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# HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XXV.

HOLLAND, MICH., SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1896.

NO. 3

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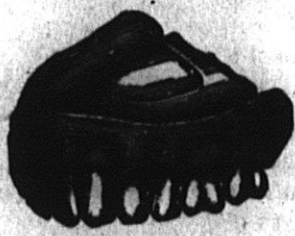
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### CITY AND VICINITY.

Wheat 70 cents.

News and Inter-Ocean \$1.50.

The St. Joseph court house will be dedicated on Feb. 22.

Maj. Ryan, Muskegon's well-known ex-sheriff and ex-chief of police, died at the Soldiers Home last week.

At a spelling contest in one of the district schools in Lenawee county, 13 aspirants correctly spelled the 800 words sent out by the state.

Congressman Smith has been honored by Speaker Reed with an invitation to deliver an address on Lincoln's birthday, Feb. 12, at Portland, Maine, the Speaker's home city.

Arrangements have been completed at Grand Haven whereby Maj. Whittle will spend two weeks in that city in evangelistic work. The opening day will be Sunday, Feb. 23.

Eastern buyers are shipping carloads of horses each week from points in southwestern Michigan to the New York market. Heavy drivers and draft horses are in the best demand, at much better prices than have ruled for several years.

The month of January has been the most favorable known in northern Michigan for years for lumbering operations. With mild weather and just snow enough for magnificent sleighing most of the time, teamsters have been able to stack up their sleds with logs till they resembled loads of hay.

At Benton Harbor Mrs. W. M. Lucker sued two saloonkeepers of Stevensville for damages for selling her husband liquor illegally, and was awarded \$500. Lucker got drunk last July, shot a man, badly wounding him and was heavily fined. The verdict was based on selling to the man while intoxicated.

With reference to the sustaining strength of ice it is laid down by military rules that two-inch ice will sustain a man, four-inch ice will hold a man on horseback, and eight-inch ice a battery of artillery with horses. Ten-inch ice will sustain any army. On fifteen-inch ice railroad tracks are laid and operated for months.

Our dealers and consumers of ice may consider themselves very fortunate in having seized the first opportunity for laying in their supplies. In St. Joseph the ice crop is said to be a failure, not a pound of ice having been put up during the early winter freeze. Even at a point as far north as Green Bay they report prospects of an ice famine, comparatively little having been harvested.

A meeting of the Western Social Conference will be held at the Fifth Ref. church, Grand Rapids, on Tuesday, Feb. 18, at 10:30 a. m. The topics to be discussed are as follows: "The Christian Sabbath. What is it, and how preserved?" by Rev. D. Broek. "How can we best regulate amusements among our young people?" by Rev. F. J. Zwemer. The annual election of officers will also take place.

News and Inter-Ocean \$1.50.

Manistee, with a population of 15,000, has only 45 saloons.

The muddy season was brought to an abrupt close by Monday's snow-fall.

The state school at Coldwater contains 165 children, the smallest number that the institution has had for nearly ten years.

J. O. Doesburg and Simon Kleya have been appointed appraisers in the estate of the late John R. Kleya, and I. Fairbanks and G. Van Schelven in the estate of the late Wm. H. Finch.

In a recent breach of promise suit a Maryland judge decided that after a young man has called on a young woman twenty-five times the legal presumption is that he means business.

Rev. Joseph Cook of Boston, the famous divine, who lectured in this city last year, and who recently returned from Australia and Japan, is suffering from an acute form of nervous prostration. He is nearly blind, owing to a weakness of the optic nerve.

Sunday was Candlemas Day. The ground hog was out, saw his shadow, and went back for another six weeks' nap. Snow and sleet from the south were the first installments that followed, and ye proverbial weather prophet now says we're listed for a second edition of winter weather.

Oscar De Groot of Zeeland was complained of this week before Justice Van Schelven, for selling malt liquors without a license. Upon his arrest he waived examination and was held to bail in the sum of \$300 for his appearance at the March term of the circuit court.

The Congregational church at Benton Harbor having extended an unanimous call to Rev. B. Smits, his present congregation at Ypsilanti at a meeting after the morning service on Sunday last with equal unanimity requested him to stay, and in the evening he informed them he would.

A clear case of conscience has come to light in Grand Ledge. One day last week a young farmer stepped up to a resident and handed him two dollars saying that two years ago he had cheated him in a wood deal, and had never felt right about it since. If such a conversion should become general and contagious, what a sweeping epidemic we would have.

After having been connected with the City Hotel in various capacities for over six years Peter Dulyea resigned his position on February 1st. He is spending this week with his parents at Spring Lake, after which he will probably go on the road in the mercantile line. He has been succeeded at the City Hotel by John Hicks, of Laingsburg, Mich.

There were sixty ladies and gentlemen present at the progressive pedro party given in Castle Hall by the Knights of Pythias on Wednesday evening. Miss Addie Clark succeeded in winning the first lady's prize, while Mrs. Dr. Butterfield was awarded the second prize. The first and second gentlemen's prizes were secured by Ike Goldman and Fred Charter respectively. Card playing was indulged in until midnight, when coffee and cake were dispersed. The evening was pronounced a very enjoyable one by all present.

Crescent Tent L. O. T. M. installed their officers on Tuesday evening at their lodge rooms over the First State bank. It was expected by the Lady Bees that the officers of Crescent Tent would be installed the same evening but the ladies were very much surprised to find that the Mac-cabees had stolen a march on them and surreptitiously installed their officers on the previous Monday evening. After the installation refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening spent in social intercourse.

McClure's Magazine for February takes its first grasp of the reader's attention with eight portraits of Lincoln (several of them very rare), some twenty other Lincoln pictures, and an account, abounding in vivid personal details, of Lincoln's misfortunes as a country merchant; of his entrance into the legislature, and the beginning of his acquaintance with Douglass; of his work as a village postmaster and a deputy county surveyor; of his study of Shakespeare and Burns and a copy of Blackstone found by chance in a barrel of refuse; and of his romantic courtship of Ann Rutledge, and his affliction at her death shortly before the time appointed for their marriage. It is a good number.

The pickerel season will soon be upon us.

Fred J. Betts has taken a position with Hage & Boge, the River street shoe dealers.

Jas. A. Brouwer, the River street furniture dealer has again an elegant display in his show window.

Conductor and Mrs. C. M. Doty met with a pleasant surprise at the hands of a number of friends, Friday evening.

One more candidate for the nomination of register of deeds has been named—W. Whipple, of Hudsonville, at present county agent of the board of correction and charities.

Supervisor Lugers and Prof. P. A. Latta were in Grand Haven Thursday, attending the organization of the "Ottawa County Forestry and Tree Culture Association."

Chicago shippers are agitating the project of having the U. S. government assume control of the Chicago river and dredge it out, so that it is navigable to large lake carriers.

It is rumored that the C. & W. M. people are evolving the project of giving Holland a new passenger depot this summer, and that plans for an \$8,000 building are under consideration.

The Bay View Reading Circle will meet on Tuesday, Feb. 11, with Mrs. D. B. K. Van Raalte. The lesson is outlined in the second week of February Magazine, with quotations from Shakespeare.

John Becker and wife visited here this week with their father. John is in good health. His home is at Danville, Ill. He holds the responsible position of trainmaster on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois R. R.

The steamer Atlanta of the Goodrich line has had her hull remodeled this winter. About 100 feet of the after body of the steamers hull was removed and made fuller. She now draws 20 inches less water aft than formerly.

The reception Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stevenson to Rev. Dr. W. Van Antwerp and his wife was a happy affair and marked by a cordial welcome on the part of our citizens to this latest addition to our number of local divines.

A. M. Dewitt of Grand Junction lost a valuable horse by death last week, the cause of which puzzled the veterinary surgeons. A postmortem examination was made, which disclosed the fact that nearly a peck of quicksand had lodged in the stomach of the animal, causing the stomach to burst.

A reformed burglar, who has no further use for the knowledge himself, says there are three things a night thief dreads. One is a baby, the second is a little whiffet dog that can sleep with both eyes open and barks when a needle falls, and the third is a newspaper. Almost always the paper rattles or crackles when a foot touches it.

Senator Walthall of Mississippi has introduced a bill for an equalization of the land grants voted by Congress in aid of state universities. It appears that the greatest and most famous of all state universities, the one at Ann Arbor, received a grant much less in extent than that voted to institutions which have never risen from obscurity. While Utan has been given 156,000 acres, Michigan received but 46,080 acres.

The village of Marcellus, Cass county, may be considered as the paradise for "the new woman." If anywhere, it is here that her star is in the ascendant. The census gives Marcellus a population of 1,200. Five of the six school teachers, one undertaker, one barber, one hotelkeeper, a church janitor, and two of the Public School board, to say nothing of forty others connected with business in a general way, are women.

Mary Pierce, who was convicted last summer in the Ottawa circuit of manslaughter, was taken on Monday to the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, by deputy Murray, in compliance with the sentence pronounced upon her at the time. She has passed the intervening six months in the county jail, or rather in the garret of the jail building, it being claimed by the authorities of the Adrian institute that there was no room for her. And by the way, this detention might properly be brought to the attention of the state board of correction and charities. The crime for which Mary was tried and convicted was the part taken by her in the murder of her mother in the township of Tallmadge last summer.

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Scarlet fever is alarmingly prevalent at South Haven.

A large proportion of the inhabitants of southwestern Michigan are suffering from a mild form of grip.

At the late term of court Mrs. Sarah E. McMartin was granted a decree of divorce from her husband David W. McMartin.

Judge Burch of Grand Rapids was in the city Tuesday, attending the meeting of the board of directors of the Cappon & Bertash Leather Co.

J. W. Humphrey, county school commissioner of Allegan county, registered at the City Hotel Tuesday evening. He was on his way to Fennville.

The Republican State Committee will meet at Detroit, Feb. 21, to fix the time and place for holding the next state convention. It will be located either at Detroit or Grand Rapids, with chances favoring the latter.

The Anneke-Jans heirs met in convention at Cleveland, Tuesday. This city was not represented, although it is known that we have at least two living female descendants of Juffrouw Bogardus among us.

M. E. Campamy, publisher, and J. C. Holmes, editor, of the new paper, the Observer, that is to be started at Hamilton, were in the city this week, arranging for the first issue, which is to appear on or about the 15th inst.

Four young boys in the southern part of the city have promised Sup't McLean and Pros. Atty Vischer that hereafter they will not help themselves promiscuously to other people's tablets, pens, cigarettes, etc., etc. Upon the strength of this promise no further proceedings were instituted.

A. Van Putten, of the tub factory, spent two days in Lansing this week, attending the annual meeting of the Michigan Dairymen's Association. From there he went to Detroit to call upon his brother who is under medical treatment in St. Mary's hospital, and who has again submitted to a surgical operation.

There appears to be oil to the north of us and to the south of us. Last week we mentioned that preparations were being made at Muskegon for developing oil wells, and now information comes from Bangor, 35 miles south of us, to the same effect. Eight years ago Thomas Cross, an extensive stock farmer at Bangor, noticed indications of oil on his premises. A small stream of petroleum broke out in a low place and flowed down the surface of a nearby creek. At that time Mr. Cross thought little of the discovery, but recently the presence of oil has made itself manifest in several places on his farm and many believe it exists there in paying quantities. An association will be formed and a series of test wells put down to ascertain just what there is beneath the soil.

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# Holland City News.

SATURDAY, February 8, 1936.

## Holland, Mich.

### THE TREE AND WHY WE SHOULD PLANT IT.

#### Tree Culture—How It Can Be Encouraged.

#### ACTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Among the essays on forest tree culture in Ottawa county, submitted to the committee on forestry was the following by John Jackson, of Coopersville:

When we turn back the pages of memory for twenty-five years and see the amount of timber on forest that was the province of this county, and when we look at the same territory at the present time, we can realize how rapidly the forests are disappearing. The only thing is done to save the forest is destruction, and the planting and growing of trees to give to the soil and climate, in twenty-five years, a large portion of the country will be a wind-swept prairie. In view of these facts it is certainly time to try in some way to arouse an interest in tree culture.

One of the principal reasons for the rapid disappearance of the forests, is because the country is getting to be divided into small farms, the average being only about 70 acres for each farm. As the wants of the small farmer increase with the growth of the country, and as he is taxed for his timbered land, from which he receives no income, he has been gradually converting his timber into firewood and lumber and disposing of what was not needed for present use, with the double effect in view of obtaining means to supply his wants and get his land cleared for cultivation, so as to produce crops from which more income can be realized.

While many farmers have no more timber to dispose of, in the shape of lumber or firewood, yet the need of fuel for home consumption remains the same. To supply this want alone will, in a few years, almost denude the country of the scanty supply now left standing. While the farmers or other timber owners may be accused of selfish or mercenary motives, in their using up their timber without planting more for the benefit of future generations, he is simply following the natural inclination of mankind.

In order to preserve a portion of the forests of timber now standing, and also to arrest the attention of the majority of land owners, and encourage them to engage in tree culture, some inducement of a pecuniary nature must be given. This could be done by exempting from assessment and taxation a certain number of acres of timber land, according to size of farm, and offering a rebate in taxes according to the number of forest trees that were annually planted and growing, until a specified number were planted. While this method might be objected to by those having no timber, or those who did not wish to engage in tree culture, it could not be called unjust, because all would be benefited more or less.

On the majority of farms the wood lot is pastured by all kinds of stock which destroy the young plants that spring up from seeds that are scattered from the trees. If the wood lot was exempt from taxation it would have a tendency to encourage better care. There is no question if proper care and attention was given in protecting the young tree plants that spring up in open spaces in the woods, but that in a few years all these open spaces would be filled with a good growth of timber.

Instead of commencing every year on one side of the wood lot and cutting down every tree, large or small, until enough is cut for a needed supply of fuel, the better way is to cut out the dead or dying timber and allow the young and more vigorous trees to stand. By this method the young trees would be given a chance so that they would grow very rapidly. This treatment of the wood lot would insure the present owner of a few acres all the fuel necessary for ordinary use, and also for the use of future generations.

In order to plant and grow a new forest, it is best to choose from the native growth of the region, where the trees are to be grown, such trees as will grow rapidly, so as to be available for use in a few years as possible. The planting of several varieties will be found to be of more value, and to thrive better, than the one, where only one variety is planted.

Mixed varieties of forest trees are capable of producing larger quantities of better and more valued material, preserve soil conditions better, are less liable to damage from winds or insects, and can be more readily reproduced. The best time to transplant young forest trees is, before, or just when life begins anew in the spring, and success will depend largely on the care taken during the process of transplanting.

The forest trees native to a large portion of Ottawa county that will thrive and grow the most rapid when transplanted, are the elm, white ash, maple and beech, in the order named. The poplar and cottonwood will thrive and grow rapidly in almost any kind of soil. Either of these species could be planted around the outer edge of the new plantation of forest trees, and would serve as a great protection.

While it is important to take into consideration the kind of trees to plant that will thrive and be of value, and bring the quickest returns, still it is more important to begin the work of tree culture at once, and not put it off until this beautiful country shall look like a barren waste.

JOHN JACKSON.

#### OUR NEIGHBORS.

**Ottawa County.** Last week county treasurer Pelgrim paid the last of the outstanding court case bonds.

The Spring Lake boiler works at Kearsburg are doing a good business this winter.

Not a single marriage license was issued last week.

Friday of last week from 75 to 100 of the horticulturists, fruitgrowers and celerymen of Grand Haven and Spring Lake met in the court house for the purpose of organizing a society for their interest, advancement and protection. After speeches by several prominent growers an association was formed to be called "The Ottawa County Fruit and Vegetable Growers Association." The following officers were elected: President, James Hancock; secretary, C. L. Breckon, editor of the News; treasurer, P. Nordhous; first vice president, Martin Walsh; second vice president, Martin Kleff; third vice president, Jud Harris; executive committee, C. Bos, J. A. Cross, J. M. Cornelius, W. W. Rork and George W. Miller.

The question of starting a creamery is being agitated among the farmers near Beaver Dam.

Spring Lake is after a tannery.

The next meeting of the North Ottawa Teachers' Association will be held at Coopersville on Saturday, Feb. 15, with the following program:

1. Primary Reading in District Schools.
2. Discussion.
3. Physiology—Best Method of Teaching in District Schools.
4. Discussion.
5. Current Events.
6. Home Government News, Fred M. Raymond, Berlin.
7. Review of Oubaz: Question, Miss Myra Woodman, Berlin.
8. Cardinal Sotoli, Miss Alice M. Loubach, Coopersville.
9. Foreign News, Boyd Chappell, Berlin.
10. Transvaal Republic, Miss Jennie Slotema, Coopersville.
11. Quizzes.
12. Report of Committee on Ten on Geography.
13. The Study of English in Schools below the High School.
14. General Discussion.
15. Miscellaneous Business.

The annual meeting of the Coopersville agricultural association was held Monday and the following directors were elected: C. DeVos, E. N. Parker, S. S. Riedout, E. Buck, H. Lake, G. W. Lane, J. B. Watson, F. Stevens, Charles Squire, El Baragay, El Muzail. The society made considerable money last year, and has decided to hold the fair the last week in September this year. After the meeting the board of directors elected J. B. Watson president, C. DeVos secretary, and E. W. Parker treasurer.

The following have been drawn as jurors to serve on the March term of the circuit court: J. L. Marsille, R. M. Jance, Simon Bos, J. De Kraker, Holland—John Stegeman, Henry Brummel.

Postmaster Blair is improving and able to come down town.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Johnson celebrated their golden wedding last week.

D. Cutler has declined the appointment as a member of the board of public works, a want of time being assigned as the most important reason.

G. H. Tribune, Suel A. Sheldon, of Berlin was in the city and says that he reports that he has been making a tour of the county for political purposes. He is untrue.

R. K. Stallings of the Grand Haven glass works feels confident that the glass works of the Netherlands will locate a bonded warehouse in this city. Mr. Mendelson, the gentleman who represents the glass works expresses himself as well pleased with this city. He leaves now for the Netherlands to report.

Ex-postmaster Parish is one of the principal stockholders in the Arkansas Reduction Co., the purpose of which is mining, refining, and smelting of ores and metals. The capital stock is \$10,000.

Quite a number of Grand Rapids girls are in attendance at the Akley Institute.

A. and P. Van Lopik will erect a two-story brick building west of the Couter House next spring.

The officers and members of the Fellowship Club who attended the Hesperus Club banquet at Grand Rapids, were entertained grandly. Geo. Stickney, D. O. Watson, Wm. Saydige, Dr. Hofma and E. P. Cummings made some happy remarks.

The Standard Oil Co. will build a substantial brick warehouse at their grounds near the C. & W. M. switch yard early in April. Instead of barrels their oil will be stored in huge tanks hereafter.

Peter Brusse of Zeeland, who is a candidate for register of deeds was in the city Monday talking up his candidacy with the boys.

The ice is up along the south beach near the pier, in such shape as to present the appearance of a long and formidable looking breast work. Viewed from the end of the pier it is a pretty and novel sight and one worth going to see. The pier end itself is covered with frozen surf.

The Spring Lake water works were tested on Saturday evening and made a fine showing. Three powerful streams were thrown, and the assurance against fire is now ample.

#### Saugatuck.

Except for the ice banks along the shore, which extend out to the second bar, there is practically no ice in Lake Michigan.

The work of getting out and hauling the poles for the extension of the telephone line to Holland will begin next Monday. It is expected that portion of the line will be ready to use about the first of March.

The beach of Lake Michigan affords grand opportunities for bicyclists at this season of the year. The broad boulevard of frozen sand stretches away for miles, over which a wheel rides as smoothly as over an asphalt pavement. With a good wheel a hundred miles travel over such a track would be a small day's work.

G. Hensel of Chicago was at this place last Friday for the purpose of looking up a location for a summer resort hotel, having been induced to come here by the favorable reports of some Chicago people who were here last season. He is desirous of securing a small slice of the park lands and is willing to enter into an agreement with the village to put up buildings to cost \$10,000.

The Salvation Army is here, and their meetings have filled the opera house each evening this week. Much interest is manifested.

Money is being raised for the purchase of a bell, to be hung in the tower of the M. E. church.

There is considerable sickness in this part of the country this winter and our local physicians are having about all they can attend to.

#### Zeeland.

Rev. J. Groen has declined the call extended him by the H.C. Ref. church at Drenthe.

Mrs. A. Naay, one of our old settlers, died Thursday at the age of 75 years. Her death was the result of a fall, about six weeks ago. She came here in 1849.

Wm. Wichers has sold his interest in the furniture factory to C. Van Loo. He has also resigned his position as member of the school board. Rumor has it that he has been tendered a responsible position in the Holland Carriage & Bending Works. He is as yet undecided as to what business he will engage in, and the hope is generally expressed that he will conclude to remain a citizen of Zeeland.

The board of school trustees have appointed Wm. De Pree as the successor of Wm. Wichers.

H. De Kruij Jr. has returned from his trip to Omaha, Neb.

#### Allegan County.

The Ganges Pier Co. will extend their pier at Ganges, 150 feet, further into the lake, material for such extension being already on the ground. There will then be 18 feet depth of water at the end of the pier. The work will begin as early in the spring as possible.

The project of establishing a creamery at Martin, is hanging fire just at present.

The Laramore swamp, near Hamilton is a wild and unfrequented place and it is seldom that any one penetrates the depths of the woods. This winter the owners began clearing it and the workmen came upon a log house which must have been built within the last year. It was vacant, but had recently been occupied, as live coals were found in a bed of ashes in the rude fire place. A furnace had also been built. Bits of plaster of paris gave the impression that counterfeits had worked there.

A postoffice in this county is named Chicago.

Argan of South Monterey met with a serious accident on Monday. He noticed a little red squirrel stepped into his house and got his rifle to kill the little animal. On coming out he slipped in some way, discharging the load which passed through his left hand, shattering it so badly that it was necessary to amputate it at the wrist. The little squirrel still lives.

It is now certain that the Allegan paper mill will be in operation again within six weeks or two months.

Miss Charlotte Pope has been engaged as assistant principal in the schools at Portland, Mich.

#### Port Sheldon.

Saturday, the 1st inst., navigation was open at Port Sheldon. The ice is all gone in the middle of the river. It has not been over five inches thick here this winter, and not a cake of it has been put up.

Sunday afternoon the young folks took in the services at the Dutch church, and it was remarked the orderly manner in which they behaved themselves. But the trouble is a great many of them don't understand the Dutch language, hence it is time that we have our services in the American language. It might also improve the finances of the church.

Rev. De Haan of Borculo will preach next Sunday.

Notices are out calling a mass meeting at Smith's school house on Saturday, the 8th inst., to elect a delegate to go to Lansing to the Good Road convention, called by Gov. Rick on March 3.

We are happy to report that Mrs. Walt, mother of Mrs. J. Goodin, who has been at the point of death nearly all winter, is in a fair way of getting well again.

#### West Olive.

The weather and roads are both somewhat mixed at present.

Social parties are being held in the northern part of town, known as Martie's addition.

Art Boyes and wife are home on a visit.

Alex. Boyes has gone to Grand Rapids to work.

Mariam Ferry has resigned her position as teacher of our school. Miss Etta Smith succeeds her, and will make her home at Henry Goodman's.

Two boys from Burnips Corners visited Henry Goodman and Bert Demarest over Sunday.

Mesdames Norton and Fay visited the Joselyn's near Sallivaw over Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Cole has just received Mr. Cole's back pension, from the pay day before he died up to his death, a year ago last April.

S. D. Williams of Grand Rapids, spoke here at the school house last week Tuesday and Wednesday, on the temperance question, the result being the organization of a Good Templars Lodge with 23 charter members. Henry J. Ten Have was chosen Chief Templar and Miss J. Gokev Secretary.

A. B. Robinson has just returned from a three weeks' sojourn in the wilds of Blenheim.

Many of our people are complaining of bad colds and show symptoms of grip.

One of Ottawa Station's young men is making frequent visits here. We predict that he will soon look a little odd, he will get into a peck of trouble.

New Holland.

Rev. Stegeman spent Monday afternoon at Holland city.

Dr. Van den Bogaert is busy occupied at present looking after the affairs.

Mr. C. J. Smith and wife and Mrs. Coburn visited friends in Holland city Thursday.

The school at this place report a new Webster's International Dictionary and a new U. S. Flag.

The librarian of our school district, Mr. S. Coburn expresses himself well satisfied with the patronage the library is receiving. 117 volumes were drawn during the month of January.

Mr. Wynand Van den Berg and Miss Frances C. Post took a pleasant drive Wednesday evening to the flourishing and prosperous village of Zeeland, visiting Christian Endeavor Society, Justice Van Loo and friends.

The Washington Literary society will give an open meeting Wednesday evening.

#### Marriage Licenses.

Alfred Willey, Crookery  
Rhoda B. Beebe, Nunica  
John De Kruider, Holland  
Cora Bronkhorst, Laketon  
John Street, Holland  
Grace Van Patten, Blandon  
Tom Van Vuren, Holland  
Jennie Clark

#### Real Estate Transfers.

Tyemmen Slagh and wife to Henry Mulder, its 10 and 11 Slagh's add Holland \$100.  
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Jaantje Doeburg to J. B. Kleinbaker, add wife it & blk 53 Holland, \$750.

Evelyn Mokke to Geo. H. Sipp and wife it & blk 5 Holland, \$1,000.  
H. H. Everard and wife to Chas. De Jonge, add w 1/2 sec 14 sec 5 and 6 1/2 sec 14 sec 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

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### UHL SELECTED.

Post of Ambassador to Germany Tendered Him by the President.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The president has tendered the post of ambassador to Germany, to succeed the late Theodore F. Baryon, to Hon. Edwin F. Uhl, of Michigan, now assistant secretary of state. Mr. Uhl has signified his willingness to accept, and the nomination will be sent to the senate today or Thursday.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 5.—News comes from Washington that the president has made his choice for a successor to the late Mr. Baryon as ambassador to Germany and that Assistant Secretary Uhl, of the state department, will be named for the post this week. A more popular appointment than that of Edwin F. Uhl to be ambassador to Berlin or one that would give more general satisfaction in this city could not be made by President Cleveland. The news that Mr. Uhl would be appointed did not reach here until late Tuesday afternoon, and it then came in the form of private dispatches. The news was spread, however, and it was everywhere received with satisfaction.

### WANT LOWER TAXES.

Subject Agitated by Michigan Association of Farmers' Clubs.

Lansing, Feb. 5.—Over 100 representative farmers from various sections of the lower peninsula are in attendance upon the annual meeting of the Michigan Association of Farmers' Clubs. The number of local clubs in the state has increased over 300 per cent. in the past two years, and more are being organized now than at any previous time. The principal matter to be discussed is that of taxation, the members generally believing that the time has arrived when self-protection demands that some change looking to greater economy in the matter of state, county and township expenditures must be adopted. They demand that only absolutely necessary expenditures be made.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 5.—The series of farmers' institutes which have been held in several counties of the state during the winter will close with a "round-up" institute to be held in this city next week. About 40 county institutes have been held in the state, conducted by members of the faculty of the agricultural college, assisted by practical farmers and horticulturists, and much has been done toward disseminating information in regard to correct and modern methods, not only for the farm and orchard, but for the dairy and apiculture as well. The "round-up" institute will bring all the institute workers together, and they will have an opportunity to discuss what has been accomplished during the winter. The institute proper will be opened with an address by Gov. Rich. One day will be given to horticulture, one to sheep and dairy interests, and the third to general agriculture, with special programmes of speeches and addresses for each evening. As a side attraction a section will be conducted by the women, with instructions in cooking and household economies, and another for boys in mechanics.

The state board of agriculture will attend the institute and on Monday, before the sessions open, will elect a president of the state agricultural college. During the institute the committee recently appointed to collect fruit-growing statistics, with the view of asking the eastern freight associations for more favorable rates on basket fruit, will meet, formulate their report, and lay plans for their campaign.

### PERISHED BY FIRE.

Farmer Page, His Wife and Two Children Burned to Death.

Battle Creek, Jan. 31.—Harvey Page and his wife and two children, one a boy about five years old, and the other a girl of about three, were burned to death Thursday evening in their farmhouse about two miles from Marquette, just over the line in Lee township. They lived upstairs and the lower part of the house was occupied by his brother and wife.

Sometime in the night the brother was awakened by the cracking of flames over them, and found that the entire upper part of the house was burned and the roof fallen in. He and his wife had barely time to escape with their lives and did not save any of their clothes or furniture. When the flames were discovered Harvey Page and his wife and two children were all dead, and their bodies were soon reduced to ashes. The neighbors who assembled could do nothing to save the bodies, and the house burned with all of its contents.

It is not known how the fire caught, but from the appearance it is thought to have started in the upper part of the house from the stoves or from a chimney, and that the occupants were all asphyxiated in their sleep. The house was a large frame building, and the flames spread rapidly, as there was no means of checking or extinguishing the fire.

### WINS HER FIGHT.

Rev. Caroline J. Bartlett Has an Income-potent Official Discharged.

Kalamazoo, Feb. 5.—Poormaster Henry Bush has been dismissed from office by the board of supervisors on charges of incompetency, harsh and inhuman treatment of applicants for aid and malfeasance in office. This action is the outcome of a long and bitter fight that has been waged against Bush by Rev. Caroline J. Bartlett, of the People's church, in behalf of the poor people of this city and county. Mr. Bush has held the office since 1879. His record for the last six years was shown to be anything but enviable by the testimony of witnesses for the prosecution. The case has attracted a great deal of interest all over the state.

To Build a Magdalen's Home.

Niles, Feb. 3.—The Children of God, or Saints of the Evening Light, the peculiar religious sect that flourishes in southwestern Michigan, are making preparations to erect a home for fallen women at South Haven. A site has already been purchased.

Two Pioneers Dead.

Coldwater, Feb. 5.—William Perch, a pioneer farmer of Branch county, died at his home near this city Tuesday morning, aged 80 years. L. B. Johnson, ex-sheriff of Branch county, died Tuesday evening at seven o'clock, aged 60 years.

Was an Original Abolitionist.

Bruce, Feb. 4.—R. McKay, aged 93, died suddenly here Monday. He was one of the original abolitionists, casting his vote for that party in 1842, when it had hardly two anti-slavery votes in the town.

Death of Dr. J. M. Waldron.

Kalamazoo, Feb. 3.—Dr. J. M. Waldron, one of the most popular physicians in southern Michigan and noted for his charity work, died Saturday night in Porter, aged 36.

Given a Year for Forgery.

Menominee, Feb. 5.—Ernest A. Eves, brought from Chicago to this city, pleaded guilty to a charge of forgery and was given a year in prison.

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## Holland City News.

SATURDAY, Feb. 8.

G. VAN SCHELVEN, Editor.

### We Report Progress.

It will be gratifying to our citizens to learn that the common council have taken a practical hold of the sewerage problem.

At the session of Tuesday evening the committee on health presented the following:

To the Honorable the Mayor and the Common Council of the City of Holland:

GENTLEMEN: We, your committee on health, to whom was referred the communication of A. J. Ward, having reference to the construction of a sewer in the city of Holland, beg leave to report to your Honorable Body that they have had the same under careful consideration and that they find there are innumerable cesspools and unclean vaults in the city of Holland and that in their opinion something should at once be done to preserve the health of the city and get relieved from the obnoxious odors arising from said cesspools and unclean vaults.

Your committee find that not only the business portion of the city are desirous of having a sewer constructed as early a date as possible but that a great proportion of the residents of the city are in need of a sewer and desirous of having the same constructed as early a date as possible, as will appear from the several petitions heretofore brought before your honorable body.

We would therefore recommend to your honorable body that the board of public works be requested to devise or cause to be devised a plan and an estimate of the expense for the construction of a general system of sewerage for the city of Holland, and that plans and diagrams and estimates for the construction of the trunk sewers in such system be submitted to your honorable body at the earliest possible time.

Respectfully submitted,  
F. J. SCHOOTEN,  
JACOB KUTTE,  
A. HARRINGTON.

The report was unanimously adopted, and in compliance with its terms the board of public works held a special meeting on Wednesday evening to take the initiatory steps in the premises. It was decided to secure the services of a competent sanitary engineer, after first informing themselves as to the latest and most feasible systems of sewerage in vogue.

### Local Option and Prohibition.

The question of local option will not be re-submitted in Allegan county for the present. Public sentiment concerning the efficiency and desirability of local option, says the Gazette, "is changing, and men who a month ago would have voted to repeal the law would now, if given an opportunity, vote to continue it in force. This is true all over the county, and the druggists are becoming more careful to whom they sell. One druggist in Plainwell, which, by the way, has been one of the strongest whiskey towns in the county, has instructed his clerk to allow no person under any circumstances to drink a glass of liquor in his store."

About two weeks ago, Prosecutor Fish sent a circular letter to each druggist in the county, containing the following: "Great complaint comes to me that drug stores are making illegal sales of liquor in various ways. During the past year and a half I have directed my attention to the open saloon and 'joints,' but I am now urged to give my attention to the drug stores where the local option law is being violated to a great extent. I thought it proper to call your attention to the necessity of allowing only strictly legal sales to be made from your store. The people demand a more rigid enforcement of the drug law. Please take this as a friendly caution."

Does prohibition prohibit—will apparently remain one of the unsolved problems of our day. The most contradictory answers from the most creditable sources and individuals are often at hand covering one and the same locality. It's a good deal like the statistics on capital punishment: Does hanging deter crime?

The latest with reference to this exciting diversion of opinion on prohibition is the position taken by Justice C. B. Grant, of the state supreme court, than whom no more courageous and representative law-and-order man Michigan can boast of. In an address delivered in one of the churches of Lansing Sunday evening the judge took a decided stand against prohibition and local option, and urged the enforcement of existing laws. He opposed prohibition on the ground that it engenders fraud, deceit and bribery and fails to accomplish the desirable ends its honest promoters wish for. Judge Grant spent several weeks in Maine last summer and while there became convinced from a personal observation that prohibition does not prohibit.

## The Ottawa County Forestry and Tree Culture Association.

The efforts of the board of supervisors looking towards a restoration of our forests and an agitation among the people for the promoting of tree planting and tree culture, have culminated thus far in the organization of a society to be known as above.

On Thursday a joint meeting was held at the court house in Grand Haven of the standing committee on forestry of the board and the forestry commission appointed by them, at which meeting were present Messrs. L. Lugers and P. A. Latta of Holland, C. E. Stearns of Robinson, W. Phillips of Grand Haven, and J. Jackson of Polkton. After the usual preliminaries and a general review of the great interests involved to all the people, especially the coming generation, it was resolved to at once lay the foundations for a permanent organization. A draft for a constitution and by-laws was presented, amended, and adopted, and the following appointed as the first officers of the association:

President—Walter Phillips, Grand Haven town.  
1st Vice president—Mrs. J. W. Barnes, Grand Haven.

Vice presidents—  
Allendale—Robert Prichard.  
Blendon—G. Veldman.  
Chester—David Waller.  
Crockery—O. A. Jubb.  
Georgetown—W. Whipple, Jr.  
Grand Haven—M. Van Dorne.  
Holland—G. Deur.  
Jamestown—A. H. Bosch.  
Olive—S. Coburn.  
Polkton—L. P. Ernst.  
Robinson—H. A. Tripp.  
Spring Lake—J. P. Perham.  
Tallmadge—Miss Cora M. Goodenow.  
Wright—Thomas Wilde.  
Zeeland—A. G. Van Hees.  
Grand Haven city—J. Koeltz.  
Holland city—J. Dykema.  
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Press—I. Verwey, Holland; H. Nichols, Grand Haven; C. De Vos, Coopersville.

Forestry and methods of tree culture—H. D. Post, Holland; W. W. Bork, Agnew; Miss Cora M. Goodenow, Berlin.

Legal—Geo. A. Farr, Grand Haven, A. Blix, Spring Lake; E. C. Dickerson, Tallmadge.

At this writing we cannot give the articles of association in full, but will try to do so in our next issue. The membership is open to all, with a fee of only 25 cents; for teachers and pupils 10 cents. The members of the press of Ottawa county were made honorary members, since it was upon them that the association relied largely for the success of the work on hand. The annual meeting is fixed for the first Wednesday in February in each year. Arrangements will be perfected at once for one or more mass meetings to be held in the county.—See next week's issue.

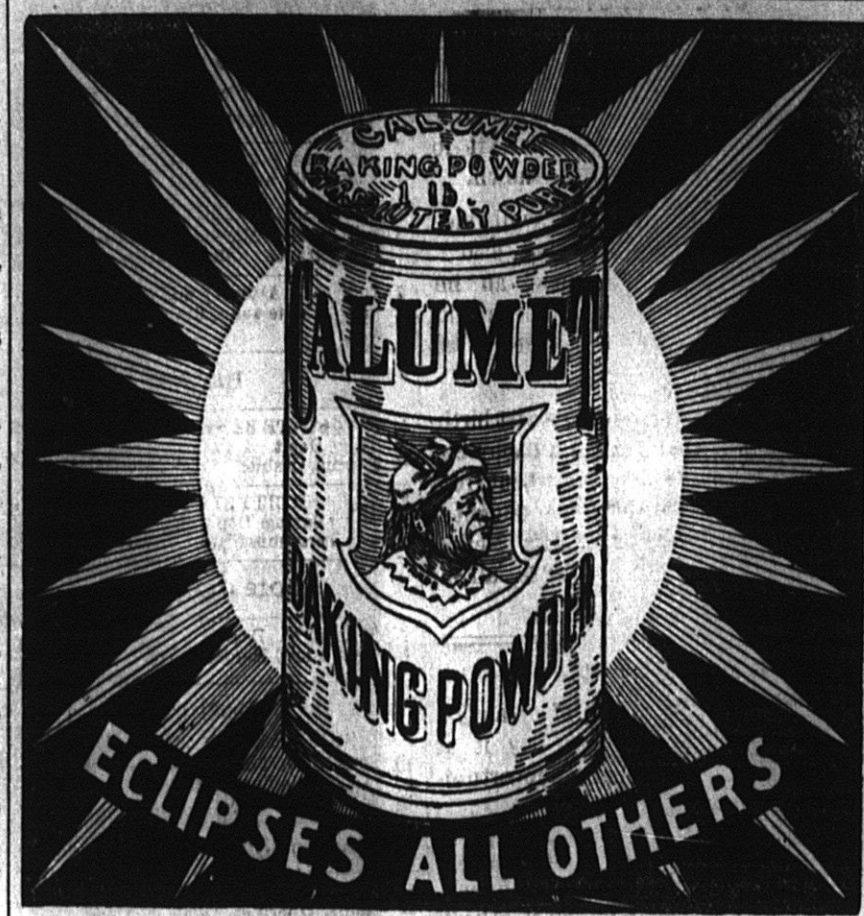
### A Tragedy Continued.

NEW YORK, 1896.—William Zeigler, a Fifth avenue millionaire, has adopted the two children of Mrs. Brandt, who will be remembered as the woman who eloped from Chicago with the Rev. Conrad Haney, something more than a year ago.

CHICAGO, 1894.—Rev. Conrad Haney who had been for some time pastor of the Lake Avenue Union church, left Chicago in company with Mrs. Brandt early Saturday morning, Dec. 8, 1894, after a stormy scene at the Sherman House, where Mr. Haney and Mrs. Brandt were found the Friday night before by Mr. Brandt and a detective, who had been watching the woman for two weeks. A friend of the disgraced pastor begged him to go back to his church and live down his connection with Mrs. Brandt. Haney said he could not do that. He wrote a resignation from his church before leaving the hotel. Haney left a wife and four children. Many of his friends said at the time they believed he was not mentally responsible for his actions. He is now in Germany.

HOLLAND, 1893.—Thursday, Aug. 24, two young people were drowned on Black Lake—John Haan of Muskegon and Miss Jennie Anderson of Chicago. They were out sailing in a yacht with Rev. Conrad Haney, a congregationalist minister of Chicago, and his twelve-year old son, and in the narrow waters of Superior the boat capsized. The accident was witnessed from the shore by Danle Ten Cate, then a lad of 18 years. He at once took a small boat near by. For want of oars he could not row to the wrecked yacht, so he jumped into the water and towed his boat to the scene. He succeeded in rescuing young Haney, who had clung to the mast, and also his father, the divine. The other two were drowned. Rev. Haney was camping out on Point Superior, and the two persons that were drowned were said to be his guests. He went home to Chicago, leaving his yacht here to be repaired. It is still here and the repairs are unpaid for.

Dr. Rysdorp and P. Klaver, two of Grand Haven's vocalists, took in the oratorio Thursday evening.



For The HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

### The Sewerage Question.

MR. EDITOR: Thank you, for opening the discussion of the sewerage question in your paper.

You might have continued your statement of the powers and duties of our common council regarding the construction of sewers under the charter, instead of closing it with the statement, "There are other provisions in the charter for the construction of special sewers in special districts," by giving your readers Sec. 11 of Title XVI of the charter, which reads as follows, excepting the italics. "When the owners of a majority of the lands liable to taxation in any sewer district, or part of the city which may be constituted a sewer district, shall petition for the construction of a sewer therein, the council shall cause to be constructed a district sewer in such location, and if the lands including the line of such proposed sewer are not within any sewer district, a district shall be formed for that purpose. In other cases where no such petition is presented, sewers shall be constructed in the discretion of the council."

This section provides for the immediate necessities of our city, as if specially drawn to suit the case, and expressly withholds from the council discretionary power to act or not, as they choose.

May 29, 1895, a petition signed by all, with a few exceptions, of the owners of lands in four of the most populous blocks of our city, humbly asked our common council to give them a sewer outlet for those blocks.

Neither obligation to obey the law, their respect for the character of the petitioners, nor regard for the cleanliness and health of our city, have yet moved our city fathers (or stepfathers) to grant the relief so earnestly prayed for.

The petitioners have been forced by this inaction to keep on digging cesspools around their homes and their places of business, and to store up the sewage filth, to breed disease, and poison the wells in the neighborhood. No wonder typhoid fever is here, to stay, and cases of diphtheria are frequent. It does not help the poor sick children any to have the assurance of the doctors that "they are only sporadic cases."

The report from which you quote, was good when it was young, but has become a back number. The world does move, if our city council don't, and recent important discoveries with regard to the proper disposal of sewage have been made, which changes the conditions.

Your proposition that no special permits for special sewers ought to be granted until investigation and adoption of a general system, may be questioned. Is it not better to have the sewage filth taken away, even in a private sewer, than to keep on stirring it up in foul vaults, and reeking cesspools, while our council are—investigating?

The mention of investigation, and a general system, is suggestive of a long period of incubation, to finally hatch out a costly job, requiring the issue of more city bonds, adding their interest and principal to the burden of our taxpayers.

Had the relief asked for been promptly granted, a sewer would have been laid at moderate expense to the city, which would have relieved those blocks, and would have tested one of the least expensive of the general plans which have been proposed for the drainage of our city.

This would have been much safer than going on to construct a great general system of sewerage from the untried plans of outside theorists, which might prove a costly failure.

HENRY D. POST.

Feb. 4, 1896.

With reference to the recent burning of the barn of Mr. Van Lente north of the bridge, the two children Eddie and Lizzie, that were home at the time, have confessed that they set the barn on fire, and that the story about that masked man was something of their own concocting.

### Attempted-Suicide.

Miss Ida Titus attempted suicide by laudanum Friday night. She came to this city recently from Pierson, Montcalm county, in hopes of obtaining a position in our Public Schools, and took rooms at Mrs. Hopkins on Columbia avenue. After a trial of three weeks she failed to prove herself qualified for the existing vacancy, and in the evening of the day mentioned, in a mood of despondency, she took a half ounce of laudanum, just before supper. After the meal she played on the piano and went to her room, informing her room-mate of what she had done, and inquiring whether the drug clerk that had sold her the laudanum would get into trouble. The drug already beginning to show its effects, her story was believed and medical aid summoned, Dr. Baker, Tuttle and Butterfield responding. Antidotes were administered and by incessant efforts respiration was kept up. At times the result appeared very doubtful, but fortunately she managed to survive. In reply to a telegraphic summons her mother arrived Saturday night on the train from the north. On Tuesday she left with her daughter for Grand Rapids. Miss Titus is about 26 years old, and had taught before, somewhere up north. When she came here however she found that the requirements were of a higher order and that she could not stand the test. This is said not to be an uncommon experience of the board.

### Western Products.

The exhibit car of the land department of the Northern Pacific Railroad Co. arrived in this city Saturday morning and was switched on the sidetrack on Ninth street, where it remained all day for the inspection of those that desired practical information as to the products of the northwestern states traversed by the line of this road—the Dakota's, Minnesota, Montana, Idaho, Washington and Oregon. The fact that this opportunity was to be presented must have struck our population very favorably, and especially the farmers, and their wives. All day long there was a constant throng of visitors, who were courteously received by Mr. D. M. Stewart and his assistant C. L. Billinger. Pains were taken to explain the various exhibits in the car to every one, supplemented by a liberal distribution of reading matter in regard to the lands the company of fers for sale, at prices ranging from \$3.00 to \$10.00 an acre. The car itself is a beautiful specimen of workmanship, finished inside with veneer specimens of the different growths of timber of that northern county. The exhibits comprise grains, grasses, fruit, animals, minerals, and a fine collection of views. The car left St. Paul Oct. 21, and has visited towns in Indiana, Ohio, Wisconsin and Michigan. On Monday morning it was taken to Allegan.

The Round-up Farmers' Institute, which will be held at Grand Rapids, Feb. 11, 12, 13 and 14, promises to be an immense and enthusiastic gathering of practical farmers and fruit growers. The following is the program in brief: Governor Rich will open the institute Tuesday evening. Wednesday will be "Fruit Day," chock full of the best addresses on this subject that can be secured. Thursday is "Stock and Dairy Day," filled with practical talks on these lines, both by college men and farmers. Friday will be "Soil and Crop Day." Drouth and forage crop will be prominent topics. Ex-Governor Luce closes the meeting Friday evening. For the ladies there will be special sections; as follows, under the general conduct of Mrs. Mary A. Mayo: Wednesday afternoon, "The Kitchen;" Thursday afternoon, "The Rural Home;" Friday afternoon, "Mother and Daughter."

At their meeting on Monday night the board of public works made a reduction of 16 1/2 per cent in the electric meter rates. This amount will be deducted from the January bills.

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## Dry Goods.

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- 2 We've had 21 years experience in the Dry Goods business, 16 years of which were spent in one of Grand Rapids' largest Dry Goods Houses where we had charge of some of the most important Departments, thus getting experience in all the details of the business.
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- 4 We sell goods that are up to date.
- 5 We never allow old goods in our store.
- 6 We believe in large sales and small profits.
- 7 We buy for Cash.
- 8 We sell for Cash.
- 9 We are constantly on the lookout for Bargains.
- 10 We always do just as we advertise.

**John Vandersluis,**  
Holland, Mich

N. B. We handle the celebrated R. & G. Corsets, the best \$1.00 Corset in the market.

## MEATS

LAUGH AND  
GROW FAT!  
You will if you  
get your meat  
at

**De Kraker  
and  
De Koster.**

And get the finest in Holland and as much for \$1 as \$2 buys anywhere else.

At a meeting of the congregation of the Market street H. C. Ref. church held on Wednesday evening it was determined to make some material addition to the church building, provided the necessary money could be raised. Quite a few of the members expressed themselves as being opposed to the insurance of church property, thus rendering it impossible to borrow the needed amount on mortgage. Steps will however be taken to obtain the sum by donation if possible, as it is very desirous that the utmost of harmony be maintained in the church. A rough sketch of the changes proposed was submitted for inspection. These plans provide for the removal of the present edifice to the rear end of the lot now occupied and the building of a new structure to connect with it on the Market street front. The building will then be in the shape of a cross and will be surmounted by an attractively designed steeple. If this plan is carried into effect the seating capacity will be increased to about one thousand, and the building in every way made more commodious and cheerful. The estimated cost of the change if made will be about \$3,500.

From the Allegan Gazette: "If you happen to know the whereabouts of Jan de Weerd, you will confer a favor upon that gentleman and postmaster Bracken of Allegan by sending the information to the latter. A letter and postal card have been received at this postoffice addressed "Jan de Weerd, laborer, Allegan county, Mich." No such person gets mail at this office. The letter is registered and the card bears the information that Jan has been left a fortune in the Netherlands by the death of a relative."—LATER. In answer to the above Jan De Weerd, a resident of Laketown, the party for whom the letter was intended, went to Allegan, and when he called at the post office he was informed that his letter had been re-mailed to the sender.

The annual meeting of the Holland Furniture Company was held this week, and the old officers were re-elected, which are: President, H. Van Ark; vice-pres., Ed. Vaupell; secretary and treasurer, J. G. Van Putten; manager, J. G. Van Putten. The other directors are J. A. Van der Veen, A. H. Meyer, R. Veneklaasen and H. Van Ark. The business of the company is reported as being very satisfactory and with the exception of a close down of two weeks for repairs, the factory has been kept running constantly.

Try M. Notier's 16 c. Coffee. It's a good one.

The G. R. Herald of Saturday has the following: The C. & W. M. will make special efforts to draw resorters to Ottawa Beach next summer. The company is now negotiating with contractors with the view of erecting a modern summer hotel to cost about \$15,000. Some of the local contractors were at Ottawa Beach Friday, looking over the ground with a view of bidding for the contract. The present hotel will be remodeled and used as part of the new one. The building will be up to date in every respect and will be equipped with all the latest improvements. When seen yesterday General Manager C. M. Heald said the company was negotiating for such a building, but the particulars could not be given out at this time.

Rev. Jacob Poppen and family arrived here on Friday of last week from Princeton, N. J. They expect to remain about a month, visiting with relatives and friends before their departure to Japan. Mr. Poppen is a graduate from Hope College. His theological studies he has pursued at various institutions east and west. After spending a few years in the active ministry he spent another year at the Princeton Seminary, which institution has just conferred upon him the degree of Ph.D. He has accepted a position in the Theol. Seminary of the Ref. Church at Tokio, Japan, taking the chair vacated by Dr. Guydo Verbeck, the well-known missionary and Japanese reformer.

Two Small Houses on 12th street for sale on easy terms.  
Also one acre of land in 5th ward.  
Apply to  
C. A. STEVENSON,  
8th st. Holland.

Three Plush and Two Fur Capes, at 50 c. on the Dollar, at  
M. NOTIER.

In 1884 the late Eugene Field wrote a story which he called "The Werewolf." When it was finished he laid it aside and a year afterward entirely rewrote it. In 1886 he again took it up and revised it and during the nine years between that time and his death in November last, he rewrote it eight times. His last revision pleased him and he decided to print it. But death came too suddenly and the story was found, unpublished among his effects. Mr. Field, concluding to have the story appear, gave it to the editor of The Ladies Home Journal, in which magazine all of Mr. Field's work, outside of his newspaper articles, was presented to the public. The story will be printed in the next issue of the Journal, strikingly illustrated by Mr. Howard Pyle.

Anyone who suffers from that terrible plague, Itching Piles, will appreciate the immediate relief and permanent cure that comes through the use of Doan's Ointment. It never fails.



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Cleaning.....\$1.00  
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And all other work at equally low prices.  
GLEASON'S JEWELRY STORE  
Old Bank Building, 8th St.

### ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

D. Van Leenen, aged 77 years, died Tuesday forenoon. He was the step-father of P. A. Kleij.

Sheriff Keppel was in the city Wednesday, summoning jurors for the March term of court.

Henry C. Matrau, former agent of the C. & W. M. at Holland, and at present stationed at Norfolk, Neb., is expected on a visit here.

The League of the M. E. church will hold a special gospel service next Sunday evening, commencing at 6:30 o'clock. All young people are cordially invited.

A musical program will be rendered in Winants Chapel, March 6th, by the best local talent, under the direction of Prof. J. B. Nykerk, at which a chorus, in ancient Greek costume, will sing the first of the Greek songs.

At an early hour on Thursday morning R. Z. Davis, residing north of the city, had his home and its contents completely destroyed by fire. The loss is \$1000 and is partially covered by insurance in the Ottawa and Allegan Mutual.

The attention of the News readers is called to the special sale of albums and teachers' bibles which will be in progress at M. Kleintveld's next week. For additional information look over his advertisement in another column.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of Hope church held its annual meeting on Wednesday afternoon and elected the following officers: President, Mrs. J. W. Beardslee; vice pres., Mrs. O. Van O'Linda; secretary, Mrs. C. Gilmore; treasurer, Mrs. C. M. McLean.

Michigan railroads have agreed to lower the rate on potatoes, making the commodity sixth class instead of fifth. This will, it is thought, succeed in inducing a movement of the vast lot of potatoes the Michigan farmers have held awaiting shipment. The rate holds until April 12.

City treasurer Brusse made his returns and settlement with the county treasurer on Wednesday. Out of a total of \$50,000 to be collected only \$605.84 was returned as delinquent, apportioned as follows:

State tax.....	\$ 48 44
County tax.....	40 99
City tax.....	215 02
School tax.....	187 18
Special tax.....	114 21
Total.....	\$605 84

Charles H. McGuerin, of Kalamazoo, who is acknowledged to be the fastest typewriter in the world, on Saturday made a record in the U. S. court at Grand Rapids, that certainly breaks his own as well as all other records. He took the testimony in a civil case direct upon the machine, and without halt or delay kept up to the end of the day. Many lawyers and stenographers were present to witness the test.

The indications are favorable that the third annual ball to be given in Lyceum Opera House, Thursday evening, Feb. 13, under the auspices of Castle Lodge K. of P., will be the most successful one yet given by this popular and rapidly growing order. Accommodations will be provided for 100 couples and it is expected that there will be quite a number present from neighboring cities. The music on this occasion will be furnished by Prof. Newell's orchestra of Grand Rapids. The banquet is to be served in Castle Hall to those who participate. During the evening spectators can obtain admission to the gallery of the opera house upon the payment of 25 cents.

Rev. Dr. E. C. Oggel supplied the Ref. church of New Paltz, N. Y., two sabbaths, and on last Monday evening received a call to the pastorate. The New Paltz church is one of the oldest and largest churches in the Reformed denomination, numbering as it does 236 families and having a present membership of 582. During the last fifteen years the church has been ministered to successively by Rev. A. Vennema, now of Passaic, N. J.; by Rev. Dr. Abel T. Huizenga, now at McCormick Theol. Seminary, Chicago, and last by Rev. John G. Fagg, now of the Collegiate church, New York, all of them graduates of Hope College and well known in this community. Dr. Oggel has signified his intention to accept.

Miss Anna Dehn, of the Public Schools, is nicely recovering from her attack of diphtheria.

J. A. Brouwer is ready to receive proposals for his new residence on Ninth street. See notice.

Mrs. N. Mulder, mother of Dr. J. Van der Laan of Muskegon, died at that city, Friday of last week.

On the farm of Henry Cheesman, near Olive Center, a calf was born this week that weighed 90 pounds.

Dr. P. Meengs of Coopersville was in the city this week, being called to the bedside of his father, who is quite ill.

The annual conference of the Ottawa County Sunday School Association will be held in this city on March 31 and April 1.

Rev. Jacob Van der Meulen of Kansas, was in the city this week. He will preach in the Gano Ref. church, Chicago, Sunday.

R. Kanters went to Muskegon Thursday to look after some repairs that are being made on his schooner, which is laid up there this winter.

The ladies of Grace Episc. church will give a social on Wednesday evening at the residence of Edward Leedom, on West Eleventh street.

Rev. Dr. E. C. Oggel returned from New York Wednesday night. The doctor and Mrs. O., will leave for their new home in the east on Wednesday, the 19th.

We often hear it said "I don't see how it is possible that they can sell dry goods so cheap at John Vander sluis!" but by reading his add in this issue you will not wonder any longer. It is quite interesting reading.

List of advertised letters for the week ending February 7th, at the Holland, Mich., postoffice: J. S. Betzner, J. Elmsa, Leslie Hanes, Luke Rodgers, Jan Salm, H. W. Valleur.

Mrs. M. A. Deming entertained the Pleasant Evening Challenge Pedro Club at her home on Eighth street Friday evening. The first prize was captured by Mrs. George Shaw, the booby Mrs. W. J. Scott. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ely will entertain this (Friday) evening.

Dr. Helen Lee has been called on by a large number of patients at the City Hotel during the past few days and expects to remain until February 14. She effects her cures by the new Japanese method and has met with much success since coming to this country from the Orient.

Mr. A. Coleman has been in the city during the past week in the interest of the Domestic desiccator, refrigerator and cooker combined. He is trying to interest a number of our business men in the enterprise with a view to having the article manufactured in this city. A sample of the invention is on exhibition at the City Hotel and Mr. Coleman would be pleased to describe it to any one interested. All kinds of fruits and vegetables can be desiccated at about one-tenth the cost of canning and the process is comparatively simple.

In spite of the storm which prevailed about 250 persons were present at the reception tendered Miss Charlotte Yale of Detroit, the general secretary of the Y. W. C. A., at the rooms last Friday evening. The prettily decorated rooms, the bright lights, the cheerful faces, and the good time made up for the inclemency of the weather. A programme consisting of vocal and instrumental selections was provided, after which refreshments were dispensed. It was one of those congenial and sociable occasions which will be held in kind recollection by not only Miss Yale, but by all others who were fortunate enough to be present.

The musical event of the season was the production Thursday evening of Handel's Crucifixion, at Winants Chapel, under direction of Francis Campbell, assisted by Mrs. F. M. Davis, both of Grand Rapids, and a chorus of local singers including the following: Mesdames Diekema and Gillespie, the Misses Alcott, Yates, Roberts and Planstiehl; Prof. Nykerk and Messrs. De Vries, Gilmore and Broekstra. Miss Maud Squier presided at the piano. That there had been careful preparation was very manifest in the presentation of this touching oratorio. It was rendered with effect and our local vocalists never appeared to better advantage or with greater satisfaction before a home audience than they did on this occasion. The fine hand of Mr. Campbell as a teacher and director was readily detected, and esteemed as full an extent as his solo. The large audience that nearly filled the spacious chapel also demonstrated their full appreciation of Mrs. Davis, who if anything appeared to please them better than on any previous occasion. Still, it is not fair, perhaps, to judge these matters from surface appearances, inasmuch as Holland audiences are reputed for not being over-demonstrative. We would also add that as a skillful accompanist Miss Squier is well-nigh making herself indispensable.

Charles Knutson is building a substantial boat house near the Ottawa Furniture Co., for Freeman Godfrey of Grand Rapids, who will use it for the housing of his naphtha launch.

The Ladies Singing Club will meet next Thursday evening, from 6:30 to 8:00 p. m. After the music, an important business meeting will be held, which all members are urged to attend.

G. Wakker celebrated his 81st birthday to-day (Friday), amid a happy circle of his children. Those present from abroad are William and his daughter Edith, Mrs. A. Miller, Miss Nellie, and Geo. Van Hess and wife, all of Grand Rapids.

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Forty \$1.00 Albums @..... 70c each.  
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Twenty-six \$1.50 Albums @ \$1.15 each.  
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Twenty-eight \$2.00 Albums @ \$1.49 each.  
Eleven \$2.50 Albums @..... \$1.75 each.  
Twelve \$3.00 Albums @..... \$2.10 each.  
\$3.50 to \$6.00 Albums @ 30 pct. disc't.

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All our \$1.50 Bibles @..... \$1.10 each.  
" \$1.75 Bibles @..... \$1.35 each.  
" \$2.75 Bibles @..... \$1.95 each.  
\$3.00 to \$6.00 Bibles @..... 25 pct. off.

Of the above goods we bought a great number in order to secure quantity discounts and having carried over more than we need for this season of the year we wish to realize cash on same and give the people of Holland and vicinity the opportunity for one week to secure these useful articles at cost.

These are all fresh, new goods. Call and inspect them and judge for yourself.

31w M. KIEKINTVELD.

### Proposals Received.

On a new residence, Ninth street. Plans will be at my store, River street, on and after Wednesday, Feb. 12, and bids will be received up to 8:30 o'clock, p. m., Feb. 12. I reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

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What use is there in eating when food does you no good—in fact, when it does you more harm than good, for such is the case if it is not digested.

If you have a loathing for food there is no use of forcing it down, for it will not be digested. You must restore the digestive organs to their natural strength and cause the food to be digested when an appetite will come, and with it a relish for food.

The tired, languid feeling will give place to vigor and energy, then you will put flesh on your bones and become strong. The Shaker Digestive Cordial as made by the Mount Lebanon Shakers contains food already digested and is a digester of food as well. Its action is prompt and its effects permanent.

Doctors prescribe LAXOL because it has all the virtues of Castor Oil and is palatable.

### NOW TO HOLLAND.

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

### DR. HELEN LEE.

The noted specialist, who has enjoyed such wonderful success in Japan, Europe, New York and this state, has on Thursday February 6, opened an office in the New City Hotel. All invalids who visit these eminent physicians before Friday February 14, will receive services three months free. They treat all chronic diseases such as rheumatism, paralysis, neuralgia, 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 permanently 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 dreadful habit which annually sweeps to an untimely grave thousands of young men of an exalted talent and brilliant intellect, may call with confidence.

Consumption, asthma, bronchitis, catarrh are no longer incurable diseases 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.

Dr. Helen E. Lee gives special attention to diseases of ladies. Merited reward. Her cures unequalled in the history of science. Her remedies were secured while in Japan and will positively and permanently cure all female complaints. The doctor can be consulted daily at her parlors in the New City Hotel.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 8 p. m.; Sunday, 2 to 4 p. m.

## BUSINESS DIRECTORY

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McBRIDE, P. H., Attorney. Real Estate and Insurance. Office, McBride's Block.

POST, J. C., Attorney and Counsellor at Law. Real Estate and Collections. Office, Post's Block.

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FIRST STATE BANK. Commercial and Savings Dept. I. Cappon, President. Germ W. Mokma, Cashier. Capital Stock \$50,000.

HOLLAND CITY STATE BANK. Commercial and Savings Dept. D. B. K. Van Raalte, Pres. C. Verschure, Cash. Capital stock \$50,000.

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HEROLD, M., Dealer in Boots and Shoes, successor to E. Herold & Co.

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BOSMAN BROTHERS. Merchant Tailors and Dealers in Ready Made, Gent's Furnishing Goods a Specialty.

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BOOT & KRAMER, Dealers in Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., Eighth street.

VAN PUTTEN, G. & SONS, General Dealers in Dry Goods, Groceries, Crockery, Hats, and Caps, Flour, Produce, etc. River Street.

### Drugs and Medicines.

DOESBURG, J. O., Dealer in Drugs and Medicines, Paints and Oils, Toilet Articles, Imported and Domestic Cigars. Eighth Street.

WALSH, HEBER, Druggist and Pharmacist; a full stock of goods appertaining to the business. City Drug Store, Eighth Street.

### Hardware.

VAN OORT, J. B., General Hardware and Stoves, Repairing promptly attended to. Eighth Street.

### Manufactories, Shops, Etc.

FLEEMAN, J., Wagon and Carriage Manufactory and Blacksmith and Repair Shop. Dealer in Agricultural Implements. River St.

HUNTLEY, A., Practical Machinist, Mill and Engine Repairs a specialty. Shop on Seventh street, near River.

### Meat Markets.

DEKRAKER & DE KOSTER, Dealers in all kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats. Market on River Street.

WILL VAN DER VEERE, Dealer in all kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats. Market on Eighth Street.

### Painters.

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## CONGRESSIONAL.

The proceedings of the first session.

In the senate on the 25th two reports were made on the Cuban question, the majority resolution asking the president to urge Spain to grant independence to the island, while the minority report directed the president to also urge toward securing from Spain the complete independence of Cuba. Senator Tillman (S. C.) in speaking of the report severely arraigned the president and other officials, charging President Cleveland with political chicanery and treachery and calling for his impeachment. In the house no business was transacted.

A very animated debate took place in the senate on the question of the taking of the vote on the pending silver bond bill, but no action was taken. Bills were introduced prohibiting the purchase or use by any federal official of any convict-made goods, and to grant pensions to soldiers who served in the confederate army and afterward served in the army of the United States. In the house the report of the elections committee in favor of the sitting member, D. B. Culbertson, from the Fourth Texas district, and against J. H. Davis, was adopted. The bill to amend the dependent-pension act of 1893 so that considering widows' claims seven years of unexplained absence should be deemed sufficient proof of the death of the soldier was passed.

The time in the senate on the 31st was occupied by Senator Vilas (Wis.) in speech against the silver bond bill. A report was made in favor of seating Mr. Depont (rep.) as senator from Delaware. In the house most of the session was devoted to the District of Columbia appropriation bill. It carries \$3,417,990. A resolution was favorably reported providing for the investigation of anti-immigration laws against American-born and the effect of the repeal of the Chinese Exclusion Act.

The senate was not in session on the 1st. In the house bills were introduced for the construction of lighthouses at Captivity Reef, Lake Michigan and Whitefish Bay, Cedar river, and for fog signals at Ottawa Point and Menominee Harbor. The investigation of the conduct of the American consul at Havana, Cuba, was continued. Evidence removing them from their places, providing that the widow of a soldier who had been killed in battle should not be deprived of it because she has married again. The army appropriation bill and the silver bond bill were reported and referred.

## DOMESTIC.

During a wedding at the residence of Mr. J. W. Sandusky, O., the bride and groom were both injured. Mrs. H. N. Norton was fatally injured, and there were many hurt. The national board of trade in session at Washington declared that legal tender notes should be retired from circulation.

Dr. Alfred L. Kennedy, one of the most distinguished chemists in this country, was burned to death in his office in Philadelphia while experimenting.

Johnny Morris and Bennie Armit were drowned while walking across the Culmer river on the ice at Hammond, Ind.

Richard L. Brown, wholesale grocer at Richmond, Va., failed for \$100,000. The war ship fleet was launched at Newport News, Va.

Verne W. Jaynes, one of the proprietors of the Daily Capitol at Pierre, S. D., committed suicide by swallowing morphine.

Madeline Messner, of Gibsonburg, O., a patient at the insane asylum in Toledo, O., committed suicide by hanging herself with her hair.

Gas Thomas, the notorious Hardin county moonshiner and murderer, was captured and placed in jail at Savannah, Tenn. Thomas has murdered three revenue officers.

Six persons were killed and nearly a score injured when a boiler at the works of the Hollidaysburg (Pa.) Iron and Nail company.

George Kroot, the Wells-Fargo express agent at Colorado Springs, Colo., confessed that he stole the express packages containing \$38,000, and said his father was innocent.

The South Carolina legislature re-elected Associate Justice Pope to the supreme bench for eight years.

The stables on the Narragansett park grounds at Providence, R. I., were burned and 44 valuable trotting horses perished in the flames.

Two brothers, Charles and Edward Shepard, aged 19 and 17 years, respectively, broke through the ice at Chester, Pa., and were drowned.

Dr. W. H. Furness, aged 94, the oldest and most prominent Unitarian divine in the country, died at his home in Philadelphia.

Harvey Page, his wife and two young sons, aged three years and three months, were burned to death in their home at Marshfield, near Marshfield, Mich.

In an interview with Senator Jones (New) Secretary Olney said that the United States government was doing all that could be done to protect the interests of Hammond and other Americans in the Transvaal.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 31st ult. aggregated \$90,000,000, against \$77,000,000 the previous week. The business compared with the corresponding week in 1895, was 5.6.

Charles Asimus, a hunchback, was hanged at Kalama, Wash., for the murder of James Greenwood last September.

Cashier George Barnard, of the First Stanwix national bank at Rome, N. Y., killed himself and the bank was closed pending an examination of its affairs.

The boiler in the state-mill on William Monahan's farm near Freeport, O., exploded, killing William Laporte, William Kiefer and Roy Vesey.

There were 301 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 31st ult., against 373 the week previous and 364 in the corresponding period of 1895.

Lloyd B. Montgomery, who murdered his parents and Daniel McKeen, a neighbor, on November 19 last, was hanged at Albany, Ore.

The committee of the New York club appointed to investigate the charges of improper handling of the Defender in the race with the Valkyrie for the America's cup found that Lord Dunsraven's charges of fraud were unfounded.

The recent court order disbarring J. A. Lockwood from practicing as an attorney before the pension bureau in Washington was suspended.

The Union Shoe company at Chillicothe, O., failed for \$10,000.

Gov. Morton granted Let Shea, who is under sentence of death for the murder of Robert Ross during an election in Troy, N. Y., a further respite to February 11.

The public debt statement issued on the 1st showed that the debt increased \$3,747,075 during the month of January. The cash balance in the treasury was \$117,591,778. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury amounts to \$253,046,271.

Theodore S. Dick, aged 50, a member of the grand jury, died of heart disease in the private chambers of Judge Ball in Chicago.

Rhode Island officials discovered that there has not been a legal marriage in that state for 50 years because a law requiring all persons performing the marriage ceremony to register yearly had not been complied with.

The monthly report of the director of the mint shows the total coinage during January to have been \$13,033,560, classified as follows: Gold, \$12,914,600; silver, \$35,000; minor coin, \$53,960.

The Evans, Belle & Clark company, shoe manufacturers at Valdoboro, Mass., failed for \$100,000.

The plant of the Wayne Electric Light company at Wayne, Pa., was destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of \$100,000.

Dr. Arthur Deustrow, the millionaire who murdered his wife and child in St. Louis two years ago, was found guilty by a jury at Union, Mo., and must suffer the death penalty.

Tillie Anderson, a Chicago girl, who was married to a man who had been killed in battle, was found guilty of murdering her husband.

Miss Farnsworth, of Minneapolis, was only 14 years old. The best previous record for 15 hours was 10 miles and 3 laps.

Fire in Philadelphia destroyed buildings occupied by the Baptist Publication society, the American Baptist Historical society and a dry goods firm, the total loss being \$2,000,000.

Fire at Booneville, Ind., destroyed five buildings on the south side of the city square, the loss being \$100,000.

Fifteen thousand men and boys in the western anthracite coal fields in Pennsylvania were thrown out of work by the closing of collieries for an indefinite period.

John and Jacob Mantz, brothers, aged 60 and 73 years, who lived alone near Wewoka, O. T., and were wealthy, were murdered by unknown persons.

Col. A. B. Colt, who ordered soldiers to fire on lynchers in a riot at Washington Courthouse, O., last October, and who was charged with manslaughter, was acquitted by a jury.

The Osage, the wealthiest tribe of Indians on the earth per capita, passed a bill through their late council asking for a separation from Oklahoma and to be annexed to the Indian territory.

The Iowa senate passed a bill making it a crime to manufacture or keep on sale or sell cigarettes in the state.

The mints at Philadelphia, San Francisco and New Orleans began the coinage of silver dollars at the rate of \$1,500,000 per month and the work will continue until from \$18,000,000 to \$20,000,000 has been coined.

Application was made in New York for a receiver for the Weber Piano company. The liabilities were placed at \$364,000.

At a mass meeting in New York presided over by Chauncey M. Depew protests were made against the removal of Commander Booth and his wife as leaders of the Salvation Army in the United States.

It was discovered that Lee Sellers (colored), who was lynched at Knoxville, Tenn., ten years ago for murder, was innocent of the crime.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 3d was: Wheat, 66,734,000 bushels; corn, 11,974,000 bushels; oats, 6,443,000 bushels; rye, 1,560,000 bushels; barley, 3,799,000 bushels.

Parley C. Stearns, aged 84, the oldest justice of the peace in Illinois in point of service, having held the office 52 consecutive years, died at Canton.

William E. Wheelock & Co., piano manufacturers in New York, made an assignment with liabilities of \$255,000.

The historic First Unitarian church on "meeting-house hill" in Boston, a familiar landmark and the oldest church in the district, was destroyed by fire.

At Mount Riga, N. Y., Mary Jones and her husband, while driving across the railway tracks were struck by a train and both were killed.

A joint resolution was adopted in the Iowa house asking congress to pass a law prohibiting gambling in futures.

The treasury circulation statement makes the amount of gold in the United States outside the treasury \$499,110,435. The amount of all kinds of money in circulation was placed at \$1,589,720,607.

## PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Mrs. Helen Dean celebrated her 102d birthday in her home at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dr. George F. Magoun, founder and ex-president of Iowa college and one of the most prominent men in Iowa, died at his home in Grinnell, aged 75 years. As an educator he had a national reputation.

Mrs. Celeste E. Carleton, mother of Will Carleton, the poet, died at the residence of her son in Brooklyn, N. Y., aged 87 years.

The Texas republicans will hold their state convention at Dallas on March 24 to select four delegates at large and alternates to the national convention.

George A. Anderson, member of congress from 1887 to 1889 from the old Twelfth district, died at his home in Quincy, Ill., aged 43 years.

The republican state convention at New Orleans endorsed the ticket already nominated by the populists and endorsed by the sugar republicans, with J. N. Phares (sugar planter) at its head for governor.

The widow of Ezekiel Webster, brother of Daniel Webster, died at Concord, N. H., aged 96 years.

Mills Henthcock died at Calvin, Mich., aged 304 years, and James H. Culver passed away at Spencer, Ind., at the age of 106 years.

National Chairman Dickie, of the prohibition party, issued a call for the national convention to meet in Pittsburgh, Pa., May 27.

Gen. Harrison wrote a letter to John K. Gowdy, chairman of the Indiana republican committee, in which he declines to have his name presented at the St. Louis convention as a candidate for president.

FOREIGN.

John Hays Hammond, an American imprisoned in the Transvaal, made an appeal to the United States for assistance.

In a speech at a banquet in London Lord Salisbury said he was a firm supporter of the Monroe doctrine.

A terrible tornado accompanied by flood occurred in North Queensland attended with great destruction of life and property.

The United States minister, Terrell, has demanded an indemnity of \$100,000 for the burning and pillaging of the American missions at Marash and Kharpout, in Turkey.

The federal census shows a population of 12,542,057 in Mexico. The City of Mexico has 389,935 inhabitants.

The insurgents were driven out of Sebbila by Spanish volunteers, who after a shot and killed 30 women and children and 10 men in the streets for cheering the insurgents.

The Central American governments of Guatemala, Nicaragua, Salvador, Honduras and Costa Rica have accepted an invitation to join in a convention of American republics in Washington next August with a view to unifying them.

Advices from Havana say that a great many families in that city were dependent for subsistence on what the government gives them—small amounts of wheat and other necessities, and were leaving the city by every steamer.

Spain was reported to be mobilizing 15,250 troops to reinforce the army in Cuba.

LATER.

The president tendered the post of ambassador to Germany, to succeed the late Theodore E. Ruess, to Edwin F. Blair, of Michigan, now assistant secretary of state.

All but four of the 100 students at the Smith college in Sedalia, Mo., were converted at a revival.

Rev. Justin A. Smith, D. D., for 43 years editor of the Standard, the leading Baptist paper of the northwest, died at his home in Morgan Park, a Chicago suburb, aged 76 years.

St. John's military academy at Delaware, Wis., was closed, owing to small-pox.

Mr. George Nicholson, one of the proprietors of the Picayune, died in New Orleans.

At St. Paul, Minn., Joe Friedmann, a man of 24, fatally shot his former sweetheart, Julia Celler, wounded a man named Hoffman, his rival, and then killed himself.

Two shocks of earthquake were felt at Brighton and Norfolk, Neb., and at Sioux City, Ia., and Elk Point and other places in Minnesota.

Mrs. Mary Wray celebrated her 104th birthday with a family reunion at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Crough, in Fairbury, Ill.

Israel Cohen & Co., wholesale clothiers in Boston, assigned with liabilities of over \$100,000.

Kansas republicans will meet at Wichita March 20 to select six delegates at large to the national convention.

The Congregational church in Auburn, Mass., founded in 1776, was totally destroyed by fire.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The house tariff bill was reported back to the senate yesterday with an amendment striking out everything after the enacting clause and placing in lieu thereof a free coinage substitute, in precisely the same sense that adopted by the senate as a substitute for the gold bill. Bills were favorably reported granting a pension of \$200 a month to the widow of the late Gen. Walter Q. Gresham, and \$100 a month to the widow of the late Gen. Thomas Ewing; prohibiting the desecration of the American flag; for the annexation to Utah of all the portion of Arizona lying north of the Colorado river and west of the eastern boundary of Utah. In the house the senate free coinage substitute for the house bill was reported, with the recommendation that the house non-concurrence and insist on its bill.

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**Much General Information to Be Found**  
In Paragraphs Below.  
Mrs. Knapp, aged 83, and L. D. Grinnell, aged 64, died recently at Coldwater. Osceola's bicycle factory is now running to its full capacity, giving employment to 20 men.

The trial of Farmer Thompson, the alleged Mottrill bomb-thrower, has been set for February 10.  
A pine tree that scaled 8,500 feet was recently cut by the Pine Lumber company near Menominee.

Canon Smith, a pioneer of Michigan, was killed at Edwardsburg by a kick from an unruly horse.  
Rev. Milton Bradley, aged 88, for over 50 years pastor of the Presbyterian church at Richland, is dead.

Miss Rose Marie Brown of Saginaw, visiting at Marietta, Ga., where she was visiting relatives during the winter.  
Citizens of Hartford have formed an improvement association to secure the location of manufacturing industries.

Breeders of Michigan are shipping homes to Atlanta and other southern cities where there is a good demand.  
Over 30,000,000 feet of lumber was shipped by the Michelson & Hansen Lumber company of Lewistown during 1895.

The Grand Rapids city council has voted to issue \$150,000 in bonds for the erection of a municipal electric light plant.

Solomon O. Hunt, a veteran of the civil war, sought lodging in the jail at Petoskey and committed suicide during the night.

Addison Reid, aged 49 years, employed in a table factory at St. Johns, became violently insane and was removed to Kalamazoo.

Edward Douglas, of New Carlisle, Ind., was killed by a Michigan Central passenger train two miles west of Niles while walking on the track.

Clara Van Cleve, wife of John Van Cleve, of Ypsilanti, has died from the effects of a runaway accident, which happened three or four years ago, when she was hurt internally.

**HEIRS TO LARGE FORTUNES.**  
Welcome News Received by Michigan Kalamazoo, Feb. 5.—Jan De Weert, the man to whom a letter and postcard were addressed at the Allegan office from the Netherlands, informing him that he had fallen heir to a fortune, was found in Laketon township, about 30 miles from Allegan. He read the notice in an Allegan paper last Saturday, and came to Allegan before daylight Monday morning to claim his important mail. He said the amount left him was \$400,000. Another heir to share the estate lives north of Holland City. His name is R. De Weert.

Niles, Feb. 5.—Aloy and Riley H. Pegg, living at Coloma, are indulging in a golden dream which they are confident will soon materialize. In 1897, upon the expiration of a 99-year lease, they expect to come into possession of a large portion of \$66,000,000 worth of property located in the heart of the city of Philadelphia. The tenants have advertised for the heirs, now scattered all over the United States, with a view to bringing about a renewal of the lease or purchase of the valuable property. The Pegg families are on the verge of poverty, but have steadfastly refused many tempting offers of capitalists to part with their claims.

**STATE FAIR FOR GRAND RAPIDS.**  
Grand Rapids, Feb. 5.—There is little doubt that the state fair will be held in Grand Rapids, on the grounds of the West Michigan society, again this year, the Grand Rapids board of trade having invited the executive committee of the State Agricultural society to do this, and no other invitations having been received. The State and Central Michigan Agricultural societies, as well as the city of Lansing, have a large sum invested in the fair grounds located here, and the former society offers to join the latter in transferring the grounds to the city on condition that the city settle with the State society's Lansing creditors, who hold claims aggregating \$18,000, but which can be settled for 50 cents on the dollar. It is also conditioned that, in the event of transfer, the grounds be held for fair purposes for a period of ten years, after which they are to be disposed of as it is desired.

**Deepest Shaft in the World.**  
Calumet, Jan. 31.—The vertical shaft at the Calumet & Hecla copper mine is now 4,830 feet deep. At 20 feet deeper work will be stopped and cross cutting and drifting will begin to develop the mine for production. The shaft is a quarter of a mile deeper than any outside of Calumet and far the deepest in the world. The miners working in it command extra wages because of the intense heat and the acid waters, which cause ulcers.

**A Boom in Wood.**  
Elk Rapids, Feb. 1.—Business in this section is receiving a little boom from the fact that the furniture company is buying large quantities of furnace wood. They have already purchased 10,000 cords. Much of it is shipped in by rail and cars are in great demand, both for logs and wood. One agent said he had written the railroad company for 43 cars, but would probably get three.

**Probably the Oldest Inhabitant.**  
Decatur, Feb. 3.—Mills Haightcock, who died recently in Calvin, is believed to have been the oldest person in southern Michigan. Documents have been found since his death which show that he was born in 1702 in Fairfax county, Virginia. He left 75 great-grandchildren.

**Insanity Plea Saved Him.**  
Decatur, Jan. 31.—Laban Tyler, of Mattawan, who is tied to a passenger train on the Michigan Central in July last, was acquitted in the circuit court on the grounds of insanity.

## Probate Order.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN.**  
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.  
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, held 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, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on and after the day of the hearing of said petition, the following order was made:

In the matter of the estate of Adriaens Nyssen, deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified by Isaac Marellis, 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 cancelled and said estate closed, according to said petition.

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 held 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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**STATE OF MICHIGAN.**  
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.  
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, held 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, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on and after the day of the hearing of said petition, the following order was made:

In the matter of the estate of Charles Scott, deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified by Henry P. 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 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 deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be held 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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COUNTY OF OTTAWA.  
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In the matter of the estate of Henry Koester, deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified by Jacob Koester, 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 held 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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## Chicago Nov. 24, 1895

**AND WEST MICHIGAN RY.**  
Grand Rapids, Mich., Nov. 24, 1895.  
Ar. Grand Rapids, 8:30 a.m.; 1:30 p.m.; 7:30 p.m.  
Ar. Holland, 9:00 a.m.; 2:00 p.m.; 8:00 p.m.  
Ar. Chicago, 9:20 a.m.; 2:20 p.m.; 8:20 p.m.

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Ar. Grand Rapids, 9:00 a.m.; 2:00 p.m.; 8:00 p.m.  
Ar. Holland, 8:30 a.m.; 1:30 p.m.; 7:30 p.m.

Ar. Grand Rapids, 8:30 a.m.; 1:30 p.m.; 7:30 p.m.  
Ar. Holland, 8:00 a.m.; 1:00 p.m.; 7:00 p.m.  
Ar. Chicago, 7:30 a.m.; 12:30 p.m.; 6:30 p.m.

Ar. Chicago, 7:30 a.m.; 12:30 p.m.; 6:30 p.m.  
Ar. Grand Rapids, 7:00 a.m.; 12:00 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.  
Ar. Holland, 6:30 a.m.; 11:30 a.m.; 5:30 p.m.

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Ar. Grand Rapids, 6:00 a.m.; 11:00 a.m.; 5:00 p.m.  
Ar. Chicago, 5:30 a.m.; 10:30 a.m.; 4:30 p.m.

Ar. Chicago, 5:30 a.m.; 10:30 a.m.; 4:30 p.m.  
Ar. Grand Rapids, 5:00 a.m.; 10:00 a.m.; 4:00 p.m.  
Ar. Holland, 4:30 a.m.; 9:30 a.m.; 3:30 p.m.

Ar. Holland, 4:30 a.m.; 9:30 a.m.; 3:30 p.m.  
Ar. Grand Rapids, 4:00 a.m.; 9:00 a.m.; 3:00 p.m.  
Ar. Chicago, 3:30 a.m.; 8:30 a.m.; 2:30 p.m.

Ar. Chicago, 3:30 a.m.; 8:30 a.m.; 2:30 p.m.  
Ar. Grand Rapids, 3:00 a.m.; 8:00 a.m.; 2:00 p.m.  
Ar. Holland, 2:30 a.m.; 7:30 a.m.; 1:30 p.m.

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Ar. Chicago, 1:30 a.m.; 6:30 a.m.; 12:30 p.m.

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## Probate Order.

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COUNTY OF OTTAWA.  
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In the matter of the estate of Peter Coplan, deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified by Isaac Marellis, 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 cancelled and said estate closed, according to said petition.

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 held 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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In the matter of the estate of Charles Kather, a mentally incompetent person.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified by Wierle Dickson, 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 held 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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**J. Wise—  
BEE HIVE.**

has been overhauled and repaired in the C. & W. M. shops at Muskegon and was at once taken to the Paris hatchery and stocked for the spring distributions. The car passed through this city Wednesday and about 6,000 young brook trout were left in charge of Arthur Baumgartel of the Holland hatchery.

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**Common Council.**  
Holland, Feb. 4, 1896.  
The common council met in regular session and was called to order by the mayor.  
Present: Mayor Diekema, Alds. Becon,elman, Kuitte, Harriington, V'sche,okker, Schouten, Flieman, Moksma and the clerk.

did not intend the petition to ask for a remission of the taxes but for an extension of time in the payment thereof, and that this was the

114 1/2 days time paid to J P J Foyter 46 88 | GEO. H. SIPP, Clerk.