 post offices on April 1, swelling the total number of free-delivery offices to 633.

James Morgan & Co., dry goods dealers in Milwaukee, failed for \$150,000.

Mrs. Fanny Bacharach, aged 52 years, and Mrs. Bertha Einstein, aged 50, sisters, both fell dead at the same time at the home of the latter in Philadelphia. Heart disease was the cause.

A large part of the business portion of Green City, Mo., was destroyed by fire.

William D. Wheelwright & Co., lumber merchants in New York, failed for \$200,000.

George W. Baxter, aged 39, killed his wife in Minneapolis with a hammer and then cut his own throat with a razor. Jealousy was the cause.

W. T. Jacobs, George Props and Thomas Higgins were drowned at Sewall, W. Va., while crossing New river in a boat.

Two babies dead and their mother dying was the result of a fire at the home of John Steele in Pittsburgh, Pa.

The schooner John W. Bray and crew of 14 men, of Gloucester, Mass., was given up as lost. Her captain was Alexander McCleod, of Cape Benton.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 27th was: Wheat, 67,523,000 bushels; corn, 10,430,000 bushels; oats, 6,253 bushels; rye, 1,549,000 bushels; barley, 3,136,000 bushels.

In a conflict between farmers near Jefferson, Ia., John Brown, Jr., and John Fleck were killed and Mrs. John Brown, Sr., George Fleck and Miss Mary Brown were badly wounded.

Miss Susan B. Anthony was reelected president of the National Woman Suffrage association at the annual meeting in Washington.

In a family quarrel at Kyle, W. Va., Mrs. Lizzie Savage was shot and instantly killed by Thomas Burns, her stepson, who also took his own life.

The Adams-Marseilles Manufacturing company at Marseilles, Ill., made an assignment with liabilities of \$200,000.

### PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

In joint session the Iowa legislature elected W. B. Allison to the office of United States senator for the fifth term.

Ex-Judge Edward L. Burton, one of Iowa's most prominent lawyers and ablest jurists, died at his home in Ottumwa at the age of 65 years.

James Rogers, aged 77, a wealthy resident of Pomona, Cal., was married to Miss Ida Nelson, aged 14 years.

William W. Upton, ex-judge of the supreme court of Oregon, and second comptroller of the treasury during the Hayes administration, died in Washington, aged 79 years.

Congressman H. D. Money was nominated by the democratic caucus of the Mississippi legislature as United States senator to succeed J. Z. George.

George Ryerson, who was governor of Lower California from 1850 to 1885, died at San Diego, aged 73 years.

The silver conference in Washington decided to put a national ticket in the field this year, and with that intent its adherents will meet in St. Louis July 22 next, the same date and place selected for the national populist convention.

The Mississippi legislature elected H. D. Money as United States senator.

Mrs. Betsy Moody, mother of Dwight I. Moody, the evangelist, died of old age at her home in East Northfield, Conn. She was 91 years old.

John Tyler, the eldest son of President Tyler, died in Washington, aged 76 years.

Capt. Marcus L. Taylor, U. S. N., retired, died in Philadelphia, aged 40 years.

Phillip Ripley, at one time one of the most widely-known newspaper men in the country, died in New York, aged 66 years.

Hiram Lester died at McDonough, Ga., in his 129th year. He was born in North Carolina in 1768.

John D. Lawson, a figure in New York and national politics for over 50 years, and an ex-congressman, died in New York city, aged 76 years.

N. O. Perkins, newspaper writer and publisher well known in Wisconsin and Illinois, died at Beloit, Wis.

Gen. Joseph H. Porter died in New York at the age of 54 years from the effects of wounds received during the civil war.

### FOREIGN.

A fire in the Hotchkiss rapid-fire gun manufactory at St. Denis, France, caused damage to the extent of 1,000,000 francs.

Advices from the City of Mexico say that bull fighting has been interdicted in Mexico after the fulfillment of present contracts.

It is announced that by the terms of a treaty signed January 13 the Island of Madagascar is declared a French possession.

Advices from Constantinople say that an offensive and defensive alliance has been concluded between Russia and Turkey.

It was announced that the sultan had decided to allow Clara Barton to distribute relief in Turkey to the Armenians.

Later advices from Russia say that 70 persons lost their lives by the burning of a theater at Ekaterinoslav.

The pope refused to remove the ban placed by the Catholic church upon the orders of Knights of Pythias, Sons of Temperance and Odd Fellows.

At the military hospital at Mons, Germany, a mad soldier, armed with a knife, killed two patients and mortally wounded three others.

Lord Leighton, better known as Sir Frederick Leighton, president of the Royal academy, died in London, aged 65 years.

Gen. Weyler, the newly-appointed captain general of Cuba, sailed from Barcelona for Havana with a cavalry force of 1,000.

The American residents in the Transvaal made an appeal to the United States for protection.

Theodore Runyon, United States ambassador to Germany, expired suddenly and unexpectedly of heart failure in Berlin. He was a resident of Somerville, N. J., and was 74 years old.

An explosion in a colliery in the vicinity of Tylorstown, Wales, occasioned a loss of not less than 55 lives.

The international chess tournament ended at St. Petersburg, Lasker winning the championship.

### LATER.

A republican love feast was held at Springfield, Ill., which was largely attended, and many speeches were made advocating protection for American industries, reciprocity in commerce with other American nations and the Monroe doctrine.

The Tennessee populists selected July 28 for the date of their gubernatorial convention at Nashville.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg says that arrangements point to a conclusion between Russia, Great Britain, France and Italy for a final settlement of the Armenian question.

Sir Joseph Barnaby, England's noted musician, died in London, aged 58 years.

Illinois republicans will hold their state convention to nominate a governor and other officials on April 29 at Springfield. Indiana republicans will meet for the same purpose at Indianapolis on May 7.

Mrs. Clarissa Stebbins Lawrence celebrated her 100th birthday at her home in Marlboro, Mass.

The steamer J. W. Hawkins, bound from New York for Cuba on a filibustering expedition, was abandoned at sea off Long Island and ten persons were known to have been drowned and it was believed 55 others met a like fate.

The Illinois prohibition state convention will be held in Springfield on April 8.

Alex Jones, a negro who boarded a train at Keystone, W. Va., while drunk and fatally shot three men, was hanged by a mob.

Advices from China tell of the uttering by Chinese forgers, on the island of Java, of \$3,000,000 of Java bank notes.

Crick Atmore and Willis Mason killed each other in a quarrel over the ownership of a section of school land at Shoffer's Lake, Tex.

Hundreds of people were said to be starving in Newfoundland.

Washington, Jan. 29.—Foreign affairs and finance occupied the attention of the senate yesterday. Mr. Thurston (Neb.) vigorously upheld a strong application of the Monroe doctrine and Mr. Turpie (Ind.) touched on the Turkish atrocities in a brief, but energetic speech in which he said that a shot should be sent through the sultan's seraglio that would sweep back Mohammedanism and advance Christianity.

In the house the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill (\$1,637,058) was passed.

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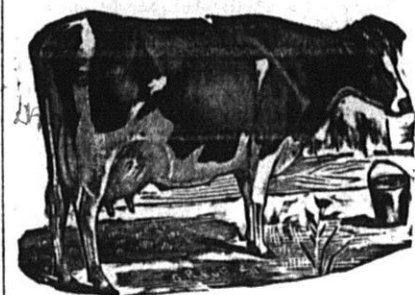
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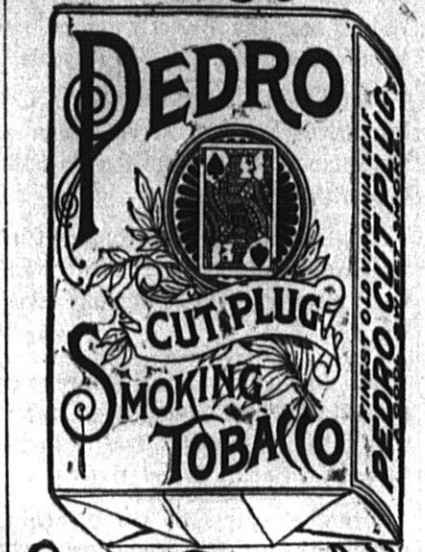
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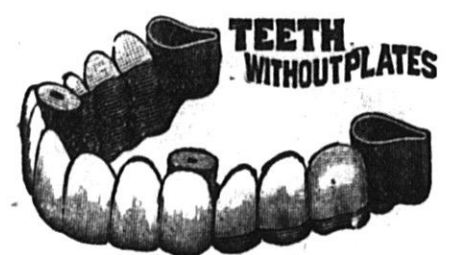
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"Yes," she replied, "very much."  
"What was the main cause of your trouble?"  
"Oh, it was my back. For years it caused me much suffering; some mornings I was in such pain I could not get out of bed."  
"Where about was the pain?"  
"Right in through the back."  
"Were you feeling badly at the time you began with the pills?"  
"Yes, indeed, I had been for a whole week unable to do anything but sit around. I got a box of them at J. O. Doesburg's drug store, and they helped me from the start."  
"How many did you take?"  
"I used only that one box and I was restored. I am now able to get around and perform my work without suffering from that terrible 'bad back.' Doan's Kidney Pills are good medicine and you are welcome to use my name as an endorsement of them."  
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## STRANGE PHENOMENON.

**A Fireball Strikes the Earth at Nirvana.**  
Nirvana, Jan. 29.—A remarkable phenomenon occurred Monday night. A large fireball, apparently about the size of a bushel basket, fell to the earth at an angle of about 20 degrees. When it struck the snow it rebounded and floated off at nearly the same angle as it fell, and finally disappeared behind the hills. It is thought to have been one of those meteoric bubbles sometimes seen in this latitude, which vary in size from a hat to that seen Monday night. They are supposed to consist of phosphorescent gas, inclosed by a thin film. A number of these bubbles fell in this country in 1832, causing many people to predict the end of the world. This is the first known since that time.

## TO PROTECT GAME AND FISH.

**The State League Holds Its Annual Meeting at Lansing.**  
Lansing, Jan. 24.—Officers of the State Game and Fish Protective League were elected at the annual meeting held here as follows: President, Samuel W. Vance, Port Huron; vice president, S. B. Daboll, St. Johns; secretary, A. L. Lakey, Kalamazoo; treasurer, E. Crofton Fox, Grand Rapids. The club will advocate at the next session of the legislature amendments to the laws so as to provide a closed season for black bass, and to prohibit fishing with nets in any of the natural runways for fish on their journeys between the great lakes. These runways include the Sault Ste. Marie, St. Clair and Detroit rivers, the Cheneaux channels and Lake St. Clair.

## THE SOLDIERS' HOME.

**Costs But \$22.02 Per Capita to Maintain Inmates.**  
Lansing, Jan. 25.—Gov. Rich has received from Commandant Graves, of the Michigan soldiers' home, his statement of expenditures for the year ending December 31, 1895. The total amount was \$85,396.04. The total net expenditure for the maintenance of inmates was but \$65,404.44. The average number of inmates present during the year was 536, and their cost per capita for maintenance was \$122.02. As the general government pays \$100 per year toward the maintenance of each inmate the total net cost per capita to the state of Michigan was but \$22.02.

**To Promote the Bridge Project.**  
Detroit, Jan. 29.—Several prominent Detroiters have arranged to appear before congressional committees in Washington shortly in behalf of the Michigan Central's project for bridging the Detroit river. Among those who will strongly favor the bridge enterprise are Gen. R. A. Alger, Don M. Dickinson, R. W. Gillette, ex-president chamber of commerce, George H. Barbour, president Manufacturers' club, and others, some of whom are interested in navigation and vessel property.

**Earnings of Michigan Roads.**  
Lansing, Jan. 29.—An earnings statement issued from the office of the railroad commissioner gives the total earnings of Michigan railroads for the month of November, 1895, at \$2,668,508.41, a gain of \$216,260.69 over the corresponding month of 1894. The total earnings of Michigan roads for the 11 months ending December 31 last were \$28,180,816.49, an increase of \$2,118,516.49 over the corresponding period of the previous year.

**Fire at Manistee.**  
Manistee, Jan. 28.—A part of the Engelmann block, the finest in the city, was ruined by fire Monday night. It was occupied by J. A. Crawford & Co., stationery store; K. B. Pierce, pianos and organs; Comfort Brothers, cigar factory; Christ Peterson's saloon; Charles Curtiss, job office. The loss on the various departments is estimated at \$11,000, with \$7,000 insurance. The loss on the building is estimated at \$6,000, fully covered by insurance.

**Poultry Raisers Meet.**  
Grand Rapids, Jan. 24.—The Michigan Poultry association held its annual meeting here, and the report received showed the society to be prosperous and the first exhibition held this week a great success. Oscar Allyn, of Grand Rapids, was elected president; Mrs. Alice Mason, of Grant, secretary, and F. E. Blakelee, of Grand Rapids, treasurer. It was decided to hold the next exhibition in this city the third week in January, 1897.

**Court Asked to Evict a Wife.**  
Kalamazoo, Jan. 29.—William G. Layle wants the court to evict his wife from the family residence. He said he recently discovered a flaw in the proceedings by which Mrs. Layle obtained a divorce from her first husband, and Layle immediately left her. Mrs. Layle declares that the house belongs to the couple jointly. As neither has a deed, the court has a puzzle to solve.

**Death of a Pioneer.**  
Houghton, Jan. 26.—Ludger Croze, a pioneer resident of this city and prominent among the French-Canadian residents and in business circles, died Saturday morning after only 24 hours' illness of a complication of diseases of the internal organs. Mr. Croze was 55 years of age.

**Free Masons Meet.**  
Saginaw, Jan. 29.—About 500 delegates are in attendance at the convention of the grand lodge of Michigan Free and Accepted Masons. The reports showed a state membership of 37,000, an increase of 1,000 over last year; also an increase of \$500 in the receipts.

**Chicago-Michigan Debate.**  
Chicago, Ill., Jan. 29.—After many delays and postponements the date for the intercollegiate debate between the Michigan and Chicago universities has been set for March 27. Correspondence is now going on to secure judges.

**Broke His Neck.**  
Yale, Jan. 25.—John Lennon, a farmer living with his brother near Yale, fell from a load of straw, breaking his neck. He was an old man and unmarried.

## Probate Order.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.**  
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.  
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Thursday, the 9th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.  
Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Jacob Bonhorst, a mentally incompetent person.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Lucas Veyer, guardian of said incompetent person, praying for the license of this court, to sell certain real estate of said incompetent person, in said petition described, for purposes therein set forth.  
Thereupon it is ordered, That Wednesday, the Twelfth day of February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.  
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Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Dismorke Nysen, deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Wiepke Diekema, administrator of said estate, praying for the examination and allowance of his final account, that he may be discharged from his trust, have his bond canceled, and said estate closed.  
Thereupon it is ordered, That Tuesday, the Eighteenth day of February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.  
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At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.  
Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Henry Koster, deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Jacob Koster, son and heir at law of said deceased, praying for the determination of the heirs at law of said deceased, and who are entitled to the lands of said deceased.  
Thereupon it is ordered, That Friday, the Twenty-Eighth day of February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.  
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AND WEST MICHIGAN R.Y.

Lv. Grand Rapids	8:30	1:30	6:30	11:30
Ar. Waverly	9:20	2:01	7:15	12:15
Holland	9:30	2:09	7:25	12:30
Chicago	2:55	6:50	6:40	
Lv. Chicago	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m.
Holland	9:00	12:35	9:35	6:15
Waverly	10:15	1:25	10:45	5:30
Ar. Grand Rapids	11:20	1:35	11:55	4:35
Lv. "	12:35	4:15	7:30	
Petoskey	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.

## Allegan and Muskegon Division.

Lv. Pentwater	10:00	7:00	12:35	2:15
Muskegon	10:31	8:28	1:07	2:50
Grand Haven	11:20	9:15	1:50	3:35
Ar. Waverly	11:25	1:55	3:40	9:35
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Lv. Allegan	8:10	6:00		
Holland	8:15	5:05	1:05	7:10
Waverly	8:35	5:10	2:10	7:15
Grand Haven	8:51	5:25	2:50	8:15
Lv. Muskegon	7:30	10:40	9:20	8:42
Ar. Pentwater	11:30	11:05		
	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.

## Detroit

Nov. 24, 1895.

LANSING & NORTHERN R. R.

Lv. Grand Rapids	8:00	1:00	6:00	11:00
Ar. Lansing	8:54	1:54	7:28	
Detroit	11:40	5:40	10:10	
Lv. Detroit	7:40	1:10	6:00	
Lansing	10:24	3:35	8:37	
Ar. Grand Rapids	12:30	5:25	10:45	
	p. m.	p. m.	p. m.	

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COUNTY OF OTTAWA.  
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Monday, the 30th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.  
Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Peter Coplan, deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Isaac Marsille, executor of said estate, praying for the examination and allowance of his final account, that he may be discharged from his trust, have his bond canceled, and said estate closed.  
Thereupon it is ordered, That Tuesday, the Twenty-fifth day of February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.  
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At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Thursday, the sixteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.  
Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Jan Bos, deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of James Brandt, executor of the estate of said deceased, praying for the examination and allowance of his final account, that he may be discharged from his trust, have his bond canceled, and said estate closed.  
Thereupon it is ordered, That Saturday, the Twenty-ninth day of February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.  
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Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Jan Bos, deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of James Brandt, executor of the estate of said deceased, praying for the examination and allowance of his final account, that he may be discharged from his trust, have his bond canceled, and said estate closed.  
Thereupon it is ordered, That Saturday, the Twenty-ninth day of February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.  
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Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Cornelius Dok, a missing or absent person.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Gesina Dok, temporary administratrix of said estate, praying for the examination and allowance of her final account, that she may be discharged from her trust, have her bond canceled and said estate closed.  
Thereupon it is ordered, That Thursday, the Twentieth day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.  
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Wheat 9 bushel.....	67
Barley 9 bushel.....	36
Oats 9 bushel.....	30
Clover seed 9 bushel.....	15
Flour 9 barrel.....	4 20
Cornmeal, bolted, 9 cwt.....	1 30
Cornmeal, unbolted, 9 cwt.....	80
Ground feed.....	75
Middling 9 cwt.....	70
Bean 9 cwt.....	6 07
Hay 9 ton.....	10 00 @ 12 00
Money.....	16 @ 13
Butter.....	14 @ 15
Eggs 9 dozen.....	15 @ 16
Pork.....	4 @ 5
Wood, hard, dry 9 cord.....	1 75 Beech 1 50
Chickens, dressed, 10 live @ 54.....	80 @ 1 00
Beans 9 bushel.....	90 @ 1 00
Ground Old Cakes.....	1 00 per bun
Dressed Beef.....	4 @ 5
Veal.....	4 @ 5
Lamb.....	4 @ 5
Ham.....	7 @ 8
Shoulders.....	6 1/2 @ 6 3/4
Tallow.....	3 1/2

#### OUR NEIGHBORS.

##### Saugatuck.

The home steamers have clubbed together and raised a purse of \$900 for the purpose of dredging the shoal spots in the river. More work will be accomplished with that \$900 than would be done with three times the amount of government appropriation.

The occasional visit of a county seat politician calls to mind that this is the year of general elections, and soon the pot will be boiling.

It has been many a year since a wild deer strayed into the corporate limits of this village, but such an event actually occurred last Sunday when a fine large doe came in from the northeast, approached nearly to the school house, and passing in plain sight of dozens of people, followed the bank of the river up toward St. Pierre point. The animal had evidently been driven off the Plains by dogs.

On any clear night the reflection of the electric lights at Holland can be plainly seen from this place.

It is necessary to dispose of about ten more shares of telephone stock before the extension to Holland can be built.

The mast of the ill-fated Chicora, which came ashore near this harbor last winter, has been set up as a flag-staff in Douglas. On Tuesday of last week the flag was half masted, it being the anniversary of the loss of the steamer.

##### Allegan County.

Miss Ricka Albers of Overisel has been taken to the Kalamazoo asylum. Her mind was very much deranged.

Allegan business men are threatened with the cancellation of their fire insurance policies by the companies interested, the latter alleging that the electric light wiring is improperly done and that fire is likely to originate from the wires at any time. The village board has appointed a committee to interview the state board of underwriters, with a view to the appointment of an expert to examine the suspected improper wiring.

Successful union revival services are in progress at Allegan. The gatherings are held alternately in the different churches, the local pastors being assisted by revivalists from abroad.

John De Swaan of East Saugatuck bought a farm of Wm. Mott, about one and a half miles north of New Richmond, a short time ago, and Mott was to live on the place until spring. The other evening, the young folk called on Mr. Mott to have a good time, and Mr. De Swaan and his oldest son made a raid on him, firing their revolvers and ordering Mott to move off the place. The children ran home crying and thought war had come at last. Mr. Mott still lives on the farm. The boys put De Swaan in a ditch the same evening.

Farmers about Otsego have formed an agricultural and horticultural club with the object of promoting more scientific methods of farming and fruit growing among its members.

The canvass on the local option question, with the object of overthrowing the law, are not as successful as first anticipated by the projectors. In but one township in the county was the necessary number of names secured to the petition for presentation to the board of supervisors. Local option was adopted.

##### Zeeland.

A Jersey bull fiercely attacked Jas. Van der Haar as he was crossing his barnyard Saturday evening, threw him down and was tossing him about when the old man's cries brought his hired man W. Hall to the rescue. Hall thrust the tines of a pitchfork into the bull's neck, which directed the animal's attention so the old man made his escape. But when Hall undertook to pull the fork from the neck

of the maddened animal, the handle broke and the silvered end pierced Hall's abdomen, passing clear through and leaving him in a critical condition.

Mr. Schram, president of the Furniture Co., has taken the place of W. Wichers as manager. The latter has held the position of manager since the company was organized. The reasons for his withdrawal are of a personal rather than a business nature. At the annual meeting a dividend was declared of nine per cent, five per cent payable now and the balance in six months.

The Holland Blue Rock club has declined the invitation of the Zeeland club for a friendly shoot. Evidently they need a nerve tonic.

The members of the fire department held their annual oyster supper Monday evening.

Mrs. J. Hendrikse, aged 69 years, died last Tuesday after a lingering illness.

Although the village election is near at hand both parties seem to be lying low. Not even a guess is ventured as to who will be nominated for the principal offices. Of course, the saloon question will be the predominating issue.

F. Dekker of New Groningen has received several letters from his wife, who ran away last fall, saying that she was coming back again. Fred is staying home every day, taking care that she won't get in if she should put in an appearance.—Expositor.

H. De Kruij, Jr. and A. Lahuis left for Nebraska this week to attend the annual meeting of the Texas Colonization Co.

##### Muskegon County.

Muskegon men believe that oil is flowing under their city in paying quantities and they are ready to begin pumping as soon as an expert arrives. A derrick has been already erected. The same parties have also leased lands in other parts of the county and in Newaygo county.

J. W. Boynton, president of the Central Michigan Railway Co., was here last week and said that the Muskegon & Fostoria Railroad by way of Hillsdale, Branch, Calhoun, Barry, Kent and Ottawa counties is a sure go, the right of way having been secured through the counties stated. It is the intention to build the shops here. One of the marine lines entering here has agreed to organize a car ferry system to attend to the lake part of the business.

Charles Elmore stayed home Saturday to help his wife do the housework, she being sickly. He scrubbed the floor and then went upstairs to attend to her wants. On opening the door he was horrified to find her body hanging to a small cord, wound twice around a clothes hook. The coroner's jury said the suicide was due to temporary insanity.

##### Ottawa County.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Jamestown Co-operative Creamery was held on Tuesday.

The North Ottawa teachers association will hold its next meeting at Spring Lake, the second Saturday in April.

At the annual meeting of the Allegan Co-operative Creamery company, the following directors were elected: Frank J. Fox, Robert Pritchard, Sam Lesters, Henry O. Velzy, George Latham, Hiram Knowlton, Peter Verlee. The creamery is on a good financial basis, and the prospects for this season look bright. The directors met and elected the following officers: President, Frank J. Fox; secretary, Robert Pritchard; treasurer, George Latham.

##### Grand Haven.

Under the operation of the new city charter Mayor Koeltz last week appointed the members of the board of public works: D. Cutler, five years; T. W. Kirby, four years; Geo. D. Sanford, three years; Dr. A. Van der Veen, two years; Cornelius Nyland, one year. Also the members of the cemetery board: Derk Verwey, five years; James Lewis, four years; Pe Van Weelden three years; Jas. Barns, two years; Edward Stokes, one year.

G. H. Tribune: It is to be hoped that the board of public works at their first meeting will take steps to make the Spring Lake bridge free. It has been the city's leech for years and one of the elements that has hindered Grand Haven in its march of progress.

A party of three, John Boyink, Henry Peterson and John Walsema left Monday on a skating trip up Grand river to Grand Rapids. When they as far as Spoonville they became discouraged and returned.

Maurice Kirby, a son of ex-mayor Kirby, and Miss Miriam Ferry, daughter of Edward P. Ferry, will be married on Feb. 12. The bride some time ago became a member of the Catholic church of this city.

Rev. C. M. Steffens, who made so many friends in this city while supplying the pulpit of the Second Reformed church, some years ago, will be here this week, from Rochester and lead the prayer meeting in the same church.

Rev. J. T. Bergen led the Y. M. C. A. meeting Sunday afternoon. The attendance was large.

##### Port Sheldon.

Time has come again for the agitation of good roads, although Jack Frost has repaired them for the time being. When the latter releases his hold it behooves the users of the old state, or Grand Haven road to be putting on their war paint. In this connection I would suggest the holding of meetings in the school houses and appoint some good reliable man to represent us at the "Good Roads Convention" called by Gov. Rich at Lansing on March 3. The good roads are from Grand Haven north and from Holland City south. We ought to have the road between these two cities put in the same condition. If something is not done now it will be years before there is a chance again. Hence farmers and teamsters, bestir yourselves, set the ball a rolling, improve your roads, and your property will also improve.

As the services on Sunday last at the school house of district No. 7 were near the close, a number of the rising generation came running in as if it was a theatre and kept up a loud talking and giggling which stirred the ire of the staid worshippers of the church so that some of them had to rise and give them a lecture. The girls however still kept on until they were told that if they did not cease they would be made an example of.

As soon as the weather permits the W. M. church at Ventura is to be removed to the town line on the corner of Mr. Mack's, which is a more central point in the circuit.

##### Real Estate Transfers.

Margaret A. Buckley to Geo W Gillespie 15 ac in sec 34 Wright, \$850.

Henry van Wittenburg and wife to Michael van Wittenburg n r 1/4 ne 1/4 sec 4 Wright, \$5,000.

Gertr J Diekema and wife to Hattie De Feyter w 1/2 lot 4 blk 39 Holland, \$250.

First State Bank of Holland to Tiemen Slagh pt 10 and 11 blk 15 sw add Holland, \$400.

M van der Heide and wife to Alice Slagh w 1/2 lot 3 blk 34 Holland, \$1,000.

T Slagh to M van der Heide pt 10 and 11 blk 15 sw add Holland, \$850.

Gerritje Schut to Jacob B Hope 1/4 sec 1/4 sw 1/4 sec 27 Blendon, \$400.

Jan Vegter and wife to Luitje Klammer pt sw 1/4 sec 19 Zeeland, \$450.

Lubbertje van Kampen to A Derks sw 1/4 sec 16 Holland, \$900.

Dirk van Wingeren and wife to Chas Kemme w 1/4 sec 1/4 sec 35 Olive, \$1100.

H H Everard and wife to A G Elzinga ne 1/4 nw 1/4 sec 23 6-14 \$950.

H H Everard and wife to John E Deroc sw 1/4 sec 21-6-14 \$450.

Daniel W James to Kate A James sw 1-4 sw 1-4 sec 31 Chester, \$500.

Wm K Watson and wife to Grand Rapids State Co lt 7 blk 8 Conklin, \$300.

Henry van Noord to Henry De Kleene pt sec 15 Jamestown, \$1500.

Herend Ridderman and wife to Jan H De Weert s 1/2 sw 1-4 sec 13 Olive, \$1700.

##### "Darkness and Day Light"

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LIGHTS AND SHADOWS OF NEW YORK LIFE.

The above is the title of a thrilling new book, just out, and we are happy to announce that beginning with next week our citizens will be given the opportunity to obtain a copy of the same. The publishers having assigned this territory to a responsible agent, who will make a house to house canvass.

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Mrs. Campbell, the principal writer, spent many years as a city missionary literally "In Darkest New York." What a wonderful work she did. How devoted and blessed her labors were. It is a story never to be forgotten. This unique volume presents these thrilling experiences of Christian endeavor with the hundreds of pathetic and amusing scenes that were packed into them; it portrays life in a great city by day and by night "As Seen by a Woman." It shows the power of the gospel to redeem souls from the lowest depths; it gives striking testimonies of the redeemed; and from all these rich and varied experiences it draws living truths for head and heart that are worth to any reader ten times the price of the book. Mrs. Campbell's account of rescue work is full of wonderfully touching incidents.

One of the most absorbingly interesting portions of the book is that written by Inspector Byrnes giving the ripe experience of thirty years of detective life. Many of the startling revelations he makes are taken from his private diary. They have never before been published.

This fascinating volume is indeed a wonderful tale of Christian love and faith, all alive with intense and striking reality. The best of it is that it is a pure and elevating book from beginning to end—a volume for the family circle.

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##### THE HEADSMAN OF NAPLES.

Death in Exile of a Man Who Had Taken Many Lives.

On the little island of Ustica, 40 miles from Palermo, Italy, there died the other day a man who was for years the terror of the people of Naples and the kingdom of the Two Sicilies, says the New York Tribune. He was Gaetano Impellizzeri, once the headsmen under Ferdinand II. of Naples. The useless executions attributed to Impellizzeri are countless and, with the cruelty he showed, led to his denunciation by Mr. Gladstone 40 years ago in the Philippines which the statesman directed against Ferdinand.

The executions were only in part public; it was the executions in secret—usually a night—which gave the man his power. It was he who executed in San Francisco place, Naples, the Calabrian Agostino Milanoque, who on December 9, 1856, made a bayonet thrust at King Ferdinand II., and patriots innumerable became its victims.

When Garibaldi entered Naples in September, 1860, the excited populace went in search of the hated headsmen, but he cared much for his own life, although he thought little of that of others, and escaped with his wife. Later he was imprisoned on the island of Ustica, where he became an officer of the fort built in those days to protect the island against pirates. He was in receipt of a pension of five dollars a month—much more than he deserved. He was 81 years old at the time of his death.

##### DREAMED HE WAS IN CONGRESS

Felicitly of a Weary Waggles Rudely Disturbed by a House Janitor.

In the crowd which floated into the house chamber after adjournment one day recently was a ragged and weary looking old man who had evidently not come to Washington on the "Congressional limited," says a Washington exchange. After taking a general view of the chamber, which was filled with members chatting and smoking, he ambled down the main aisle and fell into the seat usually occupied by Congressman Stone, of Pennsylvania. He tilted back the chair and found a resting place for his weary feet under the desk. The room was warm and the air was fragrant with the smoke of good cigars. The old man placed his hat on his lap, folded his arms and turned his eyes toward the beautiful ceiling. In a few minutes he was fast asleep. No one paid any attention to him, and while he slept soundly the members were gradually gathering up their books and papers and going home. Finally, after the crowd had thinned and the time had come for the janitor to pick up the waste paper and clean the floor, some one shook the old man's shoulder. He awakened so suddenly that his hat fell to the floor and rolled down the aisle. As he picked it up and wiped off the dust with his coat sleeve, he remarked: "I was just dreaming that I was a congressman."

##### It Might Come Handy.

Nantucket is famous for auctions. They are held in the public square. Meat auctions, furniture auctions. There are few things one cannot buy at auction if one bides one's time. Whenever an old home is broken up or a resident leaves the island the unwanted effects are closed out at auction for whatever they will bring. At the last one a refrigerator was put up. "Too late. The season's over," shouted some one in the crowd. "But there'll be another, and perhaps a hot one," said the auctioneer. "But one may die before that," said the other. "Well," replied the auctioneer, "if you die you'll be sorry that you hadn't bought a refrigerator and taken it along with you!"

##### Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.  
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Monday, the twenty-seventh day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Adrianus Nysen, deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Adrianus Nysen, widow and legatee, named in the will of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument, in writing, filed in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and for the appointment of Jan W. Garvelink as executor thereof. Thereupon it is ordered, That Friday, the

Twenty-eighth day of February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.  
(A true copy, Attest.)

JOHN V. B. GOODRICH,  
Judge of Probate.

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##### Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.  
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Thursday, the thirtieth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles Scott, deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Henry F. Scott, son and heir at law of said deceased, praying for the determination of the heirs at law of said deceased, and who are entitled to the lands of said deceased. Thereupon it is ordered, That Tuesday, the

Third day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.  
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.  
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Tuesday, the 28th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Kramer, a mentally incompetent person.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Wilspe Diekema, guardian of said estate, praying for the license of this court, to sell certain real estate of said mentally incompetent person, in said petition described, for purposes therein set forth. Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the

Second day of March next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said mentally incompetent person and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.  
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