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CITY AND VICINITY.

W. J. Denison will build a house for his brother-in-law, E. A. Rouse at New Richmond this spring.

Cashier G. W. Mokma of the First State Bank celebrated his sixty-first birthday anniversary last Thursday.

Grover Ver Plank won in the oratorical contest held Friday evening at the Grand Haven High school. His subject was "The hope of our Nation."

H. J. Schutte pleaded guilty to drunkenness in Justice Van Duren's court Thursday, paying fine and costs amounting to \$5. He was arrested Wednesday afternoon by Officer Doornbos.

A subscription list is being circulated to raise a purse to send Theron Jones, an aged gentleman, to the Muskegon Hackley hospital to be operated upon for a chronic septic wound.

Miss Alice Glupker, well known in this city, died Saturday at her home in Manton, aged 20 years. She is survived by her mother, two sisters and two brothers. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at Manton.

Mrs. C. B. Cook and children who have been on a visit to their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bourton, 81 East Eighth street, for the last 18 months, returned to their new home in Denver, Colorado, to join their husband and father, Chris Cook, formerly of Port Sheldon.

Senator Huntley Russell, chairman of the fish and game committee in the upper house of the legislature, will be in this city next Saturday to interview local sportsmen regarding changes in the game laws. Mr. Russell will investigate Kelley's, Goshorn and Green lakes for the purpose of ascertaining the variety of fish best adapted for these waters. The matter of restocking Macatawa bay will also be determined.

The village of Spring Lake has been considerably stirred up since the latter part of the week over a case of corporal punishment in the village schools. It was alleged that a boy named Eckelkamp, who suffers from St. Vitus dance had been whipped by the principal of the schools and that the lad's father, believing it to have been unnecessary punishment had asked for the teacher's arrest. Monday Prosecuting Attorney Coburn and Deputy Sheriff Salisbury made an investigation but no action has as yet been taken in the matter and it will probably be settled before it gets into the courts.

R. H. Post has awarded to F. O. Pratt the contract for a new residence, corner Maple and Fifteenth streets. The house will be occupied by Mr. Post and will have all the modern improvements. Mr. Post has also sold lots to the following persons: Three lots to Henry Sterenberg, corner Sixteenth and First avenue, who will build at once, the price paid was \$1,400; one lot to Peter Elhart for \$525, corner First avenue and Fifteenth street; one lot to Simon Steketee on West Fifteenth street for \$450; a lot to C. Van Dyke on Fifteenth street near Maple for \$475; house and lot 28 East Nineteenth street, to Geo. Moomey, for \$1,750.

Fennville may soon become the headquarters for one of the religious community settlements, similar to the "Flying Rollers" of Benton Harbor. Mrs. E. L. Mason and three men came to Fennville from Detroit last week and have contracted to buy the W. M. Rogers farm of 80 acres for the sum of \$5,000, to be used as the home of a settlement. Mrs. Mason is the supreme head of an order as "The New Eve, The New Home or Body of Israel." The order has been having some trouble at Windsor and want to get out of the cities. They agreed to return next Monday with a company of 26 persons, to begin improvements on the building. Mrs. Mason, who is known as "Mother Elinor," wore a great many diamonds and seemed to have considerable influence over the men in the party, who keep their hair long and wear tan shoes. They eat meat and in that regard differ from the Benton Harbor settlement.

The house belonging to Wm. Bouman on the Brown farm at Rusk, burned last Thursday. No insurance.

John Brinkman and family from Holland will again move to their farm in East Holland in the near future.

A gift of \$100, to be distributed between foreign and domestic missions, \$50 to each, was found in the collection at the Reformed church at Vriesland Sunday afternoon.

The C. L. King & Co. basket factory, which has been idle for several weeks on account of a short supply of logs, will resume operations Monday March 18.

John Van Zanten, Holland township treasurer, went to Grand Haven Tuesday to make the annual tax settlement with the county treasurer. Of the total amount of tax for the township, \$19,000, Treasurer Van Zanten returns \$200 unpaid the smallest amount of delinquent tax returned in many years, which is a remarkable showing for the township.

At the Zeeland election Monday there was only one ticket in the village, the following republicans officers being re-elected: President, Henry De Pree; clerk, Jay Heck; treasurer, Cornelius De Koster; assessor, J. W. Goosen; trustees, Wm. Kamperman and Josias Bareman. One hundred and seven votes were cast of which 99 were straight republicans. The total number of voters in Zeeland is about 480.

Charles Rueneke, brought to Grand Haven from Grand Forks, North Dakota, charged with stealing a gasoline engine from a launch at Macatawa Bay last summer, was arraigned in Justice Wach's court. Rueneke waived examination and was bound over to circuit court under bonds of \$500, which as yet he has been unable to furnish. The prisoner went back to jail where his brother Herman is held on the same charge. Charles has admitted his guilt to the officers and he is anxious to go into court and have the affair over.

Gerard Cook, for 21 years a member of Columbia Hose Co. No. 2, has resigned his position, and was last Friday night made an honorary member of the company. In resigning Mr. Cook stated that he did so for the reason that he felt that he had been a member of the company a long period, having devoted considerable time to the work because he liked it, and it had a fascination for him, but he felt now that he would like to spend more of his time at home.

The local letter carriers have been materially affected by the salary bill that recently passed congress. The bill becomes a law July 1, 1907, the six letter carriers of Holland, who have hitherto perambulated the streets for \$850 per annum will now receive \$1000 from the government for their services. Several of the post office clerks will also receive a raise for the faithful service rendered Uncle Sam.

Chris Heisman, the man found dead on the Interurban line near Jenison Friday night, was buried Monday afternoon from Dykstra's morgue. No relatives of the man have been discovered, and the funeral was in charge of a German society of Grand Rapids, to which the deceased belonged. The corner's inquest returned a verdict that Heisman was killed while lying in a drunken stupor on the tracks. The verdict also exonerates the motorman and conductor from all blame.

At last a proposition for a new theater have been brought forward, that is so liberal that prospects for a theater in Holland are brighter than ever. Tiemmen Slagh has proposed to erect a \$25,000 structure provided \$5,000 is raised to be used to purchase tickets for the opening performance. Jacob Lokker and E. B. Standart are looking about for the \$5,000 needed. Mr. Slagh has the plans ready for the proposed theater and if his hopes are realized Holland will have a theater worthy of the name. The building will be 118x50 feet with the theater on the ground floor. The main entrance will be on Eighth street. Many are in hope that Mr. Slagh's project will succeed. With the influx of new families sentiment is growing in favor of amusement of some kind as is shown by the good patronage that the moving picture shows receive. It will doubtless be a paying business when it has once been started on a sound basis.

DIEKEMA CLUB

Organize for the Campaign.

For this purpose a meeting will be held in the De Groot Hall on Friday evening, March 15, 1907, at 7:30 o'clock.

The enrollment, in order to vote at the Primaries, is an important matter and requires attention.

Let there be a good attendance.

COMMITTEE.

Several members of the crew that will be employed on the schooner Belle this season arrived here Monday morning. The schooner has been laid up at the Scott-Lugers dock all winter and they are fitting her out to leave for Manistee by April 1.

Bert Hunt, a young man arrested Sunday for embezzlement by Officer Leonard, pleaded guilty Monday in Justice McBride's court. His fine and costs amounted to \$13.55 or 65 days in the Detroit workhouse, he took the jail sentence and was taken there by Undersheriff Frank Salesbury.

Republicans must enroll at the registration on March 30 in Ottawa county instead of March 12 as previously announced. The latter date applies only to Kent county. It is absolutely necessary that all republicans attend to this enrollment if they desire to participate in the primaries April 1.

Of the 42 teachers in Holland's public schools with whom the Board of Education was willing to make contracts for another year, only 15 accepted, the remaining 28 declare that they will seek their fortunes elsewhere unless the board decides to give them a raise in salary. It is alleged the wages of the teacher are wholly inadequate.

Captain Austin Harrington will in the near future build a mammoth coal shed on the premises of his present building. The shed will be 100x150 feet and 18 feet in height. The size of the old shed is 32x180, so this will give him a capacity for his business larger than all the other coal sheds of the city combined. The increase in his volume of business makes the enlargement necessary.

Dutcher Lodge F. & A. M. of Douglas gave a reception ball and banquet last Monday evening. The Interurban ran a special car to accommodate those who attended the ball. Fischer's orchestra known as the "Pan American Orchestra" provided the music for the dancing. The Douglas lodge members vindicated their reputation as royal entertainers.

Burglars Monday night broke into C. J. Drogman's business college and into M. Kerkhof's plumbing shop on River street. It is thought by the officers to be the work of boys. At the business college the thieves crawled through the transom and at Kerkhof's plumbing shop they pried the side door open. There was nothing missing in either place.

The duck season opens tomorrow. All sportsmen are more or less interested in this and are consequently getting ready for the event. The bayou near the city is a favorite haunt of this special game and therefore prospective hunters of the duck are putting up tents on the west side of it to be all ready when the season is here. There is some dissatisfaction with the present law on duck and snipe shooting, and Senator Huntley Russell, chairman of the committee on fish and game, confer with local sportsmen, and will make an attempt to have the season extended. It now closes on April 10. They will try to make it last until May 1.

A meeting was held Monday night in W. Deur's store, West Sixteenth street, to further discuss the building of a new Christian Reformed church in the western part of the city. Four lots have already been bought by W. Deur of R. H. Post for the church and parsonage site, at Sixteenth and Maple streets. It was decided at the meeting that no further steps towards organizing be taken until an agreement can be made with the consistory of the Central Ave. Christian Reformed church to furnish some support for the new church. It was argued that these families had been supporting the Central avenue church for many years and that it was no more than right that some aid be given in return.

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Gertie Postma, 26, Zeeland.
Martin A. Neenhouse, 23, Zeeland;
Henrietta G. Dalman, 21, Zeeland.
Peter Grugelar, 27, Jamestown;
Rena Haverman, 28, Jamestown.

Buy your Wall Paper at Bert Slagh.

New School for Holland.

A representative of the American Garment-Cutter Co., of Chicago is in the city preparing to establish one of their celebrated Schools of Ladies' Tailoring and all branches of Dressmaking.

A class will be organized soon. For particulars address

J. G. KAMP, Mgr.
Phone 227 170 Central Ave.

Diekema For Congress.

The congressional boom of the Hon. Gerrit J. Diekema received a substantial impetus last Monday at Holland, the home town of the Ottawa statesman, in the non-partisan-allied-partisan reception tendered him on his return from official duties at Washington. While the occasion was ostensibly a polite neighborly greeting to an honored citizen, party lines "cut no figure" in the voluntary endorsements of the candidacy of Mr. Diekema for the republican nomination for representative from the 5th Michigan congressional district. Such Democrats as George P. Hummer and ex-Mayor Van Putten and many others joined with the partisans of Diekema in encouraging his candidacy. Judging from present appearances Diekema is the unanimous choice of Ottawa, and perhaps quite as strong in Ionia, and 'tis "dollars to doughnuts" he can beat any Grand Rapids candidate yet mentioned in Kent, at the primaries. What the district demands in the personality of its representative, as the successor of Melbourne H. Ford and Wm. Alden Smith, is a man of the same caliber. One who has the ability and virility to maintain and sustain the commendable reputation and appreciated influence in national legislation, earned and enjoyed by his immediate predecessors. Diekema "fills the bill."—Saranac Loral.

An Auxiliary Band Organized. An auxiliary band, to be under the supervision of the Citizens' band, was organized last Friday evening, there being 20 applicants ranging in age from 12 to 18 years. The object is to train musicians for membership in the Citizens' band.

A membership fee of \$5 will be charged, as it is believed the members will be more faithful if they have some personal interest in the organization. If these members wish to withdraw within a reasonable time half of this sum, \$2.50, will be refunded.

It was decided to purchase the instruments at once so that the new band can begin work in earnest. Although being under the direction of the Citizens' band, the auxiliary will have its own officers, who will be elected shortly.

Among the members are the following: Clarinets, Louis Lawrence, Gerrit A. Rutgers, Harry Eby; Cornets, John Olert, Clarence Lokker, Lloyd Conkright, John Van Vulpem, John Glupker; altos, Gerrit Ver Hoef, Edward and William Stephan; baritone, Ray Herriek; bass, Rokus Kanters; snare drum, Frank Guiles; strombones, Herman Kameraad, Fred Rosenboom, Tracy Askins, Orrey Brusse, Richard Kamperman. It is expected that the first meeting will be held to-morrow night when the instruments will be here for use.

CORRESPONDENCE

Saugatuck.

Who can locate lot 80, Judson's addition to the village of Saugatuck? The state has a deed for such a lot and will sell it at auction with other state lands this spring. No such numbered lot appears on the atlas and an agent of the state land department who was here last Tuesday was unable to locate it.—Saugatuck Commercial.

Hazel Newnam & Co., is the name of the millinery store opened in one side of J. P. Mohler & Co.'s furniture store. Miss Hazel Newnam is the manager and will probably make a success for she is well known to Saugatuck people as a competent trimmer.

J. F. Metzger secretary of Saugatuck Legion No. 55 received dividend checks last week from the National Protective Legion for the following members: John Schumacher, Jr., \$250, L. B. Upham \$250, Robert Reid, \$250; Nellie Reid, \$250; Ralph Reid, \$250; Chas. B. Coates, \$250; Helen Henry, \$250.

Ira Dornan was fined in Holland last week for a misdemeanor there but as he lacked 85 cents of having enough money to pay, was discharged with the promise that he would pay it later. Dornan came to Saugatuck Saturday and the authorities fearing that they would not get their 85 cents sent an officer after him. The officer grabbed him unawares and getting his hand too near Dornan's teeth soon learned that they were the real article and is now nursing a badly bitten hand. Dornan attempted to escape down Lake street on foot but horses from both livery were secured and he was captured before he got out of town and brought back to Reed's livery but let go, the officer not even stopping long enough to tell us why.

Mrs. Jas. Koning and youngest child are both quite sick with la-grippe.

CANDIDATES NOMINATED.

A small crowd attended the Citizens caucus held at the village hall last Tuesday evening. Fred Wade was appointed chairman of the caucus and L. S. Brittain, clerk.

The following candidates for the various village offices were nominated:

President Clarence Wade
Trustees for two years
A. D. Crissy, E. L. Leland, J. Jas. F. Davis,
Clerk August Plaff
Treasurer Wm. G. Edgcomb
Assessor Harry M. Bird

At the Peoples caucus last Wednesday evening S. L. Newnam was made chairman and Chas. Redebaugh, clerk. The following ticket was nominated:

President W. G. Phelps
Trustees for two years
D. F. Ludwig, Richard Baker, Jas. A. Aliber,
Clerk L. W. Grant
Treasurer J. F. Henry
Assessor Wm. Rencha

Messrs. Ludwig, Henry and Rencha all refused to run and to the present time their places on the ticket have not been supplied.

Jamestown.

At the congregational meeting of the Second Reformed church last Thursday it was decided to improve the church building by adding a gallery and consistory room. In the meeting \$464 was raised for that purpose.

Rev. J. Steunenberg will preach his farewell sermon in Second Reformed church Sunday afternoon, March 17.

Peter De Weerd and Henry Grit were appointed as a committee to call on Rev. Wayer of Ebenezer, to emphasize the unanimity and importance of his call to the Reformed church.

Too late for last week.

Gibson.

Walter Easter has been absent from school the past week on account of Whooping Cough in the family.

Trimming trees is the most that is noticed going on now days.

February has been a mild pleasant month, but much sickness has been reported around here though our school has not been closed yet.

Ah error was made last week in the Gibson items we wish to correct. It was expected and reported that Mr. Whipple would take charge of the Peterson farm but we have learned different, it is Rev. Mr. Boeve instead.

A lazy liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and constipation—weakens the whole system. Doan's Regulents (25 cents per box) correct the liver, tone the stomach, cure constipation.

Holland City News Want Ads pay.

East Saugatuck.

Jno. Bultman is about to build a very large new barn. He has considerable new lumber on the ground and with lumber from the barn which he is now using he will put up one of the largest buildings in the township.

John Vanderhof has bought from his brother what was known as the Harrington place and is now in possession of it and making some repairs on the buildings.

Garret De Boer has sold his farm to A. Alverink who will take possession soon. Mr. De Boer will have a sale Friday and then move to a farm near Fremont. He will be greatly missed by his friends in this vicinity as he has lived here since 1871.

Geo. and Ben Keen have been engaged to work on the Comstock farm the coming season. They are now living on the place. John Slink, who worked there last season will help his father and Antonio Hazelaar the coming summer.

Miss Dena B. Brunink who has been employed in Holland, is now visiting her father, John H. Brunink.

John Siebelink is in Allegan this week as Juror from Manlius township.

Harry Bonzelaar is doing a good deal of work repairing his buildings. He has added a good sized addition to his house and will move in soon.

A number of children are confined to their homes on account of whooping cough.

Mr. Henry Derks has sold his farm to J. Bultman from Holland. Mr. Derks will move his family to Holland in the near future.

Gerard Schutt will take a position as clerk with the grocery firm of Dane & White in Grand Rapids, starting April 1.

Real Estate Transfers.

Simon Broersma and wife to Aart Van Herweyneyen, land in sec. 21 town 5 r 14 w, undivided 1:5 of w 2 s n 1/2 se 1/4 sw 1/4 and undivided 1:5 e 1/2 s 3/4 sw 1/4 sw 1/4 and undivided 1:5 s 3/4 ne 1/4 sw 1/4 sec 21, twp Zeeland; consideration, \$600.

Simon Broersma to Dirk Tanis, land in sec 21 town 5 r 14 w, s 1/2 sw 1/4 ne 1/4 se 1/4 sec 21 twp Zeeland; consideration, \$500.

Jacob Flieman et al to Fred Meyers and wife, the ne 1/4 of se 1/4 sec 6 town 6 r 15 w; \$700.

Thomas Keppel to John Van Gelderen, lot 18 Schilleman's Add to Village of Zeeland; \$140.

Effie Schilleman to John Van Gelderen, lot 19 Schilleman's Add to Village of Zeeland; \$140.

Estate of T. Bontekoe by Admis. Arthur J. Shermer, lot 25, block 66, Vander Veen's subdivision of 66; \$2100.

Fritz J. Jonkman and wife to Anna De Haan and Aaltje De Haan, lots 55, 56, in Vanden Bosch's subdivision of lots 2 and 3 and 4 and parts of lots 5 and 6 and 7 of block B, city of Holland; \$600.

Henry Winter and wife to John Weersing, lot 39, 83 McBride's add, to City of Holland; \$300.

John Poest and Gerty Poest to Geo. E. Kollen, all that part of w 1/2 of w 1/2 of se 1/4 sec 13 town 5 r 15 w; \$4000.

Luke Lugers et al to Harm Tibbe and Ralef Tibbe, lots 22, 23, 24 and 25, Lugers add to Holland; \$700.

Bernard De Vries and wife to Henry R. Bensch, w 1/2 of lot 13, block 53 except n 7 feet in width according to plat, Holland; \$100.

Effie Schilleman to Peter Ver Lee, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, Schilleman's Add, to Zeeland; \$1,100.

Charles H. Barnaby to Elmer E. Barnaby, w 1/2 of the e 1/2 of sw 1/4 of sec 29 town 6 n r 13 w; \$1,200.

Beaverdam.

At a meeting of the Beaverdam Creamery Co. they reorganized for twenty-nine years, and a new manager was appointed. F. De Vries having accepted the management of the Creamery Company.

Our pastor accompanied his son to Hillsdale where he spoke at the oratorical contest. Rev. Van Zanthen expects to leave for Chicago the latter part of the week.

Rumors have it that unless a protest is made a canal will be dug where the present swamp ditch is. The purpose of this will be to furnish an outlet for Grand river. This may be the natural flow of water but it will take the richest farming country in the state.

Itch! Itch! Itch! Scratch! Scratch! The more you scratch the worse the itch. Try Doan's Ointment. It cures piles, eczema, any skin itching. All druggists sell it.

Hamilton.

On her twenty-third birthday, Miss Mayme Antoinette Zeeryp, a daughter of James Zeeryp, 80 Peck street, Muskegon, was Thursday night wedded to Rev. Henry Tellman, pastor of the Reformed church at Hamilton, Mich. The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock by Rev. Benjamin Hoffman, pastor of the Fifth Reformed church of Grand Rapids.

The bride was dressed in blue messaline over blue silk and she carried a shower bouquet of white hyacinths. When the ceremony was performed the bridal party stood in an alcove formed of palms, ferns and potted plants. The couple was unattended. The wedding march was played by Miss Stella Kampenga. Smilax and pink and white carnations furnished the decorations.

A congratulatory hour and reception followed the marriage, after which a wedding supper was served. About sixty guests were present at the tables. Later in the evening a musical program was presented. Joseph Mulder and Willard Vander Laan each sung several solos and also joined in duets, James Zeeryp, a brother of the bride, contributed a violin solo.

Those present from out of town were Rev. and Mrs. Benjamin Hoffman of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. John Klomper, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Tellman and their sons George, Edward and Harry, of Overisel; Miss Nellie Zeeryp, Corniel Zeeryp, Peter Zeeryp, John Koiker and Herman Holleboom of Holland, and W. Dickens of Grand Rapids.

The bridegroom is pastor of the Reformed church at Hamilton, a position he has held for about a year. He was born in Overisel, where he spent most of his early life. He attended Hope college and was graduated from the preparatory department, from the college proper, and from the seminary, each time with the highest honors. After leaving the seminary he taught in the public schools of Overisel for a short time, then received his present pastorate.

Douglas.

The caucus to place in nomination candidates for village offices was held last Wednesday evening. Jos. Devine was made chairman and Dr. Cousins clerk with Wm. Kerr and Alex Campbell as tellers. There were 31 voters present. The candidates are as follows: For President, Frank Wade; for Trustees for 2 years, A. Culver Chambers, Jarvis H. Kibby and Alexander Campbell; for Clerk, Ward Reid; Treasurer, Frank Kerr; Assessor, James S. Brown.

Capt. Rogers has just received \$300 as his share of the estate of his sister, Mrs. Lyons, of Elyria, Ohio.

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A Bad Back is Always Worse During Wet or Changeable Weather.

Is your back like a barometer? Does it foretell every change of weather? Does every cold settle on your kidneys? Bring aching, throbbing pains? Does it disorder the urine? The kidneys are calling for help. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Guaranteed by Holland testimony.

Mrs. M. Van Houten, 287 West Thirteenth street, Holland, Mich., says: "I can certainly speak well of Doan's Kidney Pills. I was a sufferer from kidney trouble for a great many years. The pains through my back and loins and under my shoulder blades were nearly unbearable. I could hardly bend, stoop or lift, exert myself in any manner and when I caught cold, I could always feel it in my kidneys. I was very weak, lacked energy and my housework was only performed with great misery. As a further indication that I was a sufferer from kidney trouble, the secretions became disordered, being very irregular in action and at times weak and unnatural. I was very restless during the day and at night was unable to procure refreshing sleep. I finally procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Doesburg's Drug store and I had used them only a short time when I was cured. I gave a statement telling the above facts in 1900 and I am very glad to confirm the same now. I have appealed to Doan's Kidney Pills on several occasions, when feeling tired or run down and they have always given the most satisfactory results."

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WANTED—Young men to learn barbering, our booklet tells you how. McMillan Barber College, Grand Rapids, Mich.

FOR SALE—Square piano in good condition, cheap for cash. Inquire at 328 1st Avenue.

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FOR SALE—Farm of 153 acres in section 24, adjoining Kalamazoo river, adapted to peppermint raising, celery or onions. 70 acres of it bottoms, 80 acres of upland. Also farm of 80 acres, 30 acres of it clear, a good place for a poor family with children. Inquire of Jacob Van de Zinde, Hamilton, Mich., R. F. D. No. 2, or of Ben Brouwer of the First State Bank, Holland, Mich.

WANTED—A sticker and shaper hand, must be capable of running both, must furnish good recommendation. None but a first-class man need apply. Steady work. John F. Corl Piano Co. Grand Haven, Mich.

FOR SALE—A cheap, fine coal stove as good as new used four weeks. Inquire at Grandwest office.

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THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Eighty-five persons were buried by a landslide in Algeria.

Revolutionists at Ufa, Russia, killed Prison Inspector Kolbe.

R. G. Gill of Cleveland, O., was fined \$350 for operating a bucket shop for women.

Fred A. Busse, postmaster of Chicago, was nominated for mayor by the Republicans.

The new battleship Vermont was placed in commission at the Charleston navy yard.

Six persons were injured in a rush to escape from a burning trolley car in Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Red Star line steamer Vaderland was released from the Goodwin Sands were injured.

Manuel Mariu, a famous musician and composer of Mexico, died on a train at El Paso, Tex.

St. Petersburg police found many bombs and rifles in the quarters of the Polytechnic Institute.

Floyd K. Whittemore, formerly state treasurer of Illinois, died at Springfield, aged 62 years.

John Conly, an actor, jumped from the third story of a burning hotel at Chester, Pa., and was killed.

R. E. Binz, of Philadelphia, committed suicide in a Detroit hotel by taking carbolic acid and laudanum.

Samuel H. Leathe, an octogenarian millionaire of St. Louis, who was a friend of Kit Carson, died of old age.

A mail wagon containing a pouch of registered letters was stolen from in front of the stock exchange in Chicago.

Rev. John N. Poland, S. J., socius to the provincial of Missouri and widely known in the Catholic church, died in Cincinnati.

Ten persons, including two women, were seriously injured in a head-on street-car collision at Fort Lawton, near Seattle, Wash.

The Dutchmen who saved the lives of 15 persons on the wrecked steamer Berlin were given gold and silver medals by Queen Wilhelmina.

One man was blown to bits, several others injured and many buildings damaged by a tremendous explosion of dynamite at Homestead, N. J.

The resignation of Governor Swettenham of Jamaica has become an accomplished fact and he will leave that island so soon as his affairs can be arranged.

Twenty casks of blasting powder exploded at a grading camp in the outskirts of Kansas City, Kan., breaking window panes within a radius of 25 miles.

Sherman F. Grim, treasurer of Waynesburg, Pa., attempted suicide by taking morphine, severing the arteries in his left wrist and cutting his throat.

Frank Furlong, 21 years old, who killed his aunt, Mrs. Margaret Keeler, in New York city, in 1904, was electrocuted at the state prison in Sing Sing, N. Y.

The Tuskegee Institute and National Association of Audubon Societies have received the sum of \$232,770 each, bequeathed them by Albert Wilcox of Philadelphia, Pa.

Thomas Baldwin, who assaulted Cora Elsemann and killed the girl and her mother and two of their friends, near Bloomington, Ill., has been pronounced hopelessly insane.

Vice President Mohler, of the Union Pacific, denied the report that the Union Pacific would remove its headquarters from Omaha to Kansas City in retaliation for the two-cent fare bill passed by the Nebraska legislature.

The report of the examiners who have been investigating the books of the county officers of Hamilton county, Ohio, was made at Columbus and shows that \$528,575 in fees and interest was collected without legal warrant.

Grounded Steamer Released.

London, March 5.—Advice received from Dover state that the Red Star line steamer Vaderland, which grounded on the Goodwin sands Sunday night got off early Monday and proceeded on her voyage. The fact that the steamer resumed her voyage indicates that she sustained no serious damage as the result of the stranding.

Long Talks in London.

Those who sometimes complain of the inadequate telephone facilities of London doubtless do not realize that the metropolitan telephone area is by far the largest city telephone area in the world, covering over 640 square miles, a space in which Paris, Berlin, Vienna, St. Petersburg, New York and Chicago could all be set out with room to spare. The difficulties and the cost of building and maintaining a uniform telephone system at uniform rates in such a vast area, especially without proper facilities for constructing underground conduits for the wires—facilities which have always been refused by the authorities though denied to no other electrical undertaking—are not in the least appreciated by the average telephone user.—London Engineer.

Bill Knew Grease.

One day Bill had company to dine with him, and his wife, wishing William to appear well, quietly admonished him to be careful what he said. All went well till Bill got his potatoes well mashed, when he said:

"Dolly, pass the grease."

"Why, William," said his wife, "you should call it gravy."

"Wa-al, says Bill, 'I guess if it got on your tablecloth it would be grease.'"

HOW CAN HE LOOK PLEASANT?



YIELD TO THE PRESIDENT

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATORS HEED ROOSEVELT'S APPEAL.

Decide to Adopt No Anti-Japanese Measures at This Session of the Assembly.

Sacramento, Cal., March 12.—President Roosevelt has again appealed to the legislature of California to stop all Japanese legislation. The president has sent a telegram to Gov. Gillette urging that the legislature suspend all Japanese legislation and expressing the fear that the action of the senate Saturday in passing the two Japanese bills and a resolution may render ineffective his efforts to secure exclusion of Japanese laborers by friendly agreement with Japan.

The governor transmitted the president's telegram to the assembly Monday morning, where action was to have been taken Monday on the two bills and the resolution adopted by the senate, and a message recommending and urging that the president's request be acceded to.

The assembly by a viva voce vote decided to take no action on the bills on file.

The President's Appeal.

The message is as follows: "Action of legislature reported in this morning's papers most unfortunate in effect upon my efforts to secure exclusion of Japanese laborers by friendly agreement, and if continued will probably render recent legislation of congress for that purpose ineffective. Please secure suspension of further action until receipt of letter from me.—Theodore Roosevelt."

The action referred to by the president was the passage of the bill limiting the ages of children when first entering primary schools to ten years, the measure prepared by the Japanese-Korean Exclusion league submitting the question of Asiatic exclusion to a vote of the people, and a resolution protesting against Japanese naturalization.

The message created something of a sensation in the lower house. Grove L. Johnson arose, expressed his confidence in the governor and president, believed the matter should be left to them and moved that it be the sense of the assembly that no action be taken on the Japanese question at this session. The motion was carried.

FINE HOTEL IS BURNED.

The Ransford at Brainerd, Minn., is Destroyed by Flames.

Brainerd, Minn., March 12.—The new Ransford hotel of this city with its annex, valued at \$60,000 and containing property which was valued in the neighborhood of \$200,000, burned Monday.

The fire broke out in the afternoon and gained great headway before the fire department arrived. It spread to the annex, where five of the leading stores of the city are located. All of the city officials and many professional men had their offices on the second floor of the annex.

It is believed that no lives were lost in the fire, which was one of the most disastrous which has visited this city.

The Ransford hotel, which was built two years ago, was the finest hotel in the state outside of the Twin Cities.

BULGARIAN PREMIER IS SLAIN.

M. Petkoff is Shot Down by an Assassin at Sofia.

Sofia, Bulgaria, March 12.—M. Petkoff, the premier and minister of the interior, was assassinated here Monday. M. Petkoff, with other ministers, was walking in the Boris garden when he was attacked by an unknown man who fired at him with a revolver. The premier was wounded by three bullets and died instantly. M. Geumadiev, the minister of commerce and agriculture, who was one of the ministers accompanying M. Petkoff, was wounded in the arm.

FORMER PRESIDENT OF FRANCE IS DEAD

M. CASIMIR-PERIER PASSES AWAY AT PARIS AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS.

Family Declines Tender of National Funeral in Accordance with Wishes of the Deceased—Brief Sketch of His Life.

Paris, March 13.—M. Casimir-Perier, ex-president of France, died suddenly at 11 o'clock Monday night of embolism of the heart at his residence on the Rue Nitot here. The news of his demise was not published until Tuesday morning. The ex-president had not been well for two or three days, but it was supposed he was suffering from influenza and no great importance was attached to his indisposition. He was not even confined to his bed, but lunched and dined with his family on Sunday and was in good spirits. At about five o'clock Monday evening an abrupt prostration occurred, the ex-president was taken to bed, Dr. Landouzy was called in and the patient was given morphine injections, whereupon he slept and did not awaken until ten o'clock, when he was terribly weak. Another severe attack of prostration followed, from which M. Casimir-Perier did not recover. He passed away in the presence of his whole family with the exception of his sister, the Countess De Segur, who arrived shortly afterward.

In the course of the morning President Fallieres, Premier Clemenceau and virtually all the members of the aristocracy in Paris, the diplomatic corps, the senators, deputies, and the leading officials sent their condolences or signed the register at the late residence of the ex-president. The cabinet met at noon and decided on a national funeral for the late president, but the family regrettably declined the honor, in accordance with the wish M. Casimir-Perier expressed some time ago.

The presidents of the senate and chamber of deputies decided to move the adjournment of the sittings of the two bodies as a sign of mourning.

Sketch of His Career.

Jean Paul Pierre Casimir-Perier was born in Paris, November 8, 1847. His father served as minister of the interior in the administration of President Thiers and his grandfather was premier of France under Louis Philippe. He received the decoration of the Legion of Honor for his conduct in the Franco-Prussian war. After the war he entered the public service. He was elected to the chamber of deputies in 1874, and served for three years as under secretary in the departments of public instructions and war. In 1890 he was elected vice president of the chamber of deputies and in 1893 he became president of that body, resigning December 3 to take up the duties of prime minister under President Carnot. He resigned as prime minister May 22, 1894, and on June 27 was elected on the first ballot to succeed M. Carnot as president of the republic. He resigned from the presidency January 15, 1895. The ex-president appeared as a witness in the Zola trial, but by the rulings of the court all his testimony that was of any importance was thrown out.

Cannot Attend Exercises.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 13.—The trustees of the Carnegie Institute have received word from President Theodore Roosevelt that he will not be able to attend the Founders' day exercises on April 11. The president says that special engagements will prevent him from attending. Word has been received from Professor De Martens, a special peace advocate of the czar of Russia, that he will find it impossible to come to Pittsburg.

Huge Icele Kills.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., March 13.—A huge icicle dropped from the cliffs of the Niagara gorge onto a trolley car of the Gorge road Tuesday afternoon as it was passing the whirlpool rapids. The motorman was killed. Dr. and Mrs. B. M. Nerry of Sioux City, Ia., and Miss Nerry were struck on the back and badly bruised and S. C. Dindsey and wife of Pittsburg were injured, the former having his hand smashed.

Fatal Head-on Collision.

Williamstown, Mass., March 13.—One man was killed and three were injured Tuesday in a head-on collision between a freight train and a train of express cars on the Fitchburg division of the Boston & Maine railroad in this town. The accident occurred at the entrance to the local railroad yards.

Roosevelt Refuses to Pardon Burton.

Washington, March 13.—President Roosevelt states that, far from granting a pardon to former Senator Burton of Kansas, he would lengthen his imprisonment if he could. Burton is serving a six months' sentence in Missouri for accepting fees from a "get-rich-quick" company.

Woodmen in Big Convention.

Leavenworth, Kan., March 13.—Five hundred Woodmen of the World from North and South Dakota, Nebraska and Kansas met here Tuesday. J. C. Root of Omaha, sovereign commander, and Frederick Connenschen, West Point, Neb., chairman of the managers, are present.

PUBLIC STANDS BY

LOUISVILLE STRIKE

REFUSES TO PATRONIZE THE FEW STREET CARS THAT ARE RUN.

Dozen Persons Injured—Crowds Drive Off Non-Union Crews—Operation of the Suburban Lines is Given Up.

Louisville, Ky., March 12.—Violence resulting in injuries more or less severe to nearly a dozen persons; the feeble and spasmodic operation of less than 100 cars for a few hours under inadequate and lukewarm police protection, and the development of an apparently general pro-union feeling on the part of the general public marked the second day of the strike of the union employees of the Louisville Railway company.

Few if any of the cars operated Monday were patronized and a number were stoned. As a general thing, however, the crowds that thronged the streets near the car barns won their point of driving the crews off and ordering the men away.

Strike-Breakers Are Imported.

Superintendent Funk of the street railway company denied that any professional strike-breakers had been sent for and stated that all extra men hired so far were residents of Louisville and vicinity. He said that 225 men reported for work Monday. Nevertheless it was learned that about 100 men to take the place of the strikers have arrived in the city from towns in Kentucky and Indiana, and also a number from Cincinnati.

Monday was distinctly the strikers' day, as the difficulties of the street railway company increased after the first hour the service was attempted. At one o'clock in the afternoon attempts to maintain service within the city limits were abandoned and three hours later the suburban lines were also given up, but the interurban service over into Indiana was not interfered with.

Suburbanites Kept in Town.

In addition to the great inconvenience to people living in the broad-spread city, about 3,000 suburbanites spent the night in Louisville, owing to the abandonment of service on their lines. Clashes between the strikers and their sympathizers and the police and strike-breakers were numerous during the day and several people were injured.

RAIL CHIEFS TO SEE PRESIDENT.

J. P. Morgan Arranges for Conference With Chief Executive.

Washington, March 12.—J. Pierpont Morgan conferred with President Roosevelt for an hour and half Monday evening on the railroad problems of the country. The result of the conference was that President Roosevelt agreed to the suggestion made by Mr. Morgan that he meet to discuss general railroad affairs as affected by the railway rate law with President McCrear of the Pennsylvania system, President Newman of the New York Central, President Mellen of the New York, New Haven and Hartford, President Houghton of the Chicago and North-Western, and probably President Harriman of the "Harriman lines."

Old Law Suit is Ended.

Washington, March 12.—The 20-year-old controversy between the Northern Pacific Railroad company and Jacob and Margaret Slaght, over the possession of lands in the town of Palouse, Wash., on which are located the company's warehouses, water tanks, etc., was decided by the supreme court of the United States Monday favorably to the Slaghts.

FORMER LIFE SAVING CREW AT HOLLAND.



The above picture of the life saving crew at Holland was taken at the time the Argo went ashore. Seated in the center of the first row is Capt. Pool. At his right is William Waldering and at his left Oscar Johnson. The back row reading from left to right of the picture are Harry Vanden Berg, Robert Vos, Francis Cady, Robert Smith and John Roberts. All but Smith and Vanden Berg have been discharged owing to the investigation of the unfortunate affair when three men were drowned on the breakwater at the mouth of Holland harbor last November. Smith is retained at Holland and Vanden Berg is transferred to Grand Haven.

Wisconsin As A Model.

Michigan is now being urged to look to Wisconsin as a model of conservatism in the direction of railroad legislation. Through several past years Wisconsin has been held up as a pattern for its neighboring states in the way of making good for its own people at the expense of the railroads and other corporations. Senator La Follette, indeed, is supposed to be an unusual statesman because he has a reputation for working overtime doing things to corporations. But now Wisconsin poses as a model in another direction. Ohio, Indiana and Illinois are possessors of two-cent per mile railroad fare laws, or soon will be, while Wisconsin is persuaded that anything less than two-and-a-half cents is radical and wrong. And so, based on the standard which that state itself insisted upon creating, Wisconsin has lost its place as a foremost friend of the people, and La Follette has become a cousin of the corporations. In the meantime Michigan will determine for itself as to what should be done in the matter of railroad fares, as it has sought to solve, and has successfully solved other important state problems.

Charter Revision Bill Passes.

A Bill making a certain amendment to the Holland City charter passed the Senate and House of Representatives last Thursday afternoon and in a day or two will receive the signature of the Governor and become a Law. The committee appointed by the Common Council consisting of Mayor Jacob Van Putten, Postmaster G. Van Schelven, City Clerk Wm. O. Van Eyck, City Attorney Charles H. McBride and Aldermen Stephan and Van Oort appeared before the committee on City Corporations of the House and Senate and their showing before the committee resulted in prompt action, the committee reporting the bill out forthwith.

When the matter of amending the charter was first brought up and called to the attention of the people of the city of Holland so many changes were suggested and so many amendments were proposed that were of an unpopular nature that there was considerable opposition and there was a demand on the part of some of the people that a Referendum be attached to the bill giving the people an opportunity to vote upon the question as to whether or not they desired the amendments. Among the changes first proposed was that of increasing the number of Supervisors in the city, of changing the time of paying the taxes, of changing the Justices and having a Police Judge instead of four Justices of the Peace, and of having the non-partisan idea prevail in Municipal elections. People were not willing to have these ideas incorporated into the law of Holland and hence demanded a referendum but it was found after the committee on Charter Revision had finished their work that none of these ideas appeared in the bill.

The bill as introduced in the Legislature called for a few minor changes. For instance, it provided for an improvement upon the plan of street sprinkling. It gave the people a chance to vote whether or not they should accept certain franchises passed by the Council and it provided for the abolition of the office of city marshal and for the creation of a board of Police and Fire Commissioners to have charge of those departments of the city government.

In order to ascertain whether or not the people of Holland wished to have a referendum attached to the bill, copies of it were printed and sent to Holland for distribution. The proposed amendments were also explained in the newspapers of the city and a delay of ten days was taken in order to give adequate time for consideration. Not one protest was filed against the bill. If it was as originally intended there certainly would have been requests for the referendum and protests against its passage but in the form in which it was introduced not a word was uttered against it and not a petition was sent to Lansing.

Therefore the committee from Holland met with immediate success in the effort to have a committee of the House and Senate report the bill and it was passed without any debate on the floor of the House. There seems to be universal satisfaction with the amendments in the city of Holland, as since the passage of the bill no words of complaint have been heard and on the other hand many words of praise for the work of the charter revision committee have been spoken. They have put many hours of arduous labor upon these amendments and are naturally elated over the outcome of their work.

Common Council.

The meeting of the council last evening was rather an exciting affair. One of the features was the voting on the saloon ordinance introduced by Alderman Stephan some time ago. This ordinance called for a re-districting of the saloon limits, limiting them as follows:

From Land street to College Avenue, on the south side of Eighth street, College Avenue to Central on the north side of the street, Central to River on both sides of the street, and on River street north from Eighth street to Sixth street on the West side of the street.

It also called for a raise in license fees from \$300 to \$500.

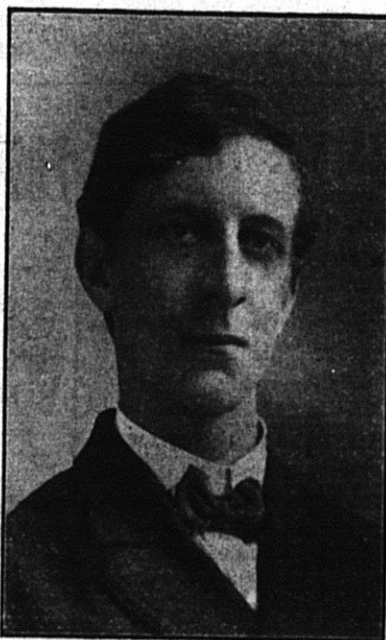
It provided for a raise in the bonds from \$2,000 to \$3,000, and it called for a revoking clause, namely, that provided a saloon man did not live up to the laws governing his place, his license could be taken away and consequently put him out of business. The ordinance, after several heated discussions, was tabled by a vote of 6 to 4.

The Aldermen who voted to table the ordinance were Nies, Van

Tongeren, Van Zanten, Van Oort, Hansen and Dyke. The Aldermen who voted for its passage were Stephan, Prakken, Vissers and Kerkhof. Alderman Kerkhof asked that the vote of each Alderman on this question go on record.

No action was taken on the electric light extension proposition, but it was deemed advisable to investigate the Muskegon power dam proposition first in order to see what they have to offer. There is certainly one proposition that is confronting Holland at the present time and that is its lighting system. If we cannot furnish more lighting than is being given us to day we had better get out of business and let some one else furnish it. The upshot of the whole matter is that the city has outgrown its plant.

Alderman Nies brought in his report on the opening of the alley back of the south Eighth street property between River street and Central Avenue. This matter has been up several times, and has again been laid upon the table indefinitely.



G. W. Kooyers

Logical candidate on the Republican ticket for City Clerk.

Christian Endeavor Convention.

The Fourth District Michigan Christian Endeavor Union, which includes Kent, Ottawa and Montcalm counties, are to hold a two days convention at the Park Congregational church, at Grand Rapids, Friday and Saturday, April 5 and 6. Every Endeavor society which is in one of the above counties is a member of this Union because of its geographical location in one of these counties.

A fine program is being prepared and promises to be of the greatest inspiration to all who attend. Three of the state officers namely Rev. R. H. M. Augustine of Sandusky, State President, Miss Caroline Parsons of Kalamazoo, state junior supt., and Miss Jennella A. Manley of Grand Rapids, state Missionary supt., are to be present and no society can afford to miss opportunity of advancing its work, by failing to secure the inspiration and the instruction which this convention promises.

It has been impossible for the committee to secure the names of all the societies, and any society which has not already communicated with the District Secretary, Mrs. Roy H. Holmes, Sparta, Mich., is requested to write her at once and full particulars will be mailed. It will be greatly appreciated by the committee. If anyone knowing that this society has not communicated with the District Secretary, will send the president's name to the above address.

Notice

Notice is hereby given to the members of the Farmers Mutual Insurance Company of Ottawa and Allegan Counties that a special meeting of said Company will be held on Wednesday, the 24th day of April, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M. in the Village Hall of the village of Zeeland for the purpose of amending its charter and for the reorganization of the Company.

Dated March 9, A. D. 1907.
Kasper Lahuis, President.
Henry Bosch, Secretary.
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Uncanny Charm.

Lady Violet Greville has a story of a woman who had a little Japanese charm given her. Every time she wore it some mischance happened, and she generally fell ill. Her son at last took the jewel to the keeper of the Japanese curios in the Paris museum and requested to be informed what the charm represented. "This," said the expert at once, "is the emblem of sickness." The woman never wore it again.

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Paving Proposition Meeting.

At a conference of the committee on streets and the property owners on east Eighth street, held Friday evening in the office of H. P. Zwemer, the proposition of paving Eighth street between the Pere Marquette main line tracks and the Allegan branch was defeated by a vote of 13 to 1.

The council committee than laid before the property owners the proposition of the city contributing towards the expense of paving the amount it would require to gravel the street, which it is estimated would be about \$1,200.

The plan was quite generally approved and it was decided that the property owners should be present at the regular meeting of the council at which time a definite proposition could be agreed upon.

The expense of paving the street for a width of 30 feet is estimated at \$5000, and the property owners feel that they are not able to carry the burden. The Pere Marquette would have to pay the largest share of the expense to individual property owners, that company having a frontage of 750 feet. H. P. Zwemer has 300 feet and the Beach Milling company is next with 275 feet.

The council committee argued in favor of paving, stating that the city could not afford to pay \$1,200 to gravel the street, an improvement that would be only temporary, and the street would continue to be a heavy expense by reason of the frequent repairs necessary on account of the heavy traffic.

It was acknowledged by the committee that the street should be improved, and that to make it serviceable without pavement it would be necessary to scrape the clay off and build a new bed of gravel.

Machine to Shuffle Cards.

A machine which automatically shuffles a pack of cards in an instant with the cards concealed from sight and which changes the position of nine out of every ten cards is the latest mechanical device for card players. It not only protects the cards from injury but gives an absolutely square deal shuffle. The machine weighs four pounds and attaches in a moment to any table. It is about 12 inches high.—Popular Mechanics.

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Poem Born of Imagination.

As to the poem, "How They Brought the News From Ghent to Aix," Browning said that there was not the slightest historical foundation for it. It was written while he was making a Mediterranean voyage, and the longing to escape from shipboard and take a gallop on horseback inspired him with the idea. The distance from Ghent to Aix is too great to be made in the time described by any horse but an iron one.

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Charge Against Surgeons.

There has arisen a class of surgeons, mostly young, often inexperienced in other safer methods, and above all callous, who have no hesitation in embittering the last moments of their patients by submitting them to what are practically hopeless operations, often under the specious plea of giving them a chance.—Dr. Rigby in Independent Review.

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Through Two Capitals.

Ned Hasty recently visited Washington with a party of "personally conducted" tourists, and here is the letter his father received from him: "Dear Father:—I've been all through part of the national capital and all of my own; please send me \$15."

Heat as Healing Power.

Observing in the tropics how the intense heat of the sun accelerated the healing of wounds and burns, a French physician, Dr. Asbeck, used the heat of ordinary fire in 500 cases of burns and wounds, after putting on the usual dressing, and with uniform success.

Lake of Washing Material.

Near Ashcroft, in British Columbia, are a number of small lakes, whose shores and bottoms are covered with a crust containing borax and soda in such quantities and proportions that when cut out it serves as a washing compound. The crust is cut into blocks and handled in the same manner as ice, and it is estimated that one of the lakes contains 20,000 tons of this material.

So Does a Bear.

The ballet dancer knows how to put her best foot forward.—Atlanta Journal.

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TOULON DOCK.**

**VICTIMS MAY NUMBER
300; SCORES INJURED**

**Over 600 Officers and Men on Board
Vessel When Awful Disaster Occurs
Without Warning — Many
Drowned by Jumping Into Water.**

Toulon, France, March 12.—A powder magazine on board the French battleship Iena blew up Tuesday while the vessel was in the Misses dock, owing to the explosion of a compressed air torpedo. It is reported that the casualties number from 200 to 300.

Semi-official figures state that it is certain that over 50 of the Iena's crew were killed, 100 were seriously injured and 200 were slightly wounded. The officials say that these returns are probably under the mark. Rear Admiral Manceron is among the wounded, and included in the killed is Ensign Rousse.

No news has been received of the captain or the first lieutenant of the battleship, and it is believed that they are among the victims. The after-part of the vessel is completely destroyed.

There were about 630 officers and men on board the Iena at the time of the disaster, but many of them jumped into the water.

The injured men and officers were immediately transported to the hospitals.

Explosion Follows Explosion.

The officials declare that the magazines of the Iena were completely filled with explosives and that the recurrent detonations indicated that they were all on fire. Squads of workmen and sailors approached the scene of the disaster at the peril of their lives, and as they neared the Iena's dock they could dimly observe through the dense smoke human remains flying constantly in the air, following further explosions on the doomed vessel, which presented a terrifying spectacle and caused the arsenal employees to wring their hands with horror.

Suddenly blackened forms, with haggard eyes rushed madly through the lines of spectators, not knowing where they were feeling.

Wounded Number 300.

The number of injured is now known to be about 300, including many officers, who were seriously burned. It is impossible to estimate the number of deaths. Many of the crew of the Iena saved their lives by climbing down ladders and reaching the quays, whence they fled to places of safety or to the telegraph offices in Toulon in order to notify their relatives of their safety.

The population of Toulon was terribly excited. Many of the crew belonged to this place. Entrance to the arsenal is forbidden to all but men in uniform.

A signal man of the Iena, named Giudicelli, who escaped, says that a large number of the crew of the battleship were gathered in the forepart of the ship, listening to a lecture by an officer when the first explosion occurred. Most of these were able to escape.

Vessel Undergoing Inspection.

The Iena was undergoing an inspection of her machinery in the first basin of the Misses dock when the explosion occurred. The concussion caused by the explosion of a compressed air torpedo set fire to the after powder magazine, blowing the whole afterpart of the vessel up.

The Iena (or Jena) was a turret-ship of 11,861 tons displacement and 16,500 horsepower. She was built at Brest and was completed in 1901. The vessel had an armored belt from 6 to 13 inches of steel, mounted four 12-inch guns, eight 4-inch guns, eight 3.9-inch, 16 1.8 inch and about 20 smaller rapid-fire guns. Her speed was estimated at over 18 knots and her crew consisted of 631 officers and men. The Iena was the flagship of Rear Admiral Manceron, commanding one of the divisions of the French Mediterranean squadron. Capt. F. B. U. Vertier was the chief of staff and her commander was Capt. Adlgard.

Official Goes to Toulon.

Paris, March 13.—When Minister of Marine Thomson heard of the disaster he immediately started for Toulon in order to personally inquire into the cause of the disaster to the Iena and supervise the care of the wounded. It was stated that the warship had been flooded to prevent further explosions. The advice of the marine ministry also say that many vessels near the Iena have been damaged. The prefect of maritime, from whom the message came, added he did not know the number of officers or men killed, the fusing of the telegraph wires preventing him from getting reports from the scene of the disaster.

British Break Navy Record.

Hongkong, March 13.—The British China squadron has achieved a world's record in light quick-firing practice. The cruiser King Alfred made 20 hits in 38 rounds from three-pounders and 100 hits in 143 rounds from 12-pounders.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made and executed by Mary R. Smith, dated the 10th day of July, A. D. 1906, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for the County of Ottawa and State of Michigan on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1906, in Liber 83 of Mortgages, on page six, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY-THREE DOLLARS AND TWENTY-FOUR CENTS, and an attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof:

Now therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of May, A. D. 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder at the North front door of the Court House in the City of Grand Haven (That being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa is held.) the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with seven per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with an attorney fee of twenty-five dollars, covenanted for therein, the premises being described in said mortgage as all that part of lots numbered five and six in block sixty-two, which are bounded on the North and South sides by the North and South lines of said lots: bounded on the East side by a line running parallel with Land street and two hundred and twenty-five feet West from the West margin line of said Land Street: bounded on the West side by a line running parallel with said Land Street and two hundred and sixty-eight feet West from the West margin line of said Land Street, all according to the recorded map of the said City of Holland.

Dated this 6th day of February, A. D. 1907.
FRED HEITJE, Mortgagee.
SOOY & HECK, Attorneys for Mortgagee.
Business address, Holland City, Michigan.
6-13w

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 12th day of March, A. D. 1907.

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

In the matter of the estate of

Jacob Van Putten, Deceased.

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

It is Ordered, That the

8th day of April, A. D. 1907,

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

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY,

(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.

Harley J. Phillips, Register of Probate.

10-3w

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. 1907.

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

In the matter of the Estate of

Cornelis Braamse, Deceased.

Elizabeth Braamse having filed in said court her petition, praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court, be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to herself or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the

8th day of April, A. D. 1907,

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

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY,

(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.

Harley J. Phillips, Register of Probate.

10-3w

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 19th day of February, A. D. 1907.

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

In the matter of the estate of

Maria G. Vander Haar, Deceased.

Dick Vander Haar having filed in said court his petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court, be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to Arend Visscher or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the

18th day of March, A. D. 1907,

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

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY,

(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.

HARLEY J. PHILLIPS, Register of Probate.

18-w

WANTED—Housekeeper, Inquire Reindert Kelyn, Port Sheldon Mich., R. R. No. 1, West Olive.

One man alone on a farm.

WANTED—Representative to represent the Fruit Belt and Wolverine Poultryman in this district.

Must be alive, honest and furnish reference and bonds. We have no time to answer correspondence from any but reliable men, but can offer such a good position. Write at once to The Fruit Belt Publishing Co., Grand Rapids, Mich. Herald Bldg.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Charles M. Westover, Chauncey E. Westover and Gussie S. Westover, his wife, to Charles Hass, dated the 18th day of February, A. D. 1901, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, on the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1905, in Liber 75 of Mortgages, on page 367, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of One Hundred and Seventy Dollars and forty-two Cents, and an Attorney's fee of Twenty-five Dollars, provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof:

NOW, THEREFORE, By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 27th day of April, A. D. 1907, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder, at the north front door of the Court House in Grand Haven, Michigan (that being the place where the Circuit Court for said County of Ottawa is held.) the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with seven per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with an attorney's fee of Twenty-five Dollars, as provided by law and as covenanted for therein, the premises being described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit:

The North half of the Southeast quarter and also the North half of the Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section twenty three (23), all in Town eight (8) North Range fifteen (15), west, being in Township of Crocker, Ottawa County, Michigan.

CHARLES HASS, Mortgagee.

WALTER I. LILLIE, Attorney for Mortgagee.

Grand Haven, Michigan

Dated January 29th, 1907. 4-13w

ORDER OF APPEARANCE

STATE OF MICHIGAN

20th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—In Chancery.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, in Chancery, on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1907.

Wilber Clotterhouse and Janey Clotterhouse

Complainants.

vs.

Edward P. Perry, Jeannette H. Perry, Mary M. F. Allen, Kate H. Hancock, Amanda Harwood Hall, Hannah Elizabeth Jones, Mary Amanda Fairchild, Elizabeth Eastman, Edward F. Eastman, Thomas White Eastman, Hannah Elizabeth Wulzen, Hettie Eastman, Mary White Eastman and George Mason Eastman.

Defendants.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file that the defendants are not residents of the State of Michigan, but that Edward P. Perry, Jeannette H. Perry, Mary M. F. Allen and Kate H. Hancock reside in the State of Utah; that Hannah Elizabeth Jones, Mary Amanda Fairchild, Edward F. Eastman, Thomas White Eastman, Hannah Elizabeth Wulzen, Hettie Eastman, Mary White Eastman and George Mason Eastman reside in the State of California; and that Amanda Harwood Hall and Elizabeth Eastman reside in the State of Massachusetts, on motion of Walter I. Lillie, Solicitor for Complainants, it is ORDERED, that said Defendants cause their appearance to be entered in said cause within four months from the date of this order, and that within, twenty days from such date Complainants cause this order to be published in the Holland City News, such publication to continue once in each week for six successive weeks.

PHILIP PADGHAM

Circuit Judge

WALTER I. LILLIE

Solicitor for Complainants.

Grand Haven, Michigan.

4-6w

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

In the matter of the estate of Dirk Van de Meulen, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 13th day of February, A. D. 1907, 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 13th day of June, A. D. 1907 and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 13th day of June, A. D. 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated February 13, A. D. 1907.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,

Judge of Probate.

7-3w

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

In the matter of the estate of Nies Nies, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 25th day of February, A. D. 1907, 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 25th day of June, A. D. 1907, and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated February 25th, A. D. 1907.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,

Judge of Probate.

8-3w

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 4th day of March, A. D. 1907.

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

In the matter of the estate of Anna, Gerrit, Jennie, Otto, Cora, Martha, Irene and Alberta Van Dyk, Minors.

Otto O. Van Dyk having filed in said court his 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. 1907,

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.

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CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa—In Chancery. The Kent County Savings Bank of Grand Rapids, Michigan, a Corporation, Complainant,

vs.

Walsh-DeRoo Milling & Cereal Company, formerly named Walsh-DeRoo Milling Company, a corporation; Frank E. Locke, Trustee; Cornelius J. DeRoo; Germ W. Mokma; First State Bank of Holland, Michigan, a corporation, as Trustee; Gerrit J. Diekema and Cornelius J. DeRoo, as executors of the last will and testament of Isaac Cappon, deceased; Jennie I. Walsh, executrix of the last will and testament of Heber Walsh, deceased; Sunlight Milling & Cereal Company of Holland, Michigan, a corporation, Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, in Chancery, dated and entered the 24th day of January, A. D. 1907, in the above entitled cause, I shall on Saturday, the 26th day of April, A. D. 1907, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the north front door of the court house of said County of Ottawa, in the City of Grand Haven, in said County of Ottawa, in the State of Michigan, sell at public auction to the highest bidder all the lands, premises and property situated in the City of Holland, County of Ottawa, and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots numbered two (2), three (3), four (4) and five (5) in block numbered twenty (20) and lot numbered seven (7) in block numbered fifteen (15), according to the plat of the village (now city) of Holland of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan, together with the mill, storehouse, warehouse, engine house, elevator, bridge, and all other buildings and their foundations, and all fixed and movable machinery, millwright work, shafting, hangers, gearing, belting, pulleys, rope drives, steam shovel, car puller, fire apparatus, electric light plant and lighting and heating fixtures and pipes, and all machinery of every name and nature used in and about said buildings and used in connection with said milling plant, and the entire equipment and outfit of said milling plant, whether fixed or movable, and loose machinery and tools, including the lands and all buildings, structures and improvements and property and things above mentioned and of like description upon said land at the time of said sale and which were on said land at the date of the mortgage, January 12, 1901, or added to or placed thereon after the making of said mortgage, all to be sold together as a unit.

The said sale and all rights acquired thereunder will be subject to the right to redeem the property sold from such sale within six months from the time of sale under the statute of Michigan, being Act 200, Public Acts of 1899 approved May 10, 1899.

Dated Holland, Mich., March 2, A. D. 1907.

ARTHUR VAN DUREN,

Circuit Court Commissioner in and for Ottawa County, Michigan.

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Grand Rapids, Mich.,

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9-7w

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Spray or Surrender.

The San Jose scale has made its appearance in nearly all of the counties in Western Michigan and in some townships nearly every tree is infested. This insect attacks all kinds of fruit trees and many of the ornamental trees and shrubs and, unless measures are promptly taken to destroy it, thousands of trees will be killed during the coming summer.

An effectual remedy has been found in sulphur and lime (15 pounds of sulphur, 25 pounds of lime and 10 gallons of water, boiled for one hour and then diluted to 50 gallons). This will not only hold the scale in check if used during the month of April, but it will greatly lessen the injury from fungous diseases so that there will be no occasion for spraying the trees with Bordeaux mixture or other fungicides until after the trees have blossomed.

Owing to the minuteness of the San Jose scale, a person who is not familiar with its appearance often fails to detect its presence until the trees have been killed, and although the preparation of the spraying mixture is very simple many fail to secure good results whether because they have not prepared it properly or because its application was not sufficiently thorough to cover every part of the trees.

In order that the fruit growers may learn how to recognize the scale and the proper way to prepare and apply the sulphur and lime mixture, arrangements are being made for a series of demonstration meetings to be held during the months of March and April, in townships where the scale has appeared. There will be no expense except that it is expected that spraying materials and apparatus for preparing and applying the mixture will be furnished. Requests for such meetings signed by three fruit growers, at least one of whom, in townships where they have been appointed, should be a township inspector or yellow commission, should be sent to L. R. Taft, State Inspector of Orchards and Nurseries, Agricultural College, Mich.

The Ideal in All.

God hides some ideal in every human soul, and life finds its noblest spring of excellence in this hidden impulse to do our best.—Robert Collier.

Spring house cleaning time is here and you will notice in the add of Bert Slagh, the Wall Paper man, that he has something in store for the wants of the people in this line. You will do well to examine his stock as he carries the best and cheapest line ever shown in Holland.—See Bert for Wall Paper.

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To continue young in health and strength, do as Mrs. V. F. Rowan, McDonough, Ga., did. She says: "Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured me of chronic liver and stomach trouble, complicated with such an unhealthy condition of the blood that my skin turned red as flannel. I am now practically 20 years younger than before I took Electric Bitters. I can now do all my work with ease and assist in my husband's store." Guaranteed at the Walsh Drug Co. Price 50c.

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J. A. Harmon, of Lizemore, West Va., says: "At last I have found the perfect pill that never disappoints me; and for the benefit of others afflicted with torpid liver and chronic constipation, will say: take Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed satisfactory. 25c at the Walsh Drug Co."

Woman loves a clear, rosy complexion. Burdock Blood Bitters purifies the blood, clears the complexion and restores sound health.

To feel strong, have good appetite and digestion, sleep soundly and enjoy life, use Burdock Blood Bitters, the great system tonic and builder.

Mary—Dark circles under the eyes indicate a sluggish circulation, torpid liver and kidneys. Exercise and Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and beautiful. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.—Haas Bros.

There's nothing so good for a sore throat as Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil. Cures it in a few hours. Relieves any pain in any part.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

CAREER OF DOWIE ENDS AT ZION CITY

FOUNDER OF CHRISTIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH PASSES AWAY LIKE KING IN EXILE.

Great Funeral Planned for Deposed Leader of the Famous Religious Colony—Sketch of Remarkable Career of the "Prophet."

Chicago, March 11.—John Alexander Dowie, the venerable founder of the Christian Catholic church is dead. Penniless, and like a king in exile shorn of all his temporal power, the white-haired prophet went to his last rest at 7:40 o'clock Saturday morning. At the bedside when he passed away were two personal attendants—his former coachman, Freeman Hachnel, and his negro body servant, John Hershfield.

The death of the deposed leader of the north shore religious colony caused a great sensation throughout Zion City. His end was not entirely unexpected. Bright's disease is the supposed cause of death.

Gladstone Dowie and Mrs. Dowie, who for six months have been forbidden entrance to Shiloh House, were at their lodge, Ben McDhul, near Whitehall, Mich., and were immediately notified. They left at once for Zion City.

Union Funeral Services.

The few faithful followers of Dowie forced the Voliva faction to arrange for funeral services in which both factions should take part. The services in Shiloh house will be Thursday afternoon and will be conducted by Deacon O. L. Speicher. The interment will be in Lake Mound cemetery Thursday afternoon. Public memorial services will be held in the tabernacle later in the day, V. V. Barnes officiating.

Arrayed in his richly embroidered apostolic robes and lying in a massive white casket, Dowie will rest in state at Shiloh house from Tuesday noon until Thursday, the public being admitted from one to three o'clock Tuesday, from ten to 12 and from two to four on Wednesday, and from ten to 12 on Thursday morning.

According to one of the men who had been faithful to Dowie to the end, a huge tomb commanding Lake Michigan will be erected as an eternal monument to his memory.

Story of His Life.

Born of Scotch parentage in 1847, John Alexander Dowie as boy was a member of the Presbyterian church. Little is known of his early life. He went to Australia in 1878, when he was 31 years old, and there began his career as "divine healer" and evangelist that in little over a quarter of a century made him the head of the Zion church, with a following of over 50,000 in every country of the world and the virtual master of property valued at \$21,000,000. Had he been able to carry out his Mexican plantation scheme, the largest of his later year plans, he would have increased his property to nearly double its value at the time of his death.

In 1888 he left Australia and, with wife and children, landed in San Francisco, where he lived two years before coming to Chicago.

Real Career Begins in Chicago.

His real career dates from the day he reached Chicago. When he reached this city he was penniless and a hotel in Madison street where he stopped with his family during the first month he was here was compelled to attach his baggage in order to secure the payment of a bill of \$27.

At first his evangelistic efforts in Chicago were of a limited kind. He passed two years laying the foundations of his work and it was not until the fall of 1892 that he was noticed in the newspapers.

Founding of Zion City.

His first great business venture was the purchase of the old tabernacle building at Fourteenth street and Michigan avenue. After he had occupied this building for several years, filling it nearly every Sunday, he developed his plans for the founding of Zion City. The north shore theocracy is laid out on a tract of land consisting of 6,500 acres, having a frontage of two miles on Lake Michigan and a depth of six miles, being crossed by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad.

In 1900 Dowie took a trip to Palestine, where he passed several months going over the Holy Land. A few years later he made a special trip to New York city, taking with him 3,000 of his followers. This trip was his first failure. The press of the city bitterly attacked him, showing up his past life, his career in Australia and other places, and he was finally virtually driven from the city because of the hostile reception. The cost of the pilgrimage was enormous and was a severe drain upon his finances, and when he returned to Zion City he was broken in health and spirit.

Health Fails, Revolt Comes.

It was shortly after this that his health began to fail him and he made several trips to the Bermuda islands and Mexico for the purpose of recuperating. All his efforts failed, however.

It was while he was on one of these trips to Jamaica and old Mexico that he appointed Wilbur Glenn Voliva as overseer, giving him a general power of attorney, and through this appointment brought on the revolt against him and his excommunication from the church.

TWO JOIN IN EDDY SUIT

SECOND COUSIN AND ADOPTED SON ARE NEW PLAINTIFFS.

Both Declare They Believe Christian Science Leader Incapable of Managing Her Affairs.

Concord, N. H., March 12.—Fred W. Baker, of Epsom, N. H., a second cousin of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, and Dr. E. J. Foster-Eddy, of Waterbury, Vt., Mrs. Eddy's adopted son, have become additional parties plaintiff, as "next friends" of Mrs. Eddy, to the bill in equity brought to secure an accounting of her property against leaders of the Christian Science church.

Dr. Foster-Eddy says in his petition that he has "become convinced that Mrs. Eddy is, and for a long time has been incapable of intelligently conducting or receiving an account of her business and property, and that the same is being managed wholly by the defendants without giving a proper accounting thereof."

Fred W. Baker, in his petition, says that he is a second cousin of Mrs. Eddy, and that in September, 1896, he was sent by his employers to examine and repair and alter certain carriages of Mrs. Eddy. He made known to Mrs. Eddy his relationship to her, and she treated him with cordiality, inviting him to remain in her house, which he did one night. She invited him to come to visit her with his wife and children at any time. Mr. Frye, however, told him that he ought not to make that visit. During the next three years he wrote to Mrs. Eddy twice, offering to avail himself of her invitation to visit her, but he received no reply, and he believes that she was not permitted to see either of the letters.

In September of 1905 he said he decided to make an effort to see Mrs. Eddy. He went to Concord and to her house, and was refused the privilege of seeing her by Mr. Frye. He believes, he said in his petition, that Mrs. Eddy is virtually a prisoner in her own house; that she is kept secluded by the defendants, Frye and others, and that she is not capable, under all her conditions, of managing her own business.

John W. Kelly and N. E. Martin, counsel for the plaintiffs, had an interview Monday afternoon with Gen. Frank S. Streeter, counsel for Mrs. Eddy, but at its conclusion the lawyers refused to give any statement to the press.

Mrs. Eddy sent her carriage Monday afternoon for her counsel, former Congressman Henry M. Baker. Gen. Baker made a long call at Pleasant View, and on his return stated that he had discussed with Mrs. Eddy both personal and legal matters. He said that she was in her usual health and spirits, and while she was concerned about the pending proceedings he did not think they would have any injurious effect upon her.

PARIS HAS LIGHT AGAIN.

Electricians' Strike Ended, But Public Sees Future Danger.

Paris, March 11.—The city resumed its normal aspect Sunday night. All the electric plants are working.

The public is alarmed at the ease with which a few hundred workmen, at the instigation of the Confederation of Labor, are able to throw the population into confusion, and the newspapers print editorials demanding legislation which will prevent workmen engaged in supplying a public necessity from striking. It is pointed out that the electricians, now that they know their power, may not rest content with present conditions. It is a significant fact that the strike committee is still holding meetings.

WILL J. DAVIS SET FREE.

Not Punishable For Iroquois Fire, Ordinance Being Defective.

Danville, Ill., March 11.—Will J. Davis was freed Saturday of all legal guilt for the Iroquois theater fire in Chicago that cost 596 lives on December 30, 1903.

Judge Kimbrough, while declaring that Davis might be morally guilty, decided that he was not legally guilty, because the Chicago building ordinances were defective.

The jury, so instructed, promptly returned a verdict of not guilty, and the sheriff was directed to set Davis free. This decision of the court makes it practically impossible to indict Davis again.

WILL FIGHT LOW FARE LAW.

Railways to Attack Validity of the Nebraska Measure.

Omaha, Neb., March 11.—It is authoritatively announced in a private report of an official character from Chicago that the railroads of Nebraska will contest the two-cent fare law which the legislature enacted a week ago, and the governor signed last Wednesday night, placing it in effect at once. The roads are now preparing to carry the case to the courts and there make a vigorous contest to determine the validity of the new law.

Ohio Boy Kills His Father.

Solon, O., March 11.—Richard Kennedy, Jr., 20 years old, struck his father Sunday with a baseball bat, killing him instantly. His father and mother were quarreling and the son came to his mother's rescue, dealing his father the fatal blow. The boy surrendered to the police.

JEROME'S EFFORTS BLOCKED BY DELMAS

NEARLY ALL HIS REBUTTAL TESTIMONY IN THE THAW TRIAL EXCLUDED.

Day Spent in Argument—Attack on Evelyn Nesbit Thaw's Story Barred by Rules of Evidence—Police Officers on Stand.

New York, March 12.—On the first day of the state's case in rebuttal at the trial of Harry K. Thaw, District Attorney Jerome Monday came to a temporary standstill against the practically solid wall the rules of evidence have built around the story of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw. Mr. Jerome began to attack this story as soon as court opened in the morning. There ensued a well-nigh ceaseless battle between the prosecutor and Delmas M. Delmas, the leading counsel for the defense, at the end of which Justice Fitzgerald upheld the rule laid down at the beginning of the trial—that young Mrs. Thaw's story was admissible only as tending to show the effect it might have had in unbalancing the defendant's mind, and that its truth or falsity is not material.

Little Headway Made.

Nine-tenths of Monday's sessions were spent in argument and in nearly every instance when the smoke of conflict cleared away Mr. Delmas had won his point as to the law, while Mr. Jerome in the very argument itself had got before the jury a perfect knowledge as to what his witnesses would have testified to had they been permitted.

The district attorney called ten witnesses during the day, but aside from drawing from the state's eye-witnesses to the tragedy the opinion that Thaw seemed rational the night he shot and killed Stanford White, little real headway was made.

Lining up all his forces in rebuttal, Mr. Jerome decided to open his fight upon the defense by attacking the story told the jury by Evelyn Nesbit Thaw. He called to the stand Frederick W. Longfellow, formerly an attorney for Thaw, and asked him first concerning the case in which Ethel Thomas is alleged to have sued Thaw for damages because of cruel treatment. Mr. Delmas objected to questions along the line under the professional privilege of lawyer and client, but before Justice Fitzgerald sustained the objection and ruled out the evidence, Mr. Jerome declared: "The story of the girl tied to the bed post and whipped by Thaw is the story of Ethel Thomas. This poor girl is now dead."

Gets Nothing from Longfellow. He showed Mr. Longfellow the photographic copy of the affidavit Evelyn Nesbit is said to have signed in the office of Abraham Hummel—alleging that Thaw treated her cruelly while abroad in 1903 because she "would not tell lies against Stanford White."

Mr. Jerome followed this up by asking the witness if Mrs. Thaw had not turned over to him certain papers to which she had subscribed. Mr. Longfellow said she had. There was a long argument between Mr. Jerome and Mr. Delmas, at the conclusion of which Mr. Longfellow turned his entire examination to naught by declaring that Mrs. Thaw had never shown him a paper similar to the Hummel affidavit.

Police officers who saw Thaw the night of the tragedy declared he acted rationally.

Many of the witnesses called by the state during the presentation of the case in chief were recalled Monday. All declared Thaw seemed to them to be rational.

Blocked on Drug Question.

In the afternoon Mr. Jerome called to the stand Dr. Rudolph Witthaus, a chemist and expert in poisons. The district attorney framed a hypothetical question covering Evelyn Nesbit's description of her night with Stanford White in the Twenty-fourth street studio house, and asked if there was any known poison which would cause insensibility in two minutes and permit of the quick recovery testified to by Thaw's wife.

Around this vital point, opening up as it did a path through which the prosecutor could march his forces in attack upon the truth of falsity of Mrs. Thaw's story, the storm of argument raged for an hour or more. Mr. Jerome pleaded with Justice Fitzgerald at great length. Mr. Delmas, in reply, cited Mr. Jerome's own words at the beginning of the trial. At that time the district attorney had the court instruct the jury that young Mrs. Thaw's testimony was permissible only as tending to show what effect its relations to Thaw may have had in unseating his mind.

Justice Fitzgerald sustained the objection interposed by the defense.

Portsmouth Strike Is Ended.

Portsmouth, O., March 12.—After a conference that lasted several hours, the street car strike, started two weeks ago, was settled Monday evening and all employees will return to their places Tuesday morning. The agreement provides that the company reemploy all of the men, and if an adjustment of the grievances is not reached within 30 days the matter is to be submitted to a board of arbitration composed of three disinterested citizens.

To Learn Warfare in France.

Peking, March 11.—The army board has selected 15 students from the Peking military college to study military science in France.

LOCAL.

Henry Daigremont has accepted a position with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.

Rev. Schuelke will preach at the German Lutheran church next Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

B. Steketee has been in business in Holland nearly a quarter of a century, yesterday marking the beginning of the 25th year of his business career.

Contractors Bos & Bolhuis have awarded the painting contracts of the new stores and boat house at Macatawa Park to Wabeke & Kameraad.

The day of prayer for crops was observed in nearly all the churches in Holland yesterday. Services were held and prayer offered for a prosperous year.

William Maxted, an employee at Ottawa factory, raised a disturbance there Tuesday. As a result he spent a night in jail, paying next morning a fine of \$5.

Some boys the identity of whom has not yet been found out took \$10 worth of brass trimmings from a steam launch owned by A. L. Burk. The booty was sold and the purchaser turned it over to Marshal Kamferbeek.

Miss Alice Gupker died at her home in Manton, Mich., last Saturday morning. The funeral was last Tuesday afternoon. She has many friends and relatives in this city who mourn her loss. Consumption was the cause of her death.

Frank Pardee, who spends his winters in Grand Haven with his brother Captain George Pardee, will again be first officer of the Anchor line steamer Cadorns this season. Mr. Pardee has been in the Anchor line for a number of years.

Headquarters for an active campaign for Diekema have been opened by the local executive committee, appointed for that purpose, in rooms over the First State Bank. The men who have sounded the political feelings of the surrounding towns are highly pleased with the growth of sentiment in favor of Diekema.

Gorden J. Bennet, the brother of Thomas O. Bennett, who lost his life last fall on the breakwater at Macatawa Park, will superintend the work on the breakwater this spring, as soon as will be resumed Edward Bennet, the sole survivor of last fall's storm, will again work on the breakwater. It requires only a short time to complete the work.

News has come from California of the death of Dr. H. A. Fortune. His death occurred Sunday, and the news of it came as a surprise to friends and relatives here. Dr. Fortune has for the past 20 years practiced in Overisel and is well known here. He went to California to regain his health, since he was suffering from a nervous disease. Dr. Fortune leaves a wife and five children, Eva, student at Hope college, Ester and Stanley, former students there, and Muriel and Hazel.

The most important case that will come before the circuit court which convenes next week will be that of the people vs Charles Woodruff and Streeter figured in the mysterious and sensational anonymous letters episode of which John Lankhorst was the victim. It will be remembered that each of these scribes of unsigned letters implicated the other and thus got each other into trouble.

One of the well known men of this city, Milmore Bird, who resided here for many years, died in Chicago, where his home now is. His death occurred last Sunday. He was buried here Tuesday, the Rev. W. W. Taylor of the Grace Reformed church officiating. Deceased is 51 years old. Two years ago Mr. Bird moved from this city to Chicago, having been employed here by the Waverly Stone Co. Three children survive him; Walter Bird of Benton Harbor, Miss Minnie Bird and Mrs. S. Glaty of Chicago.

The old Anchor staff has finished its career and a brand new one has been elected by the students association. This staff will begin work immediately, the April number being the first one under their regime. Following is the new staff: Miss Bessie Grotemat, editor-in-chief; W. Wichers and A. Schaefer, associate editors; Miss Mildred Weston and Jas. Dykema, local editors; Milton Hoffman, society editor; J. Vander Schaaf, alumni editor; Henri De Kruif, staff artist; T. Gouwens, subscription manager; Frank Wynia, business manager; Victor Blekkink, assistant business manager. The Anchor has had a prosperous year. The new staff is a strong one and the News wishes it success.

Albert Remelts for several years agent for the Wolverine Tea Co. against whom suit was brought for peddling, paid his fine of \$25 and \$10.40 costs. Remelts hitherto had refused to pay a peddler's licence, although being repeatedly warned. He has now taken out a licence and can continue his business.

The Walsh De Roo mill will be sold at public auction on April 20 at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The sale will be conducted by circuit court commissioner A. Van Duren at the court house in Grand Haven. Since the fire in the mill this winter, it has not been operated. It is hoped by those interested in the mill that the sale will result in operating the plant since it could be made a thriving business.

There will be two and possibly three changes in personnel of the Grand Haven life saving crew this season. Frank Vogel and Frank Fisher have resigned, the latter to go into the fishing business. Peter Cardinal of Sleeping Bear will be one of the new members of the local crew and Harry Vanden Berg, of the Holland crew will also probably be offered a place here.—G. H. Tribune.

Judge Padgham will be in Grand Haven Monday to open the March term of the circuit court. The criminal calendar will consist principally of arraignments and sentences this term as most of the principals held for crime have either given full confessions or announced their intention of pleading guilty. John Link will probably be called for sentence and there will be several other sentences.

The Graham & Morton Transportation company Wednesday morning recalled the tug Bonita to St. Joe after an unsuccessful attempt in breaking a channel through the ice in Macatawa Bay. The Bonita will be returned after the ice has been honeycombed. Notwithstanding the failure, the season of navigation was opened last night by the steamer Frontenac clearing on her first trip from the new Macatawa wharf. For the present a tri weekly service will be maintained.

A meeting was held at the Court House Tuesday morning for the furtherance of the campaign of G. J. Dekema for Congress. There was a good sized gathering of Republicans and William D. Van Loo was elected chairman and Daniel F. Pagelsen was chosen secretary. B. D. Keppel of Holland stated the object of the meeting, placing special stress upon the enrollment and the means of getting out the vote in order to nominate Mr. Diekema on primary day. A motion was carried appointing the chairman and secretary together with George A. Farr, Edward P. Kirby, C. K. Hoyt, H. F. Harbeck and F. A. Hutty to serve as an executive committee. This committee will issue a call for a great public meeting to be held in the near future. At this time an organization will be perfected for the purpose of furthering Diekema's candidacy in every way possible. The meeting was an enthusiastic one and the committee appointed will take good care of the Diekema interests in Grand Haven.—Grand Haven Tribune.

Notes of Sport.

Monday evening the Hope College Basket Ball team defeated the Olivet team by a score of 53 to 23. The boys from Olivet were outclassed completely and from the very first of the game had no chance of winning. Some excellent plays were made by the local boys special among which were plays by De Kruif, Pleune and Veenker. Stegeman and Oltmans as guards played a strong game. Only a couple more games will be played this year and one of the best basket ball seasons in the history of the college will be over.

High School Contest.

The High School Oratorical Contest was held last Friday evening in the High School room. It was an entertainment a little out of the ordinary, as it was a joint oratorical and declamatory contest. There were two orators, Mr. Richard Wiersema and Ernest Kremers, both of the Senior class.

Mr. Wiersema spoke on "La Salle" and told the story of his explorations in the wilds of America.

Mr. Kremers' oration was on "William of Orange." He easily received first with his strong oration and will doubtless make a good show in the district contest. The central idea in his speech was the attitude of the silent prince to religious toleration.

The declamatory contest was won by Earl Luther. His subject was Patrick Henry's stirring address on "Liberty or Death." Miss Ruth Post received second place with the speech "The Perfect Tribute."

The other speakers were Geo.

Manning on "Lincoln's Second Inaugural Address," Rhea Allen, "Death of Benedict Arnold," Frank Pierce, "Character of Washington." The following musical selections were given: Solo, "Toyland" of Herbert, by Kathryn Fuller; solo, "College Airs" of Keiser, by Sylvia Hadden; solo, "Honey Town" of Widener, by Kathryn Fuller. All were encored. The judges of the contest were Henry Geerlings, Prof. J. E. Kuisenga and Prof. E. D. Dimant.

Graham & Morton Officers for 1907.

President Morton has announced the following appointments of officers for the Graham & Morton fleet for the season of 1907:

Steamer Puritan

Captain—W. A. Boswell.
First mate—Lewis Bussy.
Second mate—Claude Brooks.
Chief engineer—Byron Beerman.
Second engineer—Oscar Bradley.
Purser—T. S. McCabe.
Steward—Ed Nolan.
Cook—Orrin Mitchell.

Steamer Holland

Captain—John Stewart.
First mate—Nels Nelson.
Second mate—Chas. Morrison.
Chief engineer—R. H. Oliver.
Second engineer—Fred Yeager.
Purser—H. J. Seaton.
Steward—C. B. Kepler.
Cook—Robert Garnet.

City of Chicago

Captain—Wm. Russell.
First mate—Michael Morgan.
Second mate—Oscar Bjork.
Chief engineer—Wm. Johnson.
Second engineer—Otis Richard.
Purser—H. D. Arnold.
Second purser—Ed Hawley.
Steward—Charles Prior.
Cook—Arthur Mitchell.

Steamer City of Benton Harbor

Captain—A. J. Simons.
First mate—John Crawford.
Second—Delwin Fisher.
Chief engineer—Lewis Sebastian.
Second engineer—John Griner.
Purser—Geo. W. Monger.
Second purser—(Not yet named).
Steward—Samuel Gill.
Cook—Jos. M. Mitchell.

Voice of American Women.

Why is it always the women of America who are rebuked for their way of speaking when it is really the men who deserve a scolding? American women have their peculiarities, but their voices and their accents are at any rate careful, and have a refinement of their own—not an English finish, but a very perceptible one, says a writer in the London Chronicle. On the other hand American men very seldom have what one must call, so as to be understood, an educated voice. The first thing that strikes the newcomer in the United States is the uncultivated speech of gentlemen. It is unlike anything in Europe, unless some of the intonations in south Germany may be likened to it. And this makes the very great difference between Boston and the other cities. The Boston man has the very sound of Oxford. But let us cease to complain of the clear and elastic pronunciation of the women.

Told by the Teeth.

"A man carries a good barometer in his teeth," declares a dentist of large experience. "The teeth are peculiarly affected by damp weather, especially bad teeth. When strangers begin flocking to my consulting room complaining of toothache and pains in the jaw, I know that we are going to have a spell of bad weather. A good bit of it is neuralgia, but is a sure sign."

"This rush of business keeps up until the bad weather is well set in, and when business falls off I know that we shall soon have better weather. When toothache patients are few and far between I am assured that we are in for a spell of fine weather."

Is Marriage a Failure?

Maria, the colored maid, had been neglecting her work shamefully. Her mistress remonstrated, but in vain. Finally Maria's carelessness called forth a sharp rebuke. To soften the sting the mistress added:

"Maria, I think you must be in love."

Maria, who was resting ruminatively on her broom handle, drew herself up and replied with great dignity:

"Deed, ma'am, I's a married oman!"—Judge.

What "Amen" Meant.

A boy asked his sister what "Amen" meant. She replied: "Don't touch it." One day the mother asked the girl what "Amen" meant, and again she answered, "Don't touch it." "Where did you learn that?" "Why, you told me so yourself." "Oh, no," said the mother; "I told you, 'So let it be.'"

In the Right Place.

A New Yorker who sent an internal machine to his father-in-law explains that he did it as a joke. Fortunately he has a nice, quiet cell in which to formulate his explanation.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Kind You Have Always Bought

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Danube river overflowed its banks and did great damage.

The Milwaukee Gas Light company reduced the price of gas to 80 cents.

Two German steamships foundered in the North sea and 34 men were drowned.

Twenty-two Greek laborers were drowned in the Sacramento river at Pitt, Cal.

John Turner, who was an intimate friend of Charles Dickens, died at Paola, Kan.

Michael Bower and his ten-year-old daughter were killed by a train at Lancaster, N. Y.

Three men were killed by the explosion of a locomotive boiler at Metuchen, N. J.

Robert C. George, chief deputy clerk of the federal courts at Cincinnati for 26 years, is dead.

Robert B. Oliver and his six foremen were acquitted of the charge of peonage at Knoxville, Tenn.

Speaker Cannon and other congressmen, who are on their way to Panama, arrived in San Juan, P. R.

Princes Edward and Albert, the eldest sons of the prince of Wales, will tour the world shortly in a battleship.

Katherine Eleanor Conway, editor of the Boston Pilot, was awarded the Laetare medal by Notre Dame university.

The first all-steel fireproof mail car in service was put on the road by the Pennsylvania between New York and Washington.

Clinton Babbitt, Democratic member of congress from the First Wisconsin district in 1891 and 1893, died at Beloit, aged 75 years.

President Roosevelt will sign an order restoring to the public domain approximately 30,000,000 acres of land recently withdrawn as coal lands.

The French line steamer La Savole encountered severe gales and was swept by a monster wave that forced the captain to lie to for eight hours.

Hay in the hold of the steamer Devonian took fire while the vessel was at the White Star docks at Charlestown, Mass. Little damage was done.

Bert Curtis was arraigned in New York charged with having entered the Misses Lockwoods' school for girls at Scarsdale, N. Y., and stolen \$6,000 worth of gems.

Leonidas M. Preston, who committed suicide in New York Thursday, is said to have forged notes aggregating nearly \$100,000 and to have lost all his money betting on horse races.

The post office department will not draw the color line in the matter of white and negro mail clerks working together on the same runs, as the white clerks of the middle west had planned to ask.

A bomb was exploded in Barcelona, Spain, injuring the man who was carrying it. Another bomb was discovered near the palace of Marquise Comilla, owner of the Spanish Transatlantic company.

Rodolphus W. Fuller, 85 years old, the inventor of the machine to make horseshoes, died at Hanover, Conn. Fuller's invention was copied by men who made millions through it, but the inventor died a poor man.

The indictment for subornation of perjury against Frederick C. Fairbanks, son of the vice president, in connection with his marriage to Miss Helen Scott of Pittsburg, was quashed in a decision handed down by Judge R. G. Richards at Steubenville, O.

The grand jury at Peoria, Ill., returned indictments against ex-Sheriff Daniel E. Potter, Deputies W. E. Peters, Robert Conkey and Sherman Hunt, and City Clerk Robert Joos, the latter being charged with embezzlement of city funds and malfeasance in office. Ex-Sheriff Potter and his deputies, it is said, misused the county funds to the extent of \$75,000.

Archie Roosevelt Getting Well. Washington, March 12.—Archie Roosevelt, the president's son, who is ill with diphtheria, continues to improve. There was no setback and he rested easily Monday. His condition Monday night was gratifying to the family and the attending physicians.

THE MARKETS.

New York, March 12.	
LIVE STOCK—Steers	\$5.00 @ 5.75
Hogs	5.00 @ 5.50
Sheep	3.50 @ 5.50
FLOUR—Minn. Patents	4.10 @ 4.40
WHEAT—May	86 1/2 @ 88 1/2
July	85 @ 86 1/2
CORN—May	69 1/2 @ 70 1/2
July	68 1/2 @ 69 1/2
RYE—No. 2 Western	69 1/2 @ 70 1/2
BUTTER	16 @ 25
EGGS	24 @ 25
CHEESE	12 1/2 @ 13 1/2

CHICAGO.	
CATTLE—Choice Steers	\$5.90 @ 6.75
Common to Good Steers	4.75 @ 5.90
Yearlings, Good to Choice	5.15 @ 6.00
Bulls, Common to Good	2.25 @ 4.00
Calves	3.00 @ 7.50
HOGS—Light Mixed	7.00 @ 7.10
Heavy Packing	6.90 @ 6.97 1/2
Mixed Packers	6.90 @ 7.02 1/2
BUTTER—Creamery	31 @ 32
Dairy	24 @ 29
LIVE POULTRY	10 @ 12 1/2
EGGS	16 @ 18
POTATOES (bu.)	30 1/2 @ 45
WHEAT—May	77 1/2 @ 78
July	78 1/2 @ 79 1/2
Corn, May	46 1/2 @ 47 1/2
Oats, May	41 1/2 @ 42 1/2
Rye, January	62 1/2 @ 63

KANSAS CITY.	
GRAIN—Wheat	\$7.00 @ 7.04
July	71 1/2 @ 72 1/2
Corn, May	41 1/2 @ 42 1/2
Oats, No. 2 White	42 1/2 @ 43 1/2

ST. LOUIS.	
CATTLE—Beef Steers	\$3.75 @ 6.75
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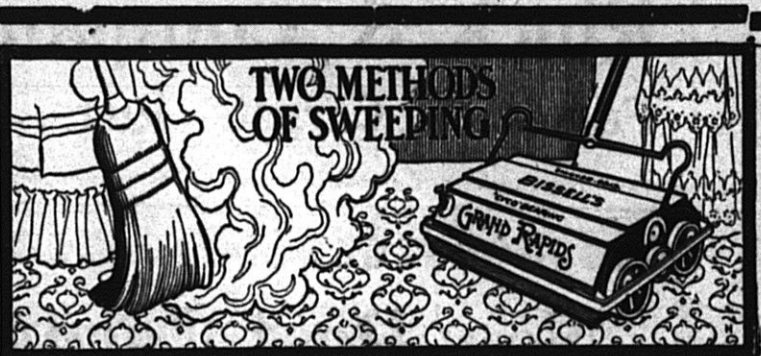
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