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VOLUME 41

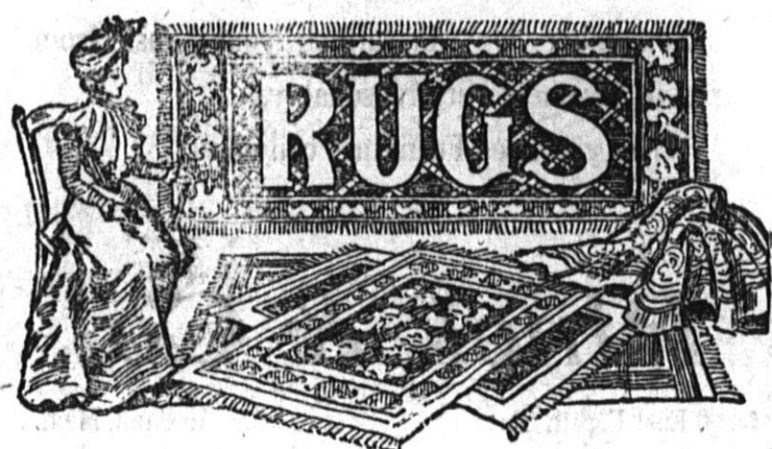
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Holland City News

Kuizenga Commissioner.

At a special meeting of the common council Friday Prof. J. E. Kuizenga of Hope College was chosen to serve as a member of the police board. Henry Geerlings was chosen at the regular meeting Monday night, but was forced to decline because of other business. Friday night nine aldermen were present and six votes were needed to elect. Only five votes could be rallied, however. Then a telephone call was sent to one of the aldermen who was sick in bed and a hack was dispatched for him. Upon learning of this the opponents of Prof. Kuizenga decided to get into the bandwagon and the vote was unanimous.

Prof. J. E. Kuizenga has accepted the position as a member of the board of police and fire commissioners which was tendered him by the common council Friday night.

James Sprout of Grand Rapids is in the city today buying up horses and mules.

Eye Troubles

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MARCH A RECORD BREAKER.

Had January and February been mild this year the ice men could have harvested plenty of nice clear blue ice these cold March days. We have been in March only six days but every one of them has brought near zero readings of the thermometer. Yesterday morning the government thermometer indicated 4 below, making it the coldest March morning since March 6, 1890, just 22 years ago today. This is within 1 degree of the coldest March day ever known in Holland, March 21, 1885 when 5 below was reported.

The weather may see warmer days, however, and the prospects are now for rising temperatures. It is very probable that this is the last cold snap. This morning made the 17th since January 1, that we have experienced zero or below temperature. That is a record never before equalled in this region and is worth preserving in your scrap book. Very few winters have given us the number of days of sleighing we have had this year. There has been good sleighing since January 4, making today the 64th consecutive day of sleighing.

STRANDED IN MUSKOGON.

A certain Grand Haven alderman visited Muskogon the other night, according to a dispatch being sent out to state papers, and was forced to apply to the police of the neighboring city for shelter overnight. The story is that this Grand Haven city official does not carry a great deal of money around with him for fear of being robbed and upon the night of his visit to Muskogon he didn't even have his usual few nickels with him, because he expected to return to Grand Haven on the late car the same evening.

However, nature took a hand, and the snow blockade which developed tied up all cars and left the Grand Haven man stranded in a strange town. After walking around the city and getting pretty cold and hungry, he is said to have applied to the police, and after displaying his credentials they took him in. Next morning he returned home, on the first car, with the firm determination that he never again would be caught in a strange town without the price of a night's lodging. Puzzle, Who was the alderman?—G. H. Tribune

WALKED 16 MILES IN BITTER COLD.

Walking from Muskogon to Montague, a distance of 16 miles, in the dead of night with the thermometer registering several degrees below zero is the feat accomplished by a Montague minister of the gospel during the last zero weather. Rev. H. E. Wylie, pastor of the Montague Methodist church, is the man who defied the cold and the deep snow and walked the entire distance without so much as frosting the tip of his nose.

Mr. Wylie arrived in Muskogon from a trip through the southern part of Michigan and upon reaching that city found that he was too late to catch the evening train north. Picturing the disappointment of his congregation when he should fail to be on hand for the morning service the reverend gentleman determined that he would lay aside all personal comfort and strike out for Montague. This he did, reaching there at 6 o'clock in the morning. He left Muskogon at 11:30 in the evening consuming about five hours in the trip. The usual services at the church were conducted that morning as though the pastor in the pulpit had not been traversing snowbound highways, he declaring that he did not mind the walk in the least.

James W. Himebaugh of Buffalo has bought from Walter Sutton the rights and lease of the Idea theatre. Mr. Himebaugh is an experienced man in the business and will go ahead with the plans made by Walter Sutton.

PRISON INMATES TESTIFY.

Nine inmates of the Detroit House of Correction arrived in Grand Haven this morning to give testimony in the grand jury probe, which is said to be now delving into an investigation of the jail matters. The witnesses were taken out of the penal institution on body writs and brought to Grand Haven under guard. Special Officer Geo. Ford and John Welch were in charge of the contingent on the trip across the state and last night housed their charges in a Grand Rapids hotel. This morning they were brought to Grand Haven, and placed in one of the ante rooms in the court house under guard until their testimony was required by the grand jury. Mamie Tilroe, one of the girls whose name figured prominently in a charge against one of the officers also came to Grand Haven and it was expected that her testimony would be used sometime during the day.

George Ford's little army of witnesses which were brought in from the Detroit House of Correction will be housed in a room in the courthouse tonight according to the latest plans. This noon with George Ford at the head, the squad marched down to dinner through Washington street and attracted no small degree of attention. In fact, the squad was dubbed "Coxey's army" and several photographs were taken of the odd army. Merchants ran to the windows to see the parade pass.

It is understood that Detective Ford experienced a little delay in getting his men away from the Detroit prison, but a message to higher authorities is said to have settled that difficulty in very short order. While it is not known how long the services of the Detroit prisoners will be required it is expected that they will be kept in the court house for at least three days and perhaps longer. They are always under the eyes of special officers.

Deputy Sheriff Frank Salisbury and Deputy Sheriff John Klaver were both called to testify before the jury this morning, and the other witnesses were disposed of as rapidly as possible.

A number of witnesses were heard in reference to the jail investigation. It is said, as regards the alleged practice of allowing prisoners to work out for individuals about the city during their terms at the jail. Several it is claimed, had employed prisoners for various odd jobs were called to tell what they knew about the case yesterday.

It is said that the practice of swearing witnesses to secrecy was not followed in the case of several of those called to testify.

LATEST PERE MARQUETTE CHANGE.

That the Pere Marquette railroad will retain its identity, but that it community of interest arrangement with the Grand Trunk is the statement of Newman Erb, new chairman of the executive committee, who is taking a trip of inspection over the Michigan portion of the railroad.

"It is my purpose to build up the system to a dividend-paying position," said Mr. Erb. "When I was vice-president of the road the annual gross earnings increased from \$9,000,000 to \$12,000,000. They are now \$17,000,000, but on account of high taxes and low fares the road, like all others in the state, has been unable to keep up full equipment. This is being changed now and I will bend all my efforts to get both the equipment and dividends up to the position they should occupy."

"The Pere Marquette will continue to be operated independently. Of course, since I am interested in other lines and some of my friends are interested in still other lines there will be a community of interest. It will be only natural for these lines which wish to do business with us. The Pere Marquette will treat with all on equal terms."

"Michigan burdens the railroad with greater taxes against it and lower rates from it than any other state in the country."

"The result is that there are more miles of unproductive railroad here than in any other state. The state of Michigan takes for taxes seven cents of every dollar the railroads earn."

The M. U. R. will electrify its steam line from South Haven, on the east shore of Lake Michigan and there fore known as the Fruit Belt road. At South Haven this road has steamship connections with Chicago.

Reuben Tromp has opened a place of business at 45 East Eighth street over the Neis hardware store. He is in the business of doing show card writing and sign painting.

"The American Mator" is the title of a new story by Richard H. Post in the current number of the Blue Book. The scenes of the story are again laid old Mexico, where the scenes of other stories of Mr. Post in the Blue Book were laid, and deals with the Americans and their experiences in the troubled southern republic.



With Alderman Van Tongeren in the chair the council started business last night but owing to the absence of Mayor Stephan and President Protem Harrington little more than routine work was attempted. The first thing that the city fathers proceeded to do was take advantage of Ald. Van Tongeren's inexperience as a presiding officer and have fun with motions, amendments, and calls for order until it was finally decided to "get down to business and cut out the foolishness."

The city attorney was instructed to secure competent legal advice and bring suit against the well contractors. Mr. Vander Meulen then stated that acting on authority given him by the council last fall he had already begun suit against the first contractor for \$5,000.

An invitation from the Rev. Mr. Berch, who is conducting the series of Revival Meetings at the M. E. church requesting the presence of the council at Monday evening services which will be special for the merchants and business men was accepted by the council with thanks. Alderman King moved first that the invitation be tabled but Alderman Lokker's amendment to accept with thanks was finally adopted. There was considerable discussion of the matter however, Alderman King insisting that if the invitation were accepted the council should meet in a body and march to the church with the Mayor at the head of the line. Luckily all of the alderman did not share Mr. King's views.

A short discussion as to the legality of transferring certain charges of money from one fund to another brought out the fact that for some time this practice has been indulged in. The instance that provoked the discussion at this time, however, was shown to be an error in charging the wrong fund with a particular account that should have been drawn from another fund and therefore the transfer was allowed.

John E. Kuizenga has taken oath of office as police commissioner and the same was accepted and filed.

None of the expected sensational reports were made last night but the council adjourned to meet again Friday night to hold a meeting which is expected to be a rouser.

Holland Welfare

A lady who has the welfare of the city at heart, telephoned the mayor, who has the welfare of the city at heart, that a man was posting up advertising matter on city light poles. Officer Steketee, who has the welfare of the city at heart, started after the offender and rounded up Hans Dykhuis, candidate for sheriff, who has the welfare of both city and county at heart, and caught him in the act of tampering with aforesaid poles. However Hans was taking off advertising matter instead of placing it there to comply with the "post no bills" ordinance passed by aldermen who have the welfare of the city at heart.

At Vos, formerly of Alpena Beach now of Grand Rapids is in the city visiting old friends.

Macatawa Life Saving Station will open for the season April 1st. The following is the crew for this summer: John Van Regenmorter, No. 1; Geo. H. Souter No. 2; Frank J. Bertsch No. 3; Martin Telgard No. 4; Arthur Horning No. 5; Herbert Van Oort No. 6; and No. 7 has not yet been appointed.

The stores will be closed on the annual day of Prayer this year which comes on the 13th day of this month. A motion was made and passed unanimously in favor of the day of prayer at the meeting of the Holland Merchants Association which was held Monday night.

According to revised statistics, the Holland Reformed church has made a growth of approximately 120,000 members, since its foundation in America in 1700.

The Socialists will hold their caucus March 16th in the Seif Building on East 7th Street at 8 o'clock in the evening. At this time they will place in nomination officers for the city, district and wards.



ZEELAND

Mae LaHuis of Ypsilanti was in the city visiting relatives.

Ed Wabeke has bought the residence of Anthony Beyer on Colonial avenue.

Katie Reimersma of Grand Rapids is in the city visiting relatives and friends.

Gerrit Dalman of Ruyard is in the city visiting relatives.

Mrs. Gerrit Heyboer is very ill at her home here.

Mrs. Kalt of Grand Rapids was in the city visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Ed. Van Zoeren who was ill at her home on West Main street is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Timmer were in Holland Friday to attend the funeral of one of their relatives.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zonfeld of Borculo, Thursday, Feb. 29th—a daughter. Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. Ver Beek, of Oakland Feb. 29th—twins—son and daughter.

Miss Nina Coleman who has been teaching in the Zeeland High school is ill with the measles.

The services at the Second Reformed church were conducted by Dr. James F. Zwemer of Holland.

Theological student Isaac Van Westenburg of Holland occupied the pulpit at the First Reformed church here Sunday afternoon and the pastor, Rev. Mr. Cheff, preached in the morning and evening.

The capitalization of the Zeeland Record Co. of Zeeland has been increased from \$3,000 to \$12,000.

Ed Folkersma of Grand Rapids delivered an address before the Men's association of the North street Christian Reformed church of Zeeland Monday evening.

At a special congregational meeting of the Christian Reformed church at Oakland the following, trio was named: The Rev. J. B. Jonkman, of Borculo; the Rev. J. Boortman of Midleton, Ind.; and the Rev. B. Nagel of Wright Ind.,

A quilting bee took place Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Barndse in Zeeland. The home was crowded with ladies who spent the afternoon sewing, eating and talking. Refreshments were served and all reported a good time.

The installation of the Rev. B. Hoffmann, formerly of Grand Rapids, who has accepted the call to the Second Reformed church in Zeeland will take place this evening at the above named church.

Thursday three residents of Zeeland celebrated their birthday anniversaries. Mrs. D. Wiersma did so for the fourteenth time in her life, though she was 60 years old; Mrs. John Schipper was forty years old and yesterday was the ninth time she celebrated an event of this kind. G. J. Nykamp aged 56, celebrated his birthday anniversary for the thirtieth time. Each commemorated the event with a party at their respective homes.

Rev. P. P. Cheff, pastor of the First Reformed church, has received a call from the Second Reformed church at Muskegon.

George Brandt and Henry Koevers was in Grand Rapids Monday visiting relatives.

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary society is being held this afternoon at the chapel of the First Reformed church.

The 58th birthday anniversary of Mrs. C. Holker was celebrated at her home here, all the children being present except Richard Brunel of Corinth. The children presented her with a manantel clock.

John Lauguis returned to his home in Nebraska after spending several weeks in this vicinity visiting friends and relatives.

C. Bouwens returned Tuesday from the northern part of the state after spending several weeks of business.

A very interesting address was given Monday evening at the Mens Asso. of North Street Christian Reformed church by Ed Folkersma of Grand Rapids on "The Principles of Socialism or Light of Calvinists." Music was furnished by a male quartet composed of C. Post, J. Moeke, O. Postma and Mr. Ten Brink. Mr. Folkersma delivered the lecture in the Holland language which was well received. Rev. J. Souter, president of the association introduced the speaker.

HOLLAND TOWNSHIP.

Gerrit A. Van Dyk is confined to his home on account of grip.

Peter G. Van Tongeren of Fremont attended the funeral of John Ten Have last Friday.

A. B. Bosman lost a valuable new milch cow Saturday night.

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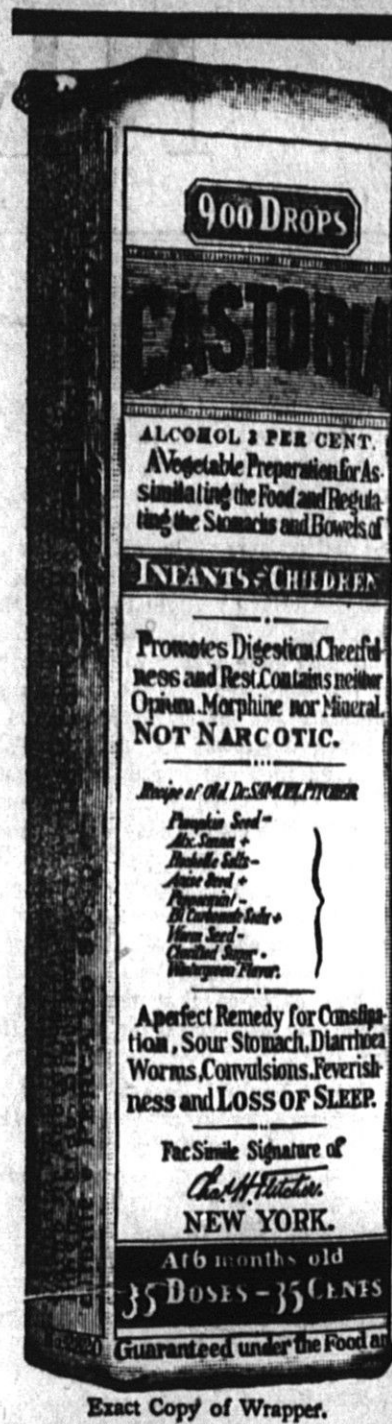
Johannes Meeuwse of Olive Center has bought of his brother John Meeuwse a 5 acre lot on which he expects to build a house in the spring. This will save him a six mile drive every morning and evening to attend to his business at the ware house of the VerHage Milling Co. located at Harlem.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit H. Brower spent a pleasant evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Vandenberg Monday.

Wiesse Douma gave a phonograph concert at the New Holland school house Tuesday evening.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Prins, Feb. 25—a son.

Rev. Lawrence Dykstra of Grand Rapids has accepted the call extended



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ZUTPHEN

"The Zutphen Farmers Independent Telephone Co." was organized at a meeting last Saturday which took place at the Christian Reformed church. C. Strik, E. H. Bok and H. Bosch were appointed to make the rules and by-laws while another committee: Jacob Neinhuis, John H. De Weerd and A. H. Bosch were appointed to investigate the cost of the line. The line will extend between Vriesland, Hudsonville, Burnips Corners and Jamestown. The following officers were elected: Jacob Nyenhuis president; A. H. Bosch, secretary and John N. Nyenhuis, treasurer. The next meeting will be Saturday to elect a board of directors and consider matters which will be brought before the meeting. About 75 farmers from Forest Grove, Vriesland, Hudsonville, Jamestown and other places were present.

Crisp

Ben Zandering of Holland is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Reka Rouwhorst of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. K. Bronkhorst.

Mrs. Rev. J. Wijngaarden left last week on a visit with relatives in Lansing, Ill.

Miss Anna Riemersma has returned after visiting friends and relatives in Holland.

Miss Henrietta Ploggersma is visiting friends in Graafschap.

Miss Gertrude Rutgers of New Era, is the guest of Miss Agatha Wijngaarden.

Miss Jennie Geurink has returned to her home in Graafschap, after spending a few days with relatives here.

East Saugatuck

The neighbors of Mr. Geo. Brinks are hauling bricks for him from Hamilton. He will remodel his house.

Miss Sena Slenk visited relatives in Holland Thursday.

John Keen Jr. and Henry Ten Brink will work for Mr. G. Wedeven the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Kamps entertained their new neighbors at their home on the old Babcock farm last Monday evening.

Mr. Wannie Bolles has gone to Chicago where he has employment as paper hanger.

Port Sheldon

Some of the residents of this village felt slighted for not being mentioned amongst the ones that were at the City of Holland last Saturday. Of the said ones were Rev. Louis Hoffman, David Lyons, Mr. Groeters, Mr. and Mrs. John Vandenberg, Mr. Wm. Van Dragt, Miss Minnie Van Dragt and Miss Rose Voland. Jake Bosma, John Wyman, Joe Metzger, Mrs. Schutt, Henry Ten Hagen, Herman Vanderberg, Bill Stransburg and Geo. Lange, who had just recovered from an attack of Lagrippe was also at the Holland Carnival.

Get your caucus slips printed at the Holland City News office across from the Interurban waiting room.

GAAFSCHAP.

Henry Timmer, the village barber, who underwent an operation Monday is doing nicely.

J. R. Bouws has started work on his new barn.

Died at her home here at the age of 21 years, Miss Effie Mulder. Deceased is survived by her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mulder, five brothers, William, Abraham, Gerrit, Clarence and John and three sisters.

Mrs. J. Bratt and Lawrie and Bertha Mulder. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 1:30 from the Reformed church. Rev. Van Wessem officiating.

VRIESLAND

The Reformed ueracht aadfwile. The Reformed church at Vriesland extended a call to Rev. Hekhuis of Overisel.

A very pretty wedding took place Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Van Bronkhorst at Vriesland, when their daughter Dora was united in marriage to Dick Kalman also of Vriesland. Many relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony which was performed by the Rev. G. De Jonge of Zeeland. A fine wedding supper was served. The couple will make their home in Vriesland.

Hudsonville

A. F. Meesic, while returning from Grand Rapids in a cutter was seriously injured by a runaway team. One of his legs were broken in two places and as he is nearly 80 years old little hope is entertained for his recovery. One of the horses was killed.

OVERISEL

Rev. J. Mokma, pastor of the Christian Reformed church at Overisel for the last three years has accepted a call extended him by the Christian Reformed church at Munster, Ind.

JENISON PARK

Fire broke out in the home of James Doyle Sunday but the ready assistance of the farmers in that vicinity it was soon put out. The loss amounts to about \$400.

NEW GRONIGEN

The home of Cornelius Stout was burned to the ground Monday morning. The cause of the fire is unknown.

RUSK

John Ver Straat of Rusk has captured a coon. The little animal was brought to Zeeland to the butchershop of D. Meeuwse and is on exhibition there. Mr. Meeuwse will try to train the animal.

FILMORE

John H. Boeve lost a valuable horse last Saturday. The horse had been kicked by another horse. Mr. Boeve was compelled to shoot the animal.

SAUGATUCK

Fred Wade left last week for a trip through the west. He will visit New Orleans and go from there to Los Angeles, Calif., and visit San Francisco and Portland, Oregon, before he returns.

BEAVERDAM

Student Patterson conducted the services of the Reformed church of Beaverdam Sunday.

Salem

Fire destroyed the house of Gerrit Krulthof here this week. The house was occupied by G. Jones. The loss is about \$800 with \$500 insurance.

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Why Vivien Was Jealous

By Peggy Powers

"Vivien, at all events it can't be true that you've accepted Winston Lewis' invitation to the dance?"

"How dramatic! Is there any state law about who my escort should be?"

"No, but if you wear Richard's fraternity pin and ring, it seems that it's an unwritten code that he should be your partner."

"Even when he's the sort who meets another woman every afternoon in the most secretive clandestine manner?"

"You must have a vivid imagination," returned Richard's cousin Alice. "Richard is not a fickle fellow, but absolutely reliable and trustworthy. He hasn't eyes for any other girl but you."

"Little Buddy Beasley saw him go down the river," declared Vivien. "Jump ashore, whistle some tune until a woman appeared, address her as 'Pearl,' present her with a roll of bills and call as he jumped into his canoe, 'See you tomorrow.'"

"Don't be too previous in jumping at conclusions," advised Alice. "There may be some extenuating circumstances."

Richard appeared just as Alice was leaving.

"Hello, dearest," he said, grasping Vivien's hand.

"Don't touch me!" she exclaimed.

"Do you think I care to share your



"Take a Peep at This Lavender Stone."

caresses with some red-headed person whom you meet every afternoon?"

"What are you talking about? I've always had an antipathy for that shade of hair."

"Indeed!" answered Vivien, satirically. "How you must hate Pearl, whom you spend all your afternoons in her society. Never will I marry any man whom I can't implicitly trust."

"Honor bright! Vivien, the reason I went down the river was to hunt clams."

"Then why were you as close as a clam about it?"

"Because an old woman made me swear to secrecy if she informed me of the place where the pearls were most abundant. In return for the secret I disposed of her pearls for her."

"Forgive me for doubting your constancy," said Vivien, as she extended her hand.

"Take a peep at this lavender stone," continued Richard, as he opened his wallet. "It is a superb specimen and its value will help to furnish our little home. Here's another pearl that is nearly perfect," he whispered, "and its price will purchase a diamond ring for the only girl I love."

"No," answered Vivien emphatically. "I'd prefer the pearl; its luster and purity will remind me of your honesty and faithfulness and how foolish I was to be so suspicious and jealous."

Delightful Traveling, But—

Henry Clews, at a dinner in Newport, said of American traveling:

"It is delightful to travel in America, but I think that American porters handle our baggage a little too roughly."

"Once, at a certain station, I was amazed and pleased to hear a uniformed official shout to a burly porter:

"Hi, what are you knockin' them trunks about like that for?"

"The porter had been lifting great trunks above his head and hurling them down onto the floor furiously; but now he stood stock still in astonishment."

"What's that, boss?" he said.

"What do you mean by knockin' trunks about like that?" repeated the official. "Look at the floor, man. Look at the dents you're makin' in the concrete. Don't you know you'll lose your job if you damage the company's property?"

Wants a Brother.

Keeper Bob Hurton found a piece of paper tied with blue ribbon in the petticoat cage in Central Park in New York the other day. On the paper was written in a childish hand this appeal:

"Dear, dear, Mr. Stork. Please bring us a baby boy and don't forget. I am going to put some sugar on my window so that you will know where to come."

The note was signed "Helen Frankel, 115 East 104th street."

Little Miss Frankel has two sisters, but no brother alive. Her brother died three years ago. She is 8 years old. She wants a brother to protect her when other children slap her, she said to a visitor at her home.



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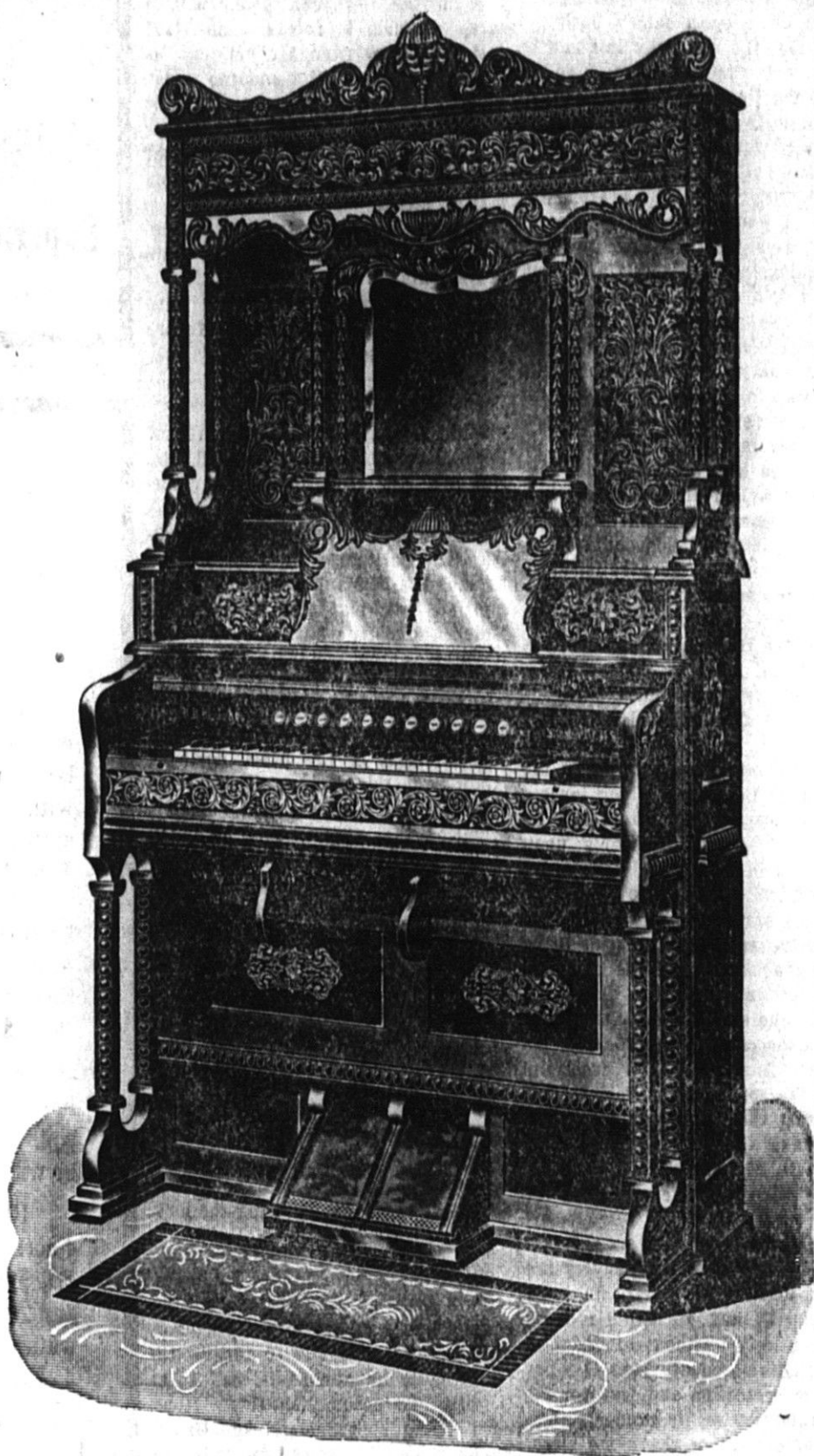
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At The Nickel Show

Little Girl—Mamma, is it going to begin now? Is it?
Mamma—Yes, dear. Hush!
Little Girl—Mamma, what makes that lady wear her hair like that? Oh, what are those men doing in the picture?
Mamma—It's in Africa. He's reading a letter.
Little Girl—Who's it from? His mamma?
Mamma—No, it's to his sister. He's telling her to come down to see him. A friend of his, named Joe, will see that she gets there safely.
Girl in Front—Oh, ain't that swell? Gee, I'd like to go on that boat! Some class!
Little Girl—Mamma, is that his sister? And, mamma, where did that man come from?
Mamma—Sh! One's the man named Joe and the other's a new friend she has just met.
Little Girl—O-o-h, mamma, does she like him? Does she, mamma?
Mamma—I guess so. 'Sh! Evidently that other fellow wants her to talk to him, Sally. How silly he acts!
Little Girl—Was he silly, mamma? Was he?
Mamma—I was speaking of your Aunt Sally. Be quiet, child.
Girl at the Back—What do they bring such little kids for, anyhow?

Little Girl—What is it? Oh, mamma, what is it? Lookit! Lookit!
Mamma—Hush! They're just getting shipwrecked, that's all. It's nothing.
Little Girl—Oh, what is shipwrecked? What is it, mamma? Does it mean getting spilled out like that? There goes the silly man! O-o-h! Look at the water? Where'd that man go?
Mamma—He fell in, that's all. Now, see, they'll be saved. They've been three days on the life raft.
Little Girl—Oh, mamma, where'll they get anything to eat?
Girl in Front—Gee, ain't this swell? I hope that fresh kid gets drowned.
Little Girl—What's the matter with Joe? What makes the new man act so?
Mamma—Joe hasn't been nice and the new man makes him behave by hitting him. See, now, they come safe to shore.
Little Girl—Will they have something to eat now, mamma? Will they?
Mamma—Yes, they will. See, they're building a fire.
Little Girl—O-o-h, mamma! Are those real lions? Oh, where did they get 'em?
Mamma—Out of some show, I guess. Say, Sally, that certainly is a fine stockade. Pretty, ain't it?
Little Girl—What makes the man take his ax?
Mamma—He's the new man. He's going to chop trees. They'll build a bonfire on the shore so that ships can see they are there and pick them up.
Little Girl—I guess he's gone to chop now and left Joe, ain't he? Oh, Joe's going to sleep. Why doesn't the girl tell him to look out? Oh, here comes a lion! Oh, mamma, why doesn't the chopper chop the lions? Oh, mamma, what are the lions doing? What are they doing?
Mamma—Don't say anything, Sally. I can't explain that they're eating him, can I?
Little Girl—Oh, eating who? Oh, mercy, why doesn't the chopper come!
Mamma—Here he comes. It's all right.
Little Girl—What's the chopper carrying away? What's he taking Joe off for? Is he all dead from the lions? Oh, dear, why didn't he chop 'em? How long have they got to stay there, just the girl and the new man?
Mamma—Two years, it says.
Little Girl—Ain't they going to have anything to eat for two years?
Girl in Front—Oh, see, her brother hears that their signals have been seen! I was getting scared for fear they weren't ever going to find them.
Little Girl—Oh, look at the man and the elephant! Are they good men, mamma?
Mamma—Yes, yes, it's her brother come to look for her.
Little Girl—Oh, goody, goody! Why do they bring the elephant? Why do they?

Mamma—To ride on, of course. Don't be foolish.
Little Girl—Oh, see the lions coming after 'em! O-o-h, lookit! Lookit! Why doesn't the chopper chop 'em? Why doesn't he?
Mamma—It does look like a tight place, doesn't it, Sally? He can't shoot both those lions with one arrow.
Little Girl—Oh, why hasn't he got more? When they get eaten all up will they go to heaven? Will they?
Mamma—Here comes her brother. My, but that was a close call! Look at those lions fall over! Good shots, weren't they?

Little Girl—Oh, mamma, why does she kiss him? Why does she? Does she like him better'n the chopper? Oh, does she?
Mamma—It's her brother, child. Hush!
Little Girl—Oh, that's all. Oh, what became of it?
Girl at the Back—Oh, shucks! What ever did they shut it off so fast for? I wanted to see the brother and sister glad to see each other. I wonder if she married the other man.

HIS PALATE WAS FIRE PROOF

Unusually Strong Drink Had But One Drawback, Is Testimony of Confirmed Toper.

Assemblyman Brennan, author of the "Brennan cold storage law," said the other day in Albany to the Journal man:

"A recent examination of the cold storage plants in New York city showed that in twelve storage houses alone there were stored 7,300,000 pounds of poultry and meat, 4,500,000 pounds of fish, 2,000,000 pounds of cheese, 6,000,000 pounds of butter and 500,000 cases of eggs.

"This food should be labeled as what it is. It shouldn't be sold to the public as fresh food at the price of fresh food. For it isn't fresh food, and, though it looks all right, its taste is all wrong—except to such people as are blessed with the palate of Jim Jimlison.

"Jim Jimlison," Mr. Brennan explained, "was a hard drinker up Ithaca way. One evening Jim stopped at the tavern for a dram, tossed it off, and departed calmly; but after he was gone the tavern-keeper discovered that, in place of applejack, he had given Jim a drink out of the sulphuric acid bottle that was kept to clean the verdigris off the brass taps.

"The tavern-keeper couldn't sleep that night, but the next morning, to his unspeakable relief, Jim dropped in for another dram before breakfast, apparently none the worse for his dose of poison.

"Jim," said the tavern-keeper, 'what did you think of that applejack I sold you last night?'

"Oh, it was fien stuff," said Jim; 'good, warmin' stuff. It had only one fault. Every time I coughed it set my whiskers afire.'"

MAY BEAT PACER'S RECORD

Performance of Uhlan on Half Mile Track Leads Horseman to Believe New Mark Is Likely.

Uhlan's feat in trotting a mile in 2:04½ over a half mile track is in some respects the most wonderful performance that has ever characterized the American trotting turf. One-quarter of this great mile was trotted in 20 seconds by the son of Bingen, two others in 31 seconds each and the final one in 30½ seconds. Possibly some other trotter will appear that will be able to lower this half mile track record set by Uhlan, but it will not be soon.

The performance at Goshen will open the eyes of horsemen generally as to the kind of a record Uhlan will set some day this year when he makes an attempt to lower the world's record for trotters over a mile track. How fast the black gelding will go under perfect conditions is a mere matter of conjecture, but it is safe to say that opinion on the subject is vastly different now than it was before the horse turned the Goshen track twice in 2:02½.

Before that it was generally thought he might beat the 1:58½ of Lou Dillon. Now it is a question of how much he will beat the mark set by the daughter of Sidney Dillon when she had the assistance of a preceding pacer-maker drawing a sulky equipment with a dust or dirt shield. One of the men who did not need Uhlan's Goshen performance to convince him of Uhlan's superiority over any other trotter is the veteran trainer Ed F. Geers.

The Irony of Street Cars.

"There are queer people in this New York city of yours," said a visitor. "The other evening I was on a Broadway car and near the front door sat a young man. It was chilly and wet, and the young man was not comfortable. It was plain. He became more uncomfortable every minute some one went out the front door, for it was always left open. Each time he got up and slammed the door and became more peevish.

"He had done this a dozen times or more when he found a seat in the middle of the car. Then to his astonishment every person who went out that front door carefully closed it after him. There was no reason to believe that there was a general conspiracy against the young man, yet I am sure that he could not understand it."

Aviation in France.

Manufacture of aeroplanes has become an industry of large proportions in France. A year ago one maker had sold over 250 machines and others had booked large orders. Since then new manufacturers have entered the field and the enterprise has grown tremendously. All the manufacturers issue handsomely illustrated catalogues of standard sizes and types of stock machines. Each manufacturer has from one to three factories, and each his school for the instruction of intending buyers and of professional aeronauts. For about 1,000 francs one can learn to fly and obtain a pilot's license. A year ago those schools of flight had graduated over 400 pupils. Today their monthly output numbers scores.

Field Yields 70,000 Gallons of Syrup. Seventy thousand gallons of syrup is the estimated yield of a cane field in Grady county, Georgia. The crop is now made and grinding will begin as soon as the weather turns cold. The average height of the stalks is seven feet, and the estimated yield is 700 gallons per acre.—Columbus correspondence Atlanta Constitution.

Common Council. (Official.)

Holland, Mich. Feb. 23, 1912.
The Common Council met pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Mayor.

Present, Mayor Stephan, Alds. Van Tongeren, Lokker, Drinkwater, King, Kammeraad, Mersen, Lawrence, Harrington, Jellema and Brower and the clerk.

The reading of minutes and the regular order of business was suspended.

H. P. Zwemer petitioned for the privilege of laying two 3 inch pipe across 8th street, at the intersection of Fairbank's Avenue.

Referred to the Committee on Streets and Crosswalks.

The Clerk presented affidavit of publication of vacating parts of Aere street in the City of Holland and, of the time of hearing objections to same, and that no objections had been filed in the Clerk's office.

On motion of Ald. Jellema.

Be it resolved, that the property proposition of Thomas F. Campbell dated Dec. 27th, 1911, made to the Park Board of the City of Holland and presented to the Common Council by said Board on Jan. 17th, 1912, relative to the conveyance to the said Thomas F. Campbell, by the City of Holland, of the following described property:

"The East 33 feet of the South 297 feet of the S. W. ¼ of the N. E. ¼ of Section 32 T. 5 N. R. 15 W. which is bounded by a line commencing 165 feet East from the S. W. corner of said S. E. ¼ of the N. E. ¼ of Section 32, running thence North 264 feet, then West 15 feet, thence South 264 feet, thence East 15 feet to the place of beginning," and

Relative to the dedication to the public by said Thomas F. Campbell et al for the purpose of a public highway of the following described property:

"All the part of the S. E. ¼ of the N. E. ¼ of Section 32 T. 5 N. R. 15 W. which is bounded by a line commencing 150 feet East from the S. W. corner of said S. E. ¼ of the N. E. ¼ of said section 32, running thence North 264 feet, thence West 33 feet, thence South 264 feet, thence East 33 feet to the place of beginning," be and is hereby accepted.

Be it resolved that the City Engineer and the City Attorney be and

they are hereby instructed to prepare the necessary instruments to carry in to effect, said above named papers. Said resolution prevailed, all members voting aye.

The clerk presented form of contract to be entered into between the City of Holland and the American Well Company of Chicago, Ill., for the furnishing of pumps, motors and piping for the 21st street well.

On motion of Ald. Harrington, Resolved, that the contract be and that the same is hereby approved, and the Mayor and clerk authorized to execute same.

Said resolution prevailed, all members voting aye.

The City Engineer reported relative to the paving of 12th street.

On motion of Ald. King,

The clerk was instructed to request all owners of property on 12th street between Lincoln Avenue and Black Lake, to meet with the Common Council in the Court room of the city hall on Friday March 8th, 1912 at 7:30 o'clock P. M. to discuss matters relative to the paving of said street.

The Mayor reported, that the Board of Public Works requested the Council appoint a Committee to confer with said Board of Public Works, relative to matters pertaining to the 21st street well.

On motion of Ald. Harrington, Resolved, that the Mayor appoint a Committee of three to confer with the Board.

Carried.

The Mayor appointed as such committee, Aldermen Lokker, Harrington and Brower.

The Mayor reported having received a petition from the several churches of the City requesting the proper observance of March 13th, 1912, as a day of prayer.

On motion of Ald. Jellema, Resolved, that the Common Council hereby express their sympathy with the several churches for the proper observance of March 13th, as a day of prayer, that the City Hall be closed for the day, and that all city employees as far as it is possible to do so cease from laboring on said day.

Carried.

On motion of Ald. Harrington, Resolved, that the Common Council adjourn.

Said resolution did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

Yeas: Alds. Lawrence, Harrington, Jellema, Brower — 4.

Nays: Alds. Lokker, Drinkwater, King Kammeraad, Van Tongeren, Mersen — 5.

Ald. Kammeraad reported relative

to the non-enforcement of certain city ordinances.

On motion of Ald. Kammeraad, Resolved, that the matters relative to the non-enforcement of said certain City ordinances be referred to a special committee composed of Alds. Kammeraad, Lokker and Van Tongeren.

Carried.

Ald. King moved, that the motion to appoint a member of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. C. Ver Schure, which said motion was tabled at a meeting of the Council, held Feb. 21st, 1912 be taken from the table, and that the Council proceed to appoint a member of said Board.

Said motion prevailed, On the 4th ballot Henry Geerlings having received the required number of votes.

On motion of Ald. Drinkwater, The vote was declared unanimous, and Henry Geerlings declared appointed duly.

Adjourned.

Richard Overweg, City Clerk.

Common Council (Official.)

Holland, Mich., March, 1, 1912.

The Common Council met pursuant to a call issued by the Mayor for the purpose of appointing a member of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners.

Present: Mayor Stephan, Alds. Van Tongeren, Lokker, King, Mersen, Lawrence, Harrington, Jellema, and Brower and the Clerk.

On motion of Ald. Lawrence, The Council proceeded to ballot. On the first ballot there was no choice.

Ald. Kammeraad here appeared and took his seat.

On the second ballot there being no choice,

On motion of Ald. King,

Resolved, that the Common Council adjourn.

Said resolution prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

Yeas: Alds. Van Tongeren, Harrington, Jellema and Brower, — 4.

Nays: Alds. Lawrence, King, Kammeraad, Mersen, Lokker — 5.

On the fourth ballot, Rev. E. J. Kutzenga having received the requisite number of votes, was declared duly appointed.

Adjourned.

Richard Overweg, City Clerk.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. A. B. Bosman left this noon for Chicago.

Miss Hattie Kammeraad and Mrs. J. Kiekenveldt were in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Paxon have returned from California where they have been spending a few weeks vacation.

Nick Prins, foreman of the Citizens Telephone Co., spent Wednesday in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Baxa were in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

The Misses Ebba Clarke and Marie Diekema were in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Dr. Wm Huyser of Beaverdam visited friends and relatives in this city Wednesday.

Merrick Hanchett, H. P. Burkholder and Henry Kraker were in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Mr. C. Vyn and Miss Evelyn Vyn of Grand Rapids attended the funeral of Miss Edna Mulder at Graafschap yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. M. Walters left yesterday noon for Chicago where she will remain until the resort season opens.

Bert Vander Poel is visiting in Battle Creek.

The following officers were elected at the Women's Literary Club meeting which was held Tuesday evening:

Mrs. Capt. Charles Morton of Grand Haven is visiting at the home of her daughter Mrs. Arthur Vanden Berg, W. Fourteenth street.

Mrs. Carl E. Brandon who has been visiting friends and relatives in this city has returned to her home at Warren, Ohio.

Miss Minnie Van Raalte has returned from a trip through the Eastern states.

The Misses Udine Hamel and Vera Reynolds visited in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Miss Minie Vorst of Chicago is visiting her grand mother, Mrs. Rev. C. Vorst of this city.

Len Vissers is confined to his home with appendicitis.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ten Have, 177 West Fourteenth street—a son.

Mr. and Mrs. John De Boer were in Grand Rapids Saturday attending the funeral of the mother of John E. Holcomb.

P. F. Boone is in Iowa buying horses.

The Century Club met Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wing. G. E. Kollen read a paper on the "Carpenter of Nazareth."

Henry Kenyon and son Robert of Sunfield, formerly of Holland are visiting friends in the city.

John Wolfert is visiting relatives at Daves, Michigan.

Dave Blom left for Grand Rapids Saturday morning and returned with Mrs. Blom who has recovered from an operation which she underwent about five weeks ago at St. Marys hospital.

H. Van Lente Sr., 76 years of age is very ill at his home on Michigan avenue.

Captain Austin Harrington was in Grand Rapids on business Saturday.

Mrs. Hub Harrington returned from Grand Rapids Friday. Mrs. Harrington has been ill for some time.

The Woman's Literary club will elect officers at their annual meeting tonight which will be held in the hall. They will also choose a topic for the coming year. Mrs. C. J. Lokker and Miss Hannah Te Roller will be the hostesses of the afternoon and Miss Browning will give a vocal solo "Ah! When Thine Eyes of Azure."

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A full dress party will be given the children of the dancing class by Mrs. Butterfield at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Walter Lane and Frank Congleton were in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

H. Boone Sr. and Hub Boone were in Grand Rapids Tuesday attending the Horsebreeders association.

The Misses Lillian and Clara Van Heide have gone to Grand Rapids where they will make their home.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. Boutkoe, Monday—a son.

Mr. Clarence Weed attended the dance at the Woodman Hall Tuesday evening.

A surprise party was given in honor of the 84th birthday anniversary of Mathias Koudens by his nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Stokes of the Fischer farm. A purse of a handsome amount was presented to him by his friends. Mr. John Baxa of the Helos Co. making the presentation speech. A musical program was rendered and Miss Grace Bradwell contributed a very clever reading. Refreshments were served and all reported a good a good time.

A very pleasant evening was spent Monday night by the Century Club who met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wing. Mrs. Post Mrs. Browning Mrs. Brown and Miss Duesburg were in charge of the meeting. The following program was rendered: Piano solo, Miss Anna Cheulke; Vocal solo, Miss Margaret Hobson; violin Obligato, Miss Ruth Keppel; Paper—"The Carpenter of Nazareth," Geo. E. Kollen; Vocal duet, Mrs. Pardee and Miss Margaret Hobson.

A pleasant birthday anniversary was celebrated at the home of Mrs. E. F. Miller Thursday. This being only her 15th birthday in 64 years. The out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Hiller and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hiller of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Stevens and daughter of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ackerman and family of Grand Haven.

Friday night Miss Elsie Gowdy was delightfully surprised by fourteen of her school friends at her home 457 Central avenue. At 7:30 the crowd with arms filled with good things to eat arrived at her home. After the usual games an impromptu program of music and speaking was thoroughly enjoyed. In spite of the complete surprise Miss Elsie proved a charming hostess.

President, Mrs. J. P. Ogge; 1st vice president, Mrs. Geo. E. Kollen; 2nd vice president, Mrs. C. H. McBride; Corresponding secretary, Mrs. M. A. Sooy; Recording secretary, Mrs. H. Winter; treasurer, Mrs. A. Diekema; Life Directors, Mrs. R. N. De Merrell, Mrs. G. E. Kollen, Mrs. G. J. Van Duren, Directors for Two Years, Mrs. F. O. Granniss, Mrs. L. M. Thurber, Mrs. C. J. Dregman. Director for One Year, Mrs. W. A. Van Syckle.

About fifty guests assembled in the G. A. R. Hall Thursday evening Feb. 23, to help John Nies celebrate his birthday anniversary. A number of very appropriate gifts were presented to Mr. Nies in commemoration of the occasion. Informal talks were given by Mrs. T. Boot, Mr. G. Van Schelven, Mrs. Chase and William Baumgartel. A quartet composed of Wm Vander Hart, Peter Oosting, Herman Cook and Ralph Van Lente furnished music. Mr. Vander Hart rendered several very clever readings.

DEATHS

Conductor William F. Yonkers, who was burned in the wreck on the Pere Marquette at Bangor last Thursday died Thursday night at Butterworth hospital. He was the son of Dr. F. Yonkers of Holland. He is survived by a widow, a three-year-old child and two sisters at Holland and a brother Albert, of Grand Rapids.

The wreck was a head-on collision between two freight trains. The engineers and firemen jumped when they saw the impending crash. Fireman W. Huddleston, 657 Hall street, sustained a fractured leg and injured knee. He is being cared for at Butterworth hospital.

The caboose in which the conductor was riding was partly overturned. A lamp set fire to the car. Yonkers who was sleeping, was thrown to the floor. Stunned by the fall and confusion, he was unable to find his way out. When assistance reached him he had been severely burned and had inhaled a large amount of fire, smoke and gas.

The funeral was held Monday at 1:30 from the home, corner of 13th street and Pine. The Masonic order of which he was a member attended in a body.

Henry Pollakker died suddenly Thursday evening of heart disease at his home 325 Columbia avenue. Mrs. Pollakker went for a moment to the home of a neighbor leaving her husband sitting in an easy chair reading. Upon her return she found him lying on the floor unconscious. A physician was summoned at once but Mr. Pollakker was dead before he arrived.

The deceased is survived by a wife two sisters, Henrietta of Holland and Mrs. John Kronmeyer of Hamilton; and one brother, H. J. Pollakker of Overisel. The funeral was held Tuesday forenoon at 10 o'clock from the Overisel Reformed church.

Leonard Hoedema who has been ill with pneumonia died at his home at 17 East 7th Street, Thursday. The funeral was held Monday afternoon.

A telegram reached here this morning announcing the death of Peter W. Kane formerly of Holland. He was 57 years of age and is survived by a widow, a sister of Mrs. Henry Brusse, and a son 18 years old.

Died at her home at 49 E. 7th St. Monday, Mrs. John Kervink at the age of 47 years. Deceased is survived by her husband, mother and a brother, John Ter Beck and two sisters, Mrs. John Fris of Zeeland and Miss Jennie Thompson of Grand Rapids. The funeral is being held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the 9th street Christian Reformed church, the Rev. Tuuk officiating.

Wednesday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Wareham, 262 W. 9th Mrs. Samaria Melay died at the age of 78 years. Deceased is survived by two sons Edward J. of Portland Ore. and Albert of Mankato, Minn., three daughters Mrs. Lucy Roach, Harlowtown, Mont. Mrs. Olive Joslyn Mankat Minn. and Mrs. Robert Wareham of this city. The funeral will be held tomorrow at 2:30 from the home Rev. P. E. Whitman officiating.

HOPE COLLEGE NEWS

Prof. Bilkiska, the famous high diver, has promised the Hope Athletic Assn. to be present at the Athletic Festival and do his stunt of a high dive of 25 feet landing in a tank containing only two feet of water.

The post graduate students, Miss Nina Coleman and William Hoebeke will give a reception to the Senior class next Tuesday evening in Voorhees Hall.

At the annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. which was held Tuesday night the following were elected: Pres. C. De Young; Vice Pres. L. Hekhuis; Sec. C. Jongewaard; Treas. H. Hoffs. Mr. De Young and Mr. M. Verburg will be sent as delegates at the conference which will be held in Jackson the later part of next week.

Henry Schute of the Senior class of the Seminary has been promised a call from the Reformed church of Rella, Neb.

John Wolteink a member of the Senior class of the Western Theological Seminary has received a call from the Reformed church of Clymer Hill, New York.

The second of the series of debates will take place in Winants chapel tonight on "Resolved that Cities should own and operate public utilities."

Affirmative: Donald Brush, Wallace Visscher and Clarence Dame. Negative: John Tellem, Edward Koepp, G. J. Van Duren, Directors for Two Years, Mrs. F. O. Granniss, Mrs. L. M. Thurber, Mrs. C. J. Dregman. Director for One Year, Mrs. W. A. Van Syckle.

First place in the Woman's State oratorical contest held at Olivet Friday evening was won by Miss Irene Stapelkamp of Hope College with her oration, "Socialism and the Individual." In the Men's contest Hessel E. Yntema of Hope College who spoke on "The Principle of Nationalism" was a close second to Ray C. Robinson of Albion College who spoke on the "Edict of Industry." Because of the excellent record made by their two fellow students the student body of Hope College gave a demonstration on the city streets Monday morning, pulling the victors, and Prof. J. B. Nykerk and Miss Moore, their trainers through the streets in a sleigh attached to a 300 foot rope. Short talks were made by Miss Moore, Prof. Nykerk, Mr. Yntema and Miss Stapelkamp.

"EXCUSE ME"—SCREAM FARCE

"Excuse Me," the force py Rupert Hughes which has proved one of the most successful of the recent productions by Henry W. Savage, will come to Powers' Grand opera house Saturday matinee and night. The play will be performed by a cast which, individually and as an organization, is said to be distinctly reflect the usual cleverness of Mr. Savage in the selection of players. The company rosters includes the names of many actors who are well known to local playgoers.

As a production "Excuse Me" is a distinct novelty. All of the action takes place during a trip from Chicago to the Pacific coast, and as a result the stage pictures show the interiors of a Pullman sleeper and library car, which have been reproduced with a fidelity that is amazing.

Among the passengers are a young army lieutenant, the young woman who is to become the wife just as soon as they can find a minister who will perform the ceremony, and a young woman who was engaged to the officer before he plighted his troth to his fiancée of the moment.

The erstwhile fiancée wears a bracelet which was the gift of the army officer, presented during his courting days, and the sight of the bracelet arouses the jealousy of the bride-to-be to the point where she refuses to further consider the officer's suit in a favorable light until, by hook or crook he has managed to obtain possession of that gift and to have removed it forever from the owner's arm and sight. The prospective bridegroom does succeed in gaining possession of the bracelet and determined to destroy the power of interfering further with his happiness, he raises a window of the sleeping car and tosses it out. The bracelet lands in the audience and the "finder is keeper."

Time—March 13; place—Carnegie Gym.; occasion—a quartet of artists in Handel's Messiah.

Reserve Wed. night, March 13, for yourself. You'll need it.

WAS REAL TO CHILD'S EYES

Life-Sized Model of Dog Brought Joy Into Life of Little New Yorker.

In front of a shop on Fifth avenue, New York, there stands for purposes of advertisement a life-sized model of a little dog. To adult eyes it bears but slight resemblance to a living bow-wow, but to the little girl who caught sight of it one day this week for the first time it was a creature of life and real personality.

Regardless of white corduroy coat and dusty pavement, she dropped on her knees beside the dog and gazed in rapture. After a breathless moment she put out her hand timidly, then drew it back and looked up at her mother.

"Will he bite?" she queried. Then, as her mother shook her head, she stretched out both hands and patted the dog's head. He didn't move, and she went on petting him, blissfully. Then she put her chubby arms about him, and gave him a joyous little-girl hug, and, straightening her small corduroy-coated person once more, she blithely stroked the dog's right ear.

"Tee got to go," she murmured, "muvver says. But I've comin' back." She looked up at her mother happily. Not once did it occur to her to doubt the model's reality.

"He's so sweet," she gurgled. "I think he's got the sweetest character of any doggie I ever did see."

COMPOSER FOND OF SOLITUDE

So M. Massenet Discourages Long Visits From Friends, but Without Giving Offense.

The composer, M. Jules Massenet, has a beautiful estate at Egreville, and he does most of his work there, because in Paris he is rarely free from visitors. But Egreville is not so very far away from Paris, and occasionally his friends go out there and with the best intentions in the world disturb Jules Massenet at his work.

Massenet, however, never lets his friends disturb him very long. He has a neat way of suggesting their departure. He receives them cordially and in answer to the inevitable phrase of admiration for his house and grounds he always says exactly the same thing. "Yes," says M. Massenet, "the principal charm of this place is that the railway communications are so bad. The only decent train to get you out here brings you here at 1 o'clock, and to get back to Paris with anything like comfort you will have to leave again at 2 o'clock."

But one day a friend who had taken a country house ten or twelve miles away arrived on a visit. He and his son had come on bicycles. "My dear friend," said Massenet, "in these days of the motor car bicycling is horribly dangerous. I wish you would promise me to give it up."

Way to Remove Tattoo Marks.

Once tattooed, always tattooed, was formerly the rule; but a French army surgeon, Dr. Tranchant, has discovered a method of removing tattoo marks, whether made with India ink or lampblack. According to La Nature, the process consists of first rubbing the skin until a thin layer of the surface is worn away, then applying a mixture of lime, slacked just before use, and powdered phosphorus. The tattooed part having been coated with this paste, a piece of gauze is laid over it, covered with a bandage. The dressing is removed after 48 hours. The scab is allowed to dry in the air, and comes away in about a fortnight, without leaving a scar. If any trace of the tattooing then remains, the treatment is repeated. Dr. Tranchant claims to have applied this treatment in a great many cases with perfect success.

Few Chances in China.

Several years ago the American consuls in China cautioned young men and women in the United States against going there with the hope of securing clerical or stenographic employment. Inquiries are again being received as to such openings and it is well to repeat the caution.

The custom of foreign firms here is to fill all important and well paid positions with persons whom they bring out under contract, so that a person arriving without such document stands little chance of securing positions that pay living wages. Minor situations are filled by clerks, stenographers and typists who live in Shanghai at salaries ranging from \$25 to \$75 United States currency a month. The cost of living here is not less than in the United States and the climate is not uniformly suitable to foreigners.

To Foster American Shipping.

The Honolulu Bulletin announces that "the Home Industry League of Hawaii is starting a movement in aid of the American merchant marine by inducing shippers to divide their trans-Pacific shipping among American bottoms and otherwise foster the patronage of vessels flying the American flag." That journal also calls attention to the desire in the Philippines for a direct steamship line between Manila and the United States, with Honolulu as the half way point.

Empty.

Wigge—There goes Saphead with a new suit of clothes. Do you know what he reminds me of?

Waggs—No.

Wigge—Of a pretty label on an empty bottle.

HOLD ENGLISH HIRING FAIR

Decorations Are Used by Farm Hands to Distinguish Their Different Callings

One of the oldest Michaelmas hiring fairs in England was held in the ancient market place of High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire, recently. From a wide radius, including parts of the three counties of Bucks, Berks and Oxon, farmers and agricultural employees in all departments flocked into the town early in the morning.

Harvesting having been finished, the attendance was much larger than usual, and there was a general disposition to "change hands," though the average terms of remuneration showed very little alteration.

Several old time customs still prevail, both at the hiring and in regard to the conditions upon which farm hands are engaged for the 12 months. For instance, plowmen decorate their buttonholes with strings of whipcord to denote their distinctive calling; shepherds display tufts of wool in their caps and their forelocks, and other farm hands utilize horsehair and fancy ribbons and rosettes for their personal adornment.

A good deal of time was occupied in "making the best terms," and in accordance with precedent of many years standing the engagements were conditional on the supplying of "beer," or "harvesting allowance," as it is called. The old fashioned custom of hiring servants in this way enlisted a good deal of public interest. The pleasure fair, relegated from the streets to a spacious enclosure in the town, attracted thousands, and it will be continued as usual for three days.

POOR CARE TAKEN OF SHOES

If Workmen Were Careful of Them the Business Wouldn't Be What It Is Now.

"Did you ever notice," said the shoe salesman, "that the people who take the poorest care of their shoes are the ones who can least afford to get new ones? It's a fact, though. Next time you ride in the Subway when the car is so crowded you can see people's feet take a look at the row of shoes. You'll find the laborers and working men of all sorts wear shoes that show no signs of care since they came from the factory. The heavy brogans that once were black have become the color of natural leather; you can see where shoes that have been wet have warped, lost all shape and are ready to crack; and those that haven't been wet are just drying up as the life of the leather oozes out. I tell you, if the workmen cared for their shoes properly the shoe business wouldn't be what it is now. I am not talking about 'shine,' and I haven't any special brand of blacking to sell. It's oil the leather needs, and it isn't oil that makes shoes shine. When the farmers used to wear cowhide boots—before they plowed and milked by machinery—they used to take care of them by keeping them greased with tallow, and the country store didn't sell more than one pair of shoes a year to a man. But the men who do the heavy work now are not so wise, and the shoe trade takes toll of their ignorance."

Golden Matrimonial Age.

An interesting and unusual estimate of the proper age for matrimony is that advanced by Mrs. Vivian, head and founder of the National Society of the Daughters of California. The happiest and most successful marriages, she says, are those between the man of 50 and the woman of 35.

At that age of discretion, she claims, the male has become more mellow and tolerant as well as more solvent. On the other hand she intimates that a girl of 20 is much harder to get along with than to get along without, and that there ought to be laws prohibiting people marrying before they are 30 years old.

When Mrs. Vivian's theory gets into working order the bachelor entering the bald, corpulent age of 50 may as well leave her behind. If Dr. Oiler doesn't get him the Daughters of California will—Success.

Irresistible Impulse.

"I keep myself to myself," confided an old resident. "You modern young men are too much on the 'half-fellow-well-met' order. I boast of the fact that I did not speak to my next-door neighbor for ten years."

"How did you come to speak to him even then, sir?" we asked. "It must have been an extraordinary occasion."

"It was. The young jackanapes bought a new automobile."

"And you wanted a ride?" "Sir! I am no grafter. Nor would I ride in one of the things for any consideration. No, sir. But the machine was new to him, and I couldn't resist the temptation to go over and give him some advice about running it."—Boston Traveler.

Queen Alexandra's "Home."

Queen Alexandra's favorite room is her boudoir at Sandringham. There she follows her own tastes without court dictation, and she affectionately talks of her boudoir as "home." The walls are in apple green and white, and the furniture is of the Marie Antoinette style. There is bric-a-brac collected by the queen herself from all corners of Europe. Everything in the room is of her personal selection. She passes most of her leisure time there, usually alone or with a confidante. Tea is always served at five o'clock in the boudoir, the queen herself pouring out the tea for her women guests.



HE HEALETH THEIR DISEASES.

Mark i, 29-45—March 10.
"Himself took our infirmities, and bore our sicknesses."—Matthew viii, 17.

TODAY'S STUDY follows closely the one of a week ago. When Jesus left the Capernaum synagogue He went to St. Peter's home. There St. Peter's mother-in-law lay sick of a fever. It was the work of but a moment for the Savior to take her by the hand and to raise her up to health. Meantime the fame of Jesus had spread and by evening there were crowds importuning His healing words and touch: "And He healed many that were sick of divers diseases, and cast out many demons, and suffered not the demons to speak, because they knew Him."

Nothing is more attractive to the human mind than the miraculous power of healing disease. No one enjoys disease, pain and suffering. People would be glad to be healed of disease, even if they were assured that the cures were performed by the power of Satan himself. It should not surprise us today that many false doctrines, wholly out of harmony with God's Word, commend themselves to the poor, groaning creation by promises of relief from physical ailments.



The true healer restoring St. Peter's mother.

But since these healers hold various and antagonistic doctrines, it is manifest that all are not of God, if any of them are. To our understanding, the Bible teaches that no miraculous healing at the present time is authorized by God's Word. St. Paul declared by inspiration that the gifts granted to the early Church, and exercised by Jesus and the Apostles and those to whom they personally communicated them, would pass away. The miracles were merely with a view to the establishment of the early Church.

Neither the Lord Nor the Apostles Healed Believers.

It is quite true that under the Law Covenant which God made with Israel He agreed that sickness would be a penalty for violation of the Law, and health a reward for the obedient. The statement of the Prophet, "Who healeth all thy diseases," was applicable physically to the Israelites under the Law Covenant. It has also a spiritual application to the Church, the New Creation.

But the healing of the New Creature and the healing of his flesh are different things. The New Creature's soul sickness and heart troubles are all cured by the Good Physician—even though his flesh may suffer pain and go down into death. We are to remember that the condition upon which we were begotten of the Holy Spirit to be new creatures was a full surrender of the flesh and its interests, as living sacrifices.—Romans xii, 1.

Nor is this any change from the Lord's dealings with the Church from the very beginning. So far as the records show, all, or nearly all, who were healed

FAITH CURES—DIVINE HEALING



The counterfeit healer.

by Jesus and the Apostles, were "sinners." Surely there is no record of a single instance in which any of the Apostles were healed of any disease. Although St. Paul healed many sick, yet when Epaphroditus was sick and "nigh unto death" we have no mention of any attempt to miraculously recover him.

Similarly, in the case of Timothy, we find that St. Paul neither sent him napkins nor handkerchiefs for his healing, nor advised him to pray for his own healing. On the contrary, he advised certain medicines, "for thy stomach's sake." Indeed, we believe that for God's consecrated people to ask for physical healing would be to attempt to take back again what they have specifically consecrated to the Lord.

A Cleansed Leper Thankful.
Today's lesson mentions another case of healing. Leprosy was regarded by the Jews as an incurable disease, and as a type of sin. The leper of this study had faith in the power of Jesus, and came and knelt before Him and entreated healing, cleansing. His prayer was answered.

Jesus admonished the leper not to make known so great a miracle; but in his thankfulness he could not restrain himself; he told it everywhere. The result was that Jesus could not there-after visit the large cities because He would be overwhelmed with the number brought to Him for healing.

But alms they were more appreciative of the restitution blessings than the great privilege which our Lord specially offered them of becoming His followers and joint-heirs in His Kingdom, which, by and by, will dispense restitution blessings and healing far and near to every member of Adam's race, condemned through the fall of Adam, and redeemed by the precious blood of Calvary.

WHAT YOU SAW IN THIS PAPER

WHAT YOU SAW 35 YEARS AGO
We hereby inform the public that the drugstore of J. O. Doesburg, is open and attended to by an efficient drug clerk.

The Patent Tub Manufacturing Co. are busily engaged placing their machinery and getting ready to announce their patent to the country at large.

WHAT YOU SAW 30 YEARS AGO

It is rumored that a fruitcanning and drying establishment is to be started in the city the coming season.

The body of Henry VanZylen, who was missing so mysteriously about the 13th of last November, was found last Friday floating in the river near Spring Lake bridge. Coroner Grey was notified and an inquest was held but nothing could be found that showed foul play and the jury brought in a verdict of "death from a cause unknown to this jury".

Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Doesburg on Tuesday morning—a daughter.

WHAT YOU SAW 25 YEARS AGO

A bright little baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Van Putten on March 4th.

Marshal Vaupell reports tramps as being numerous. On an average three a night coming to him for shelter.

Jacob G. Van Putten has been confirmed as postmaster of Holland City by the U. S. senate.

Mr. C. De Keyser, who last year moved to Grand Haven to take a position with the Metz Leather Co., has returned to this city with his family. It is rumored that he will be the assistant of Postmaster Van Putten in running the affairs of the Postoffice.

On Wednesday last Mr. R. E. Werkman purchased the millinery business of E. F. Metz & Co., and will hereafter conduct the same adding considerably to the already large stock of goods.

WHAT THE NEWS WOULD LIKE TO SEE

A system of sewers laid in our principal streets.

The law against fishing with nets in Macatawa Bay enforced.

About two hundred more students in attendance at Hope College.

A gas well here for street illumination, motive power, fuel, and domestic supply.

More energy and enterprise exhibited by a certain portion of the business men of the city.

An iron bridge built across Black River in the place of the one recently swept away by high water.

A new and ample school building erected for the accommodation of the children who are now crowded into quarters entirely inadequate for their comfort, and which greatly interferes with their progress in the various studies in which they are instructed, by reason of too many pupils being placed under the care and tuition of the teachers.

WHAT YOU SAW 20 YEARS AGO

This month it will be 45 years that the first band of pioneers of the Holland Colony arrived here, and it has been suggested by its few surviving members to hold a little re-union on the day proper.

Rev. J. T. Bergen will occupy his pulpit, as pastor of Hope church, for the last time Sunday.

The first blue bird of the season was seen here on Monday, and last week a flock of wild geese passed on their way north.

WHAT YOU SAW 15 YEARS AGO

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Baron on Tuesday.

The West Michigan Furniture factory resumed operations with a few men on Monday which will be gradually increased.

WHAT YOU SAW 10 YEARS AGO

Prof. J. T. Bergen was called to Brooklyn Monday by the critical illness of his brother.

The death of Albert Ellander occurred at the home of his sister, Mrs. G. Van Kampen, who lives two miles north of the city.

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FAMILY'S WELLSRING OF JOY

Hope of the Household Has Some Fun With His Anxious Relatives and a Safety Pin.

Uncle John flew down the back stairs! So great was his momentum that before he could stop himself he had gone half-way across the kitchen, and banged into the kitchen table. Turning, he rushed out of the kitchen, through the back hall, and out at the door, which he slammed behind him. Meanwhile Ellen, the nursemaid, stood before the telephone, and wildly flopped her hands—except when at regular intervals she needed them to take down the receiver in order to see if the line was still busy.

Upstairs a red-faced, squalling baby kicked and squirmed in the arms of its distracted mother. This strangling infant was the unhappy cause of all the excitement, for, so Ellen affirmed with tears in her eyes, it had swallowed a safety-pin. Although, to the mother, it seemed hours, it was in reality but a short time before Uncle John, puffing like a steam engine, returned. Behind him came the baby's father, wild-eyed and pale. At the same instant the doorbell frantically announced the doctor.

All three men tore up stairs into the nursery, where they formed a semi-circle round the human storm-center.

Suddenly the baby stopped screaming to gaze in wide-eyed astonishment at the frantic men before him. Then he looked down at the floor, and murmured, "Pitty! pity!" pointed to a large, bright safety-pin, which lay near at hand, provokingly innocent, on the nursery rug.—Youth's Companion.

MANKIND IS STILL MEDIEVAL

Woman Lawyer Says the Attitude Toward Her Sex Is Unjust and Barbaric.

That legislation tending to make marriage more difficult and divorces easier would lessen some of the evils of the social system was the opinion put forward in a talk on "The Law and the Lady," by Miss Mary Wood, a lawyer, at the Woman's Forum.

Miss Wood began her paper with a history of the attitude of the English lawmakers toward woman, touching on various statutes that now seem eccentric, such as the provision of the middle ages, which limited the cost of the cloth in a woman's dress to twelve pence a yard.

"And yet that was no more barbaric," said Miss Wood, "than the bill of the Massachusetts legislator, who would have put a ban on the skirts that were less than six inches below the knee, décolleté gowns and fancy clocks on stockings. The bill was killed. I don't know what happened to the man who fathered it."—New York Evening Post.

Temper Talk.

A girl does not look pretty when her face is convulsed with rage. Her lover will not forget how she looked.

Nor does a man look dignified, nor does he, as a rule, talk sense, when he is rowing with his sweetheart. Some day, after they are married, perhaps, she will remember what a vulgar fool he made of himself, once upon a time, and she will remind him of it. And then he will be very sick and sorry for himself.

So don't get angry. It is never worth while.

And it isn't a bit clever, either. Any monkey will chatter if it is teased. Any cat will spit if its tail is trodden on.

Try to be more human than a monkey or a cat. Try to smile when you feel like scowling, for when you scowl or frown it leaves wrinkles which can never be removed by treatment of any kind, and it is not worth while to spoil the beauty of the face for a scowl.

Dangerous Animal.

An Ohio man and his wife with a couple of friends went out for a run in the country the other day in their motor car. The trip was quite a long one and they arranged to have luncheon out in the woods. As they neared their destination a stop was made and one of the party made his way into the bush on the side of a hill to get water. He was gone an unusually long time, and on his return explained his delay by saying: "There was only a trickling stream coming from the spring, so I had to wait. There was a ram down there in the bushes, and it seemed to be taking up all the water."

"A what?" inquired the hostess. "A ram—hydraulic ram." "My!" she said with some surprise. "Weren't you afraid of the little beast?"

Little Fathers.

Mr. S. Joseph Baker of the department of health in New York has had picture films made showing how the "little mothers" learn their lessons. Recently "little fathers" took their turn and all the small boys in the neighborhood of one of the schools were busy borrowing babies, and they showed themselves very apt at learning how to take care of them. These children have to care for the babies while their mothers are at work and are taught to do it scientifically.

Housewarming.

"Moved into your cozy flat, eh?" "Yes." "Going to have a housewarming?" "That's what I'm just going to ask the landlord to speak to the janitor about."

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Notice is hereby given that four months from the 1st day of March A. D. 1912 have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the

1st day of July, A. D. 1912

and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 1st day of July A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the fore noon.

Dated, March 1st, A. D. 1912

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

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AGE IN COTTON FACTORIES

Death of Oldest Weaver in Lowell Re-
veals Bright Side of Operatives' Lives.

A news dispatch tells of the death in Lowell of the oldest weaver in that city, a woman who was seventy-one years of age and was in comfortable circumstances, but who still preferred to work, in spite of her age. We call this to the attention of the friends of the "poor mill girl." In spite of what they tell about employment in a cotton factory, it seems that it is quite possible for a woman to follow the trade of a weaver until she has passed three score years and ten; it is possible for her to lay by money enough to place her in comfortable circumstances, and it is possible that the associations in busy, bustling weaver shops, with their noise and lint and all the other unpleasant features, may be more endurable to a woman who has cultivated the habit of industry over a long period of years than the loneliness she would feel in a comfortable home with only such tasks to take up her time and her attention as those necessary to light housekeeping. The picture of industry, thrift and undoubted faithfulness that is shown in this brief news item from Lowell can be duplicated in nearly every one of the textile centers of New England, but it is the picture that is not so frequently held up to the view of the interested as the reverse of it. Nobody who has the welfare of the operatives—and that means of the industry itself—at heart would desire that the disagreeable features be covered so that the world would think there was nothing in them that should be improved, but it is gratifying and in the interest of truth besides to let a modicum of brightness reflect upon the canvas on occasions.—Fall River Herald.

BIRTH REGISTER IN SALT

Nevel "Certificate" in a Bottle Shown
to Old-Age Pension Officer in
England.

Since the old-age pensions act has been in operation in England, says a writer in the Strand Magazine, there has been a great search for birth certificates, in order to enable those entitled to its benefits to claim their pensions. As the registration of births, more than seventy years ago, was not carried out as now, there has been a difficulty in many cases in proving the age of the applicants, and in one instance at least a certificate of an exceedingly novel character was presented. At any rate, the local pension officer said he had never come across one like it, and he was quite prepared to take it as a proof of the age of the applicant. When a child was born in this particular family a clear glass bottle was procured and partly filled with salt; then the letters and figures forming the names of the child and date of birth were cut out of a newspaper and placed inside the bottle, being put in their correct position with a piece of wire, and then more salt was carefully added to keep them in place. Sprays of flowers and other ornamental designs, cut from cretonne, were also tastefully arranged around the inside of the bottle, and then the whole was tightly packed with salt, and corked and sealed. It was then placed in a prominent position on the dresser or in a corner cupboard, where it has been for more than seventy years. The white salt shows up the letters and ornaments in relief, and the whole effect is novel and pleasing.

Elephant's Wisdom.

In response to an inquiry as to what was the cleverest act he ever knew an elephant to perform, a British road officer told how once, when unloading some steel tubing from a ship, it was the elephant's task to carry the pipes by means of his trunk from one part of the wharf to another.

The pipes had been oiled to prevent them from rusting, and when the elephant took one up it slipped from his grasp. He tried it again with the same result, and at last seemed to comprehend what was the reason for his failure, for he soon afterward pushed the pipe with his foot to a spot where there was a pile of sand and then rolled the pipe backward and forward. The sand, owing to the oil, adhered to the tube, and the elephant then put his trunk around it and carried it with ease. He applied the same means to the other tubes without aid or suggestion from his mahout.

SOME MORAL SUASION

By Lawrence Alfred Clay

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The young ladies' seminary at Cedar Hill was situated one mile east of the town. The Cedar Hill school for boys was situated one mile west of the town. That was right and proper. Boys and girls should always be kept exactly two miles apart while being educated. Afterwards the distance can be reduced to a mile.

Miss Britt, the principal of the seminary, was a very severe woman of forty. She had to be severe to maintain her dignity. If she hadn't been severe the young ladies under her charge would have formed in ranks of four and marched into the town and cleaned out every saloon and pulled down the spire of every church.

Miss Louisa Barstow was Miss Britt's assistant. She was 27 years old, and she was also severe. She had to be. When engaged for the position she was told that she must never smile. One smile and her authority would be lost and she would have to go. She was an orphan, without near relatives, and she knew better than to smile.

Mr. Gredd, of the boys' school, was 50 years old. He was a very severe man. He began to be severe when he was a baby, and had kept it right up. His idea of a boys' school was not so much education as severity. He called it discipline, but when a boy receives forty black marks for indulging in a game of leap-frog, or cuffing off another's cap, he is apt to call it by another name.

Mr. Clifford Clinton was Mr. Gredd's assistant. He was also severe. He had to be.

There was communication between the two temples of learning, but for principals and assistants only. They consulted on the matter of school books, expenses, and so forth, and it was all very formal. Sometimes Mr. Clinton was sent to consult. It was on one of these occasions that he met Miss Barstow. During the ensuing year he met her several times more. In fact, Mr. Clinton called two or



Miss Britt Was a Very Severe Woman.

three times when he had no business errand; but this fact did not reach the ears of either principal.

Mr. Gredd was the owner of an auto. It was not bought for pleasure, but to enhance his dignity in the school and in the town. It was looked upon as a sacred thing. Even the chauffeur who ran it came in for a certain amount of veneration. That is, he could cuff any of the pupils without fear of a complaint being made against him.

Thus all things were working along severe but peaceful lines, and parents were being informed at regular intervals of the happy progress being made by their offspring, when an event happened that shook the United States from center to circumference. Swiftly following the first event came a second that shook green apples off the trees as far east as Japan.

Mr. Gredd received a telephone message from the seminary that one of the young ladies was missing, and that the identical spot where she had climbed a ten-foot wall had been located. At about the same moment he was informed that one of his own pupils was missing, and that he had been traced to a livery stable in the town.

It did not take him over an hour to put things together. An elopement had taken place and unless the elopers could be overhauled and brought quietly back the two temples of learning must fall. He rushed for a conference with Miss Britt. She thought as he did. Then Miss Barstow and Mr. Clinton were called in for more conference. They thought so, too.

The elopement had taken place just at dusk, and the elopers had gone in a carriage. They had an hour's start. What was easier than for Mr. Clinton and Miss Barstow to follow them in the auto and overtake them and halt them in their hilarious career? They could not be brought back in chains, owing to public gossip, but moral suasion would do the trick. Mr. Clinton could moral suasion the young man, and Miss Barstow could moral suasion the young lady, and the return would be quietly made and all particulars suppressed. Severity of discipline relaxed be-

POOR OLD HUMAN NATURE

Old-Fashioned Man Declares When Motorists Are Masked No One Can Recognize Them.

"Human nature, at least as she is depicted in humans, is being sadly relegated to the background," remarked an old-fashioned man who has kept his eyes opened for the last twenty years.

"How so?" asked his young friend.

"Look at yourself and ask that question—if you can. You're a sight with that cap, those goggles, that coat! You and all other motorists, and all these up-to-date persons who have taken to the flying machines, are no more like human beings when you get on your sporting raiment than if you belonged to some queer species of animal. In the good old days of the horse you drove out in your hats and coats and your friends could recognize you. Now you are masked worse than burglars and no one knows one of you from another. Why—look at the women on the streets even! They don't look like the women God made. They are painted and puffed and distorted by dress and those weird looking scroll-like veils until the human face and form are as unlike what nature intended them to be as if she had had no hand in the matter at all. I am not peevish, but I can't help standing up for the good old nature that I love." Whereupon the younger man adjusted his goggles, drew down the visor of his cap, cranked up his machine and prepared to leave.

CONDUCTOR PASSED THEM UP

Two "Ham" Actors Figured a Way to Beat the Railroad, and Succeeded.

There were two comedians who had been stuck in a village near Canton, with Cleveland many miles away. And the first comedian, being the more witty of the two, and being furthermore what they call the "feeder" of the team, says he:

"What'll we do next?"

"I'll tell you—let's count the house." They emptied their pockets and found that by squeezing a cent or two they could manage to buy a ticket to Cleveland. One ticket. They did it, and started forth—the two grown men on a single piece of pasteboard. Of course the conductor kicked.

"There's only one ticket here," he growled.

"That's mine," said one of the actors.

"You lie—it's mine," put in the other, politely.

"Well, you can't both ride on one ticket," said the con. "I'll have to put one of you off the train."

"Me—me!" squealed the actors in chorus. "Put me off—go ahead and do it—I spoke first."

"Well, I can't do it here, but one of you must get off at the next station."

But three local stations passed, and the conductor didn't come back. As a matter of fact, he never appeared until just before Cleveland was reached.

"I think somebody's a grafter," he remarked in passing, "but my orders are to take the safe side when there's a possibility of mistake. Good night. I can lick either one of you, if I ever see you again!"

Queen of Clubs.

"Ah was to a club meetin' las' night, da's w'y I's late dis mornin', Miss Foster," explained Imogene, as she removed her outer wraps preparatory to doing a day's washing for Mrs. Foster. "Yas'm, ah had a mighty nice time an' dey lected me sekritary of de club by a total majority. W'at de name of de club? We calls ourself 'De Circle of de Golden Fleece an' de Yaller Slipper.' Las' night was a special 'casion,' continued Imogene, beginning to sort the clothes; "we was entertainin' the members of a club call 'De Silver Star an' de Crimsun Girdle.' Dere was some raight smart dressin', but I 'clar, Miss Foster, dere wasn' no lady present looked puttier dan I done mahse' in dat gownd yo' give me wif de heliumtube flowers on it."

Great Alaskan River.

Capt. John Backland, with the four-masted schooner Transit, arrived at Seattle from the Arctic with news that the Kubak river, hitherto believed to be a small Arctic stream, is a mighty river, navigable for at least 300 miles from its mouth.

News of the navigability of the Kubak river was given to those on board the Transit by miners and traders, who for the first time had thoroughly explored its main reaches for a great distance inland.

While they say that it is navigable for good sized vessels for at least 300 miles, it is their opinion that any vessel which could get over the bar probably could make its way at least 500 miles up the stream.—Seattle Correspondence Portland Oregonian.

Confessions of a King.

It is told of King George—and there can be no harm in giving the story—that he said to one of the plain men who are his friends as well as his servants on the hills of Balmoral: "If they would only let me live six months here every year, they might do what they like with me for the other six."—Fortnightly Review.

Chaos Defined.

"What's the meaning of 'chaos'?" queried little Lola. "Chaos," explained her eight-year-old brother, "is a great big pile of nothing, with no place to put it."

\$1.00

SHOE SALE

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TREMENDOUS CLEARING PRICES on Mens, Ladies, Boys and Childrens Shoes at the

Enterprise Shoe Store 238 River St., Holland, Mich.

No stone has been left unturned in our endeavor to make this the most decisive clearing event of the season. All odd lots and broken lines of Mens, Womens, Boys and Childrens Shoes go at remarkably low prices. For instance:

Mens Shoes at \$1.00

In this collection are high grade shoes in Calf, Kid, and Patent. Sizes mostly 6, 6½, 7, 7½.

Former prices \$3.50, \$3.00, \$2.50, and \$2.00. Now \$1.00

Womens Shoes at \$1.00

A special lot of odd and ends and discontinued lines. Come and see what you can buy for \$1 in this collection. Nearly all sizes and good widths.

Former prices \$3, \$2.50, \$2.00 and \$1.50. Now \$1.00

This Sale starts
MARCH 2nd

\$1 Shoe Sale

Ends March 16th

Boys Shoes at \$1.00

Strong, honest made, mostly lace in Calf and Patent. Sizes from 2½ to 6.

Former price \$2.50, \$2.00 and \$1.75, now \$1.00

Misses and Childrens Shoes at \$1.00

In this collection are high grade shoes in Misses and Childrens sizes from 8½ to 2. Mostly lace in gun metal, kid and patent; are good serviceable school shoes and should be snapped up quick at this low price.

Former prices \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.75 and \$1.50, now \$1.00

SHOE SALE

\$1.00

Take advantage of the Bargains we offer at

\$1.00

Heres a Bargain

Received from Holland Shoe Factory 6 doz. Boys Shoes and Oxfords, patent, colt, lace and Button. All sizes. Wholesale prices \$2.25 and \$2.00 for a quick turn at

\$2.00

Terms Cash

Open Every Night Until
9 o'clock

During this sale we give 10% discount on our regular stock and also on light rubber goods. On our heavy rubber goods we will give a reduction from

10% to 25%

Just received 6 doz. Ladie's Shoes, sizes 4½, 5, 5½, 6, 6½, 7 at \$1.25

6 doz. Men's Shoes, sizes 7½, 8, 8½, 9, 9½, 10 at \$2.00

ENTERPRISE SHOE STORE

238 RIVER STREET
HOLLAND - - MICH.

Local News

The total membership of the Board of Trade is now 114. An audit of the books made by W. H. Orr and Otto P. Kramer shows them in good condition with a substantial balance on hand.

Allen Rouse of Allegan was in Holland recently to see his nephew, Thero Dennison, who has been sick the past two years. He will be taken to Ann Arbor soon to see what can be done for him. His many friends hope for recovery.

John Vander Sluis, the fisherman, had a narrow escape from a complete ducking last Friday while angling through the ice on Black Lake. His extreme length was the only thing that saved him and fortunately he touched bottom before his head went under.

The Western Theological Seminary will graduate one of the largest classes in its history next May. The class comprises eleven men, two of whom have volunteered as missionaries to the foreign field. These are Hendrick Peterson of Hesperia, Iowa, and Wm Duven of Brandon, Wis.

Mrs. Martin Kerkhor was seriously burned Saturday morning at her home corner of River and Fifteenth streets, when the soft coal stove exploded. Her left arm and breast were quite badly burned and her hair badly singed. James Peck, a Hope College student who rooms at the Kerkhof home hearing her screams extinguished the flames by smothering them with a blanket.

The Holland Board of Trade has decided to offer a series of prizes for the best essays on the subject, "Benefits That Our Summer Resorts are to the City of Holland and Adjoining Townships." Following are the prizes offered: 1st prize, \$25 in gold; second prize, \$15 in gold; third prize \$10 in gold. Papers are not to exceed 500 words in length and are to be in the hands of the judges on or before the 15th day of April 1912.

Articles have been appearing in Grand Rapids papers recently to the effect that the Ottawa county grand jury would no longer permit the introduction of testimony for any other purpose than that of bringing out the case of the state and that therefore both sides of the cases had been presented. According to the grand jury officers this statement is misleading. They state that the grand jury will secure all the testimony possible which will throw all possible light upon the cases under investigation without any particular regard to the sides of the case.

The common council has designated March 13 as a day of prayer for the crops, this in response to petitions from the local churches.

Wm Botsford has accepted the position of billing clerk in the city warehouses with the Graham and Morton Transportation Company. Mr. Botsford was lately employed by the Pere Marquette Depot here.

The officials of the Michigan State Telephone company in Grand Rapids will install a "loan branch" for the benefit of its employees that they may avoid falling victims of local "loan sharks".

Theodore Gietzen of Traverse City has purchased of Colon C. Lillie the store building occupied by the Hub Clothing company at Coopersville. He bought it as an investment.

On the first of May the Royal Neighbors expect to put on a Flower Festival or Children's Cantata and it is to be one of the most elaborate functions of its kind this season. The entire entertainment is to be in charge of Mrs. F. E. Lillie and daughter Katherine Lillie of Boston.

The Holland Hospital Board met Thursday night and from now on the campaign for additional funds that are still needed will be pushed vigorously. It is estimated that at least \$5000 more will have to be collected before the board can go ahead with the work. A little more money will be needed than was at first estimated because the site will cost more than had been figured on and the building itself will also come a little higher.

A committee composed of Austin Harrington, B. D. Keppel, G. Van Schelvan, C. M. McLean and A. Visscher has been appointed by the Board of Trade to investigate the good roads plan. Their report will be made at the meeting of the Board next week.

At the annual meeting of the Board of Trade Friday night the following officers were chosen: President, Austin Harrington; Vice president, Geo. E. Kolen; treasurer, Henry Geerlings; secretary, Raymond Visscher.

Tricked by Cupid and seeking redress in the courts for over 30 months Martin VanDerveen was awarded a \$69 judgment against Martin Boersma today. He had spent nearly \$3000 to win Boersma courted VanDerveen's daughter for four years during which he borrowed money, as Van Derveen believed he would become his son-in-law. Boersma changed his mind and forgot the debt, the litigation was carried through every branch of the Grand Rapids courts, appealed, retried and finally decided by Judge Brown.

The forty-ninth annual year book of Hope College is out and is being distributed among the students. The book contains cuts of the late Prof. James G. Sutphen, President Ame Vennema and President Emeritus G. J. Kollen. According to the catalogue Hope has a total enrollment of 388 students, the largest number in its history.

Gerrit J. Diekema, who has charge of President Taft's campaign in Michigan, has formally opened headquarters in the Morton house. He is on the job and working on it now. He has received many callers and declares he is well satisfied with the first appearance of things. As soon as it is determined whether the presidential primary bill will be effective this year or not Mr. Diekema will start things booming with all the energy with which he used to conduct the campaigns of the Republican party as chairman of the state central committee.

Burglars broke into the barber shop of Dogger & Thoms Friday night and secured about two dollars. Including seventy-five pennies. They entered the building through a back window and it appears to be the work of amateurs.

Monday night the following were chosen for the executive committee of the Merchants Assn. Dick Boter, Edw. Steketee, Joe Kooiker E. P. Davis and Wm. Orr. The officers of the committee will select the officers for the coming year in the near future.

A marriage license was issued to Frank A. Brown and Miss Myrtle Mae Hall, both residents of this city.

Mrs. M. Pavey returned from a two weeks visit with her daughter Marie Pavey, leading woman at the Garrick Theatre of Chicago. Miss Pavey and Mrs. J. C. Bridgman returned with Mrs. Pavey spending Sunday and Monday returning for Monday evenings performance.

Chris Lokker returned from Reimen yesterday where he went to look after his interest in his general store.

Chaplain James Ossewaarde of the Philippine islands is on his way to Zeeland to join his wife.

Dina Busses and John H. Overweg were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Busses.

The Olympic Athletic club of Zeeland defeated the Hope College five last night in a hard fought battle played in Zeeland. The game ended with a score of 47 to 45. Coach White of Grand Rapids Central High School refereed the game.

Joe Kooiker sold six lots in Zeeland. Tony Zuidema has sold a house and lot on 22nd street and D. Holkeboer has bought four lots on 1st Avenue and 19th street. Real Estate is booming.

M. G. Vander Wasse of Holland townshipis recovering from injuries received when an interurban car struck the lumber wagon on which he was riding.

Because Holland has but three members in the county board of supervisors, while Grand Haven, a little more than half as large, has six, the local Merchants' association is agitating a redistricting.

Manager Viergever of the Olympic Athletic indoor baseball team requests all his players to report at the Holland Int. waiting room before 6 o'clock this evening. The team will take the 6 o'clock car for Zeeland where they will engage the All Stars of that city in doing on the hardware floor tonight.

A year ago today the harbor was open and the Graham and Morton boats began to ply between Holland and Chicago but the heavy ice in the lake will prevent any idea of this and navigation will not open until April 1 according to present indications.

Monday evening at a meeting of the Republican City Committee, Gerard Cook was elected chairman in place of Henry Geerlings who handed in his resignation last Saturday night. The exact date of the caucus has not been decided upon but plans have been made to hold it in the Lyceum Rink in about three weeks or one week before election.

Will Clemmons was arraigned before Justice Sooy, charged with shaking dice, he pleaded guilty and paid the fine and costs which amounted to \$5.

Value of the Smile.
There is much religion in a good smile.

Herman De Fouw will move his electric supply store from College avenue to the Kremer Building on East 8th street.

September 17, 18, 19 and 20 are the dates on which the South Ottawa and West Allegan fair will be held this year. This is the decision reached Tuesday at a director's meeting of the organization. Those present were Otto C. Schaap, pres., Arthur Wiggers, H. Bouws, R. Westvelt, Henry Doesburg, M. Van Zoeren, Vriesland, J. H. Boone, Zeeland, H. E. Van Kampen, Dr. VandenBerg, G. S. Duer, Al. Hidding and A. B. Bosman and secretary. Many of the old buildings will be put in first class trim and the stables also will be repaired. Much attention will be given to the race track.

Public Auctions

March 7 1912 at the farm of Albert Blawkamp, one half mile west and one quarter mile south of Borculo.

March 8, 1912 at the farm of Bert Riksen 3 miles north of Holland.

March 14, 1912 at the farm of C. Van Farrowe at Beaverdam.

March 15, 1912 at the home of Menno Bosman, one mile west and one half mile south of the Christian Reformed church at West Olive.

Notice

A republican caucus will be held in the town Hall in Olive Township on Monday March 18, 1912 at two o'clock p. m. for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the various township offices and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

By order of the Republican committee. Maurice Luidens, Sec.

West Olive

Mrs. Ida Ingersol, last week, returned to her old home here, after remaining for several months with her son and daughter at the Tocommun Park Sanitarium, Wash. D. C. Nurse Olivia came home with her mother. The P. M. railroad track being very uneven owing to the unusual heaving, which the section men are unable to make up any time, and a great deal of time is being lost in running slow, as there are more slow orders out than ever before.

Miss Alice Eblo of Grand Rapids made a flying trip Sunday on a visit to her parents and friends at Harlem.

Messrs. M. Van Slooten, F. Peck and other West Oliviers were in Grand Haven Monday on business.

Misses Mary Schrieber, Ethel Lamb, Odessa Lamb, Mrs. J. Leland and Chas Tuttle were in Holland recently.

J. R. Pixley is home again, but still on the sick list we are sorry to say.

The hearts of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Tuttle were made glad by a visit from their daughter and nephew last week.

Sunday the Rev. Mr. Carpenter had rather a tedious trip from Holland. The 5:25 train started from town at 9 A. M. Snow bound twice on the way. At the Dominie got here, all right, in time for Sunday school.

Jenison Park

Report of Dist. No. 3, Laketown. Pupils neither absent or tardy for month of February.

Sena Van Huis Clarence Vander Velden Laura Vander Velden Anna Van Huis Gerrit Kramer John Knoll Richard Harkema Marion Harkema Teachers: Iva Stanton and Gertrude Neerken.

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on the 6th day of March A. D. 1912.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge Probate. In the matter of the estate of George and John M. Schwarz, Minors.

Bertha Schwarz Wolters having filed in said court her petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described. It is Ordered, That the

2nd day of April, A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

and that the next of kin of said minors, and all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
Orrie Sluiter,
Register of Probate.