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# HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XX.

HOLLAND, MICH., SATURDAY, MAY 2, 1891.

NO. 14.

## HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

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

L. Mulder - Publisher.

Rates of advertising made known on application.  
"GRONDWET and News" Steam Printing House, River Street, Holland, Mich.

## Real Estate!

One new house and lot, on Twelfth st., easy payments, \$1,200.  
Rev. Steffens' house and beautiful lot, cor. Cedar and 10th st., reduced to \$3,000.  
One house and lot, corner Fourteenth and Market streets, \$250.

Call on me if you wish to inspect my list of houses and vacant lots.

Walter C. Walsh.  
Holland, Mich., Feb. 20, '91.

IF YOU WILL WRITE TO  
**J. H. BACHELER, M. D.,**  
CANCER SPECIALIST, 28 MONROE ST.,  
Grand Rapids, Michigan.

He will send you free a Circular, that carefully and fully describes the symptoms of all forms of cancer. The circular also gives the names and post office address of more than 100 persons who have cured cancer by his plaster treatment. Office hours: 10 to 12; 2 to 4 p. m.—Telephone No. 108.

**J. G. HUIZINGA, M. D.**

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.  
Special attention paid to diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat.  
Office in the Melville-Huntley Block, cor. of River and Eighth streets. Office hours—11 to 12 a. m., 1:30 to 4 p. m., and evenings.  
Can also be found at his office during the night.  
Holland, Mich., April 28, 1891.

## BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

### Attorneys and Justices.

**DIKEMA, G. J.,** Attorney at Law. Collections promptly attended to. Office, Van der Veen's block, Eighth street.  
**FAIRBANKS, L. J.,** Justice of the Peace, Notary Public and Pension Claim Agent, River St., near Tenth.  
**POST, J. C.,** Attorney and Counselor at Law. Office: Post's Block, corner Eighth and River streets.

### Bakeries.

**CITY BAKERY,** John Pensink Proprietor, Fresh Bread and Bakers' Goods, Confectionery, etc., Eighth street.

### Banks.

**FIRST STATE BANK,** with Savings Department, Capital, \$35,000. L. Cappon President; I. Marselle, Cashier. Eighth street.

### Barbers.

**BAUMGARTEL, W.,** Tonorial Parlor, Eighth and Cedar streets. Hair dressing promptly attended to.

### Commission Merchant.

**BEACH, W. H.,** Commission Merchant, and dealer in Grain, Flour and Produce. Highest market price paid for wheat. Office in Brick store, corner Eighth and Fish streets.

### Drugs and Medicines.

**CENTRAL DRUG STORE,** H. Kremers, M. D., Proprietor.

**DOESBURG, J. O.,** Dealer in Drugs and Medicines, Paints and Oils, Brushes, Toilet Articles and Perfumery, Imported Havana, Key West, and Domestic Cigars.

**SCHOUTEN, F. J., M. D.,** proprietor of First Ward Drug Store. Prescriptions carefully compounded day or night. Eighth street.

**WALSH, HEBER,** Druggist and Pharmacist; a full stock of goods appertaining to the business.

**YATES & KANE,** druggists and booksellers. Stock always fresh and complete, cor. Eighth and River streets.

### Dry Goods and Groceries.

**BERTSCH, D.,** dealer in Dry Goods, Fancy Goods and Furnishing Goods, Eighth street.

**BOOT & KRAMER,** dealer in Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., Eighth street next to Bank.

**CANDALL, S. R.,** dealer in Department Goods and Superior of Holland City Bazaar, Eighth street.

**DE JONGH, C.,** dealer in Dry Goods, Groceries, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, etc., Tenth street opp. Union School building.

**DE VRIES, D.,** dealer in General Merchandise, and Produce. Fresh Eggs and Dairy But-ter always on hand. River street, cor. Ninth.

**STREKETE, BASTIAN,** general dealer in Dry Goods and Groceries, Flour and Feed. The finest stock of Crochery in the city, cor. Eighth and River streets.

**VAN DER HAAR, H.,** general dealer in fine Groceries, etc. Oysters in season. Eighth street.

**VAN PUTTEN, G. & SONS,** General Dealers in Dry Goods, Groceries, Crochery, Hats and Caps, Flour, Provision, etc. River street.

**WISE, J.,** dealer in Notions and Fancy Goods, Also Hair Work. Eighth street opposite City Hall.

### Furniture.

**BROUWER, J. A. A.,** Dealer in Furniture, Carpets, Wall Paper, etc. Meyer, Brouwer & Co's old stand, River St.

### Hardware.

**KANTERS BROS.,** dealers in general hardware. Saws and gas fittings a specialty. No. 22 Eighth street.

**VAN DER VEEN, E.,** dealer in stoves, hardware, cutlery, etc. Tin and sheet iron ware. Corner River and Eighth streets.

### Manufactories, Mills, Shops, Etc.

**ALFMAN, J.,** Wagon and Carriage Manufacturer and blacksmith shop. Also manufacturer of Ox Yokes. River street.

**HOLLAND CITY BREWERY, A. Self, Proprietor,** capacity of Brewery 4,000 barrels. Cor. Maple and Tenth streets.

**HUNTLEY, A.,** Practical Machinist Mill and Engine Repairer a specialty. Shop on Seventh street, near River.

**HUNTLEY, J. A.,** Architect, Builder and Contractor. Office in New Mill and Factory on River street.

**KEYSTONE PLANING MILL, J. R. Kleyn, Proprietor,** Architect and Builder, dealer in Lumber, Lath, Shingles, and Brick. Sixth street.

**PHOENIX PLANING MILL, Scott & Schuurman, Proprietors,** dealer in lumber, lath, shingles and brick. River street.

### Merchant Tailors.

**PRUSSE BROS.,** Merchant Tailors.

### Meat Markets.

**DEKRAKER & DE KOSTER,** dealers in all kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats, River street.

### Physicians.

**HUIZINGA, J. G., M. D.,** Physician and Surgeon. Office cor. of River and Eighth Sts. Office hours from 10 to 11 a. m., 1 to 4 p. m., and 7 to 9 p. m. Diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat a specialty.

**KREMERS, H.,** Physician and Surgeon. Residence on Twelfth street, cor. of Market. Office at the drug store of Dr. Kremers. Office hours from 11 a. m. to 12 m., and from 6 to 6 p. m.

**MABBS, J. A.,** Physician and Surgeon. Office at Walsh's drug store. Residence, corner of Eighth and Fish streets. In the house formerly occupied by L. Sprickema. Office hours: 9 to 10 a. m., and 3 to 6 p. m.

### Saloons.

**BROWN, P.,** dealer in liquors and cigars of all kinds. Eighth street near River.

### Watches and Jewelry.

**BREYMAN, OTTO,** Watchmaker, Jeweler, and dealer in fancy goods. Corner of Market and Eighth streets.

**STEVENSON, C. A.,** successor to H. Wyck, Jeweler and Optician, Eighth street opposite Walsh's drug store.

### Miscellaneous.

**WOLTMAN, A.,** Manufacturer of Fine Havana Cigars, and dealer in Cigars, Tobacco, Pipes, etc.

**DE KEYSER, C.,** Newspaper and Periodical Subscription Agency. Leave order for any publication in U. S. or Canada with him at P. O.

**KEPPEL, T.,** dealer in lumber, lath, shingles, salt, land and calcined plaster. Corner Eighth and Cedar street.

### SOCIETIES.

**F. & A. M.**  
Regular Communications of UNITY LODGE, No. 191, F. & A. M., will be held at Masonic Hall (Holland, Mich.) at 7 o'clock on Wednesday evening, Jan. 2, Feb. 18, March 25, April 22, May 29, June 17, July 15, August 19, Sept. 16, Oct. 14, Nov. 11, Dec. 9. St. John's days: June 21 and December 27. O. BREYMAN, W. M. D. L. BOYD, Sec'y.

**K. O. T. M.**  
Crescent Tent, No. 68, meets in K. O. T. M. Hall at 7:30 p. m., on Monday night next. All six Knights are cordially invited to attend. Cheapest Life Insurance Order known. Full particulars given on application.  
JOHN J. CAPPON, Commander.  
W. J. DAVIDSON, R. K.

### THE MARKETS.

Wheat ½ bushel	@ 1 07
Barley ½ cwt.	@ 1 39
Corn ½ bushel	@ 70
Oats ½ bushel	@ 52
Clover seed ½ bushel	@ 3 75
Potatoes ½ bushel	@ 70
Flour ½ barrel	@ 5 80
Meal, bolted, ½ cwt.	@ 1 50
Cornmeal, untolled, ½ cwt.	@ 1 10
Ground feed ½ cwt.	@ 1 15
Middlings ½ cwt.	@ 1 10
Hay ½ ton	@ 9 00
Hay ½ ton	@ 9 00
Horsey	@ 16
Butter	@ 12
Eggs ½ dozen	@ 12
Wood, hard, dry ½ cord	@ 1 50
Chickens, dressed, 10 live 4 @ Sci.	@ 8
Beans ½ bushel	@ 1 75
Onions ½ bushel	@ 1 25

### Plants for Sale.

First premium Verbenas, Pansies, a choice variety of Geraniums for bedding, and other flower plants; cabbage, cauliflower, celery, lettuce, tomato and pepper plants, all for sale at my greenhouse on Eleventh street. With every dozen tomato plants bought at my greenhouse I will add free a choice novelty in tomatoes, and to the purchaser of \$1.00 worth of either flower or vegetable plants I will present a strong plant of the beautiful white Italian honeysuckle. Come and see my stock. Bulbs of the white garden lily (Lilium Candium) for sale in August.

Thompson & Edward's raw bone fertilizer constantly on hand and for sale, put up in small quantities for garden or lawn.

CHARLES S. DUTTON.  
Holland, Mich., April 22, '91. 13-3W

All colors and shades of carriage paint, in boxes of 50 and 75 cents, sufficient to paint any vehicle.

DR. WM. VAN PUTTEN.

### Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions; and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale at P. W. Kane's Drug Store.

### Bargains!

Before removing to Cleveland, Ohio I will sell at a bargain at my home, on Seventh street, (6 houses west of T. Keppel's) stoves, chairs, cradle, bead-stands and many other useful household articles.

HENRY STRAKS.  
Holland, Mich., April 23, 1891.

## CITY AND VICINITY.

Wheat \$1.07.

The Ottawa Furniture factory has placed a telephone in its office.

The schooner R. Kanters cleared this port on her first trip of the season, Monday.

Chauncey Dewey predicts President Harrison's renomination and re-election. So does ex-Senator Palmer, of this state.

A. W. Baker has sold out his dray and business to Messrs. Lievens & Deur, of this city, who will continue the business "at the old stand."

The official returns of the Suez canal traffic show that in tonnage of vessels passed, England ranks first, Germany second, France third and Holland fourth.

The Walsh-DeRoo Milling Co., intending to erect a grain elevator on Fifth street, north of their mill, will connect the two by a wooden bridge across said street.

G. H. Tribune: By an unavoidable accident, one of Justema Bros' large plate glass windows was broken Monday morning entailing a loss of \$75. A swinging sign was blown against the glass.

Mayor Yates left for Buffalo, N. Y., Wednesday morning, to attend the National Convention of Railroad Surgeons held there this week. The doctor is the local assistant for the C. & W. M. at this point and vicinity.

Louis Kossuth, now in the 89th year, has written a letter to a friend in Berlin, in which he says that his mind is as active as ever, but that he is nearly blind and consequently much hindered in his literary work, as he can't wear glasses.

The steam barge Root cleared Monday afternoon from Grand Haven with a dredge and two dump scows in tow. Just this side of Pentwater one of the scows got loose and went on the beach. The balance of the fleet got into Pentwater safely.

In view of the early improvement of Pine street, steps have been taken to change the course of Tannery Creek, where it crosses Eighth and Pine streets. The new ditch, about twelve rods further west, has already been dug north of Eighth street.

The present indications throughout Michigan continue to warrant the prediction that every kind of fruit will be cheaper this year than sugar. There never has, within the memory of the oldest, been as favorable a winter as last, the mercury never once falling to a danger point.

Friday noon the residence of R. W. Duncan, Grand Haven, was on fire in the roof. The progress of the flames was promptly checked. Mr. Duncan was able to walk to one of the neighbors, although very sick, and is none the worse for the excitement. The loss will not exceed \$500; covered by insurance.

Grand Haven city officials have been allowed the following salaries for the ensuing year: Chief engineer of fire department, \$350; assistant chief, \$75; firemen, \$60; marshal and harbor master, \$600; street commissioner and commissioner of water works, \$150 per day; night watchman, lamp lighting, cleaning and extinguishing, \$50 per month; city attorney, \$300; recorder, \$425; city sexton, \$30 per month.

The members of A. C. Van Raalte Post, G. A. R., have gathered the remains of several deceased comrades, scattered throughout Pilgrim Home Cemetery and re-buried them in the Soldiers' Plot set apart for the purpose. Those now resting there are: William Blom, Fred Van den Belt, Martin Van de Vrede, Henry Dykema, Martinus Bongarts, Jacob Louis and J. Roodhuisen. There are four more, buried in the rural cemeteries of this vicinity, who will likely be added to the number.

The board of trustees of Pilgrim Home Cemetery met Tuesday evening and organized for the fiscal year by the election of R. Kanters, president, T. Keppel, vice president, and J. Dykema secretary and treasurer. A committee was appointed to negotiate for the purchase of an additional tract of about one acre adjoining the cemetery east, sufficient to take in a part of the grove there, and so as to straighten the western boundary line due north and south. For the present the board has made no change in the prices of graves. Those desiring to purchase will do well to avail themselves of the low schedule at which they are offered. It would also aid the board materially in paying off the balance due on their recent purchase and make some more desired improvements.

T. W. McLellan, postmaster at Denison, Ottawa county, died Sunday.

Rev. A. Wormser preached his farewell sermon at Grand Haven, Sunday.

Three coaches of emigrants from the Netherlands arrived at Grand Rapids, Friday.

H. Boone has been remodeling his livery barn inside. It will also be lighted with electricity.

K. Schaddelee is suffering from a swollen knee, and limping about the house with the aid of two canes.

The Detroit Free Press will next Sunday celebrate the 60th anniversary of its publication, with a special historical edition.

A special notice of Messrs. Hellen-thal & Plaggenman, calling attention to their famous stallion "Sir Walter," is found elsewhere.

A popular election will be held at the River street jewelry store of L. P. Husen—but not on the Australian system. See notice elsewhere.

Rev. H. Uterwick, of Grand Rapids, will preach a farewell sermon in the Third Ref. church, Sunday afternoon, before leaving for his new charge in the east.

The common council has fixed the amount of the city license for the ensuing year, to be paid by saloon keepers in addition to the special tax of \$500, at one hundred dollars.

We are glad to say that the merchants here who advertise in the News have never had a better and cheaper line of goods than they are now offering to the public of Holland and vicinity.

Hard luck seems to be in store for the steamer A. C. Van Raalte, of late years. She barely escaped total destruction last fall, and on Monday she sank in the river at Chicago, while engaged as a sand steamer.

Superintendent J. K. V. Agnew and General Passenger Agent De Haven of the C. & W. M., accompanied by C. A. Southwick, who will manage the Hotel Ottawa this season, went to Ottawa Beach Saturday, to examine the property.

A great sensation was caused in New York, Saturday, by a rumor generally circulated that Secretary Blaine had been shot by an Italian desperado. The story was not credited long, because prompt contradiction came from Washington.

Whatever may be said with reference to the backwardness of the season, it does not apply to the crop of hemlock bark. Last Saturday the first load of bark, of this season's peeling, was brought in at the north side tannery of the C. & B. Leather Co., by C. M. Brown, of the lake shore. This is about three weeks earlier than usual. The price paid for bark this spring is \$6.

Saturday evening, shortly after six o'clock, Mrs. G. Smeenge, formerly Mrs. Q. Huyzer, died very suddenly at her home on Fish street, of heart trouble after a very brief and apparent slight illness. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the First Ref. church, of which she was a member. Rev. Dr. Steffens, assisted by Rev. H. Dosker, officiating. The deceased was thirty-three years of age, and leaves a husband and two children who with a large host of friends deeply mourn her loss.

The citizens of Grandville held an enthusiastic mass meeting the other evening, for the purpose of discussing plans to build up the village, and especially to canvass the question of securing concessions from the C. & W. M. relative to the train service, so as to accommodate laboring men and women who reside in Grandville but work in Grand Rapids. The improvements decided on are to tear down worthless buildings and fences; repair and paint others; set out and prune trees; move barns back from the street, build sidewalks and clear wagons and debris from the highway.—G. R. Democrat.

The U. S. Dredge Farquhar has been at work at our harbor the past two weeks. Up to last Saturday night she did not lose any time on account of bad weather, and has put in full work every day. The dredge has opened a single cut, from deep water inside Black Lake 25 feet wide on bottom and 15 deep, nearly to the light house. The intention is to make a clean cut through from deep water inside to deep water outside, and then go back and widen the channel out to the depth of 15 ft. The U. S. government intend to make our harbor deep enough to accommodate the new Milwaukee line, and all others. The Chicago line will commence about May 15th. The parties are already considering the building of a new and large boat expressly for this line.

J. Kramer is enlarging his residence on Eleventh street.

The sweet singers are being heard in our city at all hours of the night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Oggel celebrated their silver wedding, Saturday of last week.

Just now house cleaning and young onions interfere sadly with evening arrangements.

Young man, be industrious and honest, pay no attention to the slanderer and loafer; but onward and upward.

Evert Ellen and family have left the farm on the county line south-east of the city and taken up their abode at East Saugatuck.

The Muskegon Boiler Works has a contract for making a large boiler for C. L. King & Co.'s new factory at Holland.—Chronicle

The long pending negotiations by a New York syndicate for the purchase of the several plaster mills near Grand Rapids have fallen through.

In this week's issue of the News appears the card of Dr. J. G. Huizinga. Special attention is paid by the doctor to diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat.

Besides the grading and graveling of Pine and Maple streets, this summer, an effort will be made by the property owners on Fourteenth street, to have that street also improved.

The grading on the west end of Bay View spur is practically finished; all it needs to connect with the head of the lake is the filling of the marsh between; and this is being pushed right along.

"When my Ship Comes Over the Sea," the latest musical hit. Price seventy-five cents. Special price, for introduction, post-paid, forty cents. Address, Will L. Thompson & Co., 259 Wabash Ave., Chicago.

The Kent County board of supervisors have taken the contract of the new courthouse out of the hands of the contractors and will finish the building themselves. Efforts will be made to have it completed by Dec. 31.

The Secretary of War has ordered Capt. Gardener, U. S. A., to visit the encampment of the Michigan militia at Whitmore Lake, July 16 to 20, 1891, and make an inspection of the state troops and report the same to the inspector-general of the army at Washington.

One day last week several emigrant families arrived at Muskegon from the Netherlands. One of them got off the train at Ferrysburg to make arrangements for some eatables, but the train pulled out and he was left. He walked from Ferrysburg, arriving at Muskegon all right.

Rev. N. M. Steffens, D. D., was presented on Friday with a copy of the famous Herzog Plitt Encyclopedia of Theology. This magnificent work in eighteen volumes is, for a theologian, of the greatest value. It is printed at Leipzig and is entirely in German. It was a gift from the members of the First Ref. church.

Elling Carlsen, a Norwegian, has discovered the house occupied 300 years ago on the north coast of Nova Zembla by the Dutch explorer Barentz, and has transferred to the Marine Department of The Hague an old clock, a quadrant, and some books, found in the house, which was covered with ice and snow.

Hope church pulpit will be supplied Sunday morning by Rev. Dr. Scott, and in the evening by Rev. H. Uterwick. The evening service is at the special request of Mr. U.'s many friends in this city, made in view of his early departure for East Canaan, Conn., where he will assume charge of a Congregational church.

John Rosendahl, a young man nearly 21 years of age, died very suddenly at his home on River street, Tuesday morning after a brief illness. The funeral took place Thursday afternoon. About fifty of the employees of the West Michigan furniture factory, where he was employed, with others of the north side tannery, escorted the remains to the grave.

Among the clergy that visited our city this week, in connection with the annual commencement of the theol. seminary, we notice Revs. J. De Spelder, Jas. F. Zwemer, James De Pree, of Sioux county, Ia.; E. Winter, P. De Pree, A. Boursema, of Grand Rapids; B. Van Ess, G. J. Heekhuis, of Rose-land; J. Huizinga, Holland, Neb.; G. De Jong, Vriesland; W. Moerdyk, Muskegon; D. Broek, Detroit; J. J. Van Zanten, Grand Haven; G. H. Strabbing, Hamilton; C. John, Forest Grove; J. Van Der Meulen, Fillmore.

Work has begun at Muskegon harbor.

At Coopersville dogs are dying from the gripe.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Conkright, Saturday, a ten-pound boy.

Allie Van Raalte expects to have the street sprinkler out, next week.

The Waverly Stone Co. are shipping from ten to fifteen car loads of stone daily.

The Martha Washington social club will give a dance this (Friday) evening at Lyceum Opera House, and a supper at Odd Fellow's Hall.

## Personal Mention.

Mrs. O. E. Yates visited Grand Rapids, Tuesday.

C. Van Loo of Zeeland was in the city Saturday.

J. J. Cappon went to Allegan on a business trip, Wednesday.

Mrs. P. Conley went to Chicago this week, to do her spring shopping.

Miss Kate Birkhoff, of Chicago, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Prof. H. Boers.

R. E. Werkman and J. Beukema left Thursday on a visit to Detroit and Toledo.

A. Herold, of the Valley City, made a brief visit with his parents here, Tuesday.

D. Schram, of the G. R. Standaard, made the News office a friendly call, Wednesday.

James Bush has accepted a position as clerk on the steamer Kalamazoo, for the coming season.

Miss Carrie Purdy has been confined to her home, with malarial fever, for the past two weeks.

Miss Seba Zwaluenburg, of Kalamazoo, is making a short stay with her sister, Mrs. Dr. Kremers.

Ben Moes went to Fremont, Neb., Wednesday evening, to visit his brother Nick, formerly of this city.

J. C. Benjamin has rented the dwelling rooms on Eighth street, formerly occupied by Mrs. D. M. Gee.

P. W. Kane has gone to Canada and will return with his nephew, who will also make this city his home.

J. B. Brown, of Agnew, will return to Holland to take charge of the ticket office at the C. & W. M. depot.

James Meeuwse and family have left the city and moved on the farm formerly occupied by Evert Ellen.

Editor Bassett, of the Allegan Record, was in the city Monday, and favored the News office with a call.

Asst. Supt. Conley of the C. & W. M., accompanied Manager Heald and Supt. Agnew to Muskegon, Monday.

Rev. Wm. Moerdyke and wife are spending a few days at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Pauels.

Mrs. Christian Bertsch and daughter of Grand Rapids spent Sunday in this city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Herold.

J. Martin returned from Grand Rapids, Saturday. Though still weak from his recent attack of the gripe, he is recovering.

Will Nye has resigned his position as local ticket agent of the C. & W. M., and accepted an offer of fireman on the road.

Wm. Widdicombe and wife and Miss Robinson, of Grand Rapids, visited this city and surrounding country, Wednesday.

Mrs. George Osborne was taken sick this week while calling at her son, Charles, and has not yet been able to return to her home.



## HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

L. MULDER, Publisher.  
Holland, - - Mich.

### The President Among the Southern People.

President Harrison continues to rivet the attention of the country by his felicitous, comprehensive and pithy addresses to the people, especially in the southern and southeastern states. The reception given to him at Galveston was at once the most elaborate and the most enthusiastic that the President has met with. In fact, the steady increase of the size and cordiality of the receptions given to him have been both remarkable and natural. The report of his successive speeches in the Southeastern newspapers have made the people of that region more and more familiar with the President's matchless style of talking on great national questions involving the prosperity, progress and development of all sections, and they have been forced to admire his power of terse and logical statement and his frank reliance on the willingness of his hearers to be interested in his appeals, and to look at national measures from both a local and a Republican standpoint.

In Galveston he had the time to make a very elaborate and comprehensive speech, the reception of which shows that President Harrison has the genius and courage and tact needed to advocate Protection and Reciprocity, River and Harbor Improvements and Postal Bounties as peculiarly important for the development of the Southeast. His glowing defense of the Postal Bounties law and advocacy of the Nicaragua Canal project stirred up their enthusiasm and patriotism, and concluded a speech that will set the intelligent and enterprising citizens of the Southeast to thinking, and to some purpose.

The President has demonstrated that he can make speeches that are non-partisan and national in their spirit, while they present in the most winning way the beneficence of the great measures enacted by the last Congress, and in whose continuance the Southeast has the deepest interest. He also opened the way for other leaders to talk as he had talked, and for opening the eyes of the people in that section to the folly of the reactionist policy that would, if enacted in laws repealing the Tariff, Reciprocity, and Postal Bounties legislation, be a blow at all the honest enterprises and interests of that section.

### Hog could not Move.

Cured by the use of Steketee's Hog Cholera Cure. Read:

G. G. STEKETEE:—Please send me two more packages of your Hog Cholera Cure. I gave the last I got from you to a sick hog that could not move itself, and now it can get up and come to the trough for feed. I want to feed this lot mostly to my horses. I believe it is a good remedy.  
Taylor, Wis. B. E. COLBY.

Saved his hog at an expense of two packages of Hog Cholera Cure. If your druggists do not keep it, then send 60 cents to G. G. Steketee, of Grand Rapids, Michigan. 9-3m

Chamois, Sponges, etc., cheap at 10tf Dr. Wm. VAN PUTTEN.

Paint and Whitewash Brushes, a complete assortment, at 10tf Dr. Wm. VAN PUTTEN.

### The Louisiana Lottery.

The supreme court of Louisiana has rendered a decision in favor of the lottery, against which there is no appeal. It is of great importance to the people of Louisiana, as it involves their right to vote upon a constitutional amendment providing for an annual increase to the revenues of the State of \$1,250,000. As a result of the opinion Louisiana will witness one of the most exciting political fights ever waged in the State between two factions of the democratic party. The State election takes place next April.

The fight over the constitutional amendment submitted to the last legislature is well remembered. After a hard struggle the legislature passed the resolution to submit the amendment to a vote of the people by a two-thirds vote in both houses. The resolution was vetoed by the governor. The house passed the measure over the veto by a two-thirds vote, but before the senate could take action one of the senators who had supported the lottery died. As this made it impossible for the senate to raise the necessary two-thirds vote to overcome the veto, the lottery sympathisers in the senate decided that the governor had no right to pass upon a measure submitting a constitutional amendment to the people. The house acquiesced in this view and rescinded the vote nullifying the veto. The secretary of state, however, stood by the governor and refused to issue the necessary proclamation submitting the matter to the electors. The present action for mandamus to compel the secretary of state to act in the matter was the result, and today's decision is, therefore, a great victory for the lottery men.

As you like it. Gray and faded whiskers may be changed to their natural and even color—brown or black—by using Buckingham's Dye. Try it.

### Farmers, Read This!

LOST HALF PACKAGE—And the other half cured two hogs.

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Time was when the city of Washington was a by-word on the tongues of all, the place being a mere morass and a mudhole. Today, however, in her majestic public buildings, her handsome lanes, her fine streets, her pleasant suburbs, she rivals the capitals of the world.

The so-called "good old times," the days of Benton, Cass, Webster, Clay and Calhoun, were essentially rough times. At that period every gentleman carried his dueling pistols; he who could invent a new drink was considered a great man. In the House, the language used, if employed today, would put the Representative beyond the pale of society. In Jackson's time punch was prepared at the White House in barrels; the people came, and, so it is said, stood on the satin furniture. Today all is changed, and at the entertainments at the White House the people, particularly the poor people, are always welcome. Past, likewise, are the good old days of social tipping; likewise also the time when, with public sanction, a Senator could drink himself into unconsciousness at a public dinner.

That mere wealth gives social position is not true of Washington society; on the contrary, the would-be social aspirant must show himself possessed of some intrinsic personal merit. He had seen a poor clerk obtain more attention than a ten-millionaire; he had seen a poor mechanic obtain an audience with a Cabinet officer while some millionaire stood waiting outside; he had seen a President take into his carriage a homeless child, frightened in a thunder storm in the street. Even the American craze for titles is not sanctioned or upheld at Washington.

Less display of wealth is made in Washington than in New York. At the capital all the rooms in a house are living rooms; the little dinner party for twelve or eighteen is one of the most delightful social events of the season. The typical American gentleman, as found in Washington society, rivals the world.

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In presenting his latest gift of \$75,000 to the Muskegon board of education, last week, Mr. Hackley closed with the following remarks, which are worthy of the attention of all those charged with the supervision and instruction in our public schools:

"In this connection, I trust that I may be pardoned for saying that while I am warmly in favor of a 'higher education' for those whose means and leisure will permit, I am not unmindful of the fact that a large majority of the boys and girls who leave our grammar schools, and even of those who enter our high school, will be working men and women.

There are many intelligent people who are not satisfied that the courses of study ordinarily prescribed in the high schools are those best adapted to the needs of the great body of pupils. How much justice there may be in this dissatisfaction I would not undertake to say, but I have the conviction that it is not wholly without foundation. I venture to express the hope, therefore, that should the erection of a new high school building be determined on, you will take reasonable measures to secure reasonable provision for that education which will best tend to fit our youth for good citizenship, and for an intelligent and faithful discharge of the varied duties of life; that they may cultivate frugality; that they may regard manual labor as honorable; that they may aspire to a high standard of character rather than of wealth; that they may be moral in their lives, diligent in their pursuits; that they may become upright, self-reliant, zealous American men and women. If so, it will be the highest gratification I can experience to have contributed in some measure to that result of their training in the Muskegon schools."

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Holland, Mich., April 2, 1891. 10tf.

At the recent meeting of the Western Commercial Congress, at Kansas City, one of the delegates, Mr. Wickliffe of New Orleans, delivered himself of the following sentiment on the problem of emigration: "We have all been told that this land is broad enough for all, but I submit that the countries of the other world have made it the dumping-ground for their paupers and criminal classes, and I believe that I speak for the whole American people when I say that the time has come when that must stop. There is enough room for all who want to come here to be one of us, but not a foot of ground for one of those paupers and criminals of the Old World. I may feel deeply upon the subject, but I have lately come fresh from a most terrible object lesson which too clearly indicates the need of a change of our immigration laws."

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# THE NEW TABERNACLE.

## TALMAGE'S GRAPHIC REVIEW OF THE BUILDING.

The Passage of Jordan by the Israelites—The Many Discouragements in Building the New Structure—Stones from Sinai and Athens—A Church for All.

Six thousand persons were present at the dedication of the new Brooklyn Tabernacle, and many thousands were turned away. Text, "What mean ye by these stones?" (Joshua iv. 6).

The Jordan, like the Mississippi, has bluffs on the one side and flats on the other. Here and there a sycamore shadows it. Here and there a willow dips into it. It was only a little over waist deep in December as I waded through it, but in the months of April and May the snows on Mount Lebanon thaw and flow down into the valley, and then the Jordan overflows its banks. Then it is wide, deep, raging and impetuous. At this season of the year I hear the tramp of 40,000 armed men coming down to cross the river. You say, why do they not go up nearer the rise of the river at the old camel ford? Ah! my friends, it is because it is not safe to go around when the Lord tells us to go ahead. The Israelites had been going around forty years, and they had enough of it. I do not know how it is with you, my brethren, but I have always got into trouble when I went around, but always not into safety when I went ahead.

There spreads out the Jordan, a raging torrent, much of it snow water just come down from the mountain top; and I see some of the Israelites shivering at the idea of plunging in, and one soldier says to his comrade, "Joseph, can you swim?" And another says: "If we get across the stream we will get there with wet clothes and with damaged armor, and the Canaanites will slash us to pieces with their swords before we get up the other bank." But it is no time to talk. The great host marches on.

On the left hand God piles up a great mountain of floods; on the right, the water flows off toward the sea. The great river for hours halts and rears. The back water not being able to flow over the passing Israelites, pile wave on wave until perhaps a sea bird would find some difficulty in sealing the water cliff. Now the priests and all the people have gone over on dry land. The water on the left hand side by this time has reached the sea; and now that the miraculous passage has been made, stand back and see this stupendous pile of waters leap. God takes his hand from that wall of floods, and like a hundred cataracts they plunge and roar in thunderous triumph to the sea.

How are they to celebrate this passage? Shall it be with music? I suppose the trumpet and cymbals were all worn out before this. Shall it be with banners waving? Oh, no; they are all faded and torn. Joshua cries out, "I will tell you how to celebrate this—build a monument here to commemorate the event; and every priest puts a heavy stone on his shoulder and marches out, and drops that stone in the divinely appointed place. I see the pile growing in height, in breadth, in significance; and in after years, men went by that spot and saw this monument, and cried out one to another, in fulfillment of the prophecy of the text, 'What meant ye by these stones?'

Blessed be God, He did not leave our church in the wilderness. We have been wandering about for a year and a half worshipping in the Academy of Music, Brooklyn, and the Academy of Music, New York. And some thought we would never reach the promised land. Some said we had better take this route and others that. Some said we had better go back, and some said there were sons of Anak in the way that would eat us up, and before the smoke had cleared away from the sky after our tabernacle had been consumed, people stood on the very site of the place and said, "This church will never again be built." We came down to the bank of Jordan; we looked off upon the waters. Some of the sympathy that was expressed turned out to be snow water melted from the top of Lebanon. Some said, "You had better not go in; you will get your feet wet." But we waded in, pastor and people, father and farther, and in some way, the Lord only knows how, we got through; and to-night I go all around about this great house, erected by your prayers and sympathies and sacrifices, and cry out in the words of my text, "What mean ye by these stones?"

It is an outrage to build a house like this, so vast and so magnificent, unless there be some tremendous reasons for doing it; and so, my friends, I pursue you to-night with the question of my text, and demand of these trustees and of these elders and of all who have contributed in the building of this structure, "What mean ye by these stones?" But before I get your answer to my question you interrupt me and point to the memorial wall at the side of this pulpit, and say, "Explain that unusual group of memorials. What mean you by those stones?" By permission of the people of my beloved charge I recently visited the Holy Lands, and having in mind by day and night during my absence this rising house of prayer, I bethought myself, "What can I do to make that place significant and glorious?"

On the morning of December the 3d we were at the foot of the most sacred mountain of all the earth, Mount Calvary. There is no more doubt of the locality than of Mount Washington or Mount Blanc. On the bluff of this mountain, which is the shape of the human skull, and so called in the Bible, "The place of a skull," there is room for three crosses. There I saw a stone so suggestive I rolled it down the hill and transported it. It is at the top of this wall, a white stone, with crimson veins running through it—the white typical of purity, the crimson suggestive of the blood that paid the price of our redemption. We place it at the top of the memorial wall, for above all in this church for all time, in sermon

and song and prayer, shall be the sacrifice of Mount Calvary. Look at it. That stone was one of the rocks rent at the crucifixion. That heard the cry, "It is finished." Was every church on earth honored with such a memorial?

Beneath are two tables of stone, which I had brought from Mount Sinai where the law was given. Three camels were three weeks crossing the desert to fetch them. When at Cairo, Egypt, I proposed to the Christian Arab that he bring one stone from Mount Sinai, he said, "We can easier bring two rocks than one, for one must balance them on the back of the camel," and I did not think until the day of their arrival how much more suggestive would be the two, because the law was written on two tables of stone. Those stones marked with the words, "Mount Sinai" felt the earthquake that shook the mountains when the law was given. The lower stone of the wall is from Mars Hill, the place where Paul stood when he preached that famous sermon on the brotherhood of the human race, declaring, "God hath made of one blood all nations."

Since Lord Elgin took the famous statue from the Acropolis, the hill adjoining Mars Hill, the Greek Government makes it impossible to transport to other lands any antiquities, and armed soldiery guard not only the Acropolis but Mars Hill. That stone I obtained by special permission from the Queen of Greece, a most sagacious and brilliant woman, who received us as though we had been old acquaintances, and through Mr. Tricoupis, Prime Minister of Greece, and Mr. Snowden, our American Minister Plenipotentiary, and Dr. Manatt, our American Consul, that suggestive tablet was saved from the pulpit of rock on which Paul preached. Now you understand why we have marked it "The Gospel." Long after my lips shall utter in this church their last message, these lips of stone will tell of the Law, and the Sacrifices, and the Gospel. This day I present them to this church and to all who shall gaze upon them. Thus you have my answer to the question, "What mean ye by these stones?"

But you cannot divert me from the text as I first put it. I have interpreted these four memorials on my right hand, but there are hundreds of stones in these surrounding walls and underneath us, in the foundations, and rising above us, in the towers. The quarries of this and transatlantic countries at the call of crowbar and chisel have contributed toward this structure. "What mean ye by these stones?"

You mean among other things that they shall be an earthly residence for Christ. Christ did not have much of a home when He was here. Who and where is that child crying? It is Jesus, born in an out-house. Where is that hard breathing? It is Jesus, asleep on a rock. Who is that in the back part of the fishing smack, with a sailor's rough overcoat thrown over him? It is Jesus the worn out voyager. O Jesus! is it not time that thou hadst a house? We give thee this. Thou didst give it to us first, but we give it back to thee. It is too good for us, but not half good enough for thee. Oh! come in and take the best seat here. Walk up and down all these aisles. Speak through these organ pipes. Throw thine arm over us in these arches. In the flaming of these brackets of fire speak to us, saying, "I am the light of the world." O King! make this thine audience chamber. Here proclaim righteousness and make treaties. We clap our hands, we uncover our heads, we lift our ensigns, we cry with multitudinous acclamation until the place rings and the heavens listen, "O King! live forever!"

Is it not time that He who was born in a stranger's house and buried in a stranger's grave should have an earthly house? Come in, O Jesus! not the corpse of a buried Christ, but a radiant and triumphant Jesus, conqueror of earth and Heaven and hell.

He lives, all glory to His name. He lives, my Jesus, still the same. Oh, the sweet joy this sentence gives—I know that my Redeemer lives. Blessed be His glorious name forever! Again, if any one asks the question of the text, "What mean ye by these stones?" the reply is we mean the communion of saints. Do you know that there is not a single denomination of Christians in Brooklyn that has not contributed something toward the building of this house? And if ever, standing in this place, there shall be a man who shall try by anything he says to stir up bitterness between different denominations of Christians, may his tongue falter, and his cheek blanch, and his heart stop! My friends, if there is any church on earth where there is a mingling of all denominations it is our church. I just wish that John Calvin and Arminius, if they were not too busy, would come out on the battlements and see us.

Sometimes in our prayer-meetings I have heard brethren use the phrases of a beautiful liturgy, and we know where they come from; and in the same prayer-meetings I have heard brethren make audible ejaculation, "Amen!" "Praise ye the Lord!" and we did not have to guess twice where they came from. When a man knocks at our church door, if he comes from a sect where they will not give him a certificate, we say: "Come in by confession of faith." While Adoniram Judson the Baptist, and John Wesley the Methodist, and John Knox the glorious old Scotch Presbyterian are shaking hands in Heaven, all churches on earth can afford to come into close communication: "One Lord, one faith, one baptism." Oh, my brethren, we have had enough of Big Bethel lights—the Fourteenth New York Regiment fighting the Fifteenth Massachusetts Regiment. Now, let all those who are for Christ and stand on the same side go shoulder to shoulder, and this church, instead of having a sprinkling of the divine blessing, go clear under the wave in one glorious immersion in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost.

I saw a little child once, in its dying hour, put one arm around its father's neck and the other arm around its mother's neck and bring them close down to its dying lips and give a last kiss. Oh, I said, those two persons will stand very near to each other always after such an interlocking. The dying Christ puts one arm around this denomination of Christians, and the other arm around that denomination of Christians, and He brings them down to His dying lips and says: "My peace I leave with you. My peace I give unto you."

How swift the heavenly course they run, Whose hearts and faith and hopes are one. I heard a Baptist minister once say that he thought in the millennium it would be all one great Baptist Church, and I heard a Methodist minister say that he thought in the great millennial day it would be all one great Methodist Church; and I have known a Presbyterian minister who thought that in the millennial day it would be all one great

Presbyterian Church. Now I think they are all mistaken. I think the millennial church will be a composite church; and just as you may take the best parts of five or six tunes, and under the skillful hands of a Handel, Mozart, or Beethoven entwine them into one grand and overpowering symphony, so, I suppose, in the latter days of the world, God will take the best parts of all denominations of Christians, and weave them into one great ecclesiastical harmony, broad as the earth and high as the Heavens, and that will be the church of the future. Or, as mosaic is made up of jasper and agate and many precious stones cemented together—mosaic a thousand feet square in St. Mark's, or mosaic hoisted in colossal scaphin in St. Sophia—so I suppose God will make, after awhile, one great blending of all creeds, and all faiths, and all Christian sentiments, the amethyst, and the jasper, and the chalcidony of all different experiences and belief, cemented side by side in the great mosaic of the ages; and while the nations look upon the columns and architraves of that stupendous church of the future, and cry out, "What mean ye by these stones?" there shall be innumerable voices to respond, "We mean the Lord God omnipotent reigneth."

Still further, you mean by these stones the salvation of the people. We did not build this church for mere worldly reforms, or for an educational institution, or as a platform upon which to read essays and philosophical disquisitions, but a place for the tremendous work of soul saving. Oh, I had rather be the means in this church of having one soul prepared for a joyous eternity than five thousand souls prepared for mere worldly success. All churches are in two classes, all communities in two classes, all the race in two classes—believers and unbelievers. To augment the number of the one and subtract from the number of the other we built this church, and toward that supreme and eternal idea we dedicate all our sermons, all our songs, all our prayers, all our Sabbath handshakings. We want to throw defection into the enemy's ranks. We want to make them either surrender unconditionally to Christ or else fly in rout, scattering the way with canebrakes, blankets, and knapsacks. We want to popularize Christ. We would like to tell the story of His love here until men would feel that they would rather live than live another hour without His sympathy and love and mercy. We want to rouse up an enthusiasm for Him greater than was felt for Nathaniel Lyon when he rode along the ranks; greater than was exhibited for Wellington when he came back from Waterloo; greater than was expressed for Napoleon when he stepped ashore from Elba. We really believe in this place Christ will enact the same scenes that were enacted by Him when He landed in the Orient, and there will be such an opening of blind eyes and unstopping of deaf ears and casting out of unclean spirits such silencing bestormed Gennesarets as shall make this house memorable five hundred years after you and I are dead and forgotten. Oh, my friends, we want but one revival in this church, that beginning now and running on to the day when the chisel of time, that brings down even St. Paul's and the Pyramids, shall bring this house into the dust.

Oh, that this day of dedication might be the day of emancipation of all imprisoned souls. My friends, do not make the blunder of the ship carpenters in Noah's time, who helped to build the ark, but did not get into it. God forbid that you who have been so generous in building this church should not get under its saving influence. "Come thou and all thy house into the ark." Do you think a man is safe out of Christ? Not one day, not one hour, not one minute, not one second. Three or four years ago, you remember, a rail train broke down a bridge on the way to Albany, and after the catastrophe they were looking around among the timbers of the crushed bridge and the fallen train and found the conductor. He was dying, and had only strength to say one thing, and that was, "Hoist the flag for the next train." So there come to us to-night, from the eternal word, voices of angels, voices of departed spirits, crying: "Lift the warning. Blow the trumpet. Give the alarm. Hoist the flag for the next train."

Oh, that to-night my Lord Jesus would sweep His arm around this great audience and take you all to His holy heart. You will never see so good a time for personal consecration as now. "What mean ye by these stones?" We mean your redemption from sin and death and hell by the power of an omnipotent gospel. Well, the Brooklyn Tabernacle is erected again. We came here to-night not to dedicate it. That was done this morning. To-night we dedicate ourselves. In the Episcopal and Methodist churches they have a railing around the altar, and the people come and kneel down at that railing and get the sacramental blessing. Well, my friends, it would take more than a night to gather you in circles around this altar. Then just bow where you are for the blessing. Aged men, this is the last church that you will ever dedicate. May the God who comforted Jacob the Patriarch, and Paul the aged, make this house to you the gate of Heaven; and when, in your old days, you put on your spectacles to read the hymn or the Scripture lesson, may you get preparation for that land where you shall no more see through a glass darkly. May the warm sunshine of Heaven thaw the snow off your foreheads!

Men in midlife, do you know that this is the place where you are going to get your fatigues rested and your sorrows appeased and your souls saved? Do you know that at this altar your sons and daughters will take upon themselves the vows of the Christian, and from this place you will carry out, some of you, your precious dead? Between this baptismal font and this communion table you will have some of the tenderest of life's experiences. God bless you, old and young and middle aged. The money you have given to this church to-day will be, I hope, the best financial investment you have ever made. Your worldly investments may depend upon the whims of the money market, or the honesty of business associates, but the money you have given to the house of the Lord shall yield you large percentage, and declare eternal dividends long after the noonday sun shall have gone out like a spark from a smitten anvil and all the stars are dead.

It is said that one of poor Anna Dickinson's manias is enmity of Mrs. Leslie Carter. She regards Mrs. Carter's conspicuousness on the stage as a personal outrage, and voices her resentment in addresses to imaginary audiences.

## DIED FOR HER HOME.

### Desperate Battle at Ade's in the Coke Region Growing Out of Evictions.

Threats have been turned to violence and violence has again caused death in the Pennsylvania coke regions, with the result that Company C has been called to the scene of the tragedy and all is in a ferment. Officers went to Adelaide, where they made two evictions after a great deal of trouble and opposition. They were then overpowered by the strikers and driven away. Re-enforced by Sheriff McCormick and a large force the deputies returned, when a pitched battle took place between the sheriff's posse and about 300 Hungarian men and women, in which a Hungarian man was killed, another woman fatally wounded, and other persons injured, among whom are several deputies. The battle occurred while the members of Company C were looting the houses. The deputies were trying to keep the Hungarians from carrying back the household goods which had been thrown out of the houses in the forenoon. A big, strong Hun was fighting with the deputies when Sheriff McCormick started to assist them. The Hun saw him coming, and tried to shoot. The girl who was killed was a lover of the big Hun, and was fighting for him with the ferocity of a young lioness. The deputies say the pistol went off in the hands of the Hun and killed his sweetheart. If it had not been for the arrival of Company C at that moment, every deputy doubtless would have been injured if not killed.

## THE WEEK OF TRADE.

### Money Markets Are Undisturbed and Collections a Little Easier.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

But for speculation this would have been a comparatively dull week. In the interior business has been somewhat improved with more favorable weather, but many causes combine to prevent great activity. Prominent among these is the reaction from excessive real estate speculation and from overbuilding which have prevailed for years in some quarters. The money markets are generally undisturbed and comparatively easy, with fair to brisk demand at many points and a little stringency at one or two. Collections appear to improve, though rather slowly. The business failures occurring throughout the country during seven days number, for the United States, 205, and for Canada, 42, or a total of 247, as compared with a total of 251 last week, and 243 the week previous to the last. For the corresponding week of last year the figures were 218, representing 179 failures in the United States and 39 in the Dominion of Canada.

## DENSITY OF POPULATION.

### Number of Persons Per Square Mile that the Country Can Support.

The density of the distribution of population, according to the census of 1890, as shown by a map prepared by Henry Garnett, the geographer of the eleventh census, has just been issued in connection with a bulletin on the subject by Superintendent Potter. Mr. Garnett observes that speaking generally agriculture in this country is not carried on with such care as yet to afford employment and support to a population in excess of forty-five to a square mile. The figures show that the settled area has constantly increased. During the last decade the per cent. of increase in the settled area was 24.06, while the increase in the population of the country was 24.86 per cent. Three hundred and seventy-seven thousand seven hundred and fifteen (377,715) square miles have been redeemed during the last ten years, exceeding by 80,384 square miles the area settled between 1870 and 1880.

## 1 LOCKS GO UP IN SMOKE.

### Rome, N. Y., Visited by a Disastrous Blaze—Loss Nearly \$102,000.

Rome, N. Y., was visited by one of the most disastrous conflagrations which have occurred there in years. The fire originated in the Wiggins Block. The entire block was destroyed. The Dickinson Block, occupied by Palmer & Sons, grocers, and owned by Mrs. George Dickinson; the Farmers' Hotel, occupied by Albert Fox; the R. W. Pritchard feed store, and Mrs. J. E. Drake's millinery store were also eaten up. Flying embers threatened the whole city, and a dozen small fires started and were extinguished. The total loss is \$101,175; insurance, \$44,250.

## WON'T BE TAKEN ALIVE.

### Four Colored Fugitives from Justice Defy the Choctaw Authorities.

Ross Riley, Jeff Brown, Cudge Barnett and Luke Andy, the four negroes who were condemned to be shot at the Wawaka Court grounds, in the Choctaw Nation, and who made their escape, returned to their homes, and the negroes in the community rallied to them to a man, all armed to the teeth. The negroes are defiant and declare that they will resist arrest. Light horsemen are scouring the country in every direction, and in case they come upon the negroes it is believed that a bloody battle will ensue.

## EXPULSION OF THE JEWS.

### Eight Hundred Families Ordered by the Authorities to Leave Kiev.

Eight hundred Jewish families have been ordered to quit Kiev forthwith. The well-to-do have already gone, but the poor or artisan classes are in the greatest straits. Many are arriving on the Austrian frontier in a destitute condition, but the Austrian officials refuse domicile to paupers. The Kiev police accept no excuse, ridding the city with the utmost severity unless bribed to delay action. The daily expulsions from Moscow number from 100 to 150. Sunday an exceptional raid was made, when 600 were expelled.

## MAY END THE CHILIAN WAR.

### The Insurgents Sustain a Naval Defeat that Knocks Them Out.

At Washington the Chilean Legation received the following telegram: The first naval division of the Government of Chili, in the port of Caldera, attacked the iron-clads Blanco Encalada and Huascar and destroyed them both by the use of Whitehead torpedoes, thrown at the first moment. The Government vessels Almirante Lynch and Condell received no damage whatever and are preparing to attack the rest of the rebel squadron.

## MYSTERIOUSLY MISSING.

### The Accounts of a Missouri Bank Nearly \$10,000 Short.

Captain H. W. Covington, cashier of the Farmers and Traders' Bank, of Montgomery City, Mo., has disappeared and the citizens of that town are puzzling their minds as to whether he is responsible for the mysterious shortage of \$9,300 in the bank's accounts or whether the loss of the money has so preyed upon him that it has unbalanced his mind.

## VON MOLTKE IS SILENCED.

### Germany's Great Master of War Dies Suddenly at Berlin.

At Berlin the death of Field Marshal Count von Moltke was announced. The Count attended the session of the Reichstag held in the afternoon. His death was very sudden, and the physicians who were summoned announced that it was caused by

failure of the heart. He died quietly and painlessly. The news of the Count's unexpected death has caused great sorrow in Germany. Von Moltke was born Oct. 24, 1800.

## Mangled Bodies Found.

Two boys while playing in a creek behind a saloon at Kansas City found the end of a gunnysack sticking out of the mud. They dug around it and uncovered another sack. Each sack contained a mutilated human body. One of the bodies was that of a negro. It was cut in two at the middle, and was badly mutilated. Only the legs, arms, and a part of the trunk of the other body were found. The head was missing. It has not been determined whether the latter body was that of a man or woman. It was at first supposed that the bodies were subjects of medical students, but the coroner professes to believe that they are the evidences of murder.

## Duty on Lottery Tickets.

Having been debarred from using the United States mail, branches of lottery companies which formerly did business in the United States have been established in Mexico. Secretary Spaulding decided that there is no law to prevent lottery tickets from being admitted as printed matter, but he instructs the custom officers to assess duty upon them at the rate of 25 per cent. ad valorem of their face value, under the paragraph of the McKinley bill which provided for this rate of duty upon "all printed matter not especially provided for."

## Terrorized by Taurus.

A ludicrous yet destructive incident occurred on Saturday at St. Paul, Minn., in the millinery establishment of H. C. Gibbs. A large ferocious-looking bull of a drove of cattle being driven through the place left the herd and rushed into the crowded store. The animal's appearance caused a panic, and two ladies fainted. The animal broke three show cases, spoiled considerable fine millinery, and was finally by the combined efforts of several men driven out in the street again.

## Cha ed by the Judge and Jury.

At Forest City, Ark., James Dobson, colored, was placed on trial for the murder of Nancy Ables, a white woman, in 1890. As Dobson was ascending the witness stand to testify, he made a dash out through the window. The judge, jury, and audience started in pursuit, and after a chase of several hundred yards, firing their revolvers in the air to frighten the fleeing negro, he was captured, brought back, and severely reprimanded by the judge, after which court adjourned.

## Left His Wife and Child Destitute.

At Seattle, Wash., the wife and son of Charles R. Hammond of Cleveland street (London) notoriety have become county paupers. Six months ago Hammond was convicted of stealing a sealskin saque and a gold watch and chain from a woman who was drinking in his wine-room, and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. In his efforts to get a new trial Hammond gave up everything to the lawyers, leaving an invalid wife and 13-year-old boy destitute.

## Fatal Duel Between Californians.

Sylvester Tirado and Francisco Olives fought a duel at Cantua Canyon, Cal. Olives was killed and Tirado has been arrested. The men owned adjoining sections of land, and had had numerous disputes, and finally agreed that the next time they met they would fight it out. Both were armed with revolvers and commenced firing at each other at a distance of forty yards. They closed in, and at twenty yards Tirado sent a bullet through Olives' neck.

## Horror in a Hospital.

At Auburn, N. Y., between the ward visits of the night watch, Dr. Witt Savacool, an epileptic patient at the Willard State hospital, killed another patient named John Morrow. Dr. Bishop discovered that the victim died of suffocation, as Savacool, after felling Morrow across his bed piled the bedding over him, with another bedstead on top of that.

## The Gro and Is Broken.

Amidst the plaudits of thousands of citizens, the blare of trumpets, the beating of drums, the booming of cannon, the melody of children's voices and the eloquence of orators, ground was broken in New York for the monument which is to be raised at Riverside Park, where rests all that is mortal of the greatest of the heroes of the war of the rebellion—the immortal Grant.

## Minnesota and Dakota Wheat Stocks.

Figures compiled by the Northwestern Miller show the stock in private elevators at Minneapolis to be 3,970,000 bushels, a decrease of 122,000 for the last week. The Market Record places the stock in country elevators of Minnesota and the two Dakotas at 3,420,000 bushels, a shrinkage of 822,000 for the week.

## The Visible Supply of Grain.

The visible supply of grain, as compiled by the New York Produce Exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 22,343,562 bushels; increase, 157,456. Corn, 2,464,482 bushels; increase, 225,585. Oats, 2,622,358 bushels; increase, 113,891. Rye, 428,778 bushels; increase, 10,929. Barley, 567,114 bushels; decrease, 134,061.

## Poisoned by Ice Cream.

There was a wholesale poisoning in Austin, Texas, from eating ice cream. The family of E. M. House, one of the wealthiest and most prominent men in the city, partook of ice cream from a leading cafe, and shortly after nine persons were prostrated with violent cramps and eight of them are very sick.

## Sloux Enlisting Rapidly.

The probability of a resumption of hostilities by the Sioux this spring is determined by the receipt of information by Gen. Brooke that the Indians were rapidly enlisting in the cavalry service. Troop L of the Sixth Cavalry has been organized complete with Brule Sioux, including the most warlike of the ghost-dancers.

## Killed Jesse James' Cousin.

Dick Liddle, once a member of famous James' gang, now a wealthy horse owner on Eastern tracks, was arrested and lodged in jail at Richmond, Va. He is charged with the murder of Wood Hite, a cousin of Jesse James. The crime was committed in 1882, and was the outgrowth of a feud.

## More Fighting in Chili.

The insurgents of Chili have fought another battle with the government troops, and defeated the latter. This last battle was fought at Iquique. Further advices bring the news that the insurgents' fleet is concentrating about Valparaiso. It is announced, however, by the insurgents, that they will not bombard the city.

## Killed by an Italian.

An Italian made an unprovoked attack on two men in Newark, N. J., killing one and fatally wounding the other. The assassin was captured.

## Elect'd a Chicago Woman President.

At Scranton, Pa., about 150 delegates were in attendance at the International Convention of the Young Women's Christian Association. Miss Laure Reynolds, of

Chicago, presided. At the conclusion of routine business officers were elected for the ensuing year. Mrs. J. V. Farwell, of Chicago, was elected President.

## Threatened by Salisbury.

Lord Salisbury has informed Portugal that unless the British are given access to the Rungwa River, in accordance with the provisions of the modus vivendi, England will resort to force. The Portuguese cabinet has responded by giving consent to the free passage of the river.

## Burned Twelve Villages.

The British advancing on the Muneepoori have burned twelve villages occupied by the rebellious tribesmen. The insurgents retired to the hills, where they were shelled and many killed and wounded. It is believed the enemy have been completely cowed.

## The Kentucky Poisoning Cases.

Mrs. B. F. Guthrie, wife of the first victim of the poisoning at the wedding near London, Ky., died. Mrs. Guthrie's death leaves her daughter the wealthiest unmarried lady in Kentucky. Mrs. Gray and Mrs. Dr. Hobson at St. Matthews are very low.

## Taken from Jail and Shot to Death.

One hundred and fifty soldiers broke open the jail at Walla Walla, Wash., and shot to death A. J. Hunt, who shot Private Miller. It is also reported that the guards fired on the soldiers and several persons were killed.

## A Child Starved to Death.

At Cleveland, Ohio, Julia Toth, 6 years old and motherless, died at a hospital from starvation. Her father left her to seek employment, and she was dying when the attention of the authorities was called to her.

## Battle on a Train.

Near Crawfordsville, Ind., a gang of desperate tramps entered a coach while the train was stopping at a junction and tried to hold up the passengers. A fierce battle resulted, and they were driven off.

## Fugitives Find a Rich Footy.

At Findlay, Ohio, the residence of the Winters Bros., proprietors of a fruit farm, was entered by burglars, who choloformed the inmates, blew open a safe and got away with \$3,000.

## Two Tramps Run Over and Killed.

At St. Joseph, Mo., a Burlington train struck and killed two men, evidently tramps. From letters found on them one is supposed to be George Gaston and the other F. I. Marnaduke.

## Struck on the Lime Kiln.

At Detroit the first accident of the season at the lime kiln is reported. The propeller Milwaukee, from Chicago to Buffalo, struck while making the crossing and sunk to the bottom.

## Ita's Peaceable Sons.

Seven hundred Italian stone-masons struck work in Morrisania, N. Y. They became disorderly and the New York police arrested a dozen of them.

## The Plaster Was Too Quick.

Frederick Fesser, a farmer living near Bourbon, Ind., while blasting stupps on his farm was blown to pieces by a premature explosion of dynamite.

## Secure a License.

The American Trotter Register Association, of Chicago, with the object of publishing a horse register, secured a corporation license. The capital stock is \$150,000.

## The Kentucky Way.

At Elizabethtown, Ky., William Showers was shot dead by Charles Moore, his brother-in-law, who accused Showers of killing his sister.

## Victory for the Lottery Company.

At New Orleans the Supreme Court has decided the lottery mandamus case in favor of the lottery company.

## The Green Bug Again.

It is stated that a small greenish insect is doing great damage to wheat in Rich and Russell Counties in Kansas.

## Suicide of a New York Lawyer.

In New York John B. Elwood, 60 years old, was found dead in his bed-room. He killed himself by taking chloroform.

## To Be a Fair Attraction.

General Grant's old log cabin in St. Louis County, Mo., is to be moved to Chicago as a World's Fair attraction.

## Texas' New Senator.

Horace A. Chilton, of Tyler, has been appointed United States Senator from Texas, vice Reagan, resigned.

## Arrival of Immigrants.

Eleven hundred European immigrants arrived in



# HOLLAND CITY NEWS

G. VAN SCHELVEN, Editor.

SATURDAY, MAY 2, 1891.

## A Narrow Escape.

It will be twenty years next October that Holland was laid in ashes and almost wiped out of existence. Wednesday evening the catastrophe came very near being repeated, amid a series of similar surroundings. The locality was the same—the Third Ref. Church; the wind was blowing strong from the south-south-west and increasing in force; the hour was midnight—all of which were so many frightful reminders of that fatal night of Oct. 9, 1871.

The exercises connected with the commencement of the West. Theol. Seminary, held in this church, had closed at about 9:30, Wednesday evening, and the citizens of Holland had retired to their usual rest, when near the hour of midnight a fire broke out in the barn just south of the church, at once enveloping the entire structure. The flames, fanned by the strong wind, the large sparks and the intense heat constantly imperiled the massive frame edifice. Twice the roof was in blaze.

The entire force of the department being out, they succeeded remarkably well in checking the flames and after a half hour of anxious suspense the burning building was sloped and everybody felt relieved. Had the flames once obtained the mastery over the church, nothing could have prevented a repetition of the calamity of 1871, when from that same spot the burning shingles and boards were swept over the western part of the city setting fire to that entire district.

The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is not heavy, and will be limited to about \$250; no insurance. One sad reminiscence will be the destruction of shade trees, on the premises and along the sidewalk.

And now since this church barn has been destroyed, the suggestion is being raised whether the erection of new ones should not be prohibited by the authorities. These church and mill stables are becoming very objectionable, in several respects, and it seems as though they, too, have had their day.

## Western Theol. Seminary.

The Sixth Annual Commencement of the above institution, located in this city, was held Wednesday evening in the Third Ref. church. The exercises were in accordance with the program published last week. A large audience was in attendance, including many friends and visitors from abroad.

The graduating class consists of four: F. Klooster, of Jamestown, Mich.; J. Lamar, Jenison, Mich.; A. Pieters, Holland, Mich.; H. Straks, Waupun, Wis.; all of whom received the usual certificates of a successful examination, passed that day before the board of superintendents. Of this class A. Pieters will go as missionary to Japan; H. Straks will take charge of a congregation at Cleveland, O., and J. Lan a likewise at Grand Rapids.

Prof. Steffens will spend part of his vacation at Pella, Ia., from where he has received a call, to become the pastor of one of the churches in that city. He will leave next week and visit a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Dr. Holleman, Roseland, Ill.

The Coopersville Observer thus sums up the outcome of the Chester annexation scheme: "It is thought that after all the people of Chester will not be unduly grieved that the annexation bill has failed to become a law. The fact is, her sister townships of the county cannot consent to have the tie severed that has so pleasantly united them in a common interest for so many years. As to the heavy taxation in the past, upon which much stress has been laid by some, we would say that in view of our county having paid all indebtedness to the state and other obligations, and a prospect exists that its high property rating will, at the next state equalization, be reduced to a just proportion with that of other counties of the state, our taxes in the future will be no more pro rata than those of Muskegon or any other county. Is Muskegon free from debt? As to the distance of Chester from the county seat and the difficulty of reaching it, it may be borne in mind that Grand Haven may not always be the shire town of old Ottawa, to the great inconvenience of that and other towns."

We have received the first issue of the "Western Michigan Courier-Journal," published at Muskegon, to which city Bro. Potts has moved it from Gr. Haven. Enough of the plant has been allowed to remain at the latter place, however, to continue the publication of the "Grand Haven Courier-Journal," by Horace G. Nichols, who makes his debut in last week's issue. Politically there will be no charge, the Courier-Journal remaining Republican, as heretofore. Gentlemen: "May you all live, and prosper!"

Mrs. Mary E. Gough, widow of the late John B. Gough, died last week from paralysis, aged 71 years.

New York city is suffering seriously from the grippe, and experiencing the heaviest death rate ever known. One day last week 251 deaths were reported and a great many more are thought to have occurred for which no returns have been made. The grip caused a larger percentage of the deaths than it has caused in any city of the country, and physicians are apprehensive that the worst results of the dread disease are yet to come. Every doctor is busy, the hospitals are pushed for want of accommodations, undertakers have more than they can do, and altogether the outlook is gloomy indeed. The most unhealthy condition of the city streets, bad weather, and prevalence of smallpox and typhus, aggravate the ravages of the grip, and there is a general feeling of uneasiness among all classes. For several weeks the newspapers and authorities have been concealing the real condition of affairs, but the figures speak for themselves. Two weeks ago, when 178 deaths occurred in one day, the authorities reported that only a few of them resulted from the grip, but is believed that a large number of them were caused by that disease.

## Bids Wanted!

Bids are asked by L. Jenison for rebuilding the dock at Shady Side. For further particulars apply to W. J. Scott, corner Ninth & Fish streets, Holland.

## DIED.

ROSENDAHL.—At the home of his parents in this city, on Tuesday morning, April 28, 1891, of lung fever, J. A. ROSENDAHL, aged 20 years, 11 months and 15 days.

To his friends and neighbors and the comrades and fellow employees of the departed, the bereaved parents would acknowledge sincere thanks for the many tokens of sympathy in the hour of their affliction.

MR. AND MRS. B. ROSENDAHL.

Holland, Mich., April 30, 1891.

## Pronounced Hopeless, Yet Saved.

From a letter written by Mrs. Ada E. Hurd, of Groton, S. D., we quote: "Was taken with a bad cold, which settled on my lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles; it has cured me and thank God I am now a well and hearty woman." Trial bottles free at P. W. KANE'S Drugstore, regular size 50c and \$1.00.

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For Chicago	3.00 p.m.	3.00 a.m.	9.35 a.m.
Grand Rapids	3.00 p.m.	3.00 a.m.	9.35 a.m.
Muskegon and	3.00 p.m.	3.00 a.m.	9.35 a.m.
Grand Haven	3.00 p.m.	3.00 a.m.	9.35 a.m.
Hart and Pentwater	3.00 p.m.	3.00 a.m.	9.35 a.m.
Manistee and Ludington	3.00 p.m.	3.00 a.m.	9.35 a.m.
Big Rapids	3.00 p.m.	3.00 a.m.	9.35 a.m.
Traverse City	3.00 p.m.	3.00 a.m.	9.35 a.m.
Allegan and Toledo	3.00 p.m.	3.00 a.m.	9.35 a.m.

Trains Arrive at Holland:			
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Ar. Grand Rapids	7.25 a.m.	1.20 p.m.	6.25 p.m.
Ar. Grand Ledge	9.00 a.m.	3.24 p.m.	7.25 p.m.
Ar. Lansing	9.25 a.m.	3.49 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Ar. Howell	10.22 a.m.	4.38 p.m.	8.08 p.m.
Ar. Detroit	11.55 a.m.	6.30 p.m.	10.35 p.m.
Ar. Grand Rapids	7.30 a.m.	1.20 p.m.	6.25 p.m.
Ar. Howard City	8.40 a.m.	2.40 p.m.	7.25 p.m.
Ar. Edmore	9.25 a.m.	3.25 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Ar. Alma	10.18 a.m.	4.18 p.m.	8.43 p.m.
Ar. St. Louis	10.25 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.50 p.m.
Ar. Saginaw	11.45 a.m.	6.00 p.m.	10.15 p.m.

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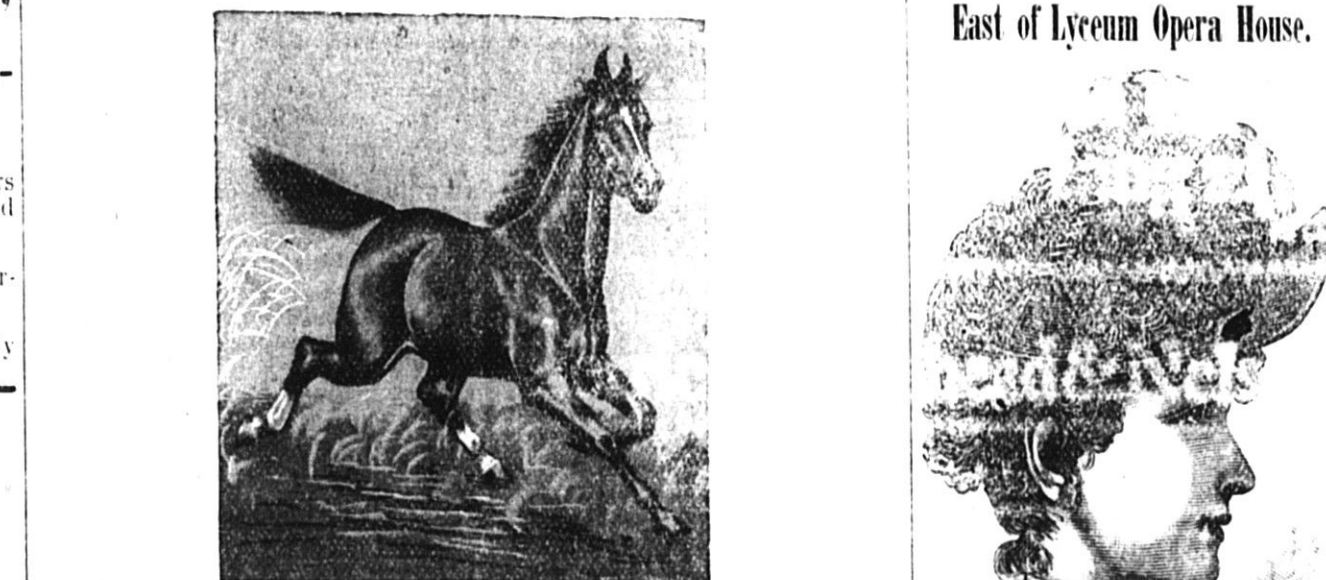
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### Free to the Best Looking Lady.

Wishing to make my name and business more fully known to the public I have decided to give, free of charge, a Ladies' Fine Gold Watch and Chain valued at \$40, to the best looking lady, married or single, who is between the ages of 16 and 25 years and residing within the city limits of Holland; the fortunate lady to be decided on by ballot.

Every person purchasing \$1 worth of goods at my store will be entitled to one vote and just as many more as the number of dollars they expend, voting for any lady they consider to be the best looking.

The ballot-box will be opened the first day of July, 1891, and the votes counted by Messrs. Albert Myer, Jacob G. Van Putten and Wm. Brusse. The lady receiving the greatest number of votes will be awarded the watch and chain, or, if she prefers, a diamond ring of the same value.

No extra prices will be charged for my goods. Everything warranted first class, or money refunded.

This watch and chain can be seen at my store. Call and examine it.

L. P. HUSEN, River St. Jeweler.  
Holland, Mich., April 29, 1890.

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### "SIR WALTER."

This famous Clyde Stallion will be found, during the season of 1891, on Saturday of each week at the Livery Barn of H. Boone, Holland City.

A. HELLENTHAL,  
J. FLAGGEMAN,  
Proprietors.

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### Special Notice.

I am now prepared to furnish customers with the Celebrated Toledo Budweiser and Holland City Lager Beer.

C. J. RICHARDSON,  
Holland, Mich., April 29, '91.

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Doctors may differ in opinion as to the cause of that feeling of languor and fatigue so prevalent in the spring; but all agree as to what is the best remedy for it, namely, Ayer's Sarsaparilla; it makes the weak strong, and effectually removes that tired feeling.

Have a suit made to order at Brusse & Co. Pants from \$4.00 and Suits from \$16.00 and higher.

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### OFFICIAL.

### Common Council.

HOLLAND, Mich., April 21st, '91.  
The Common Council met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Mayor. Present: Mayor Yates, Aldermen Ter Vree, Lokker, Hummel, Schoon, Habermann, Van Putten and Habermann and the Clerk.  
Reading of the minutes suspended.  
Alderman Breyman here appeared and took his seat.  
The Mayor announced the completion of standing committees for the year by the appointment of Alderman Schoon on the following committees, viz: claims and accounts, fire department, public buildings and property, and order and police.

### PETITIONS AND ACCOUNTS.

Holland Mich., April 28, 1891.  
To the Honorable the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Holland.

GENTLEMEN: Your petitioner desires to erect a grain elevator on lot no. 7, block no. 15 (being north of and across Fifth street from the Standard Roller Mills) and to collect said elevator and mill with a light wooden bridge, the lower stringers of which will be twenty (20) feet above the grade of the street, and supported by three frame-work supports of 6 x 8 posts in Fifth street. Your honorable body is respectfully asked to grant permission for the erection of such a bridge structure to be maintained over said street.

Very Respectfully,  
WALSH DE ROO MILLING CO.  
By C. J. De Roo, Sec'y and Treas.

Referred to committee on streets and bridges.

The following bills were presented for payment viz:  
G. J. Van Duren, paid one p. order 1 50  
G. J. Van Duren, repairing rubber coats for fire department 35

Salaries for twelve members of hose company no. 2. 129 94  
Salary bills of firemen referred to committee on claims and accounts, bills of G. J. Van Duren orders I paid.

### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on ways and means gave notice that at the next regular meeting of the common council they would introduce an ordinance entitled: "An ordinance to provide for the payment of salaries of certain city officers, for the year 1891."—Filed.

The chairman of committee on streets and bridges verbally reported having commenced the digging of a ditch for the new water course for tannery creek north of Eighth street.—Filed.

The committee on city library reported that before the new books could be placed in the library it would be necessary to procure another case of shelves.

Committee on city library instructed to procure suitable shelving for books.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICERS.  
The clerk reported oath of office of Louis Schoon as Alderman.

City treasurers bond, Jacob G. Van Putten as principal, and Jacob Van Putten, G-briel Van Putten, Cornelius Ver Schure, Adriaan Ver Schure, Jacob Van Putten jr., and Adriaan Van Putten, as sureties was approved.

The following liquor dealers bonds and sureties were approved:  
Robert A. Hunt as principal, and Anton Self, and John K. Kieps, as sureties.

Charles J. Richardson as principal, and Ex-avio F. Sutton, and Anton Self, as sureties.

Peter Brown, as principal, and James H. Purdy, and Hermanus Boone as sureties.

William Boyd, as principal, and Geo. E. N. Williams, and Hermanus Boone, as sureties.

Cornelius Blom, as principal, and Hermanus Boone, and Cornelius Blom jr., as sureties.

Also the following druggists bonds and sureties were approved:  
William Van Putten, as principal, and John Kramer and Lubert Heidebreck as sureties.

Henry Krumpers as principal, and William H. Beach, and Bernard J. De Vries, as sureties.

Frederik J. Schonten, as principal, and Peter F. Plan-tich and Geo. N. Williams as sureties.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.  
By alderman Breyman:  
Resolved, That saloon keepers license be fixed at seventy five dollars for the ensuing year.

By Ald. Ter Vree:  
Resolved, That the motion be amended to read one hundred dollars instead of seventy-five dollars.

The vote on adopting the amendment was as follows:  
Yeas: Ter Vree, Lokker, Schoon, and Dalman—4.  
Nays: Hummel, Breyman, Van Putten, and Habermann—4.

The vote being a tie the mayor cast his vote in favor of the amendment.

The original motion as amended was adopted by the following vote:  
Yeas: Ter Vree, Lokker, Hummel, Schoon and Dalman—5.  
Nays: Breyman, Van Putten and Habermann—3.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.  
Resolved, That bonds of the City of Holland, to the amount of seventeen thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars be issued for the extension of the system of water works in the city of Holland, this being the sum authorized to be raised by loan by a majority vote of the electors of the city, at the charter election of the city of Holland held on the sixth day of April 1891, said vote being upon a resolution of the common council adopted February 17th, 1891, to raise by loan the sum of seventeen thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars for the extension of the system of water works, provided for the ordinance making the general appropriation bill for the city of Holland for the year A. D. 1890, approved September 18th, A. D. 1890, and that said bonds be designated series "B" of the water fund bonds and numbered consecutively 1 to 15 inclusive, and that the first seven hundred and fifty bonds be for the sum of one thousand dollars and the last, no. 18, be for the sum of \$250.00 and that all of such bonds be made payable on the first day of February A. D. 1905, all bearing interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and that interest coupons be attached to each of

such bonds, payable February 1st and August 1st of every year for each year or part of a year, and that the principal and interest of said bonds be made payable at the National Park Bank in the city of New York.—Adopted all voting yeas.  
The board of water commissioners submitted descriptive plans and specifications for the extension of the system of water works.  
On motion of ald. Van Putten the plans and specifications were amended so as to extend the water mains from Seventh street to Fifth street, in Market street, by placing therein a four inch pipe.  
Plans and specifications as amended were then adopted, all voting yeas.  
Council adjourned to Monday May 4th 1891—7:30 p. m.

GEO. H. SIPP, City Clerk.

## THE HAIR

When not properly cared for, loses its lustre, becomes crisp, harsh, and dry, and falls out freely with every combing. To prevent this, the best and most popular dressing in the market is **Ayer's Hair Vigor**. It removes dandruff, heals troublesome humors of the scalp, restores faded and gray hair to its original color, and imparts to it a silky texture and a lasting fragrance. By using this preparation, the poorest head of hair soon

### Becomes Luxuriant

and beautiful. All who have once tried Ayer's Hair Vigor, want no other dressing. Galbraith & Starks, Druggists, Sharon Grove, Ky., write: "We believe Ayer's Hair Vigor to be the best preparation of the kind in the market, and sell more of it than of all others. No drug store is complete without a supply of it."  
"I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor with great benefit and know several other persons, between 40 and 50 years of age, who have experienced similar good results from the use of this preparation. It restores gray hair to its original color, promotes a new growth, gives lustre to the hair, and cleanses the scalp of dandruff."—Bernardo Ochoa, Madrid, Spain.

### After Using

A number of other preparations without any satisfactory result. I find that Ayer's Hair Vigor is causing my hair to grow."—A. J. Osment, General Merchant, Indian Head, N. W. T.

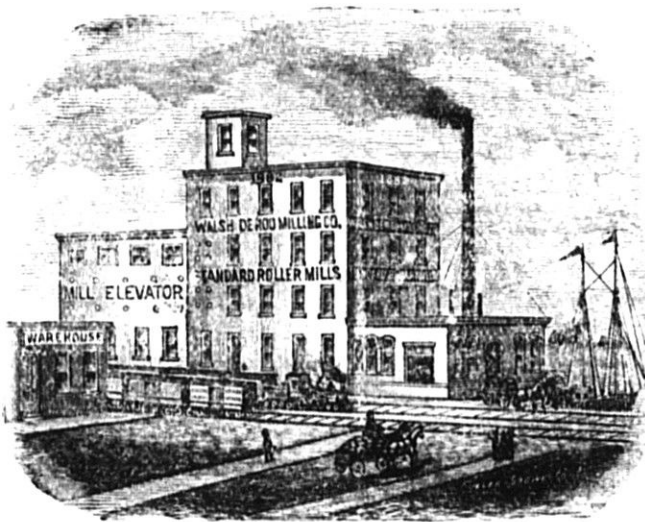
"Ayer's Hair Vigor is the only preparation I could ever find to remove dandruff, cure itching humors, and prevent loss of hair. I can confidently recommend it."—J. C. Butler, Spencer, Mass.

"My wife believes that the money spent for Ayer's Hair Vigor was the best investment she ever made. It has given her so much satisfaction."—James A. Adams, St. Augustine, Texas.

### Ayer's Hair Vigor

PREPARED BY  
Dr. J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass.  
Sold by all Druggists and Perfumers.

'T is not in mortals to command success,  
But we'll do more, Sempronius, we'll deserve it.'



THE products of this Mill will always represent the highest advancement in the art of milling.  
By buying our products you assure yourself of the BEST goods and build up your own town by stimulating a home industry.

**THE WALSH- DE ROO MILLING CO.**  
Holland, Mich.

**NEW MILLINERY** OLD STAND  
Mrs. D. M. Gee.

**Miss De Vries & Co.,**  
Eighth St. Holland, Mich.

Are now displaying to the public of Holland and vicinity a new and well assorted stock of

**Spring and Summer Millinery Goods,**

— OF THE LATEST STYLES, —

which they are offering at unusual low prices. Also a full line of

**FANCY ARTICLES.**

The head of the firm has obtained a thorough knowledge of the art of Trimming during her residence in Chicago.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

Holland, Mich., April 3rd, 1891.

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**Wm. Van Der Veere**  
PROPRIETOR OF

**CITY MEAT MARKET,**  
Cor. Eighth and Fish Sts.  
HOLLAND, MICH.

**Fresh and Salt Meats.**

Cash Paid for Poultry.

A full and complete line of Choice Meats constantly on hand.

Orders taken at the Houses when requested and Goods delivered free of charge.

Holland, Mich. Feb. 26, 1891.

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### The Leader of them All.



**AMERICAN RAMBLER BICYCLE.**

Manufactured by  
The Gormully & Jeffery Mfg Company,  
Chicago, Ill.

I also have the sale of other bicycles ranging in price from \$25.00 upwards. Catalogues furnished on application.

**JOHN J. CAPPON,**

Holland, Mich.

**Remember!**  
that at the

**City Bakery**  
You can find all kinds of

**FRUIT,**  
such as  
California Pears,  
Nice Michigan Apples,  
Florida Oranges,  
Lemons, Bananas,  
Figs, Dates,  
Cranberries,  
Sweet Potatoes.

**Fresh Canned Goods,**  
such as  
Peaches, Apricots, Plums,  
Pears, Pumpkin, Corn,  
Tomatoes, etc., etc.

If you want something very sweet, then

Buy Honey or Maple Sugar

If you are looking for

The Best 5 Cts. Cigar,

Then smoke the 'Vim'!

**John Pessink,**

**We Claim,**  
That since we have opened the new Annex to our store, we can display to the public a selection of  
**STAPLE and FANCY DRY GOODS**  
unsurpassed on the east shore.

**Black Silks & Velvets.**

**Ladies, Gents & Children UNDERWEAR,**

**Dress Goods and Linens.**

**Ladies and Gents Handkerchiefs.**

Shawls, Yarns, Buckles, Skirts, Table Spreads, Hostery.

CELEBRATED

**Duchers' Overalls and Jackets.**

GOLD-HEADED

**Sateen Umbrellas,**  
only \$1.25.

**Groceries,**

**Flour and Feed,**  
CLOSING OUT

**Hats and Caps,**  
BELOW COST.

**G. VAN PUTTEN & SONS,**

Holland, Mich., Sept. 18th, 1890.

**NEW!**

**A New Meat Market**

AT THE

**Old Stand**

Having disposed of my Business in the First Ward, I am now located on

**River Street.**

My Friends will find me at the Market

recently varated by Mr. J. Neuwens,

with

**CHOICE MEATS,**

Carefully selected and suited to each season of the year.

**P. Kleis.**

Holland, Mich., Feb. 3, 1891.

**New**

**Bottling Works.**

**C. Blom**

Proprietor.

The New Bottling Works

of Holland are now open, and ready to supply the demands for

**Toledo & Holland Beer.**

Orders sent in by mail, or left at the "ROSE BUD SALOON," will be promptly filled.

1 doz. 4 bottles, \$1.00  
1 doz. 4 bottles, .50

Goods delivered within the City, free of charge.

**C. Blom.**

Holland, Mich., March 18th, 1891.

**CITY**

**Beer Bottling**

**Works.**

I have this day leased the Beer Bot-

tling Apparatus, Cases, Bottles and

Ice Cellar of E. F. Sutton, for

the term of one year,

and will bottle

**Holland, Toledo and Export Lager.**

Delivered within the city limits free of charge. All orders sent by mail or left at Union Sample rooms and at Bottling Works will be promptly filled.

**PRICES:**

1 dozen quarts, \$1.00

1 " pints, .50

1 " Exports quarts, .1.20

**C. J. RICHARDSON.**

Holland, April 17, 1891.

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# Spring Goods!

The best and largest assortment of

**Ready-made Clothing,**

for Men, Boys and Children. Also

**Hats and Caps,**

And Gents' Furnishing Goods,

at lower prices than ever before!

Come and see us, before buying elsewhere!

**Jonkman & Dykema,**

Near the Post Office, Holland, Michigan.

Holland, March 20, '91.

**Boots & Shoes**

and

**RUBBER GOODS**

for

**FALL AND WINTER**

I keep constantly on hand the elegant

**Moore and Shafer Ladies' Shoes,**

which are not equalled in the market.

**BARGAINS;**

**J. D. Helder.**

Holland, Mich., Dec. 10th, 1890.

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**New Process**

**Vapor Stove;**

Absolutely Safe—Lights like

Gas. Very simple. Call

and see it, at

**E. Van der Veen's**

**Hardware.**

Holland, April 16, 1891.

GO TO

**Kiekintveld.**

We are as always to the front with an elegant line of

ALBUMS, TOILET CASES, CUFF &

COLLAR BOXES, SHAVING

SETS, AND WORK BOXES is

complete, in every detail.

We carry a line of books this year

surpassing any yet brought to the city,

among which we mention:

Gift Books, Poems, Reading matter,

Chatter Boxes, Toy Books, etc. A fine

assortment of Toys, Blocks, and Games

will also be found at our place of business.

Call and examine our goods and prices. We promise you satisfaction.

H. KIEKINTVELD, Manager.

Holland, Mich., Dec. 12, 1890.

A FULL LINE OF

**FARM**

**Implements**

—AT—

**J. Flieman & Son's,**

River Street, Holland, Mich.

Agents for the Whately Solid

Steel Binder, the great open end

Harvester Binder for successfully

cutting all lengths and kinds of

grain. Also for Whately's Solid Steel

Mower. This Machine is entirely different from and Superior to any other Mowing Machine ever produced.

Plows,

Wagons,

Cultivators,

Seeders,

Hay Rakes,

Buggies,

Carts,

Harrows,

Land Rollers,

Feed Cutters,

Corn Shellers.

**F. N. WAFFLE,**

**PAINTER.**

All House, Sign and Ornamental Painting promptly attended to.  
Orders solicited for work in and outside the city. Inside finishing made a specialty.  
Satisfaction guaranteed.  
Leave orders at the Drug Store of J. O. DOESBURG, or at my residence on Tenth st., east of Land.

**F. N. WAFFLE**

Holland, Mich., April 7th, 1891.

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## BRAVE LOVE.

He'd nothing but his violin,  
I'd nothing but my song.  
But we were not when she was blue  
And summer days were long.  
And we were not when she was blue  
And summer days were long.  
The robin came and told  
How they had dared to woo and win  
When early spring was cold.  
We sometimes stepped on dandelions,  
Or slept among the hay.  
But oft the robins' wives at eve  
Came on to hear us play.  
The rare old tunes, the dear old tunes,  
We could not stave for long.  
While my man had his violin,  
And I my sweet love song.

The world has now gone well with us,  
Old man, since we were one;  
Our homeless wandering down the lanes  
It long ago was done.  
But those who wait for gold or gear,  
For horses and for kine,  
Till youth's sweet spring grows brown and  
And love and beauty time,  
Will never know the joy of hearts  
That met without a fear,  
When you had but your violin  
And I a song, my dear.

—[Yankee Blade]

## "NEVER FAILETH."

A young woman stood on the forward deck of a crowded ferryboat, as it forged its heavy way through the water, making swells which rocked the smaller boats near by and washed high up on the piles at the dock.

The young woman did not notice the shipping, the tall buildings, the noisy landing or the pushing crowd behind. She was thinking; and as the boat jarred against the buoys she said in a low tone to herself, "Love is the greatest thing in the world."

No one heard or heeded her but one pale-faced little woman in a black shawl, who stood crowded almost against her. She heard the words, and a look of wonder came into her hungry eyes. But the boat was docked, and the crowd pushed them on, and each went her separate way.

The pale-faced little woman in the black shawl hurried from place to place, but all the time she was turning over in her mind the words, "Love is the greatest thing in the world—in all the world."

Love of what—love from whom? It made no difference. Love was not for her. Youth was gone, hope was gone, there was nothing for her but work. Her husband lived to work, and desired that she should live to work; and love, she could not remember to have heard the word for years—no, nor thought it.

The little children she used to think so—a day might be hers had never come, and her husband said it was a good thing, for children took time and money, and she had waited and grieved and worked in silence, until now she never thought of it, except to think that it was better so.

Was love the greatest thing in the world? Then she must miss the greatest thing as she had missed all lesser things. But the hungry eyes looked out of a hungry heart, and the words said themselves over and over, not only that day, but through all the next weeks in a trip which she and her husband made to the West.

They had bought some land in Kansas, with a little one-roomed house on it, and there the work of living began again with ten-fold push. There was not a house in sight, and the sun seemed to rise so early and set so late—those long, long days, when she worked till the very grave would have seemed a pleasant place to rest in.

But all through that summer, as she looked back on it, she could see how the weight that bore her down grew lighter.

She seldom saw any one but her husband. They had no books, and those few words, "Love is the greatest thing in the world," began to fill for her the place of books and friends. When the sunlight was bright, and there were fleecy little clouds in the blue sky, and the prairie was blazing with flowers, and the one cottonwood tree rustled its leaves in the light breeze, there came new meaning into those words.

Finally, though she could not have told when or how, she came to feel the love of God very close to her, and she knew that in some way God must mean that she should give out a little love to other things—love the cattle, and the horses, and the pigs, and the chickens; for she was a simple little woman. She loved them all; the work seemed easier, and the living things thrived.

"She's got a wonderful knack," said her husband to a passing neighbor.

But as the capacity grew the hunger grew, and then one day there seemed to her to come a very gift from God.

A little sobbing boy came dragging up to the open door—a little boy with dark eyes, with brown hair just long enough to show a tendency to curl, with dirty hands and dirty face, and shoes cut with stones. Such a little boy! About eight years old, she thought.

He cried and reached up his hands to her.

With a hasty look at the milk she was skimming to churn, he picked him up in her arms and held him close. She felt his hot little face against hers, felt the little arm around her neck, and the little heaving chest and beating heart against her own; she held him tight and loved him, and the tears came into her eyes.

But that could only last a minute; there was the milk. Then she gave him water with which to wash his hands and face outside the door, and after that she gave him a slice of bread and a tin cup of milk. He sat there as if he owned the house, his tears dried, and his quick eyes glancing around.

When his mouth was empty enough so that he could talk, he told his story.

"My name is Charlie," he said. "I was in the prairie schooner, and the woman and the man got very mad at me, and put me off and shook the whip at me, and I ran across the prairie till I saw this house, and now I'm going to stay here."

"Were the man and woman your father and mother?"

"Oh no; my mother is in a coffin in the ground. She caught a fever, and this man and woman brought me along,

Oh, I'm glad they're gone. I'd rather stay with you."

She churned fast and thought faster. Her husband could not let him stay; he didn't like boys, and the boy would eat a half more. Then there were the clothes. No; he would have to go.

Her heart throbbed, had it ever throbbed like that before?

"I want to do that," said Charlie, eyeing the churner almost enviously.

A brave thought; perhaps he could work! She looked hastily down the hill. There was her husband's hat coming around the stack.

"Here, quick!" she said, and as the boy grasped the dasher, she took her sunbonnet and went out with the chicken-fodder.

Her husband came up the slope. "Hello, there, Jayhawker," the boy called out. "Look at me; show this shaver!"

Charlie with his legs apart, his cheeks red, his eyes shining, drove the churn-handle furiously.

The pale face under the sunbonnet was so eager that the man coming up the slope could hardly have recognized it. He smiled in spite of himself at the little figure at the churn. When had his wife seen him smile before?

She came forward with the empty pan, the eagerness schooled out of face and voice. She told what she knew about the boy, and added, "Perhaps he can work."

A gleam came into her husband's eyes. He was beginning to feel his constant labor. His head had ached lately, and his back ached, and he felt stiff in the mornings.

He tried the muscle in the boy's proudly extended arm, and felt his legs.

"We'll keep him," he said, briefly; "he can do a sight of chores."

That night, when that pale-faced little woman could hear the sound of the little fellow's breathing over there in his quilt in the corner, and could hear him turn in his sleep and mutter something now and then, her heart beat fast, and all the sounds of the night went to the music of "Love is the greatest thing in the world."

So the boy stayed, and for a time there was peace.

"You're looking so spry, Malviny, and put more heart into your housework. Kansas agrees with you better'n with me," said her husband, one day.

She did feel a difference. The time she could take to sew a button on Charlie's little ragged clothes, the moments when she could bind up one of the little dirty, stubby, cut fingers, the time she could spend knitting little stockings for cold weather, or making coarse little shirts, or cutting down Isaac's worn-out overalls, the times when she could steal out of bed in the dark night, and kneel down by his quilt, and kiss the soft little cheek, and pray with her whole soul that God would bless him and help her love him well, were a very elixir of life to her.

At first Charlie thought the chores some new sort of play, but that did not last long. By the time he was ten years old he was known by all the neighbors as that good-for-nothing boy of Holts. He was a "bad boy."

"Charlie, have you fed the calves?" Isaac would say in the morning.

"Yep," came very gladly. And at night, "Charlie, how feed the calves," with the same reply. But perhaps by the time the milking was done, Charlie would say, "I ain't fed the calves to-day."

"You said you had!"

"I was thinking I had, but I ain't fed 'em no watered 'em."

Then Isaac, with a kick at the boy, which was skillfully evaded, would tramp wearily out into the darkness to do the neglected work.

Charlie would take a horse at four o'clock in the afternoon to go for the cattle out on the prairie, and would drive the cows galloping home long after dark, with his horse foaming with long and heavy riding. He would disappear for a whole day, and when he came home, Isaac, worn out with age, would try to whip him; but even if the boy were soundly thrashed, in some way he still seemed to have the best of it.

When Isaac would vow, as he often did, that Charlie should never tax under his roof another night, the boy would suddenly work so well, doing almost a man's work, that Isaac's wrath was stung to cool. For Charlie was really skillful with the cattle, and so strong that Isaac never could make up his mind to do without him.

There was one person, and only one, who never said he was a bad boy. At night he had more than once waked up to catch a glimpse of a white face, quite near him in the moonlight, and to feel hot tears drop on his face. Usually he turned over and tried to appear very sound asleep; once he choked, and put his arms around her neck, and gave her a great boyish hug and kiss that she never forgot.

But the next day he was worse than he had ever been before, and was whipped three times by Isaac.

Midnight Isaac was falling. "I'm breaking, Malviny," he said one afternoon, coming in earlier than usual. He sat by the table, his head in his arms, never heeding milking time, never looking up to growl at Charlie when he entered.

In the morning he started out to milk, but came back and sat again with his head in his arms; and then, not knowing that she could do so, but with love and pity in her heart that must find expression, his wife coaxed him in timid words to go to bed; and when he was there, the womanly instincts came uppermost, and she tidied the room, and darkened it, and moved quietly and smoothly Isaac's forehead, though it almost frightened her to do it.

She tried to encourage him, and as she walked around she sang in a low voice her only song, "Love is the greatest thing in the world."

He heard the words, and roused himself to listen.

"Come here, Malviny," he said. As she sat beside him he took her small, bony, twisted, hard-worked hand in his large one, and said brokenly:

"I'm sorry I ain't been lovin'er to you, Malviny. No man ever had so good a wife as I've had."

There was a long pause, while the chickens could be heard scratching outside the door.

"We ain't made much of life," he went on. "This day, lying here, watching you and your quiet ways, and

feeling your hand, is the sweetest day I ever had, Malviny."

He said no more. He held her hand, and died at sunset.

The neighbors virtuously hoped that now Widow Holt was left alone, Charlie would do better, especially as he was getting so well-grown. He was sixteen now.

But he did not do better; he did worse. He stayed away whole days from the farm. The milking, and all the hard chores, fell upon one little sorrowing woman. She tried to have nice meals, but Charlie was seldom at home to eat them, and the things were put away untasted. Soon she would have nothing to eat, she knew, if Charlie did not help.

Many rumors were afloat about Charlie. Some of the neighbors' boys were becoming reckless and unmanageable. It was all due to Charlie, the neighbors said, and there was talk of driving him out of the country.

One night Charlie came dashing up on his horse, pale and breathless, and there was a great welt from a whiplash on his neck and cheek. He broke into the little room and said:

"I'm going. Barnes and Clack and Hall met me on horseback at the Corners, and Nat Hall's run away, and they say it's my fault. Barnes cut me with his whip, and they say they're coming up here by midnight, and if I'm not gone they'll horsewhip me out of the county!"

The boy's eyes were like sparks of fire, and his face was white with rage, but not so white as the little woman's who grasped the chair-back.

"I've loved you so—Charlie!" she said, in a voice like a cry.

The boy's throat worked; the color came into his face and left it; his hands clenched, and then, with a groan, he threw himself on the bed. His strong young shoulders shook, and he sobbed in a storm of tears.

She knelt down beside him. All she could say was, "Charlie—my little Charlie!" She did not know how to talk.

"I won't go," he said, after an hour. "They can horsewhip all they like, but I can't leave you. I'll be good; oh, I'm so bad—so bad! I—"

He put his head in her lap, and she smoothed it as she did at night when she thought he was asleep. "I want—to take care of you—but I'm so bad!"

She sat there and soothed him until he fell asleep. She waited until twelve o'clock, but no one came.

Then she looked and looked on the face she loved so much—the square forehead, the tanned, fresh-colored cheeks—on that dreadful welt, the firm chin, the mouth she thought so beautiful, the long brown hair with the wave in it, the long lashes on the cheek. It was a reckless face, but it looked like such a good face to her—it always had looked good to her, no matter what he did!

His brows drew together, and he murmured in his sleep just as he did the first night he came. He was only a boy after all; he said he would be good!

"Is love the greatest thing in the world? Can my love for him, and his love for me, and God's love for both, make him a good boy? If it can, love is the greatest thing in the world."

In the morning, when he awoke, she was sitting beside him, half afraid to have him waken; for he was a good boy when he was asleep.

He seemed dazed at first. Then he flushed, and looking square into her eyes said, with a new tone in his boyish voice, "You love me; don't you? Well, I'll show I love you—you see!"

She did see. He was as good a worker as any man around, and he knew it. He began his farming on a small scale, so that he could do everything himself—so "sne" could live "comfortable like."

The little woman could not understand the summer that followed. A different look came into her eyes, and Charlie said there was color in her cheeks. "Perhaps it was true, for it was a wonderful thing to have a happy voice asking what she wanted, and telling her not to do this or that, but rest."

Charlie found time to do so many new things! They had a garden with lettuce and tomatoes and sweet peas—things they never had before.

He said that the one room with its shed kitchen was no fit for her to live in, and he worked early and late, and made trade with carpenters, until he added a kitchen and a porch and two rooms for bedrooms.

Then came that wonderful day, the most glorious day in all that little woman's life, when they took the horse and wagon and started before sunrise for Topeka, and came back by moonlight with a bed, a great rocking-chair, a looking glass, a carpet, and some dishes.

At night, when everything was all done, and Charlie could hardly contain himself for pleasure, the little woman felt a tickling in her throat, and wondered if she was going to cry while she was trying eggs in the new frying pan.

Such a night as that was, and such a supper—just they two; Charlie was happy, and looked lovingly at the little woman opposite him.

He was very solemn toward bedtime. He hung over her chair, and held her face in his two big hands, and kissed her, and said:

"You think I love you now, don't you, mother? And we think what you sing—don't we—that love is the greatest thing in the world?" (Youth's Companion.)

### An Electrical Brain-Tester.

An apparatus for measuring brain effort has been made by J. L. Balbi, who suggests that the arrangement might be made to point out the proper studies for children—or those which can be pursued with the least work and greatest profit.

In the centre of a head-gear of some light heat-conducting material, he places a thermo-electric pile, which is connected by flexible wires to a sensitive galvanometer. The slightest rise in temperature due to rush of blood to the head is indicated by the galvanometer, the effect, of course, increasing with the intensity of the mental work.—[Trenton (N. J.) American.]

### GETTING OVER THE STRAIN.

"What's the matter, my boy?"

"Don't stop me; I'm in a hurry. Mr. Lens has just been photographing a pair of twins."

"But where are you going?"

"Down to the drug store to get him a dose of bromide."—[New York Recorder.]

## MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE

On the 23d, the House passed a bill authorizing the Auditor General to credit the county of Muskegon with the sum of \$8,000 of delinquent tax assessed upon lands the title of which was in the State or the United States. The measure encountered very strenuous opposition and passed only with a bare majority. Should it become a law it will open the way for a large number of similar claims reaching in the aggregate \$500,000. The House agreed to the election bill in committee of the whole, the clause providing for open booths being stricken out. Senator Milnes introduced a concurrent resolution in the Senate providing for the issuing by the State Treasury the balance of the bonds authorized by law for payment of soldiers' bounties, amounting to about \$428,000, and that the proceeds be applied to the equalization of bounties on the basis of \$100 each. A bill for regulating the charges of telephone companies was favorably reported. It provides for an annual rental not exceeding \$2.50 per month within one mile of central office, and not to exceed 25 cents per month for each additional mile, or in view of the annual rental, the subscriber may be required to pay an annual rental of \$1 in advance within one mile of central office, and an additional charge not exceeding \$1 for each additional mile, the subscriber then to be charged a fee of 5 cents for each connection not exceeding thirty in any one month, and if the connections are above 100 the fee shall be 1 cent each. The Senate passed the Milnes bill, bringing the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad under the general law for taxation purposes, after a four hours' debate by a vote of 25 to 2. Wisner and Fridlander voting no. The Senate then in committee of the whole agreed to the House Miner electoral bill for electing Presidential electors by Congressional districts.

On the 24th, the bill requiring that the upper berths in sleeping cars shall not be lowered unless they are actually sold for the night was defeated in the Senate, only eight senators voting for it. The Richardson bill, greatly increasing the taxes paid by the railroad companies, was favorably reported to the House. The bill increases railroad taxation over 50 per cent. It requires that the roads shall pay 3 per cent of their gross earnings, if less than \$20,000 per mile, and 4 per cent, when in excess of that sum. The framers of the bill say the State treasury will receive nearly \$500,000 additional annually if the bill passes. The Committee on State Affairs reported in favor of abolishing the office of State Game Warden and of shortening the deer shooting season ten days in each of the two peninsulas. This will make the season from Sept. 20 to Nov. 1 in the upper peninsula, and from Nov. 10 to Dec. 20 in the lower peninsula.

The End.

The end of life is a solemn reality, and one that is always impressed upon us with something of lasting effect. The lifeless form lying before us, with the hands folded silently over the heart, is an object lesson which will not pass unnoticed. It may be the stranger that has dropped in our midst; his name is unknown to us; we are in ignorance of whence he came or whither he was going. But we lift the hat in respect for the motionless clay, and set to wondering whether or not there are hearts throbbing with love for him in some distant home and that will bleed when, after long waiting, his footsteps are not heard upon the threshold. It may be the friendless pauper who has dropped out of the line of march, but he was a man, and we feel as we look upon the cold, white face that after all he was a brother. But when to the solemnity of dying is added the wretchedness of friendlessness, dying seems doubly sad. We have seen the rotary of vice fall beneath the weight of his own sins, and pass out of life with no eye to drop a tear upon the plain casket and no lips to speak his name with loving reverence. It is an unutterably sad ending of the day of life, and never fails to arouse in the thoughtful mind the belief that one of the highest duties which a man owes to himself is to make friendship for himself. The man who neglects the possibilities of living, who covers his intellect with the mud and gloom of dissipation; who shatters his character and poisons the friendship that might exist for him, while committing a sin against his Creator and society, commits a greater sin against himself. But for the kindly words that are spoken, the warm graspings of the hand and the loving attentions, life is a dreary waste; and he who makes such a waste of life is like a man who should go into a garden laughing with fragrant bloom, and tread the flower beds into wretched ruin. Life is so grand, character so beautiful, manhood so divine, that he who does not appreciate them is a foolish man and a criminal against his own best interests.—[Youth's Companion.]

Held by Etiquette.

A good story is related by the Washington *Anthropologist*. It seems that at official and diplomatic dinners there is sometimes difficulty in determining whose duty it is to rise and break up the entertainment.

When Dom Pedro, the Emperor of Brazil, was entertained at the White House, he had been told by a confused Senator that it would be expected that he, the Emperor, should be the last of the guests to depart.

The President's wife, however, informed her other guests that they would be expected to follow, not precede, the royal party in leaving the house.

The result was that no one dared to go for fear of a breach of etiquette. But at 3 o'clock in the morning a tired woman pretended illness, and the deadlock was broken.

Great is etiquette, but common sense is sometimes allowable.

Some Scraps of Science.

DR. BARRON says that town life leads to degeneracy on account of the bad air.

An immense blast of granite was recently made in Scotland, displacing 75,000 tons.

The bridge over the Indus at Sukkur is at present the largest railroad bridge in the world.

ASBESTOS has been found to work admirably when used as a fireproof screen in the theaters.

ACROPHOBIA is a new term used to describe an exaggerated condition of fear when in high places.

PAINT made with turpentine is a better protector for iron work than when mixed with linseed oil.

UGANDA, in the eastern part of Africa, has an area of 34,000 square miles and a population of 5,000,000.

COAL dust, flour dust, starch and flour are all explosives when mixed with certain proportions of air.

COMPLAINTS come from New Zealand that many species of birds have disappeared within late years.

## MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS.

INCIDENTS THAT HAVE LATELY OCCURRED.

An Interesting Summary of the More Important Doings of Our Neighbors—Weddings and Deaths—Crimes, Casualties, and General News Notes.

DR. J. RANNEY, of Kalamazoo, went to Carlinville, Ill., just to preach to a congregation he used to lead 50 years ago. This was the ostensible object of the pilgrimage but not the romantic. The venerable doctor went to Bloomington, Ill., and there was married to Mrs. P. Y. Stewart. The bride in her childhood days was an inmate of Mr. Ranney's home in Pennsylvania as an adopted daughter.

The Michigan Buggy Company, of Kalamazoo, has decided to abandon its \$50,000 suit against the American wheel trust. Both sides are said to have made concessions and the buggy people concluded the trust was all right and did not break its contract to furnish wheels. It is expected other suits of the kind will also be dropped.

The eight-year-old son of Samuel Tyson, of Kalamazoo, was run over by the cars and had both feet cut off.

The old soldiers of Saginaw have organized a county battalion. These are the officers: Colonel, E. S. Poase; Lieutenant Colonel, E. A. Stinson; Major, W. J. Morris; Quartermaster, L. Burnham; Chaplain, L. Wilcox; Surgeon, Walden De Clarence.

No less than thirteen boats (sail and steam) entered Frankfort harbor one day. Immense quantities of hemlock bark and cedar posts are being freighted from Frankfort to Chicago and Milwaukee by lake.

The present indications in Michigan predict that every kind of fruit will be cheaper this year than sugar. There never has, wit in the memory of the oldest, been as favorable a winter as this, the mercury never once falling to a danger point.

ALCONA COUNTY elected lady school directors in five out of the nine townships. In fact, in that section the women appear to be getting to be the body and breeches of politics and business.

COL. CORCORAN, at his new town on Hammond's Bay, Presque Isle County, is getting out 10,000,000 cords of hemlock bark. He now has 300,000 pieces of cedar awaiting the boats.

The Wheeler ship yards at West Bay City are to build a small steel propeller or use in the Gulf of Mexico. The outlook for the season is not particularly high in ship building circles.

The Tamarack-Oscoda Copper Manufacturing Company and the Detroit and Lake Superior Smelting Company are negotiating for a consolidation of interests. The latter is the richest and most powerful company any of its kind in the country. The works of the former are at Dollar Bay, three miles east of Hancock, where the works of the latter are situated.

The Fish Commission recently caught 10,000,000 dozen fish eggs off the coast at Jata-ka, near Bay City, last week. The catch was all at one haul and was the largest ever known in the history of the commission.

At the Red Jacket shaft, the Calumet & Hecla Mining Company is putting in a "sinking engine" that will hoist rock from the bottom of a perpendicular shaft one mile deep. The shaft is now 3,000 feet deep and they are sinking it at the rate of 100 feet per month.

FRANK STEVENSON, of West Branch, had both arms crushed by a freight train. Amputation was necessary, and the boy will probably die.

MRS. MARY SWEET, of Zilwaukee, is accused by a coroner's jury with strangling her babe.

HARRISON has \$1,000 bonus raised for factories.

The Hoyt estate at Saginaw will rebuild the Bancroft House \$25,000 worth.

IDA BUCKLEY and Maggie Beercoft escaped from a vile resort at Otsego Lake, where they had been enticed. The keepers of the place were arrested.

A \$2,000 FIRE at St. Charles burned out two stores belonging to Miss Maybury and Charles Dean.

ITHACA has a one-pound baby. Bad beginning, good ending.

W. J. BAXTER, who has been in the lumber business at Saginaw for thirty years, is dead. He was 74 years old.

FULLY twenty thousand people viewed the remains of Congressman Ford at Grand Rapids, and on the day of the funeral the flags were at half mast, the city draped in mourning, and the State officials attended in a body. The funeral was the largest ever witnessed in the Valley City.

BAD AXE had two John Andrews, the only senatorial "Bad Axe" and an evangelist. The one at Lansing tells the newspaper gang to go to, and the other stays at home and says they needn't. Both are talkers and have been Methodist ministers.

THE Military Board has at last decided upon a place for the State Encampment, and it is Whitmore Lake. The site is Frank Barker's farm, and the camp will begin July 16, and this selection was made because Gov. Winans favored it.

J. E. HESLOR, of Manistique, is under arrest, charged with being short in his accounts as Treasurer of Thompson township. His bail has been fixed at \$4,000.

THERE passed through Bay City last week 120,000 bushels of wheat, bound for New York. The grain came from Duluth, by way of the Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic.

It is reported that a company will build a \$200,000 beet sugar factory at Saginaw. The farmers thereabouts are getting ready to make experiments in raising the vegetable this season.

HERSEY sat up and celebrated loudly. The canvassers declared it had a majority of ten, and therefore keeps the county seat. Reed City had it by twelve before the official count.

AUGUST WOLF, who is charged with cutting Gust Smith's head off with an ax at Bruce's Crossing, was arrested at Wausau, Wis., and is now in jail at Bessemer. Smith was a poor woodchopper who sheltered Wolf when the latter was penniless and out of work.

THE Saginaw, Tuscola and Huron Road will be made a standard gauge at once. The improvement will cost \$300,000. This is done to give better service to the Sebawing coal fields and the Bayport stone quarries. The line runs from Saginaw to Bad Axe and is sixty-seven miles long.

**Syrup of Figs.**  
Produced from the laxative and nutritious juice of California figs, combined with the medicinal virtues of plants known to be most beneficial to the human system, acts gently on the kidneys, liver and bowels, effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds and headaches, and curing habitual constipation.

**Can't Stand Bells.**  
Some Michigan sheep-raisers claim to have proved to their entire satisfaction that bells on sheep protect them from marauding dogs. Flocks which had no bells, they say, were annoyed every week, while those with them were scarcely ever disturbed. The clang of the bells is more than the dogs can stand.

It's sometimes said patent medicines are for the ignorant. The doctors foster this idea.

"The people," we're told, "are mostly ignorant when it comes to medical science."

Suppose they are! What a sick man needs is not knowledge, but a cure, and the medicine that *cures* is the medicine for the sick.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures the "do believes" and the "don't believes." There's no hesitation about it, no "if" nor "possibly."

It says—"I can cure you, only do as I direct."

Perhaps it fails occasionally. The makers hear of it when it does, because they never keep the money when the medicine fails to do good.

Suppose the doctors went on that principle. (We beg the doctors' pardon. It wouldn't do!)

Choking, sneezing and every other form of catarrh in the head, is radically cured by Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. Fifty cents. By druggists.

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The Soap that Cleans Most is Lenox.



## ABOUT TO HANG HIM.

### A HOOSIER NEGRO NARROWLY ESCAPES LYNCHING.

Descriptive Fire at Franklin, Pa.—Yellow Fever and Small Pox—Standing of the Base-Ball Clubs—Phoebe Cousins Will Fight—New Jersey on Fire.

#### ALMOST A LYNCHING.

Indignant Hoosiers Take Measures to Break Up a Gang of Toughs.

For several months the citizens of Haughville, across the river from Indianapolis, have been greatly incensed at depredations committed openly by a gang of colored toughs in their vicinity. John Devine, an old colored man, was robbed and beaten by Ike and John Abbott, who had but recently been released from the workhouse. The assault on Devine was immediately made known to the town marshal, and after an exciting chase the offenders were captured and placed in jail. Later in the evening citizens held an impromptu indignation meeting and decided to take the matter into their own hands. The crowd broke into the jail, and taking John Abbott therefrom, placed a rope around his neck and led him to the woods. He cried for mercy, protesting his innocence, and while the vigilantes were fully intending to lynch the miscreant cooler counsel prevailed and it was decided to make him confess. Twenty hickory switches were cut, and after Abbott had received seventy-five lashes on the bare back he broke down and confessed that his brother had planned the robbery.

#### BIG BLAZE AT FRANKLIN, PA.

The Finest Business Block in the Town Partly Burned—Loss, \$140,000.

Fire broke out in the basement of Karns & Co.'s dry goods and notion house in Franklin, Pa. The store was in the center of the largest and finest business block in the town. The flames spread and in a short time the eastern half of the block was in ruins. The losses aggregate \$140,000; insurance, \$66,500. An engine and hose carriage came from Oil City, eight miles distant, in eight minutes and rendered valuable assistance.

#### Don't Want Blair.

The Chinese government has notified the United States of its unwillingness to receive



the Hon. Henry W. Blair as Minister to China.

#### ON THE DIAMOND.

How the Clubs Engaged in the National Game Stand.

Following is a showing of the standing of each of the teams of the different associations:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
W. L. P.	W. L. P.	W. L. P.	W. L. P.
Boston.....	6	0	100
Cleveland.....	4	2	86
Chicago.....	4	2	86
Philadelphia.....	3	3	80
Pittsburgh.....	1	5	166
St. Louis.....	1	5	166
Washington.....	1	5	166
Yankees.....	1	5	166

#### AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

W. L. P.	W. L. P.	W. L. P.	W. L. P.
Baltimore.....	10	4	114
Cincinnati.....	12	6	106
Cleveland.....	12	6	106
St. Louis.....	10	7	106
Washington.....	10	7	106
Yankees.....	10	7	106

#### WESTERN ASSOCIATION.

W. L. P.	W. L. P.	W. L. P.	W. L. P.
Omaha.....	7	4	136
St. Paul.....	7	4	136
Sioux City.....	6	5	136
Yankees.....	7	4	136

#### Smallpox and Yellow Fever.

Another case of smallpox has developed aboard W. K. Vanderbilt's yacht Alva, which has been at quarantine near New York since its arrival from the Azores on account of one of the crew having the disease. The new victim is a seaman.

#### Phoebe Will Fight.

Miss Phoebe Cousins has filed a bill in the Circuit Court at Chicago asking the court to restrain the World's Fair Board of Control and the lady managers from interfering with her discharge of the duties of Secretary of the latter body.

#### Due to the Lymph.

One of the consumptive patients treated at the Montefiore Home in New York with Koch's lymph has entirely recovered, and the physicians think the cure due to the use of the lymph.

#### Butler Will Appeal the Case.

General Butler, it is understood, is preparing to take to the Supreme Court of the United States the case of Mrs. Johnson, over which he has had so much trouble with Judge Carpenter at Boston.

#### Found the Fo'y.

The decomposed body of Depot Agent A. L. McDonald, who disappeared from Heiskell, Tenn., some time ago, has been found in the Clinch River. Foul play is suspected.

#### A Forest on Fire.

Flames raged in a forest near Millville, N. J., and a swath through the timber six miles long and four miles wide was burned.

#### Gave His Cash to an Officer.

Rev. Father Brady, of Minneapolis, who arrived at New York from Europe, appeared at the Jefferson Market Court seeking assistance to recover \$700 in cash and a check for \$2,000 on the Irish National Bank of Minneapolis, which he says he entrusted to a policeman, not feeling capable of caring for it himself.

#### Freight Train A Littleed.

A freight train on the Southern Pacific was derailed near El Paso, Texas, and Head Brakeman George Manley and Engineer John Tull were fatally injured.

## IN MEMORY OF GRANT.

### GROUND BROKEN FOR A MONUMENT TO THE SOLDIER.

Martial Music and Sweet Voices of Children Hallow the Occasion—Glowing Eulogies by General Horace Porter and G. A. R. Commander Freeman.

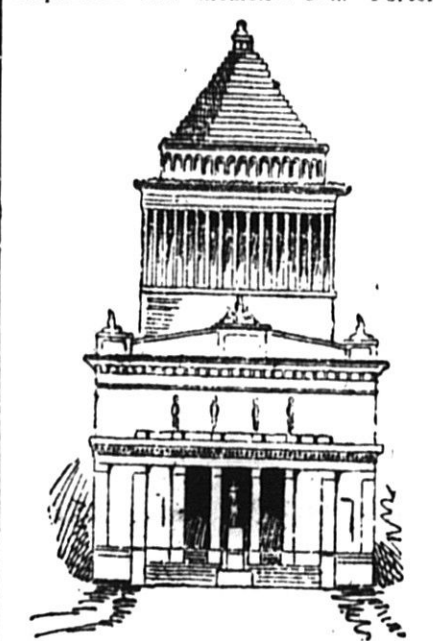
Ground has been broken for the monument which is to be raised at Riverside Park, New York, where rests all that is mortal of the great hero of the rebellion, Gen. Grant. The ceremony was performed amid the plaudits of thousands of citizens, the blare of trumpets, the beating of drums, the booming of cannon, the melody of children's voices, and the eloquence of orators.

There, upon the hillside, gathered the members of the Grand Army of the Republic and a number of other bodies, who, ranking themselves around the tomb, paid reverence to the memory of him whom all nations honored while in life. On the Hudson River, decorated with bunting, lay anchored opposite the tomb the warship Yantic, and at two o'clock her guns commenced to belch forth a salute of twenty-one guns, which were fired at intervals of thirty seconds.

On the platform near the mound were gathered the members of the Monument Association, the members of Alexander Hamilton Post, G. A. R., the leading members of the various Grand Army posts, and the orators who had been selected for the occasion.

Before the regular ceremonies commenced Lawson W. Fuller, at the head of 300 children from the Sheltering Arms Institution and a drum and fife corps playing "America," marched past the tomb with flags drooped. Each child carried a bouquet of forget-me-nots, which were cast upon the tomb. The Marine Band played an overture, after which the Rev. Dr. Clark Wright, chaplain of Department Commander Freeman's staff, offered prayer, and a chorus sang "The Star Spangled Banner." Commander Freeman presided and in a few well-chosen words introduced Gen. Horace Porter, the orator of the day.

After sketching his career to the outbreak of the rebellion and pointing out the marked literary ability shown in his dispatches and memoirs, Gen. Porter



THE GRANT MONUMENT.

spoke of the soldier in the most touching manner, reviewing his brilliant record from the beginning of the war until the time of his death.

The chorus sang "America," when Commander Freeman arose to initiate the particular ceremony of the day—the breaking of the ground for the monument. Before turning up the sod Commander Freeman said that Greece had its heroes, men who won fame by a single act, or gave their lives to carry out a noble purpose. The world is full of monuments to the great and good of generations past—every nation has its sacred shrines, Rome thus kept alive the memory of her magnificent conquests and victories and the men who achieved them. England is full of memorials to her distinguished rulers, generals, poets, and philanthropists. But the sacred shrines of America are dearer to us than any other. We hold with reverence the consecrated soil of Mount Vernon, lest we may disturb the ashes of our beloved Washington. We bow our heads in silence and lift our hearts in gratitude at the resting place of him whose homely features and loving, loyal heart will never fall from memory. Our eyes fill with tears as we stand beside the monument of our beloved Grant. We bow our heads in silence and lift our hearts in gratitude at the resting place of him whose homely features and loving, loyal heart will never fall from memory.

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## Why She Wrote It.

Some of the most stimulating hymns have been "songs of the night." The whispered slanders of gossips begot the hymn, "I love to steal awhile away," which has been the comfort of thousands of tried men and women.

Phoebe Brown, its author, a wife and mother living in poverty, used to stroll away at dusk to a neighboring grove, where she could meditate and pray. The village gossips put their own coarse construction upon these evening walks. One of them, whose house adjoined the grove, said to her, with a tone and manner more irritating than the words: "Mrs. Brown, why do you come up at evening so near to our house, and then go back without coming in?"

That evening Mrs. Brown, grieved in spirit, sat in the kitchen, rocking her babe and weeping. Then she laid the infant in its cradle, and gave expression to her feelings in nine stanzas of verse, which she entitled, "My Apology for My Twilight Rambles, Addressed to a Lady."

Several years afterward she prepared it as a hymn, suppressing four stanzas and altering a few expressions. "Youth's Companion."

#### Don't Throw Up the Sponge!

That hideous ogre, Giant Despair, often fastens his clutch upon the chronic invalid. Constantly plagued by dyspepsia, biliousness, and constipation—nervous and sleepless, too—what wonder is it that, having tried in vain a multitude of useless remedies, he is ready, figuratively speaking, to "throw up the sponge." Let the unfortunate "take heart of grace." Hostetter's Stomach Bitters can and will put a terminus to his trials. It strengthens the stomach, confers nervous vigor by promoting assimilation of the food, arouses the liver when dormant, and relaxes the bowels without pain. The ability to digest and assimilate restored, the ability to sleep follows. Nothing then can stay the renewal of health but impudence. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, moreover, transcends all others as a remedy for malarial, rheumatic, and kidney complaints. A wine-glassful three times a day.

#### His Order.

A dealer in dental supplies, doing business in one of our large cities recently received an order from a country customer, of which the following is a literal copy:

DEAR SIR: Please send by mail 9 upper gummed teeth the shade and size of the sample I send you the right side eye tooth or cuspid in his mouth also his 2 hind teeth in his mouth that is the 2 last on each side are in his head and his eye tooth right side I would like you to send me the block with just 2 on to fit to the eye tooth send them in four blocks. Please you understand me he has 5 in his mouth 2 each side behind the eye tooth fill the rest and oblige me.

Scurvy and Corbute Affections, Pimples and Blotches on the Skin, Bad Legs; Ulcers, Wounds, &c., &c.

The cause of all these complaints is in the blood, and it often happens that they are floating in the blood a long time before they break out on the body.

This class of diseases requires that the blood be powerfully and perseveringly acted upon, in order to cleanse it from all the morbid humors which have been floating about in it, perhaps for many months. It is of no use to heal the sore by outward applications, for in so doing you only get rid of one trouble to make way for a much worse in a short time.

Beecham's Pills are prepared only by Thomas Beecham, St. Helens, Lancashire, England.

B. F. Allen Co., 365 Canal St., New York, Sole Agents for the United States, who, if your druggist does not keep them, will mail Beecham's Pills on receipt of price, 25 cents a box, but inquire first.

#### Unalterable Water Colors.

The most unalterable water colors have been found to be yellow ochre, terra sienna, sepia, and blues.

The chief religions of the world may be classified to the number of adherents as follows: Christianity, 450,000,000; Confucianism, 390,000,000; Hinduism, 190,000,000; Mohammedanism, 118,000,000; Fetichism, 15,000,000; Buddhism, 100,000,000; spirit worship, 50,000,000; shintoism (the ancient religion of Japan), 22,000,000; Jews, 8,000,000; Parsees, 1,000,000. Total, 1,449,000,000.

The old-fashioned gig was given that name from its peculiar jumping and rocking motion, the word being taken from the French gigue, signifying a jig or a lively dance.

FINDS IT HARD.—The man who runs his boot down at the heel finds it hard to keep his toes square with the world. The man or woman who is all run down in health should use Dr. White's Dandelion Alternative. It is the best tonic and system restorer. It purifies the blood and makes the weak strong and vigorous.

If the world tried one-half as hard to be good as it does to seem good, sinners would be as rare as saints now are.

No NUMBER of absolute failures will ever produce an actual success.

FITS.—All Fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. No Fit after first day's use. Marvellous cure. Treatise and \$2.00 trial bottle free to fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 601 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

**BURNS & SCALDS** are cured by **St. Jacobs Oil** used according to DIRECTIONS with each BOTTLE, also **SORE THROAT** WOUNDS, CUTS, SWELLINGS THE CHARLES A. VOGLER CO., Baltimore, Md.

## SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE.

The success of this Great Cough Cure is without a parallel in the history of medicine. All druggists are authorized to sell it on a positive guarantee, a test that no other cure can successfully stand. That it may become known, the Proprietor, at an enormous expense, are placing a Sample Bottle Free into every home in the United States and Canada. If you have a Cough, Sore Throat, or Bronchitis, use it, for it will cure you. If your child has the Croup, or Whooping Cough, use it promptly, and relief is sure. If you dread that insidious disease Consumption, use it. Ask your Druggist for SHILOH'S CURE, Price 10 cts., 50 cts. and \$1.00. If your Lungs are sore or Back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster, Price 25 cts.

## Patent Fortune-Telling.

Clairvoyant—"You have had many vicissitudes in the past. There has been a death in your family, if not lately, then earlier. Your father had a wart on his nose. You have been in love. You have met with a disappointment. You have splendid business qualities, a good disposition, but like to have your own way. You will soon go on a journey. A letter is coming to you with money in it. Beware of a blonde woman. She is an enemy. You will live to a good old age, and die regretted by all who know you. One dollar, please."

Sitter—"Told me all my past life and my future. Knows everything. Perfectly wonderful. I never believed in fortune-telling until now."

A MAN who has practiced medicine for forty years ought to know what from sugar; read what he says:

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 10, 1887. Messrs. F. J. Cheney & Co.—Gentlemen—I have been in the general practice of medicine for most of my life, and would say that in all my practice and experience have never seen a preparation that I could prescribe with as much confidence of success as I can Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by you. Have prescribed it a great many times and its effect is wonderful, and would say in conclusion that I have yet to find a case of Catarrh that it would not cure, if they would take it according to directions. Yours truly,

L. L. GORSUCH, M. D., Office, 215 Summit St. We will give \$100 for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured with Hall's Catarrh Cure. Taken internally. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Proprietors, Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

#### No Encouragement.

An English pickle manufacturer, desiring to give full measure to Americans, made all his pint bottles to hold a bit more than a pint. Yankee competitors at once kicked, and brought a custom-house law to bear on him and make the overplus chargeable as a full quart. He has had to return to scant pints to hold his own.

For strengthening and clearing the voice, use "BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES." "I have commended them to friends who were public speakers, and they have proved extremely serviceable."—Rev. Henry Ward Beecher.

THE experiments of marine biologists in fishing up the dwellers of the deep by the aid of the electric light have shown that the light may be used in ordinary commercial fishing with profit. If an electric light is lowered into the sea inside a tow net more fish than would naturally be taken are attracted into its meshes.

"PENNY wise and pound foolish" are those who think it economy to use cheap soda and rosin soaps. Instead of the good old "Dobbin's" Electric Soap, for sale by all grocers. Try it. Be sure, buy genuine.

#### Nothing Like Morocco.

Each man who struck at Lynn has lost fourteen months' work, been obliged to run in debt head over heels, and is at least \$700 worse off than when he walked out to gain a point worth only \$25 per year to his income. He must go back to old hours and old wages.

"A DIRTY house and a scolding wife are poor companions." SAPOLIO will cure the first, and perhaps moderate the rancor of the latter. Try a cake.

EXTRACT from a bride's letter of thanks: "Your beautiful clock was received and is now in the drawing-room on the mantelpiece where we hope to see you often."

NEGLECTING a child troubled with worms may cause it to have epileptic fits. Horrible! Give it Dr. Bell's Worm Destroyer at once and save the child. By mail, 25 cents. John D. Park, Cincinnati, Ohio.

TRUCK generosity is giving away something that you can use yourself.

BERCHAM'S PILLS act like magic on a Weak Stomach.

CUSTOMER—You say this is a real antique? Brice-brac Dealer—It's one of the finest pieces of work by one of the best ancient masters of the present day.

No Optum in Piso's Cure for Consumption. Cured where other remedies fail. 25c.

An open-faced watch—the yawning policeman.

**Nothing Else Will Do It.** We have volumes of evidence to prove that S. S. S. is the only permanent cure for contagious Blood Taint.

I suffered for five years with the I then commenced taking Swift's worst form of blood poison, during Specific (S. S. S.), and in a few months I which time I was attended by the best physicians I could find, and tried numerous of proprietary medicines without any beneficial results. I continued to grow worse all this time, until my whole system was destroyed by the vile disease, my tongue and throat having great holes caused by it. I was entirely cured, and to this great medicine do I attribute my recovery. This was over two years ago, and I have had no return or any effects of the disease since, and my skin is to-day as smooth as anybody's.—William Sowers, Covington, O.

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"Say aye No," and yell ne'er be married" - Don't refuse all-  
**Our Advice** to use SAPOLIO: It is a solid cake of scouring soap, used for cleaning purposes.

I asked a maid if she would wed, And in my home her brightness shed; She faintly smiled and murmured low, "If I can have SAPOLIO."

**PENNYROYAL PILLS** CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH RED CROSS DIAMOND BRAND THE ORIGINAL AND GENUINE. The only safe, pure, and reliable pill for sale. Ladies, use Druggist's Circulars. Beware of cheap imitations. Take no other kind. Aches, Rheumatism, and Indigestion, are cured by this medicine. It is a powerful purgative, and is sold by all druggists, or sent by mail, in return for 10c. in stamps. Name Pennyroyal. Sold by all Local Druggists.

**Good Blood** Is absolutely Essential to **Good Health** You may have both by taking the best Blood Purifier

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**The Mortgage.**  
He bought in 1863 a farm of stumps and stones. His name was Amos Glorified, his surname it was Jones. He put a mortgage on the farm, and then in 1870, "In twenty years I'll pay it up," said Amos Glorified.  
The mortgage had a hungry maw that swallowed corn and wheat; He tolled with patience night and day to let the monster eat; He slowly worked himself to death, and on the calm hillside They laid, beyond the monster's reach, good Amos Glorified.  
And the farm with its incumbrances of mortgage, stumps and stones, It fell to young Melchizedek Paul Adoniram Jones; Melchizedek was a likely youth, a holy, godly man, And he vowed to raise that mortgage like a noble Puritan.  
And he went forth every morning to the rugged mountain side, And he dug, as dug before him poor old Amos Glorified; He raised pumpkins and potatoes down the monster's throat to pour; He gulped them down and snacked his jaws, and calmly asked for more.  
He worked until his back was bent, until his hair was gray; On the hillside through a snowdrift they dug his grave one day! His first-born son, Elphalel, had no time to weep and brood, For the monster by his doorstep growled forever for his food.  
He fed him on his garden truck, he stuffed his ribs with hay, And he fed him eggs and butter, but he would not go away; And Elphalel he staggered with the burden and then died, And slept with old Melchizedek and Amos Glorified.  
Then the farm it fell to Thomas, and from Thomas fell to John, Then from John to Eleazar, but the mortgage still lived on; Then it fell to Ralph and Peter, Eli, Absalom, and Paul, Down through all the generations, but the mortgage killed them all!  
About a score of years ago the farm came down to Jim, And Jim called in the mortgagee and gave the farm to him. There's no human heart so empty that it has no ray of hope, So Jim gave up the ancient farm and went to making soap.  
He grew a fifty-millionaire, a bloated, pampered nature, He owned ten railroads, twenty mines, and the whole State Legislature; And thousands did his gruff commands and lived upon his bounty; And he came home, bought back the farm and the entire county.

**ADDITIONAL LOCAL.**  
The schr. Alert arrived here from Ludington.  
John A. Roost had an attack of erysipelas this week.  
Born, Thursday, to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rinck, west Eighth street—a son.  
The pastor of the Third Ref. church lost thirty-two chickens by the fire, Wednesday night.  
Orph Higgins caught a muscalonge in Black Lake, Thursday, weighing fifteen and a half pounds.  
Mechanics are making estimates on a fine residence, for J. C. Post, to be built on Thirteenth street.  
Chicago retail grocers inaugurated a "run" on sugar Wednesday, until five pounds were actually sold for two cts.  
One day last week four juveniles killed 32 rattlesnakes in the swamp north of the water works. This is no snake story.  
C. Pik, of Drenthe, a former resident of this city, died suddenly, while seated in his chair, Wednesday evening. He was 69 years of age.  
A cablegram was received by A. M. Kanter, Tuesday, announcing the safe arrival of Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Ogge, at St. Thomas Island.  
Invitations are out for the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Jan Visscher, Tenth street, Saturday May 2. Reception in the afternoon and evening.  
Monday morning early J. Elieman noticed the Grand Haven railroad bridge on fire, and with his son promptly extinguished the flames before much damage had been done. Fifty dollars will cover the repairs.  
The Kuite Bro's meat market on Eighth street has been renovated in a style reflecting creditably upon the proprietors. The walls are papered with the most delicate shades and everything has been given a most inviting appearance.  
The "West Michigan Band," of this city, intends to give a series of open air concerts. The first entertainment will be given Friday evening, May 7th, on the corner of River and Eighth streets, when the following program will be rendered:  
1. March, "Our Sargeants." Casey.  
2. Waltz, "Cupid." Van Der Cook.  
3. Song and Dance, "Gem." Barnhouse.  
4. Overture, "Chick." F. Binns.  
5. March, "Red Wagon." Van Der Cook.  
Fruit growers should not forget the fact that bees are pollen distributors, which alone would be a sufficient reason why a place should be made for them on every farm. If kept for no other purpose than the benefit they do the growing crops and fruitbearing trees and plants by spreading the pollen among the blooms, these industrious workers would be a valuable adjunct. Testimony is abundant and conclusive as to the desirable effects of bees upon grape vines, fruit trees and fruit bearing plants generally. Indeed, one prominent apiarist goes so far as to insist that a few hives of bees, judiciously placed, will revive a fruit farm from a non-paying to a profitable investment.

The Jackson prison has 23 U. S. prisoners within its walls.  
The new Muskegon school will be built of Holland stone.  
Dock builders will do well to read the notice of L. Jenison in another column.  
A shed belonging to the C. & W. M. caught fire Tuesday night, but by the prompt action of the fire department it was soon extinguished.  
Miss Maggie Mecuwens has been engaged as teacher in the Public Schools, in the place of Miss Rose Mohr, the latter having taken the place of her sister Minnie, whose health at present does not permit her to teach.  
Werkman Sisters report a lively trade this spring. Their experience as practical milliners recommends them favorable to the public of Holland and vicinity. In this issue of the NEWS appears their advertisement, to which we call the attention of our readers.

**College Items.**  
This week was a busy one for professors and students. It was the time for the examinations of the senior and junior classes of the college department. The seniors especially are not at all grieved that their examinations have passed off so successfully, hence they can be seen daily strutting up and down the walks of the college campus, or marching with a victorious air between the post office and their rooms. Friday evening, to show their jubilant spirits, they called upon several professors.  
The Ufilas Club is already making preparations for the "Jaarfeest". Their program will be short and interesting.  
Two base ball teams have been organized, one by the college and another by the grammar school boys. Thursday a match game was played with a score of 12 to 9 in favor of the grammar school.  
President Scott has not been able to meet his classes for the last three days, on account of his attendance at the meetings of the council.  
**Olive.**  
Peach trees in full bloom. Farmers very busy.  
Harrington & Ten Have expect to finish their job of sawing here this week.  
Chas. Holmes of Laketown has taken up his abode two miles east of the Centre. He is a partner in the sawmill of Hughes & Co.  
John Hughes, who broke his arm in two places, is doing as well as could be expected.  
Tom Pierce has raised his house and is putting a wall and cellar under it. Carlos Nivison is doing the mason work.  
Henry Soerheid is building a new house.

**Zeeland.**  
Rev. John Lamar occupied the pulpit in the First Ref. church Sunday. In the morning and afternoon he preached in the Holland and in the evening in the English language.  
Rev. James De Free, of Orange City, Ia., is visiting relatives and friends here.  
Mrs. J. Jabaai had a paralytic stroke a few days ago, from which she is slowly recovering.  
Mrs. Rev. M. Kolyn of Kalamazoo is visiting her parents here for a few weeks.  
**Fillmore.**  
Married, last Sunday evening, by Rev. J. Keizer, George Rutgers and Mrs. Lydia Cook.  
The H. C. Ref. church of Collendorn has received a fine bell for its steeple.  
G. W. Mokma has sold his farm near the village of Graafschap to G. Lubbers, for \$2,450.  
Harm Streu, who died at Muskegon last Friday, was brought to Graafschap for burial on Thursday, his former home.  
Miss Jennie Kollen, teacher in the Van Zanten school house, is on the sick list.  
Ploughing, dragging and rolling are about the only happenings about here at present.  
Dr. Boss lost one of his ponies a few days ago. The animal got a kicking spell, while in the barn; it kicked a partition to pieces and backed down on the broken boards, so injuring itself that it had to be killed.  
Sickness is not very prevalent at present. One or two cases of diphtheria in the neighborhood of Overisel and two or three cases of measles south of the Center, near South Branch, sum it all up.  
**Cedar.**  
Working suits for \$5.00 at Wm. Brusse & Co. 13-1f  
Massury's Liquid Colors, the best in the world, always on hand. 10f. DR. WM. VAN PUTTEN.  
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**A Card To The Public.**  
Some six months ago we began the publication of our reprint of the famous Encyclopedia Britannica in 25 Volumes, which we issued at \$1.50 per volume. The price of the English edition always has been and still is \$8.00 per volume, and the Scribner edition \$5.00 per volume in the cheapest binding.  
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8-1f

**To Horsemen:**  
I have purchased from Uihlein Bros., owners of the famous stock farm at Treadwell, Wis.:  
A two-year old Stallion by Gogebie \$550, he by Red Wilkes out of two Wilkes. First Dam by Strathmore 1st op. of Hamiltonian 10 (Rysdyk's), the sire of 32 with records of 2:17 1/2 to 2:30, and also the sire of 9 dams whose produce have entered the list. Second dam by Clark Chief, the sire of Kentucky Prince 2:47, the latter being the sire of Guy 2:10 1/2 and 14 others in the list. Third dam by Jo Downing 2:40, sire of Abe Downing 2:20 1/2, etc., etc., he by Edwin Forest 49.  
This Stallion I will keep for breeding purposes, at my place in Zeeland Township.  
**C. BOONE.**  
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**Probate Order.**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.  
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.  
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Saturday the twenty-sixth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.  
Present, CHARLES E. SOULE, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Jan Prins deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Jacob Prins, executor and sole legatee in said will named, praying for the probate of an instrument in writing filed in said court, purporting to be the last will and testament of Jan Prins, late of Zeeland in said county deceased, and for his appointment as executor thereof: Thereupon it is Ordered, That Tuesday, the Twenty-sixth day of May next,  
at eleven 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  
**CHAS. E. SOULE,**  
Judge of Probate.  
14-3w

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COUNTY OF OTTAWA.  
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Present, CHARLES E. SOULE, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Jacob Labots, deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Jacob C. S. Labots, executrix and sole legatee in said will named, praying for the probate of an instrument in writing filed in said court, purporting to be the last will and testament of Jacob Labots, late of Holland City, in said county, deceased, and for her own appointment as executrix thereof: Thereupon it is Ordered, That Tuesday, the Twenty-sixth day of May next,  
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**Administrator's Sale.**  
In the Matter of the Estate of Jan Broersma Deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder on Saturday, the Ninth day of May, A. D. 1891, at nine o'clock, in the forenoon, the front door of the Vriesland Post Office in the Town of City of Grand Haven, in the County of Ottawa, in the State of Michigan, pursuant to License and authority granted to me on the twenty-eighth day of February, A. D. 1891, by the Probate Court of Ottawa County, Michigan, all of the estate, right, title and interest of the said deceased, in and to the real estate situated and being in the County of Ottawa, in the State of Michigan, known and described as follows, to wit: The undivided one half of south west quarter of north west quarter of south east quarter, and undivided one half of east three-fourths of north half of south east quarter of south west quarter, both in section twenty-one, in town five north of range fourteen west.  
Dated, March 29, A. D. 1891.  
**DIRK TAKIS, Administrator.**  
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**Chancery Sale.**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN.  
The Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa—in Chancery.  
**JOHANNA FOSSENT, COMPLAINANT,**  
vs.  
**JAN DE KOEIJER and J. DEKENDANTS,**  
**DIENIE DE KOEIJER.**  
To pursue a decree of a decree of the Circuit Court of the County of Ottawa, in Chancery, made in the above entitled cause on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1891: Notice is hereby given that on the first day of June A. D. 1891, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Grand Haven, Ottawa County, Michigan, I, the subscriber, a circuit court commissioner in and for said county, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the lands and premises described in said decree which are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the Township of Zeeland, County of Ottawa and State of Michigan and described as follows, viz: The north-east fractional quarter of the north east fractional quarter of section number six in Township five (5) north of Range fourteen (14) West, containing 42 and 3/4 acres more or less.  
Dated April 17th, 1891.  
**WILLIAM N. ANGEL,**  
Circuit Court Commissioner, Ottawa County, Michigan.  
**AREND VISCHEB,**  
Complainant's Solicitor.  
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