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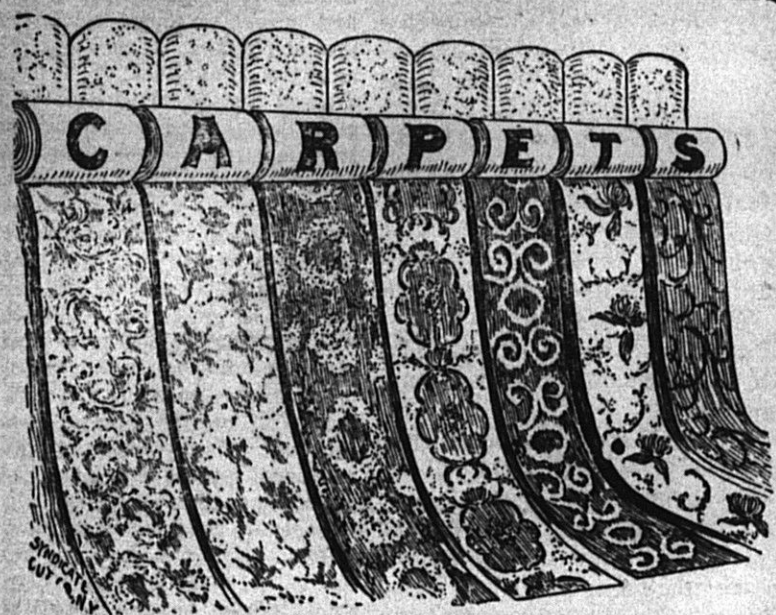
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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XXXIV

HOLLAND, MICH., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1905

NO. 5



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CITY AND VICINITY.

The light house is now in safe quarters and the south pier looks bob-tailed without the structure.

John Meengs last Monday sold fourteen acres of land at Meengs' Crossing on the Vriesland road to R. Manning. Consideration \$1,400.

Capt. George W. Pardee and wife having been unable to find a house have engaged rooms at the Cutler House. Inspector of Boilers Eckliff is also at the Cutler.

The plans are nearly completed for the new block to be erected for Ed O'Leary on the vacant lot between Hotel Holland and the photograph gallery. The building will be of brick and two stories high.

Dr. J. B. Stuck of Allegan lost a fine White Wyandotte cockerel last Friday. The bird got wet after being returned from the Holland show, took cold and died. The doctor had refused \$10 for the bird a few weeks ago.—Allegan News.

The Walsh-De Roë Milling and Cereal company is again making Sunlight Flakes after having been idle for two months in this department. The company has a capacity of 1000 packages daily and orders are coming in brisk.

The Holland Biscuit Co. B. Arendshorst & Sons proprietors will increase the capacity of their establishment and new machinery will be installed so that the plant can turn out 25,000 rusks daily besides other confectionary. They will build an addition to the rear end of their new store, the dimensions being 30x50 feet. The boys are hustlers and deserve success.

R. E. Werkman of St. Paul, general immigration agent for western land companies, formerly living in Holland was at the store of Elzinga & Co. last Wednesday and succeeded in interesting several parties from Zeeland and vicinity in lands in Montana. The party of land speculators and home seekers left for the West Tuesday together with those from Coopersville and Grand Rapids.

Altogether, there are about \$24,000 or \$25,000 worth of claims outstanding against the Barry line in its troubles. Not all of these have been presented yet. Another creditor has stepped into line. E. J. Peterson, of the Dalton creamery, has filed a libel for \$114.99 in the admiralty court against the steamer Alice Stefford for the balance due on a milk bill. One was also filed against the steamer Charles H. Hackley for the sum of \$57.98.

To have a cat on ship board is considered in most lake boat lines an omen of bad luck, and while nearly every animal that can be made a pet, is to be found on the different boats, a cat is but seldom seen. One night last fall an amusing incident in this connection happened here. One of the Chicago boats was here at her dock taking on freight when a diminutive little pussy cat walked aboard over the passenger gang way. It wasn't long before one of the porters put the kitten on the dock. The cat was persistent and walked aboard several times, but each time she was spotted by some flunky and put ashore, and towards the last not very gently. The ship sailed that night free from the ill luck which the sailors would have expected, had the kitten managed to get aboard and remain. Dogs do not come under the ban and there are many on the lake boats. Some of them are tramp animals which go from boat to boat taking trips across or down the lakes, and going to another boat as soon as they land. All last summer a tramp wharf dog hung around the docks here and was fed by the crews of the different boats. Occasionally this animal was taken across the and is now said to be in Milwaukee. Every lake freight carrier has more or less rats and the sailors see to it that they are not destroyed by their proverbial enemy, the cat, the rat bringing good luck, and the cat bad luck to the ship. And yet the average sailor will say he is not superstitious.—Grand Haven Tribune.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Van Haften Wednesday—a daughter

The Lincoln Club Banquet will be held at Grand Rapids Tuesday February 14.

L. DeKraker has had his pension increased from \$8 to \$10 through the agency of John Nies.

Another antique bible, printed in the Holland language, has come to light. It is owned by J. J. Cappon, being the gift of his grandmother. It bears the date of 1721.

Contractors Brink & TenBroeke have secured contracts for a new residence for G. W. Kooyers on West Sixteenth street, T. TenHouten on Seventeenth street, and for Mr. Kriant on Twentieth street.

A Valentine Party will be given Tuesday, February 14th, 1905, at Odd Fellows Hall in the VanderVeen Block. The reception committee are the Misses Ida Lapish, Edna Allen, Mabel Huntley and Florence Kruisenga. Admission 75 cents a couple. Music will be furnished by Breymann's Orchestra.

The Grand Haven council has decided to restrict the pool and billiard rooms and bowling alleys of the city. A license fee has been fixed for each table and the city marshal has been instructed to see to it that minors are kept out of the rooms. Recently there has been much complaint concerning the conduct of such places and the aldermen were petitioned to take the action stated.

Deputy Sheriff Shaefer brought in Henry Grevengeod from Conklin Saturday night and lodged him in the county jail here. Grevengeod was charged with being drunk and flourishing fire arms in a saloon at Conklin and he was gathered up by the officers. He remained in jail here until Monday when he was brought before Justice Hoyt. He pleaded guilty and was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

The incorporation papers of the new People's State Bank of Holland are on file in the county clerks office. The bank is capitalized at \$50,000 and there are ten equal stockholders, as follows: Douwe B. Yntema, Arend Visscher, Bastian D. Keppel, John H. Kleinheksel, Wm. O. VanEyk, Leendert Van Putten, Derk J. TeRoller, Walter C. Walsh, John Bosman, Chris J. Lokker.

H. DeKruif of Zeeland has sold his extensive implement business to Isaac VanDyk & Co., who are in the same business, and the two stores will be consolidated. The firm will incorporate and with increased facilities will greatly extend their business. The building occupied by the DeKruif stock has been rented by the purchasers, who will move from their present location and continue the business that Mr. DeKruif conducted for 14 years at the same place.

The stock for the new bank at Zeeland has been subscribed and a new institution will be built on the corner of Church and Main streets. The lot has been bought from John Fox for \$3000, and has a 30 foot frontage. The bank building will be started as soon as the plans can be made. The bank will be capitalized at \$35,000 and only nine of the stockholders will own \$1,000 each of the stock. The remainder will be divided in sums ranging from \$100 to \$500, and the stock will be distributed among all the business men of the village and among all the factories, insuring a good business on the start.

Two companies have been trying to get an electric road from South Haven to Saugatuck and both have applied for a franchise. The one is the Dunkley Williams and Bardeen Company of South Haven and the other is W. D. Dodson of Chicago. The Dodson company guarantees to have the road completed within a year or for \$1000. The two companies have different routes over which they wish to enter the village. The Dunkley Williams and Bardeen company desire to come in by way of Douglas crossing the river over the iron bridge connecting Douglas and Saugatuck and enter the village on Lake street. The Dodson people intend going a different route, first striking Douglas they will go along the river to the ferry and then cross into Saugatuck. The Dunkley Williams and Bardeen company claim to have both terminals situated but it is up to the councils of both villages to decide which is best and action has been deferred until next Monday.

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Drug Store

The home of H. Van Oort, night police has been quarantined on account of small pox.

Mrs. R. N. DeMerrell who is spending the winter at Datona, Florida, sent Mrs. G. J. VanDuren a fine bunch of violets.

An alarm of fire was turned in from box 34 there being a chimney fire on West Fourteenth street, the home of Clarence Fairbanks.

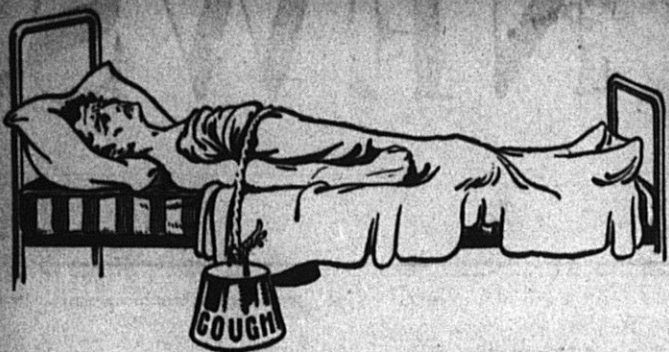
The thermometer registered 15 below zero at Waverly Tuesday, this has been the coldest night this winter. At the home of J. L. Conkey near the lake it registered 12 below.

Johannes Vliek died Monday at the age of 67 years at his home at the corner of Thirteenth and Land streets. Deceased was stricken with paralysis some months ago and had been in a critical condition since. He came from the Netherlands 25 years ago and is survived by a wife and five children, Misses Jennie, Anna, Bertha and two boys John and Bert. The funeral was held Wednesday from the Ninth street Christian Reformed church, Rev. A. Keizer officiated.

Peter J. Danhof stated this morning, when interviewed upon the subject of the nomination of a Circuit Judge, that personally, he would like very much to see the Democrats of this district, endorse Judge Padgham for renomination. Judge Padgham has never allowed party lines to prejudice him on the bench and he has the good will of members of all parties. And as Mr. Danhof expressed it, "The judicial bench, here and elsewhere, should be above any party, and entirely remote from political lines and issue."—Grand Haven Tribune.

It is all off with the Jamestown—Allegan branch to the Interurban line. This branch would go through Salem and Monterey townships and was eagerly looked for by the farmers along the proposed line. Mr. W. H. Beach, director for Holland has the following to say: "The railway company has not given the matter formal consideration, and it is doubtful if the company looks with favor on the plan. While the proposed line would traverse a rich agricultural district the population is not sufficiently dense to insure a profitable business at the start." The farmers have not altogether given up all hope of the Interurban passing through Monterey and Salem township from Jamestown to Allegan and their cause is being championed by D. H. Clark who says: The nearest railway to the center of the fruit district between Allegan and Jamestown is 18 miles away and fruit growers find it almost an impossibility to market their crops owing to the distance which it is necessary to haul them. The road would make it possible for more extensive fruit growing and the farmers are willing to guarantee that the road will be successful. It is possible that another committee will wait upon the directors of the G. R. H. & C. and prove to them the advisability of building the road.

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of Correspondents

New Holland

Mr. Boers and R. Plak Naeije have returned from their trip to the Netherlands and they say that they enjoyed it very much.

Peter Kraai, general store clerk for K. Weener, has bought the farm formerly occupied by H. Kamerman, his father in law.

Quite a number of farmers of Noordeloos have decided to take their milk to the Crisp creamery instead of taking in the cheese factory at Zeeland.

Messrs. W. Douma and Westrate Bros. who took the job of filling the ice house at Crisp Creamery, finished their work last Friday.

Steven Dander, aged 83, is seriously sick and his recovery is doubtful. The Crisp Creamery stockholders held their annual meeting Saturday in Olive township hall. The old officers were elected. The creamery has done a large business but no dividend will be paid this year to stockholders on account of improvements installed in the plant.

Harm Arnolding of Crisp has gone into the poultry business and a drop in the market is expected every day.

Laketown.

Mrs. H. Van Lopik is in Holland taking care of her daughter, Mrs. P. Dalman, who is sick.

Mr. Fred Horck has bought the farm of Mrs. Kleinheksel, formerly the John Bos farm, for the sum of \$1400.00.

Mr. A. Alferink of Laketown, is very busy going around the farmers selling garden and farm seeds and no wonder, because last year he got a premium of one hundred dollars, this year he would like to have three hundred. He is also agent for peaches, plum and all kinds of nursery, so you will soon find him at your door for he says his seeds are good and his stock is fine.

Our school took a delightful sleigh ride Tuesday. Messrs. Henry De Pree, Albert Walters and Gerrit Dogger took their teams; they went to Holland and had a splendid time.

The farmers around are busy putting up their ice.

Miss Cora Tripp of McBain, who has been visiting her uncle J. H. Tripp has returned home on the account of serious illness in their family.

Filmore.

J. Douma had a very sick horse last Monday night with colic.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. DeWitt visited relatives in Grand Rapids last week.

Messrs. C. H. Havell and Austin I. Fairbanks attended the Farmers Institute at Pine Creek last Saturday where they took an active part in the program.

Mr. Wm. Beldtman who was an inmate of the Insane Asylum at Kalamazoo for a number of years died last Tuesday and the funeral was held Saturday from the old homestead.

Craatschap.

Two sleigh loads, a party of about twenty in number of young people surprised Mrs. Ben Plasman the other evening. They took refreshments with them and all had a merry time.

Miss Nettie Brinkman has been on the sick list two weeks.

Miss Carrie Shoemiester of Grand Rapids is visiting her sister Mrs. Dr. J. F. Peppier.

John Tible who has been sick for the past two months is improving. The Farmers Institute held last Friday was well attended.

Miss Nienhuis of Crisp is visiting her sister Mrs. John Brinkman.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Beekman entertained a number of friends at their home the other evening. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant time was spent with music and games. Those present were the following, the greater number of whom were the force of the Lokker Rutgers company of Holland. Messrs. and Mesdames Fred Bouwkes, H. Wickering, George Heuneveld, B. F. Brinkman, B. J. Vander Leest and J. Huizing, the Misses Mamie Lokker, Reka and Laura Knooihuizen, Fannie Vander Bunte, Georgiana Lugers, Bessie Parkhurst, and Nellie Lamers, Henry Brinkman, Gerrit Heuneveld, J. Lokker, John Lambers.

Mrs. Fred Bouwkes of Holland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Zaalmink the first of the week.

The Holland Christian Reformed church will be remodeled and enlarged their edifice and new seats will also be put in the church. A committee of eight have been appointed to solicit fund for the new improvement. The committee consists of John Lambers, Manus Lemmen, H. Bommers, B. Van Zanten, Herman Tien, Ed Nyland, H. Vander Bee and Albert Horsink.

The aged lady Mrs. H. Lubbers is seriously ill.

Mrs. R. Bouws is on the sick list, but is convalescing.

The firm of Boven & Mulder of Reeman formerly of Graafschap are doing nicely.

It has been 20 below zero this week and coal is going like hot cakes.

Miss Bessie Brouwer of Zeeland is visiting Mrs. John R. Bouws.

Wm. Dinkeloos was here on special business Tuesday. I wonder what?

Herman Tien was in Holland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nyland are spending the week with relatives in Grand Rapids.

For all nursery stock call on John Stryker.

Rev. W. De Groot was in Holland Tuesday attending to church matters.

Mrs. L. Mulder of Holland is spending the week with her daughter Mrs. Rev. J. E. Kuizenga.

Mrs. R. Brill, former resident of Graafschap, died Saturday at her home in Lucas. She had many friends in this vicinity.

Zeeland

Thomas Keppel left for Eau Claire, Wis., last Tuesday to accept a government position as tagger. Mr. Keppel has previously filled a similar position at Omaha. He is expected to be away about six months.

The latest reports in the case of Barney Jonkman, operated for appendicitis last week, show that he is improving rapidly. He is still at the hospital in Grand Rapids where it is thought he will have to remain for at least two weeks more, but his physician has declared him out of danger.

The annual stockholders' meeting of the Zeeland Canning Co. was held at the village hall yesterday for the purpose of winding up the business of the corporation. The plant was sold at public auction a few weeks ago and the stockholders lost very heavy.

Saugatuck.

Local agents have received new schedules for insurance rates on Saugatuck and Douglas property. Heretofore Saugatuck was classed with towns like Douglas where there are no water works for fire protection but now, on account of the water works, rates on mercantile risks have been reduced from 20 to 35 per cent where there has been no increase in hazard, but in a few places where the hazard has been increased the rates have been increased. This difference does not represent actual gain to the insured for insurance rates have been increased in most places. In Douglas for instance, where the old conditions prevail the rates have been increased in some cases nearly 30 per cent but on an average perhaps not over 20 per cent so that instead of Saugatuck people having their rates increased from 20 to 25 per cent they have had them reduced about that much.

Having bound the village to a street lighting contract for the ridiculously long term of thirty years, our village council now finds there is nothing in the contract to bind the company to erect the plant in this village, and moreover it is announced by authority of the said company that it is to be built in Douglas. Meanwhile the promise of relieving the village of a part of the burden of operating the new waterworks by running the two plants in conjunction seems to have gone a glimmering. Many of our people feel as though a subscription paper ought to be passed to buy another medal—a leather one this time.

Mr. Geo. Baker has received a four weeks leave of absence from the Inspector of light houses. He and Mrs. Baker left Friday for Medina Ohio, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mattie Green, Mr. Baker's sister. Mrs. Green died Tuesday of this week, being 65 years old. Her husband, two sons and a daughter survive her. His son Geo. Baker jr., of Holland will attend to the light during his absence.

Jacob Lokker of Holland was in town last week organizing a colony to go South.

It is reported that parties will ask the village council to grant them a franchise at their next meeting to allow them to build a railroad through the village. Men have been surveying the past week in and around the village for the promoters.

Geo. Durham is now janitor of the Saugatuck public school.

Hamilton.

John Ingham, who moved with his family from this place to Colorado about eighteen months ago, came here about three weeks ago for the purpose of selling his farm. After disposing of his property here he will return to his western home. Mr. Ingham speaks highly of his new location and its people. Frank Ingham is having a siege of smallpox, which will very likely detain Mr. Ingham here.

The Hamilton and Overisel band made a visit to Zeeland last Tuesday and passed a pleasant evening with their former director, Mr. Vanderberg.

It has just leaked out that the big party who attended the theatre at Grand Rapids recently from this place, on the way home attended the ball given at Zeeland, where they "tripped the light fantastic" two hours.

A party of Hamilton people went over to eastern Overisel, Tuesday evening, meeting at the home of John Peters where tele. home business was considered. Mr. and Mrs. Peters made it pleasant for the guests with coffee and cake. Forty nine people were present.

Something unusual occurred to our section foreman, John Wentzel, Thursday morning when he went to the south end of his section armed with a shovel and a bottle of kerosene oil. The bottle burst with a great noise; it had formed gas and the constant jarring exploded it.

Olive Center

There are sunny days in winter after all.

Milo Nieveson is improving from his recent attack of lung fever.

John Hughes, wife and two children, are visiting friends at Hoopertown, Allegan county.

Mrs. Mable Watson was in Holland part of last week, visiting her mother, Mrs. Arnold.

Geo. Soerheide is home visiting his mother and brother, who are still ill with la grippe.

Harry Fletcher, of Grandville, is visiting friends about here.

Mr. Cheesman has a new kind of a cutting box for cutting corn stalks. It consists of a saw-horse and a buck saw. All rights reserved for its a howling success.

Sunday school was small Sunday owing to bad weather.

We hear that N. J. Whelan raised a storm by his economy measures in the legislature a couple of weeks ago. That is what we want, some one who can raise something.

Teachers' Institute at Holland this week.

Crisp

David, son of Rev. DeJong, of this place, student at the Theological seminary at Grand Rapids, who was so seriously burned by the explosion of a kerosene can, which he used to start a fire at his boarding place, about two weeks ago is on the way to recovery. He has been in very critical condition and is still at the U. B. A. Hospital, where his father is with him. Mrs. DeJong was also with him for about a week but has returned home.

Rev. DeJong's pulpit was supplied last Sunday by Student Kuiper, and we expect another student next Sunday.

At the annual creamery meeting all the officers were re elected as follows: C. J. Smith, P. M. Nienhuis, John Branden, G. Looman, N. Jacobsen, J. Rissellada and J. L. Hop, directors. Hubert Pelgrim, secretary and treasurer and John Weersing, manager and salesman. It was decided to lay a new cement floor in the creamery as soon as the directors deemed it necessary.

The Farmers Club held its regular meeting last Monday evening and many important subjects were discussed. The idea prevailed that the value of sugar pulp was over estimated as it does not give the expected results.

Although sugar beet growers appreciate that the Holland Sugar Co., agrees to pay more for beets in their 1905 contracts, there is some dissatisfaction that they only pay it for part of the beets; that part of the beets which contain over 12 per cent sugar contents is paid for at the rate of \$4 per ton only or \$1 per ton less than the others. It certainly does not seem right.

Rural Delivery

FOR THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS

Will you please let me have a word in your columns in respect to the rural mail carriers?—Dear readers do you think of the many stormy and blustery days how anxious we get about the time for our carrier to come, then if they do not come how mad we are; but how about them, when you do not clear away the snow from your mail box. In my drives I have seen the snow up to the top of the mail box; how do you expect the carrier to put your mail in the box? Some think because he is paid he can pick his way through fields, over fences and anywhere. But we have not much cause for being angry for in the worst storm, when we begin to think, well no mail today, we look out and see the two old veterans and old Bob plunging along through the deep snow and then we can hear Garret whistling, then we begin to smile and ought to thank them for being so brave. And dear reader it would not hurt us one bit to now and then take a little token down to the mail box, either oats for old Bob or vegetables for Garret for their faithfulness in not losing only one day so far this winter.

A patron of Rural Route 1.

Beautiful eyes and handsome face are eloquent commendations. Bright eyes are windows to a woman's heart. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes bright eyes. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Haan Bros.

West Olive

To late for 1st week.

No wonder the stock is at seeds a low ebb in Olive township, where we consider the fact that old Joe Pick has gone in to competition with our slayer Calvin McKiley.

John Vander Veen is soliciting creage for our salting station, H. J. Heinz & Co.

Dr. Tanus of Holland was attending Frank Berry who is suffering a relapse of chicken pox.

It is reported by Dr. Smith that scarlet fever is prevalent in the home of A. Herbert on the Lake Shore.

Thoma: Watson returned from a trip to Reed City where he and Henry Verhoeks have been scouring that country in hopes of finding beef cattle. Thommy says beef cattle are as scarce as calls in Olive.

Will Ebel is suffering with a siege of inflammatory rheumatism. Dr. Bruinsma of Holland is attending him.

An appreciated audience witnessed Olive's home talent club entertainment at Ottawa school house last Saturday night. It is reported that one of their number had a broken leg but it is farther stated he was able to attend a dance on the Lake Shore that same evening. We hope he is convalescent.

The farewell party given in honor and showing their appreciation of Six Knight, J. B. Gilbert's farewell to the Banner Creamery Co. and surrounding country was attended by a hundred guests or more. We regret the departure of this aimable man and family. But our loss is Williamston's gain as Mr. Gilbert will manage a larger creamery at that point.

John Leland is employed at Grand Rapids by the G. R. & I. railway shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Fletcher wish to extend their sincere thanks to the home talent club for their liberal cash donation.

Dr. T. L. Norton was called in consultation by George Berry whose horse was injured in some unknown manner by a fractured leg.

Drain Question

FOR THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS

While our representatives and senators at Lansing are discussing the advisability of paying the sheriffs a fixed salary and the length of time county officers should serve. The writer believes that there is something of greater importance that should occupy their minds, at least part of the time. It is our defective Drain system. Some of the most valuable land in Ottawa county is laying waste or the crops on such are damaged year after year, simply because they are not properly drained. And why not? In the first place there is only one drain commissioner in this county and it is impossible for him to reach all applications for drains in time or execute them properly. Further, the expense is so great, and in many instances the assessments for benefits so unfair, that a good many would-be applicants are scared off. There should be at least two drain commissioners for each county, or every two townships could have one together. If one for each township was deemed too many. Those townships having most drain connections could be joined together as one drain district. Perhaps it would be better however to overhaul the whole drain law, but its beyond the writers capacity to point out a course to lay drain properly and fairly, without dis-satisfaction. But the fact remains that something ought to be done in regard to this matter, as a source of wealth, which might be extracted from some of our low lands, is now by reason of insufficient drainage unavailable. ***

Poisons in Food.

Perhaps you don't realize that many pain poisons originate in your food, but some day you may feel a twinge of dyspepsia that will convince you. Dr. King's New Life Pills are guaranteed to cure all sickness due to poisons of undigested food—or money back. 25c at W. C. Walsh's drug store. Try them.

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PERE MARQUETTE

December 4, 1904.

TRAINS LEAVE HOLLAND AS FOLLOWS:

For Chicago and the west—12:35 a. m., 7:35 a. m., 12:39 p. m., 5:31 p. m.

Grand Rapids and north—5:15 a. m., 12:44 p. m., 4:15 p. m., 9:25 p. m.

For Muskegon—5:35 a. m., 1:25 p. m., 4:05 p. m.

For Allegan—8:10 a. m., 6:35 p. m. Freight leaves east Y about 9 a. m.

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THE FRUIT INDUSTRY.

Profitable Distribution to Markets is the Problem of Today.

There is always something just ahead for the fruit grower. He can never "know it all." In approaching the fruit industry from the standpoint of business success, we must consider production and selling, the one being quite as important as the other. It has been asserted that in our sessions we have given more attention to the former than the latter, and there is still a call for greater effort to be put forth in working up the markets. Production, great as it now is, has but just begun. The people want fruit. How shall we get it to them so that the cost to them will not be greater than the demand will bear and at the same time the compensation of the grower be such as to stimulate production? These, not production, are the great problems of our fruit industry today. I question whether it is possible to get any nearer a solution of them than we are.

People are using enormous quantities of fruit. Rarely is there any equally full crop in every locality. There will almost always be some section where the crop is a failure; hence an unlooked for draft. This year the crop in New Hampshire and Massachusetts is light. The latter is a heavy consuming state. This condition opens a liberal market for our fruit, clears away the glut of perishable fruit and leaves the trade in the later keeping sorts open. Again, there is a shortage of fruit in European markets, and never has there been so clean a market abroad at fairly paying prices.

Distribution of fruit is the greater problem at present. Production is enormous. We face the problem of production and distribution with profit to the producer and must never overlook the fact that home consumption is a greater factor than foreign trade.—President Gilbert Before Maine Pomological Society.

THE AZALEAS.

Very Popular Easter Plants—How to Manage Them in Forcing.

No plant has increased more rapidly in popularity during a few years past than the azalea. At Easter azaleas are seen in every church and in the windows of the finest residences throughout the country.

Azalea mollis is one of the finest of winter flowering shrubs, coming from Japan in the first instance, although there are now endless varieties of this plant as well as hybrids. The mass of flowers it produces in exquisite shades



FLOWERS OF AZALEA MOLLIS.

of salmon and apricot are equally valuable in the conservatory, the cool greenhouse or the garden (if it is hardy), but their time of blooming depends upon the amount of moist warmth they receive.

It is a great mistake to place any of the azaleas, whether of the Indian or Japanese group, over the hot water pipes with a view to hasten their flowering. They must always stand on a cool, moist floor, as otherwise failure to open their buds will probably ensue, but the temperature of the forcing house should be gradually increased as the buds swell, and the atmosphere should be kept decidedly moist for them at all times (even when they stand in the open air in summer) by syringing daily.

Stray Petals.

Crimson Rambler is among the best of forcing roses.

Packing in dry sand in a cellar, with temperature of from 38 to 42 degrees, is said to be the best storage for dahlia roots.

An easy way to protect plants is to place over them a barrel with the head knocked out and fill in with straw.

Pips of lily of the valley should be thoroughly frozen before being potted for forcing.

Propagation of the Easter lily from the seed instead of bulb is recommended as a method of avoiding troublesome disease.

Auratum, speciosum and longiflorum lily bulbs grown in pots make excellent plants.

Cool weather suits mignonette—40 to 45 degrees at night is best.

The new pink chrysanthemum, William Duckham, won the special prize of the Chrysanthemum Society of America at the last exhibition, and it already had the Edinburgh silver medal.

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Wheat, per bu.	1.16
Oats, per bu., white.	84
Hay, per ton.	70
Barley, per bu.	60
Corn per bushel, new and old.	80
Mar corn, per 100 lbs.	80
Barley per 100.	1.00
Clover Seed, per bu.	5.00
Timothy seed, per bu. (to consumers).	2.00

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Chickens, dressed, per lb.	16
Chickens, live, per lb.	9
Spring Chickens live.	10
Tallow, per lb.	4
Lard.	9
Pork, dressed per lb.	5 1/2
Mutton, dressed per lb.	7
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THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

For the Week Ending Feb. 8.

England and Germany deny they are attempting to effect peace between Russia and Japan.

The plant of the Southwestern Cotton Oil company burned at Oklahoma City, Okla. Loss, \$50,000.

The interstate commerce commission will investigate violations of the rate law by terminal lines.

John T. Michau, widely known as a student of archaeology, is dead at his home in St. Joseph, Mo., aged 54 years.

Rev. James Henry Darlington, D. D., rector of Christ church, Brooklyn, was elected bishop of the diocese of Harrisburg, Pa.

Five business houses in the lower portion of Crystal Falls, Mich., were destroyed by fire. Loss, \$50,000; insurance, about \$10,000.

Mme. Rejane, the French actress, is declared to have danced the can can at J. H. Hyde's \$100,000 dinner at Sherry's, in New York.

Sanitary work is in progress in all of the 15 larger cities of Cuba, for which the government has appropriated the sum of \$326,000.

Welch Bros., of Waterloo, Ia., dry-goods merchants, have filed a petition in bankruptcy. Their liabilities are \$25,000 and assets \$4,000.

Evangelists Torrey and Alexander, of Chicago, have opened a great revival in London, the meetings to continue with great fervor two months.

The Oregon state senate, with one dissenting vote, adopted a concurrent resolution expressing confidence in United States Senator John H. Mitchell.

The attorney general has rendered an opinion in which he holds that drawbacks may be allowed on exported flour made in part from imported wheat.

The Gasconade county courthouse, one of the finest county buildings in the state, was burned at Herman, Mo., causing a loss of \$50,000. All the county records were saved.

Thomas Adams, inventor and manufacturer of chewing gum, died at his home in Brooklyn, of pneumonia and old age. He retired from business after accumulating a fortune.

Three children of Harry Eaton, of Poyssoph, Wis., a boy of five years, a girl of three and a baby were burned to a crisp in a log house while the parents were away for a short time.

Thomas Daugherty and S. S. Clover, well-known members of the Cherokee nation, died at Vinita, I. T., from drinking lemon extract which is supposed to have contained wood alcohol.

Leo Ososkie, aged two years, and his baby brother James, aged two months, children of a shipyard laborer, were suffocated to death by smoke in their home at Wyandotte, Mich.

Eight little children hitching behind a sleigh on hand sleds, on their way home from a parochial school in Detroit, Mich., were struck by a street car. One was killed and three injured.

The dead body of Rev. Martin McFarland, 68 years old, was found Monday hanging from a rope in the basement of his home in north St. Louis, Mo. Ill health was the cause of the suicide.

Dr. Augusta Smith, one of the most widely known women physicians in the United States, died at her home in St. Louis, Mo., as the result of being struck by a street car. Dr. Smith was 73 years old.

Announcement of the gift of \$1,100,000 to Union theological seminary was made in New York by Dr. Charles Cuthbert Hall, president of the faculty, who declined to reveal the name of the donor.

The announcement that the senate had passed the statehood bill providing for joint admission of Oklahoma and Indian Territory created great enthusiasm in both territories. Public demonstrations of rejoicings took place.

Mrs. Walter McCasland and infant child were burned at Mount Vernon, Ind., by the mother's clothing catching fire from an open grate. In her struggles the clothes of the child were set afire. Each lived but a few hours.

While a party of eight boys was coasting down a hill at Battle Creek, Mich., their bob-sled crashed into a rapidly moving Michigan Central train. George Lundy, aged 12, was instantly killed, and Leo Sharkey, aged ten, had his left leg severed by the car wheels.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Feb. 8.	
LIVE STOCK—Steers	\$4.25 @ 5.10
Hogs, State, Penn.	5.10 @ 5.25
SHEEP	4.00 @ 5.75
FLOUR—Min. Patents	5.80 @ 6.20
WHEAT—May	1.15 1/2 @ 1.16 1/2
July	1.05 1/2 @ 1.06 1/2
CORN—May	50 1/2 @ 50 3/4
OATS—Natural White	35 1/2 @ 37
CHIEFS	17 @ 31 1/2
EGGS	12 @ 25

CHICAGO.	
CATTLE—Choice Steers	\$5.75 @ 6.25
Fancy Steers	5.75 @ 6.25
Fair to Choice	5.00 @ 5.35
Red Texas Steers	3.75 @ 4.50
Medium Beef Steers	3.60 @ 4.50
Calves	3.00 @ 7.00
HOGS—Assorted Light	4.70 @ 4.85
Heavy Packing	4.70 @ 4.80
Heavy Mixed	4.65 @ 4.90
SHEEP	3.45 @ 5.50
BUTTER—Creamery	18 @ 22 1/2
Dairy	15 @ 22
EGGS—Fresh	25 @ 32
LIVE POULTRY	11 @ 14
POTATOES—Per Bu.	30 @ 35
GRAIN—Wheat, May	1.15 1/2 @ 1.16 1/2
Corn, May	45 @ 45 1/2
Oats, May	30 1/2 @ 30 3/4
Barley, Malt	38 @ 50
Rye, May Delivery	77 1/2 @ 78

MILWAUKEE.	
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Nor'n	\$1.15 @ 1.16
Corn, May	45 @ 45 1/2
Oats, Standard	31 1/2 @ 32
Rye, No. 1	81 @ 82 1/2

KANSAS CITY.	
GRAIN—Wheat, May	1.06 1/2 @ 1.06 3/4
July	98 1/2 @ 99 1/2
Corn, May	43 1/2 @ 43 3/4
Oats, No. 2 White	31 @ 31 1/2

ST. LOUIS.	
CATTLE—Beef Steers	\$3.25 @ 5.85
Texas Steers	3.25 @ 4.75
HOGS—Packers	4.70 @ 4.85
Butchers, Best Heavy	4.90 @ 5.00
SHEEP—Natives	4.50 @ 5.50

OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Native Steers	\$3.40 @ 5.65
Stockers and Feeders	2.40 @ 4.15
Cows and Heifers	2.75 @ 4.15
HOGS—Heavy	4.30 @ 4.50
SHEEP—Wethers	5.00 @ 5.10

BANKER BECKWITH DIES FROM WORRY

ILLNESS OF PROMINENT FIGURE
IN THE CHADWICK DISCLOSURES ENDS FATALLY.

The Event Is Likely to Materially Weaken the Case of Forgery and Conspiracy Brought in the Courts Against the Woman.

Oberlin, O., Feb. 6.—C. T. Beckwith, president of the defunct Citizens' national bank, of this city, died at 10:45 o'clock Sunday night, after two days of unconsciousness, during which dissolution was expected at any moment. Only the family surrounded the death-bed of the banker. Mr. Beckwith was about 65 years of age. On December 14 last the federal grand jury in Cleveland returned five indictments against Beckwith, upon the charge of violating the national banking laws in connection with the loans made to Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick by the Citizens' national bank of Oberlin, of which deceased was president. From the day of his arrest Beckwith's health failed rapidly, as a result of worry over his troubles. He frequently declared during his illness that he wanted to die. For several days prior to his death he refused to take food in any form. Death resulted directly from heart trouble.

Weakens the Case.
The death of President Beckwith may materially weaken the cases of forgery and conspiracy to misapply bank funds now charged against Mrs. Chadwick. It was expected that Beckwith would be the star witness in both the federal and common pleas court. There is no way to perpetuate Beckwith's testimony. The constitution of the United States says an accused person must be confronted in court by the accusers. A deposition or affidavit cannot be used.

May Be Tried in Massachusetts.
Boston, Feb. 6.—It is stated on good authority that if the litigation against Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick should fall, owing to the death of C. T. Beckwith, president of the defunct Citizens' national bank of Oberlin, O., that proceedings against her would be immediately instituted in this state. The suit brought here would be in connection with an alleged loan made to Mrs. Chadwick by Herbert D. Newton, of Brookline.

JOSEPH H. MANLEY DEAD

Man Who Managed Blaine's Campaign for the Presidency a Victim of Apoplexy.

Augusta, Me., Feb. 8.—Joseph H. Manley, former chairman of the national executive committee of the republican party, died suddenly at his home here Tuesday. Apoplexy was the cause of death. He was found dead in his bed by a member of his family. Mr. Manley was one of the most prominent men of the republican party, his name became



JOSEPH H. MANLEY.

known in every corner of the country. He was for many years a close friend and party associate of James G. Blaine, and managed the latter's campaign for the presidency. In this state, where he was a power in finances, he held the position of chairman of the republican state committee for more than 20 years. During practically the same period he was a member of the republican national committee, and for nine years served in the Maine legislature.

Railroad Arraigned.

Washington, Feb. 4.—"Flagrant, willful and continuous violations" of the law during the past five years is the way in which the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad is arraigned in a decision promulgated Friday by the interstate commerce commission on the "alleged unlawful rates and practices" of that road in the transportation of coal and mine supplies, involving also the Colorado Fuel & Iron company.

Cuban Cabinet Resigns.

Havana, Feb. 7.—The members of the cabinet having insisted upon resigning, President Palma on Monday afternoon indicated that he would accept their resignations, to take effect upon the installation of their successors.

Hock to Be Extradited.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 8.—Gov. Higgins has granted the requisition of the governor of Illinois for the extradition of Johann Hoch, the alleged bigamist who is under arrest in New York city.

Tailors in Session.

Bloomington, Ill., Feb. 7.—The first national convention of the Journeymen Tailors' union in 12 years opened in this city Monday.

University Buildings Burn.

Fairmont, W. Va., Feb. 6.—The main buildings of the university at Buchanan burned Saturday. Loss, \$50,000.

REPULSE OF JAPANESE.

Attempted Advance Is Foiled by the Russians—Gripenberg Goes to St. Petersburg.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 7.—Telegraphing under date of February 5, Gen. Kuropatkin reports as follows: "A Russian detachment marched to Santaise, 12 miles southwest of Sibon bay. The Japanese at Santaise and Saodameng were repulsed. The Russian losses were insignificant. The Japanese assumed the offensive along the line to Chuanchuanste Sunday. Several of their batteries advanced, but the Russian artillery repulsed them.

Russian Headquarters, Huan Mountain, Feb. 7.—Lieut. Gen. Gripenberg, former commander of the Second Manchurian army, has left for St. Petersburg. The Japanese are feverishly fortifying their east flank and center, evidently apprehending a Russian offensive move.

Tokio, Feb. 6.—There were a number of serious skirmishes along the Shakhe and Hun rivers Friday night and Saturday. The Russians shelled portions of the Japanese lines Friday night and small bodies of Russians attacked Waitao and Titi mountains and places in those vicinities. Reports received from Japanese Manchurian headquarters say that all the attacks were repulsed.

London, Feb. 6.—Gen. Matsumura, according to the Tokio correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, has died at the front from congestion of the brain. He commanded the operations at 203-Metre hill, and was decorated and promoted for heroism.

Tsinskhtchen, Feb. 5 (delayed in transmission).—A detachment of scouts and a company under command of Prince Magaloff carried out a daring raid beyond the Taitse river the night of February 4. They attacked the Japanese post at Lagoanadze. The scouts bayoneted the Japanese pickets and then entered the village and bayoneted the garrison. The Japanese were panic-stricken. Straw signal fires were lighted in all directions. Strong reinforcements came up and the scouts, without firing a shot, retreated. The Russians returned without loss, bringing in one prisoner. The Japanese lost more than 50 killed.

CONFESSES AWFUL DEED.

Man Pleads Guilty to Murder of Wife and Her Niece, with Assistance of Whole Family.

Towanda, Pa., Feb. 8.—In the court here Tuesday Bigler Johnson pleaded guilty to the charge that he murdered his wife, Maggie B. Johnson, and her niece, Annie Benjamin, ten years old, September 18, 1904, and afterward burned the bodies. The prisoner made his plea of guilty and signed the indictment without the faintest indication of nervousness. He is 26 years old and his wife was 40. At the December term his older brother, Charles Johnson, was convicted of first degree murder as an accessory. His mother, Mrs. Sophia Merritt, and his sister and brother, Nancy and Alanson Johnson, were put on trial for the same crime Tuesday.

The five members of the family, it is charged, went to Maggie Johnson's house in the night and killed her and the little girl with an ax, sprinkled the premises with kerosene and set the house on fire.

CAN CHOOSE USE OF MONEY.

President Makes Decision Regarding Funds for Education of Indian Children.

Washington, Feb. 6.—President Roosevelt has sent a letter to Secretary Hitchcock on the subject of authority for granting contracts for the education of Indians in denominational schools. The president says that inasmuch as the legal authority exists to grant the request of the Indians unquestionably they are entitled by moral right to have their money used to educate the children at the schools they choose. The president directs that the interior department continue the practice unless congress directs otherwise or the courts hold that the decision of the department of justice to this effect is wrong.

Prominent Man Indicted.

Chicago, Feb. 6.—Albert G. Wheeler, former City Clerk William Loeffler, ex-Alderman E. J. Novak, Deputy City Clerk Edward Ehrhorn and J. W. Higgins were Saturday indicted by the grand jury for forgery in connection with the alleged falsification of the records of the city council of Chicago in the interest of the Illinois Tunnel company, the \$30,000,000 company recently reorganized into the \$50,000,000 Chicago Subway company, in which millions of Chicago, Wall street and English capital are invested.

Declared Constitutional.

Denver, Col., Feb. 7.—The supreme court of Colorado has declared the capital punishment law constitutional. Four murderers, whose execution has been postponed from time to time awaiting this decision, will now be hanged.

Sentenced to Death.

New York, Feb. 7.—Frank Furlong, aged 19, who was convicted of killing his aunt, Mrs. Margaret Keeler, in this city on November 27 last, has been sentenced to be executed at Sing Sing prison in the week beginning March 27.

Centenarian Dead.

Mahanoy City, Pa., Feb. 4.—Mrs. Tilghman Craigie is dead at Quakake at the age of 102 years. She spent her life on a farm and was the mother of 14 children.

Brigham Young's Wife Dead.
Salt Lake City, Feb. 6.—Lucy Bigelow Young, the sixth wife of the late Brigham Young, former president of the Mormon church, is dead of pneumonia.



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Republican Judicial Convention

A convention of the republicans of Allegan and Ottawa Counties is hereby called to meet at the Hotel Holland, in the City of Holland, Ottawa County, Michigan on Thursday, the 23rd day of February, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for Circuit Judge for the Twentieth Judicial Circuit, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention.

Dated February 2, 1905,
Fidus E. Fish, Chairman.
Charles McBride, Secretary.
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Not a Good Argument

The small attendance at the recent republican caucuses held for the purpose of selecting delegates to the county convention gave rise to remarks to the effect that the primary election plan would be better than the caucus system inasmuch as it would bring out a greater number of citizens to take part in political contests; but this is not a good argument, as was shown at the primaries held in Alpena this week. Alpena, it will be recalled, chose, of its own accord and without obtaining a primary law, to nominate its county officers under the primary system. It worked all right last fall, when it was new and novel, in every respect but one—and that was that it did not give the country districts an office, every one being captured by the city. But so far as the crowds were concerned it worked all right, the attendance at the primaries being of fair proportions. That was last fall. This spring it is different. The novelty has worn away and a baker's dozen is a fair sample of the number of citizens that turned out for the performance of political duty last week as the following despatch from Alpena will show:

"Complete returns from the Republican primary on Saturday have not yet been received. In one township no votes were cast and in other townships the primary officers were the only ones to vote."

This proves that so far as getting a crowd is concerned, the primaries are no better to get the people out than are the caucuses. It might be argued that the election this spring, not being bitterly contested, is no criterion but the same may be said of some caucuses. These caucuses were attended by no more than a handful because there was no fight. But let a fight loom up on the political horizon and the boys turn out in plenty as many a gumshoe politician has found out to his sorrow.

The great majority of people are of the opinion that changes are needed in our system of making nominations in order that some abuses may be corrected, but the great trouble of accomplishing anything lies in the fact that many a man thinks that primary reform will cure everything, and just the moment that anything political goes amiss the cry is raised that primary reform is the only medicine to be administered.

The broad way to treat the question is to realize that neither the primary system nor the caucus system is the "cureall" for political diseases, and that no system can be any better than the people desire to make it.

Think First

At the Fair store fire as in the St. Clair fire there was considerable delay owing to a mistake made in turning in the alarm. No one is blamed for this in the least only the system of turning in an alarm by phone instead of going to the nearest fire alarm box is the cause of delay and errors.

Tuesday night box 12 was signaled instead of 21, this is caused by confusion at the water station in getting an alarm of fire by telephone and even if the alarm is received correct it always brings a delay of five minutes for the man at the head of the water station to send the alarm to both engine houses, while if the alarm is turned in by box the signal goes to the engine houses and water station at the same time, and before the whistle has started to blow, the companies are on their way to the conflagration. It must be remembered that the fire companies do not receive their signals by the blast of the whistle as the towns people do, but from the indicator in the engine house.

The way to operate a fire alarm box is simple, unlock the box, open the little iron door and pull the little knob inside downward and the job is complete. This certainly is more simple and causes less delay than telephone. First you must get central, and at night there is generally a delay, then you must confer with the engineer of the water station, that is a second delay, he in turn must inform the engine houses, which is a third delay. Then there is the probability of sending in the alarm wrong. Mr. DeYoung said the other day that in some instances parties call up the station, and holler, "There is a fire here!" and hang up the receiver and runs for it. What is the poor station man to do? The intention of the sender is alright but the system is wrong. The best advice in emergencies of this kind is to think first and then act. The location of both these fires were in the heart of the city, where keys and boxes are plentiful.

Not Foul Play

Jacob Flieman jr., who fell down the stairway in Hotel Bristol a week ago succumbed to his injuries and died Sunday afternoon. In his fall Flieman struck on his head which resulted in concussion of the brain and when he was carried to a room in the building he lapsed into semi-consciousness and in this condition he remained until the day of his death. The funeral was held from the Wesleyan Methodist church Wednesday. Deceased is a son of Jacob Flieman sr., well known in Holland and he leaves a wife and one son who live in Milwaukee. He was 39 years of age and was here on a visit. Not being satisfied with the way death came to Jacob Flieman jr., Sunday, the relatives demanded that an inquest be held and the same was ordered by Coroner Mastenbroek Tuesday, the jurors being Jacob G. Van Putten, Albert Hidding, Leo De Vries, John Kramer, B. Steketee and Ed Vaupeel. The jury viewed the remains at Nibbelinks undertaking rooms and then adjourned the inquest until Wednesday afternoon. Drs. J. J. Mersen and D. G. Cook held a post mortem examination.

The inquest Wednesday afternoon was called at 2 o'clock and the several witnesses were examined by Prosecutor Pagelson. Van Oort testified that he saw a commotion in front of the Bristol, and when he arrived there, Deto, DeFeyer, and Doyle were carrying Flieman up stairs, that he heard slightly from the nose. He followed them up and they left their burden in the club room above the Osterhouse saloon. Then Dr. Tuttle was called in and he testified that he could not tell whether the man was seriously injured or not, he thought that Flieman was more drunk than hurt. The doctor ordered the man put in more comfortable quarters in the Bristol. After that Dr. Tuttle called several times during the week and although the patient spoke and even walked around he seemed to be in a dazed condition and said he thought he had the "gripp"

Drs. Mersen and Cook were next called and told the jury that they held a post mortem over the body and found when they removed the skull cap that large clots of blood had formed, brought about by contusion of the brain, resulting eventually in the mans death. The brains of the deceased were brought in court as evidence. They also testified that the wound behind the ear might be inflicted by a blunt instrument or it could also be caused by falling and striking the edge of a step. Joseph Deto, Jack DeFeyer and Daniel Doyle were called in turn, and their evidence as to the way the accident happened was practically the same. Deto said they were with Flieman January 23 on River street. From there they went to the club room, and drank a pint of whiskey which Flieman took with him.

They spent an hour in the place when they all left, Deto going first, followed by DeFeyer, Flieman and Doyle. Deto said: "When I reached the bottom of the stairs and was passing out on the street I heard a noise behind me and turning saw Flieman on the floor inside the door and DeFeyer on top of him. Doyle claims he was trying to pull DeFeyer from under Flieman. DeFeyer claimed that when he was half way down the stairs Flieman came tumbling down, striking him and carrying him on down to the bottom. He said he at first thought Flieman was dead and called the doctor. As to the mixup its apparent that the three witnesses are also mixed. But from the evidence brought in nothing but accidental death could be made out and the verdict was so brought in by the jury.

Valentines! Valentines! Valentines!
H. R. Brink 208 River street.

The Fair Burned.

An alarm of fire was sent in Tuesday night at 9:30 smoke issuing from the Fair dry goods store and on investigation it was found that a fire was raging in the furnace room below and with much difficulty and after an hour of hard work both fire companies succeeded in putting the fire out, although the fire did not penetrate to the floor above the stock has been damaged to a great extent by smoke and water.

The insurance adjusters of the several companies will be in the city tomorrow to adjust the fire loss. The stock is insured for \$10,000 and is insured with P. H. McBride and Garrod & Post.

He Was Too Cordial.

A story is told of a shock received by a Duluth pastor after the services the other night. He makes it a point to welcome any strangers cordially and that evening, after the completion of the service, he hurried down the aisle to station himself at the door.

A Swedish girl was one of the strangers in the congregation. She is employed as a domestic in one of the fashionable east-end homes, and the minister, noting that she was a stranger, stretched out his hand.

He welcomed her to the church and expressed the hope that she would be a regular attendant. Finally he said that if she would be at home some evening during the week he would call.

"Thank you," she murmured bashfully, "but ay have a fella."

Three of the members of the congregation heard the conversation and in spite of the fact that their pastor swore them to secrecy one of them "leaked."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Deaf Are Never Seaisick.

"Strange thing, but do you know that deaf persons never can get seasick?" said an old surgeon in the employ of one of the local trans-Atlantic lines recently. "This was found out, he said, when a whole class of deaf mutes went abroad some years ago and, despite a particularly rough passage, none of them wanted to lie on the deck and beg somebody to heave them overboard."

"That's the seasick feeling, you know. A little investigation proved that the stomach nerves are mostly controlled by those of the ear, and that deaf persons are not nearly so liable to the nausea that comes from the rolling motion of a ship as are others."

"The experiment of saturating a ball of cotton with cocaine and thus dulling the hearing has been tried by ship surgeons since. It gives relief to those who dread any sort of a sea voyage, but, after all, the best way to do is to 'feed the fishes' and get over it."—Philadelphia Press.

Band Concert.

The date for the Entertainment to be given by the Citizens Cornet Band at Winants Chapel has been set for Thursday March 2nd. The Committee on program has succeeded in interesting some of the very best local talent in the welfare of the Band. Those who have kindly consented to assist in the program are the following—Prof. J. B. Nykerk, Dr. Gaskell, Miss Estelle Kollen, Mrs. Harry Mills, Miss Amy Yates, Mrs. Geo. E. Kollen, Miss Jean Steffens, Mrs. VanVerst and the Hope College Quartette. One of the best "Home talent" entertainments ever given in Holland is promised. Full program will be announced later.

Teachers Institute

The Teachers Institute opened at 9:30 this morning in the High school building with a large crowd of teachers in attendance. The following program will be carried out:

PROGRAM	
Friday Forenoon	
9:30 Singing.....	Everybody
10:00 Devotional Exercises.....	Dr. Kollen.
10:30 Music.....	Selected
11:00 Some Conditions of Success in Teaching.....	Mr. Grawn
11:30 Reading—The Thought Side.....	Miss Sherwood
12:00 Relative Value of Common School Studies.....	Mr. Grawn
12:45 Announcements.....	
1:00 Adjournment.....	
Friday Afternoon	
1:30 Opening Exercises.....	Selected
2:00 Reading, The Formal Side.....	Miss Sherwood
2:30 Some Conditions of Easy School Management.....	Mr. Grawn
3:00 Roll Call.....	
3:30 Nature Study, I.....	Miss Sherwood
4:00 Recess.....	
4:30 Music.....	Selected
5:00 Address, Democracy and the Public School.....	Mr. Grawn
Adjournment.....	
Saturday Forenoon	
9:45 Opening Exercises.....	Selected
10:15 Music.....	Selected
10:45 The Story in Education, I.....	Miss Sherwood
11:15 The Chief aim in Education.....	Mr. Grawn
11:40 Roll Call.....	
12:15 Recess.....	
12:45 Nature Study, II.....	Miss Sherwood
1:15 Reading in Grammar Grades.....	Mr. Grawn
1:40 Question Box.....	
2:00 Adjournment.....	
Saturday Afternoon	
1:40 Opening Exercises.....	Selected
2:15 The Story in Education, II.....	Miss Sherwood
2:45 Some Evidences of a Good School.....	Mr. Grawn
3:15 Use of Material for Geography.....	Miss Sherwood
3:45 The School and the Child.....	Mr. Grawn
4:15 Adjournment.....	

Society and x x Personal.

Master Hertie Pathnis, celebrated his seventh birthday anniversary, by entertaining a number of his little friends last week. Games were played and refreshments served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Siersma living north of this city entertained a sleighride party of young people at their home Friday evening. Refreshments were served. Those present were the Misses May Toren, Kate Siersma, Olive Tuttle, Gertrude DeLongh, Nellie Griffin, Jennie Vandenberg, Rena Reynolds, Josie DeVries and Evelyn Pelton, Cornelia DeLoo; Henry Mulder, Peter and Leonard DeVries, Clarence Zwemer, Art Peterson, John Elderly, George Danson, Arthur Wright and A. Zuidema.

Mrs. George Fogelson, West Tenth street, entertained the Friday Afternoon Pedro club at her home, fourteen ladies being present. Miss Agnes Mohr won first prize and Mrs. C. B. Hopkins second at cards.

Miss Fannie Belt of East Saugatuck entertained at her home friends from Zealand and Holland last Friday evening. Music furnished by Miss Gertrude Belt, Will DeBruyn and John Winter and games were the features of the evening. The prizes were won by Miss Winnie DeBruyn and John Vegeter. Those present were: Minnie DeBruin, Fanny Koolker, Hannah Vanity, Minnie Belt, Mary Lubbers, Anna Tietsema, Susie DeBruyn, Gertrude Belt, Susie Plaggemars, Madge Tietsema, Bessie Veneklasen, Fannie Belt, Will DeBruyn, Henry Belt, John DeGoede, Edd Belt, John Vegeter, John Veneklasen, Joe Koolker and Abe DeGoede.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kooyers entertained a party of friends at their home Tuesday evening. The following were present: Samuel Pas and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Pas, Wm. VanHuizen and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rogers, Miss Nellie Molograaf and Miss Daisy St. Johns. Singing was one of the features of the evening and refreshments were served.

Miss Matilda DeFeyer entertained the T. H. M. society at her home on East Thirteenth street Monday evening. Refreshments were served.

The following young people enjoyed a sleighride to the home of Miss Gertrude Venhuizen the other evening. The following were present: Misses Mary Winderham, Cora Stroop, Cora Ver Lier, Maud Van Putten, Martha Redder, Grace Veldman, Jennie Vander Hulst, Anna Dykstra and Bessie Plaggemars, Al Deur, Jacob Heeringa, Ben Veldman, Cornelia Doornbos, Lou Dykema, Al Olen, Simon Dykstra, Harry Doornbos, and Harry Bontekoe.

The Ladies Aid society of the Ninth street Christian Reformed church met at the home of Mrs. J. W. Bosman last Friday afternoon. This was the tenth anniversary of the society and a very interesting meeting it was.

A number of girls, employed in the H. J. Heinz factory, entertained a party of friends at the home of Gerrit J. Rok of Noordebos Friday evening. Music was the feature of the evening. Refreshments were served. Those who attended were the Misses Jennie Bontekoe, Ruth Rok, Minnie Berkel, Sena Brown, Georgiana O'Connor, Susie Dykema, Mary Meyers, Anna Borgman and Anna DeWaast, John DeGoede, Dick DeRidder, Andrew and John Dykema, Harm Effingham, John Scrotenboer, Louis Dykema, Peter Knooihuizen and Henry Slabberkoom.

H. Boone Jr. living at Monte Lo Park, was pleasantly surprised Friday evening, it being his twenty-eighth birthday anniversary, by his neighbors and some friends. He was the recipient of an elegant easy chair. Games were the feature of the evening, the prizes being won by Albert Diekema, H. Boone, L. S. Lprietsma, jr., a d. L. S. Sprietama, sr. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Farensworth, Mr. and Mrs. Farensworth, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tozier, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Diekema, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Sprietama, Mr. and Mrs. John Boxa, Mr. and Mrs. John Van Zanten, Mr. and Mrs. George Huntley, Mr. and Mrs. Tom VanWert, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ming, Mrs. Oscar Byrnes, T. R. VanWert, Miss Julia Kuite, Luke Sprietama, jr.

The Century club met at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. Leenhouts Monday evening. The following program was carried out: Attorney George E. Kollen read a paper on "Saul of Tarsus." Richard H. Post gave an original story, "The Realization." Mrs. Albert Diekema sang two solos. Mrs. Harry Mills and Miss Kittie Doeburg gave an instrumental number and a vocal duet by Miss Jean Steffens and Mrs. G. W. Van Wert, to an accompanied duet played by the Misses Amy Yates and Isabelle Steffens.

Mrs. Jennie Brown East Eighth St. was very much surprised the other evening by a number of friends and all had a very pleasant time. Refreshments were served. This was a sort of a farewell to Mrs. Brown as she will soon leave for her future home in Omaha, Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Brink entertained a crowd of young people the other evening at their home in East Saugatuck. Music, games and refreshments were the features of the evening. The following composed the party. The Misses Ida Heeringa, Lizzie Lenters, Mattie Fisher, Della and Addie Haan, Susan Marsilie, Maggie Schurman, Maud Van Putten and Cora Verlier, and Messrs. Nick Dykema, Gerrit DeVries, James Schoon, John Van Eyck, Thomas Marsilie, Will Kameraad, Will Vander Schel, Ed and Jacob Heeringa, George Schurman, Lou Dykema.

Peter DeVries entertained the following friends at dinner Wednesday evening: The Misses Rena Reynolds, Hazel Close, Julia DeVries, Katie Siersma, Nellie Griffin, Theresa van Vulpes, Messrs. Roy Hogenseteyn, Albert Siersma, Leonard DeVries. The evening was also taken up with games and music.

A Valentine party will be given next Tuesday evening in Odd Fellows hall in vander veen block, to which invitations have been issued.

The Misses Kate and Jennie Praken spent yesterday in Grand Rapids.

At Grace church Wednesday evening a farewell reception was held to Mrs. Capt. Geo. Geo. Pa. dee, who will now make her home in Grand Haven. She was presented with a beautiful cross and a chain, a token of love and esteem which she is held. Presented by Mrs. C. A. Steve son.

Miss Nellie Phernanbuq West Seventee th street, entertained a sleighride at progressive on Wednesday evening. H. ad prize won by Miss Mamie Ver Wey a d consolation by Miss Hab rman. Those present were the Misses Agnes Hab rman, Edith McCathy, Anna Bonnett, Phila Edri, Grace Bush, Lena Benwikes, Maud Klayn, Maud Crissy, Anna Van Oot, Mamie Ver Wey, Marguerite Bunkma.

Miss Martha van Landegend entertained a few friends at her home on W. st. Eleventh street Friday evening. Refreshments were served. Those present were the Misses Roslyn Root, Jenni Groot, Anna D. H., Eva Anderson, Mattie van Putten, Jennie Payne, and Spencer; Messrs John van Landegend, Paul Coster, Joseph Borgman, Jos ph Warnock, Arthur Root, Dr. G. O. H. Thomas, Will Danson, and L. Bayen.

Capt. Austin Harrington and son Harry left this week for Miami, Florida where they will join Mr. and Mrs. F. Colby and will take a long cruise around the western coast of Florida through the Gulf of Mexico to New Orleans and up the Mississippi River.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will give a National supper on the 22nd of February. Each table will represent a different Nation in decorations and edifices. The waiters will also be dressed in costumes of the nation they represent.

Members of Sunday School class No. 5 of the M. E. church were given a sleighride to the home of their teacher A. S. Fairbanks three and one half miles south of the city Thursday evening. The party consisted of G. J. Hekhuis, Clyde Hamster, J. Knutson, Arthur Gunser, Charles Woodruff, W. J. Babcock, Clarence Fairbanks and wife. Music was furnished by a quartet composed of two violins, mandolin and organ. Refreshments were then served and after passing an enjoyable time the company sang "God be with us till we meet again" and returned home past mid-night.

C. DeKeyser was in Coopersville Saturday.

Attorney Chas. H. McBride was in Grand Haven Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Warren of Grand Rapids have returned home after visiting their father M. Mohr.

Mrs. Donald McLaughlin, who has been visiting Mrs. J. C. Holcomb left for her home in Canada Monday.

Attorney G. W. Kooyers was in Allegan and Grand Haven Monday.

George Steffe's of Grand Rapids returned home after making a two weeks visit with his parents Rev. and Mrs. N. M. Steffens and family.

Miss Katharine Post and Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Post spent Tuesday in Grand Rapids.

Miss Della Sutton visited friends in Grand Rapids the first of the week.

W. J. Garrod left for Chicago Wednesday on business.

W. R. Stevenson was in Grand Rapids Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Kremers left this week for a visit to Mrs. Kremers brother Dr. Van Zwaltenburg and family of Riverside, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith of Grand Rapids visited at the home of Bert Slag, sr., this week.

George Huizenga was in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Fred Barnum of Cedar Springs visited with his aunt, Mrs. A. McNab this week.

Miss Margaret Knooihuizen of Grand Rapids visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Knooihuizen this week.

A. S. Stein, S. W. Miller and John Meeboer left Monday for Chicago to attend the auto show.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Ball have returned from a visit with friends in the Upper Peninsula.

Ernest Meyer left Monday for Chicago to enlist in the United States Navy, after having passed a successful examination to admit him.

Dr. Mastenbroek was in Grand Haven Monday on business.

Mrs. John Hoffman visited relatives in Grand Haven this week.

Mrs. M. A. Chappel has returned from a visit with friends in Grand Rapids.

TWO DAYS SALE AT CITY GROCERY FEBRUARY 10 & 11

Leave Your Orders Early and Avoid the Rush

17 lbs Granulated Sugar.....	31
8 1/2 lbs Granulated Sugar.....	50c
Good Salmon, per can.....	30c
Good Pumpkin, per can.....	30c
3 cans of good Corn.....	25c
3 cans of good Peas.....	25c
Package best 12c Rasins.....	30c
Package best Currants.....	30c
Package of Corn Starch.....	30c
Best Lard, per pound.....	9c
2 pkgs Avena Oats.....	15c
1 lb. Baker's Cocoa.....	25c
1 lb. Baker's Chocolate.....	17c
Town Talk Coffee per lb.....	14c
2 lbs Saur Kraut.....	5c
Gold Dust.....	18c
50c Tea per lb.....	40c
40c Tea per lb.....	30c
Lettuce per lb.....	12c
Ammonia per bottle.....	8c
7 large rolls toilet Paper.....	25c
7 lbs lump starch.....	35c
6 lbs best rice.....	25c
Good Cheese per lb.....	12c
Kerosene per gal.....	11c
Maple Syrup per gal.....	85c
Sardines.....	4c
6 American Family Soap.....	25c
Good Ginger Snaps per lb.....	5c
Arm & Hammer Soda.....	5c
Matches per pkg.....	13c
Sears best Crackers.....	6c
Uneda Biscuit.....	4c
15 breakfast food any kind.....	13c
Eagle brand milk.....	14c
1 lb Rumford Baking Powder.....	21c
3 lb can Tomatoes.....	8c
Dairy butter per lb.....	24c
Rising Sun Stove Polish.....	4c
3 packages Pawnee Oats.....	25c
40c Syrup per gal.....	25c
7 lbs Navy Beans.....	25c
Dill Pickles per doz.....	8c
Our very best 35c Coffee.....	28c

Best Creamery butter one cent less than regular price. Remember this is only on Friday and Saturday Feb. 10 and 11.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Browning and daughter Grace expect to leave this week for California where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Hon. G. J. Diekema is spending the week in Lansing.

H. R. Brink 208 river street has just received one of the finest lines of valentines in the city.

Just received a new supply of psalms and hymns which are in use in the Fourteenth street Christian Reformed church. H. R. Brink 208 River street.

Don't forget the valentines at H. R. Brink 208 River street.

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

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the city of Grand Haven, in said county on the 9th day of February A. D. 1905.

Present: HON. EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of

Henderika Scholten, Deceased.

Lambertus Scholten having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to D. B. Drakher or to some other suitable person

It is ordered that the

13th day of March, A. D. 1905

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

LADIES

You can have a clean complexion, with the glow of health, no pimples, no eruptions, no blackheads, all removed with

PASADINA MASSAGE CREAM

Is your hair falling! Are you suffering from Dandruff, just as sure as you have Dandruff and itching of the scalp, just so sure is your hair coming out and eventually you will be bald; take care of your hair while you have it. BOWERS HAIR RENEWER kills the dandruff germ and promotes new growth. Restores gray and faded hair to its natural color. BOWERS SANATIFE TOOTH POWDER for cleansing and preserving the teeth and gums and purifying the breath; a brush free with each 25c bottle while they last.

BOWERS TOILET POWDER is a scientific combination of perfectly pure ingredients beneficial and soothing to the delicate skin. BOWERS SHAMPOO SOAP should be in every home. Antiseptic, healing, cleansing. This line of goods are now being advertised by Mrs. S. L. Wright, at Hotel Holland and by Mr. Con DePree's drug store. A full line of these good are on display in his window and he will be pleased to show them to anyone interested. These goods are sold on a positive guarantee to give satisfaction or money refunded. Don't forget the place.

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\$35,000.00 Worth of Clothing, Hats and Furnishings to be sold for 1-2, 1-3 & 1-4 Value

DISSOLUTION SALE

STERN--GOLDMAN COMPANY

This firm will immediately be dissolved, and in order to adjust their affairs at once, it has been decided to accept a loss on the stock at their Holland Store, to enable a quick cash settlement between them, for which purpose their entire stock must immediately be converted into cash. The greatest money saving ever offered in this city.

Thursday, 10 a. m. February 9th, '05

When the ENTIRE STOCK was placed on sale for positively 15 days only.

A Chance of a Lifetime

Mens Fancy bordered handkerchiefs.....1c
 Mens fine all wool Suits, well made, broken lots of many various lines of the previous season which sold at \$8.50, 10.00, 12.00 and some 15.00, all bunched into one lot to close **\$2.89**
 Another large lot of Mens all wool Cassimere and Worsted Suits of high grade and quality, worth \$10.00 to 18.00, but only one of a kind or size, all in one lot to close at **\$3.85**
 Mens fine all wool Chinchilla Overcoats, black and dark blue, very warm, good wearing and dressy garments, sold at \$10 12.00 and 15.00 at..... **\$5.39**
 Mens fine Hermsdorf dye block 1/2 hose 25c and 15c values..... **11c**
 35 Mens highest grade Overcoats, 1904-05 styles, Rochester hand made tailored, concave shoulders, collars put on by hand to assure that elegant, close-fit-to-the-neck so very important to the good appearance of a man \$15, 18.00 & 20.00 go at **\$9.89**
 Boys latest up-to-date School Suits, 2 or 3-piece suits, heavy dark material, also many in medium weights, elegantly tailored and cut in the latest styles, worth \$6.50, 5.00, 4.50, 3.75 and 3.00 are marked in plain figures of this sacrifice sale at **\$3.35, \$1.37, \$2.98, \$2.39, \$1.85**
 Mens elegant lisle thread and german cotton 1/2 hose, fast colors; 25c values at..... **16c**
 Mens white handkerchiefs worth 10c..... **1c**
 Youths Suits, (small men sizes) sizes 32 to 36 breast, all wool, were sold at \$6, 8.00 and 10.00. A fine opportunity for a good suit cheap, for that fast growing young gentleman for school use, excellent business suit for small men, **\$3.89**
 Youths suits assorted lot, sizes 31 to 36, dark and light colors, all wool, all reliable well made goods- none worth less than \$8 a suit, many 15.00 suits in this lot, at **\$4.45**
 Mens 4-PLY Linea collars worth 15c or 2 for 25c..... **1c**
 All of the Childrens Reefers and Overcoats, the entire lot reduced in the same measure to sell everyone in this sale.
 One large lot of Youths Suits, dark and light colors, also black and blue Serges, Worsteds and Thibets, suits worth \$10 12.00 & 15.00 (another hit at little men & big boys sizes) **\$5.87**
 A large lot of Childrens Suits worth \$1.50, 2.00 2.50 and 3.00, the higher grades all wool per suit..... **98c**
 Our large line of Gloves for dress, driving and winter use in leather or in wool, gloves or mittens, would require much space here to itemize. They are all openly and plainly marked with prices of this sale. Stock up for a year even if you don't need any now. They are going upward from..... **5c**
 Mens Dress Shirts \$1 and \$1.50 quality at..... **33c**

Don't miss it. There will be a crowd, but you will be jostled by a good natured and pleased people, and you will meet all your relatives and friends here. SALE OPENED THURSDAY.

February 9, at 10 a. m. and closed in 15 Days. The opening will be a gala day. Bring the children. It will pay you to come 100 miles to visit this sale. In this limited space we can give only "hints" of the thousands of offerings, but it will give you an idea of the values that will await your coming. Car fare or stable hire to purchasers of 20.00 or over. Bring back any goods not entirely to your satisfaction. Money back when you say so.

Mens extra heavy Frieze overcoats, at..... **\$2 98**
 Mens White Handkerchiefs, hem stitched..... **3c**
 Childrens all wool Tam O'Shanter, real 50c grade, all colors at **13c**
 Heavy Fleece Underwear, qualities this firm built their reputation on, the stock to close..... **39c**
 Turkey red and blue handkerchiefs..... **3c**
 Mens top overcoats, fall and spring weight, light, dark and medium shades, worth 8.00, to 15.00 will be closed at 7.89, 6.89, 4.89, 3.65 and at..... **\$2 98**
 Boys Suspenders..... **5c**
 Mens heavy suspenders..... **15c**
 STERN-GOLDMAN'S CHALLENGER of MENS SUITS. The elegant styles of Rochester Hand made Suits, they challenge competition at their price of 15.00 and 16.50, all 1904-05 styles, choice at..... **\$10 85**
 Mens Genteel dark gray woolen pants worth 2.00..... **\$1 39**
 Mens odd Vests all kinds and colors worth 1.00, 1.50 and 2.00 at **74c**
 Mens 15.00 Cravenette Rain Coat..... **\$8 75**
 Mens cotton socks..... **3c**
 Mens heaviest grades, socks Black and Tan at..... **7c**
 Mens extra heavy fine Kersey and Chinchilla Ulsters, guaranteed values at 12.00, 15.00 and 18.00 bunched to close at..... **\$7 89**
 Mens all wool socks..... **19c**
 Childrens 50c and 75c grade knee pants..... **43c**
 See our assortment of young mens suits and overcoats, single and double breasted, our immense variety in all grades up from..... **\$3 39**

Don't make a Mistake, Look For the Big Red Front

Mens Neckwear, bows, four-in hands, puffs, ascots and all leading approved styles. See each display openly bearing price card of this wonderful bargain sale. Stock will be closed out up from..... **6c**
 225 pair of Mens Heavy and Medium Weights all pure wool Pants, all sizes, not a pair in the lot worth less than 2.50, some 4.00 and many 5.00, handsome heavy qualities of Cassimere, broken in sizes; it takes the whole lot to make a complete assortment to fit everybody; here's a bargain feast, take your pick while they last at..... **\$1.19**
 Mens all Wool Worsted and Cassimere Suits, in black, dark and light colors and fashionable mixtures, reliable material, well made worth 10.00 and 12.00..... **\$4.65**
 Mens working pants, a large lot 1.00 quality at..... **58c**
 Mens heavy Frieze Ulsters, a small lot sold at 6.00 to 8.00 at **\$3 65**
 Mens fine white handkerchiefs worth 25c at..... **7c**
 135 pairs of mens pants of fine qualities dark and light colors, heavy and medium weight not a pair in the lot worth less than 3.00 and many 4.00 and 5.00 in this assortment, all bunched go at..... **\$1.69**
 Mens fine white linen lawn hemstitched handkerchiefs, various width borders worth 25c and 35c at..... **11c**
 Mens fine all wool Kersey Overcoats in black, blue or brown, well lined and well made, worth 12.00 at..... **\$6.39**
 Mens fine all wool Kersey Overcoats in black and blue, "Rochester" make, superbly lined, silk velvet collars sold at 14.00 15.00 and 18.00 at..... **\$8.37**
 Mens Derby and Soft Hats, retailing all over for 3.00, 2.50, 1.50, 1.25 This lot contains many of the new spring styles and will be sold at this sale for 2.47, 1.87, 1.29, 89c and..... **69c**
 Mens Mackintoshes worth 3.00 to 5.00 to close at..... **\$1 19**
 Mens Mackintoshes worth 7.00, 8.00 and 10.00 at..... **\$4 55**
 Childrens Suits in Norfolk Sailor or Vestee styles worth 3.50, 4.50 and 5.00 at 2.95, 2.29 and..... **\$1 69**
 Mens cotton 1/2 hose 10c qualities at..... **1c**
 One lot of Mens Soft Fur Hats worth 1.00, 1.25 bunched to close at..... **33c**
Great Reduction in Mens, Boys and Childrens Caps
 Mens working shirts assorted colors..... **37c**
 1.50 and 1.25 flannel shirts..... **83c**
 Mens Fine all wool flannel shirts 2.50 quality..... **\$1 65**
 One lot of childrens knee pants per pair..... **10c**

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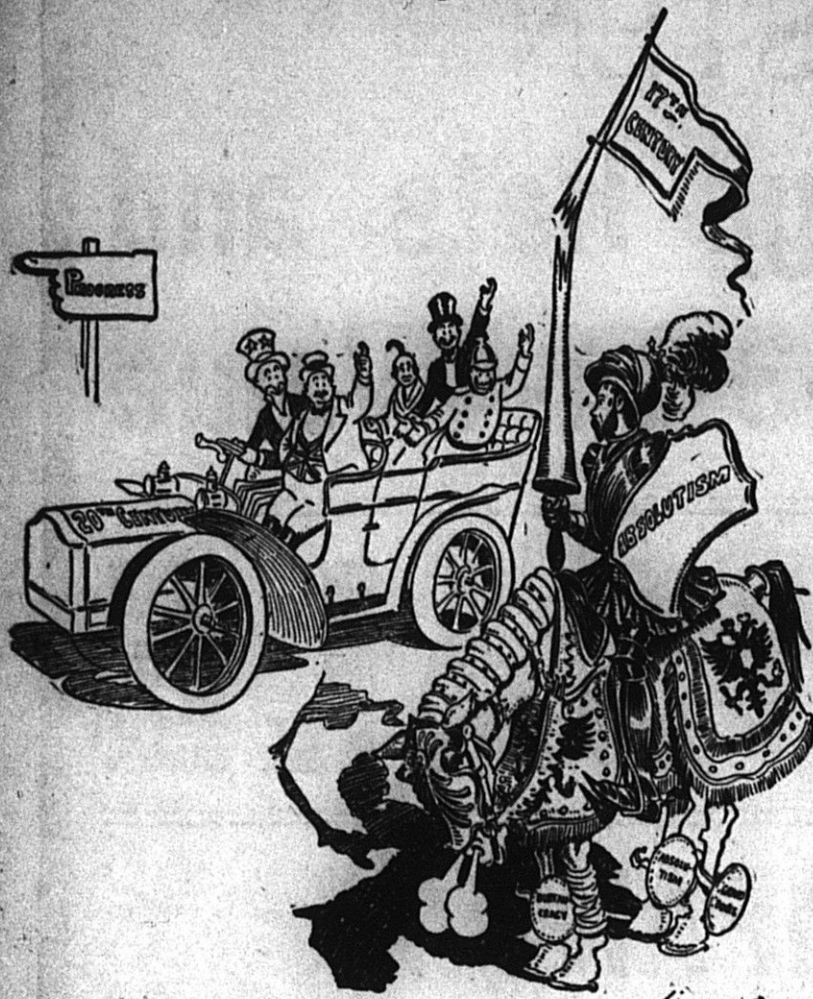
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"COME ON, NICK, DROP YOUR OLD-FASHIONED TRUCK AND GET INTO THE BAND WAGON."

[By McCutcheon, in Chicago Daily Tribune.]



MANTLE OF SLEET COVERS THE SOUTH

SEVERE WINTER WEATHER IS
EXPERIENCED OVER A VERY
WIDE AREA.

Telegraphic Communication Shut Off
for Many Hours—Great Injury to
Fruit Is Reported—Heavy Losses
of Live Stock in Texas.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 7.—Not in many years has the south been subjected to such a severe stress of weather as has prevailed over the territory from Texas almost to the Atlantic coast and from the Ohio river many miles toward the Gulf of Mexico. The damage from rain, snow and sleet has been of a diversified nature and was widespread. From the peach district of north Georgia, Alabama and Tennessee come reports of heavy money loss by reason of damage to fruit trees; from Texas is heard much of interruption to business, and nearly every city in the south reported damage to telegraph, telephone, street car and electric lighting service, while in the vast stretches of country between cities the telegraph companies have lost heavily on account of damage to poles and wires, to say nothing of the loss of revenues by reason of impaired facilities. Heavy losses of livestock are reported from Texas.

Communication Shut Off.
The city of Atlanta, which under normal conditions has about 150 wires running in every direction, was shut off entirely from the outside world for many hours Monday, and Macon, Ga., could find no means of communicating beyond its city limits. Vicksburg and Natchez, Miss., were shut off by wire for 36 hours. Many newspapers appeared in the smaller cities without a line of telegraph news, and others were served under difficulties.

Heavy Loss in Fruit Belt.
A conservative estimate from Chattanooga places the property loss from the unprecedented freeze in this section of the fruit belt at \$100,000. The effect on full grown peach trees and the 1905 yield has not yet been determined, but if this crop is killed it will mean a heavy loss.

MUST WEAR STRIPES.
Machen and the Groff Brothers, Convicted of Postal Frauds, Are Taken to Prison.

Washington, Feb. 8.—August W. Machen, the former head of the entire free delivery system of the post office department and the foremost figure among the officials, politicians and contractors indicted as a result of the postal investigation, and Diller B. Groff and Samuel A. Groff, both of this city, convicted in connection with the promotion of a letter box fastener scheme, left Washington with a party of 11 other convicts for the Moundsville, W. Va., penitentiary shortly after six o'clock Tuesday night, to serve a sentence of two years' imprisonment.

Held in Heavy Bail.
New York, Feb. 8.—Three men were arrested here on a charge of having in their possession a government bond for \$10,000, which is one of many bonds stolen from the Manhattan savings institution in this city in 1879. The men are held under \$10,000 each.

Need Not Pay Tax.
Springfield, O., Feb. 8.—A decision was handed down by Probate Judge Geiger to the effect that the heirs of the late Gov. Asa S. Bushnell will not be compelled to pay the two per cent. inheritance tax. The estate is valued at \$2,500,000.

Darling Tenders Resignation.
Washington, Feb. 3.—Charles W. Darling, assistant secretary of the navy, Thursday tendered his resignation to the president, asking that it take effect near the expiration of his four-year term of service, which expires in December, 1905.

OFFICIAL DIES BY HAND OF ASSASSIN

MAN SEEKS PRESENCE OF PRO-
CURATOR GENERAL OF FIN-
LAND AND KILLS HIM.

Is Badly Wounded by Victim's Young
Son and Is Captured—Murderer Is
Identified—The Crime Is Purely
a Political One.

Helsingfors, Finland, Feb. 8.—Solsa-
son Solminen, procurator general of Fin-
land, who, before he was ennobled, was
known by the name of Johnson, was
assassinated Monday by a young man
named Karl Lenard Hohensthal, former-
ly a student at the Imperial Alexander
university here. The motive of the
crime apparently was purely political,
the slain official being a member of the
government party.

The Assassination.
The murderer appeared at the pro-
curator's residence at 11 o'clock Monday
and sent in a card bearing in French the
name Alexandre Gadd, who is in the
Russian service. The young man, who
was smartly dressed in an officer's uni-
form, was promptly admitted to the
official's private study, and on his en-
trance fired four shots from a revolver,
one of the bullets piercing the breast of
the procurator, who expired almost im-
mediately. His 17-year-old son, hearing
the shots, rushed in from an adjoining
room and fired three or four shots at his
father's assailant, whose right leg was
broken below the knee by a bullet. He
was also slightly wounded in the shoulder,
and a finger of his left hand was
struck. The assassin fired the one bullet
remaining in his revolver at Solminen's
son, wounding him slightly in the
calf of his right leg. He then endeavored
to escape, but fell unconscious to the
floor in the ante-room. There he was
seized. Dr. Wassasterna was called im-
mediately, but found the procurator be-
yond need of his services. The assassin
was removed to the surgical hospital,
where he lies guarded by police, answer-
ing no questions. His recovery, how-
ever, is thought to be certain.

Situation Growing Worse.
St. Petersburg, Feb. 8.—For the mo-
ment the startling crime in Helsingfors
has withdrawn attention from the strike
situation throughout Russia. Tuesday's
events in Poland and the Caucasus, how-
ever, are quite serious enough in them-
selves. Disorders in the smaller indus-
trial towns of Poland have added more
than a score to the total of the killed,
and troops have been sent to Warsaw
and Kutno (83 miles west of Warsaw) to
quell uprisings there. The strike condi-
tions in the Caucasus are becoming
worse, and traffic on the trans-Caucas-
ian railway is interrupted.

Students Warned.
St. Petersburg, Feb. 8.—Gen. Trepoff
has ordered the curator of education to
instruct all professors in universities
and teachers in schools of St. Petersburg
to inform their students that academic
anarchy must cease. Students must re-
sume their studies by February 28, and
those refusing to do so will be expelled.
If the majority refuse, or the professors
associate themselves with the move-
ment, the universities and schools, Gen.
Trepoff announces, would be closed and
education in St. Petersburg would cease.

Father Gopon in Switzerland.
St. Petersburg, Feb. 8.—Father Gopon,
the leader of the workmen of St. Peters-
burg in the affair of January 22, is now
known to be in Switzerland.

State of Siege Declared.
Berlin, Feb. 7.—The Lokal Anzeiger's
correspondent at Katowitz telegraphs:
"A state of siege has been declared at
Sosnowice, Gen. Jedczynski taking com-
mand. The superintendent of police
has been dismissed from office. Gather-
ings of as many as three persons on the
streets are forbidden. The military
are using their arms upon the slightest
disobedience of orders. A procession of
strikers at Sosnowice, estimated at 40,
000 persons, contained a number of Ger-
man mining officials whom the strikers
had captured and compelled to march
in their ranks. The Russian industrial
district along the frontier is suffering
great financial losses through the
strike."

Twenty Killed.
Warsaw, Feb. 7.—Advices from Kalisz
say the strike situation there is serious.
There are continuous conflicts between
the military and the strikers. Twenty
of the latter have been killed and many
strikers and others wounded.

Disaffection But No Mutiny.
St. Petersburg, Feb. 7.—The report
published in the United States of a mu-
tiny of 6,000 reservists at Peterhoff, who
are said to be under arrest in their bar-
racks, is grossly exaggerated. As a mat-
ter of fact, there has been some dissatis-
faction, but no case of open mutiny.

Mrs. Duke Freed.
New York, Feb. 8.—Mrs. Alice Webb
Duke was discharged from custody when
arraigned in police court Tuesday, after
having been held a prisoner at the re-
quest of the authorities of Nacogoches
county, Tex., who had notified the local
authorities that they had an indictment
against her. An assistant district at-
torney told the court Tuesday that the
Texas authorities did not insist that Mrs.
Duke be held for extradition.

Would Remove Capital.
Madison, Wis., Feb. 8.—In the sen-
ate Tuesday a bill was introduced to
change the seat of government of the
state of Wisconsin to Oshkosh, and ap-
pointing a committee to determine the
site of the state capitol building.

Frozen to Death.
Calro, Ill., Feb. 7.—Benjamin Mc-
Raven, of McClure, Ill., was frozen to
death Sunday night.

OLD AGE.

NOT A TIME OF LIFE, OR LENGTH
OF YEARS, BUT A CONDITION OF
BODILY TISSUES.

said a celebrated London physician
and just so long as the bodily
tissues can be kept from wasting
and built up, just so long can old
age be kept at bay, and people will
be alert, alive, active and young.

Our well known druggist, Mr.
Con De Pree, says: "Our cod liver
oil preparation, Vinol, is the
greatest tissue builder and invigor-
ator in the world for old people.
There is nothing else known to
medicine that can equal it, because
Vinol contains in a concentrated
form all of the body building, life-
giving principles of cod liver oil
actually taken from fresh cods'
livers, and is not a stimulant which
produces bad after effects. We have
letter upon letter from grateful old
people whom Vinol has strengthened
and blessed with robust health.
Vinol invigorates the stomach first
of all, enabling it to separate from
the food the elements needed for
rich red blood, healthy body
material and sound, steady nerves.
In this way it repairs worn tissues,
checks the natural decline and re-
places weakness with strength."

Mr. A. J. Barker of Evansville,
Indiana, says there is no other
medicine in the world equal to
Vinol for old people. He would not
take a thousand dollars for the
good it has done him.

The grand-niece of Alexander
Hamilton, Mrs. Sarah J. Windrom,
says:

"Vinol is a godsend to old
people." She is seventy six years
old, and is active and well, thanks
to the vitalizing effects of Vinol.

We wish every man or woman in
Holland who "feels old," whether
they are so in years, or not, would
try Vinol on our guarantee to return
their money if they are not satisfied
after using it. Con De Pree Drug-
gist.

No one would ever be bothered
with constipation if everyone knew
how naturally and quickly Burdock
Blood Bitters regulates the stomach
and bowels.

Cures croup, sore throat, pulmo-
nary troubles—Monarch over pain of
every sort. Dr. Thomas Electric
Oil.

No man can cure consumption.
You can prevent it though. Dr.
Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures
coughs, colds, bronchitis, sore
throat. Never fails.

Everybody's liable to itching
piles. Rich and poor, old and young
—terrible the torture they suffer.
Only one sure cure. Doan's Oint-
ment. Absolutely safe; can't fail.

Dr. E. Dechou's Anti Diuretic
May be worth to you more than
\$100 if you have a child who soils
bedding from incontinence of
water during sleep. Cures old and
young alike. It arrests the trouble
at once. \$1.00. Sold by Heber
Walsh druggist,
Holland, Mich.

Grave Trouble Foreseen.
It needs but little foresight, to
see, that when your stomach and
liver are badly affected, grave
trouble is ahead, unless you take
the proper medicine for your dis-
ease, as Mrs. John A. Young of
Clay, N. Y., did. She says: "I had
neuralgia of the liver and stomach,
my heart was weakened, and I
could not eat. I was very bad for
a long time, but in Electric Bitters,
I found just what I needed, for they
quickly relieved and cured me."
Best medicine for weak women.
Sold under guarantee by W. C.
Walsh druggist, at 50c a bottle.

Weak Men Made Vigorous
What PEPPER'S NERVIGOR Did
It cures powerlessness and quickly. Cures when all
others fail. Young men regain lost manhood; old
men recover youthful vigor. Absolutely Guaranteed
to Cure Nervousness, Lost Vitality,
Impotency, Nightly Emissions, Lost Power,
either sex. Failing Memory, Wasting Dis-
eases, and all effects of self-abuse or excess and
indulgence. Wards off insanity and consumption.
Don't let druggist impose a worthless substitute on
you because it yields a greater profit. Insist on hav-
ing PEPPER'S NERVIGOR, or send for it. Can be
carried in vest pocket. Prepaid, plain wrapper,
\$1 per box, or 6 for \$5, with A Written Guarantee
to Cure or Refund Money. Sample from
PEPPER MEDICAL ASSN., Chicago, Ill.

JOHN W. KRAMER
STATE OF MICHIGAN.
The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.
In the matter of the estate of Jan
TenBrink, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that four months from
the 6th day of February, A. D. 1905, have been al-
lowed for creditors to present their claims against
said deceased to said court for examination and
adjustment, and that all creditors of said de-
ceased are required to present their claims to
said court at the probate office in the city of
Grand Haven in said county, on or before the
6th day of June, A. D. 1905, and that said
claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday,
the 6th day of June, A. D. 1905, at ten
o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated February 6th, A. D. 1905.
EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of a
writ of fieri facias issued out of the circuit court
for the County of Ottawa, in favor of Henry J.
Nibbelink, against the goods and chattels and
real estate of Cornelius Langius, in said county, to me
directed and delivered, I did, on the 2nd day
of February, A. D. 1905, levy upon and take all the
right, title and interest of the said Cornelius
Langius in and to the following described lands, to-wit:
The south quarter of the southeast
quarter of the northeast quarter of section
thirteen (13) township five (5) north of range
thirteen (13) west. Also a piece of land in the Village
of Zealand beginning twenty-seven (27) feet west
of the northeast corner of lot No. fourteen (14)
in block two (2) said village, running thence
south one hundred (100) feet west thirty (30)
feet, north one hundred (100) feet east thirty (30)
feet to place of beginning; all of which I shall
expose for sale at public vendue, to the
highest bidder, at the north front door of the
court house, at Grand Haven, in the said county,
that being the place of holding the circuit court
within said county, on the 28th day of March,
next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated this 3rd day of February, A. D. 1905.
JAMES WOODBURY,
Sheriff.

Dickema & Kollen, Attorneys, Holland, Mich.

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Mortgage Sale.

Whereas, DEFAULT having been made in the
conditions of a mortgage bearing date the 6th
day of July A. D. 1895, made and executed by
Culvin E. Stone, and his wife Emma S. Stone, of
the City of Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich.,
parties of the first part, and Daniel Campbell of
the City of Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich.,
party of the second part, and which mortgage is
of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds
for Ottawa County, Michigan, in Liber 54 of Mort-
gages on Page 33 on the 6th day of July A. D.
1895; And by reason of such default there is on
the date of this notice, claimed to be due upon the
debt secured by said mortgage, including the principal,
interest, and an attorney fee provided in
said mortgage, the sum of six hundred nineteen
and six one-hundredths dollars, \$19.06.)
And no suit nor proceeding at law or in
chancery having been instituted to recover the
amount due as aforesaid, or any part thereof;

Therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue
of said power of sale in said mortgage con-
tained, and of the statutes of Michigan in such
case made and provided, the undersigned will
sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the
north front door of the Courthouse, in the city of
Grand Haven, County of Ottawa and State of
Michigan (that being the place where the Circuit
Court for said County is held), on Saturday, the
26th day of March A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock
in the forenoon, the premises described in said
mortgage, which are situated in the township
of Alendale, Ottawa County, Michigan and are
described as follows to-wit: the south east
quarter (1-4) of the north east quarter (1-4) of
section twenty four (24), township seven (7),
north of range fourteen (14), West.
Dated at Grand Rapids, Michigan, this 24th day
of December A. D. 1904.

DANIEL CAMPBELL
Mortgagee.
JACOB STECHETER,
Attorney for mortgagee,
88 Monroe Street, Grand Rapids Michigan
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Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the con-
ditions of a certain mortgage made by William H.
Scott and Cornelia L. Scott, his wife to Cora
Scharraut dated the 16th day of March A. D. 1895,
and recorded in the office of the Register of
Deeds for the County of Ottawa and State of
Michigan, on the 4th day of October A. D. 1897
in Liber 54 of Mortgages, on page 583, on which
mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date
of this notice the sum of one thousand one
hundred Twenty-one dollars and six
cents, and an attorney's fee of Fifteen dollars,
provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or pro-
ceedings at law having been instituted to recover
the moneys secured by said mortgage or any
part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, By virtue of the power
of sale contained in said mortgage, and the
statute in such case made and provided, notice is
hereby given that on Saturday, the 22nd day of
April A. D. 1905, at nine o'clock in the forenoon,
I shall sell at Public Auction to the highest
bidder, at the north front door of the Court house
in the City of Grand Haven, Ottawa county,
Michigan, (that being the place where the Cir-
cuit Court for said County of Ottawa is held), the
premises described in said mortgage, or so
much thereof as may be necessary to pay the
amount due on said mortgage, with seven per
cent interest, and all legal costs, together with an
attorney's fee of Fifteen dollars, as provided by
law and as covenanted for therein, the premises
being described in said mortgage as follows,
to-wit: The southwest quarter of the northwest
quarter of section nineteen (19) town seven (7)
N. range thirteen (13) west, containing forty acres
more or less according to Government survey
there.

Dated: Jan. 20, 1905.
Cora Scharraut,
Mortgagee.
Walter I. Lillie,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Business address: Grand Haven, Michigan.
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Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court
for the County of Ottawa.
At a session of said court, held at the Pro-
bate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in
said county on the 30th day of January, A. D.
1905.

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

In the matter of the estate of
Kasper Ohlmann, Deceased.

George Ohlmann having filed in said court
his petition praying that the administra-
tion of said estate be granted to Albert H. Boech
or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the
20th day of February, A. D. 1905
at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate
office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing
said petition;

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

FANNY DICKINSON,
Probate Clerk.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court
for the County of Ottawa.
At a session of said court, held at the Pro-
bate Office in the city of Grand Haven, in said
County on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1905.
Present: HON. EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge
of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of
Johannes Clous, Deceased.

Katie VanDyke having filed in said court her
petition praying that said court adjudicate and
determine who were at the time of his death the
legal heirs of said deceased, and entitled to in-
herit the real estate of which said deceased died
seized

It is Ordered, That the
20th day of February A. D. 1905
at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate
office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing
said petition;

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.
FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

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Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of a
writ of fieri facias issued out of the circuit court
for the County of Ottawa, in favor of Henry J.
Nibbelink, against the goods and chattels and
real estate of Cornelius Langius, in said county, to me
directed and delivered, I did, on the 2nd day
of February, A. D. 1905, levy upon and take all the
right, title and interest of the said Cornelius
Langius in and to the following described lands, to-wit:
The south quarter of the southeast
quarter of the northeast quarter of section
thirteen (13) township five (5) north of range
thirteen (13) west. Also a piece of land in the Village
of Zealand beginning twenty-seven (27) feet west
of the northeast corner of lot No. fourteen (14)
in block two (2) said village, running thence
south one hundred (100) feet west thirty (30)
feet, north one hundred (100) feet east thirty (30)
feet to place of beginning; all of which I shall
expose for sale at public vendue, to the
highest bidder, at the north front door of the
court house, at Grand Haven, in the said county,
that being the place of holding the circuit court
within said county, on the 28th day of March,
next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated this 3rd day of February, A. D. 1905.
JAMES WOODBURY,
Sheriff.

Dickema & Kollen, Attorneys, Holland, Mich.

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Order of Appearance

State of Michigan, 2nd Judicial Circuit in
Chancery.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the
County of Ottawa, in Chancery, on the
16th day of January, 1905

Jessie M. Gilbert, Caroline M.
Day, Wadsworth Wyman,
Warren J. Gilbert, Le's Gil-
bert, Margaret Gilbert, Wil-
liam Gilbert and LeRoy Gil-
bert; and Florence Gilbert,
Sarah Gilbert, Arthur Gilbert
and Beulah Gilbert, Infants
by Edwin D. Blair, their Next
Friend.

vs.
Charles W. Gilbert Defendants

In this cause it appearing that it cannot
be ascertained in what state or country the
defendant above named resides, on
motion of Walter I. Lillie, Solicitor for Com-
plainants, it is ordered that said defendant
cause his appearance to be entered in said
cause within five months from the date of this
order, and that within twenty days of the date
hereof, said complainants cause this order to
be published in the Holland City News, a new-
spaper published and circulated in said county,
said publication to continue once in each
week for six successive weeks.

PHILIP PADGHAM
Circuit Judge

WALTER I. LILLIE
Solicitor for Complainant
Business Address: Grand Haven Michigan-
Attest a True Copy,
Fred F. McEachron, Deputy Register.

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Notice of Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a
Writ of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Circuit
Court for the County of Ottawa in favor of
Diana Koning against the goods, chattels
and real estate of John Groeters and
Egbert Groeters I did County to me di-
rected and delivered, I did on the 1st day
of February, 1905, levy upon and take all the
right, title and interest of Egbert Groeters, one
of the parties above named, in and to the fol-
lowing described lands, to-wit:

The south half (s. 1-2) of the southwest
quarter (s. 1-4) of section thirty six (36) town-
ship six (6) north of range sixteen (16) west.
The east half (e. 1-2) of the southeast quarter
(s. 1-4) of section thirty-five (35) township six (6)
north of range sixteen (16) west, Lot seventy (70)
of Riverside addition to Holland City, Michigan. All
that part of the north half (n. 1-2) of the north
east quarter (n. e. 1-4) of section two (2) town-
ship five (5) north of range sixteen (16) west lying east
of the Grand Haven Road, so called.

All of which I shall expose for
sale at public vendue to the highest
bidder at the north front door of the court
house at Grand Haven, Michigan, in said
County (that being the place of holding the
Circuit Court within said County) on the 21st
day of March next, at three o'clock in the after-
noon.

Dated February 2nd A. D. 1905.
JAMES WOODBURY, Sheriff.

DICKEMA & KOLLEN, Attorneys, Holland, Mich.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court

for the County of Ottawa.
At a session of said court, held at the Pro-
bate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in
said county on the 7th day of February, A. D. 1905.

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

In the matter of the estate of
Rolf Ostema, Deceased.

John Ostema having filed in said court
his petition praying that the administration
with the will annexed of said estate be granted
to himself or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the
6th day of March, A. D. 1905
at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate
office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing
said petition;

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.
FANNY DICKINSON,
Probate Clerk.

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

At a session of said court, held at the Pro-
bate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in
said county on the 7th day of February, A. D.
1905.

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

In the matter of the estate of
Gabriel VanPutten, deceased,

Jacob G. VanPutten having filed in said court
his final administration account, and his petition
praying for the allowance thereof and for the
assignment and distribution of the residue of said
estate,

It is ordered that the
6th day of March, A. D. 1905
at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate
office, be and is hereby appointed for exami-
ning and allowing said account; an hearing
said petition.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.
FANNY DICKINSON,
Probate Clerk.

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Notice of Sale

Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of a
writ of fieri facias issued out of the circuit
court for the county of Ottawa, in favor of
Hermanus Boone, against the goods and
chattels and real estate of Rolf Ostema and
Peter F. Ostema, in said county, to me directed
and delivered, I did on the 3rd day of February
A. D. 1905, levy upon and take all the right,
title and interest of the said Peter F. Ostema
in and to the following described lands, to-wit:

The west twenty-five (25) feet of lot eleven (11)
block thirty-two (32) except the north twenty
(20) feet thereof, in the City of Holland; all of
which I shall expose for sale at public vendue,
to the highest bidder, at the north front door of
the court house at Grand Haven in the said county,
that being the place of holding the circuit court
within said county, on the 28th day of March,
next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated this 3rd day of February, A. D. 1905.
JAMES WOODBURY,
Sheriff.

Dickema & Kollen, Attorneys, Holland, Mich.

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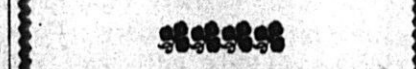
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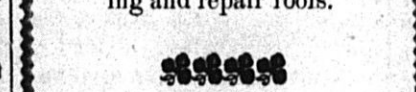
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LAWMAKERS COUNT
ELECTORAL VOTES

ROOSEVELT IS FORMALLY DECLARED ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

RECEIVES 336 VOTES TO 140 FOR PARKER

Petition Filed Seeking Expulsion of Senator Platt—Arbitration Treaties Favorably Reported—Statehood Bill Passes Senate.

Washington, Feb. 8.—In accordance with the joint resolution fixing the time for counting the vote for president and vice president, the senate, preceded by its officers and President Pro Tem. Frye, at one o'clock Wednesday proceeded to the hall of the house of representatives for the purpose of aiding the house in that duty. The members of the senate walked two abreast, through the long corridor of the capitol running from the senate chamber to the hall of the house. Senator Fairbanks, who was to be declared elected vice president, did not accompany the senate to the house.

At the conclusion of the count the tellers reported that Roosevelt and Fairbanks had received 336 votes, and Parker and Davis 140 votes. President Pro Tem. Frye declared that Theodore Roosevelt had been elected president and Charles W. Fairbanks elected vice president for the four years beginning March 4, 1905.

The joint convention of the two houses was then dissolved and the senate proceeded to its chamber. Miss Alice Roosevelt, daughter of the president, and a party of friends occupied seats in the executive gallery during the count of the vote.

Seeks Expulsion of Platt.

C. W. Post, of Battle Creek, Mich., who has interested himself largely in the establishment of a parcels post system, filed with President Pro Tempore Frye, of the senate, a petition for the expulsion of Senator Thomas C. Platt from the senate. The petition is based on the assertion that Mr. Platt, as the executive officer of the United States Express company, is a party to a conspiracy to maintain identical rates among express companies for articles shipped over their lines, and he asserts that Platt has told representatives of his that he will oppose all legislation injuriously affecting his company's interests.

The senate committee on foreign relations, by unanimous vote, authorized a favorable report on the arbitration treaties between the United States and several foreign governments. An amendment was adopted, providing for the submission to the senate of each claim to be arbitrated under the treaties.

The senate committee on foreign relations authorized a favorable report on the bill providing for the appointment of a minister to Morocco.

Statehood Bill Passed.

After a continuous sitting of almost nine hours, the senate at 8:45 o'clock Tuesday night, passed the joint statehood bill. As passed, the bill provides for the admission of the states of Oklahoma, to be composed of Oklahoma and Indian territory, and New Mexico, according to the present boundaries, with Arizona eliminated. The bill originated in the house and will go to conference.

Students on Strike.

Gambier, O., Feb. 8.—The entire student body of Kenyon military academy, numbering 160 men, are on a strike. The men declare they will not return to their classes until three suspended men are reinstated. Tuesday morning there was no bugle call. Instead, the men destroyed the bugle and the drum. Everything at the military academy is at a standstill. The students say they will return to their homes after a few days unless the three suspended men are taken back and all are reinstated.

Ontario Cabinet Resigns.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 8.—Premier G. W. Ross and the members of the Ontario cabinet resigned Tuesday afternoon. Lieut. Gov. Clark called on J. P. Whitney, the conservative leader, to form a new ministry.

Killed in a Wreck.

Fond du Lac, Wis., Feb. 8.—Passenger train No. 1, Wisconsin Central, ran into an open switch at Stevens Point, Wednesday, and dived an engine and box car. William I. Schell, of Fond du Lac, was instantly killed and Benjamin Hindermann, of North Fond du Lac, was probably fatally injured.

Says Charges Are Not Proved.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 8.—The house committee which investigated the Comerford charges made a report Wednesday afternoon. The report makes no specific recommendations for action of any kind by the house. The report finds that Mr. Comerford's charges of alleged corruption have not been substantiated.

Collision Causes Two Deaths.

Port Jervis, N. Y., Feb. 8.—In a rear-end collision of freight trains on the Erie railway near Otisville, William Crook, conductor of the forward train, has been burned to death in his caboose. Patrick Scully, a brakeman, was instantly killed.

Business Houses Burned.

Burr Oak, Mich., Feb. 8.—Fire early Wednesday destroyed half of the business houses on the west side of Main street, causing a loss of \$50,000. The entire town was in danger for a time.

GREENE-GAYNOR
CASE IS DECIDED

BRITISH PRIVY COUNCIL REVERSES JUDGMENTS OF CANADIAN JUSTICE.

EXTRADITION OF THE MEN NOW POSSIBLE

Washington Officials Pleased—Fugitives Are Charged with Defrauding United States Government with Captain Carter.

London, Feb. 8.—The privy council rendered its decision Wednesday morning in the Greene-Gaynor case, in favor of the American government. The council reversed two judgments of Justice Caron, of Quebec, August 13, 1902, and ordered the respondents to pay the costs of the appeal. The council's decision caustically criticises the action of Justice Caron in releasing Greene and Gaynor.

Washington Officials Pleased.

Washington, Feb. 8.—News of the decision of the judicial committee of the privy council in London, in the Greene-Gaynor case was received with pleasure by the officials here. Active proceedings to secure the removal of the men will now be resumed, as soon as the king's order is received in Canada.

John F. Gaynor and Benjamin D. Greene were indicted in Savannah, Ga., December 8, 1899, charged with embezzlement and defrauding the United States government, together with Capt. Oberlin M. Carter, in the performance of government contracts, for the improvement of the Savannah river, and other river and harbor work in that district, the illicit profits being estimated at \$2,400,000.

Gaynor and Greene were arrested in New York. They contested extradition to Georgia, and when the United States commissioner decided that they must go to that state and plead to the indictment they fled to Canada. They had been at liberty on \$40,000 bail each, and this was forfeited. Efforts to extradite Gaynor and Greene from Montreal were progressing favorably, and the extradition commission was sitting in Montreal, when Gaynor and Greene went to Quebec. A question arose as to whether they could be brought back, and detectives kidnaped them and took them to Montreal. There was a big legal fight over this action, and a Quebec judge issued a writ of habeas corpus, which was served on the jailer at Montreal, who delivered up the prisoners without notification to the extradition tribunal, and permitted them to be rushed back to Quebec. Efforts to quash the writ of habeas corpus under which they had been returned were denied by Justice Caron. After a long legal controversy Gaynor and Greene obtained their liberty within the limits of the province of Quebec. The United States government then appealed to the privy council of England, the highest court in that country. The decision simply reverses Justice Caron's judgments, and leaves Greene and Gaynor under remand as before Justice Caron intervened.

REACHES LAND IN SAFETY.

Boat Containing Fifteen Persons from Wrecked Steamer Damara Reported Ashore.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 8.—Anxiety concerning the fate of Capt. Gorst, of the Furness line steamer Damara, which was wrecked on the Nova Scotia coast Tuesday night, and 14 other persons who left the steamer in a lifeboat, was set at rest Wednesday, when news was received that the boat had reached land. The party came to shore near Pleasant Point, and had suffered little ill from their experience. Among the persons on board the lifeboat were four passengers, including two women. Word was also received here that the steamer had sunk in ten fathoms of water.

Gives Up Reins of Government.

Stockholm, Feb. 8.—King Oscar is indisposed and unable to transact state business. At Wednesday's session of the council of state he handed over the reins of government to Crown Prince Gustaf until further notice. This is not the first time that King Oscar, who is 76 years old, has intrusted the crown prince of Sweden and Norway with the reins of government. He was compelled by ill health to do so in January, 1899, and it was reported at the time that the people of Sweden and Norway wished him to abdicate. The king reassumed power in January, 1901.

To Succeed Armstrong.

Washington, Feb. 8.—It is stated on high authority that James Burton Reynolds, of Massachusetts, has been decided upon as the successor to Robert B. Armstrong, assistant secretary of the treasury, in charge of customs. Mr. Reynolds for the last several years has been the secretary of the Massachusetts state republican committee. His appointment probably will be announced within the next few days, and it is believed he will take office on March 4.


Missing Jewels Found.

San Francisco, Feb. 8.—The casket of jewels belonging to Mrs. E. M. Holbrook, of Minneapolis, which disappeared on the eve of her departure for the east, has been found in the storeroom of a hotel where they had been deposited by one of the porters.

Pioneer Railroad Man Dead.

Sloux City, Ia., Feb. 8.—News has been received here that G. W. Sanborn, one of the pioneer railroad men of the northwest, is dead at Los Angeles, Cal.

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Additional Local.

Paul A. Stekette and John Reidsma caught 40 speckled bass and 25 perch through the ice Monday.

Charles McClave will again be judge of the birds at the next poultry show. He has given such excellent satisfaction at the last show that the association deemed it advisable to engage him again.

300 glass ships and 200 glass lamps to be given away by Madam Raymond's Glass Blowers Saturday afternoon from 2:30 to 4:30. Children will be admitted for 5 cents. See the animal Exhibition and Monkey Theatre.

John B. Scully, of Chicago committed suicide in Chicago by shooting himself through the head in Humboldt Park in a moment of temporary insanity. Mr. Scully is well known in Holland and at the Resorts and the news came as a shock to his friends. Mrs. Scully is a sister of Mrs. Prof. Henry Boers of this city.

Misses Nettie and Myrtle Cherry, Edward, VanDyke, O'Beck and Babcock, teachers of the public schools of Grand Haven visited the schools of Grand Rapids and Holland Tuesday. Meantime the students in these teachers' rooms are being given a holiday. Every teacher in the schools of the city is given a chance to visit outside schools during the year.

Engineers and surveyors are in Zeeland in behalf of the Grand Rapids Holland and Chicago R. R. making surveys for the single track that will replace the double track in the eastern part of the village in the spring. The company is also securing private right of way for a track to be used for freight this being stipulated in the franchise recently granted by the city fathers.

Mrs. D. Van Dyke died at her home 129 West Fifteenth street Tuesday morning at the age of 73. Death resulted from heart trouble. She has been a resident of Holland for fifteen years and is survived by a husband and four sons, Klaas, John, Matthew and Peter and two daughters, Mrs. Gertie Popma and Mrs. Jennie Fantill. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon, Rev. Haan officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiersma ages 80 and 81 respectively have been crossed from the city pay role after an investigation had been made by the City Attorney. It was found that two years ago the aged couple had deeded to their son Y. Wiersma and to their son-in-law, N. Van Plaggenhoef their property with the understanding that they should receive support there after. But shortly afterward demands were made upon the city and also from the church for maintenance which they have received. Youka Wiersma owns a farm of 105 acres in Holland township and has it well stocked with livestock. Steps have been taken to compel the children to support their parents.

Amanda Ruch has commenced proceedings for divorce in circuit court, from her husband, Joseph Ruch. At the present time Mrs. Ruch is living on a farm near Agnew and Mr. Ruch is living in Muskegon. Mrs. Ruch alleges in her bill of complaint that her husband has been cruel to her and that he is in the habit of becoming intoxicated. Mrs. Ruch alleges that there are four children, the oldest twelve years and the youngest but a few days of age. George A. Farr is handling Mrs. Ruch's case. Saturday the latter secured an injunction through Circuit Court Commissioner Soule, restraining her husband from disposing of any of the property on the farm while the divorce suit is pending. The paper was served upon Mr. Ruch in Muskegon by Deputy Sheriff Buxton. The farm consists of 70 acres, and with its buildings and stock is valued at \$8000.

There is surprising lack of property transfers in Ottawa County at the present time, and in fact for over a year there has been little doing in that regard. This is noted particularly at the office of the Register of Deeds and Mr. Rutgers says that if business should continue no better than it does at the present time, the office would not be a particularly desirable one. There is a general dullness in real estate the country over and when there are few transfers to record the fees of the Register are cut down materially. During Peter Brusse's occupancy of the office, the Register got more out of the fees attached to the place, than were ever taken by a previous Register and probably will not be equalled again for years. This was because two interurban roads were built through the county, during Mr. Brusse's three terms and the transfers of property to these companies for rights of way, brought hundreds of dollars in fees to the Register of Deeds.—Grand Haven Tribune.

Will Bosman has purchased of J. Lokker a cottage on East Ninth street.

The county jail sheltered fifty-two prisoners last night. The greater number of them were hoboes who sought protection from the cold.

Sheriff Jesse G. Woodbury is touring the county today serving jury notices to the jurors for the March term of circuit court.

Claim Agent Kendall of the Pere Marquette was here Wednesday to adjust the losses to J. Y. Huizenga & Co. for coal in the recent wreck. From Holland he went to Zeeland to make good the claims of several merchants for merchandise damaged in the same wreck.

Samuel A. Hooper died Wednesday afternoon at his home, 130 East Fifteenth street, of tuberculosis. The deceased was 30 years of age and leaves a wife and one child. A short service was held at the residence at 7:30 Thursday evening, conducted by Rev. A. T. Luther. The remains will be taken to Ganges for burial Friday morning.

U. S. Steamboat Inspectors Pardee and Eckliff are being initiated into their new work by the examinations for engineers and pilots now being held at the offices. Several applicants for licenses are here taking the examinations and a number from Manistee are here taking the test for engineer licenses.—Grand Haven Tribune.

Orville S. Frazer was taken from Ionia Monday by Dick Overweg to answer to the charge of larceny of jewelry and clothing from Vernon Smith at St. Charles hotel on January 30. He was brought before Justice Devries Tuesday and pleaded guilty and was given 65 days in Detroit. Smith who is a railroad employee was very chummy with Frazer, but suddenly the latter left with part of Smith's belongings.

A. C. Keppel is the possessor of a valuable bible published in 1664, which his father, T. Keppel, purchased in 1845 during a visit to Amsterdam. The bible is 19 by 12 inches, 4 1/2 inches thick and weighs 17 pounds. Mr. Keppel has also an issue of the Chicago Record Herald published on wall paper in 1863. At that time, owing to the war, news print was unobtainable, and wall paper stock was seized upon by the publishers. The paper is a prized souvenir.

Captain O'Beck of the Grand Haven fishing fleet now holds no hope of ever finding the gang of nets which were left in the lake by the Anna just before the ice came in. He seems to have but little doubt but that the nets are buried deeply in the mud by this time and beyond recovery. Captain O'Beck states that years ago he lost some nets in almost the same manner and never recovered them. The loss of the nets means no small financial loss to the fishermen here, who will be obliged to put in a new gang of nets next spring.

Nick Prakken and Len Kardux the well known contractors left on the noon train for an extended trip through the south stopping at St. Louis, Cairo, New Orleans and Lafayette La. there they will visit John Van Dyk and family, brother-in-law of Prakken, from there they will go to Pensacola Florida and make the rounds of the great winter resorts and perhaps take a bath in the Briny; think of it, returning they will visit Atlanta, Memphis, Chattanooga, the great Memorial Park on Lookout Mountain and other points of interest. They will be gone about three weeks.

The spot on the sun has been attracting very much attention among astronomically inclined people for the past week and several persons in this city have seen it through a smoked glass. The spot is a very large one and covers an area of the sun's surface that is greater than the whole of the earth's surface taken together. The new spot was discovered about a week ago. The cause of the condition is not known, but it is supposed to be due to some atmospheric change in the sun zone or a volcanic explosion. Prof. Yntema and several of his pupils observed the phenomena through the college telescope.

Monday evening the sophomore class of the high school enjoyed a sleigh ride to the beautiful suburban home of James Schepers south of the city. An unusually pleasant evening was spent by all. A company of boys from the senior and junior classes, aptly called the Klu Klux Klan, walked the immense distance to the home of Mr. Schepers, anticipating an enjoyable ride back with the hospitable sophomores. But "the best laid plans of men and mice" etc. At 1:30 a. m. a sadder and wiser company, foot sore and weary, many with improvised head gear and mittenless hands, plodded their dreary way homeward.

Creamery butter now sells for 23 cents.

Dining room girl wanted. Apply at Hotel Holland.

County Treasurer Luther is very ill with stomach trouble.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Peoples State bank this evening to elect officers and transact other business.

The road to Grand Haven on the Pere Marquette was so blocked this morning that the delegates to the county convention could not go.

The city Grocery's two days sale is now on. To-day and to-morrow. This will give you an opportunity to get your groceries cheap.

Lewis Holly has resigned his position with H. Van Tongeren and has accepted one with the Walsh-DeRoo Milling Co.

The Challenge Machinery company of this city made a shipment Saturday of a carload of small printing presses and paper cutters to Hong Kong China.

Did you see the 1905 carpets at James A. Brouwers Furniture store. They are the finest patterns in Ottawa county. You can get them for cash or credit, but always at a cash price. Be sure and inspect them.

Joe Wierenga, a youth of Grand Haven has a splendid collection of old Dutch books and old tools made in the Netherlands, handed down to him by his grandfather, Josiah Van Loo. He has a carpenter's plane which bears the date 1775 and is hand carved. One of his old books, the Psalms of David, was published at Amsterdam in 1652 in the old German text. It is undoubtedly a volume of value to the collector.

There is no truth in the report that the Saugatuck lighting plant will locate their power house at Douglas. The facts are that the lighting plant will locate their power station next to the Saugatuck water station and one engineer will operate both plants. It is agreed also that the lighting company shall furnish this engineer and the village will pay into the treasury of the company the sum of 300 dollars per year.

The north and south piers of the harbor have never been so heavily weighted down with ice as at the present time and it would seem almost impossible for any piece of engineering work to hold up the additional weight. The tramway on the south revetment is coated almost solidly in places and the ice caves thus formed are beautiful indeed. This great amount of ice on the piers is caused by the heavy seas during the freezing weather of the early winter when the spray was frozen as fast as it struck the pier work.

The death of Corp. Cobert Huizenga of Grand Haven resulting from being thrown from a cutter, brings up the strange coincidence that the track in which the accident occurred has been the scene of more fatal accidents than any other block in the city. Only a few days before Egbert Stuvelling dropped dead from heart disease at the other end of this block. A local statistician figures that within four years there have been nearly thirty deaths among the residents of that particular square. It has come to be known as the hoodoo block of Grand Haven, despite the fact that for residence and business purposes it is one of the best in the town.

United States Steamboat Inspectors Pardee and Eckliff are nicely settled in the local offices. Charles C. Eckliff, the new inspector of boilers, while never having resided here, can claim some sort of a connection with the town. Mr. Eckliff's father was chief engineer on the famous old black boats in the sixties and was also chief engineer of the ill fated steamer Ironsides, although not at the time of her destruction off this port. The new inspector has spent the past several years on the sea coast in the light house steamer service and his experience and knowledge of his profession are wide. Both Mr. Eckliff and the new hull inspector, Captain Pardee, are practically young men, which shows the department's present policy of putting young men into the inspection service.—Grand Haven Tribune.

House cleaning will soon be the next thing in order and that makes you think of Wall paper, Paints, Varnishes etc. We have in our store some of the prettiest the most artistic and novel designs in Wall paper you ever dreamed of and the prices are far below the value of the goods, the reason I will tell you. I have been very fortunate in securing a line of Wall paper, that is just the goods we want. Good goods and low prices. You will be interested in looking over the Adv. of Bert Slag, the extensive Wall paper, Paints etc. on Page 14

New Industry

A new industry will be started in a few weeks, under the management of Tim Slag and J. Herenga, formerly of East Saugatuck, who will start a tea rusk factory. Four ovens will be put in and the bakery will give employment to at least 20 men. Large orders have already been contracted for. The company will locate in the Slag & Zuidewind block.

The Oratorical Contest

For the Holland City News. Benjamin J. Bush of the Junior class was accorded first place at the oratorical contest held at Winants Chapel last Tuesday evening. Four contestants entered the race, and every one quit him nobly of his task. In the main the thought was of high order and the delivery very acceptable. D. Muyskens led in thought and style, but Mr. Bush outstripped him in delivery and the summaries of the committees' reports accorded to the latter the wreath of victory. The judges on thought and style were Mrs. James Supthen, Rev. J. E. Kuizinga and Mr. Dregman. Those on delivery were Prof. J. W. Beardslee, sr., Geo. E. Kollen and C. M. McLean.

The senior class was represented by D. Muyskens, who spoke on "The Jews." It was a forceful presentation of the claims of the Jews to be considered not only a nation, but one of the leading nations of the earth. These claims were based on what the Jews contributed to the world in government, literature and religion. "The nation without a country" was shown to be a nation with an ideal government, a rich literature, and a true religion. The oration was very logical in thought and original in style. The speaker thrilled with enthusiasm and held the attention of the audience to the end.

The second speaker was Benjamin J. Bush, who represented the junior class. His subject was "Simon Bolivar." In glowing colors the speaker pictured the remarkable deeds and adventures of this South American hero. How he freed nation after nation from the tyrannical rule of Spain. His greatness was seen in the advanced thought and purpose that actuated all his endeavors in the promptness and dexterity that characterized all his movements, in the wonderful success that followed in the wake of his handful of men, and in the patience and forbearance with which he bore the ingratitude of those whom he had succored. The style of the oration showed careful preparation and was well adapted to oratorical delivery and here Mr. Bush did not fail. With ease, grace, and the utmost composure he led his audience to follow the mild adventures of his soldier hero. The committee scored him three firsts in delivery.

The Sophomore class had two representatives in the field, A. Mulder and M. A. Stegeman. The former had chosen for his subject, "Milton, the Blind Statesman," and the latter, "The Sailor of Genoa." Mr. Mulder's oration was very pleasingly written. His thought was choice and original, and his language plain, simple and almost poetic. The value of Milton's services to his country in the time of her deepest need were well brought out, and were woven into a consecutive whole, which brought out in a forceful way the real meaning of Milton's life. His delivery was natural and effective, and was well suited to the subject in hand.

In his introduction Mr. Stegeman kept his audience entirely at a loss who the "Sailor of Genoa" could be, and it was not till he had aroused the interest of his hearers by telling the meaning and the import of the life of this man that he announced the name of Christopher Columbus. This was well calculated to excite the interest of the audience in a man of whom they might think to know everything. The purpose, the hardships, the success, and the results of the discovery of America were then treated in detail, and presented to the audience with considerable fervor and enthusiasm. Although the alarm of fire threatened to bring confusion in the audience, the speaker held his own to the very last.

On the whole the contest was very satisfactory. A large audience was present. Jacob Pelgrim, who presided at the meeting, expressed the students' appreciation of the interest shown in their efforts by the people of Holland. The program was diversified with musical selections by the Misses Grace Browning and Hazel Wing, and Mr. Jas. Dykema. In connection with this it must further be mentioned that through the kindness of Pres. Kollen and Mr. John Smitsler of Grand Rapids two prizes in cash were awarded to those who took first and second place, a prize of \$15 to Mr. Bush and a prize of \$10 to Mr. Muyskens.

Those who have won the local contest since the time that Hope competed are as follows: J. W. Beardslee, 1898; A. Brock, 1899; C. Vander Meulen, 1900; C. Vander Mel, 1901; P. Grooters, 1902; A. J. Muste, 1903;

Jacob Pelgrim, 1904; and B. J. Bush 1905. Mr. Bush will represent Hope College at the State Contest to be held at Adrian, March 3.

An Open Letter From Sheriff Woodbury.

For The Holland City News. It has come to my knowledge through several sources that some one of my deputies here in the city was in collusion with the hoboes and made appointments with them as soon as their time was out, and would then donate to them a quarter towards getting them "tanked" up, and would then arrest them and place them in jail. Now, whether this is true or not, I am unable to say, but as soon as I have a reasonable amount of proof, the deputy or deputies found practicing this kind of work will lose his appointment at once.

I have also heard from information picked up on the street that some of my deputies stated that they were working on a salary and that it did not make any difference to them whether they arrested anyone or not. Now, I wish to say for the benefit of the public that I have not got a deputy that I am paying a cent. All they get out of their appointment is what they make on fees. I am glad to see that the city officials of Holland are investigating the conditions existing between the hoboes and the city police force. I hope that our legislature will pass the proposed Sheriff Bill presented to them by our Board of Supervisors and have the same take immediate effect and I will be glad to adopt the same at once.

I expect to make all I can legitimately out of my office but I do not propose to do it by grafting. If I find that any of my deputies are doing so I will drop them at once.

Jesse G. Woodbury, Sheriff, Ottawa County.

More of the Salary question

In order to give the pros and cons on the sheriff's salary system, we publish below the opinion of Supervisor Bert P. Hatch of Alledale. We believe that this subject should be studied thoroughly by our readers, and from the many opinions brought out, it may solve itself and put this much talked of system on a fair and equitable basis. Mr. Hatch has the following to say which we take from the Coopersville Observer:

The special committee, to whom was referred the drafting of the sheriff's bill, reported to the board that a large portion of the useless expenditure of the county's money was due to the justices of the peace in Holland and Grand Haven cities, and urged these cities to revise their charters so as to place their justices on a salary. There is also a bill to be introduced at this session of the legislature, which provides that all justices of the peace in fourth-class cities be placed on a salary instead of the present obnoxious fee system.

But very few people in this county know of the "graft" that is being worked under the fee system. At the present time there are from forty to fifty "hoboes" in the county jail. The majority of them come from Holland, and it costs the county something over \$8 for each one sent up from Holland city. Of this amount the justice of the peace receives \$3 as his fees. That there is a perfect understanding between the officers and "hoboes" there is no question of doubt. Their jail sentences will range from five to ten days, after which they return to Holland, get re-arrested and the officers return to Grand Haven with them again with another expense of \$8 each to the county, besides their board. With an expense of from \$10 to \$18 per week on forty or fifty "hoboes" it would be cheaper for Ottawa county to provide for their board at some first class hotel.

That Sheriff Woodbury is an honest and conscientious man, no one doubts or questions. He told the committee that in the two weeks he had been in office he had seen great opportunities for "grafting." "Now, if a newly elected officer can see chances for 'graft' in two weeks, what will he see in two years, and how many will withstand the temptation?" Mr. Woodbury has expressed his willingness to have the bill take immediate effect, providing it is passed, and I believe the taxpayers of Ottawa county should see to it that it does pass.

What reports I have seen in the local papers about the bill have been misleading. They report that the deputy sheriff shall receive a salary of \$800 per annum. That is wrong. Section 4 of said bill reads as follows:

"The deputy sheriff of Ottawa county shall receive a salary of not more than \$600 per annum and the under sheriff a salary not to exceed \$850, and the board of supervisors shall prescribe the number of deputies and shall fix the salary of the undersheriff and the deputies." When a bill reads that the salary

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Mr. VanDuren's figures, giving the deputy sheriffs of the county \$2,500 are too high. The committee's figures were \$1,500, and we figured that was sufficient, as the two deputies in the eastern part of the county, where there is very little work to do, would not have to be paid a very large salary. His argument that the salary system will not stop this tramp "graft," is, I think erroneous. Place the offices of the county on a salary, where the fewer prisoners the lighter the work, they would soon make it so uncomfortable for the "tourists" that the latter would give Ottawa county a wide berth. In this salary bill there are so many things commendable that will appeal to the taxpayers of this county that the board of supervisors have ordered several hundred copies printed, and the supervisor of each township will gladly supply a copy to anyone who desire to read it.

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