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# HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XXXIII.

HOLLAND, MICH., FRIDAY, MAY 13, 1904.

NO. 18

## Summer Hosiery and Underwear

For Ladies, Children and Men we are prepared with the following lines and prices:

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Ladies Gauze Vests, with long sleeves, size 4-5-6—Extra Size 7-8-9.....25c  
Ladies Gauze Drawers, size 4-5-6—Extra Size 7-8-9.....25c to 35c  
Ladies Gauze Union Suits.....25c to 50c  
Children's Gauze Vests and Pants, Size 1 to 3.....10c  
Children's Gauze Vests and Pants Size 16 to 34.....12 1-2c to 25c  
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## Holland City News.

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### CITY AND VICINITY.

John F. VanAnrooy has sold his milk route to A. J. Mulder of Graafschap.

Rev. D. R. Drukker has declined the call from the Christian Reformed church at Beaverdam.

Dr. Geo. Baker of the Oklahoma missionary field, will speak at Hope church next Sunday evening.

While wrestling with a playmate, Charles DeBruyn, 167 West Eighth street, fractured his left arm.

Harry Wilterdink has sold his house and lot on Seventeenth street to Taake Bontekoe.

Fred McEachron of Grand Haven, deputy county clerk, is taking a trip around the chain of lakes.

Henry Dangermond has taken a position with Rulf Bros. of Chicago, agents for Greyson & Welsbach light supplies.

Henry DePree of Zeeland has been awarded the Martin Literature prize by the Princeton Theological seminary.

The steamer Frank Woods, which wintered in this port, cleared Sunday for Manistee. After a couple of trips the Woods will go on the St. Joseph-Chicago run.

Dr. B. J. DeVries has moved his dentist office from over Haan Bros. drug store to 210 River street, above Fritsch & Thompson's plumbing and plumber's supplies establishment.

The thirty-eighth semiannual apportionment of primary school interest money made by Superintendent of Public Instruction Fall Monday distributes \$44,851.60 among the various counties of the state. The rate is 60 cents per capita, there being 743,086 children of school age in the state.

Grand Rapids Press: The conservatory of music established this year in connection with Hope college in Holland bids fair to be a strong part of the work there. Mr. Henry C. Post of this city and Prof. Nykerk of Holland are at the head of the movement and in June the first recitals of the conservatory will be given. Pupils in piano, voice and violin will participate. Mr. VanHasselt, a gifted young musician, having charge of the violin department.

Marshal Kamferbeek has been on the lookout for some time for the young men who persist in tearing down the signs he recently posted regarding the violation of the ordinance in relation to congregating on the street corners, and finally Monday his vigilance was rewarded with success, when he nabbed John Dyke, a young man living near Allegan and brought him before Justice VanDuren for the offense. Dyke pleaded guilty and was released upon payment of costs. His experience with the law should prove a salutary lesson to others.

Mrs. Ray Moats, a prominent young woman of Benton Harbor, made a sensational attempt to horsewhip a St. Joseph society girl in Mr. Moats' business place Sunday afternoon. Moats it is alleged, had been in company with the St. Joseph girl and seeing the approach of his wife, armed with a whip, locked the store and refused her admittance. A large crowd gathered on the street in front of the place watching the proceedings. When the girl had been given a chance to escape through a rear entrance the husband submitted himself to the wrath of his spouse. Further disturbance was prevented.

The post-office appropriation bill, as signed by the president, fixes the compensation of rural carriers at \$720 a year from July 1, and says: "And on and after said date said carriers shall not solicit business or receive orders of any kind for any person, firm or corporation, and shall not during their hours of employment, carry any merchandise for hire. Provided, that said carriers may carry merchandise for hire for and upon the request of the patrons residing upon their respective routes, whenever the same shall not interfere with the proper discharge of their official duties, and under such regulations as the postmaster general may prescribe." This means that they can not act as agents for business houses, but can carry parcels for patrons on their request.

Rev. T. VanArk of Grand Rapids has declined the call to the Borculo church.

Prof. J. B. Nykerk will sing at the commencement exercises of Saugatuck High school.

Breyman's orchestra will furnish music for the regular week-end dance at Jensen electric Park tonight.

Rural route No. 1. will be established at Hamilton, Allegan county, on June 1. Area covered 27 miles; population served, 612.

Charles DeBoer of Grand Haven has been elected to the position of superintendent of the schools of Spring Lake village.

A large addition will be built next year to the H. J. Helez Co. plant in this city. It will be used principally for storage purposes.

There were but twelve votes against the proposition to build a new steel bridge across Stearns Bayou in Robinson township at the special election held last Monday. The bridge will cost \$8000.

In the fall of 1905 the Michigan state fair will be in full sway in Detroit, just south of Palmer park, on the west side of Woodward avenue. This fall, for the last time, the fair will be held in Pontiac.

Joe Etterry, residing three quarters of a mile north of South Blendon, received a full charge of a shot gun in his foot, completely shattering it, through the accidental explosion of his gun at a charivari.

Charles Harmon is making improvements to his building on Eighth street. A basement is being built under the sidewalk for storage purposes and a cement walk will be laid in front of the barber shop.

Frank Breze, who was badly burned a couple of weeks ago while disentangling electric light wires on Thirteenth street, has returned to his home in Shelby accompanied by his brother. He is recovering from the effects of the accident as rapidly as can be expected.

County Treasurer Luther reports to have issued thirty-five liquor licenses in this county thus far this year. There is a license yet to be issued at Ottawa Beach and several others will probably follow. The present number of licenses is one less than last year.

James Price, the architect, has completed plans for a new residence for J. Cook of Zeeland to cost \$2,000, for a cottage for A. B. Fyfe at Evanston, Park and for a cottage for Mrs. James Creque of Grand Rapids, to be built facing Lake Michigan at Macatawa. He has also many other contracts on hand and his services are in great demand.

Peach orchards near Saugatuck suffered during the winter and the tops of the trees are now bare of blossoms. Less than one-fourth of a crop is predicted. Pear, cherry, plum and apple trees are loaded with blossoms, and unless late frosts injure them there will be a heavy crop to make up for lack of peaches.

Peter DenUyl fell from his horse to the cement crosswalk near the corner of Sixteenth street and Central avenue last Friday and his hip was broken. Mr. DenUyl is a member of the firm of Smith & Den Uyl, which conducts a meat market on the corner of Fourteenth street and Central avenue.

For the first time in the history of the city real estate was sold at public auction Tuesday. The sale was made by John H. Raven and was of the property purchased by him about a year ago and situated on the corner of Twelfth and Pine streets near the Third Reformed church. The sale was well attended and Walter C. Walsh was the highest bidder.

Postmaster Huttly has received a list of the applicants eligible for appointment as carriers on the new rural route out of Grand Haven. Sherman B. Clark stands highest. Giles P. Hiller is second with Dick VerWy, Jr., and Martin VanDoorne, and Chas. Zimmerman following. The carrier will be obliged to furnish his horses and mail cart. The route will open on May 15, with Mr. Clark as carrier.

The Grand Rapids Central league baseball club is dropping to the bottom of the list and needs strengthening. Charles Fox, who played with the Holland team when it was at its best, has been signed and will report for duty at Grand Rapids Saturday. It is also reported that Fred Karsten, the Zeeland pitcher who won fame on the Holland team and on the U. of M. team, has also been signed. Both of these men had certainly ought to be fast enough to fill the bill.

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Sundaes and Sodas  
Pineapple Strawberry Raspberry and Cherries

# 5c

### Gon DePree's DRUG STORE

Try one of our Walnut Sundaes 5c; you'll wonder how they can be served so delicious for the money.

Rev. John E. Kulzeaga will preach in the Third Reformed church next Sunday, both morning and evening.

When Neil Ball, the ex-Holland base ball player, now with the Cedar Rapids team of the Three-I league, isn't busy he makes a home run. He is the same batter as of old and has caught the fancy of the Three-I fans.

While driving on Eighth street near B. Steketee's store Tuesday evening, Martin Beukema's horse was frightened by an electric car and ran away. Mr. Beukema was thrown from the buggy and was injured about the head and face.

Residents of Douglas this week were concerned over the mysterious disappearance of David Weaver of Douglas who dropped out of sight last Friday, and who, it was expected, committed suicide. Poison had been found on Weaver's person several times and that gave rise to the suicide theory. Weaver was found Wednesday afternoon wandering in the woods. He is insane.

South Haven Tribune: Rev. and Mrs. C. C. A. L. John will leave tomorrow morning on the steamer Aliber for Saugatuck. They will spend the summer in their cottage at Central Park which is situated between Macatawa Park and Holland. Rev. John will continue to preach at South Haven and Twin Lakes on alternate Sundays, going next Sunday to Twin Lakes.

Interest is keen in the state oratorical contest which will be held in Muskegon tonight. Holland High school is banking high on a winning by Roy Heath, it's representative, and also the representative of this district. Mr. Heath's subject is "Oppressor and Oppressed" and in treating it he deals exhaustively with socialism. A delegation of enthusiasts expects to go to Muskegon and cheer their favorite to the echo.

Saugatuck Commercial Record—Material is now being hauled in for the new piers and the first piles will most likely be driven Monday. Amos T. Everett, junior government engineer, has charge of the work and is now in Muskegon looking after the building of the cribs which will be brought here and sunk when the proper time comes. Government Inspector, C. G. Carveth, is on the ground now and will be here as long as any work is being done, he will have immediate supervision of the work. The men on the work will hereafter have their quarters at the West end of where the cut will be, rough buildings are now being erected for their accommodation. There will also be a government inspectors office built soon and an office for the Contractors, Smith & Nelson. Mr. Smith of the firm has charge of the work here.

No settlement has yet been reached in the difference existing between the Pere Marquette railway company and the Macatawa Park company regarding the landing of the Macatawa company's ferry steamers at the Beach dock. Albert Tanner, custodian of Ottawa Beach, has given F. K. Colby, representing the Park association, until May 15 to reject or accept the railroad's proposition that \$350 be paid for landing at the dock this season. Mr. Tanner says that if something definite is not done by that time he will at once secure a steamer to ferry people from the Ottawa dock to the other resorts. Of course the railway company's boat cannot land at Macatawa dock but Mr. Tanner claims to be able to arrange to transfer them to the park side. Mr. Colby is standing pat on his proposition claiming that the rent asked is excessive and that the company's boats will cut Ottawa Beach dock off its visiting list. And thus rests the matter at present.

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We are Going to Offer Some

## Crowd Bringing Bargains

Next week, and if you want to take advantage of them you must act quick.

Good China Matting in fancy colors.....9c per yd  
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Extra Cotton Warp Japan Matting.....28c per yd  
Reversible Sultan Cottage carpets.....25c per yd  
Good Granite Carpets, new pattern.....35c per yd  
18-inch Stair Carpets, all good colors.....12½ per yd  
6 pieces, all wool, extra super Ingrain Carpets.....59c per yd  
Remnants of all wool Carpets, 10 to 25 yards in a piece, to go at.....52c per yd  
Sample ends of carpets 1-yd long.....25c  
Sample Velvet and Axminster Carpets, 1½-yds long, makes nice rugs.....\$1.00 ea.  
Remnants of Linoliums, 6 to 20 yards in a piece.....45c  
Smyrna Rug 3x6ft.....\$1.99

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BOTH PHONES.

All orders promptly delivered.

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South River St.



## NEIGHBORING TOWNS

### Laketown

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hubbard, May 2—a son.

Orry Bush has nearly recovered from being poisoned.

E. P. Simpson and Geo. Stratton purchased a 2-horse corn planter of Van Raalte of Holland and will plant corn for 50 cents an acre.

Will Mulder better have said he would black the stove. Germ Mokma said he would and now he has the school marm. And Mulder ain't in it.

W. H. Ester has embarked in the basket business having purchased the Douglas plant.

Orry Bush and J. H. Tripp are working in Graafschap.

Our school closes this week and our school board will do a wise thing if they hire the same teacher for another year.

D. Mokma is on the sick list.

Miss Henrietta Kuipers is gradually failing having lost her speech and eye sight.

There will be an entertainment at the school house near Harkema Bros. Friday night as it is the last day of school. The Walcott band has been engaged for the occasion.

Cor.

## THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

**For the Week Ending April 27.**  
The Ohio legislature has adjourned sine die.

The Hungarian railroad strike is ended. Passenger and freight trains are running regularly.

Of 434 delegates so far elected to the republican national convention, 352 are instructed for Roosevelt.

Stockholders of the Panama Canal company have ratified the transfer of title to the United States.

King Edward, Queen Alexandra, Princess Victoria and their suites have stated on their visit to Ireland.

The steamship Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse said from New York for Europe with upwards of 1,500 passengers.

Western vaudeville managers have formed a trust and will operate theaters in 12 western and southern cities.

Secretary Taft has gone to St. Louis, where he will represent President Roosevelt at the opening ceremonies of the Louisiana Purchase exposition.

The University of Michigan won the four-mile relay race championship in games at Philadelphia and took first in every event except the pole vault.

The Russian financial agent in London says that his nation needs no foreign loan to carry on the war and that her financial condition is satisfactory.

The investigation of the condition of the Union trust company, of Boston, which was closed last month, shows that depositors probably will be paid in full.

Dr. W. S. Evans died at his residence in Marion, Ill., aged 94. Dr. Evans practiced medicine for 40 years, and was a minister in the Methodist Episcopal church.

Charles S. Shumaker, a candy salesman of Lancaster, O., was killed and five other passengers injured in a wreck on the Norfolk & Western near Hayesville, O.

One watchman was killed, another fatally wounded and one burglar is in a critical condition as the result of an encounter in the stockyards district of Chicago.

Arbor day was observed generally throughout Nebraska, especial significance being given to the occasion by the public schools and other educational institutions.

The boiler of Frank Hammes' sawmill at Pound, Wis., exploded, killing William Squire and injuring five other men. The boiler house and part of the mill was wrecked.

Col. Samuel Donelson is dead at Seaboard, Kan., of pneumonia, aged 80 years. He was born in Hawkins county, Tenn., and served in the Indiana legislature in 1852.

John E. Pound, United States commissioner, and former supreme regent of the Royal Arcanum, died at Lockport, N. Y., aged 62 years. He was stricken with apoplexy.

J. J. Douthitt, a wealthy citizen of Edin, O. T., was shot and fatally injured by his wife during a quarrel. Mrs. Douthitt fired three shots at her husband, all taking effect.

Hudson valley fruit growers will lose \$2,000,000 as the result of the extremely cold winter, according to advices from Kingston, N. Y. The failure of the peach crop has been conceded.

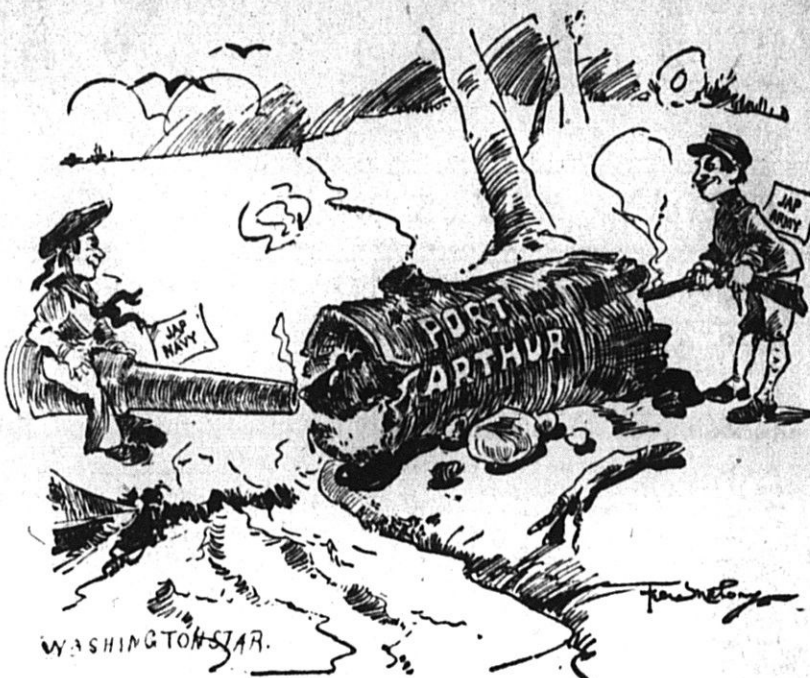
Ralph D. Cole was nominated for congress by the Eighth Ohio republican congressional convention, on the six hundred and sixty-fourth ballot. A deadlock had existed for two days.

Mining schools and other scientific institutions were praised by a witness in the Smoot case, who said that Mormon schools easily rank with the best institutions of learning in the country.

The seventh annual meeting of the Woman's Whist League of the United States began in Baltimore, there being present a large number of noted whist players from various parts of the country.

The Smoot investigation committee seeks permission to take testimony during the recess of congress. The purpose is to authorize the committee to proceed with the investigation in

## NO "MASTERLY RETREAT" POSSIBLE HERE.



## POWDER EXPLOSION IN A COAL MINE

FATAL DISASTER AT HERRIN, ILL., CAUSES DEATH OF SIX MEN.

FOUR SCORE ARE REPORTED INJURED

Wreckage May Cover Other Victims—Rescued Men Turn to Work of Saving Comrades—Later Report Says Twenty Were Killed.

Murphysboro, Ill., May 11.—Six men were killed and a large number burned as the known results of an explosion of powder Wednesday in shaft No. 7 of the Big Muddy Coal & Iron Mine company at Herrin, 20 miles from here.

About 325 men are employed in the mine and they had just begun work. A car containing 50 kegs of powder exploded. The cause of the explosion is not known.

At noon 80 injured men and the following dead were removed from the mine:

Thomas Green.  
Fred Seberg.  
John Miller.  
Crahn.

Two brothers named Williams.  
Rescue Work Difficult.

The mine was badly wrecked, making the rescue work difficult. Thirty-nine men were killed. Luckily the majority of the miners were working in other parts of the shaft when the explosion occurred and were uninjured, thus being able to assist with the rescue work.

It is not known how many men were working in the vicinity of the explosion and it is believed that several are dead and covered with wreckage. It is also feared that some of the wounded may be shut off from the rescuers and that they may die before being reached.

**Says Twenty Were Killed.**  
St. Louis, May 11.—A special from Carbondale, Ill., states that 20 persons are reported to have been killed in the explosion at Herrin.

## AMERICANS SLAIN BY MOROS

Ambushed by Big Force in Mindanao and Two Officers and Fifteen Men Are Killed.

Manila, May 11.—Lieut. Winfield Harper and 39 men of the F company of the Seventeenth United States infantry were caught on May 8 in an ambush by several hundred Moros. Two American officers and 15 men were killed and five men were wounded.

The ambush occurred at Simpatem, on the east shore of Lake Liguasan, Island of Mindanao.

## New York Brokers Fail.

New York, May 11.—An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in the United States district court Wednesday against Floyed Crawford & Co., brokers. The petitioning creditors are F. W. Forbush, Ernest W. Birdsall and David Caldwell. The charges are made in the petition that the firm paid out preferences to the amount of \$20,000; that both members are in hiding; that an attachment was issued in the supreme court for \$2,024, and that the sheriff has leveled on the property. Robert C. Morris was appointed receiver.

## Honor for Bunau-Varilla.

Paris, May 11.—The government has made M. Philippe Bunau-Varilla, first minister of Panama to the United States, an officer of the Legion of Honor. President Loubet acted in this matter on the request of Foreign Minister Delcasse and it is understood that this is expressive of the government's approval of the winding up of the Panama transfer and of M. Bunau-Varilla's services in that connection.

## Many Tibetans Killed.

New York, May 11.—Mounted infantrymen returned May 6 to camp on the Karola and reported that they had killed 250 Tibetans during the pursuit after the force that opposed the advance of Col. Younghusband's mission, says a Times dispatch from Gyantse, Thibet.

## Col. Bristol Dead.

New York, May 11.—Col. Henry B. Bristol, U. S. A. (retired), is dead at his home here. He was born in Detroit, Mich., in 1833, and entered the army under Gen. Lewis Cass, and after the civil war served in several Indian campaigns.

## WILL SUPERINTEND DIGGING

CHICAGOAN MADE CHIEF ENGINEER OF PANAMA CANAL.

John F. Wallace Gives Up Position of General Manager of Illinois Central for New Duties.

Chicago, May 11.—John F. Wallace, general manager of the Illinois Central railroad, has been tendered and accepted the position of chief engineer of the Panama canal. The appointment takes effect June 1, and the salary is to be \$25,000 a year.

President Fish, of the Illinois Central Railway company, was very unwilling to have Mr. Wallace leave the service of the company, but the appointment having been tendered, left the decision entirely with himself. In reaching the conclusion to accept, Mr. Wallace gave up his prospects of promotion, and a much higher salary than \$25,000 a year, but by taking the position of chief engineer of the Panama canal his name will be attached to the greatest piece of construction ever undertaken.

Mr. Wallace is to take charge of the work June 1. It is estimated that about two years will be required to complete the surveys, make the estimates of cost, and decide on the final plans. In round figures the canal will cost \$200,000,000, and will require ten years to complete. Aside from the engineers, machinists and other skilled labor, the constructive work will give employment to 50,000 men. It is probable that all the skilled labor and semi-skilled labor, supplies and stores will be drawn from this country, and doubtless largely from the Mississippi valley. The unskilled labor will probably be drawn mostly from Jamaica.

Illinois Central officials have practically decided to appoint W. J. Harahan general manager.

## Y. M. C. A. DELEGATES.

Representatives from All Quarters of Globe Gather in Fiftieth Annual Convention.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 11.—The international convention of the Young Men's Christian Association of North America convened here Wednesday. The convention marks the fiftieth anniversary of the first international convention in America when the international committees formed and the first meeting on this continent of association delegates was held. It has brought about 1,400 delegates, representing 600 city associations, 700 student associations, 200 railroad associations and a large number of miscellaneous associations representing the army, navy, negro and Indian races and industrial concerns.

An interesting feature of the big gathering is eight frames which spread over the entire length of a spacious room, made up of maps, charts, diagrams and photographs, showing at a glance the development of the work of the association all over the world. The programme includes not only meetings for the delegates, but meetings for the women and the members of the boys' department. Workers are present from every state in the union, Canada, Mexico, and European countries.

## Demurrer Is Sustained.

Jefferson City, Mo., May 11.—The Missouri supreme court Wednesday handed down a decision refusing to oust the Terminal Railroad association of St. Louis of its franchise and right to do business in Missouri. The court sustains a demurrer to the petition alleging that the association does not own and operate parallel lines and competing lines and that as a terminal railroad it does not come under the law regulating trunk line roads.

## Bride and Groom Asphyxiated.

Chicago, May 11.—Edward Jarnigan, western manager of the Potter wall paper mills, and his bride of five months were found dead Tuesday in their home, 1332 Dakin street, by Gustav Gatts, a teamster who was taking furniture to the apartments. Accidental asphyxiation is believed to have caused their death.

## Eight Reported Killed in Wreck.

Chicago, May 11.—A special to the American from Sterling, Ill., says: Eight persons are reported killed and many others seriously injured in a wreck of the flyer on the Illinois Central road, near Dixon, at ten o'clock Wednesday. The news reached this city over the long-distance telephone wires.

## Ball Player Killed.

Peoria, Ill., May 11.—Lawrence Caswell Hubbell, 14 years old, was struck over the heart by a baseball, the injury causing death. Young Hubbell, at play, missed catching a thrown ball.

## THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

**For the Week Ending May 11.**  
Secretary Shaw has drawn a government warrant for \$40,000,000 to pay for the Panama canal.

A solution of copper has been discovered which, it is said, will kill all disease germs in water.

Brig. Gen. Peter T. Swaine, U. S. A. (retired), is dead at his home at Los Nietos, Cal., aged 74 years.

Rev. A. M. Collins, a temperance lecturer of Westerville, O., was killed by a passenger train at Creston, O.

An attempt to institute the use of individual communion cups caused a flurry in the Methodist conference.

Russia has decided to make an exhibit at the St. Louis exposition and reserved 20,000 square feet of space.

Capt. James A. Campbell died at Fort Snelling, Minn., aged 60 years. Capt. Campbell was well known in army circles.

Dr. O. R. Brower, an expert, said in a Chicago court that he considered Dr. Dowie and Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy insane.

A labor organizer found Rockford, Ill., too busy with a religious revival to pay any attention to the labor movement.

The Panama government has decided to appoint Don Jose Domingo de Obaldia as minister of Panama to the United States.

Congressman Robert G. Cousins was renominated by acclamation for a seventh term by the Fifth Iowa district republicans.

Brig. Gen. Stephen W. Groesbeck, U. S. A. (retired), died Sunday of pneumonia at the home of his brother-in-law in St. Louis.

Dr. Clinton Cushing, one of the oldest and best known physicians of Washington, died suddenly at his home in that city.

E. A. McCalla, a wholesale produce dealer at Columbus, O., shot and killed James Brady, an ex-convict, whom he caught in his chicken yard.

Two mills of the Schaghticoke Powder company were blown up near Troy, N. Y. Two employees were killed and many buildings demolished.

The Serbian government has decided to demolish the old palace which was the scene of the murder of King Alexander and Queen Draga.

Industrial disaster threatens every city in Russia. Thousands are unemployed, and business interests face immediate ruin as the effect of the war.

Ann Arbor scientists worked for a year on a difficult problem and are foiled at the end by the discovery of an atom of dust in a porcelain cylinder.

The Japanese victory on the Yalu alarms many people in Europe, who begin to fear the yellow peril for the first time. There is general dismay in France.

The interstate commerce commission will investigate the transportation of fruit by the Armour Car line, against which shippers have lodged complaints.

The business section of La Follette, Tenn., burned. Thirty-five buildings were destroyed, occasioning a loss of about \$200,000, with about \$60,000 insurance.

While the rumor that a revolution has broken out in Hayti are false, there is general discontent in the republic, and a revolution is momentarily looked for.

The president has determined to appoint Col. Albert L. Mills brigadier general. He will remain superintendent of the military academy until some action on his nomination is taken next winter.

Caleb Marrette, aged 55, of Dennison, Tex., who, in company with a sister, 80 years old, was on his way to Pittsburgh to visit relatives, fell under the wheels of a train at Vincennes, Ind., and was killed.

Sympathetic strikes of the women binders, blankbook binders and rulers in Chicago are promised by union officials, if effort is made to run the shops with nonunion binders, a strike being on.

The real estate in San Francisco owned by Mrs. Herman Oelrichs, with the exception of her Fairmount home property, the water front lots on North Beach and land at Holly Park, has been purchased. The price paid is \$2,600,000.

## THE MARKETS.

**LIVE STOCK—Steers.** New York, May 11.  
Hogs, State, 4 1/2 @ 5 1/2  
Sheep, Woolled, 4 00 @ 5 50  
FLOUR—Minn. Patents, 5 00 @ 5 25  
WHEAT—July, 90 1/2 @ 91 1/2  
CORN—May, 56 1/2 @ 57 1/2  
OATS—May, 42 1/2 @ 43 1/2  
RYE—No. 2 Western, 67 1/2 @ 70  
BUTTER, 13 @ 20 1/2  
CHEESE, 9 @ 11  
EGGS, 15 @ 19

**CATTLE—Fancy Beves.** 55 50 @ 57 50  
Fed Texas Steers, 35 50 @ 45 50  
Medium Beef Steers, 41 50 @ 45 50  
Heavy Steers, 51 00 @ 55 00  
Calves, 25 00 @ 50 00  
HOGS—Assorted Light, 4 50 @ 48 00  
Heavy Packing, 4 60 @ 48 00  
Heavy Mixed, 4 65 @ 48 00  
SHEEP—Woolled, 4 60 @ 45 50  
BUTTER—Creamery, 12 @ 18 1/2  
Dairy, 12 @ 18 1/2  
EGGS—Fresh, 15 @ 19 1/2  
POTATOES (per bu.), 90 @ 1 02  
MESS PORK—Cash, 11 40 @ 11 45  
CORN—Cash, 56 1/2 @ 57 1/2  
WHEAT—May, 91 1/2 @ 92 1/2  
CORN, May, 47 @ 47 1/2  
OATS, May, 42 1/2 @ 43 1/2  
Barley, Feed, 32 @ 37  
Rye, May, 70 @ 73

**GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Nor'n** 47 @ 48  
Corn, July, 44 1/2 @ 45 1/2  
Oats, Standard, 44 @ 44 1/2  
Rye, No. 1, 76 @ 76 1/2

**KANSAS CITY.**  
GRAIN—Wheat, May, 85 1/4 @ 85 1/4  
Wheat, July, 75 @ 75 1/2  
Corn, May, 46 1/2 @ 46 1/2  
Oats, No. 2 White, 41 1/2 @ 42 1/2

**ST. LOUIS.**  
CATTLE—Beef Steers, 44 00 @ 52 50  
Texas Steers, 35 00 @ 42 25  
HOGS—Packers, 47 00 @ 48 00  
Butchers, Best Heavy, 47 50 @ 48 00  
SHEEP—Natives, 4 00 @ 4 50

**OMAHA.**  
CATTLE—Native Steers, 43 75 @ 51 50  
Drovers and Packers, 3 00 @ 4 25  
Cows and Heifers, 3 25 @ 4 50  
HOGS—Heavy, 4 65 @ 4 75  
SHEEP—Wethers, Shorn, 4 50 @ 5 15



Mrs. Anderson, Jacksonville, Fla., daughter of Recorder of Deeds, West, who witnessed her signature to the following letter, praises Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—There are but few wives and mothers who have not at times endured agonies and such pain as only women know. I wish such women knew the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It is a remarkable medicine, different in action from any I ever knew and thoroughly reliable. "I have seen many cases where women doctored for years without permanent benefit, who were cured in less than three months after taking your Vegetable Compound, while others who were chronic and incurable came out cured, happy, and in perfect health after a thorough treatment with this medicine. I have never used it myself without gaining great benefit. A few doses restores my strength and appetite, and tones up the entire system. Your medicine has been tried and found true, hence I fully endorse it." —Mrs. R. A. ANDERSON, 225 Washington St., Jacksonville, Fla. —\$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

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Beans, hand picked, per bu., 1 80  
Onions, 85

## GRAIN.

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Oats, per bu., white, 44  
Rye, 56  
Buckwheat, per bu., 60  
Corn per bushel, new, old, 56  
New Ear Corn, per 100 lbs., 50  
Barley per 100, 1 00  
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Timothy seed, per bu. (to consumers), 2 00

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Chickens, live, per lb., 09  
Spring Chickens live, 10  
Turkey, per lb., 5  
Lard, per lb., 8  
Beef, dressed per lb., 5-6  
Pork, dressed per lb., 61-2  
Mutton, dressed per lb., 61-2  
Veal, per lb., 5-6  
Lamb, 12  
Turkey's Live, 10

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MCBRIDE, P. H., Attorney, Real Estate and Insurance. Office, McBride Block.

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### Physicians.

KREMERS, H., Physician and Surgeon. Residence Corner Central avenue and twelfth street. Office at Drug Store, Eighth street.

### Drugs and Medicines.

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## YATES AND DENEEN ARE IN THE LEAD

PRESENT SITUATION IN RACE  
FOR ILLINOIS GUBERNATORIAL  
NOMINATION.

### CONGRESSMAN LORIMER IS SEEKING REVENGE

Declared at Springfield That Cullom  
Will Not Be Returned to Senate If  
Governor Is Renominated—Indiana  
Democrats.

Springfield, Ill., May 11.—Yates and Deneen are the leading candidates for governor of Illinois. If the former is nominated Senator Shelby M. Cullom is believed to face the peril of losing his seat when his term expires in 1907. Should Deneen be the man, it is conceded Cullom will almost certainly be reelected to the senate two years hence.

Congressman William Lorimer, seeking revenge for his humiliating defeat in Cook county, is the man who stands for Yates as against Cullom and Deneen. He has once more turned to Yates and while Jamieson says "Lowden on third ballot," Yates, growing in organization, stands pat and refuses to budge. He believes himself a man of destiny and certain of re-nomination.

**Yates Has Whip Hand.**  
Through the seating of the Yates Sangamon county delegation, Tuesday, Yates has the whip hand over Cullom. He controls the local party machinery here and can dictate the terms of surrender or administer defeat in this county to the venerable senator if the convention indorses the action of the committee. It is believed that this situation will cause the first fight of the convention and that Cullom expects the support of Cannon and perhaps Hopkins in his fight.

Senator Cullom's friends are for Lowden almost to a man. They are wroth at the attempt of Lorimer to betray their candidate and Senator Charles Hughes, the Lowden manager, has declared he would not support Yates. On the other hand, W. S. Cowen, of Carroll county, says he will not deliver his Yates delegates to Lowden.

Immediately after the blow to Cullom became known Tuesday night there was a conference between the Deneen leaders and the Cullom men which caused a flurry in the Lowden-Yates ranks. It is believed that the political methods of the Lorimer candidates may line up the big men of the state against their cause. Cannon, it is said, will stand for Cullom's overthrow, and will take Hopkins with him in the fight.

**Parker Men to Control.**  
Indianapolis, Ind., May 11.—The democratic state committee decided Wednesday that at the district caucuses at night to select 26 delegates to the national convention, tickets should be issued to delegates having prima-facie evidence of election where there are contests. This will seat the Parker delegates from Vanderburg, Vigo, Tippecanoe and Benton counties, numbering about 125. This means that the Parker following will control the convention organization. It has been decided that at the state convention Thursday to select four delegates-at-large the Indiana delegation to the national convention will be instructed for Judge A. B. Parker, and will vote under the unit rule. Just how far these instructions shall go has not yet been determined, but it is understood that the instructions will not read that Indiana shall support Parker, "first, last and all the time."

### KILLED HIMSELF.

Capt. Walter Allen, of St. Louis,  
Brother of "Private" John Allen,  
Commits Suicide.

St. Louis, May 11.—Capt. Walter Allen, of St. Louis, connected with the World's Fair Jefferson Guards, and a brother of "Private" John H. Allen, national world's fair commissioner from Mississippi, committed suicide late Tuesday by shooting himself through the heart in a room in the dormitory of the Washington university, now utilized by the exposition. He left a note stating that ill-health had driven him to commit the act. His wife and two children survive him. Capt. Allen, who was 48 years of age, was appointed during the second administration of President Cleveland as manager of the mint at Denver, Col.

### Vatican Makes a Denial.

Rome, May 11.—The Vatican authorities deny having received objections from American archbishops regarding the impossibility of enforcing the papal decree providing for the restoration of the Gregorian chant and the banishment of women from church choirs. It is pointed out in this connection that the decree did not call for the exclusive use of the Gregorian chant, nor did it forbid congregational singing, including, naturally, female voices.

### Howe Inaugurated President.

Cleveland, O., May 11.—In the presence of many distinguished educators, representing nearly all the prominent institutions of learning in the country, Prof. Charles Sumner Howe was Wednesday inaugurated as president of Case School of Applied Science in this city. The exercises took place in the Euclid Avenue Congregational church and the large edifice was crowded to the doors.

**American Buys Chilean Cruisers.**  
Santiago de Chile, May 11.—The Chilean cruisers Esmeralda and Chacabuco have been definitely sold to Charles R. Flint, of New York. The contract price is \$5,150,000. Congress will assemble to approve the sale.

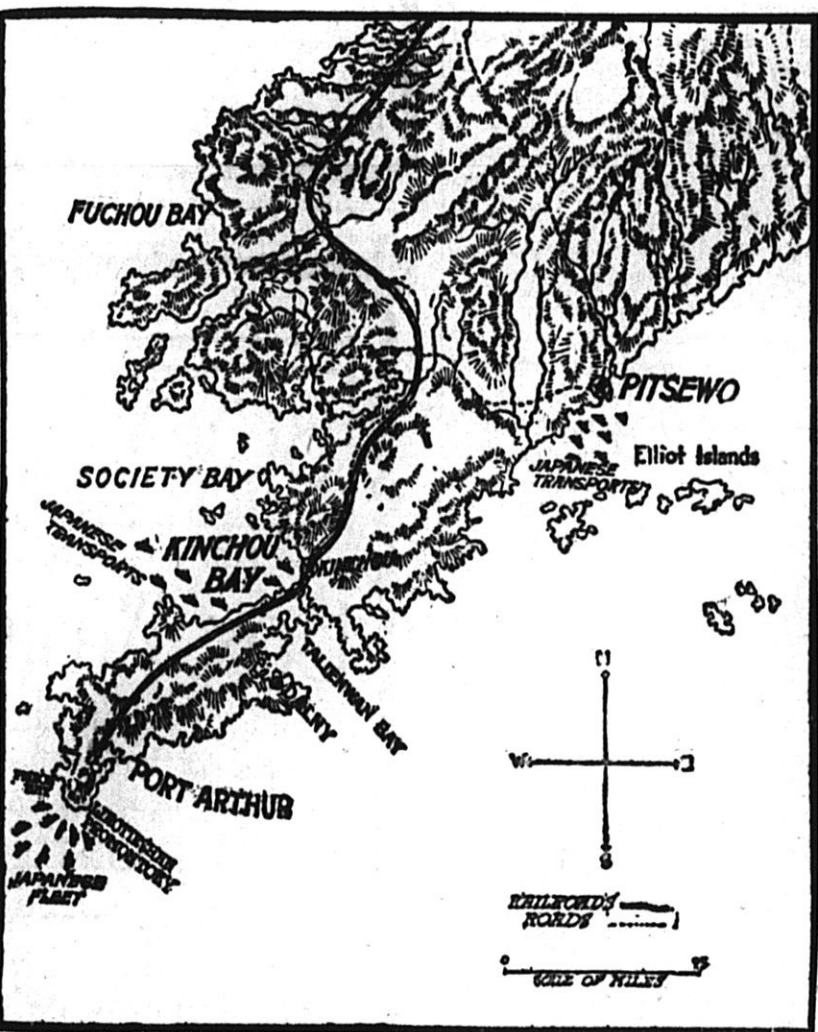
## MANY PERISH BY FIERCE TORNADO

NUMEROUS FATALITIES RESULT  
FROM A FURIOUS WIND-  
STORM IN TEXAS.

Sixteen Persons Known to Be Dead,  
and the List Is Likely to Be Larger  
—Many Injured—Much Property  
Destroyed.

St. Louis, May 7.—A special to the Republic from Dallas, Tex., says: The tornado in northwest Texas Friday night killed Mrs. Mary Wagley, her daughter Anna, and George Anthony, at Moran. A dozen persons were severely, but not fatally, injured. At Putnam one man was killed and one woman was injured. Their names have not yet been learned. A negro cabin was swept into the Brazos river, five miles above the Texas & Pacific railroad crossing, and three negroes were drowned. A wreck train was blown from the railroad track near Crescent, and George Sommers and William Apple, negro laborers, were drowned. Twenty houses were wrecked at Moran and half a dozen at Putnam. Hundreds of head of live stock are reported killed in Shackelford and ad-

### MAP SHOWING MOVEMENTS FOR NAVAL AND LAND AT- TACK ON PORT ARTHUR.



Japanese transports have arrived at Pitsewo and Kinchow to land troops, and the Japanese fleet is lying behind the Liaotieshan promontory. This information comes from Port Arthur direct and from Newchwang.

Joining counties. Crops were badly injured by the wind, rain and hail. Wire service is still badly crippled and reports as to further fatalities are still incomplete, but it is believed that lives were lost in isolated places that will swell the number to 20.

### More Deaths Reported.

Houston, Tex., May 7.—Storm news is coming in very slowly, but it is certainly known that there have been many deaths in different parts of the state. Among the known dead are Will Perry, at Harrisburg, killed by lightning; Mrs. Allen G. Dennis, G. W. Mason and child of S. T. Harper, at Goldthwaite; Luther Rudd, Allen Dennis, Mrs. S. F. Harper and child and Joe Griffin are also badly hurt at the latter place. The damage to cotton and corn crops will be heavy. The damage to property will run into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. At Ruby, John Mullen's house was wrecked. Mr. and Mrs. Mullen were carried nearly 100 yards by the wind; Mrs. Mullen is believed to be fatally hurt. Wesley Spurlock, 14 years old, was killed. At Sunset nearly 20 buildings were wrecked.

### Two More Victims.

Hamilton, Tex., May 7.—A tornado in the section of country about Star Mountain, located about 25 miles southwest of this place in Mills county, destroyed five houses, killing George Mason and blowing away one of his children. The child is still alive, but not expected to live. C. E. Bohocker had his home blown away and one child killed and other members of his family slightly injured. The house of Mr. Rayburn was also destroyed, injuring four of the family.

### Hope Abandoned.

Shamokin, Pa., May 10.—All hope that the five men who were imprisoned on Thursday last in the burning Locust Gap mine are alive has been abandoned, and the mine will now be flooded to extinguish the flames. A fierce fire is still raging in the mine.

### Motorman Killed.

New York, May 10.—A rear-end collision between two trains on the Third Avenue elevated, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets Monday afternoon killed Motorman Cornell, of the rear train, and seriously injured five passengers.

### Thirty Killed.

London, May 10.—A dispatch to a news agency from Liaoyang says: "An accident to a train from Port Arthur to Harbin occurred May 8 near Tieling. Thirty passengers were killed and 50 injured, and the permanent way was greatly damaged."

## UNIVERSITY TO CELEBRATE

Wisconsin State Institution to Hold  
Elaborate Jubilee Exercises  
Next Month.

Madison, Wis., May 9.—The programme, now complete, of the jubilee exercises of the University of Wisconsin to be held during the week beginning Sunday, June 5, which are to include the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the graduation of the first class in 1854, the inauguration of President Charles Richard Van Hise and the fifty-first commencement of the university, indicate that the occasion will be one of great interest not only to the alumni and others interested in higher education, but to the people of the whole state.

The responses received thus far indicate that there will be a larger attendance than originally anticipated. Some 100 Americans and foreign universities have accepted the invitations and will be represented by one or more delegates. At recent meetings of the alumni associations in New York, Washington, Milwaukee and St. Louis much enthusiasm was manifested in the coming celebration and from the responses thus far received it is evident that there will be over 1,500 alumni present.

Elaborate preparations are being made for the spectacular features of the jubilee, which will include a torch-light procession by 2,000 undergrad-

## Sun

Stroke Shattered My  
Nerves.

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For Two Years.

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Tea will bring them all. If it fails  
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### Our Title is Clear.

Senator Dooliver in his speech in the Senate on the Tariff and the trusts, said the Republican party inherited its historic faith from our fathers and traced the line of inheritance as follows: When William McKinley died he left it as a rich legacy to us who followed him in the great triumphs of his public life. It was not a discovery of his. He got it from Abraham Lincoln, who got it from Henry Clay, who got it from Alexander Hamilton, who got it from Benjamin Franklin; so that our title is clear, our abstract perfect, without lien or encumbrance, running straight back to the original sources of American common sense. — New Haven "Journal and Courier."

### Two Reasons Why Roosevelt Has Enemies.

It is pretty difficult for a man to go through life without making enemies. If he has opinions and is ready to go to lengths of stubbornness for their prevalence he will make enemies, for on the other side will always be the men who cannot brook opposition without allowing the birth of enmity. The harder he contends for the triumph of the ideas in which he believes the harder will these men feel the sting and the faster will their enmity grow. Again, the simple fact that a man achieves even slight successes will cause enmity to grow in the breasts of the selfish. Many a man is derided and unloved by a petty minority because he has taken a step or two up the ladder toward the abiding place of success. The selfish cannot appreciate the good that the successful do, so warped is their judgment by this petty feeling. So it has been, so it is at present, and so it will be until the coming of the millennium.

Theodore Roosevelt, president of the United States, is receiving demonstrations of these truths every day. He dares to endeavor to put them into the law of the land. Some of these opinions are not liked in the rendezvous of the money changers in Wall street, and they would like to see Roosevelt meet defeat when he appeals to the people next election. They do not like these opinions because they do not promote the selfish ends of the Wall Street manipulators, but rather promote the general welfare of the country. Then, in his own party are those who belong to the class that feels enmity simply because Theodore Roosevelt has attained success far beyond that attained by the average man. These two classes would give a good deal to put a man to whom they could dictate in the place of Roosevelt. They have schemed in and out of the party to which the president belongs to attain their desire. But the signs of the times portend that all their scheming will not avail and that triumph through the will of the people and by the aid of the republican party will be Roosevelt's lot.

The people love the president for the Wall street enemies he has made and the people are all-powerful in politics.

### Chairman of State Central Committee

It is gratifying when the seal of appreciation is put upon deeds well done. The republicans of Michigan will have an opportunity to put this seal on in the case of the chairmanship of the state central committee. Hon. G. J. Diekema of this city, since he has guided the campaign destinies of the republican party of the state of Michigan, has proved to be one of the ablest, and those high in the councils of the party say—the ablest state chairman the party has ever had. A glance at the election returns of the campaigns in which he figured will show that increasing republican strength has been the rule. He believes in the marshaling of forces for decisive political warfare, thus bringing home to the voters the manifest truth of political economic conditions, basing his actions on the theory that when the truth is known the republican party is the gainer. These truths he has promulgated with unwonted vigor, yet so fair is his method of attack that the members of the opposition party have no words of bitterness for him, and the members of his own party have no words of censure to offer. Rather, have they words of

praise. And it is gratifying to note that with the republican convention but five days distant no candidate has appeared against him for another term as chairman, but that there has appeared for him rather words of commendation from all parts of the state. His record merits the seal of appreciation next Wednesday. It should be accorded with unanimity.

### Marcus Tyler Loses Life in Wreck of Schooner.

Marcus Tyler, son of Frank Tyler, 209 West Fifteenth street, was drowned last Monday in Lake Michigan about 8 miles from South Haven and five miles from shore. Tyler was a sailor on the schooner Anne F. Morse, which was wrecked while on a trip from White Lake south. Monday night the Morse was struck by a heavy northwester and after laboring in the heavy sea for several hours was wrecked. When it was seen that it was dangerous to stick to the ship the three men aboard made ready to try to go ashore in the yawl boat. The captain, W. J. Minter, of South Haven, was the first to board the yawl and no sooner had he done so, than the little craft was cast loose from the schooner by the big waves. The other two men, Walter Craft and Tyler, were forced to stay on the schooner. Tyler was in a short time washed off and drowned, but Craft hung on and was washed ashore.

Captain Minter had a hard time on the yawl on account of the heavy surf, but succeeded in getting ashore after several hours. The schooner is a complete wreck, her load and parts being strewn for several miles along the beach.

Marcus Tyler was twenty-five years of age and is survived by a wife and child at South Haven. Tyler had never lived here, but visited his father several times and in that way became quite well acquainted in this city. His father was summoned to South Haven by a telephone message from the son's wife telling him of the death of his son.

### Primary School Money.

The several townships of Ottawa County are entitled to the following share in the semi-annual apportionment in the state primary school monies: Allendale, 571 school children, \$342.60; Blenden, 447 school children, \$447.00; Chester, 576 school children, \$345.60; Crocker, 473 school children, \$283.80; Georgetown, 691 children, \$414.60; Grand Haven township 334 children, \$209.40; Grand Haven city, 1619 school children, \$968.40; Holland township, 1190 school children, \$714; Holland City, 2519 school children, \$1511.40; Jamestown, 724 school children, \$434.40; Olive, 630 children, \$378; Polkton, 721 children, \$432.60; Robinson, 309 children, \$185.40; Spring Lake, 568 children, \$340.80; Tallmadge, 359 children, \$215.40; Wright, 487 children, \$292.20; Zeeland, 1203 children, \$721.80.

The total number of children in the county is 13,714 and the share of the primary money is \$8228.40. The rate this year is 60 cents per capita.

### High School Ready For Field Meet.

The High school boys are well prepared for the coming field meet and are determined that Grand Haven shall not carry off the honors. This is the first time that the Holland High school has ever come forward with a track team and the result of Saturday's meet will be closely watched by all supporters of High school athletics.

Captain Atwood is well satisfied with the showing of the men in the trials and says "Possibly we can be beaten in a track meet but Grand Haven won't beat us."

The following men are entered for the events:

Running broad jump—DeRoo, 1st; Arendsen, 2nd.

Standing broad jump—DeRoo, 1st; Rigtelink, 2nd.

High jump—Hadden, 1st; Arendsen, 2nd.

Shot put—Kanters, 1st; Arendsen, 2nd.

Hammer Throw—Atwood, 1st; Van den Berg, 2nd.

Ball throw—Van den Berg, 1st; Kanters, 2nd.

50 yd. dash, 100 yd. dash—Hadden, 1st; Schoon, 2nd.

1 and 1 mile runs—Scott, 1st; Kanters, 2nd.

Quarter mile—Hadden, 1st; DeKoster, 2nd.

The Relay team will be made up of the four best quarter milers and will probably be as follows: Hadden, DeKoster, Atwood, Detd.

### Board of Education Organizes

The board of education at its regular monthly meeting held Monday evening organized by re-electing Dr. H. Kremers, president, and G. J. Van Duren secretary, and by appointing the following committees:

Teachers—H. Geerlings, C. M. McLean and G. J. Van Duren.

Schools—C. M. McLean and J. A. Mabbs.

Text books and apparatus—J. A. Mabbs and B. Steketee.

Ways and means—W. H. Wing and I. Marsilje.

Claims and accounts—B. Steketee and Otto P. Kramer.

Buildings and repairs—I. Marsilje and Otto P. Kramer.

The committees to visit schools were appointed as follows:

Group one—W. H. Wing and J. A. Mabbs.

Group two—G. J. Van Duren and B. Steketee.

Group three—O. P. Kramer and C. M. McLean.

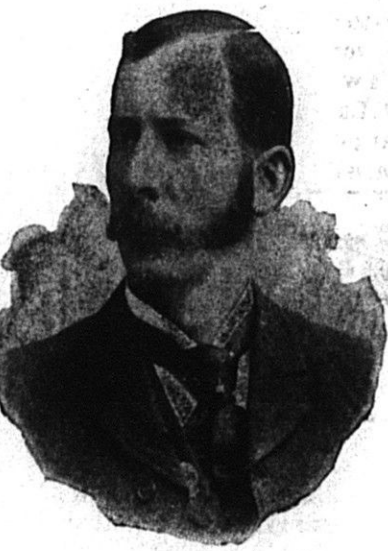
Group four—I. Marsilje and H. Geerlings.

### General Items

The police of Jersey City are hunting for the owner of lingerie found at the corner of two of the darkest streets of the city. The authorities are sure from the markings on the underwear that the woman they are looking for lives in one of the fashionable sections of the city, and is an expert euchre player. For some months past it has been the custom of Jersey City euchre parties to offer ladies' silk underwear as prizes. The woman who is under suspicion is noted for her highly nervous temperament and impatient manner. After winning the lingerie, it is believed she started for home alone. When she reached the dark street the desire to wear the new possessions completely overcame her, and she made the change then and there.

A movement among the saloons of Ann Arbor has been started to draw the color line and three places have already refused to sell negroes drinks.

At the Standard Scale works they have now perfected a talking scale designed for railway stations and hotels. It is on the nickel in the slot principle, but instead of a dial to register the weight it will, by means of a phonographic attachment, call out the weight in a loud voice. By another attachment the scale will cry, "No good!" when a slug or piece of spurious coin is dropped in the slot. —Pittsburg Dispatch.



Charles McClave, of New London, Ohio, who will act as judge at the annual exhibition of the Holland Poultry & Pet Stock Association next fall. Mr. McClave is president of the National Poultry Association, and is one of the committee on poultry and water fowl at the St. Louis Worlds Exposition.

### School Saving System A Success in Grand Haven

Grand Haven Tribune—Superintendent E. P. Cummings has prepared a table of statistics of the Grand Haven School Savings Bank System for the first six months in which it was in operation. The system has been in operation since November and its success has surprised both the faculty and the bank officers. The system was introduced in 22 rooms containing 934 pupils and of that number there were 451 deposited, thus showing that nearly fifty percent availed themselves of the opportunities of the system. The greatest amount deposited by any one room is \$74.04 and Miss Myrtle Cherry's room holds the banner. The least deposited by any one room is \$21.30.

The following are some of the figures prepared by the superintendent of schools: Grammar grade amount, deposited \$371.94; number of pupils, 450; pro. rate \$2. Primary grades amount deposited, \$500.61; number of pupils, 444 pro. rate \$1.12. Kindergarten, amount deposited, \$47.01; number of pupils, 90, pro. rate 52c. There was deposited direct at the bank without stamps, \$1099.33 of which \$130.24 was withdrawn. The amount due depositors at present is \$969.29. This fine advancement of the system has brought encouragement to those who introduced it. The amount on deposit has greatly exceeded the expectancy of Supt. Cummings and the officers of the State Bank who placed \$500 as the high mark.

The savings system will by all means be continued in the schools as it has helped many a pupil to save money little by little until some of them have a comfortable little sum on deposit, the greater part of which would have been wasted had there been no system.

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### "Antigone" A Novel Entertainment.

A novel entertainment of a dramatic and musical nature is announced for May 27 in Winants chapel. A Greek tragedy in an English translation by Prof. Edward Dimmet is to be given by students of the college and the college school of music. The universites and colleges of America and England give these tragedies occasionally but Holland has never had one given in its midst before. More than twenty-five people are in the cast and the costumes will be ancient Greek.

The scene lies before the palace of the king of Thebes in Boeotia. For treason against his state the younger prince of the house of Thebes has been condemned to the disgrace of lying unburied. This is the worst punishment that can befall a person since it affects his life in the hereafter. His sister, Antigone, the heroine of the tragedy, determines to bury him despite the edict of the king and taken in the act, she is condemned to being shut up alive in a cave there to meet her death. The punishment of heaven for this edict is visited upon the entire royal house. The king's son Haemon, the lover of Antigone dies with her in the cave where she is shut up. Eurydice the queen takes her own life and the king in despair goes into exile. Thus the righteousness of God is made supreme and men's iniquities and follies are punished and all is due to an ancient curse of heaven upon the royal house. The ideas of predestination divine decree and human free will are the central ideas of Greek religion and these are powerfully portrayed in the play of emotion, self-will and love.

The music is by Mendelssohn and is under the direction of Prof. Nykerk of the College School of Music. It is one of the noblest oratorios ever written.

### Magnificent Musicals By Choral Union and Soloists

Previous efforts of the Choral Union to furnish a feast of music were certainly eclipsed last evening when "The Prodigal Son," the oratorio of Sir Arthur Sullivan, was given by the Union under the direction of Prof. J. B. Nykerk. The production was magnificently rendered and caught the fancy of the gathering of music lovers in a manner that brought forth many manifestations of commendation. Truly Holland has reason to feel proud of its contingent of musically inclined people and of the excellent work of Prof. Nykerk.

The soloists from out of the city, Miss Mulford, Miss Haines, Mr. C. E. Pease and John Duffy, who took part in the program, were stars of the first magnitude and their singing was of a grand order. That they may be heard again in Holland is the fervently expressed wish of all who had the good fortune to hear them.

The names of the Choral Union follow:

Sopranos—Estelle Kollen, Esther Andrae, Myrtle Beach, Tillie De Feyter, James Veneklasen, Alyda De Pree, Ada Lahuis, Martha DeJong, Hannah Hoekje, Mae Brusse, Hilda Stegeman, Maud Turnbull, Kate Pessink, Anne Takken, Lillian Winter, Romea Walters, Anna Spletama, Mina Coggeshall, Nellie DeJonge.

Altos—Minnie Vander Ploeg, Ethel Van den Berg, Esther Fortuine, Anna Weurding, Mae Veneklasen, Maggie Beekman, Albertus Van Raalte.

Tenors—Richard De Zeeuw, Bert Poppen, Jacob Kelder, D. Dykstra, Herman Veenker, Henry Vruink, George Loveridge, Anno Dykema.

Basses—James De Pree, James Dykema, Judson Kolyn, Jacob Pelgrim, Joseph Sizoo, James Weurding, Christina Broek, Cornelius Muller, Andrew Bothuis, Benj. DeYoung, Martin Dykema took the place of A. C. Dykema who was absent and Miss Belle Steffens assisted the altos.

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# TEACHER'S PET.

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Gee! They never talked that way Till I tumbled off the sleigh; Wunst I kicked three kids so quick That it made 'em good and sick, And I under dodge and run Jes' as fast as anyone. Now when recess comes along I jes' wait to hear the gong Call us back to work a lot, 'Cause that's all the fun I've got. When the kids play "one-old-cat," I jes' set and hold the bat Wishin' I could cork the ball Like Luster do las' fall. Yesterday when Reddy Lee Seen me settin' there, says he: "Fellers, look at 'Teacher's Pet!' He's afraid to play, you bet. 'Cause he knows I'd smash his face All around this whole darn place!" Johnny Baker seen me cry And he blacked old Reddy's eye, And he made his nose bleed, too. Gosh, I wish that I could do Somethin' good for Johnny; he Ailers does so much fer me. Maybe 'twon't be very long Till my side gits good and strong. If it ever does, I bet They won't call me "Teacher's Pet!" —Milwaukee Sentinel.

# THE PRICE

By NORMAN H. CROWELL

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A GAUNT woman stood in the cabin doorway and peered anxiously down the narrow pathway leading into the depths below. At her knees clung three tow-headed children—hectic-cheeked, wild-eyed little girls—and the sound of half-stifled sobbing told of grief rankling in their childish bosoms.

After a careful scrutiny of the timber far beneath, the woman turned and patted the girls' heads reassuringly.

"When are we a-goin' to eat, mam?" inquired the eldest, for perhaps the tenth time.

"When pap comes, child," came the weak response.

The woman's hollow cheeks flushed as she glanced swiftly toward the little cupboard in the corner—she knew its bitter secret. Jim, her husband, also knew it when he descended that narrow path early in the morning. Now, the valley below was wrapped in the shades of evening and the woman's heart beat with unwonted speed as she thought of the hard, cruel thing called poverty, which held them in its grasp.

She lifted one hand and pressed a finger firmly into the corners of her eyes—then looked again, long and eagerly, into the gathering night.

Jim had his faults, but he was good to her and she loved him. True, she had worked hard for Jim, while he had spent his time romping with his dogs, or the little girls. He was known as Shiftless Jim, and he took the sobriquet good-naturedly, as he took everything else.

From the depths a whistle sounded up clear and keen, and the anxious face of the woman became pitiful with tense, eager hope. Nearer came the sound and presently the crackle of branches brushed aside could be heard.

"Lissy!" 'Twas a man's voice—expectant—full of cheer.

"Jim!" That word spoke volumes. The children darted away and somewhere in the dark a laughing, scuffling capture took place. The woman smiled slightly and turned quickly to her work—her preparations for a meal.

Boisterously the four entered the cabin, the children tugging at a wealth of packages clasped beneath the man's long arms. One stride took him to the table and he dropped his burden thereon, hastily, as though glad to have done with them.

"Purty late, Lissy, 'o' Jo," he said. "Thought I never would git up them rocks beynd Cole's Fork. I'm clean tuckered."

The woman heard him not—she was intently regarding the table with its load of bundles. He saw the look and sat down hurriedly, near the stove, averting his face. The rustling of paper told him that the packets were being undone—yet he stared on, unmindful. It stopped presently—and he became aware of her eyes beaming steadily upon him.

"Jim!" The word trembled pitifully. He half glanced up—then away again.

"Yuh hain't got no credit down yehder, have yuh, Jim?"

He moistened his lips before speaking.

"No, Lissy, I hain't."

"No money been a-comin' in to yuh nowhere, Jim?"

"Fum wuhk, Lissy?" He reached at straws.

"Yes."

"No, nuthin' 'um wuhk."

She became silent. His eyes roamed desperately about the room, ending upon the littered table, whereon new shoes, new stockings and fancy-colored goods for dresses posed in extravagant state beside an assortment of grocery luxuries and—real meat. The ominous stillness became oppressive and he at last broke it.

"They raided a wit cat this aftuhnoon, Lissy," he said, awkwardly.

"Who got took?" 'Twas a prompt, eager, ready query.

"Tunk Sellers. I heerd they ketched 'im."

"Shore, Jim?" He stole a look at her—his face brilliant red.

"Yes, Lissy, I'm shore." She fumbled at her apron as the desperate truth grew fixed upon her. Long she had dreaded it—hated it with a fierce, burning hate. Now it was come.

She stooped and busied herself at the stove—her eyes wide, like those of a hunted animal. A short time elapsed and the savory odor of frying meat dwelt fragrantly upon the air. The children circled clamorously about the table, expectant.

"Set up, Jim," said the woman, presently.

He shook his head slowly.

"I hain't hungry, Lissy."

She did not argue the matter—her voice prevented it. The meal was nearly over when the man arose and stood before a cracked bit of looking glass that hung on the wall. He moved it aimlessly to the left—then to the right—and back to the left again. Then he abstractedly pushed the nail from which it depended farther into the wall with his thumb. Presently he turned and dropped a small packet into the woman's lap.

"Yuh mought git yuh a better glass, Lissy. You will—won't yuh, gal?" He spoke tenderly, yet harshly.

She dropped her hands and they met the packet. The fingers instinctively closed over it. Her eyes studied the faded design in the oilcloth fixedly.

Upon a little shelf stood a battered clock. He picked it up and began winding it, after which he shook it to his ear. Replacing it, he stretched himself lazily—then kissed the little girls, beginning at the eldest.

The woman's face was now buried in her apron. He put his broad hand upon



"LISSY—WOMAN—I-I'M GOIN'."

her gray-flecked locks, bent low and whispered:

"Lissy—woman—I—I'm goin'."

He paused, waiting for a reply. Her head bent lower. Again he stooped and said one low word, gently, lingeringly:

"Good-by."

He straightened up, swept a swift glance about the little room—then tiptoed quickly to the door. Silently he opened it and stepped out into the darkness.

A minute elapsed. The woman roused quickly and went to the doorway. She stared straight into the night, her hands clenched tightly, her head turned slightly as she listened with her whole soul. The children came and hung to her, whimpering uneasily.

Crack! It came up, clear and crisp—the sound of a rifle. A long minute she tarried—then gently pushed her little brood within the cabin and closed the door.

Shiftless Jim had taken the price—and a law, as inscrutable as fate, ordained that he should return to the lonely mountain home no more forever.

# KOREA RETARDED BY PIPE.

Both Men and Women Are Inveterate Smokers—Greed of Imperial Policy a Setback.

Both men and women smoke pipes having tiny metal bowls, and stems so long that generally assistance must be summoned to light them, says a writer in Four-Track News. As they are inveterate smokers, and their pipes hold so little tobacco that they must be refilled and relighted every few minutes, the greater portion of their time is thus consumed. It is, therefore, safe to say that one of the prime causes of Korea's backwardness in development is the national pipe.

Another cause is the greed and shortsightedness of the imperial policy in seizing and appropriating individual wealth wherever found. Thus all ambition is destroyed, and no native will strive for more than a bare livelihood, knowing that anything he may accumulate over and above that will be seized by the tax collector.

# May Help in the End.

While the hanging of the bandits may give our population figures a temporary setback, says the Chicago Daily News, yet it may work to the advantage of those figures in the end.

# Ingenious Device.

They say that in a certain church, when a baby is baptized, salt is placed on its tongue. Why, asks the Atchison Globe. Possibly because it is too fresh and liable to cry.

# Society and x x Personal.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Jennie VanSpyker, of the millinery firm of Steketee & Van Spyker and Richard Mulder, which will take place Thursday, May 19.

Cards have been issued announcing the marriage of Miss Ethel Smith to Leo Wise, to take place Wednesday evening, May 18, at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Miss Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Smith, 29 East Ninth street.

Last Saturday was the fourteenth birthday anniversary of Miss Maude Van Drezer and in honor of the day a party was given which was attended by fourteen of her friends. Dainty refreshments were served and an enjoyable time was passed.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Moes celebrated their golden wedding last Saturday, and one of the decidedly agreeable features of the occasion was the presentation to them of \$100 in gold by the Cappon & Bertsch Leather Co., in appreciation of Mr. Moes' 37 years of service at the tannery. John J. Cappon and John Hummel made the presentation in behalf of the company. Mr. and Mrs. Moes were also, at a surprise party planned by the Ladies Aid Society of the First Reformed church Saturday, presented with a \$10 gold piece by the society.

Following is the program to be rendered at the party given by the Promotion club at Virginia Park hotel next Monday evening:

- Selection..... Wolverine Orchestra Solo..... Mrs. H. E. Bradshaw Dialogue..... James Deto, Tom N. Robinson, Art Misner. Recitation..... Wilford Fogelson Ranjo Solo..... Mr. Rodgers. Solo..... Miss Alma DeYoung Reading..... Mrs. N. J. Whelan Piano Solo..... Miss Fogelson Solo..... Miss Seerey Recitation..... N. J. Whelan Selection..... Orchestra.

Attorney Geo. E. Kollen left Monday for a business trip to Chicago.

Edward T. Bertsch of Mill Creek was in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Al Anderson is visiting relatives in Muskegon.

Miss Edna Allen was in Grand Rapids Monday.

Mrs. Will Kellogg was in Grand Rapids Monday.

Hon. G. J. Dieke was in Allegan Tuesday.

J. A. Vander Veen was in Grand Rapids Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Baker, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dykema, Sixteenth street, have gone to Hopkins Station to visit relatives. They will return to this city Saturday.

Rev. G. Neimeyer arrived in this city from Pella, Iowa, Tuesday for a short visit.

W. J. Garrod made a business trip to Allegan this week.

H. W. Van der Lei attended the pure food exposition in Grand Rapids this week.

Seth Nibbelink was in Chicago Tuesday.

Bernath Sherwood of Grand Haven was the guest of relatives here Monday.

Dan Doyle has taken a position in the office of Dr. A. Leenhouts.

Register of Deeds John J. Rutgers was in the city Saturday.

Dr. L. Chase, the osteopath, accompanied by his wife and daughter, left Sunday night for Farmer City, Ill., to visit his mother.

E. P. Stephan was the guest of friends in Grand Haven Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Whelan and Mrs. James S. Whelan visited relatives in Grand Rapids last Monday.

Clarence Dykstra, who is a student at the University of Chicago, was the guest of friends in this city Sunday.

Hon. I. Marillje attended to business in Grand Haven Monday.

Mrs. L. Dykstra of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting the families of J. S. Dykstra and Rev. Paul Schullke.

Mr. Hastings, steward at Hotel Pantlind, Grand Rapids, spent Sunday with George T. Ryder.

Charles Doesburg was in Chicago Sunday.

Alderman J. G. VanPutten and Ray Knoolhuizen were in Chicago Sunday.

For reasons various and good, it is impossible to give James A. Brouwer's store the go-by when bride-and-groom-to-be start out on their house furnishing rounds. This of course is because at this store there is an immense line of goods of every description from which a suitable selection may be made. Every article that is of use in the furnishing of a house, or that is of beauty or convenience in the furnishing of a house, can be obtained at the River street establishment. Beds and bedding outfits, carpets, rugs, curtains, linoleum, in fact everything—and all for reasonable prices. See this week's adv. and be convinced.

Mrs. J. Wise and two daughters were in Grand Rapids Wednesday.

John F. Zalsman was in Chicago this week.

Henry Pelgrim, sr., of the Bay View Furniture Co., attended to business in Chicago this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ludwig have gone to Otsego, where Mr. Ludwig is employed in a chair factory.

Henry Winter made a trip to Chicago this week in the interests of the Notter, VanArk & Winter company.

Mrs. Neal Ball has gone to Cedar Rapids to join her husband, who is second baseman of the Cedar Rapids team of the Three-I league.

Prof. Charles N. Knoolhuizen of Fowlerville, county school commissioner, was the guest this week of relatives in this city.

John Oosterm was in Chicago this week.

Dr. J. W. Beardslee left yesterday for a trip to Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Phernambucq and daughter Nellie went to Chicago Wednesday night.

Robert TerBeek was in Grand Rapids yesterday.

Gerrit Stuart, of Hopes 1903 graduating class, is visiting friends in this city.

J. E. Telling of Chicago, of the Guthman Carpenter and Telling Shoe company is in the city.

How to write to her acceptably? That depends on the stationery used as much as on anything else. See Vander Ploeg's ad.

Hose and underwear occupy a commanding position in A. I. Kramer's adv. this week. You will see from the prices quoted that he is offering choice bargains and that it will pay to purchase.

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# Aid for Homeless Children

For the Holland City News:  
To the people of Holland and vicinity.

We desire to let it be known to you that from here are sent, to the homeless, and the poor, boxes of clothing, books, papers, and fruit or other eatables, and whose ever would have a share in this much neglected field of christian activity will find a blessed opportunity in helping this good work.

We have a half dozen Homes where much more help is needed in money, clothing, bible, hymn books, good reading of all kinds, and house and farm furnishings as well as the equipment of industrial departments. Even consecrated helpers are wanted. These are non-sectarian christian Homes of the highest standard. I will give the addresses of some, and persons who wish to give directly may do so.

J. G. Deman, Christian Home, Council Bluffs, Iowa, has saved thousands of homeless children in the last twenty years; has a school and home with over 200 children, while all the time little ones are received, and others adopted, about an equal number. A very pure home greatly in need of money to make room for more.

Voorhees Industrial home for Negro children; 300 children all retained, none adopted, on a farm of 280 acres. At Denmark, S. C. Elizabeth Wright, Principal. A pure Christian Home, needing much help to build dormitories and furnish and keep up the farm. In a few years will be self supporting, very promising. The best way to solve the negro problem.

Mt. Carmel Faith Home, Morrison, Ill., for white or any child needing a home, 25 children, 80 acres of land. A pure and blessed Christian home needs help on all lines to build and furnish.

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Woodstock, Ill., J. D. Kelcey, manager Children's Home.

E. A. Vall, New Orleans, a mission in the lowest district of the city, where all good things can be made to do good.

Miss Everhart, Olive Branch Mission, Chicago Ill. These waste places of earth can be made to blossom as the rose, by the good we may send them.

Fruit growers are requested to aid us with a package of fruit now and then, canned or fresh, and we will see it is sent to very needy and worthy poor.

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## A WARM DEBATE.

Methodist Divine Criticizes Catholic Church—Conference Not in Sympathy with Him.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 10.—The attitude of the Roman Catholic church toward the public school system of the United States furnished the subject of a sensational debate in the Methodist general conference Monday. While there was a strong disposition on the part of certain delegates to have the conference adopt resolutions committing it to extreme utterances upon the subject, there was an overwhelming sentiment, as it developed, against any such action, and the entire matter was finally disposed of by referring it to a committee from which it is unlikely ever to be reported.

Rev. J. R. King, secretary of the Church Extension society of Philadelphia, having secured the floor, presented a resolution strongly criticizing the Roman Catholic church, declaring that "its efforts to control the secular press, its influence in politics and its assaults on the public school system demand the vigilance of Protestants and patriots."

When Dr. King had finished there was a commotion among the delegates. Many sought to gain recognition from the chair in order to reply. Charles B. Lohr, chief justice of the Delaware supreme court, lay delegate, was recognized.

After agreeing with Dr. King regarding the public schools, Justice Lohr continued: "But we are to gain anything by any phase of denunciation against any other Christian body? (Cries of 'No! No!') The Roman Catholic church has done a magnificent work in this country. It has taken hold of a class of people who, perhaps, no other form of religion could have molded so well for the well being of our common land. I feel like putting my hand under every evangelizing agency in this world that helps to uplift men and not pull them down."

This expression was received with applause by the delegates and the galleries. A motion by Dr. S. L. Beiler to refer the resolution to the committee on the state of the church was carried. In the opinion of many prominent delegates this disposes of the matter finally.

## CONDITION OF THE CROPS.

Rain Hinders Corn-Planting in Some Sections—Oats and Winter Wheat Show Improvement.

Washington, May 11.—The weather bureau's weekly summary of crop conditions is as follows:

The temperature conditions for the week ending May 9 were favorable in all districts, with exception of the northern Pacific coast and the middle Rocky mountain region, where frosts and freezing temperatures were injurious. Corn planting is now in operation under very favorable conditions throughout the northern portion of the corn belt. In Nebraska, Kansas and northern Missouri, however, planting has been interrupted by rains. In Iowa this work has made good progress and it is likely that the bulk of the crop in that state will be planted earlier than in recent years. Over the southern portion of the middle Atlantic states planting is well advanced and has begun in Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

A general improvement in the condition of winter wheat is indicated, especially over the western portions of the winter wheat belt and in the middle Atlantic states, but the outlook for this crop in the states of the Ohio valley continues very poor.

Early sown oats are generally improved and in promising condition throughout the central valleys and middle Atlantic states, but in the south Atlantic and east gulf states, where oats are now heading, the outlook is very poor.

The reports respecting fruit are somewhat more encouraging, and indicate that in many sections injury from frost has been less serious than was anticipated. Peaches have, however, been extensively killed in the Ohio valley and middle Atlantic states. In the eastern gulf states the outlook for peaches is very promising, especially in Georgia.

The general outlook for grass is favorable.

## CANAL AFFAIRS.

They Are Placed Under Control of War Department—Gen. Davis Governor of American Zone.

Washington, May 10.—President Roosevelt had a long conference Monday with Secretaries Hay and Taft and Attorney General Knox, at which the regulations to govern the Isthmian Canal company were determined on finally. While the creation and work of the commission is committed by law to the president, whose authority in that regard is practically supreme, the president, by the regulations, directs that the commission shall exercise its powers under the direction and supervision of the secretary of war. Gen. George W. Davis, the army member of the commission, is appointed governor of the American zone on the isthmus. Until the expiration of the Fifty-eighth congress, the isthmian commission will exercise legislative authority over the American strip. Gov. Davis is given authority to appoint one judge who shall exercise judicial authority.

## Lawyer Kills Himself.

Detroit, Mich., May 10.—Edward A. Gott, a well-known lawyer, of this city, formerly connected with the Wabash legal staff here, committed suicide at his home here Monday.

No Candidate Against Him. Monroe, Mich., May 11.—Congressman Charles E. Townsend, of Jackson, was renominated by acclamation at the Second district republican convention.



## A WILDWOOD BEAUTY.

Dainty Phases of the Bird's Foot Violet—Pansy and Pure White.

The violet family is full of charming surprises. In the common bird's foot violet, Viola pedata, we find delightful variations. The bird's foot violet is one of the handsomest of the violet family. It is widely spread over the Atlantic coast territory of the United States, its bright blue flowers being among the earliest to welcome the advent of spring. The annexed engraving is from a photo made in Florida, where this variety is so remarkably vigorous that it is sometimes styled "variety magnifica."

Very common in Virginia and found also southward is a form called in the



BLUEBIRD'S FOOT VIOLET, VIOLA PEDATA. botanical books Viola pedata var. bicolor that has the two upper petals of a velvety plum color, as if it were a kind of pansy. Indeed, it is often known as the pansy violet.

A correspondent from Yadkin valley, South Carolina, says: "Have you ever seen a pure white Viola pedata? I found several plants a few days ago growing in a group of the usual variety, with a few particolored ones also."

## The San Jose Scale.

Treatment of orchard trees by fumigation is the best method for San Jose scale where the trees are small enough to be covered by a tent not costing too much. As the cost of a tent rapidly increases with its size, however, it does not pay to fumigate orchard trees more than ten or twelve feet high and six or eight feet across.

Spraying with crude petroleum is somewhat expensive, and the results are not as satisfactory as with other materials. Other objections are the unreliability of the pump and the fact that a double tank pump is not included in the average spraying outfit.

All things considered, the lime, sulphur and salt wash proved the most satisfactory, giving the best results, while its cost was only medium, and only an ordinary spray pump was necessary for its application.

A fine aperture Vermorel nozzle worked satisfactorily with all the materials used.—Hatch Experiment Station, Massachusetts.

## The Difference Good Seed Makes.

Unless you plant good seed in growing Gem melons it is impossible to produce a good melon. All who grow melons for market know to get top prices they must have the best flavor and a good appearance and well netted. I have known a good many instances where there was a difference of 50 cents per basket in returns received for same day's shipment. I do not know of any plant that can be as easily improved as to quality and productiveness as the Gem melon by the careful selection of seed.—A. V. Schermerhorn, Illinois.

## Canna Culture.

Cannas are grass feeders. They are not very particular as to soil, preferring a somewhat heavy to a light one as long as it is nourishing and well drained. During their period of growth they require plenty of water, and a few manurial waterings will be found of service.

## For Gooseberry Mildew.

Early treatment with potassium sulphide has proved a preventive of gooseberry mildew, and bushes so treated showed an increased quantity of perfect fruit.

## Notes From Gardening.

The co-operative purchasing department of the New York Fruit Growers' association last year sold to the members as one item forty carloads of fertilizer chemicals at a saving of \$15.

Of asters Queen of the Market for early, Victoria, Comet and Daybreak for midseason and Semple's Branching for late are good strains to sow.

Fall struck geraniums need a spring shift to the flowering pot, a four inch. Use medium heavy loam, with one-fifth old cow manure, and a four inch potful of bone flour added to a bushel of soil, and pot firmly.

For sweet peas select a spot where the soil is heavy and where plenty of water can be given during the summer, for they must have "wet feet" to thrive and flourish.

Snapdragons are favorite flowers with us, but we prefer the tall growing species, Antirrhinum majus. These will flower the first year if planted soon enough.

The Schizanthus wisetonensis is a charming garden plant, with attractive, fernlike foliage and a profusion of rose pink blossoms.

## CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS.

News and Views of Interest in Various Lines of Agriculture.

By R. L. WOODS.

Washington, D. C.—A feeling seems to be developing among scientific agriculturists and experiment station workers that the policy of the national department of agriculture tends to overshadow and to assume a certain amount of control of the experiment station work of the states. The argument for any such control is founded upon the advisability of preventing unnecessary duplication of experimental work by the national and state departments.

The famous bulletin No. 22 of the bureau of soils has greatly widened the little rift in agricultural circles, for its conclusions, if the general understanding of them is correct, are in contradiction to the great bulk of the teachings drawn from the experience of the stations on this subject.

The common ideas of adding fertility to the soil by means of manures and commercial fertilizers are too familiar to need expression here. Contrast with the following quotation from the new statement of belief, and its radical nature is apparent:

"The exhaustive investigation of many types of soil by very accurate methods of analysis under many conditions of cultivation and of cropping in areas yielding large crops and in adjoining areas yielding small crops has shown that there is no obvious relation between the amount of the several nutritive elements in the soil and the yield of crops—that is to say, that no essential chemical difference has been found between the solution produced in a soil yielding a large crop of wheat and that in a soil of the same character in adjoining fields giving much smaller yields. The conclusion logically follows that on an average farm the great controlling factor in the yield of crops is not the amount of plant food in the soil, but is a physical factor the exact nature of which is yet to be determined.

"It appears that practically all soils contain sufficient plant food for good crop yield, that this supply will be indefinitely maintained and that this actual yield of plants adapted to the soil depends mainly, under favorable climatic conditions, upon the cultural methods and suitable crop rotation, a conclusion strictly in accord with the experience of good farm practice in all countries."

## The Making of Soft Fancy Cheeses.

Of interest to dairymen is the arrangement by which the dairy division of the United States department of agriculture and the Storrs experiment station of Connecticut will co-operate in the carrying out of experiments in making, in a commercial way, the soft fancy cheeses now in demand for fine trade, nearly all of which are imported. The Storrs station has already made some very good cheese of the Camembert variety. The services of a cheese expert of European experience have been secured, and Dr. Thorne, the well known Cornell expert on molds; Dr. Conn, bacteriologist of the Storrs station, and other able men will be engaged in the work.

## Money in Bulb Growing.

Americans are awakening to the possibilities of bulb growing. Alabama has grown some good bulbs, and North Carolina has experimented very successfully in this direction. It is claimed that in the western part of the state of Washington alone there is bulb land enough to supply the world if it were devoted to this purpose. The bulbs of the Puget sound country are said to surpass the Holland stock. Undoubtedly bulb growing offers a very fascinating prospect to any one who wants out of door occupation, and it seems to hold the possibilities of a great industry.

## THE DANDELION.

It Yields Large Profits In the Big Market Gardens of New England.

Dandelion is less commonly eaten as a salad plant in the United States than in Europe, but as a cultivated plant the dandelion is lately assuming an important place in home gardens and in the large market gardens, particularly in New England, where it is grown extensively, yielding large returns per acre. According to the Maine station, it likely celery, is at its best when grown rapidly on rich sandy loam. The station gives in effect the following directions for its cultivation:

Sow the seed in the early spring in drills twelve to fifteen inches apart and cover one-fourth to one-half inch deep. As the young plants are small and dark colored and therefore inconspicuous, it is well to mix a few radish or lettuce seeds with the dandelions to mark the rows. They should be given the same culture as carrots during the summer, except that they require thinning to eight to ten inches apart. The following spring the leaves will be fit for use and are best when partially blanched by placing a covering of boards or boughs over the rows. The blanched dandelions are superior to those growing wild, being more tender and less bitter. The plants are prepared and marketed in the same way as spinach and may be profitably grown at 50 cents per bushel, though the price received is frequently much higher.

In forcing beds the seed may be sown in rows six inches apart, or plants may be transplanted from the field. The seedlings are usually more satisfactory. Professor Munson believes that, except in a limited way, forcing dandelions cannot be recommended, since other plants mature so much more quickly.

There are only a few varieties of dandelions listed by seedmen, the most important being French Garden and Improved Thick Leaved.

## Order of Publication.

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

In the matter of the estate of Harry L. Williams and Virginia V. Williams, Complainants vs. James C. Bratton's unknown heirs and defendants.

In this cause it appearing that by affidavit on file that James C. Bratton's heirs are unknown and that they are necessary parties to this suit, on motion of Diekema & Kollen, complainant's solicitors it is ordered that James C. Bratton's unknown heirs appear herein within six months after the date of this order, and that this order be published within twenty days in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS; a newspaper printed in said county, said publication to be once in each week for six successive weeks.

Dated April 11, 1904. PHILIP PADGHAM, Circuit Judge. Diekema & Kollen, Solicitors for Complainant. Business Address—Holland, Michigan. 14-6w

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

In the matter of the estate of Johannes Poppe, deceased. Notice is hereby given that four months from the 13th day of April, A. D. 1904, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at the probate office in the city of Grand Haven in said county, on or before the 13th day of August, A. D. 1904, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Saturday, the 13th day of August, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated April 13th, A. D. 1904. EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate. 14-3w

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county on the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1904. Present, Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Marelje having filed in said court his final administration account and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered that the 1st day of June, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate. FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk. 17-3w

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

In the matter of the estate of Henry Dearborn, deceased. Notice is hereby given that four months from the 29th day of April, A. D. 1904, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the Probate Office in the city of Grand Haven in said county, on or before the 29th day of August, A. D. 1904, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 29th day of August, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated April 29th, A. D. 1904. EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate. 17-3w

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1904. Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Grietje Zuidema, deceased. Albert F. Zuidema having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered that the 1st day of June, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate. FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk. 17-3w

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county on the 30th day of April, A. D. 1904. Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Cappon, deceased. Gerrit J. Diekema and Cornelius J. DeRoos having filed in said court their petition as executors of said estate and their petition praying for the allowance thereof and for a determination of the state inheritance tax.

It is ordered that the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition and examining and allowing said account.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate. FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk. 17-3w

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county on the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1904. Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

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

It is ordered, that the 1st day of June, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate. FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk. 17-3w

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

In the matter of the estate of Hendrik Kamps, deceased.

Having been appointed commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, we do hereby give notice that four months from the 15th day of April, A. D. 1904, were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment, and that we will meet at the residence of the late Hendrik Kamps at Drenthe, Ottawa Co., Mich., in said county on the fourth (4th) day of June, A. D. 1904, and on the 18th day of August, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and adjusting said claims.

Dated this 12th day of April, A. D. 1904. ALBERT H. BOSCH, CORNELIUS VAN BURET, Commissioners. 15-3w

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

In the matter of the estate of Bertha Visscher, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 15th day of April, A. D. 1904, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said county, on or before the 15th day of August, A. D. 1904, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 15th day of August, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated April 15, A. D. 1904. EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate. 15-3w

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said county on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1904. Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ellen G. Bergen, deceased. John T. Bergen having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Samuel Dean (r) to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 6th day of June, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate. FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk. 18-3w

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1904. Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram Baigh, deceased. Carry Keefer having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to James Baigh or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 31st day of May, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate. FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk. 17-3

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county on the 9th day of May, A. D. 1904. Present: Hon. EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob G. Van Putten, deceased. Jacob G. Van Putten having filed in said court his petition praying that certain instruments in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to himself or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 6th day of June, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate. FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk. 18-3w

## Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a mortgage given by Hermanus Aming and Anna, his wife, of the Township of Zealand, Ottawa County, Michigan, to Christian DeJonge, of the same township, county and state, bearing date the 30th day of December, A. D., 1896 and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Ottawa County on the 29th day of January, 1897 in Liber 54 of mortgages page 436; which said mortgage was assigned by an assignment in writing by the said Christian DeJonge to George E. Kollen of the City of Holland, Ottawa County, Michigan, dated the 9th day of March, 1904 and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Ottawa County on the 11th day of April, 1904, in Liber 67 of mortgages on page 861, upon which there claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of Two Hundred and Thirty-two Dollars (\$232.00) together with an attorney fee of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00), as provided in said mortgage; and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Notice is therefore hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises at the north front door of the Ottawa County courthouse in the City of Grand Haven Ottawa County, Michigan, on Monday the 11th day of July, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. The premises described in said mortgage and then to be sold are situated in the township of Zealand, Ottawa county, Michigan, and are known and described as follows, to-wit: The Southwest quarter (S.W. 1/4) of the southwest quarter (S.W. 1/4) of Section twenty-nine (29) and the east 1/2 (E. 1/2) of the southeast quarter (S. E. 1/4) of the southeast quarter (S. E. 1/4) of section 30, all in township 5 north of range 14 west, containing sixty (60) acres of land more or less, according to government survey.

Dated April 15, 1904. GEORGE E. KOLLEN, Mortgagee. G. J. DIEKEMA, Attorney for Mortgagee. 14-1w

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county on the 5th day of May, A. D. 1904. Present: HON. EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Maria Michelson, alias Mary Michelson or Mechiele, deceased. Henry Velden, having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to John A. Higgins or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 6th day of June, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate. FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk. 18-3w

## Sale of State Tax Lands.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. AUDITOR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT. Lansing, April 1, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given that certain lands situated in the County of Ottawa bid off to the State for taxes of 1903 and previous years, and described in statements which will be forwarded to the office of the Treasurer of said County, and may be seen at said office previous to the day of sale, will be sold at public auction by said Treasurer, at the County Seat, on the first Tuesday of May next, at the time and place designated for the Annual Tax Sale. If not previously redeemed or cancelled according to law. Said statements contain a full description of each parcel of said lands.

PERRY F. POWERS, Auditor General.

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## RUSSIANS BLOW UP THEIR OWN SHIPS

JAPANESE DISPATCH SAYS MUSCOVITES HAVE DESTROYED PORT ARTHUR FLEET.

### FEAR OF CAPTURE BY ENEMY THE CAUSE

St. Petersburg Officials Place No Credence in Report—Cossacks Attack Jap Garrison at Anju and Severe Fighting Ensues.

Chefoo, May 11.—An unofficial Japanese dispatch has been received here to the effect that the Russians have destroyed their fleet in Port Arthur.

Tokio, May 11.—Admiral Togo reports that since the 6th of May many explosions have been heard coming from the vicinity of Port Arthur, but their cause has not been ascertained. The impression here is that the Russians, despairing of their ability to defend Port Arthur, are destroying their ships before evacuating the place.

#### Makeup of Fleet.

It is impossible to give an accurate list of the effective Russian warships at Port Arthur, but some idea of the state of the fleet can be formed from the official report of Viceroy Alexieff to Emperor Nicholas concerning the engagement of April 13, in which the Petropavlovsk was sunk and the Pobieda was seriously damaged. In this report the viceroy said: "The whole effective squadron at Port Arthur sailed out." He then enumerated as the units of the fleet the first-class battleships Peresviet, Pobieda, Poltava, Petropavlovsk and Sevastopol; the armored cruiser Bayan, the first-class protected cruisers Askold and Diana, the second-class protected cruiser Novik, two torpedo cruisers and five torpedo boat destroyers.

It will therefore be seen that on April 14, the day after the destruction of the Petropavlovsk, the Russians at Port Arthur had available three battleships, one armored cruiser and three protected cruisers, whereas on February 1 they had available at Port Arthur seven battleships, one armored cruiser, five protected cruisers and one torpedo transport. The number of torpedo boats or torpedo boat destroyers, effective, or disabled, is not known.

#### Officials Scout Idea.

St. Petersburg, May 11.—No news has been received from the seat of war confirmatory of the many rumors of heavy fighting which are drifting in from abroad, mainly through Japanese sources. There were violent thunderstorms over Siberia Tuesday night, and the telegraph was working badly Wednesday. The general staff admits it is without advices as to whether the railroad or telegraph to Port Arthur are still open. Upon several points, however, specific information is vouchsafed. The idea that the Russian squadron at Port Arthur is being destroyed to prevent its falling into the hands of the enemy is scouted at the admiralty, where the statements made Tuesday night are reiterated.

"We are not going to repeat the mistake made at Sevastopol," said Vice Admiral Rojestvensky, commander of the Baltic fleet, "if the worst comes to the worst, the squadron will put to sea, engage the enemy, and inflict as much damage as possible before going to the bottom. But you can say that it is a little early yet to talk of such desperation."

#### Japs Attacked at Anju.

Tokio, May 11.—Details of the attack by Russian Cossacks at Anju, Korea, Tuesday morning, have been received here. The Russian cavalry numbered 200 men, and their attack was spirited. The Japanese garrison resisted stoutly, and succeeded in driving off the enemy. Later Japanese reinforcements arrived from Pingyang.

Indications point to the presence of a Russian force at Yongbyong, between Anju and Unsan, but it probably is small. It is evident that these Russian cavalrymen were sent south for the purpose of harassing the Japanese flanks and lines of communication. The Japanese report of the fighting at Anju does not give any losses.

#### Plan of Russians.

Paris, May 11.—A dispatch to the Temps from St. Petersburg says Gen. Kuropatkin will not take the offensive until the end of July, as it has been decided to draw the Japanese as far as possible into the interior of Manchuria.

#### Train Reaches Port Arthur.

London, May 11.—A dispatch to the Central News from Liaoyang, dated Wednesday, says: "A train hence reached Port Arthur Tuesday. The railroad officials say that no Japanese troops were observed near the railroad, but that some Japanese cavalry were seen behind Fengwangcheng."

#### Korean Cabinet Resigns.

London, May 11.—A dispatch to the Central News from Seoul announces that the Korean cabinet resigned in a body Wednesday, as a consequence of the emperor having sharply censured his ministers for neglect of their duties.

#### Riot at Chinkiang.

Shanghai, May 11.—There was a riot at Chinkiang Wednesday. The mob burned the quarters of the new police force. Several persons were killed or wounded.

#### Fear Rioting at Chefoo.

Shanghai, May 11.—The United States cruiser New Orleans, Rear Admiral Yates Stirling on board, is making hurried preparations to leave here for Chefoo. The reason for her departure has not been announced here.

There is danger of rioting at Newchwang between the time of the Russian withdrawal and the occupation of the

town by the Japanese. The navy department at Washington has ordered Rear Admiral Cooper, commander-in-chief of the Asiatic squadron, to send a cruiser and a gunboat to Chefoo, the nearest neutral port to Newchwang, to be ready for an emergency.

#### Emperor Reviews Troops.

St. Petersburg, May 11.—Emperor Nicholas, who was accompanied by the empress and several of the grand dukes and a brilliant staff, reviewed 50,000 troops on the Champ de Mars Wednesday morning. A great concourse viewed the brilliant spectacle. As each regiment marched past the emperor the soldiers shouted: "Good health, your majesty." A grand charge of Cossacks ended the review. The imperial party was accorded a hearty reception by the people.

#### Losses in Yalu Battle.

Antung, May 6, via Seoul, May 11.—An official report of the casualties at the battle of the Yalu shows a list of 31 Japanese officers killed and 29 wounded; 160 men killed and 666 wounded. On the Russian side 1,362 men were found dead on the field; 475 wounded are in Japanese hospitals, and 138 men were taken prisoners.

Most of the Russians who surrendered at Hamatan, west of Chiuliencheng, where the Japanese charged the Russian rear guard, were wounded.

The Russian soldiers who have since died in hospitals are buried on a hilltop near Antung and were followed to the grave by a Japanese guard of honor, and the staff officers. The Danish Lutheran missionary, the only foreigner living at Antung, read the funeral services over the remains.

The captured Russian munitions of war being brought into Antung include 20 field pieces, ten machine guns, much small arm ammunition, 20 transport wagons, two ambulances and band instruments, the latter perforated with bullets. Most of these things were abandoned in the precipitate flight of the Russian troops.

### THE DEATH OF STANLEY.

Primary Cause Probably Due to Seeds of Disease Contracted in African Wilds.

London, May 11.—The morning papers publish editorials expressive of deep regret at the death of Sir Henry M. Stanley. The premature death of Sir Henry is attributed to seeds of disease which he contracted in the African swamps. The warmest tributes are paid to the man as one of the greatest of explorers, and to his elaborate memoirs and life work. King Edward and Queen Alexandra, as well as the king of the Belgians, have written sympathetic letters of condolence to the widow of Sir Henry, while innumerable expressions have been received from personages of note, including Premier Balfour, many members of the house of commons and men prominent in geographical and scientific societies. There is a very strong feeling in favor of the burial of Sir Henry in Westminster Abbey, and an official statement has been issued to the effect that the dean of Westminster has expressed his willingness to have the first part of the funeral service take place in the abbey, as has been customary at the funerals of other distinguished persons in recent times. It has been learned that Sir Henry had a stroke of paralysis 13 months ago, from which he was steadily recovering when he caught cold when out driving, the chill that developed pleurisy.

### A COWARDLY DEED.

Physician Who Declined to Take Dead Man to Morgue Beaten by Latter's Friends.

St. Louis, May 11.—A bar of iron fell from the top of the Ferris wheel at the world's fair Tuesday, striking a laborer on the head and killing him instantly. Dr. Edward Lewis responded from the Emergency hospital in an ambulance, and upon arriving found the laborer dead, and refused to take the body to the hospital, suggesting that the morgue wagon be called. This angered the dead laborer's 100 fellow workmen, who insisted that the body should be taken in the ambulance. Dr. Lewis was knocked down, beaten and kicked by the crowd till it became necessary for him to be taken away as a patient in his own ambulance.

### Reports Grossly Exaggerated.

Rio Janeiro, May 11.—Reports from Europe received here show that the border skirmishes which have been going on between the Peruvian and Brazilian troops in the Alto-Purus and Alto-Jurua districts have been ridiculously exaggerated. The press correspondent is authorized by the Brazilian government to say that successful negotiations for an amicable settlement between the two governments are fully expected. The departure of the Peruvian minister to Brazil was purely a personal matter, and without any political significance.

### Many Deaths from Plague.

Washington, May 11.—A. C. Lambert, vice consul general at Daitotei, which is a new name for Tamsui, the old capital of Formosa, reports to the state department that during the month of March there were 558 cases of bubonic plague on the island, with 369 deaths. The consul shows that the plague has been epidemic for the last five years in the southern part of the island, but with one exception this March record is worse than for the corresponding month in any preceding year.

### Cotton Manufacturers Meet.

Washington, May 11.—The American Cotton Manufacturers' association convened here Wednesday for its eighth annual session. The meetings are being held at the Arlington hotel, and will last two days. About 200 members of the association were present.

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## Additional Local

Prof. John M. Van der Meulen will deliver an address this evening at a teachers meeting in Vriesland.

A horse owned by Hofsteen & Jappinga broke loose from a hitching post Tuesday and before it was rounded up did considerable damage to plants and lawns of Centennial park.

Rev. J. H. Brink of Grand Rapids came here Monday evening to confer with the consistory of the Central Avenue Christian Reformed church concerning the call recently extended him. It is hoped that he will accept.

The Hotel World had a good one on Hearst's candidacy for the presidency. "Why," says the first speaker, "is Hearst, in his presidential race, like a man who stays at a hotel conducted on the American plan?" "Because," says the second speaker, "he pays for a great deal that he doesn't get."

The members of the M. E. church choir surprised Martin Dykema, director of the choir, Monday evening and presented him with a handsome rocker in appreciation of his excellent work in behalf of the choir. A delightful time was passed most of the evening being devoted to a musical program. Dainty refreshments were served.

E. S. Gale has sold out the store on the north side that he conducted for a number of years and has arranged to open a wholesale and retail fish market in J. Kuite's meat market on Eighth street. Everything will be kept in stock from fresh water fish to lobsters, including salt water fish, oysters, frog legs etc. Mr. Gale is an experienced merchant. He knows the demands of the trade and will undoubtedly run a place well deserving of patronage.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. McCarthy have placed the Virginia Park hotel at the disposal of a Promotion club recently organized by several young men of this city and next Monday evening these young men will entertain at a social. A musical and literary program will be given in the early part of the evening followed by a "finest" and the serving of ice cream and cake. Music will be furnished by an orchestra furnished by the members of the club.

Dr. Geo. Baker, who has for the past eight months been in Oklahoma, as missionary, delivered two interesting sermons in Times hall Sunday afternoon and evening. He stated that he has been so busy preaching to Indians with painted faces and red blankets that it appeared as though pale faces were sickly. The doctor's splendid voice and eloquent appeal in behalf of the Christian religion, had a deep effect on the congregation and several have decided to lead a better life.

The Michigan crop report sums up the wage conditions of the agricultural districts as follows: "The average monthly wages, with board, is, in the southern counties \$22.40, in the central counties \$21.35, in the northern counties \$22.25 and in the state \$22.20. The average wages by the day, without board, is in the southern counties \$1.35, in the central counties \$1.28, in the northern counties \$1.33 and in the State \$1.34. The average wages by the month last year, with board, was in the State \$21.63, and the average wages by the day, without board, was in the State \$1.33."

The chronic lingering of winter weather has impressed at least one juvenile mind that winter comes more than once a year. This young lad is resorting at Ottawa Beach with his grand parents. The weather was balmy, warm and beautiful when he first arrived. To him it meant summer. Then the last snowfall came (and that wasn't very long ago) and his grandfather told him to shovel the snow from the sidewalk. But there was instant rebellion. "No," said he, "I shoveled the snow all last winter and brother Freddie must shovel it this winter."

A report on the progress of the beet sugar industry in 1903, prepared by the department of agriculture shows there has been an increase in the number of beet sugar factories in the United States from 43 at the close of 1902, to 56 at the beginning of 1904. According to the report the sugar beet crop of 1903 amounted to a little more than 2,000,000 tons harvested from 242,576 acres the average yield being about 81 tons to the acre. The prices received for beets ranged from \$4.50 to \$5.00 per ton average, being nearly \$5. The average gross returns were \$42.50 per acre. The estimated cost of growing beets by irrigation is \$40 per acre, and in sections where irrigation is not necessary \$30. In some of the sugar beet areas the returns were very much higher than this general average. Many farmers have cleared from \$25 to \$50 per acre. The amount of sugar made from the beet crop of 1903 was 249,604 tons, as compared with 218,405 tons from the crop of 1902, and 184,605 tons from that of 1901.

Boards Wanted—Inquire at 81 West Eighth street, Mrs. I. Ver Wey.

Peter Boven, of the firm of Boven & Brink of Graafschap, which was recently dissolved, is now clerking for Rutgers & Tien of Graafschap.

J. E. Clarke, superintendent of the Holland schools, will make the commencement address at the graduating exercises of the Douglas High school June 1.

The Schubert club May Festival will be given at Grand Rapids Friday and Saturday, May 20 and 21st. This is one of the rarest musical treats of the season.

The district convention of Odd Fellows held in Grand Rapids Wednesday, was attended by 30 members of the Old Fellows and Rebekah lodges of this city.

John Goshorn died this morning at 10 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Robinson, of this city, at the age of 76 years. Mr. Goshorn was a resident of Saugatuck for fifty years and came here about a year ago.

The steamer Harvey Watson will leave here at 2 o'clock this afternoon on an excursion to Muskegon for the accommodation of those who desire to attend the oratorical contest. Considerable interest is shown and it is likely that Roy Heath will have a good crowd of adherents to cheer him on.

Will VanAnrooy has his pile-driving crew at work driving piles for a basin in the course of construction by the Holland Sugar company. The basin will be used to deposit waste material from the factory and will be connected with the factory by a trough. It will be 300 feet wide and will extend 150 feet into the bay. The Sugar Company is also preparing to build an extension to the beet sheds, doubling their capacity.

Here are the names of the men who will ask questions that must be answered. They have been appointed to take the census for the city of Holland.

First ward—Jacob Lokker.  
Second ward—Ben Van den Berg.  
Third ward—Peter Notter.  
Fourth ward—Henry Pelgrim, jr.  
Fifth ward—Benjamin Hulsman.  
They will begin work June 1 and will receive \$3 per day.

The Holland Sugar company has imported from Chicago twenty-four Russians to work in the sugar beet fields of this vicinity. John Oostema brought them over on the Argo yesterday morning and they were sent immediately to the growers near Jamestown and also to Allegan county. The complaint has always been that laborers could not be secured for the beet fields and this is a try to quiet it.

"Hard Times" to burn was on call at the A. O. U. W. meeting last Wednesday night. It was a "Hard Times" party and the man or woman with fine clothes was not expected. Rather was welcomed the man with overalls and old shoes, and the woman in calico or rags. Fines were levied on those who dressed contrary to rules and the levy was high. The party was one of the most pleasant events in the history of the local A. O. U. W. and was well attended.

C. G. Saida with his wife and family have moved from Chicago to a farm of ten acres on the north side of Macatawa Bay next to Van Alsbury Bros., the ice dealers. Mr. Saida is injured in an accident about five months ago and changes from the city to the farm for the benefit of his health.

There will be another opportunity given the public to purchase some of the fancy goods and curios from India next Friday, May 20, at Hope church parlors, afternoon and evening. The list of articles are jewelry worn by natives, such as head-gear, neck-lace, bracelets, anklets, ear, nose, finger and toe rings as also embroidered handkerchiefs, tray-cloth, table-covers etc. Coffee and cake will be served for five cents.

William Swarthouse of the Grand Haven Life Saving crew is figuring on resigning from the service and going into the saloon business in Grand Haven June 1. Mr. Swarthouse formerly lived in this city.

M. Jonkman has bought of E. Van der Veen a lot on the north side of Fifteenth street between River and Pine streets and will soon begin the erection of a residence on it.

Deputy sheriff Dark Overweg went to Grand Haven today with George Russell, who will serve a ten-day sentence for being drunk and disorderly.

The salary of the Allegan postmaster has been raised from \$2,100 to \$2,200.

One of the great drawing cards of the Schubert Club May Festival to be given May 20 and 21 at Grand Rapids will be the numbers by Madam Schumann Helnk, Contralto of the Metropolitan company. The program will also include numbers by the Theodore Thomas orchestra.

Vaughn Jewett and family have moved here from Allegan.

## Fire Damages C. Van Duren's Store and Market.

C. Van Duren's meat market and grocery store on the corner of Central avenue and Thirteenth street was damaged by fire Wednesday night to the extent of \$500 on stock and \$300 on building. The loss is fully covered by insurance. Night Watchman Dornbos turned in the alarm from the Hotel Holland box shortly after midnight and the response of the fire department was prompt. Although a strong wind was blowing, threatening to spread the flames to the residences nearby, the firemen by especially good work succeeded in checking the fire and saving most of the main building. Most of the damage was done by smoke and water.

The fire started in an addition on the south of the building. Mr. Van Duren had been drying out lard in this addition until late in the night and the fire is supposed to have caught from the stove which was used.

## Lake and Marine

The People's Transit company has chartered the steamer Argo from the Graham & Morton line, and will establish a daily passenger and freight service from Chicago to White Lake, Pentwater and Ludington on June 20. The steamer Frontenac which will alternate with the Argo to give a sailing out of Chicago each evening, will be placed on the route for tri-weekly sailing about June 1.

## Citizens Meeting

A citizens meeting will be held Wednesday evening, May 18 at the headquarters of the VanRaalte Post, G. A. R. in the G. A. R. hall, for the purpose of appointing committees and making other arrangements for the Decoration Day program. A large attendance is solicited.

Signed, A. J. Ward  
Com. of A. C. VanRaalte Post, No. 262

Con DePree, Roland Easley, B. VanRaalte, jr., and Ed. Westveer left Monday for the northern trout streams.

## "Antigone" At Winants Chapel

The classical and musical departments of Hope College will give an entertainment at Winants Chapel Friday evening, May 27.

This will be one of the best and most elaborate productions ever attempted by the students of Hope and will undoubtedly be a grand affair, deserving of a crowded house.

First class tickets, 50 cents; second class, 35 cents. First class seats reserved at Hardies jewelry store, 7 a. m., May 23; second class, May 25.

## Grand Haven Undone By Stage Fright Bombardment.

When, after several hours of suspense, the smoke of battle cleared away it was discovered that the sataginary base ball conflict between teams representing the Holland High school and the Grand Haven High school resulted in a victory for the Holland boys by a score of 9 to 3.

Both teams put up a good game from the High school standpoint, the routing being far from the smallest feature. Knutson and Schoo starred in a double play and the visiting teams starred in the error column.

Van den Berg and Steketee were in the points for Holland and Bolhouse and Loudie for Grand Haven.

The Grand Haven Tribune attributes the defeat of the Grand Haven team to a "severe attack of stage fright which lasted through the entire first innings of the game."

## Hope College vs Benton Harbor

Hope College will meet Benton Harbor in a base ball game at the college campus tomorrow afternoon. The Benton Harbor team has vanquished every team that it has met up to date for championship honors and will try to add the college team to its list. This will be a difficult proposition, however, as Hope has gained greatly in strength the last two weeks and is in condition for the game of its history.

## Real Estate Transfers.

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Dankje VanTel to city of Grand Haven blk 20 Akeley's Add Grand Haven..... 1000  
Filmore Bird to Henry Walcott pt n w 1-4 sec 21 twp Holland..... 2500  
Adrian VanHartigh to Ethebert Peabody and wif lot 15 Bay View Add Holland..... 800  
Peter J. Zalmman and wif to Albert P. Van Velpen pt lot 4 blk 65 Holland..... 1300  
Arend Brouwer and wif to Arend J. Bosman n w 1-4 sec 1-4 and sec 1-4 twp Holland..... 2200  
John Schuurman and wif to Jacob Allen pt e 1-2 sw 1-4 sw 1-4 and pt se 1-4 sw 1-4 twp Holland..... 3900  
John Schuurman and wif to Gerrit J. Boone e 1-4 nw 1-4 sw 1-4 and pt sw 1-4 nw 1-4 twp Holland..... 1050  
Hendrika Streur et al to Bernardus Riksen sw 1-4 Tp Olive..... 2500  
Peter Boef and wif to Trustees 14th St. Chr. Reformed church e 1-2 lot 8 blk 59 Holland 700  
Derk Miedema to James A. Bartels pt ne 1-4 sw 1-4 sec 26 twp Holland..... 1200  
Blas Kibben et al to Gerrit A. Böttje s 1-2 n 1-2 sw 1-4 sec 1-4 sec 23 Tp Grand Haven..... 123.75  
Geo. E. Kollan and wif to Martin DaRind pt lot 29 and 30 Bld Add to Holland 200

## Eight are Graduated From Seminary

Wednesday night marked the time for the sending forth of another contingent of the rapidly increasing army that the Western Theological seminary is sending out to battle in the name of the Lord for the good of mankind. It was commencement night and a class of eight was graduated. The exercises took place in the First Reformed church and were attended by a large audience, friends of the seminary from other parts of the country being present in goodly numbers.

Rev. Philetus T. Pockman, D. D., of New Brunswick, N. J., president of the board of superintendents presided, and the exercises opened with a selection by a quartet composed of Mrs. G. J. Diekema, Miss Jean Steffens, Martin Dykema, and Prof. J. B. Nykerk. Prof. N. M. Steffens read the scriptures and led in prayer. After a solo by Miss Steffens, James Wayer, the first speaker, was introduced and delivered an address in the Dutch language, his subject being "De Heide der Duitche Hervorming" or "The Hero of the German Reformation."

John E. Kulzeaga followed, speaking in English on "Evolution or Inspiration." Both addresses were masterly productions, were well delivered, and impressed the audience that the class of 1904, as represented by these two speakers, was well-equipped for the years of work just dawning. The exercises closed by inspiring addresses by Rev. R. Bloemendaal of Muskegon, and Dr. J. W. Beardslee of the seminary.

The names of the graduates, and of the churches to which they have accepted calls follow:

William Beckering of Leota, Minn., to the Reformed church at Greenleaf, Minn.; George H. Douwstra of Middleburg, Iowa, to Lansing, Ill.; Richard D. Douwstra of Pella, Iowa, to Ganar, Ill.; John E. Kulzeaga of Muskegon, to Graafschap, Mich.; John Steunenbergh of Grand Rapids, to Jamestown, Mich.; James Vander Helde of Atwood, to Archer and Lemars, Iowa; James Wayer, of Muskegon, to Ebenezer; Wolbert Denekas of German Valley, Ill., has not accepted a call.

With the exception of Mr. Beckering, who was graduated from Manchester college in 1901, and the Messrs. Douwstra, who were graduated from the Central college, all of the young men are graduates of Hope college.

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