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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XXX.

HOLLAND, MICH., FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 1901.

NO. 13

SPECIAL FOR NEXT WEEK.

Beginning Saturday, April 13,
we will place on sale 10 dozen
of

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CITY AND VICINITY.

The Allegan village council has
voted to allow the saloons to remain
open until 10 o'clock at night here-
after.

The steamer Aliber makes regular
trips from Saugatuck to South Ha-
ven to connect with the Williams line
steamers for Chicago, on Mondays,
Wednesdays and Fridays.

The annual encampment of the
Michigan G. A. R., which was to be
held at Flint July 5 and 6, has been
postponed until the 12th and 13th.
Adjutant General Pond says the rea-
son for the postponement was that
many of the pensioners would not re-
ceive their pensions in time to attend
the meeting.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Koning
205 West 13th, St.—a daughter.

Don't miss seeing the "Jap Doll"
and toy duet at the Maccabee hall
April 17.

"The Holy City" will be rendered
by several little singers at Maccabee
hall Wednesday evening, April 17.

An allotment of \$5,000 from the
emergency fund has been made for the
purpose of dredging Saugatuck harbor
this season.

Martin Kerkhof has opened a gener-
al plumbing shop in the building
formerly occupied by E. Winter on
River street.

Bids for the building of the new M.
E. church will be received until April
22. For further information apply to
W. H. Holley or Architect Price.

The 2-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs.
O. Rottschäfer, 6th, St. fell into a pan
of hot water and was badly scalded
but will recover. Dr. Schouten was
called to attend the case.

The death of E. Winter, one of Hol-
land's old citizens occurred last Sat-
urday morning at his home 55 West
Thirteenth street after a lingering ill-
ness. His age was 70 years. The
funeral was held last Monday after-
noon from the Third Reformed church.

Sheriff Dykhuys was in town Tuesday
with a prisoner named Guy Hammond
arrested on complaint of a Georgetown
girl. The sheriff captured him near
Pialuwell, after having visited Eaton
Rapids and Lansing in search of him.
He took him to Grand Haven where a
quiet little wedding in the jail ended
the trouble.

A Washington dispatch says that
Hon. G. J. Diekema attended the
first meeting of the Spanish claims
commission held Monday and that he
called upon President McKinley in
the afternoon. By virtue of being
commissioned second, Mr. Diekema
will act as vice chairman of the com-
mission.

Died at his home in Muskegon Mich.
April 8th, 1901. Eddie, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Kroon, at the age of 17 years 1
month, after an illness of 4 months.
His many youthful friends will re-
ceive the news of his death with re-
gret, as he was a good boy of sunny
disposition and was a favorite with
all with whom he became acquainted.

The seminary year of the Western
Theological seminary will close with
commencement April 24. The Board
will convene in Semelink Family Hall
Monday, 7:30 p. m., April 22 and the
oral examinations will be conducted
the next day. Five seniors are ex-
pected to graduate. Rev. P. Moer-
dyke of Chicago, will deliver the ad-
dress by the appointment of the
Board.

Gus Kraus, proprietor of the Hotel
Holland barber shop, has secured the
services of Geo. W. Goble in place of
M. Ward. The new barber comes
from Allegan where he was employed
in the Sherman House shop. He is a
good barber, has had years of experi-
ence and was employed at the Morton
House in Grand Rapids for a number
of years.

The house in committee of the
whole has passed the Branch bill rais-
ing the minimum school age from 5 to
6 years, at which pupils may enter the
public schools of the state. The bill
does not change the maximum age,
which remains at 20 years, and does
not interfere with the present basis of
enumeration of persons for primary
school funds. Neither does the bill
contemplate a change in the kinder-
garten school regulations in cities hav-
ing special rules governing those
schools. The object of the bill as ex-
plained by Mr. Branch is to keep
younger children out of school in the
rural districts or, as he expressed it,
to "prohibit parents from making nur-
series out of the public schools by
sending their babies for teachers to
take care of."

Easter Sunday at Hopechurch Prof.
Bergen preached an eloquent sermon
to a very large congregation. The
music for the occasion was excellent.
The choir, under the able leadership
of Dr. Gilmore rendered the cantata,
"Easter Morn and Eve" with remark-
able effect. Through careful training
the fine sentiment of the selection
was beautifully brought out. Dr.
Gilmore gave splendid artistic tem-
perament to the barytone solo parts;
and with a voice of rich sympathetic
timbre Miss Grace Yates rendered
the soprano solo parts with an artis-
tic finish that commanded for her en-
comiums of praise. The cantata has
been pronounced to be the best Easter
music ever given in Holland. Several
requests have been made for a repeti-
tion and it is hoped that the requests
may be granted.

**ROYAL BAKING
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Ben Van den Berg has taken a posi-
tion in R. A. Kanters grocery store.

Beginning Monday the hardware
stores will remain open every night in
the week.

The Pere Marquette will run its first
Sunday excursion to Ottawa Beach,
April 28.

Contractor Van der Veen, of Grand
Rapids, will resume work on the sewer
system next week.

Tickets for the Mother Goose re-
ception and carnival to be given in
Maccabee hall April 17, are 35 and 25
cents. Seats will be reserved.

Frank Kameraad, formerly of this
city, is doing well in the east. He is
now living in New York city, where
he is employed as foreman in a large
furniture factory.

Will Blom is seriously ill with pneu-
monia at the home of his parents, 100
West Eleventh street. A trained
nurse from the U. B. A. hospital,
Grand Rapids is in attendance.

John Te Roller has opened a harness
shop in the front part of H. Takken's
wareroom on East Eighth street. He
has on sale a full line of harness,
whips, etc., and is prepared to do all
kinds of repairing.

Quite a number of the former em-
ployees of the Holland Sugar company
left Tuesday for Loveland, Colorado,
to work on the sugar factory in the
process of construction at that place.
Among those who went were Harry
Coggeshall, Fred Bush and Fred Kon-
ing.

The Consistory of the Ninth street
Christian Reformed church has ap-
pointed a committee to confer with
the members of the Central avenue
church who are in favor of English
services with a view of arranging for
a joint meeting to discuss the question
of erecting a church for the holding of
services in the English language.

The rehearsals of the Mouber Goose
Reception company show that the
children who are to take part have
thoroughly mastered the different po-
sitions and are prepared to give a
very artistic production. It is ex-
pected that the seating capacity of the
hall will be taxed. Those desiring to
attend should have seats reserved at
once. Admission 35 and 25 cents.

A large audience greeted Chas. F.
Underhill who appeared in Rip Van
Winkle at the High school building
last evening. Mr. Underhill is a clever
impersonator and his portrayal of the
different characters was excellent and
elicited great applause. This is the
first entertainment given under the
auspices of the Alumni association and
as it proved to be a great success the
association may give others in the
future.

There will be an interesting meeting
of Young People's Christian Tem-
perance Union at Hope church next
Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The
Union has secured the services of Miss
Mattie L. Guild of Illinois, who will
give a stirring address on Thursday
evening, April 25, when a public meet-
ing will be held in one of the churches.
Arrangements for this meeting will
be made Monday evening. Mr. Egbert
Winter will give an interesting paper
on the "Saloon and Poverty," which
will contain a great deal of a local na-
ture. A full attendance is expected.

The Grand River Valley Medical as-
sociation held a very interesting meet-
ing at the Odd Fellows hall last Tues-
day afternoon. Dr. C. P. Brown of
Spring Lake was appointed tempo-
rary chairman and made a very elo-
quent speech before calling the meet-
ing to order. Dr. Russell read a paper
on "New Animal Therapy" and Dr.
O. E. Yates read a paper on "Bronchi-
tis, in Infants and Small Children."
Both papers were very instructive
and were followed by exhaustive dis-
cussions. Dr. D. G. Cook was secre-
tary of the meeting. Those present
out of the city were, Drs. C. P. Brown,
Spring Lake; H. Poppen, Forest
Grove; J. W. Van der Berg, North
Holland; H. Fortuin, Overisel; E. J.
Walker, Saugatuck; H. J. Stroud,
Douglas; E. E. Bronson, Ganges;
Charles Russell, Allegan. The regu-
lar annual meeting of the association
will be held in Saugatuck, Tuesday,
July 9th.

"Sure Hits" at the Lyceum Opera
house tomorrow night.

"They Want Me," at the Lyceum
Opera House Saturday evening April
13.

Rev. H. J. Veldman who has re-
ceived a call from the First Reform.
Church will occupy the pulpit Sunday.

Miss Van Zwaluwenburg has se-
cured the services of Miss Helen Ellis,
of Grand Rapids, as assistant trim-
mer.

Messrs. Gradus Cook, of Holland,
S. M. Silvers, of Wright and C. M. Kay,
of Spring Lake, canvassed the county
vote this week.

Major Scranton circle of the Ladies
of the G. A. R. hold their next regu-
lar meeting on Friday afternoon,
April 19, in K. of P. Hall, Eighth St.

The tug Lizzie Walsh pulled the
schooner Onelda from the mud at her
dock this week. The Onelda sailed
for Milwaukee to be fitted out for the
season work.

The choir of the Third Reformed
church will be entertained this (Fri-
day) evening at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Wm. Vander Hart on Twelfth
street.

Ben Van Raalte, Jr., and Con De
Pree have purchased of Chas. E. Sis-
son of Muskegon, Mich., the noted
pointer dog Tony Van Gull. Tony is
one of the best dogs in the state of
Michigan. When less than two years
old he captured the third prize in the
Michigan Derby in a field of sixteen
starters.

The lectures by the Rev. A. Pieters
on "Japan," and "Missions on Japan,"
now concluded, are highly praised for
their ability. A special effort is on
foot in the West to raise an extra fund
for the early return of Brother Pieters
to his missionary labor. Doubtless
the Board will at once send him anew
if this financial effort attains success,
as is hoped, before the meeting of
General Synod.—Christian Intelligen-
cer.

I. Goldman, the Eighth street cloth-
ier and furrier, will move his stock
of goods from the present location in
the F. C. Hall block to the new Van
der Veen block on the south side of
Eighth street west of the Boston Ba-
kery. The change is made necessary
on account of his increasing
trade and his desire to show his large
stock of goods to advantage. When
the new store is fitted up and the
stock is placed it will be one of the
finest stores in western Michigan. Mr.
Goldman will be ready for business in
his new quarters May 1.

Miss Lena De Pree, stenographer in
the law office of G. J. Diekema, has re-
ceived an appointment as stenographer
on the Spanish claims commission at
a salary of \$1,200 per year. She will
enter upon the duties of the office at
once, but as a great deal of the busi-
ness will be transacted by Mr. Dieke-
ma in his office in this city, it will not
be necessary for her to go to Washing-
ton until next fall when an extended
session of the commission will be held.
Miss De Pree is very well fitted for
the duties of her new position and her
appointment gives universal satisfac-
tion to the people of this city. She
has received congratulations from all
quarters the past week.

The annual parish meeting of Grace
Episcopal church was held last Mon-
day evening. The report of the treas-
urer showed that the church has no
indebtedness and that there is a small
balance in the treasury. It was unan-
imously agreed that Rev. J. C. Gaird-
ner continue as rector. Members of
the vestry for the coming year were
chosen as follows: Messrs. E. B. Stan-
dard, James Price, W. R. Buss, Dr.
George Baker, Samuel Lapish, Otto
P. Kramer, W. R. Stevenson. The
members of the vestry elected the fol-
lowing officers: Senior Warden, E. B.
Standard; Junior Warden, W. R.
Buss; secretary, W. R. Stevenson. A
communication has been received
from Rev. J. C. Gairdner asking that
he be permitted to resign on account
of ill health. The vestry unanimously
declined to accept the resignation, but
decided to keep the place open for
Mr. Gairdner until such time as his
health would again permit him to
take up the work.

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FRIDAY, April 12

President's Annual Report.

To the Honorable Board of Education of the City of Holland.

GENTLEMEN—

In compliance with the rules and by-laws of the Board it becomes my duty at this time to submit for your consideration an annual report in relation to the schools, which have been entrusted to your care, with such suggestions as may be properly considered at this time.

The total indebtedness of the school district at this time is \$20,000. The total enrollment of schools for the present year is 1798. Number of teachers employed during the past year, not including the Superintendent, 38. The census taken last August shows 2,364 children as compared with 2,305 of the previous year. Ten years ago the indebtedness of the district was \$18,000. Since that time in addition to the expense of maintaining a constantly increasing corps of teachers \$20,000 has been expended in new buildings, so that the present indebtedness is for buildings erected during the past ten years. The enrollment at that time was 921; number of teachers employed 19.

Improvements.

No improvements have been made during the past year and but few repairs have been found necessary, so that the finances of the district at this time are in a very satisfactory condition, there being some \$3,000 more in the treasury, than at this time a year ago. The buildings and grounds are in good condition and will need but few repairs during the coming summer.

Additional Schoolroom.

It was found necessary to secure the German Lutheran church in the Fourth ward, at the commencement of the present school year, in order to furnish the necessary school room. It will also be incumbent upon the Board to provide at least one additional room for the coming year. As this question is now before the Board and receiving consideration it will not be necessary to call your attention to the matter, except to suggest that if a suitable room can be secured for one more year, the Board might then be in a better condition to decide as to proper location of the additional building, than at the present time. If it is decided, however, to build at this time not less than four rooms should be provided for.

Free Text-books.

"The question of providing free text-books was submitted to the voters of the district at the last annual school election, and carried. During the past year we have been arranging to supply text-books to the pupils below the ninth grade as fast as they completed the books they were using. The law providing for such action taken from the General School Laws, Chapter 24, Section 1, is as follows:

From and after June 30th, 1890, each school board of the state shall purchase when authorized, as hereinafter provided, the text-books used by the pupils of the schools in its district in each of the following subjects, to-wit: Orthography, spelling, writing, reading, geography, arithmetic, grammar (including language lessons), National and State history, civil government, and physiology and hygiene; but Text-Books once adopted under the provisions of this act shall not be changed within five years; Provided, that the text-books on the subject of physiology and hygiene must be approved by the State Board of Education, and shall in every way comply with Section 15 of Act 165 of the public acts of 1887, approved June 9th, 1887; And provided further, That all Text-Books used in any district shall be uniform in any one subject."

Section 5 also provides that, "On the first day of February next after the tax shall have been levied the director of said district may proceed to purchase the books required by the pupils of his district, from the list mentioned in section One of this act."

Our first purchase enabled us to put the books in the hands of the pupils at a trifle more than one-half of what they would have cost them at retail, and I believe that the common school books can be purchased in quantity from the publishers at 65 to 70 per cent of the usual retail price.

This is certainly a strong argument in favor of the plan and is one of the principal reasons why districts having tried free text-books are enthusiastically in favor of them. All the school supplies we have bought, we have found that there is a saving of from one-half to two-thirds of the price paid by the individual consumer.

Books in the High School.

At present prices the books in use this year by the 166 high school pupils have cost about \$810.00, and were these to be purchased new direct from the publishers they could be bought for about \$624.00. Assuming that the average life of the books were only six years, this would involve an expense of \$104 per year, or about 65 cents per pupil per year. Hence a pupil who now pays about \$5.65 for his first year's books and some \$20 during the four years, could be supplied with all books required up to the time of graduation at a cost of 65 cents per year, or \$2.60 for the entire course of four years.

It is not my intention to advocate the free-text book plan for this department, but to suggest that the plan adopted in some other cities be tried here, and that in the 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th grade, books be rented to any who apply at a rental of one Dollar per year, payable to the Secretary in advance, as non-resident tuition fees are paid. Under present conditions some pupils at least are dropping out of school after completing the 8th grade work, largely and if not wholly because of the expense involved in the purchase of text-books.

This is a yearly occurrence and certainly is a misfortune not less to the community than to the individual pupil. The plan of renting books to those pupils who are unable to purchase would remove this stumbling block without incurring additional expense to the tax-payers, for the high school training would then be open to all.

With the growth of the schools has come added efficiency and the percentage of attendance the last seven months is higher than at any previous period in the history of the schools. The good

work done in the school is further evidenced by the large increase particularly of boys in the grammar and high school departments, which is an excellent barometer. During the year the necessary apparatus for efficient laboratory work in chemistry and physics has been provided, and the engagement of a teacher of science has greatly strengthened the high school.

The work of our teachers in all the departments is satisfactory and the results being obtained in our schools is in keeping with the material growth and progress of our city. In conclusion allow me to thank you one and all for the uniform courtesy extended to me as your presiding officer the past year, and I trust that your future deliberations may be as pleasant and harmonious as they have been in the past.

W. H. BEACH

Lake and Marine.

An important decision has just been rendered by Inspector General Dumont of the hull inspection service. The Grand Haven office has been issuing second-class pilots' papers it-dorsed:

"Empowered to take charge of a watch, as assistant to a first-class pilot."

Many inspectors refused to accept this as lawful there appearing to be a clause in the law by which on boats over 100 tons burden, none but first-class pilots might be in charge. Gen. Dumont supports the opinions of the Grand Haven inspectors that their endorsement was right, thereby setting a point which has been of no little interest to owners and insurance companies.

The river steamer May Graham, which has been on the ways at Benton Harbor and almost entirely rebuilt at a cost of nearly \$3,000 has been launched.

The Evening Wisconsin says: In spite of the fact that the Goodrich Transportation company announces the same passenger and freight rates that were in vogue before the Barry opposition line appeared on the scene, there is a strong belief among shippers that a fierce rate war between the two lines for the business between Chicago and Grand Haven and Muskegon is sure to come as soon as the volume of traffic warrants it. The first cut is of course expected to come from the Goodrich people who were in possession of the field when the Barry steamers began operating and competing.

The Barry line steamer Alice Stafford arrived Monday in Grand Haven from Chicago, inaugurating the season and also the new line between Grand Haven and Chicago.

Allegan County.

Following is the board of supervisors of Allegan county:
Allegan—John E. Davis.
Cassco—Wesley G. Fry.
Cheshire—Harley E. Merriam.
Clyde—Joseph C. Hall.
Dorr—Frank Sommer.
Fillmore—Gerrit Slenk.
Ganges—Alonzo W. Fisher.
Gunnlain—Albert L. Nichols.
Heath—Herman Brower.
Hopkins—Charles W. Button.
Laketown—Henry Brinkman.
Lee—Isaac E. Evans.
Leighton—John W. Sturgis.
Manlius—John Lubbers.
Martin—Daniel F. Laraway.
Monterey—Fred C. Wilcox.
Osego—Charles M. Edmunds.
Overisel—John J. Hulst.
Salem—Jacob Fleser.
Saugatuck—Fred Wade.
Trowbridge—Henry Stockwell.
Valley—Ira Torpe.
Watson—Finley C. McClelland.
Wayland—Solomon S. Fox.

Arbor Day Proclamation.

Governor Bliss has issued his Arbor day proclamation designating Friday, April 26 as a day for general tree planting in the state. Following is the proclamation:

"In the name and by authority of the people, I, Aaron T. Bliss, governor in and over the state of Michigan, acting in accordance with section 1754 of the compiled laws, do hereby name Friday, April 26, 1901, as Arbor day.

"Believing that widespread interest in its observance will be for the general good, I request the people to give particular attention thereto and advise that in all educational institutions there be carefully studied programs bringing out the real meaning of the day. Michigan having a vital concern in the forestry problem, those charged with the spreading of information among the people cannot better serve them than by adding to their knowledge along these lines, and this is especially the privilege and the duty of the newspapers.

"Let there be a general planting of trees, shrubs and vines for the adornment of the homes and for the beautifying of the highways. This will be a commendable public service in the case of all state county and municipal institutions and to this end I request those in authority to see that the aims sought in this proclamation are brought to pass."

A. T. BLISS, Governor.

POPULATION OF MICHIGAN.

The Pere Marquette Railroad has issued a neat little booklet containing the name, and population, according to the census of 1900, of every town in the lower peninsula of Michigan.

Enclose 2-cent stamp to H. F. Moeller, G. P. A., Detroit, and the book will be sent by return mail.

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ART OF TWISTING STICKS.

In Japan It Ranks as a Science—Art of Arranging Flowers a Minor Detail.

The chief difference between the arrangement of flowers in this country and in Japan is that whereas in this country the art is merely considered as a pretty accomplishment for gentlemen, in Japan it ranks as a science and a philosophy, which can only be mastered after several years of close study, says Pearson's Magazine.

Far from being only practiced by ladies, this pretty Japanese art has among its devotees princes, scholars and other prominent men, who, having retired from the cares of political life, are in search of a hobby which will afford not only amusement, but will also offer intricacies and obstacles worthy of their trained minds.

All cultured people in Japan are proficient in the science, just as the better classes among western nations cultivate taste in dress or in the artistic arrangement of their household goods.

The Japanese term for a flower-hana—also implies a blossom-clad stem, and even the stumps or branches of flowerless trees and shrubs, and their science of flower arrangement consists not only in grouping the flowers, but more particularly in grouping their leaves and twigs according to prescribed formula. The blossom is looked upon as a minor detail in the artistic composition, and of very small value if separated from the parent stem, whose sweeping though artificial curves emphasize its beauty. The whole science is, therefore, reduced to obtaining curves which, though really distorted, have the appearance of being true to nature.

EXPERIMENT WITH FISH EGGS

Experts Have Been Trying to Artificially Produce Monsters with Little Success.

A phenomenon that has been a puzzle to naturalists is the frequent occurrence of embryo monsters in fish eggs—that is to say, double-headed and otherwise abnormal young ones. With a view to acquiring some knowledge on the subject, experts of the fish commission have been trying to produce similar monsters artificially, by purposely inflicting certain injuries upon the eggs, says the Saturday Evening Post. It has been proved that various freaks may be obtained from the eggs of chickens by interfering at a critical period with the germs they contain, and it was thought that the same thing might be accomplished with fish eggs, so as to throw light upon the causes of such deformities.

With this benevolent intention, fish eggs of various kinds were jolted about and otherwise treated injuriously. One lot of them, for example, was placed in a small glass jar securely corked, which was then dropped ten times from a height of four feet into a wooden pail half filled with water, striking the bottom of the bucket each time with considerable violence. But these and other trials produced no monsters, though they killed a good many of the eggs. Those left alive hatched out normal fish in due time. The conclusion was reached that, in handling fish eggs, it is of the utmost importance to avoid shaking them up or disturbing them in any avoidable way.

CHARLESTOWN'S OLD PEONY.

Valued Service Which It Rendered the Massachusetts City Subsequent to 1776.

Growing in the garden at Charlestown, Mass., of Oliver Holden, composer of the tune "Coronation," is to be found an old-fashioned red peony. The peony, to a casual observer, would not seem any more attractive and perhaps not so handsome as many of the magnificent specimens which adorn the lawns of hundreds of summer homes. Its claim to fame lies in the fact that it has a marvelous history and is said to be 130 years old, says the Patriotic Review.

The present occupant of the old Holden home, which is located on Pearl street, on the side of Bunker Hill, is Mrs. Thomas Doane, and it is through her kindness that the story of the peony appears in our pages, which runs as follows:

Mrs. Holden as a child watched with others the sprouting of the peonies in the spring of 1776. After the battle of Bunker Hill the British fired the town of Charlestown and all traces of the ownership of lands were destroyed. Houses and fences were swept away, and there was seemingly nothing left to mark anew the boundary lines of the owners. Some one suggested that in the springtime their garden plants might sprout and give some clue; and sure enough, the old peony put forth its leaves, and from its location, near the old city hall, was marked off the property of the different late owners and also was laid out the new city of Charlestown.

An Odd Request.

An Englishman who recently died had three children, one son and two daughters, and he mentioned all of them in his will. The first clause is: "I leave my piano to Mary Elizabeth, when Arthur has done with it." The other clause is: "To Susan Jane—she may take whatever Arthur wishes to give to her." There is no doubt of Arthur's standing in the document, but the pointed question is raised: "Are Mary Elizabeth and Susan Jane beneficiaries under the will?"

Feeling Nervous

That's the way it begins. Little things disturb you. You are irritable, restless and worry over trifles. Your heart jumps and palpitates at every sudden noise, you can't concentrate your mind on your work, your memory fails and you do not sleep well at night. In the morning you feel weak and exhausted, with no appetite for food and no ambition for exertion of any kind. Nervous prostration has no terrors for those who use

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OUR NEIGHBORS.

West Olive.

The winds of March were cool, and then came April fool.

The capture of Aguinaldo ought to have an important effect in the Philippine ranks.

John Thurdette returned home to Lamont Thursday after a short visit with Wm. Marble.

El Sankey took a load of corn to Holland Thursday.

Babcock Bros. loaded another car of steam wood Friday for C. L. King & Co., of Holland.

G. Wilmarth and A. S. Baker are doing the first building for West Olive this year. But an armor plated roof is something new to us.

An exchange says: "An Illinois man by the name of Apple is about to become the bashful and blushing bridegroom of a girl named Plum." They ought to make a good pair.

J. C. Robart arrived home from Grand Haven Saturday where he served as juror during the Tibbets trial.

Ed. Watson was the only Democrat elected on the ticket this spring in Olive township. But it does not hurt us much to try a different supervisor.

Patterson Sankey was in Holland Friday on business.

Whenever the correspondent enters politics he will have to learn how to tie tight knots before he can be elected justice, as he is against divorce.

C. B. Ingersoll was in Holland last Monday.

A car load of Port Sheldon lumber was shipped from here this week.

Mrs. Fred Lick and son were in Holland Monday.

That church social Monday evening at T. L. Norton's was attended by most everybody around here. The supper tasted twice as good as 10 cents. The organ and violin music could not be excelled. Receipts \$8.

The democrats ought to nominate Aguinaldo for vice-president in order to capture the negro vote.

C. St. Clair of Holland came here Tuesday looking after his new house which is almost completed.

Mrs. Abe Boyer visited in Grand Haven Tuesday.

There has been many a wild goose chase around here but with poor success.

Connel Bros., of Port Sheldon loaded a car load of rye Wednesday. West Olive would do well if she could scratch up a carload just now.

Theo. Schilling and family are expected here from Milwaukee this week. This is their summer resort until Port Sheldon puts on a better appearance.

Nelson Dreese went to work on the section again Monday, but he must be careful and not get hurt again, as good section hands are hard to find among farmers.

About \$300 has been raised already towards building a Methodist church and \$200 is expected from outside. Why not appoint five of our most prominent residents and make Andrew Carnegie a call for the rest.

Abe Boyer, jr., left Wednesday for Grand Haven to resume work clearing away the ruins of the High school which burned last month.

The two worse "cartoons" of the church are the hypocrites and backsliders. A hypocrite will profess religion and at the same time break God's laws while a backslider will take a drink of whiskey almost the next day after he is converted.

Wm. Marble plastered the residence of Fred Churchill in Agnew this week.

Rev. R. B. Cilley and wife were in Grand Haven Monday.

The correspondent and his folks visited with his uncle A. R. Wabble at Port Sheldon last Sunday. So don't reprove him for not attending Sunday school.

Farmers, what is wrong with Mc Kinley. He's all right.

Port Sheldon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. Miles Sunday, a son.

Among the first to come from Grand Rapids to spend a few days were P. Schravender and C. Haaster. They stopped at J. Amys.

In going over to Justice Harrington's place we see that he is right in for improvement. He takes great interest in his stock of all kinds and they all show that they have had good care.

Bert Bearsema and Abe Kline are still at the wood cutting.

L. Kline has finished the wall under his house.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kramer, of Holland spent Sunday with their folks, Mr. and Mrs. Kline.

At this writing we understand that Annie Onnes is a little on the gain.

Last week Geo. Snouter and son was here getting shade trees for Holland. Albert C. Munn has rented a farm in Agnew.

Miss Abble Connell went to Holland Tuesday.

C. Miles went to Grand Haven last week on business.

Fillmore.

We would like to make a correction in regard to our item it said that \$10.00 was appropriated for the highway, it should said \$1,000.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred De Kaat died last Saturday and was buried last Tuesday.

Alick Diephuis of Muskegon is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boeve, jr.

The family of W. Douma left for Holland City this week.

Gerrit Oonk has been on the sick for a few days.

A Raging Roaring Flood.

Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. C. Ellis, of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oakland, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had Consumption and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles." Positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung troubles by Heber Walsh. Price 50 cents and \$1.00.

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The Game of Skat.

An illustrated treatise on this popular German game has just been issued by the Passenger Department of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R.R. The rules of the game revised to bring them up to date are given, and those interested in Skat will find it an instructive publication. A copy may be obtained by sending ten (10) cents in postage to F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

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Chancery Sale

STATE OF MICHIGAN,
20th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT.

Suit pending in Circuit Court for County of Ottawa, in Chancery, at Grand Haven, on the 27th day of March, 1901, Mary Kintworth complainant, against John Kintworth.

In this cause it appearing that defendant John Kintworth has departed from his last known place of residence and his residence cannot be ascertained, and his whereabouts unknown, therefore, on motion of Walter L. Lillis, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered, that defendant enter his appearance in said cause on or before five months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, said publication to be continued once in each week, for six weeks in succession.

PHILIP PADGAM
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VOTED NOT TO ACCEPT.

Platt Amendment Rejected by the Cuban Convention by a Large Majority.

ONLY TWO MEMBERS VOTE IN FAVOR.

Growth of Sentiment Against the Measure Attributed to Attitude of Conservative Element in Reference to Making Concessions—A Cabinet Official's Views.

Havana, April 8.—As indicated would be the case, the Cuban constitutional convention voted Saturday not to accept the Platt amendment receding the relations which the United States declares should exist between that country and the Cuban republic. The convention first rejected the compromise measure proposed by Senor Giberger. Senor Quilez' motion to accept the Platt amendment was then taken up and defeated by an overwhelming majority, the vote being 24 for rejection and only two for acceptance. The two minority votes were cast by Senors Quilez and Giberger. The recent growth of sentiment against the Platt amendment is attributed to the attitude of the conservative element in reference to making concessions and to serious errors committed in handling the situation by the authorities.

American Troops to Stay.

Washington, April 8.—The news of the rejection by the Cuban constitutional convention of the relations insisted upon by the United States was eagerly read and seriously discussed in cabinet circles. The administration's view cannot be stated more clearly than by giving the words of a member of the cabinet who talked about this not unexpected development. The cabinet minister said: "There is nothing for the president to do but to continue the present military government of Cuba. Congress has authorized the president to withdraw from Cuba and turn the government over to the inhabitants of the island upon the acceptance by the Cubans of certain conditions. The president cannot withdraw the military government until these conditions have been accepted by Cuba or until Congress has modified its directions. Congress must decide.

"Nothing can be done in the way of negotiations at this time. The whole matter must go over until congress assembles next winter. The Platt amendment is binding upon the president. He has no authority to agree to any other plan than the one prescribed by congress. "Even if negotiations should be carried on between the president and a Cuban commission before the meeting of congress resulting in drawing up a plan which would be acceptable both to the Cubans and to the United States, it could not be acted upon in any way until after it had received the approval of congress."

Will Be Rededicated.

Springfield, Ill., April 8.—The board of commissioners of the national Lincoln monument, have decided upon Thursday, October 15, this year, as the date for the rededication of the monument, which has been rebuilt at a cost of \$100,000. It is proposed to make the event one long to be remembered in this city and state. President McKinley will deliver the principal address of the day. Gov. Yates has been authorized by the commissioners to invite the president.

Entire Family Killed.

Cripple Creek, Col., April 10.—The family of James Smith, consisting of the father and mother and four children, were instantly killed in their home by the sliding of the huge dump of the Granite mine. The Smith residence was located just below the base of the dump. The recent snows had softened the dump so that the top suddenly slid down, crushing the house and burying its inmates.

Design Approved.

Washington, April 10.—The secretary of the treasury has approved a design for the new ten-dollar legal tender United States note. Prominent in the center of the face of the note is the picture of an American buffalo. On the right and left ends are the portraits of Lewis and Clark, the noted explorers of the far northwest.

Crime of a Lover.

Somerville, Ga., April 10.—T. L. Arrington, a well-known young man, shot and killed Miss Mamie Cleghorn, a prominent young lady of this town, and then killed himself. Arrington had been engaged to the young lady, but because of parental objections the engagement had been broken.

Will Curtail Army Strength.

Washington, April 8.—The army will not be recruited to the maximum strength of 100,000 men. The president is determined, after careful investigation, that an army of 75,000 men will be sufficient to meet all present needs, and that will be the limit.

Death of a Centenarian.

Quincy, Ill., April 6.—Mrs. Maria Henderson died Friday, aged 101. She was born in Tennessee and had 12 children, eight of whom survive. The oldest is 82 years old.

Mustered Out.

San Francisco, April 5.—The Thirtieth infantry, recently from the Philippines, was mustered out yesterday and most of the men left for their homes in the east.

Battleship Ohio.

San Francisco, April 5.—The Union iron works will launch the battleship Ohio on May 18. President McKinley and his cabinet will be present.

Six Drowned.

Tadousac, Que., April 5.—The wife and five children of Alexander Terrell were drowned here by the upsetting of a boat.

RURAL FREE DELIVERY.

Instructions as to What Is Necessary to Secure Establishment of a Route.

Washington, April 5.—Superintendent A. W. Mahen, of the free delivery bureau of the post office department, has issued a circular of instructions governing rural free delivery throughout the country. It directs that petitioners for such service be heads of families, who shall show the relative population along the route, character of the roads, principal avocations of the people and distances each one now has to travel to receive mail. A map of the routes proposed is required. The petition must be indorsed by either a senator or representative in congress. Each route must be over 20 miles long, serving at least 100 families, and those desiring the delivery hereafter must be prepared to put up suitable boxes. These boxes will be entitled to the protection of the United States statutes. Rural carriers are not required to deliver ordinary mail to houses standing back from the main road. They may carry other business than United States mail. Patrons are required to cooperate by keeping the roads up to the standard in all weather. The maximum pay for carriers now is \$500 per annum for a full route of approximately 25 miles. Carriers are to carry a supply of stamps, stamped envelopes and postal cards and must cancel stamps on all letters collected.

BOTH WIN VICTORIES.

The British Take a Boer Capital and the Latter Capture Seventy-Five English Soldiers.

London, April 10.—Lord Kitchener, reporting to the war office under date of Pretoria, April 8, says: "Plumer has occupied Pietersburg, with slight opposition. He captured two locomotives and 29 trucks."

The capture of Pietersburg is regarded here as important. The place is the terminus of the railway, and has been the capital of the Boer government since the evacuation of Pretoria. The whole northern railway is now in the hands of the British.

As an off-set, the commander-in-chief reports that a detachment of 100 men of the Fifth lancers and imperial yeomanry were attacked by 400 Boers to the northward of Aberdeen, Cape Colony, and that after several hours' fighting the British were surrounded and captured, with the exception of 25 who succeeded in making their escape.

Murderer Captured.

Springfield, Ill., April 9.—I. N. Swartwood, a farmer who killed C. B. Caldwell, a wealthy farmer and neighbor of Swartwood, near Manchester, Ill., last Wednesday in a quarrel over a boundary line, and who has been hunted by the sheriff of Scott county with a posse and bloodhounds, was arrested in Ashland, Cass county, Monday. Swartwood was on his way to Manchester to give himself up, he says, when arrested.

Broke the Record.

New York, April 6.—The steamship Rhein, which arrived here Friday from Bremen, broke the record as a passenger carrier. Besides her crew, which numbered over 400, she had 2,502 passengers. Of the latter but 53 came in the cabin. The highest number of passengers of the third class which had previously arrived at this port on a single steamship was 2,200.

Lynch a White Man.

Osceola, Ark., April 8.—May Hearn, of Luxora, was taken from the county jail here and lynched. The victim of the mob was a young white man, son of J. R. Hearn, one of the most respected farmers living in the neighborhood of Luxora, and the crime for which he was hanged was the shooting of Clyde King in Luxora on the night of Sunday, March 31.

A Big Plurality.

Lansing, Mich., April 6.—Latest returns from the state election show that Robert M. Montgomery, of Grand Rapids, republican, was reelected justice of the supreme court by about 70,000 plurality, and Frank W. Fletcher, of Alpena, and Henry W. Carey, of Manistee, republican candidates for regents of the state university, have about the same plurality.

Elected to Congress.

Bangor, Me., April 9.—The special election in the Fourth Maine congressional district Monday to choose a successor to Hon. Charles A. Boutelle, resigned, resulted in a victory for ex-Gov. Llewellyn Powers, of Houlton, the republican candidate, by a majority estimated at slightly more than 2,000 over Thomas White, democrat.

Pleaded Not Guilty.

Omaha, Neb., April 8.—James Callahan, the alleged Cudaby kidnaper, was arraigned before Judge Baker in the criminal branch of the district court Saturday and pleaded not guilty and was held for trial on April 23 on the charge of robbery.

Contract Awarded.

Washington, April 6.—The navy department has awarded the contract for the building of the 23-knot protected cruiser Milwaukee to the Union iron works, of San Francisco. The contract price is \$2,825,000.

On the Same Farm.

Mineral Ridge, O., April 5.—Huron Webb, the oldest and wealthiest farmer of the Mahoning valley, died at his home near here, aged 72 years. He was never married and was born and died on the same farm.

All Died.

Chicago, April 8.—Mrs. Lizzie Schmolke gave birth to four children at her home here and within two hours both mother and children were dead.

IS SIGNED BY AGUINALDO

Announced from Manila That He Has Placed His Signature to Peace Manifesto.

PRESSURE USED TO SECURE THE RESULT

Objected to Certain Conditions in the Document—Statistics Show That the Rebellion Has Been a Costly One for the Filipinos—in Progress Three Years.

Manila, April 10.—Although the officials are uncommunicative, it is nevertheless said that Aguinaldo signed the peace manifesto Tuesday morning. Chief Justice Arellano drafted the document. Aguinaldo strongly objected to two clauses of the manifesto, and considerable argument was required to overcome his objections.

Think It Ends the War.

Washington, April 10.—Officials of the war department believe that Aguinaldo's peace manifesto practically brings the war in the Philippines to an end. From information received they believe that the insurgent leaders throughout the islands will accept Aguinaldo's action as evidence that further resistance is useless, and lay down their arms.

Remy Reports More Surrenders.

Washington, April 10.—The navy department has received the following cablegram from Admiral Remy dated Cavite, April 8, showing the size of the insurgent force which surrendered to Lieut. Col. Goodrell on the 4th instant at Olongapo: "Insurgent colonel, Alba, 13 officers, 23 men, 52 rifles, 4,000 cartridges, surrendered to Goodrell; 311 unarmed men swore allegiance."

Lesson a Costly One.

Washington, April 9.—The rebellion against American authority has been a costly experience for the natives of the Philippines. Fifty thousand Filipinos form the lowest estimate of the war department of the casualties sustained by the Filipino forces; 7,667 rifles have been captured or surrendered and 605,142 rounds of ammunition, as shown by incomplete returns, have been seized.

Number Killed.

The number of Filipinos killed cannot be accurately determined by the department, as Gen. MacArthur in his dispatches confessedly states that it is impossible to be accurate on this point, but it would not surprise officials should the losses sustained by the insurgents in killed and died of disease reach 25,000, and some say that 50,000 is closer to the real figure. The rebellion has been in progress three years.

Captures and Surrenders.

For the 27 months ending November 30 last the total number of Filipinos captured or surrendered was 13,468 officers and men and the number of rifles turned in 4,933. Since November 30 last 6,600 officers and men have been captured or surrendered and 2,734 rifles have been delivered to or captured by American troops. The number of surrenders in the latter period have far exceeded those of any similar period to November 30 last.

Printers Taboo Strikes.

Chicago, Ill., April 9.—Word was received from Indianapolis, Ind., Monday night that the referendum vote of the subordinate unions of the International Typographical union had resulted in the adoption of the arbitration agreement between the unions and the National Publishers' association, by which strikes, lockouts or boycotts in the great daily papers of this country will be avoided in the future. In all 16,074 votes were cast, of which 12,544 were for the proposition and but 3,530 against.

Denmark's King Honored.

Copenhagen, April 9.—The eighty-third birthday of King Christian was celebrated Monday everywhere in Denmark. The king is in quite good health and received the congratulations of officials, diplomats and other dignitaries. The streets of the city were crowded and in the square fronting the Amalienborg palace several thousand people constantly cheered the king.

Aged Indian Dead.

Fort Lauderdale, Fla., April 8.—"Old John" Jumper is dead at his camp on Snook creek. Jumper was a son of Chief Jumper, who reigned during some of Florida's darkest wars with his tribe. All the white residents knew him well, as he was for a number of years chief counsel for the Seminoles, and was about 85 years old.

Result of Quarrels.

Milwaukee, April 10.—Edward E. Moore, aged 56, a member of the Iron brigade, shot his wife, about ten years his junior, and then committed suicide. The couple had been married about two years and had had frequent quarrels.

Stolen Picture Found.

Chicago, April 6.—The famous Gainsborough portrait of the duchess of Devonshire, stolen in London in 1876, has been recovered in this city by Pinkerton detectives.

Oldest Old Maid.

Seymour, Ind., April 4.—Betty Dowling, probably the oldest old maid in America, died at her home in Jackson county, aged nearly 105 years.

Rob a Bank.

Chardon, O., April 5.—Six men robbed the bank here of \$125, overlooking \$30,000 in currency. Two of the robbers are under arrest.

Probate Order.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Thursday the 14th day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Alanson M. Fuller, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Iva I. Fuller, Administratrix of the estate of said deceased, praying for the license of this Court to sell at private sale, certain real estate belonging to the said Alanson M. Fuller, deceased, as in said petition described for the purposes therein set forth.

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

10-3W JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.
FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, }
COUNTY OF OTTAWA, }
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Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Albertus Hellenenthal, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Klara Hellenenthal, Administratrix of the estate of said deceased, praying for the license of this Court to sell at private sale, certain lands belonging to the estate of the said Albertus Hellenenthal, deceased, as in said petition described for the purposes therein set forth.

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

10-3W JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.
FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, }
COUNTY OF OTTAWA, }
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Wednesday the 20th day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Egbert Elders deceased.
On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of James Brandt, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, praying for the examination and allowance of his final account as such administrator that he may be discharged from his trust, have his bond cancelled and said estate closed.

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

Hon. G. J. Diekema left Saturday for Washington to attend the first meeting of the Spanish Claims commission. He was not allowed to depart, however, until his friends took occasion to convey to him renewed assurances of their regard and esteem. For some weeks past a number of Mr. Diekema's republican associates planned to surprise him at his home. They found great difficulty in carrying out their plans owing to his absence from the city just about the time they were ready to call.

Finally on Friday night, the eve of his departure for Washington, they found Mr. Diekema at home, and at eight o'clock in the evening the party, composed of those who had been closely associated with Mr. Diekema in politics and business, met at the home of G. Van Schelven and from there went in a body to Mr. Diekema's residence.

He greeted his visitors heartily and told them that the house was at their disposal. Breyman's orchestra accompanied the party and discoursed sweet music during the entire evening. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Diekema, assisted by Misses Hilda Hummer, Lyde Rutheford, Hattie Ten Cate and Margaret Diekema.

In the course of the evening N. J. Whelan in behalf of the assembled guests presented Mr. Diekema with a dress suit case, a hat box, and a silk hat. Mr. Diekema was overjoyed with these assurances of friendship and in a brief speech expressed his heartfelt thanks.

Speeches on politics, friendship and kindred subjects were made by Messrs. Isaac Cappon, Prof. Kleinheksel, Dr. Beardslee, C. C. Wheeler, C. J. Dregman, D. B. K. Van Raalte, J. J. Cappon, Dr. O. E. Yates. Prof. J. B. Nykerk read a parody on Longfellow's Hiawatha, entitled "Shiawassee" and composed in remembrance of the fact that that was the only county that went democratic last fall.

Patriotic and College songs were sung, everybody joining in the chorus with happy effect. It was indeed a happy occasion and will ever be an eloquent reminder to Mr. Diekema of the feelings of friendship and esteem manifested towards him by his Holland friends.

Hon. Luke Lugers who was unable to be present Friday evening sent the following letter to Mr. Van Schelven:

Holland, Mich., April 5, 1901.—My dear Sir: I sincerely regret that, on account of sickness, I am unable to be present at the festivities tonight in honor of the Hon. G. J. Diekema. But I assure you that my heart is with you and in full sympathy with the occasion. We esteem it a great privilege to have a man like Hon. G. J. Diekema as a townsman. For we appreciate his loyalty, his able qualifications, and his integrity; and I assure you we hear nothing but praise from the people of our State. He has made himself a record that we as Hollanders are proud of and all the recent appointments from the Governor and the President indicate that he possesses the qualifications to make him the next Governor of the State of Michigan. I have learned to admire him and will do all I can to aid him.

Please give my best wishes to our friend and to all those present. Wishing you a pleasant time I am,
Yours respectfully,
LUKE LUGERS.

Steamer City of Chicago Arrived Sunday.

The steamer City of Chicago, of the Graham & Morton line arrived in port Sunday afternoon. No sooner had she landed at the Holland & Chicago boat dock than a large crowd got aboard to look her over. They were greatly pleased and marveled at the size of the steamer for it was much larger than they expected. What surprised them most was the theater and stage for the production of plays to while away the tedious ride from port to port.

All day Sunday and until the steamer left port Monday evening a stream of visitors called at the steamer. The entire crew was polite and courteous and not only invited every one to step aboard but took the trouble to show them the steamer from stem to stern.

The City of Chicago is one of the finest steamers on the lake. It is licensed to carry 2,000 passengers and has state room accommodations for about 300. The cabin appointments are elegant and the boat itself is fitted up with all modern conveniences. When it is understood that the City of Chicago can easily make 16 miles an hour it will be seen that the people of Holland would be glad to see her on this run as it would mean quick time from here to Chicago.

Every Captain of the Graham and Morton fleet was aboard the steamer Sunday. The tug Andy was also here to assist the boat in making the harbor and landing at the dock. Captain Pardee of the Soo City, was aboard the Chicago and gave the other cap-

tains information regarding the port, the location of sand bars and the best route to take.

Captain Boswell who will be in command of the Puritan, was aboard. He is familiar with this harbor as he was in command of the government tug Gilmore when she was here to look after the government towing in 1899. Capt. Boswell is the senior captain of the Graham & Morton fleet and is one of the best types of the lake captain. He has been with Graham & Morton for many years and knows all of the details of the business. Bluff, hearty and good natured, he will undoubtedly make many friends in Holland.

Until further notice tri-weekly service will be maintained between here and Chicago. Freight rates will remain the same, but the passenger rates will be reduced from \$2.75 to \$2.00 for the round trip. The following list of officers for the Graham & Morton steamers for the season of 1901 has been made public:

New Boat "Puritan"—Captain, W. A. Boswell; first mate, W. G. Phelps; second mate, Louis Osigac; chief engineer, W. F. Johnson; second engineer, not appointed; steward, Richard Sawyer; cook, Robert Garnett; clerk, not appointed.

Steamer City of Milwaukee—Captain, John Stewart; first mate, A. J. Simons; second mate, Nelson Neilson; assistant mate, Charles Morrison; chief engineer, C. L. Barron; second engineer, Byron Beerman; steward, Edward Nolen; clerk, George Monger; second clerk, Andrew Crawford, Jr.; chef, Joseph Mitchell.

Steamer City of Chicago—Captain, W. J. Russell; first mate, Louis Busby; chief engineer, William J. McClure, Jr.; steward, Charles Prior; chief chef, William May; clerk, William J. Hancock; second clerk, John Chase.

Steamer Soo City—Captain, George W. Pardee; first mate, not appointed; second mate, not appointed; chief engineer, Barney Hopkins; assistant engineer, not appointed; steward, Charles Tibbetts; cook, B. Woodruff; clerk, not appointed.

Tug Andy—Captain, Tom Minter; engineer, James McAntee.

Side wheel river steamer Belle—Officers not appointed.

Splendid Condition of Schools.

The annual report of W. H. Beach, president of the Board of Education, shows that the schools of Holland are in splendid condition. Ever since the foundation of the school system in this city its history has been a continuous record of improvement and progress and the year just past is no exception to the rule.

With an enrollment of 1728 pupils and a corps of 38 teachers besides the superintendent, with a free text book system up to the ninth grade, Holland schools compare favorably with the best in Michigan.

Two of the chief recommendations of Mr. Beach are in regard to the building of additional school rooms either this year or next, and the establishment of a system whereby students in the High school can rent books at a cost of \$1.00 per year instead of paying \$20 for the books used during the four years spent in the High school. Both of these plans are worthy of careful consideration, and it is likely that the board, in keeping with its past magnificent record, will see that steps are taken to carry in effect the recommendations of the president.

The official report of the president will be found on the second page of this issue. It should be read by every citizen of Holland.

Bert Tibbetts Sentenced to Jackson for Life. States McCoy Under Arrest.

Bert Tibbetts sentenced to life imprisonment at Jackson, States McCoy under arrest as one of the principals in the murder of Humphrey Jackman, this is the present status of the celebrated Georgetown murder mystery. The jury in the case of Bert Tibbetts went out at 8:50 o'clock last Friday evening after a fair and impartial charge by Judge Padgham. At ten o'clock it was announced that a verdict was reached.

The scene in the court room when the jury came in, was highly dramatic. Seated inside the rail was the prisoner, Bert Tibbetts, the center of a little family group, and the cynosure of every eye in the house. With him was his poor old one armed father John Tibbetts, of Hudsonville, his sister, Mrs. Fred Bartlett of Grand Rapids, who is a great favorite of Bert's, and the prisoner's sweetheart, Jennie Van Oost, a pleasant looking young lady, who has been near him throughout most of the trial.

Judge Padgham requested that their foreman announce his verdict. John C. Robert arose and said "We find the respondent guilty of murder in the first degree."

Three ballots were taken by the jury, but really from the first, the jury were practically unanimous in favor of a verdict of guilty. The first ballot resulted in 3 for conviction and 4 for acquittal. A short argument followed and another ballot was taken. This time the vote stood 11 to

1 for conviction. Joseph Host of Wright was the one dissenter and he was in favor of a verdict of guilty, but thought a little more time should be taken. In a few minutes another ballot was taken and all agreed that Bert Tibbetts was guilty of the murder of Humphrey Jackman.

As soon as the verdict was announced Judge Padgham ordered the court room cleared and the prisoner was returned to his cell.

Tuesday Tibbetts was brought before Judge Padgham for sentence. He



HUMPHREY JACKMAN.
Murdered December 31, 1900, in Georgetown.

was asked to arise and in answer to the question, "Have you anything to say why sentence should not be passed upon you?" replied "No sir." Then the Judge proceeded to talk to the young criminal.

He said that he had no alternative in inflicting sentence, that the law made it his duty to sentence him to state's prison for life. Continuing, the Judge said that the jury found the evidence so woven together they saw their duty clear in convicting him and the Judge stated that he thought that verdict was a just one.

The Judge in a moralizing tone of speech, spoke of the bright spring weather, and compared it with the prisoner, just emerging from the springtime of life, only to have all hopes blasted, by being sentenced to a living death in Jackson.

Tibbetts did not show any nervousness and as soon as the Judge had said the words that sent him to Jackson for the rest of his life, he sat down and entered into a short conversation with his attorney, Geo. E. Kollen.

The case was a hard fought one throughout, and the attorneys, both for the prosecution and defense, presented their respective sides of the case in masterly style. Sheriff Dykhuus and his assistants and Detective Jakeway of Grand Rapids did very good work in unearthing the evidence of the murder and they are receiving compliments from every side.

No sooner had Tibbetts been found guilty by the jury than the air was filled with rumors of a confession. The evening that the jury brought in the verdict the suspicions of the prosecutor were turned in the direction of States McCoy as a possible accomplice in the crime. A warrant was sworn out by Prosecutor McBride before Judge Pagelson immediately and placed in the hands of Detective Jakeway of Grand Rapids to serve. The matter was hushed up, however, for a day or two, pending a possible confession from the convicted murderer. This, it can be authoritatively stated, came in the form of a sealed statement placed in the hands of Attorney Kollen of Holland. The contents of this statement have not yet been made public, but it has leaked out that Tibbetts acknowledges his part in the murder, but places the brunt of blame on States McCoy, avowing that the entire plot was hatched two weeks before it was executed.



STATES MCCOY.
Held as an accomplice in the Jackman murder.

Acting upon what they learned, Detective Jakeway and Deputy Sheriff A. J. Klaver went to Georgetown on the 11:30 train Tuesday morning armed with a warrant for the arrest of States McCoy, on the charge of murder. They got off the train at Hudsonville and arrived at the McCoy home about two miles distant from that village at one o'clock. Nobody was at home. The officers made themselves at home and proceeded to look over the barn where the terrible tragedy took place that December morning.

They had been given a pointer that

close examination would reveal the hiding place of the missing monkey wrench, that the prosecution from the very first, has contended, was used by the murderer. After a long and patient search, in which the officers were assisted by a neighbor, they at last found the long searched for wrench. It had been cleverly hidden between a partition and stood up in a lot of refuse that had gathered there. On the wrench plainly visible were blood marks, and between the jaws, were bits of hair, from the head of poor Jackman.

The officers kept close to the McCoy premises. They had been informed that States was gone to get an ox which he had previously bargained for, of a farmer of Jamestown. About 6:30 in the evening States and his wife drove up, and the officers placed him under arrest.

McCoy was greatly surprised and at once made great denials of the knowledge of the crime. His wife, an innocent looking little woman, was heart broken. She however invited the officers in to supper and treated them splendidly. States was very nervous and kept continually talking about the crime. The wrench with its marks of blood was shown him, and he then admitted for the first time since the tragedy, that undoubtedly the death of Jackman was caused by a murderer, and not by his so called kicking mare.

Wednesday morning Jakeway and Klaver brought their man to Grand Haven and landed him in the county jail. Five minutes after McCoy had been brought to jail the officers came out with Tibbetts. They were very careful that Tibbetts and McCoy should not see each other.

States McCoy occupies the fated cell so long occupied by Bert Tibbetts. The wrench that played so important a part in the crime and in the trial is in the sheriff's safe.

Wednesday afternoon States McCoy, in custody of Deputy Sheriff Klaver was brought before Judge Pagelson and arraigned. He pleaded not guilty and demanded an examination. Bail was fixed at \$10,000 but it is not likely to be furnished. The examination was set for Tuesday, April 23 at two o'clock.

One of the attorneys who will defend McCoy is Perle Fouch of Allegan, Mrs. McCoy's cousin.

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Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of Pilgrim's Home Cemetery Association will be held at the office of L. T. Kanters, on Thursday, April 18, 1901, at 7:30 p. m. for the election of three trustees, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

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Holland, April 5, 1901.

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Grand K. of P. Entertainment.

The greatest event in the history of Castle Lodge Knights of Pythias took place last Friday night. The amplified third rank was conferred upon a class of fourteen, and members of the order were present from Douglas, Charlotte, Battle Creek and Grand Rapids.

The work of amplification was done by the Past Chancellors association of Grand Rapids. A large delegation came from that city on a special train. They were met by the members of the local lodge and the West Michigan band and were escorted to the K. O. T. M. hall where the exercises were held, instead of at the K. of P. hall which was too small to accommodate the crowd.

After the degrees were conferred in beautiful and impressive style an elaborate banquet was enjoyed. At the head of the table were seated Dr. F. M. Gillespie, Chancellor Commander of Castle Lodge, 153, Past Chancellor R. C. Brittain of Saugatuck, Past Grand Chancellor W. H. Loomis, Past Chancellor A. S. White and Grand Vice Chancellor Leo Caro, of Grand Rapids. The table was artistically decorated with cut flowers and potted plants. Members of the lodge acted as waiters and served the guests in royal style.

At the conclusion of the menu Dr. F. M. Gillespie, the toastmaster, called the meeting to order and introduced Capt. Brittain who invoked divine blessing. Con. De Pree delivered an eloquent address of welcome to the guests and the new members. W. H. Loomis responded to the hearty welcome in behalf of the visitors, and Arthur Van Duren responded in behalf of the new members. Then responses were made to the following toasts:

Ancient Pythianism..... P. C., A. S. White,
Modern Pythianism..... G. V. C., Leo Caro,
The Uniform Rank..... Lieut. Col. Curtis,
Friendship..... P. C., W. A. Holley.

Past Chancellor Will Breyman entertained with several violin solos and J. B. Mulder was at his best in several stories. Other members were called upon and made happy impromptu speeches. The meeting closed with Auld Lang Syne and the visitors boarded the special train for Grand Rapids some time after midnight.

J. A. Minderout entertained a party of friends at Hotel Holland Tuesday evening in honor of Terry Steele, of Chicago.

The Ottawa Hive, No. 776, of the L. O. T. M. celebrated in honor of its new name last Wednesday evening. The name being changed from Artie Van Dine to the Ottawa. Several visiting members were present. Refreshments were served and a good time was enjoyed by all.

The Century Club held its last meeting for this season at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wheeler last Monday evening. It was a delightful gathering and was attended by nearly every member of the club. The following program was rendered:

Instrumental solo..... Miss Allie Wheeler
Toast—"The Ladies"..... Judge Humphrey
Solo..... Dr. Gilmore
Toast—"Our Ladies"..... Prof. Kleinhebel
Song..... Quartet
Reading..... J. C. Post
Toast—"Good Ladies"..... C. M. McLean

The annual banquet will be held at Hotel Holland April 19.

A very pretty wedding took place last Wednesday when Miss Gertrude Wiltedink and Gerrit J. Baterink were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Wiltedink, 156 East Thirteenth street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. K. Van Goor in the presence of relatives and intimate friends. The bride was attended by Miss Kate Boyenga, and Tony De Waard was best man. After the marriage an informal reception was held and many friends called to extend congratulations to the newly-wedded couple.

The entertainment given at the Lyceum Opera house under the auspices of the Aid Society of the M. E. church last Friday evening, was very successful and netted the society a snug sum. Miss Margaret Tate, the young elocutionist from Grand Rapids scored a great hit and pleased the audience immensely. The following program was rendered: Overture, by orchestra; piano solo, Miss Minnie Dok; vocal solo, Mrs. J. C. Calhoun; reading, "The Lily," Miss Margaret Tate; vocal duet, "Oh That We Two Were Maying," Mesdames Diekema and Pardae; clarinet solo, Prof. T. Armstrong; vocal solo, "When You Have Learned To Love Too Late," Mrs. A. Clarke; reading, "How We Caught a Mouse," Miss Tate; solo, "Your Voice," Miss Grace Yates; piano solo, Louis McKay; mandolin duet, Messrs. Nies and Notier accompanied by Miss Gola Smith; vocal solo "Perhaps," M. Dykema; "Romance," Miss Tate.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. DeMerrill were the guests of relatives in Lansing this week.

C. J. Dregman was in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Miss Mae Streeter has returned from a visit with relatives in Allegan.

Mrs. G. A. Kanter was the guest of friends in Grand Rapids Saturday.

W. A. Holley attended the Epworth League convention at Muskegon last Friday as delegate from the local league.

Mrs. A. Langerwisch and daughter Lena spent Easter Sunday with friends in Grand Rapids.

Ed. Krulsenga, of Grand Rapids, was the guest of his parents in this city Sunday.

L. T. Kanter was in Grand Haven last Friday.

W. R. Stevenson was in Grand Rapids last Friday.

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

Geo. W. Babcock, of Saugatuck, was in the city Monday.

M. J. Kinch left Monday for a business trip to Detroit.

The Misses Anna and Jennie Dyke, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday with relatives in this city.

Frank De Later and family of Grand Rapids were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Lawrence the first of the week.

Arthur Ward, formerly bookkeeper of the Holland & Saugatuck electric company, left Monday for his home in Flint, where he will take a position as bookkeeper with the A. J. Ward brick company.

George J. Meengs, who has been spending a ten days furlough with relatives in this city, left Monday to rejoin the United States steamship Dixie at Norfolk, Va.

Miss Lulu Thurber, who is attending the Ackley Institute in Grand Haven, is spending her vacation with relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bertsch and son Harris, of Mill Creek, are in the city. They were called by the serious illness of Will Blom.

Joe Schriver, of Saugatuck, was the guest of Ralph Borgman Monday.

Simon Kleyn went to Grand Rapids Tuesday to see the Francis Wilson company at Power's opera house.

J. A. Minderout, of Indianapolis Ind., has returned to this city and has resumed work on his contract with the West Michigan and the Ottawa furniture factories.

Fred Appledorn, of Kalamazoo was in this city Monday.

Miss Maud Harrington left Tuesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ward and family of Flint, Mich.

E. E. Weel, of Douglas was in the city yesterday.

Abel Kulzenga, of Muskegon, spent Wednesday with friends in this city.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

The rebels fired on Fort Sumpter forty years ago today.

J. H. LaPearl's combination of "Sure Hits" will be at the Lyceum Opera house tomorrow night.

Special lace curtain sale during next week at John Vandersluis. Tomorrow (Saturday) is last day of ladies tailor-made suit and jacket sale.

The ladies will be interested in Mrs. C. Harmon's advertisement in this issue of the News. Call at her parlors No. 7 West Eighth street and learn the latest styles in hair dressing.

Those from Holland who successfully passed the teachers examination held in Grand Haven are: Second grade—Edyth Kimpton, Anna M. Toren, Lella Z. Benedict, William F. Davidson.

Real Estate business is very good in Holland at present. J. C. Post reports sales this week in his agency as follows: 67 feet of frontage on East street, adjoining Y. M. C. A. building purchased by G. and H. Van Ark. The latter will build a fine block, on this property at once. It is rumored that it will be occupied by a department store. House and lot on West Fourteenth street sold to V. H. King. Lot on Nineteenth street sold to John Baker. Lot on Thirteenth street sold by A. B. Bosman to J. C. Post. Several farm sales have also been made in this agency this week.

James A. Brouwer's advertisement this week resembles a newspaper. He has a great many things to say and arranges his items in a new style. His story on carpets should be read by every householder in the city of Holland. They will find it interesting and can follow its advice with profit. His chapter on curtains and rugs is entitled to special consideration, for he advertises a special sale of rugs for next week. Considerable space is devoted to wall paper and many valuable points are brought forth. Then the baby cab and go cart column may be read with profit. But what's the use enumerating further, it all should be read by those who desire to buy furniture to good advantage.

James J. Hollings, of Detroit, deputy Grand Master Workman of the A. O. U. W., is in the city this week and with local members of the order is arranging for the initiation of a class of candidates next Wednesday evening. On the same evening the Oriental Hut Degree of Hospitality will be conferred on about 30 of the old members. The Muskogon degree team will come here to do the work and an interesting time is anticipated. Mr. Hollings is meeting with great success and an unusually large class of new members is expected.

All supervisors outside of cities having a special ordinance governing dog licenses will be required to make an enumeration of dogs this spring, for the purpose of taxation. Governor Bliss signed the Waterbury dog tax bill and it will take immediate effect. This bill establishes the township dog warden system and places the duty of enumeration with the supervisors, where it was previously to the dog warden law. Male and spayed dogs are to be assessed at \$1 each, and female dogs at \$3 each. In case of non-payment of the tax the duty of collecting is placed with the sheriff of the county, who is authorized to kill all dogs upon which the tax cannot be collected. After it had been signed the bill was sent at once to the secretary of state, and notices of the change in the law will be mailed immediately to all supervisors in the state that they may be governed by it in taking their spring assessments.

Deputy Regent H. J. Breeze of the Royal Arcanum has been in the city the past week straightening out the tangle caused by R. E. Ward who damped with money solicited from the people of Holland that contemplated joining the lodge, and is now in Canada. Mr. Breeze refunded the money in every instance and settled all bills contracted by Mr. Ward. Those who arranged through Mr. Ward to join the lodge were so pleased with the prompt, business like methods of Mr. Breeze that they decided to complete their plans for joining the society, and in response to their request Mr. Breeze will return to the city next week and complete arrangements for the organization of a branch office in this city. The insurance features of the Royal Arcanum recommends it to the careful consideration of all business men and Mr. Breeze will call upon them personally and explain the business details of the organization.

E. L. Godfrey, of the firm of Godfrey and Newbre, of South Haven, was in the city this week and transacted considerable business with the Wolverine boat company. He let the contract for the building of a 51-foot, stern wheel river boat to be used in the passenger trade at South Haven this summer, and on his return to South Haven he took back a 33-foot launch which will be used for excursion purposes on the river. This makes four boats that the Wolverine company has built for him. This company is very busy and it is necessary to work day and night to keep up with the orders. It has just started work on two 25-foot ferry boats to be shipped to Mexico. They will be equipped with 7 horse power gasoline engines. It is constructing a 41 foot launch for Chicago parties. The cabin will be finished in quarter sawed oak and cherry. This launch will be fitted with an 18 horse power Wolverine gasoline engine. The company has received orders for a 41-foot speed launch for Canadian parties, a 37-foot launch for Portland, Maine, a 36-foot launch for Florida parties, and an 18-foot launch for Long Lake, Kansas. During the last three weeks the Wolverine company has shipped eight boats ranging in size from eighteen to forty feet.

Unpaid Taxes Important.

On May 7th the several county treasurers will begin the sale of lands upon which the taxes for 1907 and prior years remain unpaid.

Every property owner should examine the published lists of the counties in which his lands are located, for all the years advertised, and apply to this department or the county treasurer to pay the delinquency if they are found to be listed for sale.

Remember that a few minutes and possibly a small sum of money spent NOW may save you hours of worry and any number of dollars after your land is sold.

PERRY F. POWERS,
Auditor General.

Hope College News.

Preparations are being made for the State Oratorical contest to be held at Lansing May 3. An effort will be made to send as large a delegation as last year. If possible a special car will be chartered. Our orator, C. Van der Mel, should be supported by a large Holland delegation. This also gives an opportunity for visiting the state Agricultural College. Those who went to Kalamazoo last year know that a good time may be expected.

The Y. W. C. A. was addressed by Mrs. Gilmore yesterday afternoon on the subject, "Prayer and the Bible." Mrs. Eva Burton, dress maker by the day for private families, 87 East Ninth street.

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Carpets!

The time is here for you to look and select your carpet. You can select it now and we will make it and hold it until you are ready to have it laid. Of course you want to go where they have the largest new line of floor coverings, for then you can have better choice and be better satisfied.

Our Prices Always Lowest, when Quality
Is Considered.

And by the way, that is what everybody wants, "quality." You will find the good kind to be the cheapest in the end.

New Wilton Velvets, New Axminsters, New Body Brussels, New Tapestry Brussels, New Ingrains, New Linoliums, New Oil Cloths, New Mattings, New Rugs.

See Our New Draperies.



BABY CABS and GO CARTS.

The "National" line, the leader for 1901. Superb new and original designs.

Our "Independent Action" cart beats them all.

Prices from \$3.99 up to \$25.00.

JAS. A. BROUWER.
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We show an Entire New and Up-to-date line of Lace Curtains, such as is seldom seen anywhere.

Nottingham Curtains, worth 55c, 40c at per pair.....

We have a large variety of these in the Newest Novelties obtainable.

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Irish Point Curtains—elegant curtains to wear—3½ yards long, from \$4.75 up.

The Arabian Curtain. A new one. They are beauties. Come and see them.

SPECIAL! Next week we will have a GRAND SALE ON RUGS. We have a very large line of Smyrna, Moquettes, Axminster, Wiltons, Daghestans and Persian Rugs in all sizes, which we will offer next week at Greatly Reduced Prices.

A large 3x6 Heavy Smyrna Rug at..... \$2.69

All other Rugs in proportion.

Don't miss this Grand Sale if you want a Rug this Spring.

JAS. A. BROUWER,
212-214 River Street, Holland.

signature on every box.

DON'T BE DUPED

There have been placed upon the market several cheap reprints of an obsolete edition of "Webster's Dictionary." They are being offered under various names at a low price.

By dealers, agents, etc., and in a few instances as a premium for subscriptions to papers. Announcements of these comparatively worthless reprints are very misleading. They are advertised to be the substantial equivalent of a higher-priced book, while they are all reprints of a book of over fifty years ago, which was sold for about \$5.00, and which was much superior to these imitations, being a work of some merit instead of one of no merit.

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HOLLAND CITIZENS SHOULD WEIGH WELL THIS EVIDENCE.

Proof of merit lies in the evidence. Convincing evidence in Holland. Is not the testimony of strangers. But the endorsement of Holland people.

That's the kind of proof given here. The statement of a Holland citizen.

Mr. John Kloosterman, two miles of Zeeland, says: "For ten or twelve years I looked in vain for some medicine to free me from distressing kidney complaint. I suffered at intervals during that period with aching pains through the loins, twinges up and down the muscles of my back, irregular and unnatural condition of the kidney secretions and frequent attacks of dizziness. My son, John Kloosterman, a tailor, 133 East Eighth street Holland, noticed Doan's Kidney Pills advertised in the Holland papers and highly recommended by people who had used them. Thinking they might help me he procured a supply at J. O. Doesburg's drug store and sent them out to me. I noticed shortly after I commenced the treatment that it was doing me good and as I continued my condition improved. In my estimation Doan's Kidney Pills are by far the best remedy on the market."

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

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

Probate Order.

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

Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Nicholas Trompen, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of John N. Trompen, son and heir at law of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument in writing, filed in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Nicholas Trompen, deceased and for the appointment of Henry Bosch and himself John Trompen as the executors thereof.

Thereupon it is Ordered That Monday the Twenty-ninth day of April next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
(A true copy, Attest.)
JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.
FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

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VISITS RUSSIAN FLEET.

President Loubet the Guest of Admiral Birleff to Whom He Gives a Decoration.

Villefranche, April 10.—President Loubet Wednesday paid his promised visit to the Russian squadron, and during his visit decorated Admiral Birleff and two of his officers with the cross of the Legion of Honor. Admiral Birleff and his staff, contrary to usage, landed and conducted M. Loubet aboard the flagship. The whole squadron was dressed and manned.

President Loubet subsequently embarked on the St. Louis and sailed for Toulon. The Russian bands played the Marseillaise and their crews cheered, and both the French and Russian warships saluted as the St. Louis, with the president on board, passed out.

The Russian fleet will remain here for a week.

Toulon, April 10.—The town is filling up fast and is gay with flags and feasts of French and Italian colors. The duke of Genoa visited the mayor of Toulon Wednesday morning, and was everywhere greeted with cheers. Enormous crowds on the quays watched the arrival of the squadron escorting President Loubet.

PRESENTED TO JUSTICES.

Attorney General Knox Has His Commission Recorded by the Supreme Court.

Washington, April 10.—Attorney General Knox was formally presented to the United States supreme court when that tribunal assembled at 12 o'clock Wednesday. The ceremony was both brief and simple, consisting of little more than an introduction. The attorney general entered the courtroom for a few moments before the justices came in. He was accompanied by Solicitor General Richards, who, as soon as the members of the court had taken their seats, rose to present his superior in office. "May it please the court," he said, "I have the honor of presenting Mr. Philander C. Knox, of Pennsylvania, who has succeeded Mr. Griggs as attorney general." The chief justice responded, saying that the court was pleased to welcome Mr. Knox and directing that his commission be recorded. The regular business of the court then proceeded and after remaining for a short time as witnesses of the routine Mr. Knox and Mr. Richards withdrew.

HEROIC NURSES.

Succeeded in Getting All Insane Women Patients from Burning Building at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 10.—The fire which broke out in the women's building of the insane hospital at Mount Jackson, just west of the city limits, at three o'clock Wednesday morning, was not under control before serious property damage was done. The greatest difficulty was in controlling the patients of the two wards and getting them to a place of safety. This was accomplished by the female nurses, who displayed rare heroism, two of the nurses, Margaret Waltman and Kate Nolan, being severely scorched while engaged in the work of rescue. None of the patients was injured. The asylum department kept the fire in check until the department arrived from this city. The property loss will not exceed \$1,500. The cause of the fire is not known.

No Change Yet.

New York, April 10.—It was said at the office of the Central Railroad of New Jersey Wednesday that no change had taken place in existing conditions between the employees and officials of the road. There was a rumor to the effect that an informal meeting might be held Wednesday or Thursday between Vice President Warren and some of the participants in last Saturday's conference, but diligent inquiry failed to confirm this in the slightest degree.

Fire on Transport Rawlins.

New York, April 10.—Fire was discovered in the second hold of the transport Rawlins early in the day. A quantity of hay was stored in the hold and the firemen endeavored to confine the flames to one part of the vessel. The Rawlins was at the government pier, Brooklyn, and was to have sailed for Cuba during the afternoon.

The Rawlins sunk in the mud at her pier. The damage to the transport is estimated at \$30,000 and the cargo at \$80,000.

Double Crime.

Louisville, Ky., April 10.—Henry Devore, aged 22, at 1:15 o'clock Wednesday morning, killed his 19-year-old wife at their home at 1410 Twenty-second street by cutting her throat and then committed suicide in the same manner. The couple were married in February last and jealousy was the cause of the tragedy. Devore was a tobacco factory employee.

Bonds Quickly Subscribed For.
Buffalo, N. Y., April 10.—The full amount and more of the \$500,000 issue of second mortgage Pan-American exposition bonds recently authorized by the legislature has been underwritten. Subscriptions were first called for on Saturday last and Wednesday morning it was announced that they amounted to \$510,000.

Celebrates His Birthday.
London, April 10.—Gen. William Booth, of the Salvation Army, is celebrating his seventy-second birthday by attending a series of meetings, at which he is receiving the congratulations of "the force." Telegrams from all parts of the world are coming in. The general is in good health.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

For the Week Ending April 10.

A killing frost has reduced the California fruit crop by one-half.

The twenty-seventh Texas legislative session has adjourned sine die.

The present condition of the cereal crops indicate a splendid yield.

Matt D. Logan, former congressman, died at New Orleans, aged 72 years.

By a vote of 15 to 12 the Wisconsin senate killed the anti-cigarette bill.

Almost the entire business portion of Augusta, Mont., was destroyed by fire.

Michigan university defeated Chicago university in their annual debate in Chicago.

The eighty-third birthday of King Christian was celebrated everywhere in Denmark.

The president and Mrs. McKinley entertained at dinner Gov. Allen, of Porto Rico, and Mrs. Allen.

Gov. Gen. Allen of Porto Rico after seeing the president abandoned his intention to resign.

Taylor Kirk, who killed his sister near Cordell, Okla., was sentenced to 99 years in the penitentiary.

Two schooners were wrecked off the New England coast in a hurricane and four lives were lost.

China is asserted to be trying to get better terms from Russia before signing the Manchuria agreement.

More than 200 soldiers of the Thirtieth volunteers returned from the Philippines to their Chicago homes.

Hundreds of children enjoyed the annual Easter egg rolling festival on the white house lawn in Washington.

Mrs. M. A. Ratcliffe, of Denver, Col., was arrested on a charge of illegal voting at the last election in that city.

The silver service for the battleship Illinois has been completed. It consists of ten pieces and cost \$6,000.

Fire destroyed the block containing the Russell house and the Russell theater, Ottawa, Ont. No lives were lost.

James P. Withrow sued the Carnegie company in Pittsburgh for \$500,000, alleging infringement of a patent.

The Pennsylvania Steel company has bought the mines of the Spanish-American Iron company at Daquie, Cuba.

One of the Detroit (Mich.) plants of the American Radiator company was burned, causing a loss of \$150,000.

The fire loss for the United States and Canada in March was \$15,206,250, against \$13,349,200 in the same month in 1900.

Two brothers, George and James Todd, were killed by the explosion of a boiler in a sawmill near Ketterman, Mo.

A combination has been formed in New York to control practically the entire silver and copper product of the country.

At Parkersburg, W. Va., Mrs. Morris, while insane, held the head of her baby in the fire until it was burned to death.

The Minnesota legislature has passed a bill prohibiting the marriage of imbeciles, feeble-minded, epileptics, or insane persons.

Lizzie E. Cottman, a school-teacher at Harrison, Neb., saved her 12 pupils and the schoolhouse from being carried away in a flood.

A restaurant at Battle Creek, Mich., was wrecked by employees of the owner of the site, who took this means to oust a tenant.

The first United States coaling station to be located on foreign soil has just been completed at Pichalliqui, on the west coast of Mexico.

Emperor William has decreed that the English language shall take the place of French in the high schools of the German empire.

An arbitration agreement between newspaper publishers and the International Typographical union marks an epoch in labor affairs.

Three gold bars worth \$60,000 were stolen from the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse during the voyage from New York to Cherbourg.

Walter Lancaster, one of the best-known young men in Marietta, O., killed himself. He was despondent over his failure to obtain employment.

Society women at Indianapolis, 50 strong, visited drug stores in the suburbs and warned the proprietors to cease selling liquor contrary to law.

Naval Constructor Richmond P. Hobson has been assigned to special duty in the bureau of construction and repair in the navy department.

A contract has been let for the construction of a railroad between Kansas City, Mo., and San Angelo, Tex., a distance of probably 500 miles.

Chairman Weaver has called a meeting of the Iowa republican state central committee for April 17 at Des Moines to fix the date and place for the next state convention.

Lawyer A. T. Patrick, accused of the murder of Millionaire W. M. Rice in New York, charges the prosecuting attorneys and Valet Jones with conspiring to convict him.

Miss Elvira Miller has been appointed passenger agent of the Louisville, Henderson & St. Louis railroad in Louisville. She is the first woman passenger agent in the United States.

Mrs. Ida Eckert Lawrence, of Toledo, O., who will read the poem at the launching of the battleship Ohio, has been requested by a number of Ohio temperance women not to mention wine in her verses.

Miners in the block coal fields of Indiana have quit work and begun what promises to be a bitter struggle. The trouble is over the purchase of powder, which the men insist they should be permitted to buy in the open market.

THE MARKETS.

New York, April 10.

LIVE STOCK.—Steers.....\$4.25 @ 5.55

Hogs.....6.20 @ 6.40

Sheep.....4.00 @ 5.07

FLOUR.—Winter Straights.....2.40 @ 2.50

Minnesota Patents.....4.00 @ 4.25

WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....77 1/2 @ 79 1/4

May.....76 1/2 @ 77 1/2

CORN—No. 2.....49 1/2 @ 50 1/2

May.....49 @ 49 1/2

OATS—No. 2.....16 @ 16 1/2

BUTTER—Creamery.....11 @ 11 1/4

Factory.....11 @ 11 1/4

CHEESE.....11 @ 11 1/4

EGGS.....13 @ 14 1/2

CHICAGO.

CATTLE—Prime Steers.....\$5.85 @ 6.00

Texas Steers.....4.50 @ 5.20

Stockers.....2.00 @ 3.75

Feeders.....3.90 @ 4.55

Bulls.....2.25 @ 4.25

HOGS—Light.....5.30 @ 6.00

Heavy Mixed.....5.90 @ 6.05

SHEEP.....4.25 @ 5.25

BUTTER—Creamery.....15 @ 20 1/4

Dairy.....14 @ 15

EGGS—Fresh.....12 @ 12 1/2

POTATOES—(per bu.).....25 @ 40

MESS PORK—May.....14.30 @ 14.45

LARD—May.....8.15 @ 8.20

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1.....8.00 @ 8.10

GRIN—Wheat, No. 2.....4.25 @ 4.35

Corn, May.....4.25 @ 4.35

Oats, May.....2.25 @ 2.35

Rye, May.....60 1/2 @ 60 1/2

Barley, Fair to Good.....45 @ 55

MILWAUKEE.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 No. 1.....72 @ 72 1/2

Oats, No. 2 White.....24 1/2 @ 25

Rye, No. 1.....53 @ 53 1/2

Barley, No. 2.....57 @ 58

KANSAS CITY.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1.....\$4.15 @ 4.25

Corn, May.....4.25 @ 4.35

Oats, No. 2 White.....29 @ 29 1/2

Rye, No. 2.....50 @ 51

ST. LOUIS.

CATTLE—Native Steers.....\$3.50 @ 5.75

Texas Steers.....3.25 @ 4.10

HOGS—Packers.....5.35 @ 6.10

Butchers.....6.00 @ 6.15

SHEEP—Native Muttons.....4.50 @ 5.00

OMAHA.

CATTLE—Native Steers.....\$4.25 @ 5.50

Cows and Heifers.....3.25 @ 4.00

Stockers and Feeders.....3.25 @ 4.75

HOGS—Mixed.....5.20 @ 5.25

SHEEP—Wethers.....4.20 @ 4.70

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Hope College News.

Tuesday morning after a week of vacation the usual college exercises were again begun. This is the opening of the last term, a period of ten weeks. Dr. Kollen was not present at the opening. On account of business interests in behalf of the college, he is compelled to be in Chicago and other western points for a few days.

The Base Ball season has again come. There is a great deal of enthusiasm and there is no reason why a good team can not be formed. The association elected officers at the annual election as follows: Manager, N. E. Van Dam; secretary and treasurer, J. A. De Hollander, member of executive committee, M. J. Duven; mascot, H. Yntema.

The Tennis Association is making great improvements on its grounds. The tennis players have always been at a disadvantage on account of the roughness of the court. The court is now being leveled and graded with clay.

Two Classes Meet.

Two classes of the Reformed church met in Grand Rapids this week. They were the Grand River classis, which represents the majority of the Holland churches of the state, and the classis of Michigan, which includes the English speaking churches of the denomination.

It was practically determined that classis of Grand River should undertake the complete support of a missionary in the foreign field.

A special committee with Rev. Jacob Van Houte of Grand Rapids as chairman was appointed to formulate plans for the undertaking and confer with Rev. Albertus Pieters, who will represent the church in the foreign field. Mr. Pieters was formerly missionary to Japan under the supervision of the church-at-large, but he will hereafter be supported by the Grand River classis.

Rev. C. C. A. L. John of Holland was re-elected missionary of the classis, the position he also holds in the Holland classis, placing the entire state in his field. The report of Rev. J. F. Zwemer on domestic missions was adopted. He proposed that three new missions be established; one near Ruyard in the Upper Peninsula, one near Byron Center, and the other near Cascade, to be cared for during the summer months by the theological students of Hope College.

The Revs. A. Kriekard of Grand Rapids, D. Broek of Grandville, James F. Zwemer of Holland and T. W. Mullenburg of Grand Haven will represent the classis at the general synod of the church, which is to be held at New Brunswick, N. J., in June. As members of the council of Hope college the Rev. Peter De Pree of Grand Rapids and the Rev. D. Broek of Grandville were elected.

The Michigan classis closed its session Wednesday forenoon. There was very little business of importance before the meeting besides the receiv-

ing of communications from the various churches, which all showed an increase in membership and a better financial condition.

The classis nominated as delegates to the general synod the Revs. R. Blomendaal of Muskegon and S. M. Bayley of Centerville and Prof. J. T. Bergen of Holland.

Board of Supervisors.

The Board of Supervisors convened in special session Monday to discuss tax measures. Wm. D. Van Loo of Zeeland was elected chairman. He received 16 votes, J. Dykema 4, H. Pellegrom 1, Enno Pruim 1.

The board now has twelve republicans and ten democrats. Chairman Van Loo announced the following committees:

Finance—Messrs. Brusse, Brown, Hubbard, Van Noord, Durham.

Equalization—Dykema, Pellegrom, Van Noord, Souter, Hatch.

Taxes and Apportionment—Harrison, Veldman, Rutgers, Parks, Northhouse.

Criminal Bills—Souter, Clark, Ferguson.

Miscellaneous Claims—Pruim, Buck Vos.

Printing and Stationery—Clark, Parks, Dykema.

Forestry—Hubbard, Watson, Hatch.

Schools and Education—Brown, Rutgers, Woodbury.

Indemity and Poor—Vos, Durham, Buck.

Buildings and Grounds—Pellegrom, Pruim, Brusse.

Insane—Harrison, Woodbury, Ferguson.

Roads, Drains, and Ferries—Northhouse, Watson, Veldman.

The following criminal bills were allowed: Henry Dykhuys, \$1020.29; A. J. Klaver, \$55.70; C. Andre, \$46.00; Hans Dykhuys, \$61.89; C. Vander Noot \$73.65; F. H. Kamferbeek, \$88.19; John Van Anrooy, \$47.55; Hon. Geo. A. Farr, received \$259.32 for assisting Prosecutor McBride in the murder case. Justice fees as follows were allowed, C. T. Pagelson \$164.60; W. N. Angel, \$132; C. H. McBride \$24.75; Arthur Van Duren, \$86.15.

Albert Tanner was given a license to run a ferry at mouth of Black Lake.

The Board adjourned Wednesday forenoon. No action was taken in the matter of reducing the toll rates of Spring Lake bridge.

Meeting of Hope College Council.

The regular April-meeting of the Council of Hope College will take place at the Council Rooms in Holland, Michigan, on Wednesday, April 24th, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. All members of the Council will please take notice.

Dated April 5th, 1901.

G. J. DIEKEMA, Secretary of Council.

A Sure Hit.

J. H. LaPearl's combination of "sure Hits" will present the farce comedy "They Want Me" at the Lyceum Opera house tomorrow (Saturday) evening, April 13. Of this combination the Daily Times, Cambridge, Ohio, says:

"J. H. LaPearl's combination of 'Sure Hits' in the farce comedy, 'They Want Me,' at Hammond's Opera house last night was greeted with only a fair house. The audience was kept in continuous laughter from start to finish, and returned home expressing their appreciation of the performance. All the socialities were of the best and highly appreciated. The company travel in their own special car. Should Mr. LaPearl and his company return to this city beyond a doubt they would be greeted with a crowded house."

Choral Union Entertainment.

The Choral Union, of Hope College, is making elaborate preparations for the entertainment to be given at Winkants Chapel Monday evening, April 22 under the direction of Prof. J. B. Nykerk.

Miss Bessie Belle Thew, the well known Grand Rapids elocutionist, will give several recitations and Breyman's orchestra will assist in the rendition of Handel's Hallelujah chorus, besides contributing another number.

The chorus will consist of about 30 voices. The soloists are, the Misses Amy Dosker and Anna Sprietsma and Messrs. Fred Blowing and Henry Kleyn. Among the selections to be rendered by the chorus are:

Wreck of Hesperus.....Anderson.
O Italia Beloved.....Donatella.
Hallelujah.....Handel.
Praise Ye the Father.....Gounod.

The members of the L. L. L. are selling tickets and are meeting with success. Tickets are also on sale at W. H. Hardie's jewelry store. Price 25 cents.

Card of Thanks.

To the friends and neighbors for their kindly assistance and sympathy during the sickness and death of our beloved father, E. Winter, we extend heartfelt thanks.
Children of E. WINTER.

Certificate of Determination.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

The Board of County Canvassers of said County of Ottawa, having convened at the office of County Clerk, in said County, and examined the statements of votes given in the several Townships, Wards and precincts of said County at the General Election held on Monday the first day of April A. D. 1901.

Do hereby Certify, that they have determined that the whole number of votes given for the office of County Commissioner of Schools was Five Thousand Eight Hundred Thirty Five (5835) and they were given for the following persons viz: Benjamin R. McCrossen, received Three Thousand and Two Hundred Twenty (3220) Corn M. Goode now, received Two Thousand and Hundred Fifty (2950) Jacoba Van Zanten, received Three Hundred Eleven (311) A. L. Heath, received Fifty Three (53) Louis F. Ernst, received one (1). And do therefore declare that Benjamin R. McCrossen, has by the greatest number of Votes been elected to the office of County Commissioner of Schools for said County for the term of two years from and including the 1st day of July A. D. 1901.

Dated this 11th day of April A. D. 1901.

WM. H. SIVERS,
CHARLES M. KAY,
GERARD COOK.

Board of County Canvassers.

In testimony whereof the said Board of County Canvassers has caused these presents to be signed by its chairman and attested by its Secretary this 11th day of April, A. D. 1901, and directed the same to be published in accordance with law.

WM. H. SIVERS,
Chairman of the Board of County Canvassers.

Attest:
CHARLES K. HOYT, Secretary.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

I Charles K. Hoyt Clerk of said County do hereby Certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Certificate of Determination of the Board of County Canvassers of said County, that I have compared the same with the original now on record in my office and that it is a correct transcript of the whole thereof.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said County this 11th day of April, A. D. 1901.

CHARLES K. HOYT,
County Clerk of Ottawa County.

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Saturday, April 13

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FOR SALE—House and lot. Enquire at premises, 269 West Eleventh st, John Johnson.

FOR SALE—Steam Yacht Florence now at Reeds Lake, at a great bargain. Address, F. W. Berles, Grand Rapids, Mich. 18-3w

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