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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XXX.

HOLLAND, MICH., FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 1901.

NO. 8

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CITY AND VICINITY.

The seventy-first anniversary of Ottawa County occurred last Saturday.

Fred Van Anrooy, of Grand Rapids, a graduate of Hope College, is a candidate for the nomination of clerk of the Justice court on the democratic ticket.

Russell Taylor, of Saugatuck, proprietor of the Pay-as-you-go store has made arrangements to engage in business in South Haven. He will conduct a large general store.

The Wagner Male Quartette assisted by Agusta Barnard Shaw, reader and accompanist will give an entertainment at the Lyceum opera house this evening for the benefit of the M. E. church society.

Representative Lugers has introduced six bills at the present session of the legislature.

The adjourned session of circuit court which was to be held in Grand Haven Monday was adjourned sine die.

Maj. D. W. Whittle, the evangelist who held "revival meetings" here four years ago, died Monday March 4 at East Northfield at the age of 60 years.

The new directories of the Citizens Telephone Company have been distributed among the subscribers. Any one failing to receive a directory should notify the company.

"McMully's visit" a three act farce comedy at the Opera House next Monday night, nothing but fun, 160 laughs in 160 minutes, don't miss it. 10, 20 and 30 cents.

The Wagner Male Quartette will give an entertainment at the Lyceum Opera House this evening for the benefit of the M. E. church. The quartette will be assisted by Agusta Barnard Shaw, reader and accompanist.

The Wagner Male Quartette gave the fourth entertainment of the Park Avenue Entertainment Course. The Quartette drew one of the largest audiences ever assembled at the Opera House.—Kenosha, Wis., Evening News.

A stock company with a capital of \$8,000 has been organized to publish a dutch paper in this city. A. J. Van Lummel will be the editor and H. Holkeboer will have charge of the mechanical work. The first paper will be issued some time in April.

Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Colby will arrive here from Florida next Tuesday. They return earlier than usual this year to give Mr. Colby an opportunity to superintend the new improvements to be made at the Park and to get his new store ready for the summer trade.

Charles Clark arrived in Benton Harbor from England last Friday night. Just as he left England he posted a letter, in which he wrote: "I post this in London just as I start for Benton Harbor, to see which will get there first." The letter beat him a few hours in arriving.

The Wagner Male Quartette, under the auspices of the Creston Ladies' Federated Literary Clubs, gave a highly creditable entertainment, which was attended by a large audience. Frequent and prolonged applause testified to the ability of the quartette.—Creston, Ia., Morning American.

Arthur A. Haven, said to hail from Greenville, Mich., has been arrested at South Bend, Ind., and held to the federal jury in \$300 bail. Haven sent carefully worded letters broadcast over the country offering "six fives and two tens" for \$30. When a "sucker" bit Haven sent him three pairs of No. 5 and two pairs of No. 10 of a cheap grade of shoes.

Promoters say that the Grand Rapids, Grand Haven and Muskegon electric interurban road will be ready for business July 1st. The cars will be of the regulation suburban double track variety, 50 feet in length and driven by two 150 horse-power motors. They will be finished with heavy plate-glass, plush seats facing the front, with a smoking compartment.

Rev. J. W. Warnshuis, a former pastor of the Fourth Reformed church of Grand Rapids died last Wednesday evening at the U. B. A. hospital. He leaves a widow and ten children, six boys and four girls. The Rev. A. L. Warnshuis, one of the sons was formerly a student at Hope College. He is now a missionary in China.

The Standard Stock Company opens a three nights engagement at the Opera House commencing Monday, March 11 in the greatest of all musical farce comedies, "McMully's Visit" new songs, new dances, new choruses, a big show for little money 10, 20 and 30 cents. Ladies admitted free on opening night, if accompanied by one paid 30 cents ticket. Seats must be secured before 6 p. m. Monday, seats on sale at usual place Saturday.

Albert Tanner, of Macatawa Park, formerly a member of the Holland life saving crew, will run a boat livery at the Park next summer. He has built a number of new boats fitted particularly for the accommodation of fishing parties and has also a line of smaller and lighter boats for rowing parties. He has built a dock in front of his cottage on the Black Lake side north of the Park dock and will go into the business on an extensive scale.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Peter F. Oostema, East Eighth street, Tuesday, a son.

Rev. R. H. Fortescue Gairdner, of Grand Rapids, conducted services in Grace Episcopal church last Wednesday evening.

At the Seminary Chapel tonight, the Rev. A. Pieters will give the second lecture on Mission work in Japan. All interested are invited to attend.

Rosa Wickham has been appointed postmaster of Georgetown, Ottawa County, vice H. C. Lowling, who died recently.

At the annual meeting of the Spring Lake Yacht club held last Monday evening the following officers were elected: Wm. Savidge, commodore; Wm. H. Loutit, vice commodore; Len R. Patterson, rear commodore; Geo. P. Savidge, secretary and treasurer; Wm. Barrett, official measurer.

At the meeting of the Hypo club held in De Grandwet building last Monday night the following officers were elected: President, Dr. F. M. Gillespie; vice president, Dr. Beuker; secretary, Paul Koster; treasurer, Fred Steketee.

The Central High school building of Grand Haven was completely destroyed by fire last Tuesday night together with a library of 5,000 volumes and the high school laboratory. Fire was first discovered in the upper story, and incendiaryism is suspected. The building was constructed in 1872 and at a cost of \$47,000. It was valued at \$50,000, and insured for \$29,250.

Through the efforts of Congressman Smith, Special Agent F. P. Roberts has again returned to this district to complete the task of covering Ottawa Kent and Ionia counties with a network of rural routes. Before the work in this district is completed Mr. Roberts says that a continual line of service will stretch from Grand Haven to Mulr. Ottawa county will be thoroughly investigated in a week or two.

Capt. Mitchell and wife left Monday for Chicago. The Captain will be in command of the Alice M. Stafford of the Barry transportation company on the Muskegon-Chicago route this summer and is now employed in superintending the fitting out of the boat for the season's work. Capt. Mitchell is one of the best captains on the lake. His papers entitle him to command boats of unlimited tonnage. He is a man of wide experience and will undoubtedly be successful in his new position.

Superintendent Smart, of the Holland, Grand Rapids electric road, was in the city this week looking after the details of construction. He brought back to Detroit two pictures of the snow plow constructed by Superintendent Kinch. One picture showed the plow in action enveloped in a cloud of flying snow, the other showed the track after the plow had passed. Mr. Smart was greatly pleased with the vivid illustration of the work done by the plow and wanted to give the Detroit officials an idea of its utility.

Zeeland will be the scene of a hot political fight next Monday the date of the annual village election. The anti saloon party and the republican party has joined forces to battle against the democrats. The democrats contend that if the saloon is ousted the business interests of the village will suffer. The other element contends that it is a public evil and should be abolished. Following are the officers to be elected: President, three trustees for two years, clerk, assessor and treasurer.

Prof. John B. DeMotte was given a hearty welcome as he came forward to speak upon "Electricity and Civilization" last evening. The hall was filled to its utmost seating capacity. It was Prof. DeMotte's third appearance in the Walker course, and his fifth or sixth lecture in the city. With his characteristic eloquence he led the audience into the depths of electrical science, expressing wonderful truths in the simplest language, and pointedly elaborating his ideas by means of diagrams and illustrations.—Concord (N. H.) Evening Monitor.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. Van Putten, Tuesday, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Taylor, West Fifteenth street, Wednesday—a son.

Wm. Zwagerman, of Beaverdam, died suddenly Tuesday evening at the age of 60 years.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Van den Berg, West Seventeenth street, Wednesday, a daughter.

The Republican city caucus will be held at the Lyceum opera house Tuesday evening, March 27.

Morning and evening services will be conducted in Grace Episcopal church at the usual hours next Sunday.

Dirk Elzinga, of Zeeland, died Sunday morning of heart trouble. He was 63 years old. The funeral was held Wednesday.

The Zeeland Brick company has been awarded the contract to supply 700,000 brick for a new building to be erected by the Bryant Paper Co. at Kalamazoo.

At a meeting held in Grand Rapids Tuesday to agitate the question of establishing a sugar beet factory Attorney Arend Visscher and B. Biken told of the sugar beet industry of this city.

A Muskegon man saw an advertisement of a "pocket fire escape" for \$1. He sent the money and received a copy of the New Testament. (Muskegon isn't the only city that can claim the distinction, as one of our prominent citizens also sent a dollar.)

John Lockhart, charged with criminal assault on an eleven-year-old girl, had a hearing before Justice Van Duren Wednesday and was bound over to the circuit court. He was unable to furnish bail and was taken to the county jail by Sheriff Dykhuil.

Castle Lodge No. 153, K. of P. initiated a class of twelve and conferred upon them the rank of page at the K. of P. hall last evening. After the ceremonies all enjoyed a banquet. Toasts were responded to and several eloquent speeches were made.

The death of Mrs. J. Smith, aged 83 years, occurred at the family home in New Holland yesterday morning after an illness of three months. She is survived by a husband and two daughters. The funeral services will be held Monday at 10 o'clock from the Reformed church at New Holland, Rev. A. Strabbing officiating.

Miss Elizabeth Van Zwaluwenberg will open millinery parlors above the post office in the First State Bank block. She has been out of the city visiting the largest millinery houses and has selected a fine line of the latest patterns for her spring opening which will be held the latter part of March. She invites the ladies of Holland and vicinity to call and inspect her new line.

James Wright tried to run Sutton's saloon to suit himself Saturday but the muscular bartender would not have it that way and ejected him from the place. To get even the irate scrapper struck the door with his fist and shattered the glass. Austin Harrington, deputy sheriff, and Marshal Kamferbeek took Mr. Wright to the lockup and gave him a chance to indulge in meditation on the error of his ways until Monday morning when he was arraigned before Justice Van Duren and upon pleading guilty to a charge of disorderly conduct was sent to the county jail for 30 days.

One of the most important real estate transactions of the year took place this week. A. C. Rinck, Rev. J. Van der Werp and John Meeboer purchased the vacant lot corner of Eighth street and College avenue of James A. Brouwer. They will build a three-story brick block fronting on Eighth street and extending the full width of the lot—64 feet. One part of the block will be occupied by Mr. Rinck's furniture store. Rev. J. Van der Werp will fit up another part for a bicycle store and John Meeboer will conduct a tailoring establishment in another part. This is a desirable location and the new block will be a fine addition to Eighth street. The new building will be ready for occupancy some time next summer.

Advance Sale

OF

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TREMENDOUS PRICE REDUCTIONS

Wall Paper trade is usually quiet during March. We intend to reverse this order of things, and make this month the busiest, the liveliest in our experience. Hence this

Record Breaking Sale

We buy in large quantities, direct from the the mills, our stock is larger than any three stocks in the city, and we are in a position to save you money on Wall Paper.

Our Lines Are Exclusive.

We have the famous Campbell and Pittsburgh lines, and for up-to-date colors and designs you should see them.

If you intend buying Wall Paper this year Buy Now and Save Money.

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Holland City News.
FRIDAY, March 8
Lake and Marine.

St. Joseph papers state that the steamer Woods, Capt. R. C. Brittain, will start on the Chicago-St. Joseph route April 1st.

The steamer John A. Aliber of Saugatuck is being fitted out for the coming season's work. The cabin is being enclosed and will be steam heated; it will accommodate about 75 passengers. Mr. Wilson will open the season's work as soon as the ice is out of the river and expects to start making tri-weekly trips between Saugatuck and South Haven to connect with the South Haven line to Chicago about the first of April.

The Barry line is expected to put its steamers into commission in about twenty days. The Alice M. Stafford will be run this year with the steamer State of Michigan. In the heaviest part of the season the Pere Marquette No. 1 will probably be put on. It is expected that the Grand Haven run will be made in connection with the Muskegon trips, the steamers stopping at Grand Haven both coming and going.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Vriesland.

Too late for last week.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Seth Coburn, Feb. 21—a daughter.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Douwe Wynge, Feb. 27, a son.

J. Van Zoeren lost a valuable cow last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Borst are spending a part of this week at Grand Rapids.

Wm. Dumer of Zeeland called on some of his friends here Sunday, and when returning in the evening the cutter capsized, leaving the occupant in the snow and granting him the privilege of walking to Zeeland, the horse and cutter were found next morning about three miles west of Drenthe.

Some of our young people had a fine social gathering at Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Van Halstema's home Tuesday evening.

Jacob Van Zoeren and Miss Cornelia Van der Meer are on the sick list.

Mrs. B. Bredeweg is slowly recovering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Our typhoid fever patients have all recovered so far that they were all out for a sleighride Wednesday to the great joy of their many friends.

J. Kroodema our plucky merchant started out early Monday morning for Grand Rapids with a load of merchandise, but when about one and a half miles from home he encountered a snow drift, capsized, returned, secured aid, reloaded and went on his way rejoicing.

Rev. G. Dejong of this place occupied the pulpit of the Reformed church of Zeeland, Sunday evening.

Mrs. S. De Hoop celebrated her sixty-seventh anniversary of her birth Thursday.

East Holland.

Too late for last week.
The storm of last week has raised the tracks to such an extent that it is unsafe to draw heavy loads.

The Rev. Mr. Post will conduct the services in Zeeland next Sunday. The Rev. Mr. Vos of Graafschap will fill his pulpit.

K. Dykhuis has been pressing hay for G. Hooks and J. Geerlings.

D. Nies has attended several of the revival meetings in Holland. He reports that he is amply repaid for the trips.

A merry crowd of young people enjoyed a sleigh ride to the home of Miss Lou Schaap of Hamilton.

Mrs. L. Brandt, of Holland, called on relatives.

Mrs. J. Jansen is showing no signs of improvement.

J. Nies is canvassing the country with pictures and picture frames. He proves to be a regular hustler.

P. Westing is chopping wood for J. Naber.

Last Sunday this community was shocked when the death of Mr. John Van den Beldt was announced. Our sympathy is extended to the family in its bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Weersing heartily entertained a number of young people last Thursday evening.

Noordeloos.

J. Meuwesen who recently bought 40 acres of land of J. Kooyers has again sold the same to W. Nagelhout. He made \$300 on the deal.

J. Kuipers who leased the farm of A. Van den Bosch has moved to Holland. Mr. Sterken now occupies the homestead.

March 8th (tonight) the Farmers Club will meet at 7 o'clock in the Noordeloos schoolhouse, every one is requested to be present as business of importance will come before the meeting.

Ottawa County.

Rev. T. W. Mullenburg of Grand Haven has returned from Orange City Iowa, where he was called on a sad mission, the serious illness and subsequent death of his mother. She passed away on Feb. 21 at the age of 73 years and was survived by three sons, John and Andrew of Orange City, and Rev. T. W. Mullenburg.

A citizens caucus was held in Spring Lake last Monday night and Aloys Bilz was renominated president by acclamation. Fred Ensing was nominated treasurer, George Christman, assessor, and Charles M. Kay clerk. The following trustees were named, Peter DeWitt, John Koster and Harry Miller.

Vriesland.

Mr. and Mrs. Douwe Wynge lost by death their infant child. They have the sympathy of the entire community.

John Denherder of Holland, called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stegink Monday evening.

A number of our young people went for a sleigh ride last Friday evening calling on Mr. and Mrs. Herman Van de Bunt, of Forest Grove, where they spent a pleasant evening.

Simon De Groot who has been confined to his house for a few days on account of sickness is out again.

Andrew Van Zoeren who has been sick with lagrip has so far recovered as to be out and around.

Geo. De Hoop called on friends in Grand Rapids in the early part of the week.

Miss Anna Tanis has returned from Holland where she spent several days visiting friends.

Mrs. G. DeJong and Miss Anna Van der Baam are a little indisposed, cause grip.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Leenhouts, of Beaverdam, called on Mrs. S. Coburn Thursday, Feb. 28.

A number of our lecture loving citizens started out for Holland Saturday evening for the purpose of attending the DeMotte lecture. Some on arriving at Zeeland learning of the postponement of the lecture returned, others not being so fortunate made the trip to Holland and report having had a fine sleighride. One of the young men of the party avers "having had a better time than when hearing the lecture on 'Love, Courtship and Marriage.'" Progress seems to bring joy to most of us.

Monday evening Mrs. A. J. Bolt and daughter Tonnie, Mrs. J. De Hoop, Mr. D. Tanis and son Robert and daughter Ida attended the closing meeting of the Revival held at Holland under the auspices of Messrs. Smith and Colburn.

The collection at the Reformed church Sunday for domestic missions amounted to \$58.

Who has seen the ground hog since Feb. 2? We have all seen if not felt the blizzard of March 4 and 5.

An article by Ray Standard Baker on "How the Sugar Beet Industry is growing" appears in the March number of The American Review of Reviews, which all who are interested in the culture of Sugar Beets will do well to read.

Lake Shore.

We are having bad sleighing at present.

Mr. Lawrence, who has been ill for some time is improving.

A. Dolph has been to Kalamazoo the last ten days. On his trip he purchased a couple of registered hogs, Poland-China. He has the official pedigree and it shows they are full blooded.

There are quite a few cases of the grip here.

Hamilton.

A full fledged blizzard is now upon us and if March goes all the way through like this it will be tough on us Hamiltonians as we had voted for warmer weather.

The creamery seems to be a sure go and no mistake this time, a committee was appointed last week to find a site to locate it, and those appointed went to work with a will and soon found the desired location to be on the north side where John Kolvoord's mill sheds now stand. This is a fine site, good drainage, good pure water and very convenient. It will be a stock company and the stock will be mostly held by the farmers and if properly managed will without doubt be a paying institution, it scores one point for Hamilton any way.

John Kolvoord has just placed a new feed grinder in his grist mill, it is a dandy and John says he can now grind full as fast as they can get it to him.

Garret Harmson was in Allegan Monday.

Will Hapeman met with a very serious accident on Monday. He was on a sleigh having iron bolster stakes and as the sleigh went in to a chuckhole in the road he was thrown on to one of these stakes and severely injured, making a very painful wound, he is now under the doctors care.

Old lady Morison has moved her goods in with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer until spring, she will then go on her farm.

Grace Peterham has gone to Holland to help Mrs. Will Taylor for a few weeks.

Our section men are kept quite busy these days clearing crossings.

Elmer Wells will have a slaughter house and stock yards on the island belonging to M. E. Campney. Elmer means business and will push the meat business when he gets started.

The big wind storm that we had last summer has caused a great deal of wood to be cut around this village as it was blown down and had to be cut up to save it.

Quite a good number of our farmers are going to try the sugar beet business this season, it is hoped they will meet with success.

West Olive.

The first day of March came in like a lion and so the month will end like a lamb.

Monday was pension day, and also the beginning of four more years of prosperity.

H. H. Ingersoll returned Wednesday from Battle Creek.

The four College boys from Holland gave us one of the best entertainments Saturday night, that we have heard in the schoolhouse. Their comical expressions on old maids and "sweet sixteen," could hardly be surpassed. We hope that we may have the pleasure of another visit from them, as they were greeted by a large crowd.

Mrs. L. E. Carrier is slowly falling with the droupy, and is not expected to live much longer.

C. Schultz returned to Grand Rapids Monday.

The Methodists raised \$132.50 subscription last Sunday, and they hope to raise enough before next September to build the church.

The correspondent is glad to say that Rev. Videt and Butcher are preaching the truth as far as the Bible is concerned. The meetings are held every night except Monday and Thursday.

Geo. Terr of Holland, was here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Norton returned Saturday from their February visit to Morenci. During their absence, Miss Kelley faithfully discharged her duties as post-mistress, and we can say that she was first class in every respect.

When a man writes like a fool, it is not always a sign that he acts like one.

H. Garret's well again, and we are glad to see him with the Sunday-school again.

M. A. Taylor is at present in Owosso, his old home. He is trying to induce some of his relatives to move here this spring on his farm.

Do unto others as you should be done by is a rule that we should observe.

Filmore.

Tuesday was a very cold and stormy day. The worst we had this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Daining visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boeve, Jr., last Wednesday.

Mr. John Rocks, of Grand Rapids, visited relatives and friends here last week.

Mrs. W. Oink spent a few days in Holland with her children.

Nearly all the farmers that belong to the Ebenezer congregation brought a load of brick to Holland for the M. E. church from the Zeeland Brick Co.

A lady boarder has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Arens.

The proprietor of the Palace dairy, A. S. Wilson has sold his milk route and has now left the farm of C. Fairbanks which he had rented for a term of 5 years, but being dissatisfied he determined to leave before one year has past. Wilson left in a hurry. He brought his wife away Sunday, and left with his last load Tuesday morning to some place unknown to us.

Allegan County.

Village election will occur in Saugatuck next Monday. The three trustees whose terms expire are, Koning, Ebmeyer, and Metzgar. Those who hold over are Ludwig, Reed and Wade. The most promising candidates for village president are J. H. Pear, the present incumbent, and John Koning.

H. M. Bird has purchased the insurance and real estate business of E. L. Leland, of Saugatuck. Mr. Leland is negotiating with R. R. Taylor for stock of merchandise and business of the Pay-as-you-go store.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

Has world-wide fame for marvellous cures. It surpasses any other salve, lotion, ointment or balm for Cuts, Corns, Burns, Bells, Sores, Felons, Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Eruptions; Infallible for Piles. Care guaranteed. Only 25 cents at Heber Walsh druggist.

The best breakfast food in the world is Cremola.

Years of suffering relieved in a night. Itching piles yield at once to the curative properties of Doan's Ointment. Never fails. At any drug store, 50 cents.

Help... Nature

Babies and children need proper food, rarely ever medicine. If they do not thrive on their food something is wrong. They need a little help to get their digestive machinery working properly.



will generally correct this difficulty.

If you will put from one-fourth to half a teaspoonful in baby's bottle three or four times a day you will soon see a marked improvement. For larger children, from half to a teaspoonful, according to age, dissolved in their milk, if you so desire, will very soon show its great nourishing power. If the mother's milk does not nourish the baby, she needs the emulsion. It will show an effect at once both upon mother and child.

50c. and \$1.00, all druggists. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York

Decide Yourself.

THE OPPORTUNITY IS HERE BACKED BY HOLLAND TESTIMONY.

Don't take our word for it. Don't depend on a stranger's statement. Read Holland endorsement.

Read the statements of Holland citizens.

And decide for yourself.

Here is one case of it.

Mrs. M. Shonaker, 256 West 15th street: "I suffered from constant heavy aching pains across the small of my back so that I could not rest comfortably at night in any position and during the day I felt tired and languid. The kidney secretions became badly affected, irregular, too frequent, scanty and were attended by a good deal of pain besides depositing a heavy sediment. I suffered also from headaches and spells of dizziness so that I either had to sit down or hold on to something to keep from falling. I used a great many different remedies but without obtaining any benefit. Friends advised me to use Doan's Kidney Pills and I got a box at J. O. Duesburg's drug store and used them. They helped me from the very start. They are by far the best remedy I ever tried, and I have no hesitation in recommending them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, Doan's, and take no substitute.

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If you neglect them. The moment your nervous system becomes impaired your vital organs fail to perform their functions properly and dangerous diseases follow. Cleveland's Colery Compound Tea is an immediate and permanent cure for Nervous Prostration, Nervous Exhaustion, Constipation, Indigestion, Headache and all diseases of the Blood, Stomach, Liver and Kidneys. We will give you a trial package free. Large packages, 25 cents at Heber Walsh.

Builds up the system, puts pure, rich blood in the veins; makes men and women strong and healthy—Burdock Blood Bitters. At any drug store.

Endorsed by Clergymen.

Gentlemen: some personal experience enables me to heartily recommend the use of Henry & Johnson's Arnica and Oil Liniment. For external application in cases of sprains and bruises it is unquestionably excellent. It takes hold and gives relief. This is not a guess, but a word of testimony.

EDWARD HAWES, D. D., Pastor of the First Church, Burlington, Vt. His testimony is the testimony of all who use the Arnica and Oil Liniment. It never fails to give satisfaction. Sold by all druggists at 25 and 50 cents a bottle.

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.

All Ticket Agents sell tickets via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, or for further information address Robert C. Jones, Michigan Passenger Agent, 32 Campus Martius, Detroit, Mich. 5-3w

Full Price For the Empty Bottle.

If Cleveland's Lung Healer doesn't cure your cough, return the empty bottle and get all your money back. But it will cure you. It never fails. It has cured thousands of cases which other remedies failed to relieve in the slightest. Don't wait until the persistent cold or distressing cough develops into fatal consumption. We will give you a trial bottle of this wonderful remedy free. Large bottles 25 cents at Heber Walsh, druggist.

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

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Thursday, the 28th day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

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

In the matter of the estate of Rika R. Geerlings, a mentally incompetent person. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Henry Geerlings, Guardian of said mentally incompetent person, praying for the examination and allowance of his final account as such Guardian, that he may be discharged from his trust, have his bond cancelled and said estate closed.

Thereupon it is Ordered That Monday the First day of April next,

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

(A true copy, Attest.)
JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.
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When They Are Not in Pawn the Valuables of Monarchs Are Closely Watched.

Royal people are much given to the accumulation of jewels of great price, and they take especial care that these baubles are not stolen. Many of the so-called "crown jewels" which are shown to visitors to the Tower of London are "paste," the real gems being secured in strong vaults in iron-bound boxes. The jewels of the Russian imperial family form one of the most valuable collections in the world. This collection is guarded in a fortified castle watched over by a special detail of 180 retired officers and a body of soldiers. For this service they are well paid. No officer who in his days of active service was addicted to gambling or to extravagance can ever hope to be selected as one of the custodians of the imperial jewels. The czar keeps a portion of his own private jewels in banks in London and Paris, so that in case a revolution should break out in St. Petersburg he would have an "anchor to windward" in the two foreign capitals.

The treasures of the royal family of Italy are hidden away in deep vaults beneath a fort situated on a little island in the Tiber. Protected by the old and muddy stream overhead and the military on the island, the jewels are beyond the dreams of even the most daring and sanguine of burglars.

The prince of Bulgaria is possessed of precious stones to the value of \$5,000,000. These he keeps locked in a little castle on the banks of the Danube. King Milan of Serbia kept such of his jewels as are not in pawn in London and Paris banks. A ruby necklace belonging to the king is said to be in pawn for \$100,000. Some of the jewels belonging to the German imperial family are kept in London banks like those of the czar.

SPEEDY TRIP OF A BALLOON.

This One Went One Hundred Miles in Seventy-Five Minutes and Beat the Record.

It seems incredible, yet it is a fact, that in Germany a few days ago a balloon traveled 100 miles in 75 minutes. The balloon left Strasburg at 11 a. m. and arrived at Biberach at 12:15 p. m., being stopped there by the branch of a linden tree, which held it fast. When it was examined a note was found saying that it had left Strasburg at 11 a. m. of that day, and that any information as to its subsequent movements would be greatly received by the Strasburg authorities. The news of its safe arrival at Biberach, 100 miles distant from Strasburg, was at once sent to them, and on the following day Prof. Dr. Hergesell arrived from Strasburg and took charge of the balloon.

According to him, the first intention of himself and his colleagues was to send out a regular balloon with one or two passengers, but on account of the storm they were unable to do so. They then tried to send out a large balloon fitted with a barometer and other instruments, but the storm prevented it from making any headway, and so finally they equipped a small balloon with instruments and sent it forth.

One of the instruments, a barometer combined with a thermometer, showed that the balloon had attained a height of 7,000 meters, and another indicated that the lowest temperature which it had met was 25 degrees Reaumur. The balloon was made of varnished paper and was filled with coal gas. A basket hung from it, and in order to shield the sensitive instruments from the rays of the sun it was covered with silver paper.

SUPREME COURT JOKES.

Members of the Dignified Bench Indulge in Sly Digs at Each Other.

Mr. Justice Brown and Mr. Justice Brewer are probably the most popular members of the bench in fashionable society. They dearly love to tell jokes on each other. Not long ago they were guests at the same table, at a dinner. Justice Brewer was first given the floor, and launched into witticisms regarding the embarrassment to which he was often put by the fact that their names looked very much alike when written carelessly by people. He played upon various phases of this dilemma, and finally Justice Brown had a turn, says Joe Mitchell Chapple in the National Magazine.

"I have been subjected to the same embarrassment," rejoined Justice Brown. "Sweetly scented notes intended for my brother on the bench come to me. But more than that. Some time ago in a legal case a decision written by my brother was quoted as an authority and credited to me. I can well submit to receiving Brother Brewer's sweetly scented missives; I even could bear up under paying some of his bills; but I cannot—I certainly cannot stand for his law."

The King's Limner, at Windsor. One of the most desirable posts at Windsor castle is that of "the king's limner," who in ancient times decorated books and manuscripts with initial letters and who now prepares the parchment commissions when his majesty is pleased to confer knighthood or some other honor upon one of his subjects. The gentleman who now fills the post has extraordinary skill with the pen and brush and his diplomas and certificates were greatly admired for their exquisite taste and skillful execution. He receives a salary of \$2,500 a year. The clock-maker at Windsor castle receives the same compensation and it is his business to keep all of the timepieces in repair.

WALES' CROWN IN CHURCH.

Englishman Surprised to See Relics of Pre-Revolutionary Days in St. Paul's Church, New York.

"Can you tell me why the crown of the prince of Wales, the future king of England, adorns the pulpit of this little church in democratic America?" asked a visitor to old St. Paul's church, at the corner of Broadway and Vesey street, according to the New York Tribune.

The janitor had evidently been asked the question before, for he expressed no surprise, and answered promptly:

"That is the crown of the prince of Wales, and it is one of the few marks of the rule of old King George left in New York after the revolutionary raiders finished their work more than 100 years ago. At that time you could find the royal arms and English crowns of various sorts on almost every store in town. The signs of the inns all bore some mark of royalty. Even the lamp posts were decorated. When the spirit of revolution struck New York the people went mad for a time and rushed through every street tearing down the hated signs of English misrule. How they managed to miss the canopy in St. Paul's is a mystery. They would certainly have thrown it into the street had anybody remembered it bore the crown of the prince. At any rate, they did miss it, and it has remained to this day, and probably will for a century longer, for the spirit of improvement and reform leaves old St. Paul's pretty well alone."

The Englishman now worships regularly in front of the crown-marked canopy.

HER FIRST ENGLISH WORD.

There Was a Defect in the System of Education in This German Family.

There is a very nice little German-American girl in town who spoke her first English word the other day, says the Chicago Chronicle. According to family arrangements, the children of the household are to hear as far as possible only German in the house, that they may know it thoroughly; then, as the mother remarked:

"They can pick up their English easily in the street."

She did not mean this exactly. It was a general term, intending to convey the idea that the children would learn English when they entered school and from their playmates. But when the other day the little girl said her first English word she found that her casual remark had evidently been followed with great literalness.

She was sewing on the machine and for some reason it refused to work. It stopped suddenly at an important stage of the work and it was certainly most annoying. What should she do? She tried to find the trouble and the little girl endeavored to assist. Poor mamma was most unhappy she could plainly see. The horrid old machine, to make her mamma so much trouble! So she doubled up her little fist at it and opened her mouth and—well, mamma certainly forgot the machine for a time, for the word which came from those rosy lips was not only English, but such a naughty, naughty word that a nice little girl could have heard it only on the street.

INVENTED BY A WOMAN.

Litter Devised by Wife of Capt. Chadwick of the Navy—Made by Women, Too.

The most practical litter yet constructed for carrying the wounded is the invention of Mrs. Chadwick, the wife of the captain who was in command of the cruiser New York at the battle of Santiago. It is designed especially for use in war, but it is equally convenient for hospital or family use and its cost is slight.

It is a kind of hammock chair, and while its weight is only 3½ pounds it will support the heaviest person. The bearers wear a harness of two leather straps, one of which goes over the shoulder and the other around the waist. The shoulder strap is passed through a broad piece of webbing to prevent it from cutting the shoulder of the bearer. To the belt strap two strong rings are attached to which the carrier is fastened. A canvas strip forms the chair.

The bearers' hands are left free and any inequality of height in the bearers is overcome by adjusting the length of the shoulder straps, so that the waist belts shall be at the same distance from the ground. The hospital corps of the United States army has pronounced the device the best and simplest yet used. A woman invented it and women manufacture it.

Popularity of Name Washington.

Not counting the national capital there are 44 towns and cities bearing the name of Washington. No doubt more communities would have thus honored the memory of the father of his country but for the prohibition of the post office department of more than one post office of the same name in a state. There is in nearly every state a county called Washington. But the most popular use of the name has come to light in the pension bureau. In certain parts of the country a rushing business is being done by attorneys in applications for pensions on behalf of colored soldiers who served during the civil war. The attention of the bureau has been called to one regiment in which, according to the rolls, 28 colored George Washingtons served. A single company shows a membership of 13 George Washingtons by the applications filed.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

GYPSIES A NUISANCE.

Measures Are Being Adopted in Europe for Forcing Them Into Retirement.

Whoever has traveled in Europe has doubtless met in some part of the continent a gang of Hungarian gypsies roaming over the various countries of Europe, from south to north and from west to east. As a rule, they travel in families, numbering from 25 to 100 souls and more, carrying along with them all their various and strange paraphernalia and domestic necessities. In most countries of Europe laws have been passed according to which these vagabonds are allowed to stay only a couple of days or a couple of hours in certain provinces or provincial districts, when they are escorted by gendarmes over the border. The principal business transactions consist of fortune-telling, begging and stealing. They are especially clever in the latter branch of business and take everything, from a pin and needle to a horse and carriage.

The gypsies have been a real nuisance for Europe for centuries and the Austro-Hungarian government is now considering a plan to force this most peculiar vagabond race into settlement, somewhere in the vast plains of Hungary. Most characteristic of the gypsies is the fact that they never work. This is one of their first principles. For more than 600 years they have been roaming over Europe and the up-to-date gypsy is by all means the cleverest thief in the world. Where no cat gets through the little brown gypsy boy finds his way. They have no religion, no morals, no honor or no fatherland. But he is prouder, perhaps, than a Spanish grandee. He lies to perfection and is the greatest story teller in the world.

Many other efforts have been made from time to time to confine the gypsies to certain territories in Hungary, but always without any success.

WOMEN WAGE-EARNERS.

Female Workers in France Outnumber Those in America by 33 Per Cent.

The American woman, independent and energetic, occupies a unique position compared with her sisters of other lands. There is hardly a profession to which she has not the entree and an army of working women is to be found in all the larger cities. Yet the statisticians claim that out of 16,334,690 women over 20 years of age in this country but 2,787,865, or about 17 per cent., represent the wage earners. In contrast are the statistics concerning the women workers of France. In that country nearly one-half the feminine population, or 5,381,069 out of a total of 12,907,112 over 20 years of age, are working women.

In addition to these millions of wage earners, it is computed that there are 500,000 women landowners who are independent of masculine support. In a scientific work, compiled for use at the recent exposition and treating of women and women's work in France, the following table appears: Physicians, 450; authors, 513; artists and sculptresses, 3,500; singers and actresses, 3,500; nurses, 13,000; milliners, 30,000; government employees, 50,000; members of religious orders, 95,000; teachers, 100,000; in business houses, 245,000; landowners, 500,000; factory girls, 575,000; domestic servants, 650,000; seamstresses, 950,000; farm laborers, 2,700,000.

LOYAL LITTLE AMERICAN.

Youthful Traveler's Enthusiasm Upon His Return from a Trip to Europe.

A teacher who spent her vacation abroad tells the following story:

One of her fellow passengers on the steamer that brought her home was a little boy about ten years old. As the steamer approached New York the child grew exultantly happy and every little while he would say: "We're almost home now." He talked of the various objects they passed as though he were really quite at home. Finally the teacher said: "Do you live in New York?"

"No," answered he. "I live in St. Paul, Minn."

Miss L.—remarked: "St. Paul? You are still a long way from home."

"This is just as good as home," said the loyal little fellow, "it's America." The young traveler's patriotism so pleased the Columbus lady that she asked him about his travels and learned why he was so glad to see America, says the Presbyterian. He had been in Europe over six months, a part of which time had been spent in school in Sweden. He had seen much that was interesting in the different European countries, but was as pleased as he could possibly be on once more seeing his native land and stoutly declared that America was "the best country in the world."

Incident of Modern French Duel.

A story which is going the rounds of the European press illustrates the absurdities of the French duel. Two men of Paris arranged to fight a duel at Calais. They were highly pleased—at least one of them was—at the prospect, for it meant public proclamation of their bravery at the cost of only a scratch or two and, what was more serious, a few coppers for coffee. But one of the duellists, as it turned out, really wanted to kill and he killed, for he had made up his mind to commit suicide. On learning this the other man fainted and had to be carried off to bed. This seemed to be a great disappointment to the one with suicidal intentions, and after vainly trying to pick a quarrel with his second he went and drowned himself.

TOLD BY THE OLD PUGILIST.

"Ringin'" in the Old Days Before John L. Had Brought the System to Perfection.

"One winter, when things were rather slow in the city—it was just before John L.'s time"—said the old pugilist, according to the New York Sun, "we made up a little party and hired a hall in one of the fishing towns not far away. We advertised a prize of ten dollars for anyone who could stay on his feet against our men for five rounds. It was safe money, although when two or three of the boats came in at the same time we had all we could handle."

"But one night a fellow as big as the side of a house came along, and we smelled trouble. We put him up against the heaviest man in our party, who, though he only tipped the scales at 180 pounds, had two good hands and a head that you couldn't hurt with a piledriver. But the stranger was no slouch, and at the end of the fourth round we began to worry about the tenner."

"The ring was on the stage at the front of the hall, and at the rear of the stage there were two windows. So I says to our man as I sponged his mouth: 'Work him over to one of the windows.'"

"It wasn't no easy job, but he did it before time was half up, and as the dufer backed up near the window he got a crack in the head from behind that dumped him in a heap. That's the way we saved our ten."

"But the funny part of it is that our champion had caught the local guy on the jaw the same moment and we could never persuade him that it wasn't himself that secured the knock-out."

PRESERVING THE BIG TREES.

Efforts to Prevent the Destruction of the California Forest Giants.

The women's clubs of this state are persevering in their efforts to save the Calaveras grove as a legacy to posterity. Mrs. Emma Shafter Howard has opened correspondence on the subject with many influential men in Washington. Senator Hoar, of Massachusetts, suggests in a letter written on the subject that California ought to have intelligence and public spirit enough to save her wonderful trees, says the San Francisco Chronicle. The suggestion is pertinent, but the nation as well as the state has an interest in their preservation. The senator adds that his state would not ask any help of the federal government if she had them, which is probably true; but Massachusetts has a larger permanent population and greater wealth than California, while the proximity of the grove to a national park in this state naturally suggests their union and their subsequent care under one patrol. Mr. Hoar promises, however, to aid the senators from this state in their efforts to secure favorable action by congress.

Another letter of special value on the subject has been received from the secretary of the American Forestry association, in which the cooperation of the women's clubs of California with that organization in all kindred projects to that of the preservation of Calaveras grove is cordially invited. In this letter there is a friendly intimation that heroes should supplant hysterics in the work of saving the forests of the country from destruction, and the hint will probably not be thrown away.

SHRINKAGE OF THE SUN.

An English Scientist Estimates That It Amounts to Six Inches a Day.

The usual Christmas course of lectures was begun at the Royal Institution by Sir Robert Ball. The sun, he pointed out, was the source of all the heat received by this earth, says the London Times. Now, it was a well-known fact that most things in cooling became smaller; a poker, for example, was shorter when it was cold than when it was red hot. The sun, too, must obey this fundamental law, and must therefore be getting smaller. If we could measure its diameter on two successive days we should find it had decreased by nine inches—that was to say, it was shrinking at the rate of, roughly, five feet a week, or a mile in every 20 years. In view of this shrinkage, some of the younger members of his audience might feel anxious lest the sun should not last their time. Such anxiety, however, was groundless; he was 860,000 miles in diameter, so it would take 40,000 years for him to be reduced by 2,000 miles to 858,000, and the lecturer was sure that if there were two suns in the sky, one 860,000 miles in diameter and the other 858,000, no one would be able to tell by looking at them which of the two was the smaller. But as the sun was shrinking nine inches every day, and had been doing so for ages, it followed that in the past he was very much greater than he was now. But he always had the same amount of material in him and weighed no heavier than at present; hence the inference was that he was once a huge mass of rarefied gas—a great, glowing ball.

A Fireman's Close Call.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain" writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa. "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters and, after it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by Heber Walsh, druggist.

REMARKABLE PAT HANDS.

Five Full Ones That Contained a Wonderful Combination of Numbers.

Inner club circles have been regaled with a story of a recent sitting at draw poker, in which five well-known clubmen took part, says the Baltimore Sun.

It was at the home of one of the members. Two new packs of cards were brought out, the seal of one was cut and the cards shuffled. From this

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pack cards were dealt around to select the dealer for the opening hand. This done, the second pack of cards was opened and shuffled by one of the party, who handed it to the dealer, who also shuffled. The pack was then tendered for the usual cut, which was done. A round of jackpots had been agreed upon.

The player who had first say was an insurance man, and he promptly opened. Next was a grain merchant, who raised the opener. A member of the stock exchange came next and he saw the raise and went the limit better. A merchant well known for his aggressive spirit sat next in line and he quietly met all that had been bet and raised the limit. It was now around to a railroadman, who was the dealer. There was a pause, and each player inspected his cards with a self-satisfied air. The railroad man broke the silence by meeting all bets and raising them the limit. Everybody stayed in the game. The dealer asked how many cards were wanted and each player in turn said none. The dealer took none. He made a nominal bet and the call was passed all around.

At the show-down the hand in each case was a full house and, beginning with the first to the left of the dealer, as follows: Sevens and Deuces, eights and treys, nines and fours, tens and fives, aces and fives. The railroad man was the winner. He has had the cards as held by each player framed and each player has a photograph of them as a souvenir of phenomenal sequence in a game of poker.

Chance—Its Narrow Limits.

If, in speaking of chance, we mean simply something whose cause we do not know, it may be allowable to use the word, but if we mean by it anything which happens without a cause it is an injurious fallacy, which should be banished from every mind and every lip. If we remember that every chance is only an illustration of our own ignorance, we shall be less likely to use the word inadvisedly, and if we habitually search for the causes of things and turn our ignorance into knowledge, we shall gradually curtail the idea of it within narrower and truer limits.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

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 19th and continuing until April 30th. For detailed information inquire of nearest ticket agent, or address H. W. Steinhoff, District Passenger Agent W. C. Ry. Saginaw, Mich., or Jas. C. Pond, Gen'l Passenger Agent, Milwaukee, Wis. 2-1

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Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.

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

In the matter of the estate of Jan Laidens deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Henry J. Laidens, Executor of the estate of said deceased, praying for the examination and allowance of his final account as such Executor, that he may be discharged from his trust, have his bond cancelled and said estate closed.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Tuesday, the Nineteenth day of March next,

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On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Isaac Marzelle executor of the estate of said deceased, praying for the examination and allowance of his final account as such executor, that he may be discharged from his trust have his bond cancelled and said estate closed.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Tuesday, the Nineteenth day of March next,

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

JOHN V. B. GOODRICH,

Judge of Probate.

FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

A. C. Van Raalte Gilmore,

DENTIST.

taupell Block. 21-W. Eighth St.

Holland City News.

FRIDAY, Mar. 8 1901.

N. J. WHELAN, Editor.

About the Marshalship.

There are several candidates in the field for the nomination for Marshal on the Republican ticket at the coming election and their active work has given rise to considerable political discussion. There is one phase of this discussion that is particularly interesting to the people of Ottawa county as well as to the people of Holland. And that is that the republicans show a disposition to make a change in the time honored custom of claiming the office of sheriff for a Holland man.

They argue that Holland gains nothing and the party in Holland gains nothing by settling aside the claims of candidates from other parts of the county and ruthlessly appropriating the nomination for a man from this city. Other arguments are to the effect that outside of the empty honor no material good accrues to this city but that harm results to the party, that Holland is branded as selfish and brazen, that it tends to keep other faithful and deserving party workers from aspiring for other county offices, and men that merit honor are thrust aside by men whose only claim to distinction and preferment is that they have drawn a good salary as city marshal for a year or more.

But this discussion should not lull the republicans into a feeling of inaction and carelessness in the matter of nominating an able man for the position of marshal.

If the right man is chosen, if he serves the city faithfully, if he stands by the principles and works for the good of the party, the chances are that sometime in the future he will be called upon to fill the office of sheriff of Ottawa County and all should see to it that he is a man of sound judgment and ability, a man who will reflect credit on the city of Holland.

Sheriff Dykhuis, is good for four years, after that the county may again look to Holland for a sheriff. In the past we have given good men and should so act at the convention and election this spring that we will have the right kind of a man trained for the position in case the people want him.

Prophets of Evil.

President McKinley's inauguration speech was an able document and every paragraph was a grand vindication of the principles of republicanism as carried out by the dominant party the past four years; but there is one sentence that deserves special notice as it completely answers every argument advanced by the democrats.

Here is the sentence—"The prophets of evil were not the builders of the republic, nor in its crisis have they saved or served it."

How eloquent! how rich in argument! In one masterly stroke the cardinal sin of democracy is shown to the American people. That sentence means that the party that loses faith in the people to such an extent that it denies their ability to govern, that is always obstructing the march of progress, that is always afraid to add to the glory of republican institutions, that is against advancement, that is filled with gloomy foreboding for the future, is the wrong party and should be relegated to oblivion.

All we heard from democratic orators four years ago was "Beware of the future." "The liberties of the common people will be trampled underfoot," and kindred sentences. All we heard last fall was "Beware of imperialism," "The Trusts will destroy us," "A standing army menaces our liberties" and so on without end. Not one note of hope was sounded, not one word of cheer and comfort was spoken. Dire disaster, irrevocable ruin was predicted.

So it has ever been with the "prophets of evil." But the intelligent voters were not awayed from their political faith. They were proud of their country and cast their lot with the party of progress, of hope, of courage.

McKinley and Roosevelt were elected. They have been inaugurated and the era of prosperity started by McKinley and Hobart bids fair to continue as long as the people uphold the principles of the republican party.

The republicans of Zealand have nominated the following ticket: President, J. Vanekissen; clerk, M. A. Sooy; trustees, John Spiker, W. D. Van Loo, J. M. Vanden Bosch. The democrats have placed the following men in nomination: President, Benjamin Kampe; clerk, Dick Boonstra; treasurer, John Huizenga; trustees, Thomas Nieman, H. Fisher and H. H. Kassten. The election will be held Monday.

What Shall It Be?

Events of the past few weeks have demonstrated that the citizens of Holland are anxious to have a gas plant established; but there is a difference of opinion as to whether it shall be under municipal ownership or not. One thing is certain something must be done soon.

If the city does not decide to build, and a franchise must be granted some one, it is better to grant it to men identified with the business interests of the city rather than to outside corporations.

Messrs. C. J. De Roo and J. J. Cappon have petitioned the common council for a franchise for the establishment of a plant. They are both representative business men. They have always worked for the best interests of the city. Their proposition is entitled to full and fair consideration and it is hoped that the council will pass upon it without unnecessary delay.

Taxing Michigan Shipping.

Kelly's bill for the taxation of vessel property of Michigan, 3 cents per ton of tonnage, has become prominent as an offensive and defensive measure. As a result of it, Minnesota and Wisconsin have asked Michigan to appoint a legislative conference committee to discuss the measure. Perhaps a letter from James Davidson of Bay City, to Senator Kelly regarding his bill, explains the matter as forcibly as could be done.

"It would have been a great thing for the state," writes Mr. Davidson, "if some such bill had been passed years ago. It is all right. We had been building a great many vessels in Bay City for others as well as ourselves, until we had quite a fleet of vessels of our own. But the city and county taxes were so hard upon us, and all ship owners, that it was impossible to have the vessels built from Bay City, and we formed a company under Minnesota's laws, and now the vessels all sail from Duluth, where they pay a tax of only 3 cents per ton of tonnage. Minnesota has been enabled to get half the tonnage of the great lakes enrolled in that state, and the state has received tremendous revenues. Michigan lost much by its arbitrary taxation of vessel property. Your proposed bill if enacted into law would restore to the state the vessel property it had lost."

Senator Kelly's bill came forward just in time to attract the Wisconsin legislature's notice, and now Senator Miller of Wisconsin proposes that Michigan appoint a legislative committee, and that the legislative committees of the three different states meet midway at Madison, Wis., or at Milwaukee at some time in the near future, and all three states agree upon a uniform rate of vessel taxation so that no state will have an advantage over the others in securing the returns from vessel taxation.

At this week's session of the legislature Senator Kelly of Muskegon will offer a resolution that such a committee be appointed by the lieutenant governor and the presumption is that the tri-state conference relative to vessel taxation will take place during the present month at Milwaukee or Madison.

River and Harbor Bill Was Talked to Death.

Instead of an appropriation of \$85,350, Holland will get nothing for harbor improvements. The river and harbor bill was defeated in the senate by Senator Carter, of Montana, who talked it to death.

He occupied the floor, constructively, for nearly thirteen consecutive hours, although in the aggregate about three hours of that time were devoted to other business. Apparently in a facetious vein, he began his attack upon the measure, denouncing it as vicious and pernicious legislation unwarranted by conditions and unsound in principle.

He finally stated that it was his intention not to permit the river and harbor bill to become a law, if his strength should hold out, and saying that at that moment he was in excellent physical condition. With the exception of a brief intermission while a quorum was being secured and a recess of half an hour between 10:30 and 11 o'clock Monday Mr. Carter spoke practically continuously. He yielded the floor only after the ceremony of the induction of Vice President Roosevelt into office had begun.

Senator McMillan, chairman of the senate committee on commerce, had worked hard to protect the bill through six weeks of committee work and through a week on the floor and he was greatly disappointed over its failure. Regarding future plans pertaining to Michigan harbor improvements he said: "We'll simply have to get along without most of the improvements until congress may appropriate something next winter. I suppose the secretary of war will find some way to maintain the various harbors."

Great disappointment was manifest.

ed when it was learned that no appropriation would be made for Holland harbor, and the course of Senator Carter was bitterly denounced. There is still an unexpended balance to the credit of this harbor but it is a question whether or not it is sufficient to get the harbor in shape for the coming season.

Holland now finds itself in the condition that South Haven was in last season. The government appropriation was not sufficient to remove all the bars and a very bad one remained in front of the life saving station after the government appropriation was exhausted. Knowing that a good harbor was necessary and that the interests of the city would suffer if the obstruction were not removed, a committee of citizens raised enough money by subscription to charter a dredge and do the work. Something of this kind may have to be done in Holland, or the council may find a way of raising the money. One thing is certain, it will not do to let the shipping interests suffer for that will entail serious loss upon the city.

Never in the history of the city did we have such need for a good harbor. We have a boat line that is ranked with the best on the lakes. The addition of the new boat, The Ottawa, to this line, demands better harbor facilities. Then the interests of the Pere Marquette line to Milwaukee is entitled to consideration. It is unfortunate Holland should be disappointed at this particular time but it is hoped that a way will be found out of the difficulty.

Important Meeting of the Common Council.

The great amount of business transacted at last Tuesday night's meeting of the common council will mark it as one of the most important sessions of that body.

C. J. De Roo and John J. Cappon petitioned for a gas franchise. Referred to a special committee consisting of three aldermen to be appointed by the Mayor and to the city attorney. The Mayor appointed as such committee Aldermen Sprietsma, Riksen and Van Putten.

The committee on ways and means reported recommending that the second floor of the new Vanderveen block be hired for the common council rooms, the city clerk's office etc., at an annual rental of \$300.

By Ald. Habermann, Resolved, that the report be adopted and recommendations carried out. Said resolution did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

Yeas—Alds. Fileman, Sprietsma, Van Putten, Habermann, Westhoek—5.

Nays—Alds. Vandentak, Klies, Kole, Luidens, Riksen—5.

The vote being a tie, the Mayor voted nay.

The clerk reported the following bids for repairing abutments of Black River bridge:

Michigan Bridge Co.,—\$4,000.00.
Wroughtiron Bridge Co.,—\$4,689.00.
Grand Rapids Bridge Co.—\$1,997.50.
Rottschaefer Bros.—\$2,673.00.

Van Anrooy and Oosting—\$3,828.96,
\$2,000.80, \$1,776.97, \$2,833.96.

Referred to the committee on bridges and culverts and the township board.

The committee to whom had been referred the petition of the Grand Rapids, Holland and Lake Michigan Rapid Railway for permission to excavate across Seventh street and to construct a bridge over and across said excavation recommended that the petition be granted subject to certain conditions chief among them being the following:

1. After making said excavation across Seventh street, the G. R. H. & L. M. R. Ry. shall immediately construct a bridge over and across said excavation in accordance with the plan hereto annexed; said bridge to be of the width of the entire street to wit: 60 feet and to be so constructed as to have a sidewalk 10 feet in width on each side of said bridge.

2. The said Grand Rapids, Holland & Lake Mich. Rapid Railway shall hereafter at all times keep and maintain said bridge and the approaches thereto in good condition for public travel and in first class repair, and shall rebuild said bridge or repair same as often as said bridge needs repairing or rebuilding during the entire life of said G. R. H. & L. M. R. Ry.

3. No part of said work of excavating across said Seventh street shall be done or performed until the H. & L. M. Ry. has been established and permanently maintain its main office within the limits of the city of Holland.

Resolved, that the following be and are hereby designated as the places for registration and election.

First ward—No. 88 East Eighth street.

Second ward—No. 143 River street.

Third ward—Office of Isaac Fairbanks.

Fourth ward—Residence of R. H. Habermann.

Fifth ward—Residence of John A. Kooyers. Carried.

The following were appointed inspectors of election:

First ward—A. Van Duren.

Second ward—Wm. Hayes.

Third ward—Johannes Dykema.

Fourth ward—Geo. E. Kollen.

Fifth ward—John A. Kooyers.

Resolved, that Geo. E. Kollen, Isaac Goldman and Henry J. Luidens be and are hereby appointed members of the boards of election commissioners of the city of Holland. Carried.

The clerk reported that the \$50,000 park bonds authorized by the vote of the electors at a special election held January 21, 1901 had not been sold.

P. H. McBride unanimously consent being given, offered for the \$50,000 park bonds the sum of \$50,300 and interest for one month from February 1, 1901.

By Ald. Luidens, Resolved, that the offer of P. H. McBride be accepted and bonds awarded to Mr. McBride at \$50,300 and one month interest.

Canning Factory Agitation.

The attention of the business men of Holland has been turned this week to the plans advanced by J. B. Silver representing the Marshall Industrial company, for the establishment of a canning factory in this city. A public meeting was held in De Groot wet hall last Monday evening to discuss the matter.

Attorney Geo. E. Kollen was called to the chair and the matter was fully discussed.

John Zwemer gave an account of a trip he made to Lawrence and Dowagiac to investigate the canning factories at those places. He declared that the results were highly satisfactory and benefited the respective cities. The stockholders and fruitgrowers were well pleased and the farmers showed a willingness to enter into contracts for the raising of fruit and vegetables.

Mr. Zwemer was followed by J. B. Silver. He gave an exhaustive explanation of the company's way of doing business and stated the conditions under which a plant might be constructed in Holland. His proposition was substantially as follows:

"My business here is to sell a factory and I can furnish one at from \$1,000 to \$10,000 but would recommend a \$6,800 plant for this locality. We expect to make some money off the plant, but not more than 10 per cent and if the company, after the factory is completed, feels that we have charged too much, we will sign a contract agreeing to accept for our trouble 10 per cent net of the price of the plant, your company to assume all our obligations. We will buy all our building material and hire all our labor here, and you can pay 50 per cent of the price of the plant when it is completed and accepted and the balance in six months. A \$6,800 plant will have a capacity of 20,000 cans. We will give you an expert to run the factory the first year, until others can learn the business. Between 125 and 150 women could be given employment and you should be able to get them for 80 or 90 cents per day."

After an exhaustive discussion of the question a motion, "that it be the sense of the meeting that a canning factory be established in Holland," was passed. A committee, consisting of Geo. E. Kollen, John Zwemer, M. G. Mantling, J. J. Rutgers and O. A. Burns was appointed to solicit subscription for stock.

In order to gain further information some of the members of the committee visited Grand Rapids, Paw Paw and Dowagiac this week. They will report the results today. In the meantime the committee has succeeded in securing pledges for a large part the amount required to build the factory—\$6,800.

After a consultation today with Mr. Silver and several of the business men the question of going ahead with the word or not will be definitely determined.

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The choir of the Third Reformed church was royally entertained last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Sprietama, after the usual rehearsal of one hour. Elaborate refreshments were served and all report a good time.

The Lady Bees of Artie Van Dine Hive 776 held a very interesting meeting at the K. O. T. M. hall last Wednesday evening. Fourteen new members were installed. After the installation ceremonies a banquet was enjoyed.

The local lodge K. O. T. M. initiated nineteen new members last Monday evening. After the ceremonies incident to installation an elaborate banquet was served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hadden entertained the Jolly Time pedro club last Friday evening. First prizes were won by Mrs. Paul Stekete and I. Goldman and consolations were awarded Mrs. Fred Metz and Paul Stekete.

E. J. Powers, the genial clerk at Hotel Holland, entertained the Next Day club at the club rooms on the North Side last Saturday evening. The time was delightfully passed in dancing and listening to a musical program. Refreshments were served by Mr. Mill Wauke and Mr. Kegan. True to the ancient rites of the club all of the next day was spent in telling friends how it happened.

The invitations issued this week by the Midnight Club, Jr., are unique effects. On the outside cover is the picture of a bowling ball in long top coat. The design was drawn by one of the members of the club. The invitations are printed and finished in green thus calling attention to the approach of St. Patrick's day. The costumes will be at Hotel Holland all day March 15 with a full line of costumes, wigs, etc. As the line has never been shown in Holland it is expected that there will be quite a rush for novel costumes and an early visit to Hotel Holland will be made by those desiring to get first choice. One of the largest and most brilliantly appareled crowds ever seen at the Lyceum Opera house is expected at this ball and the grand march will be a brilliant spectacle. The galleries will be open to the public and a small admission fee will be charged.

J. A. Minderout left Saturday for his home in Indianapolis, Ind. He will return to Holland the first of next week.

Mrs. James Whelan left Friday for a visit with relatives in Montague.

Capt. B. Upham, of Saugatuck, was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Theron Metcalf was called to Detroit last Friday by the serious illness of her son, O. U. Metcalf.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dregman were in Grand Rapids last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Kammeraad have returned from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. G. J. Miller of Grand Haven.

Miss Jullia Van Raalte was the guest of friends in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Henry Vanderwerp has returned from the Michigan Agricultural college where he has been taking a special course in mechanical engineering.

Miss Mattie Hames of Saugatuck was the guest of Mrs. M. B. Nash this week.

Mrs. John Koning, of Saugatuck, visited relatives in this city over Sunday.

John Hardy was in Grand Rapids Sunday.

Miss Anna Van Dis, of Muskegon, was the guest of friends in this city this week.

G. W. Mokma was in Allegan Monday.

The Misses Josephine and Cornelia Benjamin left Monday for Chicago to purchase a spring stock of millinery.

John Pieters, of Fennville, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Boone, Sr., Monday.

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

John Koning, of Saugatuck, was in the city Monday.

J. D. Graves of the Heloz Pickle Co., Pittsburg, was in the city this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kolk, of Fulton, Ill., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Nauta the first part of the week. They left for Chicago and neighboring cities last Thursday morning.

Al Kloster, foreman of De Grandwet, was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

W. H. Beach left Tuesday for Chicago.

Dr. L. A. M. Riemans left Tuesday for a business trip to Chicago and St. Louis.

B. Vaneklasen, of Zeeland, was in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Albert Langerwisch was the guest of friends in Grand Rapids Sunday.

Mrs. F. M. Gillespie visited friends in Grand Rapids yesterday.

Attorney Gerrit Albers, of Grand Rapids, is in the city.

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

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

A special sale during the coming week at John Vandensluis' on black Dress Goods at 59c, 75c and 95c per yard. See ad.

The Hope church organ committee has decided to purchase an organ manufactured by the Kimball Company and costing \$2,300. It will be completed in about three months.

Berend Ter Haar of Drenthe died Sunday at the age of 74 years. He leaves a wife and nine children. He was born in the Province Drenthe, Netherlands in 1847 and is one of the earliest settlers in this community. The funeral was held Wednesday from the Drenthe Reformed church.

The Port Sheldon people are disconsolate. They will have no resort, not at present at least, as the syndicate that proposed to buy the land on the lake shore allowed all options to expire. Wednesday was the last day of grace and the capitalists did not appear upon the scene.

Cal Heath of Saugatuck has commenced work on a boat to take the place of the Klondike on Kalamazoo river. She will be 55ft. keel, 85ft. over all, 18ft. beam, 29ft. over the guards, and 4ft. depth of hold. It is expected she will draw less than 12 inches of water. She is intended for the route between Saugatuck and Allegan, and Mr. Heath expects her to make the trip to Allegan in about eight hours, and the trip down in five hours. She will be ready about the middle of May.

Rev. Adam Clarke will hold services Sunday morning in Winants Chapel after which members will be accepted on probation and the ordinance of baptism will be administered. The Epworth League will meet in the basement of the First Reformed church at 6:15 Sunday evening. At 7:30 services will be held in the auditorium of the First Reformed church and will be of revival character, all are invited to attend. A large chorus of young people will be in attendance.

The report of the county inspectors of jail made last week shows that during the last six months 213 prisoners have been confined in the county jail, for the following offences: Vagrancy, 29; adultery, 2; disorderly, 43; drunk, 117; illegal fishing, 1; non-support, 1; burglary, 2; murder, 1; grand larceny, 1; malicious destruction of property, 6; assault and battery, 1; cruelty to animals, 1; bastardy, 1; perjury 1; violation city ordinance, 1; larceny 4. There are now in jail detained for trial 4 prisoners and 12 serving sentence. All but one are males. The condition of the jail, bedding, cells, etc., is good. The report is signed by J. V. B. Goodrich, G. J. Van Duren, Wm. N. Angel, Alex. Noble, Wm. Whipple, Jr.

Miss Beale Belle Thew, of Grand Rapids, was in the city Saturday and organized a class in elocution. She met with flattering success and will meet her pupils at Hotel Holland every Saturday afternoon. Besides instructing in elocution Miss Thew makes a specialty of giving lessons in physical culture and Delsartean poses. She intends to organize a class in club swinging and other forms of exercise. In Grand Rapids she has been very successful and at present is the director of the Y. W. C. A. class in physical culture. Students desiring to arrange for instruction may call at Hotel Holland Saturday afternoon or evening and consult with Miss Thew or they may leave their name with the clerk of Hotel Holland who will inform them as to the hour they may have for private lessons.

This season's beet sugar report is not only encouraging, but it shows that the industry is firmly established. The returns show that Michigan this season produced 53,661,365 pounds of first-grade sugar, leading every other sugar producing state, with the possible exception of California, yet in Michigan the industry is only 3 years old, while in California and the west it is above 10 years. Michigan is the only state that is this year building three new factories and doubling the capacity of one already constructed. There has been little difficulty in securing sufficient acreage and it is predicted that the future will find Michigan an important figure in the sugar markets. It is estimated that 100,000 acres will be under contract for the coming season. The beet sugar industry has had its ups and downs, but it is now established as one of the foremost industries of the state, and bids fair to achieve as widespread a reputation as was ever enjoyed by Michigan copper.—G. R. Herald.

Spring, the time of the year when the thoughts of the householder turn to plans for improvements, has come. James A. Brouwer, of the River street furniture emporium, is ready for the rush for wall paper that takes place this time every year. His advance sale opens Monday, March 11 and if you wish to get an idea of the latest prices call and examine his extensive stock. As Mr. Brouwer buys in large quantities direct from the mills he is in a position to make tremendous price reductions and expects a record breaking sale. Do not wait but buy now and save money.

In an interview with a reporter of the G. B. Press Representative Alward of Ottawa County speaks as follows: "I thought at first that we might be able to finish our session by the middle of May, but I have changed my mind and see little chance of getting away before the usual time. There is so much time lost which could be well spent. If there were no days wasted, we would get through in a hurry. The first thing the committee ought to do is to go in and kill about nine out of every ten bills before them, and then hurry the good ones in and let us act on them. Before my committee we have the greatest lot of bills ever brought in, and over half of them could be thrown into the waste basket and never missed."

Grand Results Of Revival

The revival meetings conducted in this city by Messrs. Smith and Colburn of the Moody institute accomplished immense spiritual good. Over four hundred persons have signified their intention to lead christian lives and have turned to the churches for guidance, spiritual advice and comfort.

This is a magnificent showing and its effect on the community will be great for lasting good. The talented evangelists who have done so much for the cause of religion merit the unlimited praise of the people of Holland, and it is accorded them in great degree. They have done noble work and their efforts will never be forgotten.

The clergy of this city have extended liberal aid and unselfish devotion to the evangelists and thus made it possible for them to reap the highest measure of success. In appreciation of the services of Messrs. Smith and Colburn a free will offering of over \$500 was given them.

The last of the meetings was held at the Third Reformed church last Monday evening. After the meeting an informal reception was held at the home of Prof. and Mrs. J. T. Berges to give those who desired to do so an opportunity to bid good by to the evangelists who departed for a new field of labor on the midnight train.

Normal School Committee Will be Here Next Friday.

The legislative committees on the Normal school will leave Lansing Thursday, March 14 and spend Thursday evening and Friday morning at Muskegon and Friday afternoon at Holland. The superintendent of public instruction, members of the state board of education, and the senate and the house joint committees will go on the trip.

Now that the committee has decided to come to Holland arrangements should be made to point out the many advantages of this city and impress the visitors with the idea that this is the best location for the new Normal school. They surely look upon Holland with favor and if they take the trouble to come here to investigate, our citizens should see that they are hospitably entertained and that they realize that Holland is the best city in Western Michigan for the establishment of a Normal school.

The DeMotte Lecture Postponed on Account of Illness.

Prof. J. B. De Motte was unable to give his lecture at Winants Chapel last Saturday evening on account of illness. He arrived in Holland on the afternoon train and not feeling well retired immediately to his room and summoned Dr. Ledebor who found that he was suffering from nervousness and a severe attack of the grip.

A hurried conference was held with Prof. J. B. Nykerk and it was decided to postpone the lecture until next Monday evening, March 11. That is the only date the Professor has unfilled for the present season and he will return here and give his lecture on "Python Eggs and the American Boy."

The news that the date is changed to Monday evening will be received with delight by a great number who wished to hear the lecturer but could not attend on Saturday night on account of business. Prof. De Motte was well enough to travel Monday and left on the noon train for Traverse City.

Tickets for the lecture at Winants Chapel are on sale at Hardies. Prices 50 and 75 cents.

Tired and Nervous

It is easy to tell when your nerve-force and vital power are slipping away from you. When your day's work leaves you weary and exhausted; when you are so nervous, irritable and sleepless that your nights are passed in restless tossing; when you get up in the morning with no appetite for breakfast, and go around all day with a headache; you may be sure your nervous strength is being used up faster than it is being renewed.

"I was so run-down from neuralgia and LaGrippe that I was tired all the time and hardly had strength to walk across the room. Of course I could not do my work and I became greatly discouraged. A lady told me of Dr. Miles' Nervine and I sent for a bottle on trial. It helped me and I kept on using it and when I had taken two bottles I was able to attend to my household duties."

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Rev. A. Pieters Lectures on Japan.

The first lecture of a series of five lectures on missionary work in Japan was given last Friday evening by the Rev. Albertus Pieters. The lecturer is a competent man for the task, for to a keen and logical mind is added the information gathered during a long residence in Japan.

The subject of the lecture Friday evening was "The Missionary Purpose." After some introductory remarks showing his appreciation of the privilege granted him to address his Alma Mater on such an important theme, Mr. Pieters began by showing the importance of a scientific study of missions. The unflagging interest on the part of the home church was emphasized, and a thorough understanding of both principles and problems designated as the key that led to interest. He stated that mission activity finds its starting point in the great commission of the Master; the activity itself is of two kinds—the internal and external work of the church.

The speaker then showed clearly that when the church enters a new field, such as Japan in 1859, two questions at once arise: what does she propose to accomplish there, and when is her task done? Two answers had been offered, the church establishment theory, and the evangelization theory. The former theory, in brief, was characterized as holding that "the primary aim of missions is to preach the gospel in all lands, the ultimate aim is to plant the church in all lands, when they have done that their work is accomplished. Then the church of each land thus planted, must win its own people to Christ." This view lays great stress on founding of institutions, but was not wholly acceptable to the lecturer, for it led to false hopes of speedy success, discouragement to the workers, and injury to the work. Further it fails to satisfy the evangelistic spirit, and expects too much from the native church.

Mr. Pieters then took up the evangelization theory as found in Mr. Mott's work, "The Evangelization of the World in this Generation." Mr. Mott's view was thrown in the following four propositions: 1. The gospel must be preached to all men. 2. This must be done in this generation. 3. Churches must everywhere be organized. 4. This work of organization is secondary in time and immediate importance to that of complete evangelization. Of these propositions, the lecturer accepted the first and third, rejected the second, and showed clearly that no such separation can or ought to be made between evangelization and organization, for native church and helpers are necessary, for this very evangelization; and without organization the work would have to be done over in the next decade.

The true view, according to Rev. Pieters, is to have evangelization and organization go hand in hand. This surely is the most logical view to hold and the lecturer did well in showing that not only "conquest" but also "effective occupation" was necessary. His aim was truly an exalted one, for it was set forth in these words: "We aim to 'Christianize' the world, and to reproduce abroad the condition existing in our own land. This is a process of growth, and growth takes time. The result is certain, according to the promises of God."

It is needless to say that such a keen setting forth of the missionary purpose was highly appreciated by all present. These lectures are intended for the public, and all interested in missions are cordially invited to attend the next lecture, to be given Friday evening, March 8 at the Seminary Chapel. The subject then will be: "The external conditions under which that purpose is to be accomplished in Japan."

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Section.	Acres.	Amount of Taxes.	Interest.	Collection Fee.	Charges.	TOTAL.
CITY OF HOLLAND.						
TOWNSHIP 5 NORTH OF RANGE 15 WEST.						
Part of nw 1/4 of sw 1/4 commencing 20 rds n from se corner running thence w 1 30 ft n 10 rds, e 150 ft a 10 rds to place of beginning 39 9 46 2 46 38 1 00 13 30						
Part of nw 1/4 of sw 1/4 commencing at a point on s margin line where 26th St will be and 40 rds n from se corner of nw 1/4 of sw 1/4 thence w 13 rds, a 10 rds, e 13 rds n 10 rds to beginning 32 11 21 2 91 45 1 00 15 57						
SUBDIVISION OF LOT 1 BLOCK A.						
Block.						
Lot 16	1 75	46	07 1 00	3 28		
" 17	2 80	73	11 1 00	4 64		
Part of n 1/2 of w 1/2 of lot 6 being e 50 ft of w 233 ft of n 100 ft A 15 41 4 01 62 1 00 21 04						
BAY VIEW ADDITION.						
lot 74	3 15	82	13 1 00	5 10		
" 75	3 50	91	14 1 00	5 55		
BOSMAN'S ADDITION.						
Lot 12 and w 1/2 of lot 13 A	9 46	2 46	38 1 00	13 30		
Lot 9 C	10 51	2 73	42 1 00	14 66		
Lots 1 and 2 D	10 51	2 73	42 1 00	14 66		
HOPE COLLEGE ADDITION.						
Lot 3 except e 15 ft	4	9 11	2 37	38 1 00	12 84	
lot 1	14	4 56	1 19	18 1 00	6 93	
" 2	14	4 20	1 09	17 1 00	6 46	
" 7	14	2 10	55	08 1 00	3 73	
SLAGH'S ADDITION.						
Lots 33, 35 and 36	2 10	55	08 1 00	3 73		
STEWART'S ADDITION.						
Lot 32	6 66	1 73	27 1 00	9 66		
ADDITION NO 1 TO VAN DEN BERG'S PLAT.						
n 1/2 of lot 47 and 48	3 50	91	14 1 00	5 55		
WEST ADDITION.						
Lot 7 E	23 13	6 01	93 1 00	31 07		
Lot 1 except w 6 1/2 ft and s 40 ft F	15 42	4 01	62 1 00	21 05		
VILLAGE OF CONKLIN.						
Lot 17	7	2 44	63 10 1 00	4 17		
" 15	8	1 63	42 07 1 00	3 12		
VILLAGE OF EASTMANVILLE.						
HEFFERAN'S SUBDIVISION.						
Lot 30 ft n and s by 40 ft e and w on se corner A	73	19	03 1 00	1 95		
VILLAGE OF FERRYSBURG.						
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 10, 11 and 12	6	4 80	1 25	19 1 00	7 24	
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12	7	4 80	1 25	19 1 00	7 24	
lot 3	13	34	09 01 1 00	1 44		
lot 1	22	3 08	80 12 1 00	5 00		
lots 7 and 8	23	77	20 08 1 00	2 00		
lot 9	23	78	20 08 1 00	2 01		
lot 10	23	30	08 01 1 00	1 39		
Lots 11 and 12	24	2 33	61 09 1 00	4 03		
UNRECORDED PLAT.						
Lots 6, 7 and 8	24	78	20 03 1 00	2 01		
SCHOFIELD AND VERMYLE'S ADDITION.						
Entire except lot 11	2	2 33	61 09 1 00	4 03		
n 1/2 of lot 2	8	34	09 01 1 00	1 44		
lots 13 and 14	8	77	20 03 1 00	2 00		
s 1/2 of lot 14	9	90	23 04 1 00	2 17		
VILLAGE OF HUDSONVILLE.						
Lot 1	1	74	19 03 1 00	1 96		
VILLAGE OF LAMONT.						
REVISED AND EXTENDED ADDITION.						
Lots 78 and 79	94	24	04 1 00	2 22		
SOUTH WESTERN ADDITION.						
Lot 34 and e 1/2 of lot 31	4 65	1 21	19 1 00	7 05		
VILLAGE OF NUNICA.						
HOLCOMB'S ADDITION.						
Lot 6	2 33	61	09 1 00	4 03		
HOLCOMB'S 2ND ADDITION.						
Lots 1, 2, 3, 16, 17 and 18	2	1 58	41 06 1 00	3 05		
PICKETTS ADDITION.						
Lot 6	4	23	06 01 1 00	1 30		
VILLAGE OF ROBINSON.						
Block.						
n 1/2 of blk except n 150 ft deeded to Luke Kimberly 3 27 07 01 1 00 1 36						
s 1/2 of 3 29 08 01 1 00 1 38						
Entire 6 29 08 01 1 00 1 38						
Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 & 14 A	29	08	04 1 00	1 38		
Lots 5 and 17 F	14	04	01 1 00	1 19		
Lot 8 F	14	04	01 1 00	1 19		
Lots 13 and 14 F	1 65	43	07 1 00	3 15		
s 1/2 of lot 16 F	1 20	31	05 1 00	2 56		
TOWNSHIP 7 NORTH OF RANGE 15 WEST.						
Section.						
A lot described as follows, commencing on Whitney St. 240 ft e of right of way of C. and W. M. R. R. thence s and parallel with said lands to s and w 1/4 line thence e on said 1/4 line to n and s 1/4 line of Section, thence n on said 1/4 line to Whitney St. thence w on Whitney St. to place of beginning being part of nw 1/4 22 6 19 1 61 25 1 00 9 05						
VILLAGE OF SPRING LAKE.						
e 1/2 of a strip 4 rds in width and e of Church St. extending from State St. s to Exchange St 40 10 02 1 00 1 52						
TOWNSHIP 8 NORTH OF RANGE 16 WEST.						
That part of lot 8 commencing in center of State St. 271 ft w of e line of said lot 8 thence running s 160 ft w 63 ft a 160 ft 15 99 26 04 1 00 2 29						
That part of lot 8 commencing on a line of State St. 628 7/8-100 ft e of w line of said lot 8 thence running s 167 ft e 61 ft n 167 ft to a line of State St. thence w on said a line of State St. 61 ft to beginning 15 63 16 03 1 00 1 82						
e 1/2 of s 1/2 of ne 1/4 22 2 50 7 35 1 91 29 1 00 10 55						
Lot 6 except that part e of n and s canal 23 23 06 01 1 00 1 30						
BARTHOLOMEW'S ADDITION.						
Block.						
Commencing on s line of blk 2 167 ft s of ne corner of said blk thence running w 230 1-5 ft s 167 ft e 229 1-5 ft n 167 ft. 2 50 13 02 1 00 1 65						
BILZ ADDITION.						
Lot 2	2	65	17 03 1 00	1 85		
BRYANT'S ADDITION.						
Lots 9 and 10 and s 1/2 of lots 7 and 8, also a strip on e side of lot 6, section 15, T8 N. R. 16 W, 30 ft wide and						

Section.	Acres.	Amount of Taxes.	Interest.	Collection Fee.	Charges.	TOTAL.
VILLAGE OF SPRING LAKE.						
Block						
extending from State St. to D. G. H. and M. R. R., also a strip on e side of lot 725 ft wide extending from State St. to D. G. H. and M. R. R. 11 5 92 1 54 24 1 00 8 70						
Lots 1 and 2	19	11 68	3 04	47 1 00	16 19	
s 47 ft of e 1/2 of lot 9 13 63 16 03 1 00 1 82						
HAIRE, TALFORD AND HANCOCK'S ADDITION.						
Lot 8	4	30	08 01 1 00	1 39		
Lot 9	4	27	07 01 1 00	1 35		
s 1/2 of lot 10	4	27	07 01 1 00	1 35		
d 1/2 of lot 2	5	27	07 01 1 00	1 35		
s 1/2 of lot 2	5	05	01 1 00	1 06		
d 1/2 of lot 2	6	27	07 01 1 00	1 35		
s 1/2 of lot 1	6	27	07 01 1 00	1 35		
s 1/2 of lot 1	7	05	01 1 00	1 06		
lot 3	7	27	07 01 1 00	1 35		
" 5	7	35	09 01 1 00	1 45		
" 9	7	27	07 01 1 00	1 35		
" 10	7	27	07 01 1 00	1 35		
HANCOCK'S UNRECORDED PLAT.						
Lot 7	2 45	64	10 1 00	4 19		
HOPKIN'S ADDITION.						
lot 1 and 2	1	85	22 03 1 00	2 10		
A parcel 41 ft wide off s end of lot 9 1 27 07 01 1 00 1 35						
lot 10	1	08	02 1 00	1 10		
lots 11 and 12	1	75	20 03 1 00	1 38		
lot 16	1	29	08 01 1 00	1 38		
lot 1	2	25	07 01 1 00	1 33		
lot 14	2	22	06 01 1 00	1 29		
lot 16	2	27	07 01 1 00	1 35		
lot 18	2	27	07 01 1 00	1 35		
VISSERS ADDITION.						
s 1/2 of lot 4	1	56	15 02 1 00	1 73		
n 1/2 of lot 4	1	07	02 1 00	1 09		
lot 5	1	05	01 1 00	1 06		
e 1/2 of lot 6	1	27	07 01 1 00	1 35		
w 1/2 of lot 6	1	27	07 01 1 00	1 35		
lot 2	2	1 00	26 04 1 00	2 30		
n 1/2 of lot 2	4	27	07 01 1 00	1 35		
s 1/2 of lot 2	4	27	07 01 1 00	1 35		
VILLAGE OF WAVERLY.						
Lots 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121 and 122	18 78	4 88	75 1 00	25 41		
Lots 171, 200, 201 and 202	3 76	98	15 1 00	5 89		
Lot 173	3 28	85	13 1 00	5 26		
" 197	94	24	04 1 00	2 22		
" 216	94	24	04 1 00	2 22		
" 232	94	24	04 1 00	2 22		
DE VRIES ADDITION.						
Lots 59 and 71	1 33	35	05 1 00	2 73		
VILLAGE OF ZEELAND.						
ALING'S ADDITION.						
w 1/2 of lot 10 except w 1 rod	6 96	1 81	28 1 00	10 05		
MACATAWA PARK LOTS SEC. 33 TOWN 5 N. RANGE 16 W.						
lot 48	3 42	89	14 1 00	5 45		
lots 49 and 50	8 53	2 22	34 1 00	12 09		
lot 51	2 84	74	11 1 00	4 69		
" 74	8 52	2 22	34 1 00	12 09		
" 75	8 53	2 22	34 1 00	12 09		
" 604	2 56	67	10 1 00	4 33		
MACATAWA PARK LEASED LOTS, SEC. 33 TOWN 5 N. RANGE 16 WEST.						
lot 39	3 22	84	13 1 00	5 19		
MONTELO PARK SECTION 31 TOWN 15 N. RANGE 15 WEST.						
Lots 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70 and 71	4 50	1 17	18 1 00	6 85		
lot 39	64	17	03 1 00	1 84		
OTTAWA BEACH LOTS SECTION 33 TOWN 5 NORTH OF RANGE 16 WEST KNOWN AS WEST MICHIGAN PARK.						
Lots 4, 13, 48, 55, 62, 63, 71, 74, 103 106, 107, 130, 144, 145	7 13	1 85	29 1 00	10 27		
RIVERSIDE ADDITION TO THE CITY OF HOLLAND SECTION 28 TOWN 5 NORTH OF RANGE 15 WEST.						
Lot 3	4 97	1 29	20 1 00	7 46		

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A Democratic county convention was held in the court house at Grand Haven Monday. It was called to order by Geo. P. Hummer and the call read by Secretary Ed. Blair.

D. R. Waters of Spring Lake was called to take the chair as temporary chairman. H. T. Root was made temporary secretary.

It was decided to dispense with appointment of committees and to call the roll of townships and proceed at once to business.

The temporary organization was made permanent and the officers sworn in. I. H. Sanford and M. G. Manting were appointed tellers.

Delegates to the state convention were elected as follows:

At Large—Geo. P. Hummer, Holland.

First District—H. T. Root, P. J. Danhof, D. O. Watson, Grand Haven; M. G. Manting, H. Van Tongeren, Henry Brusse, Holland; D. R. Waters Spring Lake; Gerrit J. Hesselink, Holland Town.

Second District—John Wilde, Ransom Doud, Jacob Nienhuis, Judson Clayton, W. W. Dickerson, Orrin Edson, Edgar Hambleton, Philo Gregory.

Nominations for school commissioner were next in order and the names of Miss Goodenow and Nelson R. Stanton of Forest Grove were placed before the convention.

The ballot resulted as follows: Goodenow 31, Stanton 6.

Miss Goodenow was declared the nominee.

Hope College News.

The prayer meeting Tuesday evening was lead by Prof. Bergen.

At the meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Thursday evening reports were heard from Mr. Kruizenga and Mr. Grooters, the delegates to the state convention held at Ann Arbor Feb. 21-24.

Thursday afternoon Miss Minnie DeFeyer addressed the Y. W. C. A. on the subject: "How Character Speaks."

In response to a kind invitation the Anchor staff enjoyed a good supper and a pleasant sociable time at the home of Oswald W. Visscher on Wednesday evening. The members of the staff will always remember the evening with much pleasure and gratitude. The members of the staff present were J. Steunenbergh, L. Boeve, N. E. Van Dam, Henry, De Pree, A. C. Dykema, M. Brains, Minnie Van der Ploeg, E. Strick, Oswald W. Visscher and James Wayer.

Church Notes.

Rev. A. Pieters will not go back to the Japan mission field as first intended, the Board having informed him that owing to lack of funds they could not return him. He is now prepared to serve any congregation that may need him.

Rev. P. Jonker, of Muskegon, has received a call to New Holland, Mich.

Rev. J. N. Trompen, of Ramsey, N. J. declined the call to New Era, Mich.

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The county convention of the Socialist Labor party was held in the Beach block last evening. The convention was called to order by V. F. King who stated that the meeting was called for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of county school commissioner. Willis F. King was called to the chair and Willis Boyenga was appointed secretary. A. L. Heath was unanimously nominated as the candidate for school commissioner. Mr. Heath is employed at Waverly. He has a college training and from an educational point of view is qualified to fill the position. He says that he will make an energetic canvass.

A SCENE OF CENTURIES.

Ceremony of Proclaiming England's King Has Not Been Changed in 700 Years.

Upon the gray background of London in the mist was painted, with rapid and glowing touches, one of the scenes of centuries, and a picture animated at once with such actual life and antique meaning as must carry the imagination far back into the glorious past. With the heraldic pomp and proud trumpeting and great acclaim of the stirring and significant spectacle, which the opening pages of future histories of the twentieth century will record in all its color and grouping, Edward VII. was proclaimed abroad in his vast capital as king and emperor, says the London Telegraph. No words can be addressed to him so well-befitting the hearty homage of his subjects near and far as those which were dedicated to the queen-mother of well-beloved and high memory by the chief singer of her reign. In that "noblest office upon earth," to which he has succeeded, "may he rule us long!" To how many inaugural episodes in the long vista of our island fortunes was this scene of medieval pageant in the modern world both a likeness and a contrast! The earl marshal of England, with the baton of his hereditary office in his hand—the heralds and pursuivants with gay tabards and devices as of figures out of the gallant pages of Froissart—the colloquy between Rouge Dragon and the city marshal where the gates of old London once rose, and bygone lord mayors stood for the liberty as well as the loyalty of stout citizens—all these features of old ceremony at the proclamation of King Edward were still as they were seen when the first sovereign of his name ascended the throne 700 years ago.

A MAMMOTH INDEX.

Completion of British Museum List That Has Occupied Twenty Years.

The index of books at the British museum is at last complete, after 20 years of hard work, says the St. James' Gazette. When the printing of the great catalogue began in 1881, the manuscript catalogue then used contained 3,000,000 references to about half as many books—cross titles accounting for the difference between the figures. Since then something like half a million new books have been received at the museum, their average yearly number being now 46,000. The preparation of the printed catalogue has, of course, been enormously expensive. It was hoped at the start to reduce the cost by issuing it to subscribers, and for a yearly subscription of £3 10s. a subscriber received all the parts published in the year. As the number of volumes issued annually, however, rose from 16 to 30, while the subscription remained the same, the price of each volume fell from the low sum of 4s. 8d. to 2s. 4d., and the revenue from this source has not been great. Only about 250 copies of each issue are printed, and only about 80 are circulated—half of them given away! In all there are over 600 volumes of the catalogue, containing the titles of 2,000,000 books. The subject index will be the great task of the British museum in the new century. It is to be commenced at once, but will not be ready for 15 years at least.

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