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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XXIX.

HOLLAND, MICH., FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1900.

NO. 19

..Graduating Time.. Is Approaching

We want to call the attention of all the young ladies who are about to graduate, that we are prepared to show a full line of materials suitable for the occasion, such as

India Linens, Dotted Swisses,
Persian Lawns and China Silks,
Hosiery and Underwear,
Gloves, Mitts, Laces,
Handkerchiefs, Fans
and Parasols.

Everything you need to complete your costume can be found at our store.

The Special Sale of Ladies Tailor-Made
Suits, Silk Waists and Dress Skirts, will close
Saturday, May 26.

A. I. KRAMER,

34 W. 8th Street, Holland, Mich.

TRY
Dr. A. C. V. R. Gilmore,
Dentist
***** VAUPELL BLOCK.

Holland City News.

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

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tion.
HOLLAND CITY NEWS Printing House, Root
& Kramer Bldg. Eighth St. Holland, Mich.

CITY AND VICINITY.

Three open cars for the H. & L. M.
Ry. are expected to arrive about
June 1.

Remember the supper and sale to
be given this afternoon and evening
at the Hope church parsonage.

Marshal H. J. Dykhuys has moved
from West Eighth street into the resi-
dence recently occupied by Mrs. Hans
Meyer, on West Ninth street.

The city library will be closed Wed-
nesday, May 30, on account of Memorial
Day. Books returnable on that
day may be held over and returned the
following Saturday.

The remains of Henry Schepers ar-
rived from Grand Rapids Monday on
the noon train and were buried in
Pilgrim Home cemetery, Rev. J. Van
der Meulen, of Ebenzer officiating.

The death of Mrs. Elbertina Bosma
occurred Monday at her home on
Twenty-sixth street. Her age was 76
years. Seven children survive her.
The funeral was held Wednesday af-
ternoon at Overisel, Rev. Van den
Berg officiating.

The Y. W. C. A. gospel meeting
next Tuesday evening will be led by
Miss Jennie Hulzenga.

H. C. Allison has opened a new res-
taurant on East Eighth street in the
building formerly occupied by Charles
Blom.

See the Altman Dramatic Com-
pany at the Lyceum Opera House 2
nights commencing Thursday, May
31st.

The Michigan state firemen's associ-
ation will hold its twenty-sixth an-
nual convention in Kalamazoo, June
19 to 23.

The Ladies Aid Society of Hope
church will hold their regular meet-
ing Friday afternoon of next week,
June 1, at the home of Mrs. G. Van
Schelven, West Twelfth street.

Rev. Adam Clarke will deliver a
Memorial Day address at Fennville
Wednesday evening, May 30. Mrs.
Clarke will assist in the musical pro-
gram and will give a selection on the
coronet.

Decoration Day the postoffice will
be open from 7 A. M. until 12 A. M.
Two deliveries of mail will be made
one in business and one in residences
districts. Collection from all street
letter boxes at 5 P. M.

On August 21 an Odd Fellow's coun-
ty picnic will be held at Highland
Park. The visitors will be entertained
by the Grand Haven and Spring Lake
lodges. All Odd Fellows and Rebeck-
ahs are cordially invited.

The 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. H. Rozaboom, of Sixth street, ac-
cidentally severed the artery of her
right wrist Tuesday forenoon. Dr. F.
S. Ledebor was called and dressed
the wound before serious results fol-
lowed from the loss of blood.

Superintendent Hathaway of the
Grand Rapids public schools is mak-
ing the preliminary arrangements for
a big picnic excursion from Grand
Rapids to Ottawa Beach early in June.
It will be attended by the teachers of
the schools and about one thousand
pupils.

De Grandet now has one of the fine-
est equipped printing offices in this
part of the state. Some time ago the
offices and editorial rooms were im-
proved and furnished in modern style,
and this week a 6 column quarto Bab-
cock Despatch press was installed. It
is an up-to-date machine and has a ca-
pacity of 3,300 papers per hour.

Mrs. Johanna Verwey, East Four-
teenth street fell down the steps of
her porch last Saturday, breaking her
right leg near the ankle. Dr. Yates
attended her and found that owing to
her advanced age, her condition was
serious; but she is resting easily at
present and will recover from the
shock. She is 84 years of age.

The game of baseball between the
Holland and Hope nines played Mon-
day afternoon resulted in a victory for
the Holland boys by a score of 19 to 6.
It has been shown that the Holland
baseball club is stronger than ever
this year, but if some movement is not
started to give the boys financial sup-
port they will get discouraged and we
will have no regularly organized club.

The interests of the members of the
Van Ark family in the Holland Furni-
ture factory were transferred Tues-
day to Jacob G. Van Putten, J. A.
Vanderveen, Ralph Veneklasen, Henry
Winter and William Ten Hagen.
The value of the stock transferred is
placed at \$22,500. Attorney G. J.
Diekema looked after the interests of
the purchasers, and Attorney Geo. A.
Farr of Grand Haven looked after the
interests of the Van Ark family in
making the deal.

While Rev. and Mrs. K. Kreulen, of
Noordeloos were driving near the Ze-
land station Tuesday morning the
horse shied, throwing them out of the
buggy. Mrs. Kreulen escaped without
serious injury, but Rev. Kreulen re-
ceived a bad scalp wound, his collar
bone was fractured and he was injured
internally. He was taken to the resi-
dence of Chris. De Jong where he was
attended by Dr. O. Baert, who said
that the injuries were serious but not
fatal. Rev. Kreulen is pastor of the
church at Noordeloos.

Tiemen Slagh was kicked in the
face by one of P. F. Boone's livery
horses yesterday forenoon. A team,
driven by Pete Steketee, slipped and
fell in front of Hotel Holland. Mr.
Slagh assisted in unharnessing the
horses and helping them to their feet.
No sooner had they arisen from the
ground when one of them gave Mr.
Slagh a vicious kick. It landed full on
the face and caused an ugly wound.
Dr. Kremers dressed the wound which
though painful is not serious enough
to keep Mr. Slagh away from his
business.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
ABSOLUTELY PURE
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome.
ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

Do not forget the sale and supper at
the Hope church parsonage this even-
ing.

See the Altman Dramatic Company
at the Lyceum Opera house 2 nights,
commencing Thursday, May 31st.

Oosting & Son have taken the con-
tract to build a cement walk in front
of the residence of Supervisor Dykema.

Contractor A. J. Ward is laying a
cement walk in front of the residence
of Rev. James Karsen, corner of Land
and Eleventh streets.

The Freshman class of the High
school has elected the following offi-
cers: President, Henry Dutton; secre-
tary, Rena Bylsma; treasurer, Jean-
nette Westveer.

Rev. Isaac Van Kampen Ph. D., of
New Jersey, will occupy Hope church
pulpit next Sunday morning. Rev. J.
T. Hergen will preach the evening
sermon as usual.

The steamer City of Holland will
be ready for service June 1, when she
will take the place of the steamer Soo
City, while that steamer is laid up for
the finishing touches to the painting.

The annual commencement of the
Fennville high school will be held at
the M. E. church in that village this
evening. The Hope College quartette
will furnish the vocal music and the
address will be given by Prof. J. T.
Bergen of Hope College.

P. Ilsen, the shoemaker living back
of Cherry's barber shop on River
street died last night at 10 o'clock
from the effects of the habitual use of
wood alcohol. His wife survives him.
The funeral will take place tomorrow
afternoon at 2 o'clock from the house.

Swindlers are taking advantage of
this being census year to work a fraud
on farmers in the vicinity of Niles. A
bogus enumerator calls, asks the us-
ual questions and then requests the
man to sign the report which after-
ward turns up as a promissory note.

The annual meeting of the
Woman's Literary Club will be held
at the home of Mrs. Henry Kremers,
corner of Twelfth street and Central
Avenue, on Tuesday afternoon June
5, at 3 o'clock. The officers and a
Board of Directors for the coming year
will be elected and the course of study
will be decided upon. It is desired to
have a full membership attend-
ance.

The postoffice department has under
consideration a plan whereby the
name of postoffices shall be placed up-
on stamps where sold. This idea is to
provide means for identification when
stamps are stolen from any postoffice,
and also to prevent the boycotting of
postmasters, a practice in some of
the smaller towns of the country. It
will be possible under the new rule of
the department to keep accurate ac-
count of all stamps sold and render
justice to the boycotted postmaster.

The baseball benefit entertainment
given by the Zeeland Athletic associa-
tion last Wednesday evening was a
success in every particular. The Ze-
land Cornet Band furnished excellent
music, Van's Quartette contributed
good musical selections, the Hope
college quartette was at its best and
were obliged to respond to numerous
encores, while the recitations by Paul
P. Davis, of Grand Rapids, were sim-
ply fine. The manager of the nine,
John De Pree is well pleased with the
financial result and will probably ar-
range for another entertainment in
the near future.

At the meeting of the Grand River
Classis last Tuesday A. D. Warnshuis
and Henry P. Shuurman passed ex-
ceedingly creditable examinations for
the ministry and were admitted. Mr.
Warnshuis will take up missionary
work in Amoy China, and will sail for
that country about September 21. He
will be regularly ordained in the
Fourth Reformed church of Grand
Rapids June 21, at which time Dr.
Chamberlain will be present and give
an address. Mr. Schuurman was or-
dained Thursday to the Ninth Re-
formed church of Grand Rapids to
which he has been called as pastor.
The examining board announced Tues-
day that the examination was one of
the most satisfactory ever held by the
classis, and the candidates were among
the brightest ever appearing for min-
isterial honors.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Konig
206 West Thirteenth street, Thursday
—a son.

Jacob Van Putten, Jr., the well
known ball player is now in Chicago,
where he is employed as stenographer
by Carson Pirie, Scott & Co.

Next Thursday from from 10 to
11 a. m. you can for the last time buy
a line of stamped pieces for 10c. each
at John Vandersluis. See adv. Also
white Victoria Lawn for 4c a yard.

A baseball game between a nine
from the Grammar school of Hope Col-
lege and a nine from the Holland
High School was played Wednesday
afternoon. It resulted in a victory
for the latter by a score of 19 to 6.

The soldiers of the Spanish War are
earnestly requested to meet at G. A.
R. hall on Sunday at 2 o'clock p. m.,
to join the veterans of the War of the
Rebellion and attend the Memorial
services in the Third Reformed
church.

A sneak thief boarded the Soo City
at the Chicago dock about 6:30 last
evening and stole a purse belonging to
a lady passenger. He was caught in
the act and the crew captured him.
He is now in jail in Chicago and will
be tried for robbery Saturday fore-
noon.

William Van Eyck, Hon. G. W.
Mokma, J. C. Dyke, O. J. De Roo, J.
G. Van Putten, Dr. G. J. Kollen, Dr.
H. Kremers, J. Dykema, Dr. A.
Knoolhuizen, Jacob Van Putten,
Mayor William Brusse, N. J. Whelan,
M. Manning, A. J. Van Lummel, H.
Holkeboer, George P. Hummer, Dr.
Henry Dosker, Bastion Steketee, Con-
de Pree, John Bosman, J. B. Mulder,
Gerrit J. Diekema, have been select-
ed as vice presidents of the Webster
Davis mass meeting to be held in
Grand Rapids Tuesday evening, May
29, the night following the appear-
ance of Mr. Davis in this city.

At a special meeting of the com-
mon council held last evening the ap-
plication of James Selby for a saloon
license was not granted owing to the
insufficiency of his bonds, which were
not approved by the council. A. E.
Ferguson was granted a license to
keep a saloon at No. 204 S. Eighth
street. An ordinance was passed ap-
proving the franchise of the Hol-
land & Lake Michigan Ry. company.
The ordinance formerly provided that
the extension to the road from Eighth
to Land street be completed within six
months after the adoption of the or-
dinance, and that the extension from
River street to the H. & C. steamboat
dock be completed by Feb. 27, 1901.
As amended it provides that the
time for the completion of the road
be fixed at June 1, 1901, and
that the company be given 15 days
from today to accept the ordinance
as amended.

Notice.

Ben. J. Etling. First class paint-
ing in all branches. Estimates fur-
nished. 151 W. 14th street, Holland,
Mich.

WANTED—A competent girl for
general house work. Must have good
references. Apply to Mrs. King, 26
East Twelfth street.

Fish are Biting

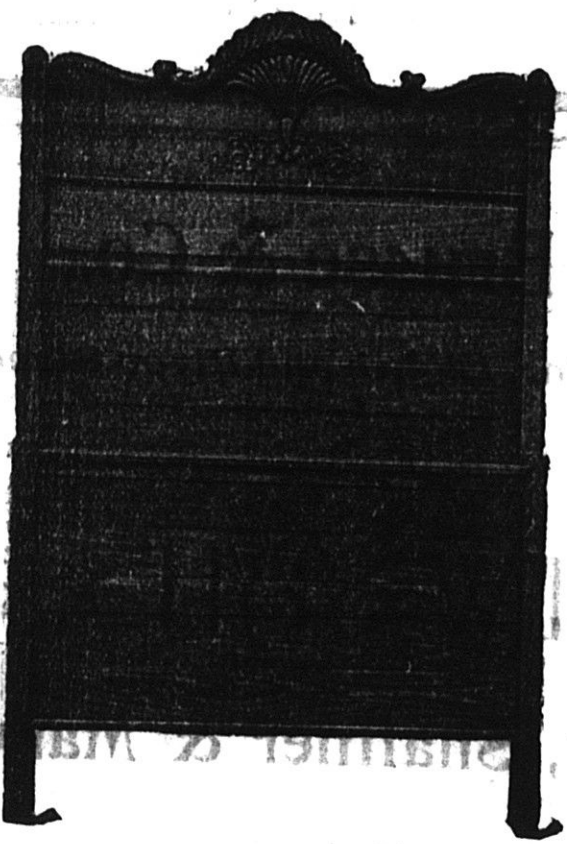
and you cannot fail to
catch a mess if sup-
plied with proper tac-
kle. See the assort-
ment of TACKLE on
display at

Con. De Pree's Drug Store.

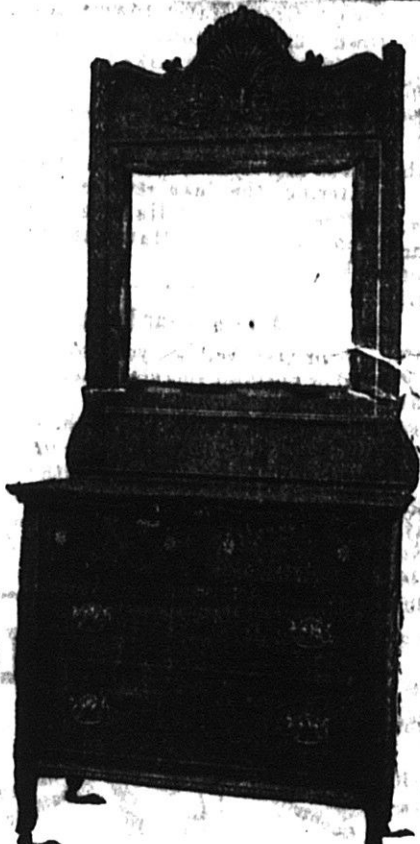
A Complete Stock of all grades and
prices.

Corner 8th St. and Central Ave.

Complete Bedroom Suit at \$9.95



9-95



We have from time to time in the past, placed the people of Holland in a position
to buy Bedroom Suits at less than wholesale prices, but never before have been able to
give such bargains as this.

One of our local factories shipped a carload of suits, which got into a railroad wreck.
The railroad company paid the damage, and we paid—enough said.

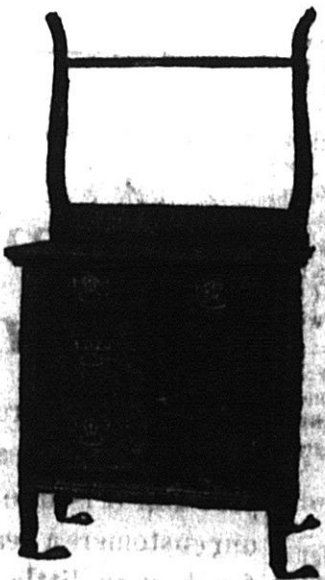
Every suit has been carefully looked over; repaired and refinished, so that
they are in first class shape, and we are going to sell them at from

\$9.95 to \$13.00

Just think of it, a complete suit, 3 pieces, with heavy elaborate carvings,
golden oak finish, 4x20, German Bevel glass, regular price \$17.00 for

\$9.95

If you want a suit, here is a chance to buy one cheap. Don't put it
off but come and make your selection at once, as at this price they won't
last long.



JAMES A. BROUWER,

212-214 River Street,

Holland, Michigan

I can say the will steer clear of horse hoofs

TEST THE KIDNEYS

And If They are Diseased Use the
World's Greatest Kidney Cure

DR. A. W. CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS.

It's a simple matter to test the kidneys. You need not consult a doctor. By asking yourself three questions you can determine whether or not your kidneys are deranged.

First: "Have you backache or weak, lame back?"

Second: "Do you have difficulty in urinating or a too frequent desire to urinate?"

Third: "Are there deposits like brick dust in the urine after it has stood for twenty-four hours?"

In its early stages kidney disease is readily cured by a few boxes of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, a preparation which has made Dr. Chase famous throughout the world for his wonderful cures of diseases of the kidneys.

Mr. Isaiah Manigault, painter, Watertown, N. Y., writes: "I have had a very bad case of kidney affection for some time, and doctored in vain until Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills were brought to my notice, and they have completely cured me. I cannot say enough in praise of their wonderful merits."

If you have kidney disease, you can take Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills with perfect confidence that what has proved an absolute cure in so many thousands of cases will not fail you.

So long as the cells of the kidneys are not completely wasted away, as in the last stages of Bright's disease, Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills will give them new vigor and strength, and make them strong, healthy and active. One pill a dose; 25c a box; at all dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

MAY—1900.

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.
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20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31

Holland City News.

FRIDAY, May 25.

What They say About Col. Bliss.

Col. Bliss has no entanglements. His friends are confined to no particular locality and to no faction in the party. Under his leadership doubtful counties, as well as close legislative and congressional districts, will be surely republican.

A number of influential republicans of this county who favored the nomination of Justus S. Stearns for governor a few months ago, have become disgusted at the methods used by his advisors here and now declare they will support Col. Bliss. This state of affairs not only exists in this county, but from all sections of the state similar reports are being received.

Four years ago Col. Bliss put up a splendid fight. He has been connected



with no isms or factions; he has lost none of his old following, while, by his manly bearing in the time of defeat and his unswerving fidelity to the interests of his party, he has gained thousands of new friends. The more moderate of both the old factions believe his nomination would bring about the consolidation of the two factions and present a united party to face the enemy next fall.—Allegan Chronicle.

Justice at the hands of the Republican party entitles Col. Bliss to the nomination. Not only this, but in view of the existing conditions, Col. Bliss, and he alone, can unite the elements of discord which divide the party in the ensuing campaign. With Col. Bliss in the lead the Pingree and anti-Pingree contention will disappear and the grand old party in Michigan will sweep forward to triumph in November next.—Oxford Leader.

No other candidate meets the public approval so much as does Col. A. T. Bliss. We wish him well and hope he may be honored as the next governor of Michigan. "For thirty years Col. Bliss has been a representative Saginaw business man, to whom no worthy public enterprise, no commendable charity, no patriotic sentiment has appealed in vain. His beneficence has been on an extensive scale, and institutions not only in Michigan but beyond its boundaries, have had occasion for gratitude to Colonel Bliss."—Alma Argus.

Col. Bliss' candidacy for the Republican nomination for governor seems to be booming all over the State. A feeling prevails the rank and file of the party that Col. Bliss is the logical candidate and is entitled to the nomination. This feeling will land him in the gubernatorial chair.—Clare County Cleave.

The Saginaw Courier-Herald of December 1st devotes a column editorial to the presentation of Col. A. T. Bliss as the logical candidate to head the Republican State ticket next year. That Mr. Bliss is a capable man there can be no doubt. He is strong in his party, is just about the right age, can afford to spend the time and would make a competent executive should he be nominated and elected.—Katon Rapids Journal.

The Coleman Independent says that Col. A. T. Bliss is the man entitled to the nomination for governor at the hands of the Republican State convention to be held in 1900.—Hershey Outline.

Col. Bliss' candidacy will meet with a hearty support in this part of the State, and should be acceptable to all parts. The party should redeem the promises made to Col. Bliss, and from the sentiment expressed through the press of the State we believe it is the intention to do so.—Clare County Cleave.

The Bliss sentiment is very strong and it seems probable that he will be supported by the delegations from the tenth district generally.—Petoskey Record.

The Bliss sentiment is spreading. The counties bordering on Lake Huron, from St. Clair county to the Straits, are pretty much all as a unit for him. From Mackinaw on down the shore of Lake Michigan to the Pere Marquette.—Barryton Press.

There never was time when the Republican needed a strong candidate so much as it needs it now. He should be, not the ideal of some certain faction or locality but popular with the people as a whole. Without the slightest prejudice in the matter with malice toward none and charity for all, it is our profound conviction that Col. A. T. Bliss is justly entitled to and should have the nomination.—McBain Chronicle.

Osborn is too young; Stearns is too premature; O'Donnell is wined and Ferry cannot be elected; therefore we must turn to Col. A. T. Bliss of Saginaw, the only logical candidate. The Colonel represents no clique or faction, is bound by no alliance and would do more to unite the warring elements than any man in Michigan.—Cross Roads Weekly.

Lake and Marine.

Captain Stewart of the steamer City of Milwaukee announces the invention of a marine compass with a registering clock attachment on a slip of paper which goes through the machine. The slightest deviation from the course is registered, with the time thereof, and thus the exact position of a boat may be determined during any part of her voyage. Captain Stewart claims the invention cost him \$5,000 and eight years hard study. He believes it will be useful in admiralty litigation.

Capt. Fountain who has been in command of the life saving station at the mouth of the Chicago river will be transferred to Charlevoix. Joseph Langlois, number one, at the Jackson Park station, will be promoted to captain and placed in command at the river station to succeed Capt. Fountain.

The daily service of the Williams boats, of South South Haven, will be inaugurated June 2 and the tri-daily service will begin June 23 when the steamer Darius Cole will go into commission.

The United States steamboat inspectors in Chicago, Messrs. Moore and Richardson, perpetrated a genuine surprise last week on the officers of all passenger steamers by making sudden raids on their craft to ascertain whether or not the steamboat laws in regard to the drilling of ships' crews for quick, efficient, cool work in case of disaster or fire are being complied with. The laws require safeguards against fire and rigorous watchfulness that fire apparatus be kept in order; that the extreme outside limit as to the number and kind of lifeboats, life rafts, and life preservers be strictly observed, and that the condition of these, and of the cranes, tackle, etc., shall be the best, and, more important than all that the crew of each craft be carefully drilled. The penalty for failure to drill or the failure to enter the fact in the log, is the revocation of the master's license, something much more dreaded than any fine—or even imprisonment—for the reason that a master without papers has lost his vocation.

and his hard apprenticeship counts for nothing, for he can no longer hold the position of captain on any American craft anywhere in the United States. Steamers of the Goodrich line, Graham & Morton's line, the Barry, Northern Michigan, Lake Michigan, Lake Superior, Williams and Manitou lines were all boarded by the inspectors, and thorough examination made. The drainage district steamer Juliet and a host of small excursion boats were looked over in the same critical way, and the books, or "logs," read over. Most of the steamers passed through the test satisfactorily, but several delinquents were discovered and trouble is in store for them.

The South Haven life saving crew had a chance to make their first wreck report of the season last Saturday. Two young men rented one of Donahue Bros' boats and started for a pleasure trip. Mr. Donahue told them not to go on the lake as quite a sea was breaking on the shore; but they did not take his advice and rounded the pier for a ride on the lake. As soon as they struck the in-shore breakers the boat capsized and the boys had a chance to find out how chilly Lake Michigan is in May. Capt. Lou Mathews and the life saving crew were soon to the rescue, and taking the boys in the life boat towed their craft to shore. After this the boys will heed the advice of Mr. Donahue, for he knows all of the tricks of Lake Michigan.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Filmore.

The very hot spell of Monday and Tuesday of last week, was followed by cold weather, so that Jack Frost nipped at the small garden truck. We hope that warm weather will stay for good.

Mrs. G. Boeve, Sr., is still very weak. But these cool days and nights give her an easy rest.

B. Riksen, from Holland, has started to drill in his sugar beet seed on the land that he has rented from the different farmers.

The oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Boeve was suddenly taken sick last Saturday. Dr. H. Boss was called for to give medical aid. The little boy is yet very sick, but we hope that he will soon recover.

This is a very busy time of the season as corn planting time is at hand, so we have not the time to write very much news this week.

Allegan County.

No regular Decoration day exercises will be held in Otsego in deference to the sentiment of the veterans, who believe the day too sacred for games or sports. The memorial sermon and decoration of the graves will comprise the program.

The calendar for the May term of the circuit court contains 13 divorce cases.

Allegan will celebrate the Fourth of July.

The board of education, of Allegan, have offered all the instructors in the public schools their positions for another year, and it is thought all will accept.

Otsego Grange invites Allegan County Council, P. of H., to hold its next session, June 5th, with them at their hall at Pine Creek and promises to furnish doughnuts, buns, and water for the noon lunch.

The county field day of the High schools will be held at Otsego Friday, June 1st. The schools of Plainwell, Martin, Otsego, and Allegan will be represented in the events and the contests will be exciting.

Ventura.

Mrs. D. C. Huff is sick. Dr. Mabba of Holland is attending her.

Henry Whaley is here on a visit from Grand Rapids where he is working.

Uriah Whaley was home Sunday from the power house.

Damer W. is busy planting corn. That's right, get there so you can take the News and not let them lay in the office.

West Olive.

May 23, 1900—Corn planting is on, and in some places the crows roost on the stumps waiting for their breakfast. A good dose of shut will probably put them in mind that the people of West Olive act just the same as they did 30 years ago.

The oats around here appeared last week as though they were struck by lightning. But just now an improvement has come.

Theo. Schilling will build a picket fence around his lot next week. He is the only man that is doing improvement work at present in this place.

Ell Sankey was taken suddenly ill last week with an attack of bilious fever. Dr. Geo. Baker was sent for Friday, and he is at present almost well again.

Born in this place, Friday, May 18, a son to Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Vollmer. The correspondent sends congratulations and wishes the little ticket agent much joy and a long happy life.

Mrs. Frank Barry, who was ill with tonsillitis, is improving.

People must not think that religion is suppressed in this place. Our church was very well attended Sunday. I will invite the Graatschap correspondent to attend.

Mrs. C. B. Ingerson made a business trip to Holland Monday, returning Tuesday.

H. Schreiber, Sr. made Grand Haven a call last Tuesday.

Babcock Bros. have now finally got hold of a stamp machine. They own a large number of those pine stumps, but the land is worth their pulling.

Mrs. Wm. Sankey was visiting relatives here last week. She resides in Holland.

ties here last week. She resides in Holland.

A. Boyer, Sr. is doing the carpenter work on Mr. Peterson's new house at Port Sheldon. We are very glad to hear that the old veteran will remain with us.

Those mischievous boys around here will soon get their reward in the House of Correction at Ionia, if they keep on stretching wires across the roads, pushing down fences and doing other damage. We need an ugly Irish policeman in this village during the night who can lift a scalp.

In conclusion, the correspondent did not get much time this week to write only when he was tired from hard working. So he will excuse politics and religion for this time but subscribe for the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, \$1.00 per year.

Ottawa County.

The following primary school money has been apportioned to Ottawa county.

	NO. OF CHILDREN	AMT. APPORTION'D
Allendale.....	540	\$270 00
Blendon.....	674	337 00
Chester.....	598	299 00
Crockery.....	472	236 00
Georgetown.....	672	336 00
Grand Haven.....	344	172 00
G'd Haven City.....	1685	842 50
Holland Town.....	1234	617 00
Holland City.....	2284	1142 00
Jamestown.....	759	379 50
Olive.....	688	344 00
Polkton.....	745	372 50
Robinson.....	279	139 50
Spring Lake.....	647	323 50
Tallmadge.....	373	186 50
Wright.....	497	248 50
Zeeland.....	1185	592 50
Total.....	13,676	\$6838 00

Dr. C. P. Nye will deliver the Memorial Day address at Coopersville.

Hon. George A. Farr will deliver the Memorial Day address at Nunica.

Spring Lake has over a thousand dollars in the treasury and doesn't owe a cent.

Tonight occurs the graduating exercises of the Senior class of the Spring Lake high school. Rev. J. Herman Randall, who addressed the graduating class in Grand Haven last year will give an address on the "Sources of Power."

The High school boys of Grand Haven have organized a base ball team with Lawrence Vanden Berg as manager and Kingsbury Scott, captain.

The Spring Lake Yacht club will hold its first regatta of the season on Decoration Day. Many new entries are already booked and 12 new members have been added to the club. Commodore Savidge is enthusiastic and predictions of the best season's racing ever held on Spring Lake.

There were 44 deaths in Ottawa county in April, 50 in Muskegon, and 46 in Allegan. Of the deaths in this county Grand Haven report 9, Holland 5, Chester 1, Crockery 1, Georgetown 3, Grand Haven town 4, Holland town 2, Jamestown 2, Polkton 2, Robinson 1, Spring Lake 4, Tallmadge 2, Wright 1, Zeeland 7.

Prominent officials of the Goodrich transportation company visited Grand Haven last Friday with a view of bettering the lake service between Chicago and Grand Haven and of booming the Grand Haven and Spring Lake resorts.

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Holland City News.

FRIDAY, May 25, 1900.

N. J. WHELAN, Editor.

Memorial Day, 1900.

The different committees appointed to arrange for the Memorial Day exercises have done their work well and as a result everything is in readiness for a proper observance of the day. The executive committee, consisting of P. H. McBride, R. E. Elvel, H. W. Kleinknecht, A. B. Bosman, and C. J. De Roo report that all other committees have performed the tasks assigned them and that no detail remains unfinished.

The officers of the day are: President—Mayor Wm. Brussee. Chaplain—Prof. J. T. Bergen. Orator—William Alden Smith. Marshal—L. T. Kanters. Assistant Marshals—B. D. Keppel, N. Erskin.

On Wednesday afternoon May 30 at one o'clock the procession will form on River street in charge of Marshal L. T. Kanters and his assistants, and proceed along Eighth street, Columbia Avenue and Tenth street to College Avenue. Following is the order of procession:

- 1st DIVISION.—B. D. KEPPEL, Asst. Marshal.
1. Holland Light Guard.
 2. Holland City Band.
 3. Young Ladies with Flowers and Decorations.
 4. Public School Chorus.
 5. The Public Schools.
 6. Hope College and City Marching Club.

2nd DIVISION.—N. ERSKIN, Asst. Marshal.

1. Martial Band.
2. Fire Department.
3. Spanish Veterans.
4. Women's Relief Corps.
5. "A. C. Van Raalte" Post, G. A. R. and Veterans.
6. Officials of the Day.
7. City Officials.
8. Carriages and Citizens.

At the College grove the following program will be observed:

1. Chorus—Red, White and Blue.
2. Opening Remarks—President of the Day.
3. Chorus—God Bless Our Native Land.
4. Prayer—Chaplain.
5. Chorus—The Star Spangled Banner.
6. Oration—Hon. William Alden Smith.
7. "The Boys That Wear the Blue Are Turning Gray"—Hope College Glee Club.—Parks.

The procession will then reform and proceed to Pilgrim Home Cemetery where the exercises will be as follows:

1. Decoration of graves by Lady Decorators.
2. Decoration of grave of Rev. A. C. Van Raalte, D. D., by G. A. R. and Veterans.
3. Decoration of Monument in memory of the Absent Dead.
4. Music—"Rest Comrade, Rest,"—Hope College Quartette.—Parks.
5. Firing Salute.
6. Benediction.

One of the special features of the day's program will be the music. Miss Ballentine, who has charge of the musical instruction of the pupils of the public schools, is training a chorus of 200 voices to give special selections at the grove and at Pilgrim Home cemetery. The members of this chorus are selected from the High school and eighth grade and their work will be magnificent.

The memorial service, preached annually on the Sunday preceding Decoration Day, before the G. A. R. and veterans of the War of the Rebellion, will be delivered this year by Rev. J. W. Beardslee, D. D., on Sunday afternoon, in the Third Reformed church, at three o'clock. To this service all are invited.

Webster Davis will Address Mass Meeting Monday Night.

Holland will have another chance to manifest its interest in the patriots of South Africa. Next Monday evening Webster Davis, ex-secretary of state, will address a mass meeting to be held in the Central Avenue Christian Reformed church. The preliminary arrangements for the demonstration were made at a meeting of citizens held in the office of Hon. G. J. Diekema last Saturday forenoon.

Following is the committee on reception and entertainment: Dr. G. J. Kollen, Prof. J. T. Bergen, Hon. G. J. Diekema, Jacob G. Van Putten, Hon. Isaac Cappon, Ex-Mayor Mokma, City Clerk W. O. Van Eyck, Postmaster G. Van Schelven and Dr. J. W. Beardslee.

Prof. J. T. Bergen will preside at the mass meeting, which will be opened with prayer by Dr. J. W. Beardslee. Prof. J. B. Nykerk will be in charge of the musical part of the program and special arrangements are under way to make this part of the evening's entertainment particularly interesting.

It is expected that this will be the largest meeting ever held in this city to express sympathy for the gallant Boers. No admission will be charged, but a collect on for the aid of the Boers will be taken up, and as the nobility of their cause deserves substantial recognition a large donation is expected.

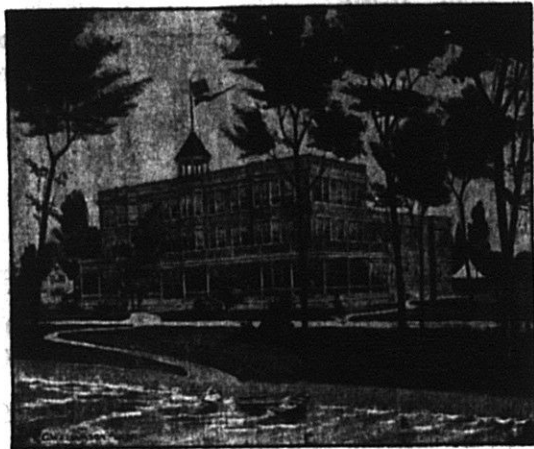
Webster Davis, the speaker of the evening, is one of the most talented orators in the United States. So deep was his interest in the Boers that he went to South Africa to gain by personal observation a true insight into the merits of their cause. He traveled the length and breadth of the land in search of information, and found that never did a band of patriots struggle for a nobler cause than that represented by the followers of the indomitable Paul Kruger.

He saw on the one side two brave little republics, animated by the purest of motives, struggling against overwhelming odds against oppression and tyranny. On the other side he saw a giant nation, actuated by lust of empire and greed for gold, striving to enslave a free people, and destroy their liberty. His heart was touched at the sight and he hastened back to his own land to lay before the tribunal of the American people the story of the rapacity of England and the wrongs inflicted upon the Afrikaners. He will tell this story to the people of Holland Monday night with force and eloquence and the people of Holland should not fail to listen to his patriotic appeal.

Virginia Park Hotel.

The latest improvement to the resorts clustered around Macatawa Bay is the Virginia Park Hotel. The hotel is situated in a beautiful spot near Harrington's Landing on the south shore of the Bay and is owned by Peter T. McCarthy, of Chicago. It was erected last winter and is a fine building, modern in every respect and containing all of the conveniences usually found in first class hotels.

The rooms are large and airy, finished in cypress throughout, and handsomely furnished. Comfortable and complete as are the appointments of the interior of this hotel, the outside arrangements are just as elaborate.



rate. Broad verandas surround the house and the well kept lawns and charming woodland make it one of the most beautiful places on the Bay.

As it is located near the street car track, adjoining the great fruit belt on the inland side and the waters of Macatawa Bay leading to Lake Michigan on the north, the situation could not be improved, and the proprietor has received many compliments for making this selection.

Peter T. McCarthy, the owner and manager of Virginia Park, has been a resident of Chicago for many years and is a progressive business man in every sense of the word. It is his intention to make this place his home and he will reside here the greater part of the year, going to Chicago when his business there demands his personal attention. He and his wife and family are now at the hotel. Mrs. McCarthy is a charming hostess and will aid in making the hotel a cosy and homelike retreat for those who wish to escape the cares and vexations of city life and enjoy an outing at one of the best resorts in Michigan.

The hotel will be ready for the accommodation of guests June 1, and the large number of applications for rooms that have been received is sufficient assurance of a successful season. The rates are \$2.00 per day. Special rates will be made by the week or season.

Public School Teachers.

The report of the committee on teachers was adopted at a special meeting of the Board of Education held last Monday evening. It named the teachers for every department except the High school and these will be submitted at a special meeting to be held next Monday night. The report as adopted includes the following list with the salaries allowed:

Frank D. Haddock, Supt.	\$1,300
Grace Ballentine, music & art	500
Minnie Mohr, grade teacher	475
Sadie Clark	425
Grace Hubbard	350
Beatrice Kington	375
Marle Damsen	375
Aona Dehn	375
Josephine Kleyn	375
Grace Clifton	375
Cora Allen	375
May De Pree	350
Minnie Bell	350
Bessie Knapp	350
Minnie Bird	350
Carrie De Feyter	350
Martha Schoon	325
Bessie Slaker	325
Mattie Leonardson	325
Virginia Briggs	300
Pauline Foster	300
Minnie Van Raalte	300
Winifred McClinton	325
Grace Thayer	325
Gerrardo Takken (principal)	425
Ada Cunningham	375
Alvena Breijman grade teacher	350

Ruth Kerkhof " " 275
Margaret B. Childs " " 325
Rose Davidson " " 325
Ida Cobb " " 300
Jennie Werkman " " 300

The committee on buildings reported recommending that the third story of the high school building be fitted up for a laboratory or science room on account of the necessity for a suitable room for this purpose. It was also decided to lease for school purposes the German church on West Twelfth street for a year at a rental of \$100.

After the meeting, upon invitation of Secretary Van Duren, the members of the board enjoyed a fine spread at Van Drezer's restaurant.

Census Enumerator Coming.

The work of taking the eleventh census will begin June 1st. The law requires that the census shall be taken between June 1 and June 15. As two of these days fall on Sunday but thirteen working days are left.

June 1, the census day is taken as the basis for all information; and two odd instructions are given in regard to this. Persons who die after June 1, and before the time the enumerator calls are to be enumerated as though alive and the children born during that interval are not to be counted.

These are the questions which you will be called upon to answer this year:

1. Surname, christian name and initial.
2. Residence, street number of house.
3. Relationship of each member to head of the family.
4. Color or race.
5. Sex.
6. Age at last birthday.
7. Day, month and year when born.
8. Are you single, married, widow, widower or divorced.

9. Number of years married.
10. How many children.
11. Number of children living.
12. Sex of these children.
13. Where were you born. If in the United States, give state or territory; if of foreign birth, give name of the country only.
14. Where was your father born. Your mother. (Same condition as the above.)
15. If of foreign birth, when did you come to the United States.
16. How many years have you resided in the United States.
17. Have you been naturalized. How many years since you became a citizen.
18. What is your occupation, trade or profession. (This question applies to persons 10 years of age or over.)
19. How many months during the year are you employed.
20. How many months have you attended school.
21. Can you read.
22. Can you write.
23. Give the main facts concerning your education.
24. Do you own the house in which you live.
25. Do you rent the house in which you live.
26. If you own the house is it free or mortgaged. (The same questions apply to farms.)

OBITUARY

MRS. G. J. KROON.

Mrs. G. J. Kroon died last Saturday morning at her home on East Tenth street at the age of 86 years. Mrs. Kroon was numbered among the early pioneers of Holland and was one of the members of the Van Raalte party that came from The Netherlands in the early days for the purpose of founding a new home. Accompanied by her husband Mrs. Kroon first located in St. Louis where they remained one year and then came to this city. Mr. Kroon conducted a hardware store for many years in the building now occupied by Kerkhof & Witzik. His death occurred 18 years ago. Mrs. Kroon always made this city her home and was one of Holland's most respected residents. She is survived by six children, Mrs. Kerkhof, Mrs. P. A. Kleis, Mrs. E. Vaupel, of Holland, Mrs. D. Kruidener, of Grand Rapids, Mrs. H. Boer, of Chicago and John Kroon, of Muskegon. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home and at 2 o'clock in the First Reformed church, Rev. Van Houte officiating.

PROF. HENDRICKUS BEUKER, of Grand Rapids, was called to Grand Rapids last Friday

night, by a message announcing the death of his father, Prof. Hendrickus Beuker, rector of the Christian Reformed Theological seminary of Grand Rapids, and professor of systematic theology. The cause of his death was heart trouble.

The deceased was nearly 66 years of age, and was born in Graafschap-Benthem. He served successively in six of the most important parishes in the Netherlands, the last one under his charge being that of Leiden. In 1898 he came to this country and accepted the professorship in the Christian Reformed Theological seminary, at the corner of Madison and Fifth avenues, Grand Rapids, which he held up till his death, and during the past year had been the rector of the school. During the time he lived in that city the professor gained a large list of friends who sincerely mourn the death of one of Grand Rapids' most respected Holland residents.

The remains of Prof. Beuker were brought to this city Tuesday noon and in the afternoon were interred in the Graafschap cemetery. The funeral services were attended by a large number of friends from this city. They consisted of prayer by Prof. G. K. Hemkes, sermon by Rev. K. Van Goor, and prayer by Rev. G. De Jong, of Grand Haven. At the cemetery a short address was made by Lue Berkhof, a senior of the college, on behalf of the students and prayer was offered by Rev. H. Van Hoogen. Mrs. Beuker, the widow of deceased will make her future residence with her son, Dr. B. Beuker, of Graafschap.

Sad Accident.

Ida Korhorn, a child 2 years and 2 months old was run over Saturday afternoon at 5:15 o'clock by a Pere Marquette freight train bound from New Buffalo to Waverly, and instantly killed.

Ida was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Korhorn, Eighteenth street. Her mother left her down stairs in charge of her 9-year old sister while she went up stairs to attend to some housework. It seems that the sister did not look after her charge properly and the little child walked through a hole in the fence near Eighteenth street and stood on the railroad track. Soon the north bound train, Engine No. 143, in charge of conductor H. S. Fralick, Engineer F. Osborne and Fireman Walter Bird came thundering round the curve near that point. Soon after rounding the curve the engineer saw an object lying on the track. It rose and he discovered that it was a little child. He instantly applied the brakes and blew the danger signal, but could not stop the train. All unconscious of danger the little one with a smile parting her lips calmly turned and looked at the engine. In an instant it was upon her and the whole train passed over the body of the child, cutting it in two.

Conductor Fralick and brakemen King and Quigley ran back and picking up the remains laid them on the grass. Coroner Yates was summoned and took charge. A coroners jury was impaneled and the inquest was adjourned until Tuesday evening when it was held at the office of City Clerk Van Eyck.

Claim agent Gelmer Kulper attended the inquest in behalf of the Pere Marquette Ry. company. It was shown that the train was running at the rate of 18 miles per hour as it rounded the curve and that this is contrary to rules, as the engineers are instructed to run at a rate of not more than six miles an hour within the corporate or yard limits. It was also shown that the fence at the place where the child walked through was broken down and had been in that condition for nearly a year although Mr. Korhorn, the father of the child, testified that he had fixed the fence at different times. In view of these facts the coroners jury consisting of W. O. Van Eyck, George H. Shaw, Simon Kleyn, Charles H. Blink, Henry Koningsberg and A. Toppen brought in a verdict as follows:

"That on the nineteenth day of May A. D., 1900, shortly after 5 o'clock on the afternoon of said day at the place where Eighteenth street so called intersects the track of the Pere Marquette railway company in the city of Holland, the said Ida Korhorn was killed by being run over by a freight train of said Pere Marquette railroad company, said train being No. 81 and drawn by engine No. 143, the train being in charge of Conductor H. S. Fralick and Engineer Fred T. Osborne, the evidence showing that said train was running at a speed greater than that allowed by law and that the fence along the west side of said railway company's track across Eighteenth street where said Ida Korhorn was killed as aforesaid was at the time not in proper condition or repair."

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Society and x x Personal.

The Mystery Club gave a May party at Jenison Park last Friday evening. A banquet was held in the large dining room of the Park hotel, which was profusely decorated with cut flowers and ferns. After the banquet progressive pedro and dancing was indulged in until a late hour. Head prizes were won by Mrs. George Medes and William Swift and consolation by Mrs. Albert Keppel and Frank Pifer.

The Sophomore class of Hope college was pleasantly entertained last Tuesday evening at a surprise party for their classmate John Van der Beek at the residence of A. Rosbach on Twelfth street. The members of the class are the Misses Minnie De Feyter, Minnie Van der Ploeg, Anna Klemer and Messrs. J. G. Bloemers, J. Y. Brock, B. Bruins, W. H. De Kline, Henry De Pree, Jas. J. Hoffman, F. Kleinhesselink, John Schaap, Henry J. Stekete, Don Taylor, J. Van der Beek, J. Van Zoeren, Peter Verburg and Hessel Yntema.

The Pipe of Peace club was entertained by a number of Holland's most prominent young ladies last Friday. The party intended to go to Alpena Beach and spend the day picnicking in the woods, but plans had to be changed to correspond with the weather and the day was passed in Holland and Zeeland. It was a sort of a continuous affair, with the ladies entire masters of the situation. The beginning of the revelry was an elaborate luncheon at the K. of P. hall, followed by dancing and a ride to Zeeland. This ride though chilly was filled with adventure particularly to the "walking" delegation who never lost an opportunity to march up the hills. The merry crowd returned from Zeeland at 6 o'clock and at eight an elaborate banquet was served at the K. of P. hall. The favors were tulips and lilacs. The banquet was followed by dancing, college songs were sung, and the crowning act of the day was a public initiation ceremony, performed for the benefit of the ladies, who propose to form a "Just one Girl" club and are anxious to learn the mystery of secret organizations. Those present were: Misses Tillie Van Schelven, Anna Conway, Addie Huntley, Mabel Allen, Martha Blom, Jeannette Blom, Anna Spruietsma, Agnes Mohr, Nellie Ver Schure, Messrs. Fred Betts, James S. Whelan, Abe Cappon, W. C. Cox, Ike Slioter, Lute Van Schelven, N. J. Whelan, Will Blom, Frank De Vries, Will Olive, M. Yalomstein, Geo. T. Ryder, Fred. Konig.

Geo. T. Ryder was in Grand Haven Monday. Mrs. F. W. Gilsky and son Harry, left Monday morning for a few days visit with Mr. Gilsky in Kalamazoo. M. Yalomstein visited his parents in Detroit Sunday. I. Marsilje transacted business in Grand Haven Monday. Pr H. McBride, prosecuting attorney was in Grand Haven Monday. Henry Stein, of Saugatuck was in the city Monday. John Van Leuwen, who has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. A. Van der Veen, returned Tuesday to his home in Grand Rapids. Miss Nellie De Vries was in Grand Rapids Monday. J. A. Van Putten, Jr., left Monday night for Chicago. Geo. W. Babcock, of Saugatuck, left Monday night for a business trip to Chicago. Ed. Lelindecker, of Saugatuck, was in the city Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Gelmer Kuiper, of Grand Rapids, were in the city Tuesday. They came here to attend the funeral of Prof. Beuker at Graafschap. Miss Teresa Sullivan, of Dixon, Ill., is the guest of relatives at Hotel Holland.

The Misses S. A. and E. Martin, were in Grand Haven the first of the week, the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Van Antwerp. A. E. Ferguson was in Grand Rapids Saturday. Prof. O. S. R. Arnold and Prof. O. S. Mast were in Allegan Sunday, the guests of B. P. Sherwood. Andrew Ver Schure, J. Hoek, Fred Kuitte, Harry Post, Prof. Reinhold and Prof. Mast went to Grand Rapids Saturday to see the Michigan-Wisconsin baseball game. E. E. Weed, of Douglas was in the city Monday on business. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pride of Saugatuck were in the city Monday on their way from Grand Rapids to Saugatuck. Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Kinch, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Boone and Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Gillespie were in Saugatuck Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred White.

Gus Kraus visited friends in Grand Rapids Sunday. Al. Vegter was in Saugatuck Monday. John Kolvoord Sr., of Hamilton, was in the city Monday. Mr. and Mrs. George Higgins, of Grand Rapids, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Orr, West Twelfth street, this week. Sheriff Van Ry is in the city. Supervisor Dykema was in Grand Haven Wednesday. John Schouten and Rob De Pree attended the entertainment given by the Zeeland Athletic association at Zeeland, Wednesday night. Rev. K. J. Dykema, of Westfield, N. D. was in the city Wednesday, the guest of friends. He was on his way to Muskegon to visit relatives. Jerry Leapple left on the Wednesday night boat for Chicago. Rev. John Van der Meulen, of Grand Rapids was in the city Wednesday. Hon. Geo. A. Farr, of Grand Haven, attended to legal business in this city Tuesday. W. J. Mulford, who has been the guest of his daughter, Mrs. F. D. Haddock, has returned to his home in Battle Creek. Rev. and Mrs. Adam Clarke returned Wednesday night from Chicago. J. Veneklassen, of Zeeland, was in the city Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Colby, of Macatawa, returned Wednesday night from a visit to Chicago. J. J. Cappon has gone to St. Paul, Minn., on a business trip. Miss Nellie Pippel, of Robinson, and Mrs. Anna Sweer, of Jamestown, are in the city the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bouwma. K. Van der Leest, of Fulton Ill., visited friends in this city the first of the week. Rev. and Mrs. G. J. Heckhuis, of Chicago Ill., have again been called to the bedside of Henry Westveer, whose condition is critical. G. J. Van Duren was in Grand Rapids yesterday. Rev. J. C. Gairdner left yesterday for Grand Rapids. Dana Ten Cate has returned from Ann Arbor to commence census work June 1.

The Altman Dramatic Company will present the beautiful coast of Maine drama, "Flood Tide," at the Lyceum Opera house two nights, commencing May 31. M. S. Marshall has been granted the privilege of placing advertising cards in the H. & L. M. street cars. He has made contracts with several of the local merchants and their ads. have been placed in position. Mr. Marshall has had experience in the advertising business and is meeting with success in his new venture. Andrew J. Rattray of Port Huron, Mich. who died recently, left a will embodying some peculiar provisions. A twenty foot lane extends through 160 acres of land in Clay township divided equally; all the land on one side thereof is willed to his son John, and all on the other to his daughter Susan. It is also provided that John can cut all the firewood he requires for his own use on Susan's land as long as he lives, and Susan can gather such apples and fruit as she needs on John's half as long as she lives, but these concessions are not to descend to their heirs.

As the result of a railroad wreck James A. Brouwer, the furniture dealer, is able to offer his customers some unprecedented bargains in bedroom suits. In this wreck a carload of suits was damaged, and the railroad company promptly paid the factory for the loss incurred. Then the furniture company sold the entire lot to Jas. A. Brouwer. He repaired and refinished the damaged parts and is now ready to give purchasers the benefit of his bargain. Suits of three pieces, with heavy elaborate carvings, golden oak finish, 24x20 German bevel glass, regular price \$17.00 will be sold at from \$9.95 to \$13.00. Buy at once before they are all gone.

The much vaunted victory of the Stearns forces in Bay County suffered something of a collapse in the convention on the 22nd inst. An evident reaction had set in since the holding of the caucuses in Bay City on the 18th inst. and the boasted Stearns majority could not be held together without making some concession to the strong Bliss sentiment in the county, so Harry Shearer, manager of the Stearns forces, after the selection of the delegates moved that they be instructed to vote solidly for Col. A. T. Bliss as their second choice. This motion was carried with a whoop and so Col. Bliss divided the honors with Mr. Stearns, by forcing this confession of weakness.

A case that attracted considerable attention was tried by a jury in Justice Post's court yesterday afternoon. Deputy sheriff Geo. A. Ford was arrested on complaint of Tiemen Slagh on the charge of assault and battery alleged to have been committed on Barteld Slagh, his father. Prosecuting Attorney McBride appeared for the people and attorney G. J. Diekema appeared for the defendant. On the trial it was shown that Barteld Slagh, who is an old gentleman 75 years of age, was arrested Wednesday, on the charge of malicious destruction of the bill boards belonging to M. Van Putten, he having effaced the name of Mr. Van Putten from said bill boards to gratify personal animosity. The warrant for the arrest of Mr. Slagh was issued by Justice Van Duren and placed in the hands of Deputy Ford for service. Mr. Ford called at the home of Mr. Slagh and not wishing to subject him to the humiliation of a public arrest, told him to go to Justice Van Duren's office, as he had a warrant for his arrest on the charge mentioned. Mr. Slagh went to the Justice's office arriving there a short time after Mr. Ford. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined \$10 and costs; but he emphatically stated that he would not pay five cents. He was given an hour to pay the fine; but as he left the office vigorously insisting that he would make no effort to do so, the officer was instructed to keep him in custody until the expiration of an hour when the commitment would be made out. Mr. Ford followed him and overtaking him near Breyman's express office told him he was going to take him to jail, and caught him by the arm. A telegraph pole was handy and the prisoner grasped it and refused to be taken in custody. Mr. Ford, not wishing to create a scene, left him, and went back to the office of Justice Van Duren for instructions. Nothing further was done by him, but the other parties were not willing to let the matter rest, and Tiemen Slagh made out a complaint stating that the officer had assaulted his father. The case was tried in Justice Post's court yesterday afternoon. It was very brief, and was submitted to the jury consisting of Henry Van der Ploeg, Henry Cronkright, John Vanderveen, John Zalsman, John Benjamin and James Selby, without argument. A verdict of not guilty was brought in and Mr. Ford was discharged. It was shown that he was simply performing his duty as an officer and was very fair in the matter. Mr. Slagh reconsidered his decision regarding the sentence of Justice Van Duren and yesterday evening he paid the fine and costs. This settles the matter.

The following from The Transvaal Volkstem will show what is expected by the residents of South Africa from the peace envoys who recently arrived in this country: "We do not expect exaggerated consequences from the labour of the deputation. The only course for our burghers is to keep on fighting for their land, with the courage of lions. If they will do that, the deputation may possibly count on a higher official interest from the Powers than would be the case if the Boers, whose fame now shines so brightly, in an hour of unwarranted despondency should give way before the hereditary enemy. In any case we must hold tight during the deputation which will take before the deputation can reach the ear of the civilized world."

Every citizen interested in harbor improvements can learn a lesson from South Haven. For some years a bar on the north side of that harbor has menaced the shipping interests of that port. Uncle Sam never appropriated enough money to have it removed and this summer the enterprising citizens took the matter in their own hands. Messrs. Mackey and Munroe headed a subscription list with a substantial amount and in a short time enough money was raised to remove the obstruction. Starke's dredge was working in the harbor at the time and they chartered it for \$12 per hour and the bar was soon removed. The pluck manifested by the South Haven people will doubtless be appreciated in Washington and an increased appropriation for next year will be the result. Look out Holland, or South Haven will get it all.

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The Michigan Christian Endeavor society of the Fourth district will hold a convention during the latter part of June. The place of the convention has not yet been determined on, but it will probably take place at Zeeland. It will take up a Friday evening, and a Saturday morning, the exercises in the evening being for the older members of the organization. Saturday morning being devoted to the juniors. One of the features will undoubtedly be an address from the president of the Michigan society, the Rev. F. P. Arthur of Grand Rapids. The Fourth district embraces the counties of Kent, Ottawa and Montcalm.

Arend Visscher, ex-prosecuting Attorney of Ottawa County, has received notice from the Advisory Board of Pardons that they will meet for the inspection of the case of George Chersbro, at the Cutler House at Grand Haven on Tuesday, June 5th. He is asked to make public announcement of this meeting so that persons interested in said case, and especially those who have been connected with this trial may have an opportunity to meet said board. It will be remembered that George Chersbro is now serving a life sentence at Jackson for the murder of his grand-mother during the summer of 1895. Sometime ago he applied for a pardon or a commutation to a term of years.

The members of Crescent Tent, No. 68, K. O. T. M., have organized a contest by which they expect to increase the membership of the tent to 200 by June 4, 1900. The contest will be carried on by the entire membership of the tent which has been divided equally into two forces—one calling themselves the "rustlers" and the others the "rustlers," the former captained by A. E. McClain, and the latter by F. C. Johnson. The side securing the least number of new members to be initiated by June 11, will be called upon to act as waiters at a banquet to be given by the tent to the knights and their families.

Thomas Masterson, conductor on the suburban train, Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee railroad, was run over in the yards last Monday. Masterson was switching his train, after its arrival, and thinking the cars would go down, the elevator track he stepped on another track. As he fell his head struck a life inflicting a severe scalp wound, and his right arm fell across the track. After the first truck had passed over it he pulled his arm from the track. The other trainmen came to his assistance and the wounded man was taken to the Kirby house, where medical attention was given him. The arm was amputated about three inches from the shoulder. Masterson will recover.—Grand Haven Tribune.

By an order from the Supreme court Auditor General Dix has been directed to show cause why a mandamus should not issue compelling payment of bounty on bees sugar as provided for in the bounty law passed by the legislature in 1898. The case is brought by the Michigan Sugar company of Bay City. Its claim is for \$24,262.99, and if it is allowed it will open the way to the payment of almost \$350,000 to the other nine companies engaged in the business. The answer of the auditor general, which will be prepared by Attorney General Owen, will, it is understood, attack the validity of the bounty law. The claim of the Holland Sugar company under the bounty is about \$25,000.

A handsome tribute was paid to the ability of Rev. G. Dublink, pastor of the Third Reformed church of Holland, last evening at Grand Rapids, when at a well-attended meeting of the male members of the Fourth Reformed church of that city, at which 125 were present, he received a unanimous vote to the pastorate of the church, left vacant by the resignation of the Rev. J. W. Warnshuis, who has accepted a call to the Third Reformed church of Kalamazoo. Rev. G. Dublink is one of the most able pastors in Western Michigan and his work in this city has met with the most marked success. He enjoys the respect, confidence and love of the entire community, which in common with the members of his congregation will deeply regret to see him leave this city in case he should decide to accept the call. He is a graduate of Hope College and the Western Theological seminary and has been in the ministry for five years. Mr. Dublink has thus far received no official notice of the call, therefore it is too early to tell whether or not he will decide to accept. Rev. Warnshuis will preach his farewell sermon Sunday, June 24.

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BOERS TO MAKE STRONG RESISTANCE.

Report from Kimberley That 800 Boers Surrendered at Vryburg—Gen. Warren's Mounted Infantry Occupy Douglas After a Sharp Engagement.

Hong Spruit, Orange Free State, May 22.—Gen. French has crossed the Rhenoster river, northwest of here. This movement, combined with Gen. Jan Hamilton's occupation of Heilbron, renders the Boer position 20 miles in the British front untenable. The latest reports, however, received say the burghers are prepared to make a strong resistance and possess 15 guns. Fifteen prisoners were taken to-day.

Dispatch from Baden-Powell. London, May 23.—The war office issues a dispatch from Lord Roberts, under date of Honing Spruit, May 22, announcing the receipt by him of the following message from Maj. Gen. Baden-Powell:

"Mafeking, May 17.—I am happy to inform you that Mafeking was successfully relieved to-day. The northern and southern columns joined hands on May 15, and attacked the enemy yesterday, and after a small engagement entirely defeated them with loss. The British casualties were three killed and 22 wounded.

"The relieving force marched into Mafeking at nine this morning and the relief and defense forces combined and moved out and attacked the enemy's head laager. We shelled them out and nearly captured them, and took one gun, a flag and a large amount of ammunition, stores, etc. Five dead and 15 wounded Boers were found. The enemy appears to be retreating in all directions except one commando, which is lying low, possibly to cover the retreat of the remainder.

"Capt. MacLaren and Corporal Murray were found in the Boer hospital. They are doing well. The townspeople and the garrison of Mafeking are heartily grateful for their relief."

Lord Roberts' dispatch further says: "Jan Hamilton reached Heilbron this morning after a series of engagements with a Boer force under De Wet, who is retreating before him. Broadwood has captured 15 Boer wagons. There have been 75 casualties in Hamilton's force to yesterday evening. We marched here this morning."

Main Advance Resumed.

Once more Lord Roberts is advancing in force. The wait at Kroonstad is over and already the main British army is about 20 miles north of its former resting place. Judging from the dispatches of Lord Roberts at Honing Spruit station, while flanking him on either side of the railroad, Gen. French's cavalry and Gen. Jan Hamilton's mounted infantry are both slightly in advance of Lord Roberts and threatening to envelope the Boer position, which extends for 20 miles due north.

Gen. French probably crossed the Rhenoster river near the junction with Honing Spruit which runs thence to Honing Spruit station. The main British army will probably advance along the railroad, while Gen. French converges from the west, and Gen. Hamilton from the east. Against this overwhelming force the Boers will probably follow their usual tactics of retreating to positions which doubtless have been prepared in advance for their occupation.

Gen. French and Gen. Hamilton are separated from each other by about 40 miles, while Lord Roberts is within 12 miles of Gen. French and 30 miles of Gen. Hamilton.

Since the last dispatch left Honing Spruit Tuesday, Lord Roberts has doubtless still further advanced and by now is either engaging or following the retreating Boers. Definite dispatches received Wednesday morning make it clear that the Vaal river has not yet been crossed, as nearly 40 miles intervene between it and Lord Roberts' advance flankers.

The small number of casualties sustained by Gen. Hamilton in his occupation of Heilbron bears out the theory that the Boers will make no strenuous resistance until the Vaal is reached, or until even later.

Dispatches to the press from Heilbron say that the Boer Gen. De Wet had 4,000 men posted on an adjacent hill, but that he retired when Gen. Hamilton approached. President Steyn fled from Heilbron May 20, and his destination is not known.

The first word received from Col. Baden-Powell at Mafeking heightens, rather than diminishes, the reports heretofore cabled of the gallantry exhibited by the garrison during the closing days of the siege.

Boers Surrender.

Kimberley, Tuesday, May 22.—About 800 Boers have surrendered at Vryburg (north of Kimberley), and a little more than half way between that place and Mafeking.

The road is all clear from Mafeking, and all opposition in this district is practically ended.

Gen. Warren Occupies Douglas.

Douglas, Cape Colony, May 22.—A force under Gen. Warren, consisting of mounted infantry, imperial yeomanry and two guns of the Canadian artillery, left Rooi Pan, Cape Colony, on the night of May 20, and marched in two columns under Cols. Hughes and Spence. Nothing was seen of the Boers until the British were within two miles of Douglas, when a few shells from the Canadian artillery sent the burghers in full retreat towards Douglas.

Col. Hughes' column advanced in skirmishing order, and after lengthy exchange of shots the Boers fled, leaving their laager and a quantity of stores and ammunition.

Again to-day 500 Boers opened a hot fire on a detachment of yeomanry, and the Canadian artillery repeated their excellent practice, and compelled the enemy to retire.

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Washington, May 21.—The statue of Gen. Grant, presented by the Grand Army of the Republic to the nation, was unveiled in the great rotunda of the capitol Saturday, and elaborate ceremonies commemorative of the event were held in the hall of representatives in the presence of a vast concourse of people, who included the widow, daughter and descendants of the hero of Appomattox, hundreds of his comrades in arms, the officers and committee of the G. A. R. and many persons distinguished in military, political and social circles. The statue of the preeminent chief of the union forces in the civil war represents the contributions of thousands of his comrades of the G. A. R., none of whom was allowed to subscribe more than 15 cents, and is the result of a movement started shortly after Gen. Grant's death at McGregor, in July, 1889. It is the work of Franklin Simmons, an American sculptor.

The Unveiling.

The unveiling took place shortly before noon in the presence of Mrs.

MORE RIOTING.

Many Persons Hurt in the Struggle in St. Louis Between Railway Employees and Employers.

St. Louis, May 19.—Rioting broke out afresh in every portion of the city yesterday and the police records show that many persons were hurt, two of them fatally, as a result of the struggle between the striking street railway employees and their employers. The number of wounded during the day is seven.

St. Louis, May 21.—Judge Elmer B. Adams, of the United States circuit court, enjoined the striking street railway men from in any way interfering with the operation of the mail cars on the lines operated by the transit company.

St. Louis, May 22.—One person was killed and four were hurt yesterday during strike riots on the St. Louis Transit company's street railway.

St. Louis, May 23.—There were several disturbances yesterday caused by attacks of union sympathizers on the nonunion-manned cars, and Benjamin Kilgore, a nonunion man, was probably fatally shot.

HAS NOT SUED FOR PEACE.

No Truth in the Report That Kruger Had Proposed Terms to End the War.

London, May 22.—There is no truth in the report that President Kruger has sued for peace and no communication from him on the subject is expected in the immediate future.

The official confirmation of the relief of Mafeking does away with the lingering doubts which existed in the minds of a few people who have got into the habit of believing nothing but

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Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the circuit court for the County of Ottawa, in favor of Henry De Kruif, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Leendert Kuitte in said County to me directed and delivered, I did on the 21st day of May instant levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Leendert Kuitte in and to the following described real estate, that is to say, all that piece or parcel of land situated and being in the City of Holland, County of Ottawa, and State of Michigan, and being known and described as lot two (2) block fifty-five (55) in the said City of Holland. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the north front door of the Court House in the City of Grand Haven, said County (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa) on the 9th day of July at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Dated this 22nd day of May A. D. 1900. FRANK VAN RY, Sheriff. GEORGE E. KOLLEN, Attorney.

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Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the circuit court for the County of Ottawa, in favor of Henry De Kruif, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Cornelius Fehmerer, Jr., in said County to me directed and delivered, I did on the 21st day of May instant, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Cornelius Fehmerer in and to the following described real estate, that is to say, all that piece or parcel of land situated and being in the Township of Zeeland, County of Ottawa, and State of Michigan, and being known and described as follows: The north quarter of the north west quarter of the south west quarter of section twenty-two (22) town five (5) north of range fourteen (14) west, containing ten acres of land; all of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the north front door of the Court House in the City of Grand Haven, said County (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa) on the 9th day of July at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Dated this 22nd day of May A. D. 1900. FRANK VAN RY, Sheriff. GEO. E. KOLLEN, Attorney.

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Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the circuit court for the County of Ottawa, in favor of Henry De Kruif, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Gerrit Van Gelderen in said County to me directed and delivered, I did on the 21st day of May instant, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Gerrit Van Gelderen in and to the following described real estate, that is to say, all that certain piece or parcel of land situated and being in the Township of Blenheim, County of Ottawa, and State of Michigan, and being known and described as follows: The south east quarter of the north west quarter of section thirty-two (32) and the south west quarter of the north west quarter of section five (5) all in township (6) north of range fourteen (14) west. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the north front door of the Court House in the City of Grand Haven, said County (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa) on the 9th day of July at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Dated this 22nd day of May A. D. 1900. FRANK VAN RY, Sheriff. GEO. E. KOLLEN, Attorney.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss. COUNTY OF OTTAWA. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Tuesday the eighth day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred. Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Gerrit J. Sprick, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of John Lubbers, Administrator with the will annexed, praying for the examination and allowance of his final account as such Administrator, that he may be discharged from his trust have his bond cancelled and said estate closed. Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the Fourth day of June next at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A true copy, Attest.) JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate. FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss. COUNTY OF OTTAWA. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Tuesday the Fifteenth day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred. Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Bertha C. Hopkins, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Willie Delos Hopkins, husband and heir at law of said deceased, representing that Bertha C. Hopkins of the City of Holland in said County, lately died intestate leaving estate to be administered and praying for the appointment of himself Willie Delos Hopkins, or some other suitable person, as the Administrator thereof. Thereupon it is ordered, That Tuesday, the Twelfth day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A true copy, Attest.) JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate. FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss. COUNTY OF OTTAWA. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Monday, the fourteenth day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred. Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Baldwin Headley, deceased. On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of Emma Colter, daughter and heir at law of said deceased, representing that Baldwin Headley of the township of Olive in said county lately died intestate leaving estate to be administered and praying for the appointment of George E. Kollen or some other suitable person as the Administrator thereof. Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the Eleventh day of June next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A true copy Attest.) JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate. FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss. COUNTY OF OTTAWA. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Friday, the 11th day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred. Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Tounis Boe deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Arvid Vischer, Administrator de bonis non, of the estate of said deceased, praying for the examination and allowance of his final account as such Administrator de bonis non, that he may be discharged from his trust, have his bond cancelled and said estate closed. Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday the Eleventh day of June next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A true copy, Attest.) JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate. FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.



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—Boer Delegates Ask for Intervention—They Are Cordially Received and Explain Their Mission.

Washington, May 22.—The state department has met the issue raised by the coming to Washington of the Boer delegation by declining to interfere in behalf of the South African republics in the present struggle. In view of this announced decision, all questions as to the character of the recognition to be extended to the delegates and the sufficiency of their credentials dropped at once into the background. It was, after all, of little moment whether or not the Boers were received as diplomatic agents or ministers, so long as they were powerless to promote the prime object of their mission, namely, cause the United States government to intervene to bring about peace.

The Secretary's Statement.

"Messrs. A. Fischer, C. H. Wessels and A. D. W. Wolmarans, the delegates in this country of the South African republics, called by appointment at the state department. They were cordially received and remained with the secretary of state for more than an hour. They laid before the secretary at much length and with great energy and eloquence the merits of the controversy in South Africa and the desire of the Boer republics that the United States should intervene in the interest of peace and use its influence to that end with the British government.

"The secretary of state made the following reply: 'The president, in his message to the congress last December, said: "This government has maintained an attitude of neutrality in the unfortunate contest between Great Britain and the Boer states of Africa. We have remained faithful to the precept of avoiding entangling alliances as to affairs not of our direct concern. Had circumstances suggested that the parties to the quarrel would have welcomed any kindly expression of the hope of the American people that war might be averted, good offices would have been gladly tendered."

"As the war went on, the president, while regretting the suffering and the sacrifices endured by both of the combatants, could do nothing but preserve a strict neutrality between them. This he has steadily and consistently done, but there never has been a moment when he would have neglected any favorable occasion to use his good offices in the interests of peace. On the 10th of last March we received from Mr. Hay, the United States consul at Pretoria, this telegram: "I am officially requested by the governments of the republics to urge you to intervene with a view to cessation of hostilities. Same request made to representatives of European powers."

Note to Great Britain.

"The president at once directed me to convey the substance of this telegram to the British government, and in communicating this request I was directed by him to express his earnest hope that a way to bring about peace might be found, and to say that he would be glad to aid in any friendly manner to promote so happy a result. The Transvaal government was at the same time informed of the president's action in the matter.

Salisbury's Reply.

"Our representative in London promptly communicated the president's instruction to Lord Salisbury. In answer he was requested to thank the president for the friendly interest shown by him, and Lord Salisbury added that her majesty's government could not accept the intervention of any power. This communication also was immediately transmitted to our consul at Pretoria, to be communicated to the president of the South African republic. So far as we are informed, the United States was the only government in the world of all those approached by the South African republics which tendered its good offices to either of the combatants in the interest of a cessation of hostilities.

"This would seem to render any further action of the United States inadvisable under existing circumstances. The steps taken by the president in his earnest desire to see an end to the strife which has caused so much suffering may already be said to have gone to the extreme limit permitted to him by the constitution. In directing me to have chosen not to present to England the South African request for good offices, he might have justified his action by referring to the following declaration, which was made in the very act of signing The Hague convention by the plenipotentiaries of the United States: "Nothing contained in this convention shall be so construed as to require the United States of America to depart from its traditional policy of not intruding upon interfering with or entangling itself with questions of policy or internal administration of any foreign state; nor shall anything contained in the said convention be construed to imply a relinquishment by the United States of America of its traditional attitude toward purely American questions."

Must Remain Neutral.

"The president sympathizes heartily in the sincere desire of all the people of the United States that the war which is now afflicting South Africa may, for the sake of both parties engaged, come to a speedy close; but, having done his full duty in preserving a strictly neutral position between them, and in seizing the first opportunity that presented itself for tendering his good offices in the interests of peace, he feels that, in the present circumstances, no course is open to him except to persist in the policy of impartial neutrality. To deviate from this policy would be contrary to all our traditions and all our national interests, and would lead to consequences which neither the president nor the people of the United States should regard with favor."

Visit the President.

Washington, May 23.—President McKinley told the Boer peace commissioners when they called upon him yesterday that he was unable to aid the South African republics; that he had offered the services of the United States for mediation and that they had been refused by Great Britain. The envoys intimated that they were glad to feel they had friends in this country, and then bade the president good-bye.

Project Is Abandoned.

Milwaukee, May 23.—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers Tuesday after a thorough discussion of the question of building a home for disabled and aged engineers on the Meadow Lawn farm at Mattoon, Ill., decided to abandon the project. The farm will likely be sold.

TO OPEN REMAINING LINES)

St. Louis Transit Company Prepared to Start Cars on All Its Divisions.

St. Louis, May 23.—Most of the divisions of the St. Louis Transit company operated cars Tuesday and General Manager Baumhoff announces that he will attempt to open up the remaining lines Wednesday. But few of the lines ran the usual number of cars and none of them were operated after nightfall. The management of the Transit company says cars will not be run after dark until all danger of attack from the disturbing element is passed.

The request of United States Marshal Bohle that he be allowed to appoint 100 deputy marshals to help preserve law and order has been referred by Attorney General Griggs to Judge Adams of the United States district court. Marshal Bohle was instructed to confer with Judge Adams and United States District Attorney Rosier and defer to their judgment in the matter.

District Attorney Rosier says he sees no necessity at present for the appointing of deputy marshals. He said that since the federal injunction had been issued strikers and others seemed disposed to let the wires, cars and other property of the street railway alone.

Three police officers have been indicted by the grand jury on the charge of neglect of duty in failing to suppress disturbances when called upon to do so in the early days of the strike. Chief Campbell has adopted this method of compelling officers to do their duty.

PRESENTS A NEW NOTE.

Porte Seemingly Deeply Impressed by the Persistence of United States in Pressing Claim.

Constantinople, May 23.—The United States legation, having vainly waited four weeks for a reply to the note of April 24 regarding the American indemnity claims, Mr. Lloyd C. Griscom, United States charge d'affaires, Monday handed to Tewfik Pasha, minister of foreign affairs, a new note, couched in more precise terms, and insisting upon a prompt settlement.

The note produced a great impression, as the porte thought the matter postponed, if not abandoned. It is believed that the United States will not wait long this time for an answer. America's indulgence thus far not having made a satisfactory impression upon the porte.

BRAVELY FACED DEATH.

Burning Cars Filled with Dynamite Drawn to Water Tank and Awful Explosion Averted.

Oakland, Cal., May 23.—A train of box cars laden with merchandise, including a large quantity of dynamite and black powder, caught fire Tuesday night in the railroad yards here. There was a scarcity of water and, though facing almost certain death, the firemen and train hands coupled the cars to switch engines and drawing them under the tank used for filling the boilers of locomotives succeeded in extinguishing the flames before an explosion occurred. The roof of a car containing several tons of dynamite was burned through.

TWENTY-TWO DEAD.

Result of the Disaster in the Cummoek Mine, at Cummoek, Virginia.

Charlotte, N. C., May 23.—The most accurate information yet obtainable is that 22 miners were killed in the Cummoek mine disaster Tuesday night.

The Cummoek mines already had a reputation for fatalities. On December 19, 1895, an explosion of fire damp occurred there while 65 men were at work, and 40 dead bodies were taken out. Since that time, however, extensive improvements have been made and the mines were regarded as free from fire damp. Pennsylvania capitalists own the property.

Orders Mayor Van Wyck to Appear.

New York, May 23.—Justice Gaynor, in the state supreme court, issued an order, on petition of five members of the municipal assembly, requiring Mayor Van Wyck, Dock Commissioners J. Sergeant Cham, Charles F. Murphy and Peter F. Meyer, and Andrew H. Freedman, Charles W. Morse and John F. Carroll to appear in court May 26 for examination as to their connection with the so-called ice trust.

Instructed for Bryan.

Wichita, Kan., May 23.—The Kansas democratic convention to elect delegates to the national convention met in this city Wednesday. Hon. Hugh Farrelly, of Chetopa, was named temporary chairman, and Mr. W. H. L. Pepperill, of Concordia, secretary. The platform adopted indorses the national platform of 1896, and the delegates are instructed to support Bryan.

Post Office Robbed.

Peru, Ind., May 23.—The post office at Gilead, 12 miles from here, was entered by burglars early in the day and the safe blown open. A number of blank money orders and cash and stamps were taken, but the postmaster refused to state the amount. There is no clew to the robbers.

Fast Mail Train Wrecked.

Cleveland, O., May 23.—The engine attached to the west-bound fast mail train on the Lake Shore road went into the ditch at Westfield, N. Y., Wednesday morning at 8:30 and Engineer Reagan and his fireman, William Leighbody, were killed. The train carried no passengers.

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