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# HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XXX.

HOLLAND, MICH., FRIDAY, FEB. 15, 1901.

NO. 5

## New Spring Suits.

We are showing advance styles in New Spring Suits; the latest designs, exclusive styles and perfect fit.



## Walking Skirts.

The Newest Cuts,  
The Latest Styles  
At Very Low Prices.

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Of all this season's latest styles of cloth and make. Prices ranging  
□ From \$1.75 to \$10.  
Ready for your inspection.

### A. I. KRAMER,

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HOLLAND,

MICH.

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and  
Oyster Shells

## FOR YOUR FOWLS

Is Just what you need  
to feed them  
to make them Lay in  
Cold Weather.  
You can get it at

### KANTERS & STANDART.

## LOOK

This list over and see if you can  
save money by buying of us.

Cleaned Currants.....	10c per lb.
Good Prunes.....	5c "
Good Coffee.....	14c "
Cood Rice.....	5c and 6c "
Good Baking Powder.....	10c "
Good Mixed Candy.....	8c "
Good Ginger Snaps.....	6c "
Good Peppermint Lozengers.....	12c "
Good Green Pea.....	3c "
Good Pearl Barley.....	4c "

All prices on Teas and Coffees, Canned and Bottled Goods.

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Over Stevenson's Jewelry Store.

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Is to Stop It.

To do this try a bottle of  
our PINE TREE TAR  
CHERRY EXPECTO-  
RANT.

A 25c Bottle works wonders.

We make this ourselves  
and know it is good.

### CON DE PREE'S

DRUG STORE,

Cor. 8th St. & Central Ave.

## Holland City News.

Published every Friday. Terms \$1.50 per year,  
with a discount of 50 cents to those  
paying in advance.

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tion.  
HOLLAND CITY NEWS Printing House, Boot  
& Kramer Bldg., Eighth St., Holland, Mich.

## CITY AND VICINITY.

Mrs. E. P. Stephan is seriously ill.

Rev. James Zwemer occupied the  
pulpit of the First Reformed church  
last Sunday in place of Dr. H. E. Dosker  
who was sick.

The next national G. A. R. encamp-  
ment will be held in Cleveland, and  
the many who go there will undoubtedly  
extend their trip to Buffalo.

Fred J. Addison, deputy factory in-  
spector who is ill at his home in Mus-  
kegon with typhoid fever, has suffered  
a relapse and his condition is much  
worse. He was getting along nicely  
until the latter part of last week.

President Kollen of the General  
Dutch Alliance, western branch, re-  
ceived a cablegram from Queen Wil-  
helmina in response to the one sent  
by the alliance congratulating the  
queen and prince upon their marriage.

Rev. Mathew Kolyn, of Orange City  
Ia., has notified the consistory of the  
First Reformed church that it will  
not be possible for him to come to  
Holland as he has accepted a call ex-  
tended by the Second Reformed  
church of Grand Rapids.

Fred Hall, a homeless lad of 14 hail-  
ing from Olive, was arraigned before  
Justice McBride Monday charged  
with larceny. County Agent Whipple  
conducted the hearing and upon his  
advice the boy was booked for the re-  
form school at Lansing. Deputy  
Sheriff Blom took him to the county  
jail Monday noon.

Mrs. Sylvia H. Lameroux of this city  
has been granted a widow's pension of  
\$8 per month.

Miss Carrie Krell, teacher of liter-  
ature in the High school, has been  
granted the degree of Bachelor of  
Pedagogy by the State Normal School  
at Ypsilanti.

C. Blom, Sr., and the Misses Jean-  
nette and Nellie Blom were in Way-  
land Wednesday, where they attended  
the funeral of Mr. Blom's nephew,  
Martin Blom.

City Treasurer Wilterdink has made  
his annual settlement with the county  
treasurer, returning only \$600 of un-  
paid taxes. The total tax levy was  
nearly \$60,000.

At a meeting of the executive com-  
mittee of the Ottawa County Sunday School  
Association held in Grand Rapids  
Monday it was decided to hold the  
fourteenth annual convention in Hol-  
land March 27.

The Wagner's male quartette will  
give an entertainment at the Lyceum  
opera house, Friday evening, March  
8 under the auspices of the Epworth  
league of the M. E. church the pro-  
ceeds to go to the church building  
fund.

Special commutation rates are made  
for Grand Rapids and Ottawa. Each  
travel for next summer 54-ride tickets  
good for one person and limited one  
month will be sold for \$10. Fifty-ride  
family tickets will also be sold for \$10  
and will be acceptable for all the  
members of a family at one time, cou-  
pons being detached.

A mass convention of the prohibi-  
tionists of Allegan county will be held  
at Edsall's opera house in Otego on  
the afternoon of the 27th inst., for the  
purpose of placing in nomination a  
candidate for county school commis-  
sioner and electing delegates to the  
state convention to be held at Kala-  
mazoo March 5th.

Johannes Klomparsen died Monday  
at his home East Eighteenth street,  
from the effects of lung fever result-  
ing from an attack of the grip. His age  
was 31 years. A wife and child sur-  
vives him. The funeral services were  
held Thursday afternoon from the  
Third Reformed church, Rev. G. H.  
Dubbink officiating.

The smallpox scare which has been  
prevalent in Fennville for some weeks  
is now a thing of the past. Public  
gatherings are now permitted and  
the schools resumed Monday morning.  
The one patient is now convalescent  
and as none of the members of his  
family have been prostrated by the  
disease the public health seems to be  
considered safe.

Ownership of two business blocks  
changed the last day of January. W.  
J. Garrod of Holland and I. P. Gris-  
wold and Burrell Tripp of Allegan  
and their wives were the parties in-  
terested. Mr. Garrod is now owner of  
the building in which the postoffice  
is located and Mr. Tripp of the store  
occupied by the J. G. Stein Grocery  
company.—Allegan Gazette.

Theodore Batzen died Saturday at  
his home on River street at the age of  
85 years. Mr. Batzen was a member  
of Company B, 19th Infantry during  
the civil war and has a fine record as  
a soldier. He became totally blind  
from the effects of exposure during  
the war and at the time of death was  
drawing a pension of \$72 per month.  
He is survived by several children.  
The funeral took place Tuesday at  
Ebenezer.

Mrs. Charles Knutson, of Macatawa,  
received a letter Saturday from Mrs.  
Charles Morton, of Grand Haven,  
stating that the 6-months old child of  
Capt. and Mrs. Adam Weckler died  
at their home in Ludington last week  
Thursday. The remains were taken  
to South Haven for burial Saturday.  
Capt. Weckler was keeper of the U. S.  
L. S. S. at this port until last sum-  
mer when he took charge of the Lud-  
ington station.

Mrs. Alice Lenderink, wife of Dr.  
Lenderink, died Saturday at the fam-  
ily home near Graafschap at the age  
of 48 years. She has been a resident  
of this locality for a number of years  
and was well known in Holland. Be-  
sides her husband Mrs. Lenderink is  
survived by one sister, Mrs. Streur, of  
Graafschap, and two brothers, Dr.  
Nyland of Grand Rapids and D. J.  
Nyland of Graafschap. The funeral  
services were held Wednesday after-  
noon at the Reformed church at  
Graafschap, Rev. A. Kelzer officiat-  
ing. He was assisted by Rev. K. Van  
Goor of this city.

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE  
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

Architect Price is preparing plans  
for a new residence for A. Steketee,  
on Fourteenth street.

Rev. Dr. Henry E. Dosker has so far  
recovered from his recent illness that  
he will conduct services in the First  
Reformed church next Sunday.

List of advertised letters at the Hol-  
land postoffice for the week ending  
Feb. 15: Ed Cohn, H. A. Ellis, B. P.  
Hulzenga, Dick Van der Wiet.

Charles Bertsch received a letter  
yesterday from his brother, Captain  
William Bertsch, of the fourth U. S.  
infantry, stationed at Manila. Capt.  
Bertsch reached Manila December 29.

E. P. Stephan has sold his residence  
on Eleventh street to Chris Nibbelink.  
Consideration \$1500. He has pur-  
chased a lot on Ninth street of M.  
Notier for \$875 and will soon begin the  
construction of a large residence. He  
expects to have it built and ready for  
occupancy June 1st.

B. R. McCrossen, candidate for the  
office of school commissioner of  
Ottawa county, was in the city Satur-  
day. The reports regarding his con-  
test for the republican nomination  
shows that he is developing consid-  
erable political strength and that the  
contest between him and Mr. Ernst  
will be very close.

At the annual meeting of Eagle  
hose company No 1 officers were elected  
as follows: Capt., Jerry Dykstra;  
lieutenant, Wm. Tremble; secretary,  
James Doyle; treasurer, John Jakel.  
The men were assigned as follows:  
Pipemen H. Van Oort, Al Koning,  
Dave Blom, John Jakel; hydrantmen,  
John Helftje, A. Zaluskey; coxman,  
Tyler Van Landegand; linemen, Al  
Baker, James Doyle, John Dyke.

The ladies of the M. E. church, will  
give an oyster supper in Lyceum opera  
house next Saturday evening. For a  
genuine oyster supper, all you want to  
eat, the ladies will charge only 25 cents.  
For those who do not care for oysters,  
another supper will be served, the  
price of supper without oysters being  
only 15 cents. The ladies hope to make  
the affair a success and should be lib-  
erally patronized. The proceeds will  
go toward the new church fund. Sup-  
per will be served from 5 to 9.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Third  
Reformed church at a meeting held  
at the home of Mrs. G. H. Dubbink  
Wednesday afternoon decided to con-  
tribute twenty-five dollars to the M.  
E. church society. The following of-  
ficers were elected for the coming  
year:

President—Mrs. G. H. Dubbink.  
Vice-President—Mrs. Geo. Ohlman.  
Secretary—Mrs. Henry E. Dosker.  
Treasurer—Mrs. John Helftje.

If all goes well picnickers desiring to  
go to Alpena Beach next summer can  
enjoy the drive much more than usu-  
ally. O. D. Bottume, in behalf of those  
interested is circulating a subscription  
list this week for the purpose of rais-  
ing money to be expended for improv-  
ing and graveling the road from the  
Reformed church near Witteveen's  
school house to the banks of Lake  
Michigan at Alpena Beach. If a suf-  
ficient amount is raised, work will be-  
gin as soon as the weather permits  
and the road will be ready for travel  
next summer. Mr. Bottume is meet-  
ing with success in his work and should  
receive encouragement.

Owing to a personal fight between  
Edwy Reed of Allegan and Governor  
Pingree, the State Horticultural as-  
sociation received no appropriation  
from the state two years ago and no  
provision was made for printing and  
distributing literature and reports  
among the fruit growers of the state.  
Mr. Reed was secretary of the associa-  
tion and Pingree retaliated for some  
political antagonism by vetoing a bill  
passed by the legislature making an  
appropriation of \$500 for this purpose.  
Appropriations had been granted in  
previous years and the society claims  
they had been of much value in  
spreading information among fruit  
growers. The association is making  
another effort to get an appropriation  
this year and Representative Wade  
of Fennville has introduced a bill ask-  
ing for \$500 to promote the horticul-  
tural interests of the state and to  
edit and compile reports of the Michi-  
gan State Horticultural society.

Grand Haven has a man whom it  
wants to back in a memory contest  
against any man in the state. It is  
said that he can remember exact dates  
of local events for the last fifty years.

I. Goldman, Dr. F. M. Gillespie and  
Barney Hopkins were remembered by  
kind friends St. Valentine's day. They  
received gifts that will always serve as  
pleasant reminders of a recent trip to  
Grand Haven.

Mrs. Jacob Van der Meulen, whose  
husband died recently in Pella, Iowa,  
has purchased a home in Grand Haven  
and she and her family will reside  
there.

By reason of the revival meeting at  
Hope church, the Union Mission class  
will meet in the basement of the First  
Reformed church, corner Central ave.  
and Ninth street, at the usual time.

The directors of the Wolverine  
Sugar company of Benton Harbor  
have finally decided to move their  
\$800,000 plant to Harrisburg, Canada,  
where a new company will be organ-  
ized.

Several valuable hunting dogs have  
been poisoned in Zealand recently.  
Ever Rice of Grand Rapids, secretary  
of the Dog Protective Association,  
upon being notified issued notices of-  
fering \$50 reward for the apprehen-  
sion of the guilty parties.

Miss Lillian Phelps, State lecturer  
of the W. C. T. U. will speak in Hol-  
land next Wednesday evening, Feb-  
ruary 20, in connection with the ex-  
ecutive meetings. She comes very  
highly recommended as a speaker and  
as a Christian woman.

Ottawa Lodge, No. 108, A. O. U. W.,  
will give a social next Wednesday  
evening, 7:30 p.m., Feb. 20th at their  
hall on Eighth street. Members will  
appear in full uniform. The families  
of the deceased members are all cor-  
dially invited to attend.

Rev. A. Clarke will preach Sunday  
morning in Winans Chapel from  
Psalm 137:56, "If I forget thee O  
Jerusalem let my right hand forget  
her cunning and let my tongue cleave  
to the roof of my mouth, if I count  
not Jerusalem above my chief joy."  
Evangelist Colburn will sing one or  
two solos. All are invited. The Ep-  
worth League and the Sunday school  
will hold their meetings in the base-  
ment of the First Reformed church.

The Michigan senators have suc-  
ceeded in their efforts to aid the beet  
sugar growers of Michigan. Senator  
Burrows took a particularly active  
part in securing an order reducing  
Russian competition. The secretary  
of the treasury has decided that Rus-  
sian sugar must pay a countervailing  
duty amounting practically to 1 cent  
a pound. The beet sugar growers of  
Michigan petitioned for the change  
and will regard it as of very substan-  
tial benefit to their industry.

The committee on invitations for  
the Lincoln and Young Men's Re-  
publican clubs' banquet, to take place  
in the Auditorium, Grand Rapids, on  
the evening of February 27, has sent  
1,000 invitations to parties outside the  
city. Editors of all the Republican  
papers, the members of the legislature  
belonging to the Republican party,  
the judges of the supreme court, state  
officials, and all Republican county of-  
ficers are included. The committee  
does not, however, desire it to be un-  
derstood that the banquet is an in-  
vitation affair, but emphasizes the fact  
that is open to the Republican public.

Col. Cornelius Gardener, formerly  
of this city where he attended Hope  
college, will receive high honor by the  
government as the following despatch  
dated Manila will show: Taysabas,  
the first southern province pacified,  
will probably be the fourth in which  
a provincial government will be estab-  
lished. Colonel Gardener of the Thir-  
tieth regiment, which is in Manila on  
its way home from Taysabas, will be  
the governor of the province. The  
Philippine commission desires Colonel  
Gardener to accept and General Mac-  
Arthur has intimated that the colonel  
might be released for that purpose.  
Colonel Gardener is well known in  
Michigan and was commander of the  
Thirty-first Michigan volunteers dur-  
ing the Spanish war. He holds the  
rank of major in the regular army.



## Holland City News.

FRIDAY, February 15.

### Lake and Marine.

The great lakes also have their records of heroism—their "Angels in Oilskins" says Gustav Kobbe in the Detroit Free Press. A remarkable rescue was that of the crew of the steamer St. Lawrence by the life savers of Lake Michigan, and connected with it was a strange, weird incident. In the night, amid heavy winds and blinding snow, and along a sea dashed shore, strewn with dangerous debris, the Point Betsie life saving crew made its way to abreast of the wreck with surfboat and guncart. They launched the surfboat, but the weather was so thick that their vision could penetrate only the little space close about them, and while crossing the second bar an unseen breaker dashed into the boat, nearly filling it, and compelling Keeper Miller, in the exercise of sound judgment for the safety of his crew, to return to the beach. The snow was then falling so fast and the boat and oars were so encumbered with ice that he concluded it would foolhardy to try it again, and he therefore decided to use the beach apparatus.

The Lyle gun was placed in position and the first shot laid its line across the wreck, but in the confusion and darkness nobody aboard saw it, and after a few moments another was sent out. This, too, seemed to be undiscovered, and the disappointed surfmen began to haul it back to the shore. Then occurred a ghostly incident. The whistle on the wreck began to blow, why, or how, the surfmen could not understand and did not learn until after the rescue was effected, when they were informed that the shipwrecked people knew nothing of the life lines until they were started to hear their own whistle blowing without any agency of theirs. Proceeding to discover the cause, they found the life line lying across the whistle cord and causing a blast of the whistle at every pull on the line. As soon as the sailors began to haul out the shot line, the whip line and then the hawser were bent on, but when they reached the vessel the sailors got them foul, and the disheartening fact that they would not work was soon apparent. Then the keeper resolved to man the surfboat again, and instead of trying to use the oars, to pull her out by means of the whip line. This life savers doggedly accomplished under adverse conditions of almost unsurmountable proportions. The sea was furious, the lines, the boat and the men were incumbered with ice, and the night was so dark that one could hardly see his neighbor. Twice the brave men made the perilous trip, each time carrying to the shore five of the steamer's chilled and almost disconsolate crew.

### OUR NEIGHBORS.

#### West Olive.

Did the ground hog make a false prophet of himself on the weather? We attend meetings ever night at the school house. West Olive is the place for lonesome people.

L. E. Carrier's wife and Mrs. Eliza Hall are both on the sick list this week. Mrs. Hall is supposed to have the consumption and is very ill at present.

Mrs. Wm. Marble and Mrs. Abe Boyer left Friday for Lake Harbor, Muskegon Co., on a short visit with Mrs. Flora Beach.

Three carloads of steam wood and two of baled straw were shipped from here Friday. That is a very good report for one day.

The correspondent wishes to say that he is a sympathizer of Mrs. Carrie Nation of Kansas, and he hopes that she will carry all of the nation's whiskey and pour it into the streets.

About 20 scholars attend school this month. This is a small number compared with 70 about 10 years ago. But Miss Vollmer is more progressive.

R. Austin of West Millbrook, and Arthur Ferry, of Holland, were some of our visitors last week.

O. F. Butcher and W. E. Videto are eloquent preachers but their meetings were not well attended last week. Rev. Butcher Sunday night took for his discourse Daniel 2:31-46, which he thinks means that the world will soon be destroyed, but that no man will know the day as it will come as a thief in the night. But some people do not believe that it predicts the entire ending.

H. Wood celebrated his birthday Monday night by having a party. We hope he enjoyed a good evening. But the snow was deep.

Wm. Haiker is thinking about removing to Oklahoma. Pahaw' the Indians will get him then.

The way of a fool is right in his own eyes, but he that hearkeneth unto counsel is wise, Prov. 12:15.

#### Filmore.

Walter Van den Beldt is moving some of his farm utensils and household goods to his new farm north of Zealand.

Mr. John Schuurman moved some of his furniture to Holland the first part of the week. We wish him success in his new home. But regret to see him leave us.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dainig from Drenthe visited their children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boeve, Jr., last Sunday.

The funeral of Mr. Botson took place at Ebenezer last Tuesday at 2 o'clock. Mr. Botson was a soldier in the civil war and was one of the early settlers and lived for a long time in our township. He leaves two sons and one daughter to mourn his loss.

Mrs. Benart Lentering died last Saturday at her home southeast of Graafschap. She leaves a husband to mourn her loss. The funeral took place last Wednesday, Rev. A. Keizer officiated.

The farmers' clubs in our township are all in a flourishing condition and are well attended by the intelligent farmers who look for their personal welfare.

### Hamilton.

We are having fine sleighing at present and the farmers are making good use of it.

Chas. Woodruff has sold a quantity of oak timbers to Holland parties and there has been several teams drawing and delivering it here on the rail road. Most of the timber was blown down last spring.

The Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. C. Palmer last week Tuesday.

Herman Browers' family have been having quite a time with the gripple. He and his wife have both been down with the disease and the children have also been ill. They are all better at this writing.

C. Dunham and wife were in Holland Friday.

Jennie Kronmeyer is so far recovered from the gripple as to be able to attend to her duties again at the store.

Are we to have a creamery or not? Seems as though we ought to know soon.

Mrs. M. E. Campany has been having a time with the gripple.

We understand that Tommy Kronmeyer has sold his blacksmith shop to Overisel parties who will fit up the building and conduct a first class shop. This is a good move in the right direction.

There is quite a lot of fisherman on the Millpond these days, but so far there has been no big catches made although Henry Beach says they are in there.

Albert Navenzell was married to Mrs. Brink who lives west of the village on Monday evening. We wish them success on their matrimonial journey.

Wood cutters are complaining about the snow being so deep that it bothers them about their work.

The new orchestra is turning out sounds even if they are not very musical sometimes. A little practice will work wonders, at least that is what Sprague says.

The section men are busy these days shovelling snow off the crossings.

Elmer Wells is putting up ice at the lake for his new meat market.

Mr. Schutmaat celebrated his 80th birthday Saturday.

### Graafschap.

The Graafschap band under the able leadership of A. Walcott, is progressing nicely. They can master nearly all of the popular tunes of the day and it will only be a question of time when they will appear on the streets of the village and discourse sweet music.

One of our prominent citizens is so anxious to be on the right political side four years from now that he has the names of his favorite candidates emblazoned in his window.

Graafschap is sadly in need of a shoemaker.

Chris Lokker, Cornell Lokker and Ed. Struer attended to business in this village last week.

The Daisy Creamery has stored its ice for the coming season. It is of good quality and is nearly a foot thick.

R. Bouws, Revs. A. Keizer and Vos attended the meeting of the classes held in Zealand last week.

La gripple, influenza, in fact colds of every description are prevalent in Graafschap these days.

It is rumored that many marriages will occur in Graafschap when the flowers bloom in the spring-time.

Miss Gerlie Bouws is visiting friends in Vriesland.

The children of Filmore school district No. 2 enjoyed a sleighride party last week.

The death of H. Ensink occurred last Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. Johanson. Mr. Ensink was 82 years of age and lived in this vicinity for the last couple of years. He formerly resided in East Saugatuck where he followed the trade of shoemaker.

Will Streur and a dear friend of his enjoyed a sleighride through Zealand Vriesland and Drenthe Thursday.

Miss Anna Roost, teacher of school district No. 2 was pleasantly surprised by her pupils at the home of Mrs. G. Lemmen. The evening was delightfully passed in playing games and other amusements. Before the pupils left for home they gave Miss Roost a fine present as a token of appreciation and esteem.

### Port Sheldon.

Please don't look for news from here every week in the winter for this is a quiet place, nothing going on in the winter, but lots of wood and logs being hauled. Summer is the time we have lots of news.

We understand that the boys in the shanty across the river baked some bread and when it was done they tried to cut it but failed, they then took one of the hand saws and managed to get off a piece by hard work. Talk about hard tack.

Our mail failed to go out Saturday for some reason and every one thought they had to go without news but our postmaster got Abe Kline to get it. Thanks.

We see in the papers that the fourth class postmasters are kicking against free delivery but it is not the case with our postmaster.

Lots of ice is being harvested here. It is the best of ice. H. Harrington got through filling his house Saturday.

Holland City looks after the interests of its country trade as well as the

city. Last week a complaint was made a out the bridge being without snow when the rest of the road was good. The farmers were well pleased to see that they had teams to work drawing snow. Thanks from here for so doing.

Lots of logs are being put in to Any's mill. Chris Cook has been busy putting in his and now Mr. H. J. Davis and Ch. is Cook have started to put in twenty thousand for F. Wabbe. Ausker Bro. also put in a lot for him.

Lots of big ice banks in the big lake. Mr. Davis and Chris Cook are busy filling their ice houses a so Jake Baker and Tom Steben is getting there ice.

Mr. Watt is quite sick.

### Rudyard, Mich.

Mr. Editor:—It is a long time ago that I wrote to you, so I will now let your readers know how we are getting along up here in Northern Michigan.

We are having fine winter weather and excellent sleighing. We have had snow here ever since the 7th of November, had some thaw and rain since; but not enough to thaw the snow all away. The people of Southern Michigan will undoubtedly think it must be terribly cold here. I must admit that it is but we do not mind it at all. We are out with the teams every day and I can generally ride all the time without getting chilled, unless it is a morning when the thermometer falls to 20 degrees below zero.

No one complains of the severity of the weather and we rarely meet one who has a cold or who coughs or has catarrh. We have never been so well in the winter in Holland as we have been here so far. I think this is a healthful country.

Everybody is as busy as they can be cutting and drawing wood and drawing pressing hay which brings \$11.50 per ton. Green hard maple stave wood \$1.25 per cord, birch wood \$1.50 per cord of cord wood, and pulp wood \$3.75 per cord, cord wood. Hemlock lumber \$10.00 per M. There is good demand for all the above products so one can see that one need not be idle here in winter.

To those interested in Rudyard and who have been thinking of making this place their home I would say, do not wait too long if you have decided to come because the longer you wait the higher the price of the land will rise and the less chance of getting work at home in the winter. I would also say that a saw mill will be put up in the hard wood timberland and will cut up 1800 acres of timber about 3 miles from here, this will give a good chance for people who come in here next summer to find work summer and winter for a few years. There are also some improved or partly improved farms for sale now in good location. When the Hollanders come in the Yankee will sell out. Most of the land which is best for farming has no timber on it, the hard wood and hemlock is found on sandy soil about 2 miles north of our place.

On Sunday we have the privilege of attending religious services three times a day and Sunday school.

A great many Hollanders are expected here next spring and this will soon be a Holland settlement for Holland Americans.

A number of buildings will be put up in the village of Rudyard next summer, two new stores, ware houses hall and a number of dwellings, and we want someone to put up a meat market and a grist mill for which water power can be secured.

So much for this time, if any are interested I will be glad to answer such questions as they may ask if I can. G. J. KAMPER.

### Wildwood, Cheboygan-County

Mrs. Ogden returned home this week from her visit to Holland, Kalamazoo and Saginaw. Her son Edward of Chicago accompanied her on the trip and will visit here with his parents for a few weeks. Homer Merrill is keeping a store at Saginaw and Mrs. Ogden and son visited her daughter Maud on the trip up.

Arthur Ogden has bought a house and lot here in Wildwood, he also bought a Postland cutter a few days ago, and as we see him riding out occasionally with a lady, things look a little suspicious.

It snows a little almost every day and the snow is about one foot and a half on the level here, the snow does not drift here very much. I don't know of any in the country, our team is skidding and hauling logs every day.

There is not much sickness here at present, don't know of but one case in these parts and that is a very aged person.

The West Olive correspondent is not an Advent any one can see that. I am not a church member but I don't like to see one member whipping others even if they do belong to some other creed. Out of 1,000 different beliefs the advents may be as near right as some others. We have a little settlement of Seventh day Baptists two miles north of here, and they seem to be a good, thrifty set of people, and have a very good church building to worship in.

Vernon Bottoms has been driving teams for N. W. Ogden, he is now driving teams 16 miles east of here and his address is Indian River.

Roy Merrill has not been seen for three weeks and don't know where he is at present.

We expect to put up two churches here this summer. One for the M. E. and one for a sect called Disciples. N. W. Ogden agreed to saw the lumber for same free if the churches are put up and finished this summer. Otherwise he is to have pay for saw bill.

As seen by the papers Holland had a great blizzard, and St. Joe on the 3rd. Everything was lovely here on that day and the sun was shining very brightly. This is the country to live in and don't you forget it.

### DETROIT.

Michigan Club Banquet, Feb. 22nd. Sell Feb. 21st and morning of 22nd. One fare rate. Return February 23.

### GRAND RAPIDS.

Republican State Convention, Feb. 28th. Sell Feb. 27th and 28th. One fare rate. Return March 1st. 5-1w

## That Cough Hangs On

You have used all sorts of cough remedies but it does not yield; it is too deep seated. It may wear itself out in time, but it is more liable to produce la grippe, pneumonia or a serious throat affection. You need something that will give you strength and build up the body.

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will do this when everything else fails. There is no doubt about it. It nourishes, strengthens, builds up and makes the body strong and healthy, not only to throw off this hard cough, but to fortify the system against further attacks. If you are run down or emaciated you should certainly take this nourishing food medicine.

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## PERE MARQUETTE

JAN. 1, 1901.  
Trains leave Holland as follows:  
For Chicago and West—  
1:05 a. m. 8:10 a. m. 12:40 p. m. 5:35 p. m.  
For Grand Rapids and North—  
1:30 a. m. 8:30 a. m. 12:35 p. m. 4:30 9:40 p. m.  
For Saginaw and Detroit—  
5:30 a. m. 4:30 p. m.  
For Muskegon—  
6:00 a. m. 12:45 p. m. 4:25 p. m. 9:30 p. m.  
For Allegan—  
8:30 a. m. 5:40 p. m. Freight local east 10:50 a. m.  
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### Allegan County.

The circuit court for the February term will convene next Monday. The calendar will be light.

A convention of the republicans of Allegan county will be held at Street-er's opera house in the village of Allegan on Tuesday, the 26th day of February, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the placing in nomination a candidate for County Commissioner of Schools, for the election of eighteen delegates to the state convention which meets at Grand Rapids February 28. Under the resolution adopted at a former convention, the following townships will be entitled to delegates as follows: Allegan 24, Casco 12, Clyde 6, Filmore 13, Ganges 10, Heath 6, Laketown 8, Lee 6, Manlius 8, Overisel 8, Saugatuck 11, Valley 5.

The Democrats of Allegan at their county convention elected eighteen delegates to the state convention to be held at Grand Rapids next month. Long resolutions were passed condemning the present national administration. Charles E. Bassett, editor of the Fennville Herald, was nominated for commissioner of schools.

### Ottawa County

Mrs. E. Dalmeyer, an old resident of Olive township, died Sunday at the age of 77 years.

Horace Sparks and Mrs. Ida Carpenter are prisoners in the county jail at Grand Haven with indictments for a criminal charge to answer. Since last autumn they have been living together as man and wife in a little cabin on the banks of Grand River opposite Spoonville. It seems that they came from Cass county, bringing a little 2-year-old daughter of the woman with them. The woman's husband, George Carpenter, discovered that his wife had eloped with Sparks, leaving two children on his hands. He was unable to find where she had gone until last week he located her in this county. He at once came to Grand Haven and had the faithless wife and her new lover arrested.

The jury in the assault and battery case of the People vs. Mrs. Frank Austin of Robinson, which was tried in Justice Pagelson's court Saturday, failed to agree after being out several hours. It is understood that four of the jurymen were for conviction and two for acquittal. The case against the women is not a very strong one and it is doubtful if the case will be retried.

### Low Rates West and Northwest.

On February 12th, and on each Tuesday until April 30th, the Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell one-way second-class tickets at the following very low rates:  
To Montana points \$25.00.  
To North Pacific Coast points, \$30.00.  
To California, \$30.00.

These tickets will be good on all trains and purchasers will have choice of six routes and eight trains via St. Paul and two routes and three trains via Missouri River each Tuesday. The route of the Famous Pioneer Limited trains and the U. S. Government Fast Mail trains.

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## NEWS FROM CHINA.

### Foreign Ministers Demand the Lives of Twelve Officials—Emperor Su Again in Power.

Peking, Feb. 7.—The foreign ministers have voted to demand the death of 12 officials named in the note, except Prince Tuan, Duke Lan and Tung Fu Siang. The two former may be banished to Turkestan.

Shanghai, Feb. 8.—An imperial edict orders officials to protect foreigners from insults and to prevent insults being offered. It declares that about 100,000 Chinese now enjoy safety abroad.

Shanghai, Feb. 11.—It is reported here that the empress dowager, yielding to foreign pressure, has allowed Emperor Kwang Su to resume the reins of government.

Peking, Feb. 12.—Recent edicts from the Chinese court show a desire to institute immediate reforms.

Peking, Feb. 13.—Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang have received a long dispatch from the court which they have not disclosed to the foreign envoys. It is understood to contain, in addition to the recent reform decree, an account of how Emperor Kwang Su has sent a choice of methods of suicide to all those named for punishment by the envoys.

### CAUGHT IN A TRAP.

#### Boers Ambuscaded and Defeat British Troops—Gen. De Wet and His Men in Cape Colony.

Cape Town, Feb. 9.—Gen. Kitchener's policy of concentrating his troops and denuding the country of supplies is being steadily maintained in the Transvaal and the Orange River Colony.

London, Feb. 11.—Advises say that after a long and hard battle the Boers under Gen. De Wet ambuscaded and defeated the British near Bloemfontein.

Pretoria, Feb. 12.—The Boers have mined the railway near Middleburg, Transvaal.

London, Feb. 13.—A special dispatch from Pretoria says Gen. De Wet crossed the Orange river north of Norvalspont, Sunday night, going in the direction of Philippstown. The British are following.

### MRS. NATION'S TOUR.

#### While Passing Through Iowa Advises the People to Smash Saloons—Visits Resorts in Chicago.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 12.—As a result of the meeting of the citizens of Topeka all the joints of the city are closed. The citizens made the peremptory order that the sales be discontinued by noon Monday, and as far as is known the order was regarded.

Iowa City, Ia., Feb. 12.—In addresses here and at Muscatine Mrs. Nation urged the people to smash the saloons in Iowa.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Mrs. Carrie Nation addressed a small audience in Willard hall last evening, and visited several saloons, recognizing her husband's grandson as a bartender at one place.

### Death of Ex-King Milan.

Vienna, Feb. 12.—Ex-King Milan of Serbia died here yesterday, aged 49 years. Neither King Alexander, his son, nor ex-Queen Natalie was present when the ex-king died. The remains will be interred at Kronehof, a sacred monastic shrine in Symria, Slavonia, with the honors due a member of the reigning dynasty.

### Centenarian Dead.

Kington, N. Y., Feb. 13.—Elizabeth Ward Boone Van Hoenberg died at her home here Tuesday in her one hundredth year. She was born in England and came to America in 1823. She lived in Michigan many years and later in Brooklyn. She was a cousin of Daniel Boone, the famous explorer of Kentucky.

### Death of Gen. Ruggles.

Havana, Ill., Feb. 11.—Gen. James M. Ruggles died at the Hopping sanitarium here Saturday morning. He was a veteran of the civil war and prominent in republican politics. Alone he drafted the first platform on which the republican party in Illinois was founded.

### Kills Two Men.

Athens, O., Feb. 13.—In a bloody fight at Hollister, a mining village near here, Albert Stitzer shot and killed Mike Johnkac and Joe Fobish. In the struggle Stitzer was fearfully cut, but he will recover. He is under arrest. The trouble started about a woman.

### Death of a Millionaire.

New York, Feb. 9.—David Hunter McAlpin, the millionaire tobacco manufacturer and philanthropist, died Friday at his residence in this city. He was 85 years of age. Death resulted from an attack of apoplexy which came on several days ago.

### To Avoid Extra Session.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Plans to avoid an extra session of congress were discussed at the cabinet meeting yesterday. The situation in the Philippines is comparatively simple. The greatest problem is how to dispose of Cuba.

### Hanged by a Mob.

Paris, Ky., Feb. 12.—George Carter (colored) paid the extreme penalty of his crime of assault upon Mrs. W. E. Boff about three weeks ago, at the hands of a mob here, who took him from the jail and hanged him.

### A Lively Rumpus.

St. Louis, Feb. 12.—In a fight in front of the polling place at No. 1210 Linden street three negroes and Police Sergeant Quinlaven were wounded and the ballot box was stolen.

### War Hero Dies.

Bethany, Mo., Feb. 9.—Gen. B. M. Prentiss, hero of the Mexican and civil wars, died at his home here, aged 81 years.

## THE NATIONAL CONGRESS.

### Senate Passes the Military Academy Appropriation Bill, Adding a Penalty for Hazing.

### MILLIONS VOTED FOR PENSIONERS.

#### House Passes the Post Office Appropriation Bill and Discusses Other Important Measures—Bill to Abandon Control in the Philippines—Daily Summary of Proceedings.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The war revenue reduction bill was passed in the senate yesterday and the military academy appropriation bill was also passed with a provision against hazing as follows:

"That the superintendent of the military academy shall make such rules, to be approved by the secretary of war, as will effectually prevent the practice of hazing; and any cadet found guilty of participating in or encouraging or countenancing such practice shall be summarily expelled from the academy, and shall not thereafter be reappointed to the corps of cadets or be eligible for appointment as a commissioned officer in the army or navy."

Washington, Jan. 8.—The pension appropriation bill, carrying \$144,000,000, was passed in the senate yesterday and a bill prohibiting certain corporations contributing to campaign funds was reported favorably.

Washington, Feb. 9.—An ineffectual attempt was made in the senate yesterday to set a time for final vote on the shipping bill. The naval appropriation bill was considered without action.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The time in the senate on Saturday was occupied in discussing the naval appropriation bill. The agricultural appropriation bill, which carries a total of \$4,503,920, was reported.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The omnibus appropriation bill (\$2,989,000) was reported in the senate yesterday and a bill was also reported appropriating \$500,000 for the Buffalo Pan-American exposition. The naval appropriation bill and a bill for an additional judge in the northern district of Illinois were passed and the shipping bill was further discussed.

Washington, Feb. 13.—During the entire session of the senate yesterday the agricultural appropriation bill was under consideration. A commission was appointed to select a site in Washington for a memorial or statue of Gen. U. S. Grant, to cost \$250,000.

#### The House.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Debate on the post office appropriation bill consumed the time in the house yesterday.

Washington, Feb. 8.—In the house yesterday Mr. Brown (O.) introduced a resolution declaring it to be the purpose of the United States to ultimately abandon sovereignty over the Philippines. The post office appropriation bill was passed.

Washington, Feb. 9.—One hundred and eighty-four private pension bills were passed in the house yesterday and a general pension bill was passed to restore to the pension roll widows of soldiers who were married before the close of the rebellion and who are now dependent upon their own labor for support.

Washington, Feb. 11.—In the house on Saturday the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was considered. The special committee which investigated hazing at West Point submitted their report, together with a bill making stringent regulations against hazing, fighting and all brutal practices.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Mr. Babcock (Wis.) introduced a bill in the house yesterday to put steel rails, billets, iron, wire, nails, car wheels, etc., upon the free list. The diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was considered.

Washington, Feb. 13.—In the house yesterday the army appropriation bill was passed and consideration of the sundry civil bill, the last of the big money measures, was begun.

#### Death of a Veteran.

Stockton, Cal., Feb. 12.—Col. Ferris Forman, who was in command of an Illinois regiment during the Mexican war, of which he was the last surviving officer, died here Monday at the age of 94. He was appointed district attorney of Illinois by President Buchanan, was the first postmaster of Sacramento, Cal., and was secretary of state under one of the early governors of California.

#### Drug Stores Raided.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—Crying out that drugs were the agents of the devil, a half dozen women followers of Dowie adopted the tactics of Mrs. Carrie Nation yesterday and wrecked a number of drug stores on the West side.

#### Was Well Known.

Mount Vernon, O., Feb. 9.—Charles Cooper, one of the oldest and best-known iron manufacturers in Ohio, died at his home here, aged 93 years. He built the first locomotive west of the Allegheny mountains.

#### Seventeen Lives Lost.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 11.—Official advices from the governor of Paku, the scene of the recent naphtha fires, say that the total loss of life was 17 and that the loss of property will not exceed 1,200,000 roubles.

#### Calls Special Election.

Augusta, Me., Feb. 9.—Gov. Hill issued a call Friday for a special election in the Fourth congressional district to be held April 8, to choose a successor to Congressman C. A. Boutelle, resigned.

#### Rear Admiral Dead.

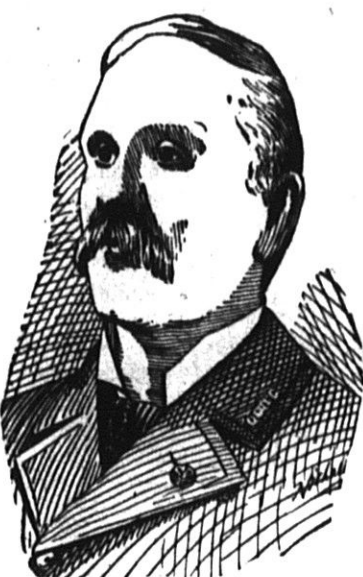
Washington, Feb. 11.—Rear Admiral Peter A. Bessie, who retired about a year ago, died here Saturday morning.

## DROPPED DEAD.

### Col. Shaw, Formerly Commander in Chief of the G. A. R., Expires from Attack of Apoplexy.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Col. Albert Duane Shaw, former commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic and congressman from the Twenty-fourth district of New York, died suddenly yesterday in his room at the Riggs house of apoplexy.

[Col. Albert Duane Shaw was born in Lyme, Jefferson county, N. Y., on December 21, 1841. He was a student at the Belleville Union academy when the civil war broke out. Though not yet 20 years old, he at once enlisted in the Thirty-fifth New York volunteers. He took part in the bat-



ALBERT D. SHAW.

ties of Rappahannock Station, Bull Run, Chancellorsville, South Mountain, Antietam, Fredericksburg, and a number of smaller engagements. After the war Col. Shaw served in the New York assembly in 1867. He was United States consul at Toronto for ten years, and was then promoted to be consul at Manchester, England, where he remained until 1886. For several years he was largely interested in the development of electric power at Niagara Falls. Since 1890 he has been president of the Canadian Niagara Power company, which has a hundred-year lease of the water power within the Queen Victoria park. Col. Shaw early became a prominent member of the Grand Army of the Republic. He was elected commander in chief of the G. A. R. at the Philadelphia encampment in 1899, and served the term of one year, being succeeded by Leo Rassieur, who was elected at the Chicago encampment of last August. Col. Shaw was elected to congress early in 1900 to fill the vacancy caused by the death of C. A. Chickering, and was reelected to the seat for the Forty-seventh congress, which begins on March 4 next.]

### BIG STEEL COMBINE.

Morgan & Co. Are to Unite Interests with a Capitalization of Almost \$1,000,000,000.

New York, Feb. 7.—J. P. Morgan & Co., a private banking house which has for years been a world figure in railway affairs, has made a bargain with Andrew Carnegie by which his entire steel stock holdings are taken over and will form the basis of a gigantic combination in which properties with an authorized capitalization of \$660,000,000 will have an interest. With allied interests the companies will represent a capital of nearly \$1,000,000,000. Included in this trust will be the following companies:

The Carnegie company, with its \$320,000,000 of authorized capitalization.

The Federal Steel company, with its \$200,000,000 of authorized capitalization.

The American Steel & Wire company, capitalized at \$90,000,000, now controlled by John W. Gates and his Chicago associates.

The National Steel company, capitalized at \$50,000,000, one of the four big steel properties which were promoted by William Moore, of Chicago.

### Disappointed Lover's Crime.

Winsted, Conn., Feb. 12.—Miss Winifred Cook, aged 23, a teacher in the W. J. Gilbert home for children, was shot and instantly killed in the home Monday by her suitor, John T. Hayes, formerly lieutenant of company I, Fourth regiment, C. N. G. Lieut. Hayes afterward turned the revolver upon himself, inflicting three wounds in his forehead. His condition is serious, but there is a chance of his recovery. Jealousy is supposed to have been the cause for the act.

### Given Up as Lost.

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 12.—Underwriters and shippers have given up all hope of seeing any of the big overdue fleet which has been so anxiously awaited at Portland. Over 230 lives and property valued at \$1,200,000, it is feared, have been wiped out of existence within less than 60 days.

### Charged with Robbery.

Manilla, Ia., Feb. 11.—By tracks in the snow the officials of Manilla Sunday found the United States express safe, said to have contained \$40,000 and stolen Saturday night from the railway station. Three men were arrested and accused of the robbery.

### Killed in a Mine.

Seranton, Pa., Feb. 13.—Michael McGowan, aged 25, and William Hugo, aged 20, both single men, employed as laborers in the White Oak mine of the Delaware & Hudson company at Archbald, Pa., were killed by a fall of roof coal.

### Free Text Books in Cleveland.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 12.—The Cleveland school council has definitely decided to supply free text-books for the first eight grades, commencing with the next school year.

### Was First Governor.

Colorado Springs, Col., Feb. 8.—Robert W. Steele, the first territorial governor of Colorado, died at his home here, aged 81 years. His wife died the previous day.

### Cigarette Law in Porto Rico.

San Juan de Porto Rico, Feb. 13.—The effect of the revenue law is that cigarette orders have decreased.

### Yellow Fever at Rio Janeiro.

Rio Janeiro, Brazil, Feb. 13.—Three cases of yellow fever were discovered here Monday.

### Spanish Paper Suppressed.

Madrid, Feb. 13.—The government has suppressed the republican organ El Pais.

## TWO WOMEN KNIGHTED.

### Earned the Honor by Gallantry During Siege of Legation in China.

In the list of honors proposed by the French foreign office and just signed by the president of the republic are the names of two ladies, Mme. Lieutier and Mme. von Rosthorn. The two new feminine knights of the Legion of Honor have both been decorated for gallant conduct in China. The former is the lady superintendent of the French hospital at Peking, the latter the wife of the charge d'affaires of Austro-Hungary at Peking, who has been made an officer of the Legion of Honor. M. and Mme. von Rosthorn, after the destruction of the Austro-Hungarian legation, sought refuge in the French residence, where both husband and wife helped in the defense of the besieged building with untiring energy. Lieut. Darcy describes a fierce struggle which took place on June 28 and in which M. and Mme. von Rosthorn displayed great bravery, the lady being badly wounded about the face and hands while assisting her husband in setting fire to a Chinese barricade by throwing handfuls of ignited straw saturated with petroleum on the structure. Mme. von Rosthorn is the second woman of foreign nationality upon whom the French government has bestowed the cross of the Legion of Honor, says the London Telegraph. The first was a Belgian, Marie Jeanne Shellinck, who fought in the wars of the first revolution, under Dumouriez, and of the empire under Napoleon, taking part in the battles of Jemmapes, Arcole, Austerlitz and Jena. In 1809, when she left the army, at 52 years of age with the rank of sublieutenant, she had served 17 years, fought in 12 campaigns and had been wounded eight times. On her retirement Napoleon gave her the cross of the Legion of Honor, which he himself pinned on to her soldier's coat, telling the officers to salute her as he did so, because she was one of the "glories of the empire."

### A GIANT INDUSTRY.

The Steel Industry as It Has Been Developed in America in Recent Years.

According to Prof. R. H. Thurston, who writes of "The Steel Industry of America," in Century, Sir Henry Bessemer's invention has added more to the world's wealth than any other save the steam engine. The following figures give an idea of the extent of the production of steel throughout the world:

"The world's product of Bessemer steel in 1892 would have made a column of pillars 20 feet in diameter and 160 high, 1,672 in number, extending over three miles, 836 on each end, or a single row over six miles long. Every working day in that year there was produced the equivalent of between five and six such columns, and a day's work resulted in the output of nearly as much as was the total annual product of the great city of Sheffield at the time of Bessemer's invention. The annual production of Bessemer steel was, in another comparison, shown to be the equivalent of a column 100 feet in diameter, the size of a moderately large gas holder, and 6,684 feet 6 inches high—a mile and a third. This would be 16½ times as high as the cross on the dome of St. Paul's in London. One-twelfth of its altitude would measure the production of a single month and would rise to above the height of the Washington monument. A single hour would yield a pillar of steel nine feet in diameter and about 140 feet high, the altitude of a tall church steeple. The work of a year would construct a steel wall five feet in thickness, 20 feet high and 100 miles long, which would be enough to inclose an area of about 800 square miles, 3½ miles in diameter, sufficient to inclose London and its suburbs in a circle radiating over 30 miles from St. Paul's or the bank. The foundation of the wall itself would occupy 60 acres.

"The United States enters the new century with just about this total production of steel."

### LONGEST BALLOON VOYAGE.

French Count Who Sailed in the Air from Paris to Kiew, a Distance of 1,304 Miles.

The science of aeronautics is attracting more attention at the present time than ever before in its history. Several new and ingenious air-ships have been tested before the public in the past few months, including the remarkable machine of Count Zeppelin, and there is reason for the belief that the world is to be favored at an early date with a successful solution of the problem of aerial navigation. An event significant of the large possibilities in that direction was the recent balloon voyage of Count Henry de la Vaul, the French aeronaut, from Paris, France, to Kiew, Russia, a distance of 1,304 miles. This is the longest balloon voyage ever made. The air-ship in which this remarkable flight was made is called the Centaure, and was built according to plans invented by the count himself. The count was accompanied on the journey by one friend only, Count Castillon de Saint Victor. The balloon was well stocked with provisions and equipped with all needful apparatus for aerial observations. Not a single unpleasant incident marred the trip, which goes on record as the most notable voyage through the air ever accomplished.

### Plowing by Alcohol Power.

Alcohol plow locomotives are now in use in Germany. The machine uses about a pint of alcohol an hour for one horse-power.

## WEAKNESS OF MEN AND WOMEN

Could we read the hearts of every man we must find a load of sorrow and despair would be disclosed. Indiscretions and blood diseases have caused more physical and mental wrecks than all other causes combined. They strike at the foundation of manhood; they sap the vital forces; they undermine the system, and not only do they often disrupt the family circle, but they may even extend their poisonous fangs into the next generation. If you have been a victim of early sinful habits, remember the seed is sown, and sooner or later you will reap a harvest. If your blood has been diseased from any cause do not risk a return later on. Our New Method Treatment will positively cure you and you need never fear any return of the disease. We will give you a guarantee bond to that effect. We would warn you sincerely against the promiscuous use of mercury, which does not cure blood poison but simply suppresses the symptoms.

### WE CURE OR NO PAY.

Don't Let your Life be Drained Away, which weakens the intellect as well as the body. There is no room in this world for physical, mental or sexual derangement. Our New Method Treatment will cure all the natural losses, Purify the Blood, Strengthen the Nerves, Restore Vitality, and make a man of you. If you are in trouble, call and consult us. Consultation is Free. We treat and cure Drains, Blood Diseases, Venereal, Stricture, Unnatural Discharges, Gleet, Kidney and Bladder Diseases, No cutting or operations. No detention from business. Everything confidential. Satisfaction Free. Books Free. Questions Blank Free for Home Treatment.

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### Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by Dirk Strowejans and Trietje Strowejans his wife, of the City of Holland, County of Ottawa and State of Michigan parties of the first part to Tobias B. Keffers of the same place, party of the second part, on the fourth day of March, A. D. 1876 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan, on the fourteenth day of July A. D. 1885 in Liber 31 of Mortgages on page 325, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the time of this notice the sum of Seven Hundred Forty Dollars (\$740) besides an attorney fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) provided for by law, and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part of it, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of the non-payment of the amount due thereon.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and that in such cases made and provided said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public vendue of the mortgaged premises, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with said costs of foreclosure and a sale, including said attorney fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00). Said sale to take place at the north end of the Ottawa County Court House in the city of Grand Haven, Ottawa County, Michigan, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa is held) on Monday the 25th day of February A. D. 1901 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

The said mortgaged premises to be sold being described in said mortgage as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated and being in the City of Holland, in the County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, and described as Lots numbered 6 and 8 in Block designated "C" and Lot numbered five (5) in Block designated "E" and "F" in Block designated "G" in the City of Holland in accordance to the map thereof in record in the Register's office for Ottawa County Michigan.

Dated Holland, N. Y. Feb. 24 A. D. 1900  
Tobias B. Keffers, Mortgagee  
G. J. DIECKMA, Attorney for Mortgagee.

### Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by Dirk Strowejans and Trietje Strowejans his wife, of the City of Holland, County of Ottawa and State of Michigan parties of the first part to the Ottawa County Building & Loan Association of Holland, Michigan, a corporation party of the second part dated the Eleventh day of May A. D. 1896 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa County Michigan, on the 14th day of May A. D. 1896 in Liber 47 of Mortgages on page 462 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the time of this notice the sum of nine hundred three dollars sixty-four cents (\$93 64) besides an attorney fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) provided for by law and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part of it, and the whole of the principal sum of said mortgage together with all arrearages of interest thereon having become due and payable by reason of default in the payment of interest and installments of principal and fines imposed according to the bylaws of said Association on said mortgage on the days when the same became due and payable, and the non-payment of such interest installments and fines being in default for the space of more than six months after the same became due and payable, wherefore, under the conditions of said mortgage, the whole amount of the principal sum of said mortgage with all arrearages of interest thereon, at the option of said party of the second part became due and payable immediately thereafter; and the said Ottawa County Building and Loan Association of Holland, Michigan, hereby declares its election and option to consider the whole amount of said principal sum of said mortgage due and payable.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and the statute in such cases made and provided said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public vendue of the mortgaged premises or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with said costs of foreclosure and sale including said attorney fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) Said sale to take place at the north end of the Ottawa County Court House in the City of Grand Haven, Ottawa County, Michigan, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa is held), on Monday the 18th day of February A. D. 1901 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

The said mortgaged premises to be sold being described in said mortgage as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated and being in the City of Holland, in the County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Lot number seven 7 in Block, "C" in the West Addition to said City according to the recorded plat thereof, except the East forty-one and a half (41 1/2) feet thereof which has heretofore been released from said mortgage by said Ottawa County Building and Loan Association.

Dated November 17, A. D. 1900.  
The Ottawa County Building & Loan Association.  
G. J. DIECKMA, Attorney for Mortgagee.

Call at the store of G. Van Patten on River street and examine his fine new line of pretty handkerchiefs, sofa pillow tops, linen lunch cloth table patterns and napkins.

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### Piles! Piles!

Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure blind, bleeding, ulcerated and itching piles. It soothes the tumors, allays the itching, causes the piles to shrink, gives instant relief. Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared only for the cure of the private parts, and nothing else. Every box is guaranteed. Sold by druggists, sent by mail, for \$1.00 per box. Williams' Pile Ointment, Cleveland, O. Sold on a guarantee by J. O. Doan, M.D., and

G. Van Patten, the River street merchant has a fine new line of pretty handkerchiefs, sofa pillow tops, linen lunch cloths, table patterns and napkins which he offers for sale at reasonable prices. 38-39

### Rupture.

Write the *Weakest Remedy Co.*, Albany, N. Y., and they will tell you how you can cure your Rupture or Hernia and the only way they can possibly be cured. Free of charge. It will cost you but one cent, don't wait, you will never regret it.

### To Cure La Grippe in Two Days

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if they fail to cure. E. W. Groves' signature on every box.

FOR SALE, CHEAP. The Atkinson Farm, Improved, 94 acres, 5 miles north of Holland. Address M. V. Cahill, 315 Dearborn street, Chicago.

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They act gently on the Bowels, Liver and Kidneys, effectually cleanse the system from all impurities, beautify the complexion, prevent Headaches and Fevers, cure indigestion and dizziness, overcome habitual constipation, and restore the bloom and vigor of youth. Sold by all druggists, in tablets or liquid at 25 cents per box or bottle. Warranted to cure constipation.

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### Dr. E. Detchen'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.

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We carry the most complete line of Graphophones, Phonographs, etc., in the state from \$1.00 to \$150.00. We carry the complete catalogue of records. Write for catalogue.

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## Holland City News.

FRIDAY, Feb. 15, 1901.

N. J. WHELAN, Editor.

### City Caucus.

Notice is hereby given that a caucus of the Republican party of the City of Holland will be held in the Grandwet building, Thursday, Feb. 21st, at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the County convention to be held in the city of Grand Haven, Feb. 26th.

H. W. KIEKINTVELD,  
Chairman.

OTTO P. KRAMER, Sec'y.

### Republican Caucus.

Republican caucus will be held in Holland Township on Saturday the 23rd day of February at 2 o'clock in the townhouse to elect 16 delegates to the county convention to be held at Grand Haven for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for school commissioner and also electing delegates to the State Convention. By order Rep. Committee.

JOHN Y. HUIZENGA.

### Republican Co. Convention.

An Ottawa County Republican Convention will be held in the Court House in the city of Grand Haven, on Tuesday, February 26th, 1901, at two o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing 17 delegates to the State Convention, to be held in the city of Grand Rapids on Tuesday, Feb. 26th, 1901. Also to nominate a County Commissioner of Schools, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The townships and wards are entitled to representation as follows:

Albion	2nd ward	11
Blondin	3rd ward	11
Chasler	4th ward	9
Crookery	5th ward	9
Georgetown	Holland Township	16
Grand Haven Twp.	Jamstown	10
Grand Haven	Oliver	10
1st ward	Folkston	17
2nd ward	Robinson	13
3rd ward	Spring Lake	11
4th ward	Tallmadge	8
Holland City	Weight	7
1st ward	Zeeland	20

Dated, Grand Haven, Jan. 31, 1901.  
J. V. B. GOODRICH, Chairman.  
P. BROWN, Sec.

### Inspiring Evangelistic Meetings.

The evangelistic meetings held in Hope church this week are the most inspiring ever held in Holland.

Messrs. Smith and Colburn are thoroughly versed in the work of revivals. They are talented men and are conversant with every phase of religious life. Both are endowed with persuasive eloquence and sympathetic hearts. They are earnest in manner and sincere in convictions. Added to these gifts is the power to sing sweetly, to touch the heart with song. It is no wonder that with these qualities of mind and heart, those earnest energetic men have caused a strong religious sentiment, a deep religious fervor to prevail in Holland this week.

The meetings began last Friday night and even though it was a blustery, wintry night, a large crowd assembled and the work was started with vigor.

Sunday night the church was crowded to the doors and so it has been nearly every night in the week. People have thronged to Hope church, attracted by the fame of the evangelists and actuated by a desire to seek religious enlightenment.

Messrs. Smith and Colburn have organized a chorus of 60 voices. Besides the songs of the chorus, the evangelists render duets and solos at the different meetings, making the musical part of the evening's program an attractive feature.

### A Generous Response By Citizens.

The citizens of Holland have responded generously to the M. E. church society and as a result a large amount of money has been raised for a new church to replace the one destroyed by fire last Wednesday afternoon. The fund is not yet large enough to warrant the members of the society to make definite plans regarding the new structure but it is expected that by next week they will be in a position to know just what can be done.

If they meet with the success this week that they did last, ground will be broken for the new building within a couple of weeks. The insurance has not been settled yet but the agent is expected every day and no trouble is anticipated in this matter.

### Hope College Oratorical Contest.

Next Friday evening, Washington's birthday, the Hope College oratorical contest will be held at Winants Chapel. There are five contestants.

The seniors will be represented by John Steenburgh, the Juniors by Miss Minnie Vander Ploeg and Henry De Pree and the Sophomores by C. Van der Mei and L. Boeve. John G. Winter was one of the two seniors chosen but he refused to enter the contest this year.

No admission will be charged and a cordial invitation to attend is extended to the public.

### Steamboat Companies Elect Officers.

The Grand Rapids & Chicago Steamboat company and the Holland & Chicago Transportation company, the former owning the steamer Soo City and the latter the steamer City of Holland, at their annual stockholders' meeting elected directors and officers for the ensuing year.

The Grand Rapids & Chicago Steamboat company re-elected officers and directors as follows:

President—W. H. Beach.  
Vice President—J. J. Cappon.  
Secretary—C. J. De Roo.  
Treasurer—J. C. Post.

Directors—H. H. Pope, W. J. Garrod, J. C. Post, J. J. Cappon, C. J. De Roo, Jno. Bertsch, W. H. Beach, and George P. Hummer.

The Holland & Chicago Transportation company re-elected the following officers and directors:

President—W. H. Beach.  
Vice President—H. Kremers.  
Secretary—C. J. De Roo.  
Treasurer—J. C. Post.

Directors—J. Cappon, H. Kremers, P. H. McBride, H. H. Pope, W. J. Garrod, J. C. Post, C. J. De Roo, Geo. P. Hummer, and W. H. Beach.

The steamer City of Holland has been sold to the Thomson line of Detroit and the new steel steamer now being built at Toledo, will take its place on the Holland & Chicago route under the ownership of the Holland & Chicago steamship company.

Concerning the report in the Chicago papers to the effect that the new boat was to be named "Ottawa," President Beach says that there is no foundation for the report as no name has yet been selected, although the desirability of the above name was discussed informally. From a historical point of view the name would be appropriate, as it would be a reminder of the Ottawa tribe of Indians and of the fact that the steamer sails from Ottawa county.

### The State Round-up Farmer's Institute.

If you will buy your tickets on Monday, February 25th, you can get passage to Lansing and return for one fare for the round trip. The State Round-up Farmers' Institute occurs the last three days of February, at the Agricultural College. The program is a novel one. In the forenoon the crowd is divided into three sections. The women go to the Women's Building where for three days instruction is given in domestic art, cooking and sewing. The fruit men have a section by themselves each forenoon, with a program that would do justice to any fruit convention. In the general farm section a drill is given every day in stock judging, taking up horses on Tuesday, cattle on Wednesday, and sheep and swine on Thursday. The best talent available is secured for training the people attending in the art of judging live stock. Every day at nine o'clock instruction is given on veterinary topics and at ten on stock feeding. The afternoons and evenings are given up to more general topics. The Institute is thus in itself a college education in brief. No farmer who can possibly leave his business can afford to miss this opportunity. Programs will be sent to all who request them.

C. D. SMITH,  
Supt. Farmers' Institute.  
Agricultural College,  
Michigan.

### Fire Extinguishing System a Success.

Fire broke out on the second floor of the Ottawa Furniture factory last Tuesday night at 10:30 o'clock. The alarm was turned in from box 23 and the fire department responded quickly to the call but their services were not needed as the automatic fire extinguishing system installed in the factory last winter worked to perfection and quenched the flames before damage was done.

This is the first time that the system has been put to actual test in this city and the management of the factory is delighted with the successful demonstration of its efficiency. The automatic fire extinguisher works as follows:

Pipes running along the ceiling of every room in the building are connected with main pipes leading to an immense water tank on the top of the building. Plugs made of soft metal are placed in those pipes about eight or ten feet apart. The plugs are so made that when they are subjected to a certain degree of heat they melt and allow the water to escape and spray the blazing parts of the building. So as to make the system doubly sure, when the plugs melt and the air escapes, an automatic contrivance causes a gong in the engine room to sound an alarm, so that the watchman or engineer is warned that a fire is in progress. The plugs in the immediate vicinity of the fire are the only ones that melt. When the fire is under control the water can be turned off, new plugs are put in and every thing is in readiness to guard against the next fire.

### Bert Tibbetts Held.

Bert Tibbetts will have a chance to prove his innocence of the murder of Humphrey Jackman at the coming March term of circuit court. At the conclusion of the examination before Justice Pardon last evening (Friday) the young man was held to the circuit court, charged with second degree murder and his bail was fixed at \$3,000.

George E. Kellan, attorney for the defense, made a strong appeal at the after supper session last evening (Friday), for the discharge of his client. He claimed there was a woful lack of evidence and nothing to indicate Bert's guilt. The Judge thought differently however, and concluded to bring Tibbetts before the March court. His bail was reduced from \$5,000 to \$3,000.

No new evidence was offered at yesterday's examination. Deputy Sheriff Cornelius Andre and Martin Van Oost were present to sign their testimony, rendered at Monday's hearing.

Despite the fact that there is not the strongest kind of evidence against Tibbetts, there are many things that make it appear dark for him. Sheriff Dykhuys has worked up a good circumstantial case, and there are a number of features that Bert will have to explain. Of course, his not testifying at the examination, the prosecution will be in the dark until the trial, as to what he will bring forth in his defense.

The disappearance of the black trousers that witnesses say Bert wore the night before the tragedy, but which he denies vigorously, has cut no small figure in his being held. Officer Andre states that on the Saturday Bert was arrested, he (Andre) went to Tibbetts' father and asked for Bert's clothes, and told him to put the black pants with them. When the bundle was opened these pants were not there. He again went to Tibbetts' home and Bert's father and stepmother declared they knew nothing of the trousers. Andre and Detective Kennedy have been to the house since but the pants were not forthcoming. Bert told the sheriff the trousers were home, but going there Mrs. Tibbetts offered to swear over a stack of Bibles that she knew nothing of them.

If Bert Tibbetts is really guilty of the murder of Humphrey Jackman, and if he wore those black pants that morning, they were undoubtedly bespattered with blood and human gore. With careful and proper cleaning it is said that the blood could be removed. Be that as it may the tell-tale trousers could have been destroyed long ago.

The prisoner did not appear as unconcerned and debonaire yesterday as on previous occasions. The dull monotony of jail life is either wearing on him or he is worrying. Although there is no direct evidence against him, there is much of a circumstantial nature that he will have to explain on trial. That Humphrey Jackman was murdered there is no doubt and despite the fact that his body was found behind a horse that had something of the reputation of being a kicker, Georgetown people, and neighbors, will never accept any other theory than that of cold blooded murder.

Because a pocketbook with over \$40 was found in one of Jackman's pockets it does not follow that the murderer did not secure money from him. The murdered man carried another pocketbook and it was empty. There has been evidence introduced to prove that Jackman had considerable more money than was found on his person. And who secured it? The theory of the prosecution is that Tibbetts needed money, and that accounted for his visit to Jackman in the McCoy barn that morning, after having first started for the home of his girl, Miss Van Oost, for that purpose.

Then there are other things that will come up in the trial, which will undoubtedly be one of the most interesting in the annals of Ottawa county's criminal history.—G. H. Tribune.

"What happened the black trousers?" That is the question that has been agitating the people connected with the Tibbetts case. The prosecution thought that if the black trousers were located light would be shed on the case. Well, they have been found; but the discovery tends to make matters more complicated. They are in the possession of Geo. E. Kollen, attorney for Tibbetts, and as he does not seem to care whether or not this fact is known, as he attaches no importance to the black trousers episode, the case seems to be plunged in deeper mystery.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church has secured the exclusive right of sale of the new city directories recently published by John D. Kanters. Members of the society will call at the residences and business places in the city to accommodate those desiring to purchase. Directories will also be offered for sale at John Elferdink's shoe store. Price 50 cents. As the proceeds of the sale will go to the church building fund of the M. E. church, brisk sales are expected.

### ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Last night was the coldest this winter—8 below zero.

Rev. A. Zwemer celebrated his seventy-eighth birthday anniversary Tuesday.

The public reading rooms have become so popular that it has been necessary to add two more tables.

L. Lanting has traded his house and lot on Sixth street for the residence property of J. TeRoller on Eighth street adjoining Mr. Lanting's blacksmith shop.

Washington's birthday, Feb. 22, the postoffice will be open from 7 until 10 a. m. One delivery of mail in both business and residence districts, leaving office at 7 a. m. Collection from all street letter boxes at 5 p. m.

A party of 30 scholars from school district No. 7, Jamestown, come to town today for a sleigh ride. They took Mr. Van Drezer by storm and filled his restaurant to overflowing.

G. J. Schuurman, of the Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., has bought a house and lot on East Fourteenth street of E. S. Holkeboer, consideration \$1700.

The men employed in setting poles along the right of way of the Holland-Grand Rapids electric line between here and Zeeland have completed their work. The wiring will be done early in the spring.

A bargain in gents' percale shirts at 50 cents each during next week at John Vandersluis'. On Wednesday Mr. Vandersluis will sell ladies' night dresses for 43 cents and 59 cents each. See these goods in his show window.

The Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee R'y will no longer be known to the world by that name. Henceforth it will be the "Grand Trunk." All of the passenger coaches, freight cars and engines have been ordered into the Port Huron shops for re-lettering.

Cornell Hoffman, chef at Van Drezer's restaurant, was taken violently ill the latter part of last week and was removed to his home where upon a thorough examination it was found that he was suffering from appendicitis. For a time his life was despaired of but the critical point of his illness has passed and he is now recovering.

The M. E. Aid Society will hold a "Rummage" sale in the back part of the shoe store of John Elferdink, Jr., every Saturday until further notice. Cast off clothing discarded furniture, bedding, dishes, or anything else saleable will be thankfully received by the ladies for this sale. Either send them to the store or notify Mrs. Elferdink, who will see that they are collected.

Mrs. Martin Karssen died Wednesday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. Ver Hoef, West Fourteenth street. Mrs. Karssen was 80 years of age and resided in Holland for a number of years. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. M. Ver Hoef, and two sons, John and Andrew Karssen. The funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Ninth street Christian Reformed church, Rev. K. Van Goor officiating.

The committee that has in charge the securing of stone for the county stone pile is busily engaged in making arrangements with the city of Grand Haven for the use of the city hall basement and is preparing to advertise for bids for stone. It is believed that at a fair price many farmers would bring stone from their farms. The committee is also trying to make a deal with the city of Grand Haven for the crushed stone, which could be used to advantage on many of the streets.

H. Te Roller well known in this city, who in '98 went with a party from Seattle, Washington to Dawson City and who is now manager at Dawson for the South Yukon Trans. Co., has the added distinction of being Acting U. S. Consul at that place instead of the regular consul who has a six months leave of absence. This is quite an important appointment considering that 60 per cent of the population are U. S. citizens. His company is working several claims in the Klondyke region but have not found gold yet in large paying quantities, otherwise he is well pleased with the business outlook in that region.

Prof. J. B. Nykerk at Winants Chapel Tuesday evening announced that the Hope College lecture course committee had been fortunate enough to prevail upon the Leonora Jackson concert company to give a concert at Winants Chapel March 25. This will undoubtedly be the best concert ever given at the Chapel. Miss Leonora Jackson has achieved fame in two continents. She is the best lady violinist in the world and has appeared before all of the crowned heads of Europe. She is supported by a strong company of soloists, every one an artist of established fame. This lecture is not included in the regular course and tickets will be placed on sale at the usual place.

## 3 Specials For Next Week

Men's Colored Dress Shirts

50c. EACH.

During next week we place on sale 10 dozen Gents' Percale Shirts in all the new up-to-date wide stripes in short bosom, detachable cuffs and no collar. Also a line of Negligee Shirts, detachable cuffs and two collars. All go at one price and are a Bargain for the money.

50c. Each.

## Wednesday Special.

During Wednesday only we place on sale a line of Ladies' Muslin Night Dresses in good fair muslin, neatly made, for

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Also a line of First-Class Muslin Night Dresses, Fancy Yoke and neatly trimmed and full size, a Decided Bargain for

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S. SPRIETSMA,

28 W. Eighth St.

Miss Addie Fairbanks, of 112 West 15th street is slowly recovering from a severe attack of grip and croup.

The contract for construction of a new power house at Jenison has been let by the Grand Rapids, Holland & Lake Michigan Electric Railway company to the Arnold Construction company of Chicago. Work will be pushed on this building just as soon as the spring weather opens. The rails are all laid between Grand Rapids and Jenison, except at the Lake Shore crossing, and work on the trestle at that point is now being prosecuted. Men and teams are also at work every day on the grade and bridge work between Jenison and Holland. As to when the road will be opened a great deal now depends on material for the power house. Cars will be on hand and the road will be ready before the power house is completed and equipped, according to the present outlook.

Albert Edward Wiggam, who delivered a lecture at Winants Chapel last Tuesday evening, is an eloquent speaker. For nearly two hours he held the closest attention of an interested audience by a discussion of the relative merits of "Dollars and Sense." In some instances the audience was not in sympathy with him, particularly when he indulged in slang, sharp criticism and far-fetched jokes of questionable age; but in the main all were pleased by the beautiful word pictures of the young orator. Mr. Wiggam has wonderful command of flowery language, a dramatic and pleasing delivery and a keen sense of humor. His fine descriptions of the American girl and the American boy, were models of rhetorical skill. The whole lecture showed that Mr. Wiggam is a master of all the tricks of elocution, is skilled in the rhetorical graces; but unfortunately it was marred by over indulgence in phrases bordering on the ridiculous, and stories lacking in delicacy and good taste.

### Western Rates Reduced.

Greatly reduced one-way rates will be in effect from Chicago, Milwaukee and Manitowish via Wisconsin Central Railway to points in Minnesota, N. Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia, each Tuesday, commencing February 12th and continuing until April 30th.

For detailed information inquire of nearest ticket agent, or address H. W. Steinboff, District Passenger Agent W. C. Ry., Saginaw, Mich., or Jas. C. Pond, Gen'l Passenger Agent, Milwaukee, Wis.

Ask your grocer for Cremola.

The concert given at the Lyceum opera house last Friday evening was the best entertainment ever given by the band. All of the members showed marked improvement since their last appearance and the audience was brought to a realization that Holland now has an exceptionally good band. Every number on the program was encored. Interspersed with the musical numbers were several specialties. The Misses Ebba Clark and Lillian Hopkins gave a cake-walk that was a marvel of grace and elegance. They sang popular melodies in imitable style and were vigorously applauded. Thomas Eastman "clogged" in typical southern style, and Mr. Schafer gave an exhibition of tumbling and contortionist work. Besides the musical numbers contributed by the band Messrs. Earle and Thomas rendered a cornet and trombone duet. Mr. Earle also gave a cornet solo assisted by Miss Anna Conway, accompanist. This number was exceptionally good and received merited applause. B. Purchas cleverly rendered a solo. The band was assisted by Breyman's orchestra and Miss Mabel Allen.

### The Grade Examination.

The grade examinations will be held on Saturday, February 23, 1901, at the following places:—

High school room, Coopersville, conducted by the Commissioner.

School room, Hudsonville, conducted by Examiner Nelson R. Stacton.

High school room, Zeeland, conducted by Examiner Leonard Reus.

Teachers who have pupils to take this examination will instruct them to be prompt in attendance at the place most convenient for them.

The examination will commence at eight o'clock a. m.; all the subjects will be written on the day designated.

Only pupils who have completed the work of the Eighth Grade can take this examination.

Applicants must bring pens and ink, paper will be furnished by the examiner.

LOUIS P. ERNST,  
Commissioner of Schools.

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Society and x  
x x Personal.

The committees in charge of the K. of P. ball have been thorough in the work of preparation and as a result one of the grandest balls ever given in Holland will take place at the Lyceum opera house to-night. The hall will be beautifully decorated for the occasion. The grand march will begin promptly at nine o'clock and as the dance programs will be given out during the march, it will be necessary to be at the hall on time. Ices will be served during the evening and at midnight the banquet will be held at Hotel Holland. After the banquet all will return to the opera house where dancing will be indulged in until a late (early) hour. The gallery will be open and an admission fee of 25 cents will be charged spectators.

Miss Jeannette Schepers, of Farmington, and William Horton, of Grand Rapids, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schepers, of Farmington, yesterday at high noon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. T. Bergen in the presence of the immediate relatives and intimate friends. The bride was attended by her sister Miss Lizzie Schepers and Edward Hall was best man. An informal reception was held after the ceremony and Mr. and Mrs. Horton left on the evening train for Grand Rapids where they will be at home at 1200 Fifth avenue.

The members of Miss Stella Clark's dancing class enjoyed a delightful sleighride to Virginia Park hotel last Wednesday evening.

One of the leading social functions of the season took place at the K. of P. hall Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. F. M. Gillespie and Mrs. George Shaw gave a reception which was attended by 125 guests. Those who assisted in the reception were Mrs. R. N. De Merrill, Mrs. John Van der Veen and Mrs. Walter Walsh. The dining hall was in charge of Miss Cornelia Vanderveen, assisted by the Misses Carrie Purdy, Anna Alberti, Lizzie and Verona Kleaver. Mrs. Will Boyd presided at the punch bowl and the Misses Grace Shaw and Tillie Damsen attended the door. All of the ladies present were charmingly gowned and presented a brilliant picture. The hall was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and potted plants. The afternoon was delightfully spent and when 6 o'clock came the guests were reluctant to depart. Breyman's orchestra furnished the music. The members, attired in full dress suits, presented a fine appearance and played better than ever before.

The members of the Midnight Club, Jr., are making arrangements for a masquerade ball to be given at the Opera house Friday evening, March 15. They are determined that it shall be the grandest affair of this kind ever witnessed in Holland. Prof. F. Brusser, of Detroit, the best professional co-touter in the state, has been engaged for the occasion and will be here the date of the dance with the finest line of costumes ever displayed in Holland. Music will be furnished by Newell's orchestra of Grand Rapids. Three hundred and fifty invitations will be issued and a large number of out-of-town guests are expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Deto entertained the Unity club at their home 205 Fourteenth street last Saturday night. Head prizes were won by Mrs. Macott and Mrs. Geo. Phillips and consolations were awarded Mr. and Mrs. Deto.

Henry Strong, of Marshalltown, Iowa, is the guest of his uncle, L. L. Strong, and family of Olive Center. He has been visiting also with Dr. Baas and wife of Farmington. The latter is his cousin. Mr. Strong expects to return to the west soon.

Capt. and Mrs. J. M. Mitchell are visiting friends in Chicago. They will remain a month.

Mrs. O. S. Wickham, of Pentwater, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Moody, East Eighth street.

Geo. Tanner, who has been the guest of his son Albert Tanner, of Macatawa, has returned to his home in Hart, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Johnson and children of Macatawa were in the city Saturday.

Tim Smith of Grand Rapids, is in the city.

Mrs. Charles Knuteon, of Macatawa, was in the city Saturday.

Ed. Liendecker, of Saugatuck, was in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Barrackman, of Muskegon, are the guests of relatives in this city.

Mrs. Edward Bertsch, was the guest of relatives in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Rev. Adam Clarke, pastor of the M. E. church was in Grand Haven Monday.

Mrs. A. E. Ferguson left Monday for Interlochen Mich. to visit her sister, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jonker, of Grand Haven, were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. A. Borgman, Thirteenth street this week.

Miss Jennie Werkman, one of Holland's popular milliners who has been visiting here, returned home again last night.—G. B. Herald.

J. A. Van der Veen was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Will Kellogg, of Grand Rapids, visited friends in this city Tuesday.

James McLaughlin visited friends in Saugatuck this week.

Dr. F. S. Ledebor was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Geo. P. Hummer returned Tuesday from a trip to Chicago.

Attorney George E. Kollen of Holton was in the city yesterday.—G. B. Herald.

Rev. R. Blomendahl, of Muskegon, was in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. B. Hopkins, of Detroit, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles McBride.

Mrs. Geo. P. Hummer, of Grand Rapids, was the guest of relatives and friends in this city yesterday.

Robert Smith, of Port Sheldon, was in the city yesterday.

Dar Huff, of Ventura, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Anna Northhouse, of Grand Haven, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Brouwer.

J. C. Post left yesterday for Chicago.

Hon. G. J. Diekema was in Lansing yesterday.

W. R. Buss has returned from a business trip through New York and Pennsylvania.

**The Union Evangelistic Services.**

A week ago Evangelists Smith and Colburn of Chicago began a series of union meetings with the Hope Reformed and M. E. churches in Hope Church. Great crowds have attended from the opening service and these gentlemen by their simple non-sensational methods and music seem to have won the respect of everyone. The meetings will continue all next week at Hope church. The following are the special services for next Sunday.

3 P. M. Mass Meeting for men only at Winants Chapel, led by the Evangelist. Subject of address, "Will Morality Save Me?" Singing by Smith and Colburn and Male chorus.

3 P. M. Woman's meeting at Hope church. Splendid special singing.

6 P. M. Union Young Peoples Rally at Hope church, led by the Evangelists. Subject, "Gifts."

7:30 P. M. Union service at Hope church. Subject of address "How we may know the Bible in time." Singing by "Big Choir," Quartette and the Evangelists.

**Hope College News.**

Tuesday morning the chapel exercises were conducted by the evangelist Mr. Smith. After giving a short address to the students Mr. Smith and Colburn rendered a duet entitled: "The bird with the broken pinion."

"The students studying preparatory to the ministry were presented with a useful little volume entitled: "The Teaching of Our Lord" by David Cole. The book is divided into four divisions viz: First division, Theology Proper, Second division, Anthropology, Third division, Soteriology, Fourth division, Eschology.

The Ladies' prayer meeting of Thursday afternoon was led by Miss Lottie Hoyt. The subject was "Christ for us."

The following officers were elected by the College Y. M. C. A. last evening: President, Henry De Pre; vice president, H. Yntema; Cor. sec., J. A. De Hollander; recorder, E. J. Strick; treasurer, B. Bruins.

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**DRINK IN SOUTH CAROLINA.**  
People of the State Consumed Two and a Half Millions Worth of Liquor in Eleven Months.

The largest whisky bottling establishment in the world is located in South Carolina, says the New York Herald. There are extensive distilleries and immense bottling works scattered throughout the country, as may be noted by the advertisements on the dead walls of the city. But the palmetto state concern towers above them all.

In the 11 months of the year 1900—the month of December not being considered in the fiscal arrangement—the commonwealth, in its capacity of barkeeper to all its citizens, disposed of \$2,481,840.22 worth of drinkables. This sum was in advance of the entire preceding 12 months by \$750,000. For the entire year of 1900 the increase has been \$1,000,000, suggesting a remarkable advance in the thirst of the people of South Carolina. December was naturally the heaviest month of all in the sales at the various dispensaries scattered throughout the state. All the country and his brother appeared to be in want of a bottle during the month of the great holiday, and thus the sales rose \$250,000 in 31 days.

South Carolina's experiment in drink selling has proved unusually interesting. The system was put in practice in 1894, at which time the state advanced \$50,000 for "stock." This \$50,000 has long since been returned to the treasury, and the state, the counties and the cities have been making money ever since.

Out of the sales last year the profits to the state was \$176,012, and this will be used for the improvement of the public schools. The remainder of the total profits of \$474,178 is to be divided among the towns and counties in whose districts are dispensaries.

**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA BOOKS**  
Copies of Some of the Earliest Known to Have Been Printed There.

Those who have given attention to the past history of the district, and especially to the output of the local printing press in the early years, will be interested to know that quite recently some important additions have been made to the stock of information on that subject. About a year ago a paper on the early imprints of the district was read before the Columbia Historical society by Mr. A. P. C. Griffin, who is at the head of the bibliographic department of the library of congress. This paper will be the fourth volume of the proceedings of the society, which is about ready for the press, says the Washington Star. The earliest book mentioned by Mr. Griffin is the "Potomac almanac for the year 1792, published in Georgetown. There is no date in the imprint, but the supposition is that the work was printed in the year 1792.

Since then there has come into the possession of Mr. W. B. Bryan a Catholic book of devotions bearing the imprint of Georgetown, 1792, which is the earliest known date of any book published in the district. Quite recently, however, Mr. John T. Loomis discovered a pamphlet bearing date of 1791 and printed in Georgetown by M. Day and W. Hancock. The pamphlet contains two sermons on the perseverance of the saints by John Bloomer Balch, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Georgetown and a well-known resident of the district at the time and for several years afterward.

**UNCLAIMED FORTUNES.**  
Large Amounts of Money That Are Awaiting Claimants in the London Courts.

A large number of heirs to considerable sums of money left by decedents during the last year have not yet been located, says a London exchange. To mention a few out of the many still sought, it may be stated that the next of kin of Baron de Gavelle Geanny, who died at Pisa in 1842, are sought, and there is a lot of money waiting for the missing heirs of Joseph Sullivan, formerly of Cork, and late of San Francisco.

Six thousands pounds sterling await James E. Higgins or his children. He was last heard of in New York and beyond that the veil seems impenetrable.

A dying mother left her child, named Robert Purkis, in the care of friends years ago. There is money for that child if he can only be found.

A Doncaster race meeting in 1884 saw the last of W. J. Clarkson, so far as is known. Money awaits him now.

As far back as 1789 Peter Sullivan lived in Waterford. In 1900 the court of chancery is looking for his descendants.

Scarcely less curious than the long list of missing persons is the table showing the strange resurrection of long-lost companies.

For instance, the West New Jersey society has paid no dividend on its stock since 1692, but representatives of the shareholders are now being sought. There are shareholders in the Waterloo Bridge company whose addresses are unknown who are entitled to funds.

**England's Largest Land Owner.**  
The largest land owner in England proper is the duke of Northumberland, who possesses 186,000 acres, mainly, of course, in the county from which he takes his title, and he is the only one of these 23 great lords who has not an acre either in Scotland or Ireland. The largest landlord in Ireland is Marquis Conyngham, who owns 160,000 acres; in Wales "The Prince in Wales," Sir Watkin Williams Wynn, whose acres amount to 145,000; is the only possessor of more than 100,000 acres who is not a peer.

Pain in Stomach

Flatulency, sourness, bad taste, loss of appetite, a sense of weight or fullness after eating, together with uneasiness, impatience, irritability of temper, nervousness, anxiety, lost energy, depression of spirits, sick headache, bad dreams and sleeplessness, come from weak and debilitated nerves. That kind of nerves have to be braced up, strengthened, invigorated and helped if you would have a sound stomach, a keen appetite and a cheerful mind.

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MAKES WOMEN COARSE.

Not One Girl in Twenty Can Steer Safely Among the Rocks Journalism Places in Her Path.

In reply to a letter sent by Edward Bok to representative men and women journalists of this country asking, "Is the new-paper office a place for a girl?" a leading woman writer and editor says, in the Ladies' Home Journal: "For a young girl I consider a newspaper office the most appalling moral eye-opener imaginable. Naturally, where all subjects are published, they are to a great degree discussed, and a woman must hear things, that no amount of civility from her masculine coworkers can prevent. That bon camaraderie, which a woman of the world understands and can cope with, is often the undoing of the young girl who grows flippant and unwomanly in her desire to be regarded favorably by members of the staff."

A leading editor in replying to the same question embodies in his letter the opinions of the 29 other men who also answer the inquiry negatively: "It depends upon the girl? It is said. And it does. But so much depends upon her, she is asked to carry so much, she is required to be so everlastingly on the defensive, that there isn't one girl in 20 who can safely steer across all the rocks she meets. And even if she does I do not see how it is worth her while. We are supposed to pay our women better than any paper in New York; yet of the lot, the highest paid receives only \$32 a week. She is generally credited as earning \$100 a week, but, actually, she gets what I say, since I pay her each Friday. And hers is an unusual success."

FELINE CAN'T BE FROZEN.

Siberian Tiger in New York Park That Is Impervious to Intense Cold.

At this season of the year great pains are taken to protect the majority of the animals in the Central park menagerie from cold, particularly the members of the cat family. There is one member of the cat tribe, however, who stays in an exterior cage of the lion house even on the coldest days. He is the Siberian tiger. Such is the climate of his native land that he need not fear anything in the way of cold that this city can produce.

The Siberian tiger is probably the largest member of the cat family and some claim for him the added distinction of being the most ferocious, says the New York Mail and Express. In the winter the Central park exile is one of the most attractive features of the menagerie. The colder the weather the more animated does he become; he paces the cage all day long with eyes glowing and head erect, longing no doubt to feast on the rosy children who gather in crowds before his prison.

It is in hot weather that the other members of the cat family have the laugh on their handsome cousin, as the saying is. The Siberian tiger has no winters of discontent; he has summers. It is pitiable to see his suffering when the sun begins to warm things up. At such times the poor beast lies on the floor of his cage from morning to night with his tongue hanging from his mouth.

STORY OF A ROYAL DEBT.

Berlin Paper Says King Edward VII. Owes the Kaiser 24,000,000 Marks.

The Vorwarts (socialist organ) lately printed a remarkable story to the effect that Emperor William's sudden departure for England was not only due to a desire to bid farewell to his dying grandmother, but still more to the prince of Wales' urgent wish to settle a private debt affair to the emperor before ascending the throne. This debt, the Vorwarts asserted, amounted to 24,000,000 marks, which Emperor Frederick, immediately after beginning his reign, loaned the prince of Wales in order to place the latter in a position to pay accumulated debts to the amount of 24,000,000 marks. The loaned money, it was further asserted, was part of the savings, amounting to 50,000,000 marks, left by Emperor William I. Count von Stolberg, then minister of the imperial household, the Vorwarts also said, vainly opposed the paying out of the 24,000,000 marks, and thereupon resigned. In official circles here the Vorwarts' story is characterized as a gigantic hoax.

From the most trustworthy sources it is ascertained that there is no foundation whatever for the rumors, frequently appearing in the German press, that Emperor William is largely indebted to Herr Krupp and other German capitalists. On the contrary, the Kaiser is not only without debts, but he is saving money yearly for his children.

Ten-Day Prisoners Are Frequently Mixed with the Condemned in Delaware.

The whole penal system of Delaware is in more or less chaotic condition, and this, as well as the pillory and whipping post, may be attributed to lack of public thought or study along executive and charitable lines, says Theodore Dreiser, in Ainslee's. The state jails have the qualities of old-time colony prisons. There is no penitentiary. There is no system of prison labor. There is no reform school. For important crimes the county jail at New Castle is selected because it is the hardest and much the strongest; for the most trivial offenses the same prison is made to serve. Prisoners with ten-day sentences are mixed with those awaiting execution and those who have a lifetime to serve. Young and old, boys and gray-haired men, negroes and white, all are jumbled together, and the discrimination made is one which lacks import. It is that the short-term prisoners are allowed to do the small labor, such as cleaning, cooking, coal-carrying, rock-beating and the like in the open court or jail-yard, where stands the pillory, while the long-term convicts are not allowed to do anything at all. This is considered a fairly satisfactory arrangement, although a more modern workhouse is sometimes talked of.

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5:30 a. m. 4:30 p. m.  
For Muskegon—  
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ANNUAL TAX SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN,  
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

The Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa in Chancery.  
In the matter of the petition of PERRY F. POWERS, Auditor General of the State of Michigan, for and in behalf of said State for the sale of certain lands for taxes assessed thereon.

On reading and filing the petition of the Auditor General of the State of Michigan, praying for a decree in favor of the State of Michigan, against each parcel of land therein described, for the amounts therein specified, claimed to be due for taxes, interest and charges on each such parcel of land, and that such lands be sold for the amounts so claimed by the State of Michigan.

It is ordered that said petition will be brought on for hearing and decree at the March term of this Court, to be held at Court House in the County of Ottawa State of Michigan, on the 18th day of March A. D. 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that all persons interested in such lands or any part thereof, desiring to contest the lien claimed thereon by the State of Michigan, for such taxes, interest and charges, or any part thereof, should appear in said Court, and file with the clerk thereof, acting as registrar in chancery, their objections thereto, on or before the first day of the term of this Court above mentioned, and that in default thereof the same will be taken as confessed and a decree will be taken and entered as prayed for in said petition. And it is further ordered that in pursuance of said decree the lands described in said petition for which a decree of sale shall be made, will be sold for the several taxes, interest and charges thereon as determined by such decree, on the first Tuesday in May thereafter, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. on said day, or on the day or days subsequent thereto, as may be necessary to complete the sale of said lands and of each and every parcel thereof, at the office of the County Treasurer, or at such convenient place as shall be selected by him at the county seat of the County of Ottawa State of Michigan; and that the sale then and there made will be a public sale, and each parcel described in the decree shall be separately exposed for sale for the total taxes, interest and charges, and the sale shall be made to the person paying the full amount charged against such parcel, and in accepting a conveyance of the smallest undivided free simple interest therein; or if no person will pay the taxes and charges and take a conveyance of less than the entire thereof, then the whole parcel shall be offered and sold. If any parcel of land cannot be sold for taxes, interest and charges such parcel shall be passed over for the time being, and shall, on the succeeding day, or before the close of the sale, be reoffered, and if, on such second offer, or during such sale, the same cannot be sold for the amount aforesaid, the County Treasurer shall bid off the same in the name of the State.

Witness the Hon. Philip Padgham, Circuit Judge, and the seal of said Circuit Court of Ottawa County this 15th day of January, A. D. 1901.

PHILIP PADGHAM,  
Circuit Judge.

Counterseigned,  
CHARLES K. HOYT, Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

To the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa in Chancery:

The petition of Perry F. Powers, Auditor General of the State of Michigan, for and in behalf of said State, respectfully shows that the list of lands hereinafter set forth and marked "Schedule A" contains a description of all the lands in said County of Ottawa upon which taxes were assessed for the years mentioned therein, and which were returned as delinquent for non-payment of taxes, and which taxes have not been paid; together with the total amount of such taxes, with interest computed thereon to the delinquent date, and collection fee and expenses, as provided by law, extended against each of said parcels of land.

Your petitioner further shows to the Court that said lands were returned to the Auditor General under the provisions of Act 300 of the Public Acts of 1899, as delinquent for non-payment of said taxes for said years respectively, and that said taxes remain unpaid; except that lands included in said "Schedule A" for taxes of 1899 or prior years were returned to the Auditor General as delinquent for said taxes under the provisions of Act 300 of the Public Acts of 1899, and which taxes remain unpaid.

Your petitioner further shows that in all cases where lands are included in "Schedule A" as aforesaid for taxes of 1899 or of any prior year, said lands have not been sold for said taxes and have been held before said sale for delinquent taxes, and the sale or sales so made have been set aside by a Court of competent jurisdiction or have been cancelled as provided by law.

Your petitioner further shows and avers that the taxes, interest, collection fee and expenses set forth in said "Schedule A" are a valid lien on the several parcels of lands described in said schedule.

Your petitioner further shows that the said taxes on said described lands have remained unpaid for more than one year after they were returned as delinquent; and that said taxes not having been paid, and the same being now due and remaining unpaid as above set forth, your petitioner prays a decree in favor of the State of Michigan against each parcel of said lands, for the payment of the several amounts of taxes, interest, collection fee and expenses computed and extended in said schedule against the several parcels of land contained therein, and in default of payment of the said several sums computed and extended against said lands, that each of said parcels of land may be sold for the amounts due thereon, as provided by law, to pay the lien aforesaid. And your petitioner will ever pray, etc.

Dated January 9, 1901.

PERRY F. POWERS,  
Auditor General of the State of Michigan,  
for and in behalf of said State.

SCHEDULE A.

Taxes of 1898.

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e 1/2 of ne 1/4	7 80	5 37	1 40	21 1 00	7 98		
sw 1/4 of ne 1/4	7 43 75	3 11	81	19 1 00	5 04		
e 1/2 of ne 1/4	7 80	4 63	1 90	19 1 00	7 02		
ne 1/4 of ne 1/4	8 40	2 21	58	09 1 00	3 91		

TOWNSHIP 7 NORTH OF RANGE 15 WEST.

nw 1/4 of ne 1/4	8 40	2 68	70	11 1 00	4 49		
ne 1/4 of nw 1/4	14 40	10 82	2 81	43 1 00	15 06		
se 1/4 of nw 1/4	14 40	2 79	73	11 1 00	4 63		
e 1/2 of sw 1/4 of	21 20	1 50	39	06 1 00	2 95		
ne 1/4 of sw 1/4	21 10	74	19	03 1 00	1 96		

TOWNSHIP 7 NORTH OF RANGE 15 WEST.

nw 1/4 of se 1/4	22 40	6 62	1 72	26 1 00	9 60		
e 1/2 of e 1/2 of	23 40	5 13	1 33	20 1 00	7 65		
w 1/2 of e 1/2 of	23 40	3 48	90	14 1 00	5 52		
w 1/2 of ne 1/4	24 80	15 95	4 15	64 1 00	21 74		
e 1/2 of e 1/2 of	31 40	2 91	76	12 1 00	4 79		

TOWNSHIP 8 NORTH OF RANGE 15 WEST.

se 1/4 of se 1/4 of	6 10	1 24	32	05 1 00	2 61		
nw 1/4 of sw 1/4	6 40	3 08	80	12 1 00	5 00		
se 1/4 of se 1/4 of	7 40	3 08	80	12 1 00	5 00		
nw 1/4 of se 1/4 of	7 40	3 08	80	12 1 00	5 00		
Und 1/2 of se 1/4 of	7 40	1 59	41	06 1 00	3 06		
nw 1/4 of sw 1/4	8 40	3 08	80	12 1 00	5 00		
nw 1/4 of ne 1/4	11 40	2 55	66	10 1 00	4 31		
w 1/2 of ne 1/4	14 80	18 70	4 86	75 1 00	25 81		
se 1/4 of nw 1/4	16 40	3 48	90	14 1 00	5 52		
s 1/2 of ne 1/4 of	17 10	1 24	32	05 1 00	2 61		
nw 1/4 of nw 1/4	18 37 20	4 93	1 28	20 1 00	7 41		
nw 1/4 of ne 1/4	19 40	4 11	107	16 1 00	6 34		
ne 1/4 of nw 1/4	20 40	4 11	107	16 1 00	6 34		
n part of sw 1/4 of	30 80	5 16	1 34	21 1 00	7 71		
se 1/4 of nw 1/4	30 40	5 16	1 34	21 1 00	7 71		
se 1/4 of nw 1/4	32 40	3 74	97	15 1 00	5 86		

That part of s 1/2 of ne 1/4 lying w of a line running n to Grand River 9 chs. w of l post on e section line of

ne 1/4 of sw 1/4	34 50 40	13 06	4 00	52 1 00	17 98		
ne 1/4 of sw 1/4 of	34 10	99	26	04 1 00	2 29		

TOWNSHIP 5 NORTH OF RANGE 16 WEST.

ne 1/4 of ne 1/4	3 44 25	5 14	1 34	21 1 00	7 69		
nw 1/4 of se 1/4	3 40	5 14	1 34	21 1 00	7 69		
nw 1/4 of ne 1/4	11 40	4 29	1 12	17 1 00	6 58		
A strip of land commencing at a 1/4 post thence n 61 7-10 rds e 12 rds, s 61 7-10 rds thence w 12 rds to beginning	16 4 63	48	12	02 1 00	1 62		
n part of ne 1/4 of	25 13	3 78	98	15 1 00	5 91		

A place of land beginning 1 rod n from se corner of lot 1 thence w 48 rds, thence n 5 rds, thence e 48 rds thence s 5 rds

to beginning	36 1 50	1 51	39	06 1 00	2 96		
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TOWNSHIP 6 NORTH OF RANGE 16 WEST.

Lot 15 rds n and by 75 rds e and w in sw corner of	1 06	28	04 1 00	2 38			
ne 1/4 of se 1/4	10 40	3 38	88	14 1 00	5 40		
nw 1/4 of se 1/4	10 40	3 66	95	15 1 00	5 76		
Lot commencing 30 rds w and 16 rds n of se corner of ne 1/4 thence w 10 rds, n 24 rds, e 4 rds, n 40 rds, e 6 rds s 64 rds	12 3	56	15	02 1 00	1 73		
Lot commencing at intersection of e and w 1/2 line of section 12 with C and W. M. R. R. thence w 15 rds, n 14 rds, e to said R. R. S. by along R. R. to place of beginning	12 1	38	10	02 1 00	1 50		
e 1/2 of sw 1/4	12 80	6 42	1 67	26 1 00	9 35		
w 1/2 of ne 1/4 of	Pigeon River 14 45	4 05	1 05	16 1 00	6 26		

All of lot 1 s of Pigeon River and Lake

Lot 3 of	15 24 13	1 66	43	07 1 00	3 16		
Lot 3 of	16 43 28	1 77	46	07 1 00	3 30		
nw 1/4 of ne 1/4	24 40	3 69	80	12 1 00	5 01		
ne 1/4 of nw 1/4	24 40	3 00	78	12 1 00	4 90		
e 1/2 of nw 1/4	34 80	9 81	2 55	39 1 00	13 75		

TOWNSHIP 7 NORTH OF RANGE 16 WEST.

e 1/2 of ne 1/4 of	1 15	2 91	76	12 1 00	4 79		
e 1/2 of e 1/2 of	1 40	2 91	76	12 1 00	4 79		
sw 1/4 of	2 160	23 54	6 12	94 1 00	31 60		
se 1/4 of ne 1/4	12 40	3 29	86	13 1 00	5 28		
e 1/2 of ne 1/4	25 80	12 14	3 16	49 1 00	16 79		
e 1/2 of sw 1/4	27 80	10 97	2 85	44 1 00	15 26		
sw 1/4 of ne 1/4	35 40	7 08	1 84	28 1 00	10 20		

TOWNSHIP 8 NORTH OF RANGE 16 WEST.

ne 1/4 of ne 1/4	1 40	4 73	1 23	19 1 00	7 15		
w 1/2 of ne 1/4	1 160	5 54	1 44	22 1 00	8 90		
Lot 1 except a strip 250 ft wide on side	1 37 50	4 65	1 21	19 1 00	7 05		
n 1/2 of e 1/2 of se	5 10	5 35	1 39	21 1 00	7 95		
e 1/2 of e 1/2 of	6 160	10 71	2 78	43 1 00	14 92		
n 1/2 of ne 1/4	7 80	3 57	93	14 1 00	5 64		
sw 1/4 of ne 1/4	7 40	2 68	70	11 1 00	4 49		
s 1/2 of se 1/4	7 80	6 16	1 60	25 1 00	9 01		
w 1/2 of ne 1/4	8 80	5 35	1 39	21 1 00	7 95		
se 1/4 of nw 1/4	8 40	2 68	70	11 1 00	4 49		

That part of w 1/2 of e 1/2 of se 1/4 and that part of w 1/2 of se 1/4 that lies of the D. G.

1/4 of nw 1/4	24 40	3 00	78	12 1 00	4 90
1/4 of nw 1/4	34 80	9 81	2 55	39 1 00	13 75

TOWNSHIP 7 NORTH OF RANGE 16 WEST.







