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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. 37

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1908

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NEW 1908 Linoleums

No floor covering is so satisfactory as LINEOLEUM.

It is noiseless and pleasing to the tread, handsome in appearance, sanitary, easy to clean and—best of all—very durable.

We are showing the largest variety of printed and inlaid Linoleums ever brought to this city, in all widths and patterns. We would like to show them.

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We have a very large stock of Ingrains and a better assortment of Velvets, Axminsters and Tapestries was never shown in Holland. We can please you with room size rugs also. Will make them up to fit any kind or size of room.

Van Ark Furniture Co.

House Furnished Complete

23-25 WEST EIGHTH ST.

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Presents

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The Old Reliable
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Wedding Gifts . .

In selecting a wedding gift here it is not a matter of "finding something" but of choosing one of the many suitable things we have to offer. If you are undecided what to give, come here and let us help you select something appropriate. Any price.

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Jeweler and Optician

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CITY AND VICINITY.

Rev. John Banninga gave a stereopticon lecture on Mission work in Hindu at the Second Reform church in Muskegon last Tuesday night.

H. TerBeek, who for the past few years has been connected with the tailor shop of John Meeboer, has opened a tailor shop in Saugatuck.

Prof. J. B. Nykerk will sing at Grand Haven this evening at the opening organ recital of Prof. W. H. Donley of Indianapolis.

A new four-cylinder autocar has arrived from Kenosha, Wis., for Nicodemus Bosch. It is a fine one and could fairly burn up the ground if turned to full speed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stillman have rented H. Boone's residence on the corner of Ninth street and Central avenue and will conduct a first class boarding house there. Meals will also be served to those who room in other quarters.

The new vaudeville opened on West Eighth street by Tim Slagh and Arend Smith is metropolitan in appearance and arrangements and has a seating capacity of 250. The new place will undoubtedly meet with good patronage.

Residents of Eighteenth street are not behind the times. They are out with a petition for the graving of the street from Land to Ottawa streets, and if a sufficient number sign, the improvement will be made as soon as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holkeboer of DeWachter Publishing Co., and Rev. and Mrs. G. H. DeJong have brought tickets for a trip to the Netherlands. They expect to leave New York on the steamer New Amsterdam.

The thirty-fourth annual meeting of the Michigan Pioneer and Historical Society will be held in the Senate chamber, Lansing, June 3 and 4. The very interesting program includes a paper, "Sketches of Allegan county," by Mrs. Nina Daugherty of Kalamazoo.

Hon. George Birkhoff, sr., of Chicago, aged eighty one years, who has for many years been prominent in Holland American circles and who is the father of George Birkhoff, jr., the present consul of the Netherlands in this country, expects to move to this city and spend the rest of his days here. Mr. Birkhoff is one of the best known Hollanders in this country.

Attorney Arend Visscher was re-elected president of the board of public works at Monday night's meeting. Bids were opened for machinery and supplies for the addition to the city electric light plant. The Allis Chalmers Machine Co., of Milwaukee made a bid of \$21,000 for the machinery complete, the Westinghouse Co., of Pittsburgh bid \$19,600 and the General Electric Co., of Albany, N. Y., bid \$20,115.

Prof. Zueblin is coming to Holland on June 11 to speak in Carnegie auditorium. It is not to be a civic revival campaign, but simply an extra number of the Hope college lecture course that has just closed. Many of the college students went to Grand Rapids to hear Prof. Zueblin in connection with their regular work in the sociology department and all became so interested that the management of the lecture course determined to give the Holland people a chance to hear him.

Prof. J. E. Kuizenga, of Hope college, made a hit with the students at the oratorical contest Friday night. While the audience was awaiting the judges' decision, Prof. Kuizenga presided and instead of calling on speakers he allowed the high school students to yell to their heart's content. From where he sat he could observe the antics of the boys with the megaphones, and when he arose to speak he remarked that for the first time in his life he had enjoyed the pleasure of studying the interior of a small boy's anatomy through the large end of a megaphone.—Grand Haven Tribune.

William Halley has sufficiently recovered from his recent attack of rheumatism to return to Gary, Ind., where he is employed by a dredging company.

Grand Haven needs more hotel accommodations. The other night nine young men from Muskegon had to sleep in the city pump house being unable to obtain other quarters.

W. H. Vander Hart has received a telegram stating that Rev. and Mrs. A. Livingston Warnshuis have reached San Francisco from Amoy, China.

Peter VanderMeiden of Grand Haven has entered the life saving service and has been assigned to the Jackson Park station at Chicago. He has left to assume his new duties.

Mrs. G. J. Diekema, who is greatly interested in works of the Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton chapter, D. A. R., of which she is a member, has presented the association with a beautiful leather bound historical book.

The next number of the High School lecture course will be given Friday evening at the High school hall by Prof. H. L. Stetson of Kalamazoo, who comes highly recommended as a convincing and entertaining speaker.

The county of Allegan and our state get as their share of the liquor tax collected in Allegan county this year, \$6,682.50. The following shows the amounts derived from the various places: City of Allegan, \$1,980; village of Fennville, \$990; village of Plainwell, \$475; village of Saugatuck, \$732.50; village of Douglas, \$247.50; village of Wayland, \$495; Salem township, \$247.50 and Heath township, \$247.50. Allegan township is among the number that has no saloons.—Allegan News.

The United States court of Appeals has sustained the decision of the District court in the case of the Coopersville Co-operative Creamery company against Samuel Lemon, collector of internal revenue. The case was brought by the creamery company to recover the penalty levied on it by the collector for marketing adulterated butter. The butter said by the government to be adulterated contained a higher percentage of water than that allowed by the pure food laws. The case will probably go to the United States Supreme Court for review.

Prof. C. P. Halligan of the Horticultural Department at the Agricultural College, Lansing, has made a statement as to the condition of fruit-bearing trees and plants throughout the state. "No damage has been done as yet by the backward season," he says. "No damage has been done by frost. Frost, of course, can only injure plants and trees in blossom. The crops will be backward in point of time unless weather conditions greatly improve soon. However, it can be said in a general way that the prospect for a good crop in all lines of fruit culture are excellent for this season."

A good many people look on post cards as the idle fancy of the summer traveler. Some use them to play a joke on a friend, some to dodge the irksome duty of letter writing, by mailing a card suggesting that a letter will follow. Certainly the post card has won for itself an abiding place among the American people, but there is a feature which is not receiving the thought it deserves and that is their educational value. Post card collectors will display their albums with pride and point to view cards mailed them from all parts of the world; scenes taken from actual photographs which remain in the mind's eye and give a delightful sense of familiarity when some lecturer or traveler mentions the place.

Ex-Alderman John Nies who for many years has been prominent in local politics, has suggested a plan which he believes would end the controversy between Mayor Brusse and the aldermen with regard to the overdrawn funds in the different city departments. It has been the practice for the city officials to loan money from one department to another. Mr. Nies suggests that the city council authorize the mayor and clerk to issue time orders, in the form of script, in payment for labor and material, as a remedy. He declares that such script would readily pass as current funds throughout the city, and he believes that business men would accept such collateral in payment for goods.

Justice Hoyt initiated his new court room in Grand Haven by sentencing five prisoners to the Detroit house of correction. Thomas Kelly and Frank Johnson were detected after stealing 36 bottles of beer from the Gildner house. Frank Smith and Charles Johnson were charged with breaking into a freight car for the purpose of transportation, and Joseph Smith was up on the second offense for being drunk and disorderly. All five got a dose of 60 days in the house of correction and it was a pretty sick looking quintet that filed out of the justice court.

A dance will be given at Van's Inn tomorrow evening.

The steamer Mary upon which \$3,000 is being expended in improvements will soon be ready for the summer ferry and excursion business at the resorts.

Some wandering Willie evidently bound for a colder clime separated two suits of heavy underwear from J. DeKidd's clothes line 192 East Seventeenth street last Thursday night.

John Boone is busy with a big string of horses, which he will ship to Kalamazoo for the finishing touches later in the season. He has Neil Ball, 2:13; George R., 2:14; Jesse James, 2:15; Star Direct, 2:24; and a lot of green ones. Among the latter bunch is Olamazoo, by Alcyon, 2:15, dam by Robert McGregor. She is clever and will be raced the coming season.

Holland's Citizens band gave another of its concerts last Friday night and the excellent rendering of the different numbers of the program greatly pleased all who attended. Besides the band music, there were duets by the individual members which were well received. Bernice Jones gave two recitations, and James Dykema of this city and Charles Rouse of Grand Rapids sang.

Captain George Pardee, U. S. Inspector of Hulls of Grand Haven left Saturday for Manistee to take treatment at Mercy Sanatorium. Captain Pardee has been in poor health for some time and resolved to try the salt baths. During Capt. Pardee's absence Assistant Inspectors H. C. McCallum and George Milne of Detroit have been assigned to the work. Captain McCallum formerly lived in Grand Haven.

About four weeks ago Mrs. A. F. Root of Allegan left her pocketbook in a Pere Marquette car when she quit it at this city. About a week later the wallet was returned to her by mail, carefully boxed, with all its contents except a little more than six dollars in cash which was in it when lost. The postmarks reveal nothing as to the office of mailing and so Mrs. Root has no knowledge nor clue as to who has her cash.

Heavy rains have delayed the planting of sugar beets, the ground being so saturated with water that plowing has been impossible. Out of the 3,500 acres contracted by the Holland Sugar company and which should all be planted now, but a few acres have been sowed. The conditions around Holland are better, according to C. M. McLean, manager of the Holland Sugar company, than they are around Grand Rapids, where the sugar beet outlook is at present very bad.

Al. Tanner, M. A. Sooy and E. N. Hulley of Allegan have returned from a week's trout fishing trip near Baldwin, where they were joined by L. C. Bradford. While on the trip Bradford heard an explosion near their camp one morning, and, upon investigation, discovered a number of men dynamiting the stream. He notified his party and communicated with the game warden who was in Baldwin. The officer was guided to the dynamiters' camp, where the men were arrested.

C. M. Butler, a special pension examiner, has been in the city several days. He informed the Press that he has received notice from the pension department that the pensions of all widows, minors and helpless children now on the pension rolls at less will be increased to \$12 per month under the act of April 19, 1908, from that date, and that no applications for this increase will be required. The new amount will be sent with the next quarterly payment. This will be good news to those getting but \$8 or less and is worthy commendation.—Allegan Press.

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IN THEIR MONOCYCLE ACT



Rose and Lemon, trick and comedy bicycle artists, topplers at the Decoration Day program next Saturday at Jenison Park.

J. B. Mulder and Percy Ray caught 91 white bass at Macatawa Park last night.

W. J. Garrod was presented with a handsome watch, and chain, the gift of a number of his close friends.

A DeFeyer has sold two owls to Chas. A. Floyd who will add them to the Jenison park menagerie.

George Smith, who was hit in the head by an emory wheel some time ago, has sufficiently recovered to resume his work.

Capt. Austin Harrington has sold the steamer Liberty to Joseph De Vine who will take her to the east shore to engage in the freight carrying business.

The German Gelatine Co. has secured from the Pere Marquette railway company a right of way to build a side track to the north side plant. The company will soon be ready for business.

While alighting from a moving Interurban car on Eighth street last Tuesday night, John Bloemers, living on College avenue, fell on the pavement and his collar bone was broken and his head bruised. Dr. E. D. Kremers attended him.

Hugh E. Bradshaw will erect a handsome concrete residence on his place on the South shore of Macatawa Bay. Since purchasing the Holland Launch & Engine Works he has decided to make his home here and will in the future transact business here instead of Chicago.

The additions and improvements to the city electric lighting plant, bids for which are being received will mean a doubling of the capacity of the plant. Applications for lights will be acted upon by a committee which will investigate the different locations, and in a short time at least 30 lights will be added.

Passenger rates have been raised by the Interurban railway. The charge is now 90 cents a round trip between Holland and Grand Rapids and 72 cents a round trip between Zeeland and Grand Rapids. At the same time commutation tickets will be put on, to be sold between Zeeland and Grand Rapids, Holland or Macatawa park as follows. Tickets are issued to individual and must be used within 30 days. Books containing 50 trips to be sold at the rate of 25¢ a trip and the ones containing 30 trips at 33¢ a trip. The officials give as a reason for the advance in rates that on account of increased operating expenses the company faced certain loss if the revenue was not increased.

The regular monthly meeting of the Merchants Association was made unusually interesting by the address of E. A. Stowe, publisher of the Michigan Tradesman, who talked on "Organization." He contended that "there is no magic in the term of co-operation and there is no mystery about it. It is one of the most simple as well as most potent facts in business. Co-operation will not accomplish over night miracles and it does not and never has, really achieved any result that cannot be explained clearly and readily. Rightly indulged in co-operation is a simple matter of good business and like any other business proposition, depends upon the sincerity, good judgment, energy, patience and courage.



ZEELAND

A large two story brick addition will be built to the plant of the Zeeland Cheese & Butter Co. at the east limits and milk condensing machinery installed. The company will engage in this business in connection with their present lines of cheese and butter.

John J. De Jonge is going the rounds of this community to make contracts with the farmers and others for spraying their fruit trees and is meeting with great success. Mr. De Jonge has been doing this work on a smaller scale the past two or three seasons and has obtained considerable experience in this line of work. His charges are very reasonable.

Some of our most prominent farmers report that seed oats have rotted in the ground on account of the continuous wet weather and the fields will have to be resown. It is very late in the season now, however, for sowing oats and the crop in this locality will be very light this year in consequence.

H. J. Meppelink, buttermaker at the Borculo creamery had two ribs broken and was internally injured in a runaway at that place and Dr. Masselink of this city was called to attend him. His position at the creamery is being filled by William Lamer of this place.

D. P. DeJonge has had a new basement constructed for his residence on the corner of Central avenue and Elm streets, just west of the present site, and has let the job of moving his stone house up on the new foundation to Contractor Looman of Holland.

James Rookus, who has been staying at Riverside, Cal., for several months, returned home Friday. Mr. Rookus has improved very much in health.

Albert DeBoer went to Grand Haven last week to visit relatives.

Wm. Van Koeveing was in Grand Rapids on business last Thursday.

H. Waver of Drenthe and J. G. J. Van Zoren were in Allegan on business last Thursday.

Jennie J. Karsten of Grand Rapids attended the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Henry J. Karsten last Thursday.

The Misses Nellie and Hattie, Van Noord of Jamestown visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Van Haikema.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nederveldt of Zutphen are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Ver Hage at Vriesland.

Simon Hofman of Grand Rapids formerly of this place, who suffered from a stroke of apoplexy is improving.

Lambert Westenbroek and Miss Minnie Boes were united in marriage last Thursday evening at their future home on Main street in the presence of a large company of friends and relatives. Rev. J. De Jong of Crisp officiating. The groom is employed at Cook's mill while the bride is one of the popular young ladies of this city.

Mrs. G. Swierenga of Holland was in town Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. E. Swierenga.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Swierenga spent Sunday in Holland with relatives.

Mrs. Huizinga and the Misses Mary and Anna were in Holland Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. Koetier yesterday—a boy.

John Bouwman left Monday for Europe. He expects to be gone several weeks.

Mrs. P. F. Schultmeyer returned Saturday from Bellaire.

Mrs. G. Vis who was ill at her home is improving.

Roelof Bouwman of Borculo was in town and in Jamestown Monday.

Peter Elenbas and son Henry went to North Blendon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Mow of Orange City Iowa, visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Pels, left Monday for Europe.

East Saugatuck.

Mr. and Mrs. John Overbeek from Holland were the guests of the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Overbeek over Sunday.

A baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bownan last Saturday.

J. Zeedyke from Kalamazoo is in this vicinity at present calling on old friends and relatives.

John Bartels and Miss Jennie Vork were the guests of the former's parents Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Minnie Bartels and Mr.

Dirks visited the former's parents part of last week.

The pupils that took the Eighth grade examination in the East Saugatuck school May 7 and 8 were: Jeanetta Schutt, Effie Slenk and Andrew Lubbers, Jake Bultman and Mearl Cook of the Calf school; Dena Kok of the Klomparsen school; Clara Van Lopik, Elsie Teerman, Jacob and John Zwemer, Jennie and Henrietta Brinks of the McClair school and the Misses Carrie and Sarah Brinks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Klien of Grand Rapids visited relatives here last week.

The recent rainfall was unwelcome by most of the farmers. It is so wet that most of the farmers have not had a chance to put in their oats, although some are already planting corn.

There were services in our Christian Reformed church Sunday evening, Rev. J. Manni's theme being "What ye soweth that shall ye reap."

Joe Helms of Grand Rapids is working for Geo. Brinks.

Geo. Brinks visited relatives in Allendale three days last week.

Overisel.

Last Thursday morning E. Nykerk, an ex-elder of Reformed church, passed away at the home of his son-in-law, J. Dangremond. The departed was 86 years of age. The funeral occurred Monday from the church, Rev. G. J. Hekhuis officiating.

Last Friday afternoon the closing day exercises of the village school took place and a very good program was rendered by the pupils.

A Lampen formerly teacher of the village school, left last Monday for Big Rapids where he expects to spend a few weeks in study.

The pupils of the school held a lawn social at Mrs. Fortuine's last Saturday afternoon and a good time is reported.

The Misses J. and A. Klumper were in Holland Monday on business.

Miss Dubbink spent a few days with Miss H. Kollen this past week.

The Bible classes of the Reformed church will have their summer vacation now beginning this week.

Mrs. H. Dangremond of Hamilton, spent Friday with relatives here.

Crisp.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob L. Hop—a boy.

Harm Nienhuis who recently purchased the farm of John Berkompas has taken possession of it.

Work on the farm is much delayed on account of the heavy rains this spring. A large part of the oats, sown have been drowned, so the prospects of the oat crop is not very encouraging.

The youngest child of John Hop, jr., is suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

Seven pupils of the West Crisp school went to Zeeland to take the eighth grade examination.

Sunday school commenced again in the Christian Reformed church.

The Young People's Society of the Christian-Reformed church will hold its last meeting next Sunday evening.

Last Wednesday morning John Harsevoord found one of his horses lying dead in the barn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knoll, jr., and children of Holland visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Knoll last week.

Mrs. Dick Ras and children of Holland are spending a few days with relatives in this vicinity.

Fillmore.

Rief Van Dyke died Sunday afternoon at his home near Fillmore after a short illness. He was born in the Netherlands and came to this country several years ago. Deceased is survived by a widow and four children. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon from the Ebenezer church.

New Holland.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Ver Hage of New Holland.

Saugatuck.

Jay Myers has bought the "Green Devil" and will run it as a ferry boat between Saugatuck and the Lake Kalamazoo House.

S. A. Lee has opened the Eagle Barber Shop in the building where the Cute Little store was located. He has spent some time in fixing up the building and when other proposed improvements are completed will have a fine place.

Jay Myers has purchased Joe Randall's small building near the ferry and is moving it across the street.

Jacob Aliber is putting up his tents and will open up business soon.

Miller Robinson has sold his building and souvenir business to Wm. English, who will take possession June 1st. Mr. Robinson will still handle the jewelry and telegraph business at the old stand but has rented the Poplar Grove cottage in which to live during the summer and in the fall move to a warmer climate, probably the Southwest although he is undecided.

Hamilton.

H. J. Klomparsen, through the papers has announced his candidacy for the legislature. We wish him success.

Marvin Brower of Allegan spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

A large number of the town's people were in Allegan last Saturday to see the shark and receive a shell, and on Monday another big bunch saw the big fish in Zeeland.

After a three weeks stay, caring for her son, George, in Grand Rapids, Mrs. G. Ensing returned to her home here Monday evening. The former has been out of the hospital but a short time.

The Misses Esther Root and Julia Rigerterink spent Friday evening of last week with Miss Julia Brower in Allegan.

Part of the old creamery in this village has been converted into a barber shop and Mr. Meplink of Holland is of the opinion that his trade will be a lucrative one. John Miskotten who owns the building has put the interior in good shape.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elmer returned Thursday evening from a three weeks' visit at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Schwab in Racine, Wis.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harm Kuite, Saturday—a girl. Many congratulations are bestowed upon the young couple.

Miss Maud Veach was able to walk in front of her home Sunday. She is slowly improving from a severe case of diphtheria.

Rev. Judd, who was born of American parents in China, gave a lengthy talk on the habits and costumes of the people in that country in the Presbyterian church in this village last Sunday morning and evening which was well taken. The reverend gentleman was accompanied by his wife, formerly Miss Belle Takken of Holland, who also gave a short address.

Mrs. John Rankin of near this village has been very sick for the past three weeks with a sore throat.

Real Estate Transfers. Cornelius Street to corporation of B. rying Ground, Jamestown; \$35.

Jan Veneklassen, et al to Wm. Ossewaarde, land in the city of Zeeland by metes and bounds; \$1000.

Acknowledge It.

Holland has to Bow to the Inevitable—Scores of Citizens Prove it.

After reading the public statement of this representative citizen of Holland given below, you must come to this conclusion: A remedy which cured years ago, which has kept the kidneys in good health since, can be relied upon to perform the same work in other cases. Read this:

Mr. F. Andree living at 234 W. Thirteenth street, Holland, Mich., says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills with wonderful benefit. I suffered a great deal from a disordered condition of my kidneys accompanied by dull pains through my back and loins. Finally I procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Doesburg's drug store and after using them was cured of my troubles." (From statement given April 26, 1900.)

CURED TO STAY CURED.

On December 12, 1906, Mrs. Andree was interviewed and confirmed the above statement in the following words: "I have been absolutely free from kidney trouble since Doan's Kidney Pills cured me over six years ago and I heartily recommend them to anyone suffering from similar complaints."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Doan's Regulents cure constipation without griping, nausea, nor any weakening effect. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents per box.

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Holland Markets.

Prices Paid to Farmers' PRODUCE.

Butter, dairy per lb.	21
" Creamery per lb.	24
Eggs, per doz.	1
Potatoes, per bu.	70
BEEF, PORK, ETC.	
Chickens, live per lb.	9
Lard.	10
Pork, dressed, per lb.	7
mutton, dressed.	10
Turkey, alive.	18
Beef.	6-7

GRAIN.

Wheat—red.	96
Oats, white choice.	new 56
Rye.	70
Corn, Bu.	shelled 71
Barley, 100 lb.	1 40

FLOUR AND FEED.

Price to consumers.

"Little Wonder" flour, per barrel	5.75
Ground Feed 100 per hundred.	30.00 per ton
Corn Meal, unbolled, 1.55 per hundred.	28.50 per ton
Corn Meal, bolled per barrel	4.50
Middlings 1.50 per hundred.	9.00 per ton
Bran per 1.35 hundred.	28.00 per ton



Young Men's Clothes Ederheimer, Stein & Co. - Makers

NO need to tell you this is a stylish suit. There's really something to it—that's new, smart, exclusive. Good taste, too.

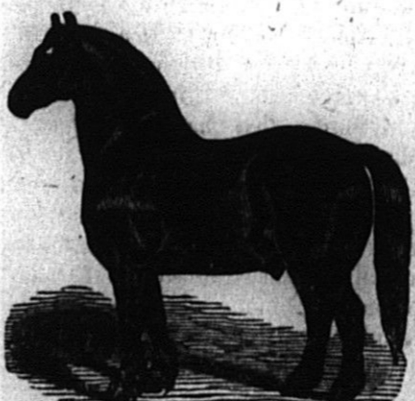
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Browns, elephant grays, shadow stripes, stone blue and Scotch effects. Sizes to 38.

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Will stand for service during the year 1908 at the barn of the underigned one mile east of the city.

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HOLLAND, MICH

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Extension waist-bands

Double seat from seam to seam

Double knee from seam to seam

All Seams taped, stitched and stayed three times

This ticket on a suit is a guarantee of satisfaction

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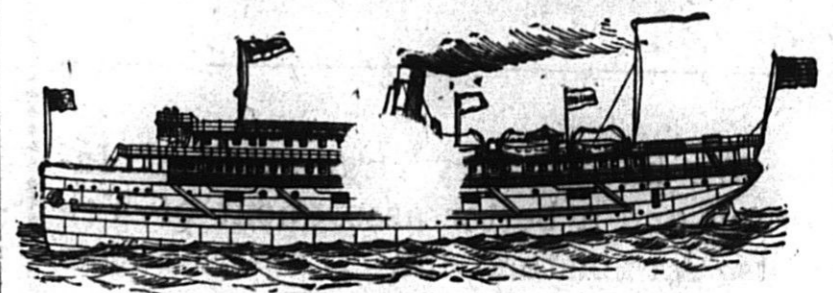
The above ticket is sewed on sleeve of every "Viking" Suit.

This Label is sewed in the coat. For style and wear they excel.

PARENTS.—Note the extra lining attachment covering parts which are not made double, making it double throughout, thus reducing a great deal of the strain attendant upon seams and other parts. Our Guarantee to give ABSOLUTE SATISFACTION goes with every garment.

For Sale by Lokker-Rutger Co.

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DAILY STEAMBOAT SERVICE BETWEEN CHICAGO AND HOLLAND.

LEAVE HOLLAND.....9:30 p. m. daily,
LEAVE CHICAGO.....8:00 p. m. week days.
LEAVE CHICAGO.....9:00 p. m. Sundays.

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Meeting of the Board of Health.

Apparently the deep hole at the corner of Eighth and Pine streets, now filled with stagnant water will have to remain unfilled for an indefinite period owing to the tie up of the city funds. At the meeting of the board of health Monday night Health Officer Leenhouts reported that he had asked the owner of the property C. R. Moore to fill in the hole but had received no reply. The board members thought that they had better, for the health of the people in that section, fill up the hole at the expense of the city but they were informed by the mayor that the fund from which the money should come was overdrawn.

"You gentlemen know as well as I that it would be illegal to draw money from another fund to fill up that hole," said Mayor Brusse to the board. "Well don't you think it would be better for the general health of the public to have that hole filled?" asked Member Otto P. Kramer.

"If the council would put me back on the board of police and fire commissioners, I would see that you got funds to fill the hole," replied the mayor.

The Holland Sugar Co., must remove the nuisance caused by dumping refuse into the basin at the foot of Twelfth street by covering the offending substance with sand or other material to prevent the strong odor.

The board of health urges the public for the welfare of the health of the city to dispose of their garbage by collecting it in tin cans and having it removed by the garbage collector.

The librarian was instructed to hereafter decline to issue books to any member of a family where there is a case of tuberculosis. The health officer presented a list of the names of families where the malady at present exists.

Doings at Jenison Park.

Decoration Day, May 30, just 9 more days now, is the formal opening day of Jenison Park. "Our park" as every true Hollander is proud to say, as has always been the custom, on the

opening day, the Holland Interurban Co., will furnish a fine lot of free attractions; the best that can possibly be secured. Numerous outdoor acts, races of various descriptions, balloon ascensions and other sensational turns will be on the program.

Jenison Park has been a busy place for the past two months preparing for the summer. Many improvements have been made and new concessions added. Considerable time and money has been spent in fixing up the ground, the lake front and the picnic tables.

The grounds have been leveled where heretofore it was rough and irregular, new sod laid and fine walks laid out. Assisted by the matchless hand of nature the park presents one of the prettiest and most enticing views along the picturesque Macatawa bay.

An elaborate Penny arcade has been installed, the "figure 8", merry-go-round, the electric theatre, Japanese arcade, bowling alleys and other features have all been re-decorated and put into shape for the opening day. The dock has been enlarged so as to accommodate the big boats, which will land at Jenison Park during the summer, such as "City of South Haven," and Crosby Line boats.

The dance halls have also been enlarged and the wide porch has been run around the entire building. A new feature is to be added in connection with the pavilion, in that a first class catering firm of Chicago having been given a concession for the refreshment end of the building, and will put in a new line complete. They will have all the first class and high grade delicacies in the refreshment line and will also put in equipment for high grade cafe service. They will be in a position to serve fish dinners, lobsters, clams and all special dishes, such as spaghetti, and in fact anything known to the chef's art.

The dance pavilion will have a new feature this year. It will be open every night and part of the season afternoons. Sunday's there will be special band music. On all holidays a program will be arranged. The pavilion formerly on the water has been

moved out to the dock front and presents a very pretty approach to the park. Many new trees have been planted.

A good deal of money has been spent in fixing up the baseball diamond, which has been entirely relayed. Excursions are now being booked for Jenison Park which has been very popular for these kinds of excursions during the past, and will be more popular this year.

Saugatuck too has undergone a lot of improvement and a great many Chicago people have been investing in Saugatuck property during the last week or two. New hotels and cottages are being rapidly pushed to completion at the present time.

Along this branch of the Interurban the wooded hill and valleys are especially most beautiful at this time of the spring season, with its variegated tints of green. Flowering wild trees and shrubs are here in profusion and the many large fruit orchards along the Saugatuck line, are aglow with blossoming trees and the air is burdened with their sweet fragrance.

Band Has Good Time

The Holland Concert band made merry Monday evening with their wives and friends. They gathered in the Mantling hall on River street and enjoyed themselves to their heart's content—and then some.

The second floor of the Mantling building had been appropriately decorated for the banquet and two long tables were loaded down with good things to eat for the 50 or more guests who were present at the feast.

Just a year ago last night the Holland Concert band was organized with a membership of 15. Today they have 23 members on their roll. It is distinctly a Holland organization, the majority of the members being Hollanders who came to this country only in the last few years. But in spite of the fact that they are but one year old the band is beginning to furnish music that will soon make it recognized as one of the best of its kind in the city.

The refreshments last night were served by the Alpena restaurant and the entire banquet was exceptionally successful, both the banquet proper and the literary and musical program that followed. Dutch speeches and recitations were delivered by Wm. Van Asselt, J. Ter Wee, J. Steenhager, T. Velthoen and A. Maul. The band gave several samples of their playing in the course of the evening.

Following are the names of the officers and members of the band: Wm. Van Asselt, pres.; T. Van Dyke, vice-pres.; H. Steegenhuis, recording sec.; Anthony Kulte, corresponding sec.; G. Bonthuis, treasurer; J. Ter Wee, director; A. Van Velle, Dick Twineer, W. Bos, T. Velthoen, P. Visser, D. Zylman, P. Van Klaveren, J. Steenhager, W. Ten Brink, H. Lucas, G. Bulerma, A. Maul, P. Van Leuwen, M. Henken, G. Diekemars, F. Rosenboom and J. Verlier.

Memorial Day.

A very enthusiastic mass meeting to make final arrangements for the proper observance of Memorial Day in this city was held in G. A. R. Hall Friday evening. All who attended were heartily in favor of making the event a notable one; one long to be remembered.

It was the opinion of those who attended the gathering that in previous years many merchants have not shown the proper spirit in regard to the occasion to make it a big success. The stores and houses along the line of march will be decorated with bunting and flowers. The parade will be headed by the Citizens band, followed by the school children, who will be dressed in white and carry flowers. The relief corps will bring up the rear of the first division.

The second division will line up as follows: first, the martial band, second the A. C. Van Raalte Post, G. A. R. and Veterans; then come the Spanish war veterans, Holland Band, City officials and citizens in carriages.

The program arranged for the day at the Pilgrim Home cemetery has been arranged as follows: decorations of graves by children, decoration of grave of A. C. Van Raalte by G. A. R. and veterans, Lincoln's Gettysburg address, William Vander Hart, decoration of monument in memory of the absent dead and the firing of the salute.

At the college grove, music will be furnished by the Citizens band. The opening remarks will be made by Mayor Henry Brusse, the invocation will be delivered by William W. Wedemeyer, the services will be concluded by the singing of America.

The officers and committee chosen at the meeting last night are: President, Mayor Henry Brusse; chaplain, Rev. J. Veldman; orator, Wm. W. Wedemeyer; reader Wm. E. Vander Hart; marshal, A. C. Keppel; ass't marshals, Floyd Wible and Prof. J. B. Nykerk. Executive C. M. McLean, chairman; H. Van Tongeren, F. Miles, J. B. Mulder, Arthur Van Duren. Fin-

ance: Jacob Lokker, chairman; A. B. Bosman, Bert Slagh. Music, Martin Dykema, J. Vandersluis Henry Geerlings. Decorations and flowers, J. A. Kooyers, H. R. Doesburg, H. R. Bishop A. E. Parkins, G. W. Kooyers. Platform and Grounds, John Zwemer, chairman; Marjines Mulder, Al Hidding. Invitation and reception, P. H. Mc Bride, chairman; G. Van Scheilven, D. B. K. Van Raalte. Carriages, P. F. Boone, Fred Stratton, S. Nibbelink.

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A Strange Case.

(Original.)

"I tell you, doctor, the basis of life is electric."

"Why do you think so, doctor?"

"Among many reasons I will give you one. Recently I laid open the body of a frog, exposing the heart, which I paralyzed, and it ceased to beat. I applied a current from a galvanic battery, and the pulsations recommenced. I paralyzed it again and this time waited ten minutes before applying the current, but got the same result. I kept adding to the time till I proved that if the heart is recharged with electricity before decay sets in it will recommence its beats, and the process of pulsation will continue till something interferes."

"In other words, a beating heart un-interfered with will beat forever. Just as a body launched in a vacuum will move forever."

"Exactly."

"Well, what do you propose?"

"As soon as the man is pronounced dead by the prison surgeon he is to be taken down and given to me. I intend to experiment upon him instead of a frog."

"I will willingly be your assistant, but I have no confidence in your success."

The next day, when Peter Hunt, convicted on circumstantial evidence of the murder of George Stanton, had been hanged by the neck until he was dead, the body was taken to a room in the College of Physicians and Surgeons, where Dr. Baker and his assistant, Dr. Arbuckle were awaiting it. The bearers withdrew, the door was locked, and Dr. Baker made an incision between two ribs overlying the heart. Dr. Arbuckle then applied the electric current, while Dr. Baker made successive pressures on the heart as one works the arms of a newborn child to start respiration. Presently he put his ear down on the subject's chest.

"Good!" he exclaimed. "It beats, but very slowly."

Arbuckle also listened with astonishment. A faint moan escaped the patient. The current was increased. The patient—or corpse—opened his eyes, closed them, opened them again and rolled them wildly. Dr. Baker took his wrist in his fingers and found the pulse to be about thirty to the minute. The current was again doubled twice, with the final result of a beat a second; then it ran up rapidly, and the current was gradually reduced till at last it was withdrawn entirely. Meanwhile the pulse had settled at about eighty to the minute; then the patient asked where he was.

The next morning, long before daylight, Peter Hunt was taken by the two physicians from the college to a road leading from the town where he had been hanged. There he parted with them, having promised that he would send daily reports to Dr. Baker as to his condition.

The occasion of Hunt's hanging was this: There had been a long and bitter enmity between him and George Stanton, a fellow criminal. A quarrel had occurred one night, and the next morning Stanton was not to be found. Blood was discovered on Hunt's clothing, but it had come from a punch on his own nose given him by Stanton. Hunt's defenders used every means to find the man supposed to have been murdered, but failed. Hunt knew a place where Stanton would likely be found, but he believed that his enemy knew that he (Hunt) was being tried for murder and would keep in hiding till after conviction.

Hunt after leaving the doctors set out for the place where he believed Stanton would go as soon as he heard that his enemy had been hanged. The reason why Hunt felt confident of this was because together they had deposited considerable plunder there, the division of which they could never agree upon. The reason Hunt surmised that his partner in crime would remain in hiding was that after Hunt's hanging Stanton would get all this hidden treasure.

Hunt one evening after dark visited the place where the "swag" was buried under an oak tree that had been split by a bolt of lightning. He examined the ground and found that it had not been disturbed. Then he camped at the edge of a wood a few hundred yards away where he could watch. He slept with one eye open during the day and with both open during the night.

It was at 2 a. m. of the third day after his arrival that he saw a sudden flash of a match under the blasted tree. A full moon was hidden under a cloud, but in a few minutes the cloud rolled away. Suddenly Stanton, digging at the foot of the tree, looked up and saw standing before him the man who had been hanged.

Hunt was still very pale, and the moonlight made him appear paler. Besides, clotted blood stood under the skin where the hangman's noose had pressed against his neck. Stanton spoke never a word, but looked at him with eyes that appeared more dead than alive. Stanton threw his arms aloft, with a moan, and fell unconscious.

The Right Kind of Men and The Right Kind of Ships.

Two young sailors who were on one of the torpedo boats which took the trip around the Horn in Fighting Bob Evans' fleet went ashore on leave at one of the small ports and the torpedo boat steamed away without them.

The young men did not wish to be considered deserters and immediately attempted to rejoin their shipmates. But this was no easy task. There was no railroad running into the small town in which they were stranded and they had to walk a considerable distance to get to railroad communications.

Unlabeled they started on the long walk, but became lost in the mountain fastnesses. They wandered day after day through ravines and canyons, over hills and over mountains. They walked until foot-sore, but Duty beckoned in the distance and they kept on. Their stock of money ran low, provisions were hard to obtain, but they still plodded on. After a walk of 20 miles, during which they submitted to privations and hardships sufficient to appall the staunchest hearts, they at last reached a point where they were able to telegraph home for money to enable them to take the train to rejoin the fleet.

This is not firing line heroism, but it has just as true a ring, and they deserve as much credit as many a man who has felt steel or faced shot and shell. They scorned to be deserters and faced danger to be where duty called.

Men of this type do not stop to argue whether the armor plate is thick enough to withstand the projectiles of the enemy, or whether it is too near or too far from the water line. They are another demonstration of the fact that we need good ships, but that the best of ships are useless hulks unless manned by men with the right kind of hearts, the right kind of bodies and the right kind of heads.

Give the right kind of men the right kind of ships and America need never lose prestige at home or abroad.

Medals will be awarded to the Panama Canal employees at the end of two years' service. There are some who will stick to the job until it is brought to a successful conclusion, and they will be apt to form a historic organization.

In a recent number of his paper Mr. Bryan referred to his farm once and to his political interests 135 times. He says his farm doesn't pay, but in spite of his indefatigable efforts, neither does his politics, except in the lecture field.

So far the aeroplanes are shy about making their trial trips in the populous parts of the country. As long as there is any doubt of their complete success pedestrians approve this arrangement.

The mill value of lumber cut in the United States last year was \$621,000,000. Before bragging about it, the size of the hole it left should be estimated.

Three or four buried cities have been found in Texas. A larger number can be noticed along the Ohio, where the fifth flood of the season is just running out.

One of the probable questions after November will be whether the Democratic party shall drop Bryan, or Bryan drop the party.

If Mr. Bryan is to condole with Mr. Cleveland, the ex-president is just obstinate enough to get well.

Any back talk that Prosperity may have will be received with thanks.

Choral Union Concert

The Hope college Choral Union will give its seventh annual concert in Carnegie Hall, Monday evening, June 1, under the direction of Prof. J. B. Nykerk.

Two short cantatas "Barbara Frietich" and the "Hymn of Dionysus" will be rendered by a large chorus, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fenton of Grand Rapids, who will sing the solo parts in the cantatas and give short recitals of solos and duets. Mrs. E. D. Kremers will be the accompanist.

WHAT YOU SAW IN THIS PAPER 35 Years ago To-day.

Mayor Harrington informs us that recent arrivals from Chicago intimate that as soon as sufficient water can be had at the entrance of our harbor and the citizens indicate a disposition to patronize a steamboat, one can be had. So far so good.

Adam Forepaugh, the king of showmen, will visit our city soon with his great menageries, museums, and circus.

Citizens' Association.

The meeting held at the office of the News was called to order by Vice President Kenyon.

The matter of steamboats was agitated by Messrs. Post, Joslin, Ropst, Walsh and others, and it was thought best to take immediate steps to secure a boat to run from here to Chicago.

As the harbor is now nearly ready for heavy draft vessels, much interest is being manifested in securing such an object.

Moved that the chairman, Mr. Kenyon, and Hon. John Roost, be appointed to secure some one to visit Chicago and see what can be done toward securing a steamboat to this place. Carried.

WHAT YOU SAW 30 YEARS AGO

The large schooner Lookout which was rebuilt at Anderson's shipyard, was laid up at Kenosha on account of the dull times.

B. Van Putten, son of G. Van Putten, accidentally shot himself in the left leg with a navy revolver, on Tuesday last inflicting a flesh wound of considerable size. Careless handling of revolvers will catch the boys sometimes.

The Hessian fly is said to be coming. A hundred years ago you could see the Hessian fly the other way.

When General Lee at the close of the war visited Washington, General Grant hastened to pay his respects, but Lee never returned the compliment. But for Lee's action Grant would have been the immediate friend of the South.

As an item of interest, we were informed by H. M. Dangremond that during four days of last week he issued \$31,250 worth in insurance policies for the Mutual Insurance company of Allegan and Ottawa counties. This is certainly an enormous amount of insurance work for so short a time.

A friend from Allegan writes us that the storm was so severe at that point last night that some people expected "the world to come to an end." The wind tore through there in frightful gusts, the rain came down in terrific torrents, succeeded by hailstones, of the size of a small hen's egg—breaking a great many window lights.

General Grant and his family after making a tour through Egypt, Italy, etc., has returned to Paris and will remain there for two months to come, and will then go to Holland, Germany and Sweden.

WHAT YOU SAW 25 YEARS AGO

L. De Wit, the veteran janitor of Hope college, was the recipient of a fine sofa, the gift of the students, and an easy chair from the faculty of the institution, on last Tuesday. It was the fiftieth anniversary of his wedding day and the old gentleman was completely taken by surprise at the unexpected attention, and the appreciation shown of his labors while in the employ of the college.

Just as we go to press we learn from the Committee on Speakers for Decoration Day, that they have secured the services of James Van Kleeck, of Midland. Mr. Van Kleeck is a member of the House of Representatives from his county, is an old veteran and has been fairly shot to pieces in the service of his country. He is a lawyer by profession and is a good speaker. As his name indicates Mr. Van Kleeck is of Holland descent and will undoubtedly make a good impression on our people.

Before the season closes it is predicted that Grand Rapids will be placed in telephonic connection with Holland, Kalamazoo and intermediate. To which Alleganians say Amen—Allegan Journal.

The Superintendent of Public Instruction has notified the county treasurer of the number of school children in this county entitled to share in primary school money, and the amount to which each town and city is entitled at the rate of \$1.43 per capita. Holland gets \$1,907.62.

WHAT YOU SAW 20 YEARS AGO

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Hopkins on Sunday May 13, a boy.

A base ball club has been organized in Holland, to be known as the "Peerless." Put that in your pipe and smoke it.

The lazy men of town always want to hoe in their gardens when they are snowed under, while the plowman homeward plods his weary way.

Snow-bound: The straw hat, the seersucker coat, the poor little fly

and mosquito, the picnics and the Postmaster's mustache.

Snow fell in this section last Sunday and Monday, and on Wednesday morning we had quite a heavy frost. It is too early yet to learn whether the fruit crop has been injured. Wait until after September next and we will tell you.

Last Wednesday afternoon Dr. W. VanPutten's horse, Turk, trotted a quarter of a mile in thirty six seconds, which is a good 2.24 gait.

Next Saturday Rev. H. E. Dosker of the Theological Seminary, will start on a three months' tour in Europe, principally in the Netherlands and along the Rhine.

On last week Friday the United Labor party for the Fifth District of Michigan held a convention in this city and elected the following delegates to the National convention in Cincinnati this week, Geo. Ballard, L. J. Tussey; alternates, D. L. Boyd and David Cronin. On Monday Mr. Tussey started for Cincinnati and attended the convention which convened on Tuesday.

In walking by the school building on Tenth street this week we noticed that the high school building was not adorned with those ornamental and necessary "jim craks," the lightning rods. As the ever present "dispenser" is in the land we take occasion to call the attention of the school board to the fact. The Ward school building too, we believe, has not yet been supplied with these useful ornaments.

The famous old member of the Loomis Battery, which performed such good work for the Union soldiers at the battle of Stone River, and which has been exposed to the weather all winter in Centennial Park, is now to be properly cared for by the common council. The old cannon has been too good a friend to a good cause and has been too serviceable to our people on Fourth of July to be any longer neglected.

The common council on Tuesday evening decided to remove the fence from around Centennial Park.

Dr. D. M. Gee was stricken with paralysis Tuesday and died at 6 o'clock. He came here in '74 and was 44 years old. He was a leader of the city brass band and resided on the corner of River and Thirteenth streets.

WHAT YOU SAW 15 YEARS AGO

The papers for the transfer of the Notter-Verschure block to J. Nies have been perfected, and sent up for record.

Under the auspices of the Sons of Veterans an excursion will be given to the World's Fair on the steamer Saugatuck Saturday, June 3. The rates are such as to place it within reach of all. For further particulars see adv. elsewhere.

Richard Roost and Ben P. DeVries have entered into a co-partnership under the firm name of Roost & DeVries and will establish a new machine shop on Tenth street in connection with the Deming foundry.

WHAT YOU SAW 10 YEARS AGO

Fifteen members of the Holland Fire department attended the annual convention of the state firemen's association at Grand Haven this week. The delegates were Chief J. Dinkello, assistant chief C. Blom, jr., J. Dyke of Eagle No. 1 and Al Klooster of Columbia No. 2. They were accompanied by the following as visitors: Gunder Andersen, David Blom, Charles Hansen, Allie Baker, Dick Van der Haar, Jacob Lokker, Gerard Cook, Cornelius Lokker, Barney Cook and G. Van Haften. The boys report a very pleasant time, an interesting session and a cordial reception. At one of their sessions the delegates took up a collection for the benefit of the sufferers by the Spring Lake fire, which realized \$20.75. The next convention will be held at Hastings.

Wheat 67 cents.

Tuesday morning at Zeeland while A. DeKruif's hired man was driving "Confederate Maid," a reliable trotting mare, to the pasture, she stumbled and fell to the ground. As she did not make any signs to get up the driver upon examination discovered that she had broken her neck. She had a record of 2:29 and was valued at \$1,000.

One of our citizens who resides on Centennial park and is an early riser, takes this method of informing the poundmaster that a stray horse stabled not far from the park can be seen pasturing there early mornings with marked regularity.

Dr. Edward Hofma of Grand Haven passed through the city Monday on his way to Vriesland to bid goodbye to his father before leaving on his journey to the Arctic regions. The journey from New York to Norway will be taken up on May 28 and will be via the Thingwalla line steamer Hekla. The journey to the far north will commence about the 15th of June.

In the Centennial year 1876 the city raised a beautiful flag staff in

the park named after the event, and for nearly a score of years it served the purpose for which it was erected. What prompted the city to do this was the patriotic sentiment of that commemorative period. A few years ago the pole blew down and we have been without a "liberty pole" since. Is not the present a most fitting time to replace it?

Married at Grand Haven on Tuesday, May 17, at the home of the bride, Richard Van der Haar of this city and Miss Marie Elizabeth Nemire. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. Lewis, pastor of the Congregational church, and with the accompanying festivities was one of the happy events of the season. The bride is one of Grand Haven's popular young ladies and of recent years taught in its public schools. After a brief visit with friends in Muskegon and Grand Rapids the bridal couple will reach this city and make it their home.

In his last letter from Island Lake to his father, Johnnie Roost writes as follows: "We are now on army rations with pork and beans three times a day. I received my army clothes today, they are the same we have been wearing in the state service. This morning I met Bud Smith, Geo. Mooney and the Hiler boys. They are delighted with the place and were out drilling for the first time today. Will write again from Tampa, Fla., or if I get time will write on the train after we cross the Georgia line."

Merchants Will Parade

At Monday night's meeting of the Merchants' Association it was decided to decorate the stores on Memorial Day and to close the stores Saturday afternoon from noon until 6 o'clock. The stores will be opened after six.

The association will march in a body in the parade, headed by Pres. Van Tongeren and each member will be furnished with a badge.

It was reported that all of the old spiles had been removed from the mouth of the river.

The meeting night in July will be set aside for a discussion of the new state constitution that will be voted upon next fall. Each member will be presented with a pamphlet that will show the changes made in the present constitution.

At the next meeting Congressman G. J. Diekema will address the association.

The Interurban will be petitioned by the association to carry parcels to Macatawa park and Saugatuck twice a day.

Extensive Improvements to Hotel Holland

Extensive changes and improvements will be made in Hotel Holland. Allen Burke, the proprietor, has formed a company which is incorporated under the name of Hotel Holland Co., and capitalized at \$10,000, the stock being held by local and Chicago parties, one of the Chicago men being A. G. Gage, a prominent hotel man. As in the past Mr. Burke will be the chief figure in the enterprise and will be in full control. Since he came here from the east he has won many friends and all look forward to a continuation of the success which has marked his career since engaging in business here.

One of the leading improvements will be the installation of a grill room after the style of the Griswold hotel in Detroit and the Pantlind in Grand Rapids. The grill room will occupy the Central avenue side of the building and will extend thru to Eighth street, taking up in addition to the back part the part now used as a writing room.

The old dining room will be used for public meetings, entertainments, etc. The wash room now in the rear of the office will be located in the basement, and the office will be enlarged to the extent of this space. Individual writing desks will be placed therein and the walls will be renovated and decorated. Four more rooms will be fitted up with bath accommodations and all the rooms will be thoroughly overhauled and improved in furnishings.

Though the grill room appointments and accommodations will compare favorably with the best in first class hostleries, the prices will be reasonable, being the same as the popular priced restaurants of this city.

Big Event at Jenison Park

A clam bake! The first indulgence in this historic method of feasting. It will be given at Jenison Park Monday May 25 by the live organization in the history of advertising—namely the Grand Rapids Advertisers club.

Besides the feasting there will be an oratorical outburst in which Congressman G. J. Diekema will touch off the pyrotechnical display.

The day's events will begin with a ball game between Chicago and Grand Rapids advertising men, after which will come the Bird Center

classic derby for which Mayor McCarthy has lined up the best aggregation of horse flesh known to fame in the country adjacent. Sports will follow fast and furious, capped by a balloon race.

The real old time, the good old time will come at 6:30 when the clam bake will be served in all its epicurean attractiveness.

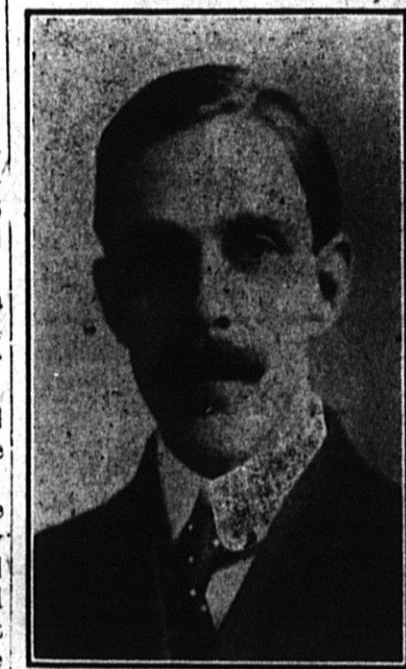
Then will come the speechifying. W. J. McInnes, president of the club, will introduce Congressman Diekema and responses will be made by O. J. Mulford of Detroit, who will expound on "The Origin of Street Car Advertising." Michael J. Dee of Detroit, who will tell of "Advertising from an Editorial Point of View." J. C. Hutchins of Detroit, who will deliver "The Effect of Street Car Advertising on Patrons;" and Nicholas J. Whelan, who will talk on "Advertising an Island."

It will be a great day, surely, but the clam bake will be gorgeous.

Political Notes.

Attorney Cornelius VanderMeulen has announced his candidacy for the legislature to succeed N. J. Whelan, who will not enter the race.

Mr. VanderMeulen comes from one of the oldest and best known families in this city. His father, Rev. John VanderMeulen, is one of Ottawa county's best known clergymen, although at present he has retired from active work. His brother, Rev. John M. VanderMeulen, is



Att. Cornelius Vander Meulen

pastor of Hope church, and celebrated far and near as an orator.

"Casey," as he is familiarly known by his large circle of friends, is also an orator of note and has taken part in several political campaigns in this county and in the state. He was graduated from Hope college in 1900 and from the law department of the U. of M. in 1903. He has an office in Holland, and had experience in the practice of law before he came here at the office of Hyde, Earle & Thornton in Grand Rapids and also in the Upper Peninsula.

Concerning his candidacy Mr. VanderMeulen says:

"It is only after receiving assurances of support from leading men of Ottawa county that I resolved to announce my candidacy for the legislature and I believe I have reasonable assurance for expecting success. 'I stand on no particular platform,' continued Mr. VanderMeulen, except that which represents the best interests of Ottawa county. I am not a factional candidate. If elected I will do everything in my power for the betterment and advancement of my constituents at all times."

Notes of Sport

A meeting of the Douglas sportsmen was held at the Kibby House last week and a ball team organized. The following officers were elected: President, Bert Bradley, treasurer, Willard Kirby; manager, Harold Smith; captain, Edson Hennessey. The following players have signed: Farnsworth, Naracong, H. Wicks, W. Wicks, Lighthart, Haberer, Hennessey and Plummer. The first game will be played Saturday, May 23rd, with Holland. The business men have donated enough money to buy new uniforms which will be white.

Hope college defeated the McLachlan Business college nine of Grand Rapids in a spectacular ten inning game Saturday on the college diamond by the score of 5 to 4. The game was won after a great up hill fight. The pitching of Rigaud who relieved Muyskens in the sixth, was the feature of the contest. In four innings he held the visitors to one scratch hit. For the visitors the playing of Shanahan was the feature.

Ringling Bros. At Grand Rapids, June 8.

Ringling Bros. great Show will be at Grand Rapids Monday, June 8, and the whole show will be given in all its grandeur from street parade to afternoon and evening performance.

This season marks the twenty-fifth anniversary of this great circus and the Ringling Brothers are celebrating the year by presenting the

greatest European program ever offered, a parade that surpasses all those of the past, a new complete menagerie, another brilliant spectacle, and the most astonishing and sensational "thriller" in all history.

The "thriller" is nothing less than a double somersault in mid-air made by a heavy automobile with Mlle. LaBelle Roche, a young French woman, at the wheel. The car dashes down a steep incline from the dome of the tent. An abrupt up curve terminal hurls the car high above the heads of the audience, where it accomplishes two complete revolutions and then lands with a crash on a narrow speedway, exhausting its terrific momentum on the hippodrome track.

The regular circus features which pertain to every big show are on a grander scale than ever portending one of the biggest times to those who attend the mammoth exhibition.

Sound Ideas on Sociology

Prof. Dimment, who has charge of the course in practical sociology which the Senior class of Hope college is studying particularly at present advanced the following views upon the subject:

"The social unrest pervading the country has its legitimate causes and these can be dealt with best by getting at all the essential facts fairly and squarely. The vagaries which rise to harmful suggestions are due to a lack of information and when this information is thoroughly understood there can be no chance for unreasonable 'isms' that would disrupt society and make class hatred.

"Good government requires for its maintenance good individuals and no man can be a good individual whose social conditions are below the proper standard of human welfare.

"The American who believes this, be he rich or poor, black or white, recognizes that there are wrongs to be righted. He is no weeping Jeremiah with rabid denunciation for everybody. He is no red anarchist with hatred for all but himself. Nor does he go to the other extreme and call his country the fairest creation of governmental needs the world can ever have. He is a reasonable, progressive worker, a creator of a better country, a higher manhood, increased wealth and wealth for all with justice—legal and moral—for all. He is the citizen whom common sense, scientific sociology produces."

The Rush to Cuba.

People in the middle west, east and southwest are hurrying to Cuba as they become more familiar with the possibilities of the soil and climate of Magnolia, Cuba. They are making homes for themselves and advising their friends to come also. There are no expensive irrigation plants to be installed, the soil does not have to be fertilized to make things grow.

Lands can be secured now for \$30.00 per acre that will yield from \$600.00 to \$800.00 per acre income after the 4th year, which income increases every year until it amounts to from \$1200.00 to \$2000.00 per acre in the tenth year, and in the meantime the settler is able to make an income that is far greater than the majority of farmers in the United States by growing vegetables between the trees while the orchards are maturing.

The Cuba Land & Improvement Co., in the Murray Building, Grand Rapids, Mich., are sending out maps, photos and literature free to any who wish to investigate. Experienced horticulturists from California and Florida claim that this country will be far ahead of either California or Florida 20-1w

It has set the whole world a-thinking Upon it call Doctors, as one, agree; The tonic all your friends are taking is, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Haan Bros.

FOR SALE—House and lot 44 E. 19th street, eight rooms, city water, gas, sewer, electric lights, furnished in oak. Going at a bargain. Enquire at the above address.

Get Wise.

Onest John is still here in the shape of the best 5c & 10c cigar on the market. 13-1f

HOLLAND Concert Band

A Uniformed organization of 24 pieces, fully equipped and ready for all kinds of engagements.

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A MOST SENSATIONAL ACT



The feature at the opening day of Jenison Park, May 30, Decoration Day, will be Rose and Lemon, famous wheel performers, in their wonderful act The Globe of Death.

IN SOCIETY

Rev. Paul P. Cheff of Forest Grove, attended the commencement exercises of the Western Theological Seminary last Wednesday evening.

Dr. G. J. Kollen returned Wednesday from a three weeks business trip to New York.

J. H. Nichols, of Chicago was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. N. M. Steffens last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Van der Naald of North Yakima, Wash., are visiting friends in the city.

Miss Lina Grimes and Mrs. Margie Tuttle left Wednesday for Chicago to visit Dr. R. E. Huff.

Miss Grace Schuelmyer of Zeeland spent Wednesday here with friends.

A. M. Sooy of Wayland visited his brother M. A. Sooy in this city last week.

Hugh Bradshaw of Chicago was in the city last Friday on business.

William Breyman of Grand Rapids visited friends in Holland last Friday night.

Mrs. W. C. Walsh and daughter were Grand Rapids visitors Saturday.

Mrs. J. B. Hadden was in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Mrs. B. Van Raalte, jr., and Miss Anna Sprietsma attended a luncheon given by Mrs. J. A. Verdier at her home in Grand Rapids in honor of Miss Jennie Vander Veen who will be a spring bride. She is a niece of E. Vander Veen and is well known here.

Russel Takken is visiting friends in Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti.

C. Ver Schure and A. Cappon have returned from a trip to Chicago.

Mrs. Mary Whelan has returned from South Haven and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Whelan.

John Bertsch of Grand Rapids was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. T. Bertsch Tuesday.

Dr. Steffens gave an instructive talk on German history at the meeting of Die Deutscher Gesellschaft last Thursday night. An hour was devoted to German conversation.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Steketeer of Grand Rapids have opened their summer home at Central park.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tilma of Grand Rapids visited relatives here Sunday.

Henry Sourers and Richard Wiersema spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Miss Hattie Masselink of Zeeland visited friends in this city Sunday.

George Ballard of Woburn, Mass., was in the city Monday on business.

Mrs. R. H. Post spent Sunday with friends in Saginaw.

Miss Louise Yates of Ormond, Fla., is the guest of Mrs. E. D. Kremers.

Mrs. R. M. DePree and son have returned from Louisville, Ky.

Dr. and Mrs. Jacob Poppen who have been spending a few weeks with relatives in this city left Monday for their future home in Cordell, Oklahoma.

Peter Delyea is north on a fishing trip.

Dr. H. Kremers was in Lansing Tuesday.

J. Clark of St. Louis, Mo., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Cappon this week.

Mrs. J. Ten Cate has returned from Lansing where she spent a few months visiting A. D. Dean.

Mrs. John Lampen has returned from Detroit.

Dr. W. S. Newton of Chicago has rented the cottage owned by Mrs. Ida Horning on the North Side.

Terry Fisher, jr. of Chicago is visiting friends in this city.

The B. B. W. society was pleasantly entertained by Miss Kate Slagh at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Brink. At the same time a kitchen shower was given for Miss Ellen Winter who will soon be married to the Rev. Martin Ruusaard.

One of the prettiest weddings of the season took place yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Riksen when Miss Welhelmina Riksen was married to Rev. Cornelius Van der Schoor. Mr. Van der Schoor was graduated from the Western Theological Seminary last week and is one of the best known young men of the city, having been connected prominently with most of the religious movements here. Miss Riksen is a graduate of Hope college. She was graduated in 1905 and has taught school for three years, two years in Beaverdam and one year in McKee, Ky., in the Mountain White mission of the Reformed church. The ceremony was performed by Dr. Dubbink of the seminary, assisted by Rev. Blekkink, in the presence of about seventy friends and relatives. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Van der Schoor will leave for Baldwin, Wis., where he has accepted a call. The young minister expects to begin his work about the first Sunday in June when the installation services will take place.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bishop May 14—a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Nick Toppen Saturday—a daughter.

The Only Thing to Do.



Teacher—Who went into the ark?
Bobby—I s'pose everybody did that didn't have umbrellas.—Brooklyn Eagle.

As the Other Thought.



"She was born with a silver spoon in her mouth."
"By the look on her face I think she must 'a' swallowed it."—New York World.

Volumes.



Lady Gushington—So your son is a real author! How distractingly interesting! And does he write for money?
Practical Dad—Yes. I get his applications about once a week.—Punch.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of *Charles H. Fletcher*

Doan's Regulets cure constipation without griping, nausea, nor any weakening effect. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents per box.

For any pain from top to toe, from any cause apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Pain can't stay where it is used.

News want ads pay.

Spring Days

These first days of Spring find us ready for Spring business. We invite you to come and view the new wearables. We never entered upon a season better prepared to suit everybody's ideas and pocket books.



Men's Suits

Black, and all the latest shades.....\$5.00 to \$25.00

Young Men's Suits

Ages 15 to 20 years\$5.00 to \$18.00

Boys' Suits

Boys' Knee Pants Suits.....\$2.00 to \$7.50

All suits altered free of charge if necessary.

Suits made to order in our own shop under our own supervision. Try us for your next suit.

GENTS' Furnishing Dept.

Shirts of all kinds 50 cents to \$2.50

Hats and Caps to fit all heads. large and small.

Collars, Cuffs, Neckwear, Socks, Handkerchiefs, and everything usually carried in a first-store.

Give us a trial and be convinced.



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consists of everything in that line, from the cheapest Plow Shoes to the finest Patent Leather. We carry the largest and most complete line in the city and vicinity. We carry such makes as the

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shoes for our men's line, and Mayer and Smith, Sterling and



Dorothy Dodd

for our ladies line. Give us a chance and we will make your feet glad.

The Lokker Rutgers Co.

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39-41 E. Eighth St.

Holland, Mich.

Save Time and Money

An automobile will save enough of a busy man's time to pay for itself in a year. You can save two-thirds of the time you now spend in street cars or behind horses.

You can make three or four times as many calls as you now do in a day. And when the day's work is done, you can give endless pleasure to your family and your friends with a

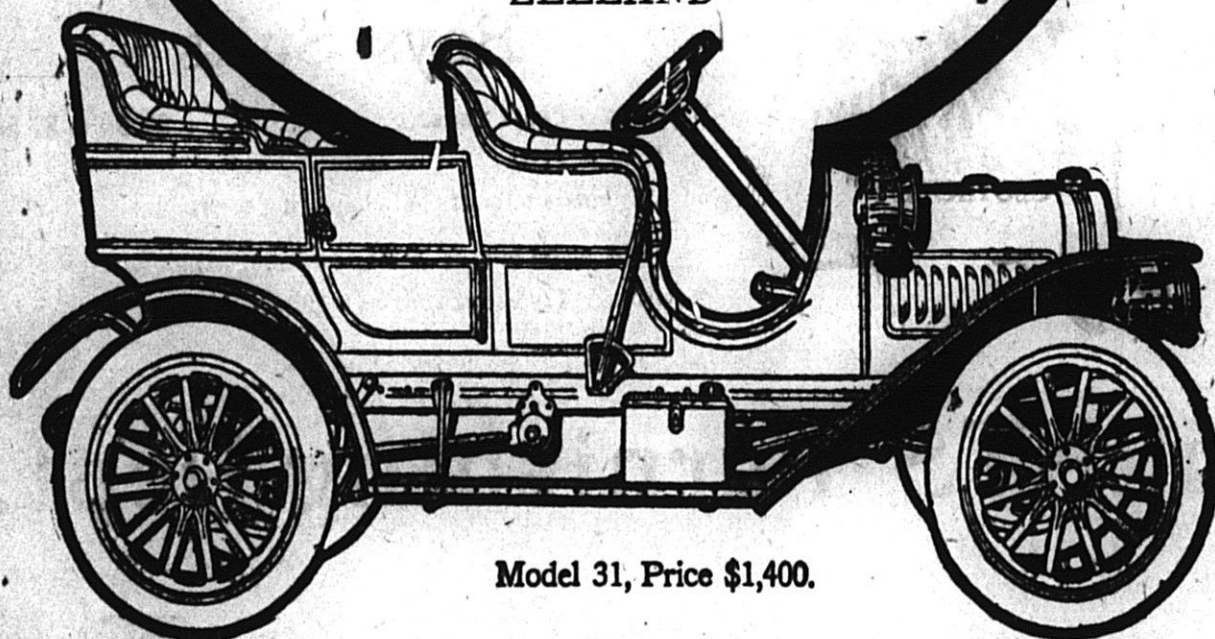
Rambler

We can prove this time-saving proposition to your absolute satisfaction. We know what a Rambler will do—and how little it costs to keep it going.

We want the privilege of placing these facts before you convincingly.

We are not asking you to buy a car—we simply want you to know that the Rambler is a money-saver instead of an expense-maker. When can we see you?

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Model 31, Price \$1,400.

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NEW
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FOR **COUGHS AND COLDS**
CURES ALL THROAT AND LUNG
DISEASES

SAVED HER SON'S LIFE

My son Rex was taken down a year ago with lung trouble. We doctored some months without improvement. Then I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, and I soon noticed a change for the better. I kept this treatment up for a few weeks and now my son is perfectly well and works every day.

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MOB DRAWS ITS GUN

Strike Riot at Cleveland in Which Bullets Find four Those Engaged.

RIOTERS BEGIN THE SHOOTING

Three Street Car Men Are Hit and One of the Rioters.

All Are Seriously Hurt—Little Girl Run Over and Decapitated—Negotiations for Peace Still Deadlocked.

Cleveland, May 20.—Rioting has become more general and serious in the street railway strike. The first death, while not a part of the strike, but incident to it, occurred when Yetta Wolkinski, four years of age, was run over by a car operated by one of the new motormen. The child was decapitated. A crowd quickly gathered and would have lynched the motorman had he not turned on full speed and escaped. Then it tried to lynch the conductor, who had taken refuge in a drug store. Police saved his life. In Lakewood a car was stopped and the crew fired upon. Four persons were shot and seriously injured and a car was burned to the trucks.

Trouble Expected and No Police.

The first disturbance in the downtown section also took place after dark when a Woodland car was held up on Ontario street, and the motorman and conductor attacked. The police dispersed the rioters. The burning of a Clifton boulevard car in Lakewood was the most serious riot of the strike. The car was going toward the western terminal when it was stopped by a leg being thrown across the track. It was the first effort to operate a car in Lakewood, and the car carried no passengers. As trouble was expected when an attempt should be made to open the line.

Mob Opens Fire with Pistols.

As soon as the car stopped it was surrounded by a crowd of rioters who were hidden behind a railway bridge. Immediately the crowd began shooting at the members of the crew and guards. The latter, W. J. Eames and John Swanto, returned the fire. All told over thirty shots were exchanged. While the shooting was in progress the crowd grew to nearly a thousand. Another car arrived, and its crew and guards joined in the free-for-all fight.

Then the Firebug Begins Work.

Gasoline was poured upon the second car and it was burned to the trucks. The Cleveland police were notified and sixty officers were sent to the rescue. The first car, riddled with bullets and windows broken, proceeded to the car barn. Motorman P. C. Elsholz was shot in the leg; John Gray and George Alexander, guards on the second car, were shot in the chest. Mace Burlingame, who was in the crowd which made the attack, was shot in the hand. All were taken to a hospital, from where they were reported to be in a serious condition.

CIVIL END OF THE DISPUTE

Strikers Moving to Use the Referendum as a Club.

The state arbitrators took up their task of endeavoring to effect a reconciliation between the strikers and the Municipal Traction company and were in session several hours. While the car service was slightly improved the general situation appears so serious that possibilities of a speedy settlement now are regarded as somewhat remote.

The members of the carmen's union have begun a series of meetings for the purpose of arousing sympathy, and to appeal to the public to refrain from using the cars until the union wins the fight. At these meetings the proposition also of petitioning the city council to order a public vote as to whether the franchise recently granted, and under which the Municipal Traction company is operating, shall become effective. This proposal is based upon the new initiative and referendum law, enacted by the state legislature a few weeks ago. The petition will make it obligatory on the council to submit the matter to a vote.

The movement was started by the strikers. Over 10,000 petitions have been printed. It is regarded by the union men that public sentiment regarding the railway company now is of such a character that they will have no difficulty in obtaining the signatures to the petitions. The vote, should it be against the franchise, it is alleged, would have the effect of invalidating it.

Apparently only one point stands between the union and President DuPont of the traction company, in the matter of a peaceful settlement of all points in controversy. DuPont said that he would take the strikers back to work only as "new" men, and that those who remained with the company would be given preference. Vice President Behner, of the union, positively declined to waive this point.

LIST OF THE DAY'S CASUALTIES

They Number Fourteen, Omitting the Child Who Was Killed.

The following is a revised list of injured in the day's rioting incident to the street car strike:
Shot at Lakewood riot — 8

There is No Secret

About Our Cod Liver Preparation—Vinol.

So many patent medicines and advertised cures are now offered to the public use that we want to call the special attention of the people of Holland to the fact that Vinol is not in any sense a secret or patent medicine.

For centuries medical men the world over have recognized the great tonic and curative elements contained in the cod's liver, but how to extract these medicinal elements from the useless and repulsive oil which envelops them has been the problem hitherto unsolved.

This was finally accomplished by two eminent French chemists, and the result is Vinol, a delicious modern cod liver preparation without oil, made by a scientific, extractive and concentrating process from fresh cod's livers, thus combining with peptonate of iron all the medicinal, healing, body-building elements of cod liver oil, but no oil.

As a body builder and strength creator for old people, delicate children, weak, rundown persons, after sickness and for Chronic Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles Vinol is unequalled. Try it on our offer to return money if it fails to give satisfaction. R. M. De Free & Co., Druggists, Holland, Mich.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Tuttle*

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1908.

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

In the matter of the estate of Peter Peterson, Deceased.

Isaac Marsille, having filed in said court his petition praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, that the

1st day of June, A. D. 1908,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.) Bernard Rotjke, Register of Probate.

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FOR RENT or SALE seven room house, newly finished inside, barn and garden if wanted. Another new 8-room house, city water and sewer, between Central and College avenues on 19th street. Will give 2 year lease or long contract, easy payments to right party. Call or write without delay to 112 W. 15th Street, Holland, Mich.

WANTED—Reliable married man for farm work with references. Write W. W. Dickinson, R. F. D. No. 2, St. Joseph, Mich.

Good For Everybody.

Mr. Norman R. Coulter, a prominent architect, in the Delbert Building, San Francisco, says: "I fully endorse all that has been said of Electric Bitters as a tonic medicine. It is good for everybody. It corrects stomach, liver and kidney disorders in a prompt and efficient manner and builds up the system." Electric Bitters is the best spring medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter; as a blood purifier it is unequalled, 50c. at Walsh Drug Co.'s drug store.

The Lucky Quarter

Is the one you pay out for a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They bring you the health that's more precious than jewels. Try them for headache, biliousness, constipation and malaria. If they disappoint you the price will be cheerfully refunded at Walsh's Drug Co.'s drug store.

Dyspepsia is America's curse. Burdock Blood Bitters conquers dyspepsia every time. It drives out impurities, tones the stomach, makes perfect digestion, normal weight and good health.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Tuttle*

ORDER FOR APPEARING
State of Michigan, 20th Judicial Circuit in Chancery. Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the county of Ottawa, in Chancery, on the seventh day of March, 1908.
Story & Clark Piano Company
Complainant

vs.
First National Bank of Flint
National Bank of Flint,
Genesee County Savings Bank
Levi S. Gould, and Jacob
Traber, Defendants

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file that the defendants, Levi S. Gould and Jacob Traber, are not residents of the state of Michigan, and that it cannot be ascertained in what state or country the said defendants reside, on motion of Louis H. Osterhouse, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that said defendants cause their appearance to be entered in said cause within five months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days from this date, said complainant cause this order to be published in the Holland City News, a weekly newspaper, published and circulating in said county, such publication to continue once in each week for six successive weeks.

Philip Padgham,
Louis H. Osterhouse, Circuit Judge
Solicitor for Complainant
Business Address
Grand Haven, Michigan

ORDER FOR APPEARANCE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—20th Judicial Circuit in Chancery.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, in Chancery, on the 14th day of February, 1908.
Story and Clark Piano Company,
Complainant.

vs.
Genesee County Savings Bank,
First National Bank of Flint,
National Bank of Chicago,
Levi S. Gould, Julia S. D. Bissell
and Caroline D. Bissell,
Defendants.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file that none of the defendants, except the Genesee County Savings Bank and the First National Bank of Flint, reside in the State of Michigan; that the Union National Bank of Chicago is a banking corporation, having its offices and place of business in the City of Chicago and State of Illinois; that it cannot be ascertained in what state or county said Levi S. Gould resides; and that Julia S. D. Bissell and Caroline D. Bissell reside in the State of Connecticut; on motion of Louis H. Osterhouse, Solicitor for Complainant, it is ordered that said defendants cause their appearance to be entered in said cause within five months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days from this date, said complainant cause this order to be published in the Holland City News, a weekly newspaper published and circulating in said county, such publication to continue once in each week for six successive weeks.

PHILIP PADGHAM,
Circuit Judge.
LOUIS H. OSTERHOUSE,
Solicitor for Complainant
Business Address: Grand Haven, Michigan.

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on the 6th day of May A. D. 1908.

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

In the matter of the estate of

Jan Grote, Mentally Incompetent.

Gerina Grote, having filed in said court her petition praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described, and to sell his interest in certain real estate therein described, held by him under a contract for the purchase thereof, and his interest under such contract, and to make an assignment of said contract;

It is Ordered, That the

1st day of June, A. D. 1908,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that the next of kin of said ward, and all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted; and under such contract.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.) Bernard Rotjke, Register of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—

Twentieth Judicial Circuit.—In Chancery.

Jesse Patterson.

Complainant,

vs.

Elmer Patterson,

Defendant.

Suit Pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, in Chancery, at Grand Haven, Michigan, on the thirtieth day of April, 1908.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file, that the defendant, Elmer Patterson, is not a resident of this state, but is a resident of the City of Milwaukee, Milwaukee county, State of Wisconsin. On Motion of Corlie C. Coburn, complainant's solicitor, it is ordered that the appearance of the said non-resident defendant, Elmer Patterson, be entered herein, within four months from the date of this order; and in case of his appearance he cause his answer to the bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served upon complainant's solicitor, within twenty days after service on him of a copy of said bill and notice of this order; and in default thereof, said bill will be taken as confessed by said non-resident defendant. And it is further ordered, that within twenty days the complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in the Holland City News, a newspaper, printed, published and circulated in said County, and that said publication be continued therein, once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant at least twenty days before the time prescribed for his appearance.

Dated April 30th, 1908. PHILIP PADGHAM, Circuit Judge.

Corlie C. Coburn

Complainant's Solicitor.

Business Address: Grand Haven, Michigan.

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Monday, May 25, '08

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Dated, Holland, Mich., May 7, 1908.

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CONFERENCE IS ENDED

Adopts a Declaration for Measures
to Conserve Our Natural
Resources.

ITS RECORD TO BE STARTLING

Governors Determine to Perfect a Per-
manent Organization.

President Presides All the Final Ses-
sion and Takes a Hand in the
Talk—Other Washing-
ton News.

Washington, May 16. — The first conference of the governors of the states has ended. The printed record of the conference, which will later be available will be a compilation of facts, startling in their meaning, convincing in their universal conclusion, that the states must act, and that the states and the nation must co-operate to the end that to the whole people of the nation may accrue the lasting benefit of its natural resources. Perhaps greater in importance than all else was the determination of the governors of the state to perfect a permanent organization whereby a heretofore unknown intimacy may be developed among the executives of the forty-six states.

Set Programme Swept Aside.

Of the last day the story is one of many features. The set programme was swept aside. The president presided throughout and interjected remarks and speeches. The prepared papers were not presented, but they will be printed in the permanent record. Their place was taken first by the "declaration" which was adopted. Then William J. Bryan was presented by the president, and spoke with his usual eloquence in favor of the objects of the conference. A governors' discussion brought many state executives to the platform, but the product was altogether that of harmony, and the sentiments expressed were applauded alike by all.

President Speaks for Action.

President Roosevelt himself answering the one criticism—that of Governor Folk, of Missouri—to the declaration, aroused the conference to its warmest demonstration of approval. He swept aside the "academic question" of where the line of authority should be drawn between the states and the nation. He wanted action, and what he said received indorsement at each period. He called the line between the powers of the general and state governments "twilight land," and said that what he wanted was "some sovereign power that on behalf of the people can hold every big corporation, every big individual, to an accountability, so that its or his acts shall be beneficial to the people as a whole."

His Position on State Rights.

Then the president stated his position as to that "twilight land," referred to, saying: "In matters, that relate only to the people within the state, of course, the state is to be sovereign and it should have the power to act. If the matter is such that the state itself cannot act, then I wish on behalf of the state that the national government should act." [Applause.]

PITH OF THE DECLARATION

"Conservation of the Foundations of
Our Prosperity."

The declaration upon which the president's remarks were predicated was presented to the conference by Governor Blanchard, of Louisiana. After reading it Blanchard stated that it proceeded upon broad lines, and purposely avoided making specific indorsements of desired projects or legislation. The pith of the statement is as follows:

"We agree, in the light of facts brought to our knowledge and from information received from sources which we cannot doubt, that this material basis (the natural resources of the nation) is threatened with exhaustion. We agree that the sources of national wealth exist for the benefit of all the people, and that the monopoly thereof should not be tolerated. We agree that further action is advisable to ascertain the present condition of our natural resources and to promote the conservation of the same. And to that end we recommend the appointment by each state of a commission on the conservation of natural resources, to co-operate with each other and with any similar commission in behalf of the federal government."

"We favor the enactment of laws looking to the protection and replacement of privately owned forests. We recognize in our waters a most valuable asset of the people of the United States, and recommend the enactment of laws looking to the conservation of water resources for irrigation, water supply, power, and navigation, to the end that navigable and source streams may be brought under complete control and fully utilized for every purpose. We especially urge on the federal congress the immediate adoption of a wise, active and thorough waterway policy, providing for the prompt improvement of our streams and conservation of their watershed, required for the uses of commerce and the protection of the interests of our people."

"We recommend the enactment of laws looking to the prevention of waste in the mining and extraction of coal, oil, gas, and other minerals, with a view to their wise conservation for

AN INCIDENT OF THE FRENCH REVOLUTION.

[Original.]

Eugene Levesque, a lieutenant in the royalist army of the Prince of Conde at the time of the French revolution, bearing that the Marquis of Mirachieu and his daughter Heloise, to whom Levesque was engaged, had been arrested by the revolutionists and were in danger of the guillotine, asked and obtained leave to go to them, having a faint hope of saving one or both.

One day he appeared, disguised, in the village near which stood the Mirachieu chateau. The marquis and his daughter were prisoners in their own home, waiting guard and transportation to Paris. Among the tenantry of the marquis was the Brouneau family, to whom the Mirachieus had been especially kind during the period of their prosperity. Levesque, who had lived in the neighborhood, knew of this obligation and, making himself known to Marie Brouneau, asked her assistance in his design. Marie had been permitted to visit Heloise, and of this Eugene resolved to take advantage. Dressed and made up as Marie, he gained access to the prisoners and succeeded in making a transfer of clothing with the marquis, who went out in his stead. At the Brouneaus' the ex-prisoner found Levesque's disguise, in which he made his way across the border.

Eugene, whose identity was not discovered, now turned his thoughts to some means of escape for Heloise. The father and daughter had been permitted to occupy adjoining apartments on the upper story. The door leading from Heloise's room to a hallway had been locked and the key removed. Eugene had brought a small file with him, with which he began to file the lock, but the guard, hearing the sound, looked into the rooms, and Eugene had turned away from his work just in time to escape detection. In the morning, when breakfast was brought up to the prisoners, he secreted a case knife, and if the knife was missed it could only have been missed by the servants, who were not likely to inform the guard of the fact. While Heloise listened at the door where the sentinel was posted for his slightest movement Eugene lay on a bed covered with the bed-clothing and pillows to deaden sound and with his file made a saw of the case knife.

During the night, again covered to conceal sound, he cut in the door a hole large enough to enable him to insert the saw and, working very slowly and cautiously, sawed a circle around the lock, leaving a connection just adequate to hold the lock in its place till he was ready to remove it.

Heloise found in a closet a different costume from the one she was wearing and after the customary inspection for the night slipped it on. Eugene could find nothing for a change. His object was the release of his betrothed, and he would not risk going out with her. She must go out at night, but no one was permitted to leave the chateau except in daylight.

The prisoners devised the following plan: Heloise would leave her room at night alone, find her way to the servants' quarters and remain with them till morning. One of the servants was to return to the apartment to personate her mistress, who, disguised, was to leave the chateau by day. There were other arrangements and alternatives made in case of failure of any part of the plan and with a view to Eugene's escape, though of this there was little hope.

At 10 o'clock at night Eugene removed the lock. Heloise, slipping out and down a back staircase, went to the room of her maid and got into her bed. The maid went to Heloise's room, was admitted by Eugene, got into her bed, and the lock was put back in its place. The next morning the cook who prepared the guards' meals asked for a permit to go out for milk. The permit was granted. The cook, before going on her errand, returned to the kitchen for a pitcher, and when she emerged the guard noticed that either she had grown shorter or sligher or he was mistaken as to her real identity. He concluded he was mistaken, and Heloise made her way to the home of the Brouneaus, where she found concealment.

The next morning the supposed Heloise feigned illness and asked the guard to send for her friend, Marie Brouneau. This had been arranged partly that Eugene might know of the success of their enterprise. Marie appeared in due time and made Eugene happy by the announcement that Heloise was waiting for him to start with him for the border. Marie had brought with her cosmetics and other articles for making up, and it was decided that Eugene should attempt to pass out by personating her.

His heart beat wildly while he was donning her costume and she was making him up, and it beat still more wildly when he emerged from the room, a handkerchief held to his face with both hands and pretending to weep. In this way he passed the guard and was soon after with his betrothed.

Within half an hour after his arrival an old man and woman seated in a farm wagon behind a pair of horses drove out of the village. Coming to a wood, they hid the wagon, from which they took saddles and bridles, and, mounting the horses, which suddenly displayed remarkable fleetness, sped away to the border, where they were welcomed by the marquis, the Prince of Conde and his entire army.

The flight was not discovered for several hours after it occurred, when the rooms the prisoners had occupied were found to be empty. Marie Brouneau thought it prudent to go into hiding and eventually followed those she had aided across the border.

ERNEST J. SPRINGER.

The Red Headed Policeman.

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One day as the red headed policeman was pacing his beat in a certain American city of 100,000 inhabitants a woman called to him from the steps of a house and reported that soon after daylight that morning, just as she had awoke and was making ready to get up, she had been frightened half to death by the sight of a large monkey at the open window. She had screamed out, and the animal had fled. Later in the day she had seen the monkey frisking about on the roof of the shed attached to the house next door, into which a stranger, who was evidently a foreigner, had moved three or four days before. He was a man of middle age, and there was an old woman with him, probably to act as housekeeper.

"And I'm asking you, sir," continued the woman as she raised her hand and waved it to and fro, "if it's the law in America that a foreigner and an old woman and a rascally monkey can move in next door to a respectable widow woman, who has paid taxes for the last fifteen years, leaving the monkey to run at large and scare people out of their seven senses?"

"It's an Italian, ma'am, who is your new neighbor," answered the policeman. "I was jabbering with him the day he rented the house."

"Then he's in the hand organ business?"

"Then he's not, ma'am. He's in the count business. He's had to fly from his own sunny skies to save his life. You ought to be proud that you have a live count living next door."

Three or four days later the police heard at the station to which he was attached of a bold burglary in the neighborhood. A burglar had entered by a second story window and made a haul of money and jewelry, and no clew had been left behind. This burglary was followed by another within twenty-four hours, and then came what the police and press called a "wave" of crime, though it was strictly confined to despoiling private residences. In some cases it was impossible to tell how entrance had been effected. In others it was plain that an open window was the route.

Of course the detectives investigated, and of course when no arrests followed they got a roasting in the newspapers. It reached the point where the chief of police was asked to resign as a man utterly unfitted for the place. In return he bounced two of his detectives because they could not pick up clews where no clews had been left. Then the red headed policeman sat down to do some thinking. He thought of many a thing before he followed the line down to the widow who had told him about the monkey.

Then he began to scratch that red hair and think the harder and finally decided to take a walk around on Sands street and see if the count still occupied the house. He reached the house of the widow first. Again she was standing on the steps. At sight of him she descended to the walk and said:

"So it's you, is it? I've been waiting a whole week to ask you if it's the habits of monkeys to go to bed like honest folks at night and get up at a reasonable hour in the morning or whether they are philandering all over town after midnight and coming home any time before daylight."

"In the wilds of Africa, ma'am"—began the officer, but was interrupted with:

"But these are not the wilds of Africa. I've been doing some watching for these last few moonlight nights. I didn't know but the Black Hand would be coming for the count next door. I've seen the monkey come and go half a dozen times. He comes and goes by way of the shed roof."

"And what of it, ma'am—what of it?" asked the officer.

"I can't say, sir, but it's a matter that bothers me. I thought I'd speak of it and let it bother you."

It did bother the red headed policeman for the next hour. Then he consulted with his superiors, and as a result two detectives were sent to interview the count. They didn't succeed in their purpose. He and the old woman had skipped out in a hurry an hour before their arrival. People who had seen them go said that they had no monkey along with them. In fact, the animal was discovered on the roof in the sunshine and fast asleep, but escaped capture. It was felt certain that he was the mysterious burglar, and a watch was set on the premises. He came not back, while during the next ten nights there was a burglary every night to mix things up again. Then a boy solved the whole case.

Two blocks distant from where the count had lived an old tomcat had retired to a stable to die in peace. In his wanderings the monkey had come across him and, being full of sentiment, had sought to make the feline's last hours pleasant ones. He had continued to rob and plunder as before, but had deposited everything beside old Tom and was a mourner there when discovered and shot by the red headed officer. More than \$3,000 worth of stuff was found right there, and, leaving the respectable widow entirely out of it, the officer took on a new and prouder look as he said to himself:

"It pays for a policeman to have thoughts. If I hadn't had 'em this thing would never have happened, and it might have been twenty years before they made me a roundsman."

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BRYAN TALKS FOR AWHILE

He Also Has Something to Say About
"Twilight Land."

It was after the adoption of the declaration, which was without dissent, that Bryan addressed the conference, saying in part: "There is no twilight zone between the nation and the state in which exploiting interests can take refuge from both, and my observation is that most—not all, but most—of the contentions over the line between nation and state are traceable to predatory corporations, which are trying to shield themselves from deserved punishment, or endeavoring to prevent needed restraining legislation."

He then went on to approve of the purposes of the conference declaring for irrigation, drainage, development of water transportation, which was essentially a national project, but yet the states might do a certain amount of developing if they were permitted to avail themselves of the water power that could be realized.

In conclusion, he declared that money spent in these great projects was a bequest to those who are to come after us and this gathering would be remembered with future generations because they as well as ourselves would be the recipients of the benefits to follow.

There were other short speeches, and then the conference adjourned sine die. Immediately after adjournment the governors met and appointed a committee consisting of Governors Willson, of Kentucky; Folk, of Missouri, and Sheldon, of Nebraska, to prepare a resolution thanking the president for his initiative in calling the conference. An agreement also was reached whereby an executive committee of five will make arrangements for a meeting of governors to be held next year at some time and place yet to be determined.

The desire of Mrs. Roosevelt to entertain the governors was not thwarted even by the rain which fell drearily throughout the day. More than fifteen hundred guests were present. Afternoon and evening trains from Washington took many of the distinguished guests from the city, and the first conference of the nation on the conservation of its natural resources passed into history.

NORRIS FACTS DISPUTED

Paper Men Say There Is No Combine
of Any Sort.

Washington, May 16. — The house special committee which is conducting an investigation of the so-called paper trust sat till a late hour at night in an effort to complete the hearings and report its findings to congress before the session closes. John Norris' statement that United States and Canadian manufacturers have entered into an arrangement whereby Canadian manufacturers keep out of the eastern market was denied by David S. Cowles' president of the American Paper and Pulp association.

Cowles also denied that prices were fixed by agreement; said news print paper did not pay the makers for making it, and that secured pulp wood was \$1 a cord higher than ten years ago. George C. Sherman, treasurer of the St. Regis Paper company, said it cost \$1.70 per 100 pounds to make paper now as against \$1.35 in July, 1902. He considered 2 cents a pound an absolutely fair price for print paper. He denied that the mills had been shut down to restrict the output; that he had refused to make contracts or deliver paper so as to maintain prices; that there was any agreement of that sort, or any illegal combination at all.

Senate and House in Brief.

Washington, May 16. — The Freed currency bill which was passed by the house was delivered to the senate and at once sent to the committee on finance. Aldrich promptly made a report from the committee substituting the Aldrich bill in an amended form and in that form it was passed and sent to the house.

The work of cleaning up legislation in the house preparatory to adjournment May 23 proceeded at a rapid pace. The military academy and the omnibus public building bills were passed, leaving only the general deficiency bill to be acted upon. In addition eight hundred and twenty-five private pension bills were put through, and the senate amendment of the currency bill was disagreed to and the bill sent to conference.

ALLEGED UNIVERSITY GRAFT

Some Things Are Admitted and Other
Suspicious Matters Are
Denied.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 16.—Attorney General Bird has in his possession a detailed statement from Secretary Wade, of the university, covering his connection with matters that have been under investigation. He also has a statement from Superintendent Reeve. Both are being kept secret, as many of the statements provide the basis for further investigation. In his statement Secretary Wade admits some things, but denies connection with other matters that look suspicious.

Superintendent Reeve makes a general denial and throws responsibility for the conduct of affairs upon Wade, who is his brother-in-law. It is expected that Secretary Wade and Superintendent Reeve will be suspended by the board of regents, pending the result of the investigation that Attorney General Bird has been conducting.

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LOCAL

Do not fail to hear the celebrated lecturer, Prof. Chas. Zeublin of civic revival fame, at Carnegie hall Thursday evening June 11. Tickets at Hardies.

The ladies of the Women's Relief Corp are requested to meet at the G. A. R. hall Sunday morning at 9 o'clock sharp to attend the Memorial services at the Third Reformed church at 9:30.

Rev. Diepenhuis of Hardewyk, lately living at Oakland and well known here, expects to make a trip to Europe on the new steamer Rotterdam of the Holland-American line. He will bring his wife and children to New Jersey.

The dedication of the Sixteenth St. Christian Reformed church will take place this evening at 7:30 in the new church edifice on the corner of Sixteenth and Maple streets. There will be addresses by the Revs. A. Keizer, R. L. Haan, D. R. Druker, and J. Bolt of this city and by Rev. W. De Groot of Graafschap and Rev. J. Manni of East Saugatuck. The public is invited to attend.

Prof. Taft of the M. A. C. was here yesterday examining trees and orchards for San Jose scale. "One of the orchards visited was Geo. Straight's and it was found to be in good condition. Mr. Taft says that conditions in this city have improved greatly in the San Jose scale line since he was here two years ago. This demonstrates that the city officials acted wisely when they created the San Jose scale commission.

Bert Van Putten of Zeeland created a commotion in Riksen & Dyke's, 22 East Seventh street, Saturday morning by entering the place and throwing some of the articles in the place out on the street. He was laboring under an attack of insanity and was lodged in the city jail and then taken to Grand Haven for examination in the probate court. No disposition has yet been made of the case as Van Putten seems to be recovering his balance.

Miss Helen Rogers, a colored girl, Adrian high school's representative in the oratorical contest in Grand Haven last Friday night won the state high school championship for declamation. Her subject was "Triumph and Defeat." In the oratorical contest, Frank Pennell of the Cheboogan high school was the winner. He spoke on the "Reign of Graft," and was a very eloquent and convincing speaker. Peter Fagan of Holly, was the second choice of the judges. His subject was "The Rule of The Man."

Ex-Sheriff Keppel and wife and ex-Mayor Van Putten and Mr. and Mrs. Vander Sluis of Holland were in Washington Saturday and were steered to the White House by Congressman Diekema and there introduced to President Roosevelt. Congressman Diekema introduced Mr. Keppel as a full cousin of the late Governor Steunenberg of Idaho, who was dynamited to death by Harry Orchard, alleged agent of the federation of miners. This introduction pulled the trigger and forthwith Roosevelt exploded in most violent denunciation of "undesirable citizen's." He called the Idaho trial a miscarriage of justice, lambasted those whom he had previously classed with the "undesirable citizens" and called attention to the fact that he has never with drawn one word of his emphatic utterances on that tragedy. The explosion of words was accompanied by the liberal display of teeth and by tremendous throwing of arms.

Margaret, the 5 year-old daughter of Assistant Postmaster S. P. Hudson of Allegan, was drowned in the Kalamazoo river last Sunday evening, about 5 miles above the city, when a launch in which a party including her parents were riding capsized. The boat overturned when Mr. Hudson attempted to turn from the middle of the stream, where the current was swift, toward the shore. Members of the party caught overhanging branches of trees growing on the bank, but Mrs. Albright, wife of Dr. Albright, was rescued with difficulty. Mr. Hudson swam to her assistance, and, aided by Henry Baker, who was in his launch near the scene of the accident, succeeded in getting her to shore. The little girl must have sunk at once, as no one remembers seeing her after the accident. Margaret is a niece of Mrs. M. J. Cook, wife of Dr. Cook, the dentist, of this city, and Mrs. Cook and the doctor left for Allegan upon receipt of the news of the sad accident. Tom Mahon, who is diving for the government contractors at Holland harbor, went to Allegan Monday to dive for the body, but was unable to accomplish anything as the current was too swift.

William and Jerry Ramerman of Ilalia, Washington are visiting friends in the city. They expect to return to their home state in about three weeks.

Superintendent John Busby may well look with pardonable pride upon the two cars fixed up for traffic from Grand Rapids to the G. & M. steamers. They are finely lettered and equipped and look real high toned.

The steamer Lizzie Walsh, formerly hailing from this port, will begin running on the Grand Haven-Spring Lake route Friday evening. On the first trip up the lake the Spring Lake band will be aboard of the steamer and furnish music.

Last Friday evening the Cosmopolitan Society entertained the gentlemen members of the "A" class. The society had prepared a royal feast for the class and all enjoyed a good time. The Cosmopolitans are good entertainers and made a distinctive hit.

The Woman's Literary club will banquet at Mrs. Allen's Tourist's Home in Saugatuck, Thursday, June 4. At Tuesday's club meeting Mrs. Oggel read a paper on the Woman of Austria, and Mrs. W. W. Taylor gave a talk on the Gypsies of Hungary. Mrs. Geo. E. Kollen read an Austrian note-book prepared by Mrs. A. Stevenson, and music was furnished by Mesdames Domer, Boyd and Keppel.

Olympia Pavilion Opened For Season.

Peter T. McCarthy has had a force of men at work re-decorating, painting and otherwise improving Olympia pavilion at Jensen Park, and this popular family resort is now open to the public. Special attention has been given to the improvements in the cafe and a little later a set of fixtures arranged in Pullman car style will be installed. These cars are now in the cottage of C. Gage on the north side and will be removed from there to the Olympia cafe.

At Powers Theater

Maude Adam's new play "The Jesters," in which Chas. Frohman will present her at Powers theater on May 29, for one night, was translated from the French of Miguel Zamacois by John Raphael. The writing of such a play as "The Jesters" by Zamacois must have been a labor of love. As a lad he spent most of his time in the studio of his father, Edward Zamacois, wrapped in wonder at the sight of the strange and curious characters the jesters, whose figures crowded each canvass painted by his father.

The mail order sale for seats is now open. Patrons desiring to attend will confer a favor by giving the matter early attention so as to avoid crowding and crushing on the date of the box office opening.



The Holland services in the German Lutheran church which were postponed last Sunday, will be started next Sunday, May 24th. Rev. Francis C. Willekes will conduct the services.

Yesterday the Rev. Francis C. Willekes of this city, returned from Milwaukee, Wis. Last Sunday he filled the pulpit there in the Holland Presbyterian church.

Rev. F. M. Wiersma and family of Baker City, Kansas are visiting in this city. Mr. Wiersma will preach Sunday afternoon in the First Reformed church.

Card of Thanks

To the friends and neighbors of Holland and the North Side for the sympathy and kindness extended during our bereavement, the death of Mrs. S. D. Searls and of Miss Daisy D. Smith we wish to extend our heartfelt thanks.

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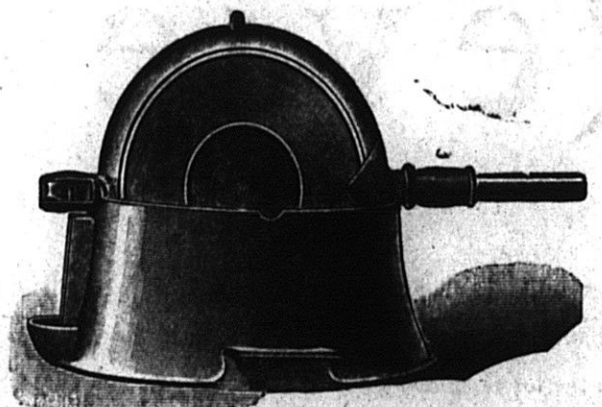
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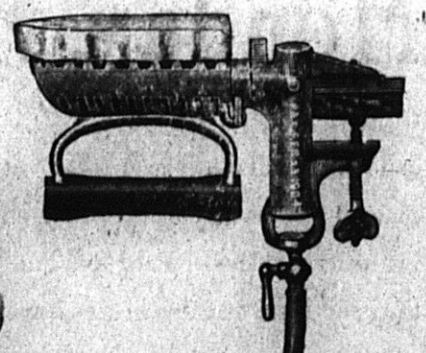
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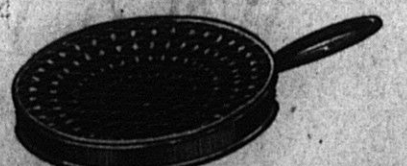
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