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NO. 25

BOSMAN BROS.

The encampment opens on Tuesday noon, and a program of drill, military exercises, and diversions of different nature has been mapped out for each day. Thursday will be the great day, with a street parade in the forenoon.

SATURDAY, July 11 1896.

Holland, Mich.

Hiram Jay is for Silver.

I hev lately bekum konverted to the silver kause. I rum hencefourth I shall lift up my voice fur 16 to 1, free and unlimited, without the konsent uv enny uv the tirannickie nashuns uv Urup. Frum hencefourth when Teller weeps I shall mingle my tears with his; when Tillman screeches, "Down with the men who hev got munny!" I shall wallop the turt man I see kummit out uv a bank—purvidin' the man is smaller than yures trooly. When Jon Pee Awlgelt has a mental spassum I will come at the mouth and fall down in a fitt.

This is going to be a grate year fur the people. Me and Teller, and Tillman, and Awlgelt, and Koxxy, and Horis Boys, and Bluddy Bridles Walt, and Bill Stewart and the Red-Hedded Ruseter, and Kohn Harvey, and Hinky Dink, and Dik Blank, and Ebenezer Wakely, and Genrul Randall, and Mary Ellen Lees, and James B. Weaver uv Ioway, we ar most all uv the peepuls uv enny konsekwens. We ar pledged to manetane the kredit uv the guverment at hoam and abrawd. We ar the ajents of prosperitty and our motto is, "Kepe in the middle uv the rode." That is wy sum peepul hev kalled us "the road ajents uv prosperitty."

Mikinly is alloded to as the agent uv prosperitty, but I am on to Bill like a thowsun uv brix. Mikinly is a a frawd. He wants prosperitty to kum by givin the peepul work. Wot we want is prosperitty by legislasion without enny work.

The bowndless west is solid for silver this year, except the staits that do not projuce silver. The solid south is also solid, in spots. It duzzent take much to ketch the south. Awi you need is a brass band and a set of resoluhsuns and the south is with you. The south is grate on passin resoluhsuns and then waitin fursumbuddy else to do sumthing. If enny buddy will purvide the munny—goald, silver, greenbax, kopper, zink, bones or old iron—the south stands redy to reseve it—free and unlimited. The west—or rather that porshun uv the west that projuces silver—is fur silver bekaus it kin git two fur won.

Evry man who was wunce in favur uv a strickly greenback kurrency is fur free silver this year, bekaus he kin see that it is a long step t'wards a greenback basis. I also notis that most all the men who hev maid a faleure in their own foansis want to do the finansiering fur the guverment by dubbling the bullyun value uv silver. This lets me into the gaim, so to speak. I am fur dubbling up awl the time. The moar a thing is dubbed the moar thair is uv it, and the better chance thair is fur me to git sum uv it without givin ennything in return.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Allegan County.

At a meeting of the township board of Allegan action was taken authorizing the township clerk to keep his office open to the public every day, at \$1.50 per day.

A gang of carpenters have begun work on the new depot at New Richmond. The structure will be 28 feet wide and nearly 100 feet long. The office and waiting room will be finished in natural wood, polished, and altogether it will be the finest and most commodious depot on the road between Grand Rapids and St. Joseph.

Fruitgrowers of Monterey are discussing a proposition to establish a cannery. That would be about as sensible as it was when a creamery was established in Fennville, in a peach country. Outside of apples, the township of Monterey produces about enough fruit to supply local markets. A cannery factory can only hope to succeed in a place where fruit can be secured in immense quantities and at very low prices. Investigation also shows that only by the most careful and experienced management can the business be made a success.—Herald.

Fire broke out in the barn of H. Coykendall at midnight of the Fourth which, together with contents was entirely consumed. Loss \$700; insured for \$800. The fire was suspected to be of incendiary origin.

A few years ago Allegan village had one of the most prosperous library associations in the state, with several hundred members. The number of members decreased steadily until only nineteen remained, and these got to quarrelling and have divided up the books.

Saugatuck.

There are half a dozen applicants for the principalship of our schools for the coming year.

Yellows is beginning to show in the earlier varieties of peaches and the yellows commissioners are inspecting the orchards of this township.

The dredge Farquar is now engaged at the work of deepening the outer channel, and when this is completed she will dredge the shoal parts of the river so as to enable the boats to come up to their docks.

Van Anroy's pile driver of Holland, which was operating here for the past two weeks, has been taken home. While here the driver has paved the way for a considerable improvement along the river front, but its best work was in removing the old boom-

ing piles from Kalamazoo lake, making that beautiful body of water almost entirely free from such eyesores.

Deputy Sheriff John Whitbeck went to Holland last week and arrested Geo. Nichols for violation of the local option law, in having delivered beer in Saugatuck that had been ordered from the Holland bottling works. He waived examination before Justice Leland and, on advice of his attorneys will plead guilty. The best authorities in this part of the state agree that the delivery of liquors in the county constitutes a violation of the law.

Ottawa County.

Statistics of the Ottawa County Infirmary books for the fiscal year ending July 1, 1896, show the following: Total number of inmates during the twelve months 68, of which 40 are male and 19 female; 9 inmates now under 16 years old, 1 over 90 years, 7 over 80 years and 19 over 70 years; 9 idiotic and 15 insane. The deaths during the year number 6. Divided among nationalities, there were 20 Americans, 7 English, 4 Irish, 1 Scotch, 14 German, 1 Norwegian, and 15 Hollanders. The total number of weeks board furnished is 2,333.

The Coopersville Observer wants its wheelmen to join an agitation for a bicycle path from Grand Rapids to Grand Haven, so as to be taken in.

As in many previous years Holland leads in the number of persons contracting marriage, in this county. For the 6 months ending with June, 72 from Holland had their names affixed to marriage licenses, while there were 44 from Grand Haven, Olive is third with 14, 12 were from Zeeland, 7 Spring Lake, 6 Crookery, 11 Jamestown and 13 Allendale, with the rest scattering.

Tribune: The representative men who reigned in politics in Ottawa county, in the '60s have nearly all disappeared from the public view. Every county convention brings new men forward. For instance of the following nominees for office in 1862 on the Republican ticket, hardly a one is now in politics and many have been forgotten by the generation that has grown up since: Representatives John Hairle and Geo. Luther; sheriff, Irenius Wellman of Wright; treas., Wm. T. Perlee of Tallmadge; clerk and register, Elias G. Young of Grand Haven; prosecutor, H. C. Akeley; circuit court commissioner, Thos. J. Akeley of Grand Haven; surveyor, Jas. Sawyer of Polkton; fish inspector, J. Zeitlow of Grand Haven; coroners, John Boer of Zeeland and John Bolt of Grand Haven.

John Barnett's barn, four miles northwest of Coopersville, containing hay, machinery and contents, was burned early Friday morning. Two horses also perished in the flames. Suspicion pointed to the owner who has had trouble with his wife and sons, to whom the horses belonged. He was arrested in the evening, and bound over to the circuit court. The barn was insured for \$600.

Zeeland.

Wm. Wichers will erect a wagon and buggy factory in this village. The site selected is east of the public schools.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Schaap are spending a couple weeks with relatives in Grand Rapids.

The building committee appointed by the school board is composed of B. J. Veneklasen, F. Van Bree and A. G. Van Hees.

Fennville.

Large numbers of peach trees set out this spring have failed to live. Out worms took some; late setting caused others to die and many believe the trees themselves were not all right when delivered to the growers.

The railroad business done at the Fennville station the past month shows an increase of \$700 over that of June of last year. The freight business done here in a year amounts to more than that of any other station between Holland and Benton Harbor and more freight room is necessary.

Grand Haven.

Large consignments of bark are brought in over the C. & W. M. for the tannery.

James Avery, the jeweler has on exhibition in his store the gold nugget found in Robinson this week. Mr. Avery values it at \$1.25, and is of the opinion that more nuggets could be found in that section if search was made. Some years ago some prospectors made a thorough examination of our gravel beds on Grand river, in search for gold, but it was fruitless. The gold nugget found this week was a considerable distance from the river. It has probably been where it was found ever since the glacial period and there are many evidences in that immediate section of some movement or eruption of the earth, central there, several thousand years ago. Pure copper in its natural state has been found quite often in Ottawa county.

Carefully preserved, together with other old war relics in the archives of the state at Lansing, is an old flag, battle scarred and torn, that was presented by Grand Haven citizens during the war to Company G, Capt. Harry C. Abee, Twenty-first Michigan Infantry, and used as the standard of that regiment during the battles of Chaplain Hill and Murfreesboro.

The Challenge Corn Planter Co. made a large shipment of refrigerators direct to South Africa. They will first go to New York City and thence direct to their destination.

A big crowd watched the life saving crew adjust the letters on the weather vane, at the very top of the court house flag pole Friday morning. The principal work fell upon Jacob Van Weelden, who climbed the pole, 130 feet from the ground, and repaired the direction indicators.

The wheelmen of the city held a meeting in the Cutler the other evening for the purpose of taking some action in connection with the proposed bicycle track from Grand Rapids. All were unanimously in favor of the scheme and will co-operate with the Grand Rapids people in the project if they come this way. A committee was appointed to confer with

the Grand Rapids wheelmen, and to guarantee them a good bicycle road or path from the Crookery—Spring Lake town line to Highland park, a distance of eight miles.

Neighborhood Items.

Tidings from Hart are that the people thereabouts are liberally thinning out the fruit on the trees, so thickly does it grow. There will be an immense crop.

Grand Junction, a small Van Buren county village, is just now the Mecca, toward which hundreds of religious pilgrims from all parts of the United States are journeying, for here is the headquarters of that peculiar sect, the members of which call themselves the "Children of God, or Saints of the Evening Light." The annual general campmeeting is now well under way, and several score of preachers, with hundreds of laymen, crowd the camp grounds, a mile away from the town. One of their great and distinguishing articles of belief is that there should be no church government whatever. They are, and at the same time are not, a sect. They do not believe in sects or denominations or societies of christian people. They not only doubt the spiritual efficacy of organization in carrying on christian work, but boldly declare from the platform that all organization, however simple in character, is but a device of the devil to introduce formalism and worldliness among christian people, and divert attention from the main issue, the salvation of souls. They refer to themselves as constituting a church only in the New Testament sense. They build houses of worship, but never organize local societies for their control. There is no form for admission to their communion. Baptism by immersion is all that is required. They never preserve a record of their converts, nor make lists of the names of their members. No one knows exactly how many of them there are, estimates being variously set at from 25,000 to 50,000.

An Albion man who had to wait in Battle Creek for a train the other evening, invited one of that city's fair daughters, an acquaintance of his to a dish of ice cream. The invitation was accepted and the couple repaired to one of the most fashionable resorts in the city, where their wants were supplied. But before they had finished eating the curfew bell rang out in solemn tones. The young lady gave a scream, jumped, picked up her gloves, and without a word of explanation, darted out of the door and up the street. Amazed at her unaccountable action, the Albion man asked an explanation from the proprietor. He was told that children not yet 16 must be at home five minutes after the ringing of the curfew or be arrested. The girl to establish her youth, had obeyed the curfew, though to the Albion man's personal knowledge she is 39, for she used to go to school with his mother.

The famous religious organ case from Fruitland, Muskegon county, has been tried and decided. A number of years ago a Sunday school was established at the Grdian school house in Fruitland, Lutherans, Meth. odists, Baptists and others uniting in the enterprise. The school waxed strong and prosperous and finally the Methodists, who were in the majority determined to build a church of their own. They did so and recently dedicated it. The Sunday school people were more or less disturbed by the withdrawal of so many of them and began to charge the Methodist minister with attempting to break up the school. The Methodists came one day and took away the organ to their own church and then the feeling broke into open war. The Sunday school superintendent, P. J. Martin, swore out replevin papers and secured possession of the organ. When the matter came to trial, so great was the attendance that the justice was compelled to move to the circuit court room. Nearly the entire adult membership of both school and church passed through the witness stand. It was a hot fight, the intense feeling of the sides prompting both attorneys to one of the most stubborn contests seen in the court room. The entire neighborhood is torn up over the organ, which the jury has finally determined is the Sunday school organ. The value of the instrument is \$35.

What was supposed to be a cat wandered into a church at South Haven and found its way into the pulpit. The minister gave it a kick that landed the sacrilegious animal in the middle of the congregation. Church was then dismissed without benediction. It was a skunk.

The body of an infant was unearthed by dogs on the farm of J. S. Malbone, near South Haven. The animals dragged the remains to Mr. Malbone's door, where an examination was made and the conclusion reached that the child had been strangled. There is no clue to the parents or perpetrators of the crime, and an investigation is now in progress.

A peach-grower living near South Haven says he took 3,800 peaches from one tree, in thinning, and than left enough for a good crop.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

JULY 12

NEXT EXCURSION TO ST. JOE.

Great attractions on that date. The famous Chicago Hussars, several hundred in number, will give an exhibition drill which will be the finest performance of the kind ever witnessed in Michigan. Aside from this, St. Joe possesses many attractions as a delightful Sunday resort. Graham & Morton Co's steamers give excursions on Lake Michigan during the afternoon at a very low rate. Take your wheel along, and see some of the fine fruit farms around St. Joe and Benton Harbor. We carry wheels free on such trips. The C. & W. M. train will leave Holland at 9:25 a. m., and leave St. Joe at 7:00 p. m. Rate \$1.00.

GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A.

24-2w

Don't miss the opportunity of a life time if you have any trouble with your eyes, don't fail to call on Dr. Wilcox, who will be at the office of Dr. O. E. Yates July 13 to 18.

RACES AT GRAND RAPIDS.

The entries to stakes of the Grand Rapids Driving Club, as now recorded promise a series of races, which singly or as a whole, are worth going to see.

The dates and specialties are announced by the secretary are as follows:

July 7.	
Three year old 2:40 class trotting (21 entries).....	\$ 500
3:00 class trotting (24 entries).....	500
2:30 class pacing (17 entries).....	800
July 8.	
3:00 class pacing (17 entries).....	\$ 500
2:24 class trotting (25 entries).....	1,000
2:15 class pacing (6 entries).....	500
July 9.	
Three year old and under 2:35 class pacing (14 entries).....	\$ 300
2:40 class trotting (11 entries).....	500
2:30 class trotting (23 entries).....	1,000
2:11 class pacing (7 entries).....	500
July 10.	
2:20 class trotting (5 entries).....	\$ 500
2:20 class pacing (21 entries).....	1,000
2:15 class trotting (6 entries).....	500

Reduced rates of fare on all railroads centering at Grand Rapids.

GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A.

24-2w.

Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Ottawa County Building and Loan Association will be held at the office in the Kanters Block, Holland, at 4 o'clock P. M., Tuesday, July 21, 1896, for the purpose of receiving the Eighth Annual Report, electing five directors in place of C. Verschure, G. J. Van Duren, R. A. Haberman, J. G. Van Putten, and D. J. Te Roller, whose terms of office expire at that date, and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

Stockholders desirous of presenting names of members as candidates for election as directors can do so to the Secretary, on or before July 1, 1896.

Holland, June 17, 1896.

C. A. STEVENSON, Sec.

22-5w

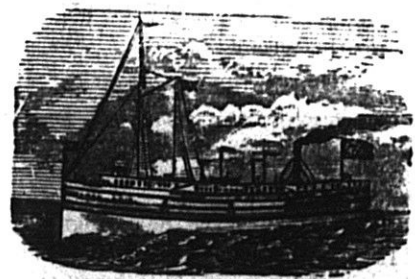
The Tower Clock shoe store is having a good trade. The people are finding out that they are doing as they advertise, and sell at prices to suit the poor man's pocketbook.

For Sale.

Very cheap, a 25-foot steam launch. Inquire of A. Ostrander, Allegan, Mich.

Pure blood is the secret of health. Burdock Blood Bitters insures pure blood.

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GROSBY TRANSPORTATION COMPANY.

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Leave Grand Haven every night, except Sunday, at 11:15 p. m., and arrive every morning, except Sunday at 5:00 a. m.

Leave Milwaukee every night, except Saturday, at 9:00 p. m., and arrive every morning except Monday at 6:00 a. m.

Connections from Holland via the C. & W. M., at Grand Haven.



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Office over Vaupeil's Harness Store. Fitting glasses for the cure of headaches and all dim vision cases.

Office days Monday and Tuesday, at Holland, Wednesday and Thursday at the Cutler House, Grand Haven, Mich. I will refer my work to the Physicians of this place or to any Oculist in Grand Rapids.

EXAMINATION FREE.

I call at your home only when requested.

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LIFE, HEALTH and BEAUTY.

MR. I. W. HARROUN

Will be in Holland again Sept. 12 to 15 anyone wishing one of MRS. HARROUN'S Lovely Portraits, so true in likeness and expression, please drop a card in the Post Office and MR. HARROUN will call and see you with samples on next trip.

86 MONROE STREET,

Grand Rapids, Mich.

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for Infants and Children.

MOTHERS, Do You Know that Paregoric, Bateman's Drops, Godfrey's Cordial, many so-called Soothing Syrups, and most remedies for children are composed of opium or morphine?

Do You Know that opium and morphine are stupefying narcotic poisons?

Do You Know that in most countries druggists are not permitted to sell narcotics without labeling them poisons?

Do You Know that you should not permit any medicine to be given your child unless you or your physician know of what it is composed?

Do You Know that Castoria is a purely vegetable preparation, and that a list of its ingredients is published with every bottle?

Do You Know that Castoria is the prescription of the famous Dr. Samuel Pitcher. That it has been in use for nearly thirty years, and that more Castoria is now sold than of all other remedies for children combined?

Do You Know that the Patent Office Department of the United States, and of other countries, have issued exclusive right to Dr. Pitcher and his assigns to use the word "Castoria" and its formula, and that to imitate them is a state prison offense?

Do You Know that one of the reasons for granting this government protection was because Castoria had been proven to be absolutely harmless?

Do You Know that 35 average doses of Castoria are furnished for 35 cents, or one cent a dose?

Do You Know that when possessed of this perfect preparation, your children may be kept well, and that you may have unbroken rest?

Well, these things are worth knowing. They are facts.

The fac-simile signature of *Dr. H. Pitcher* is on every wrapper.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

An Honest Man's Story.

GREENVILLE, PA., Jan. 23, '96.

DEAR SIR:—Thank God there is a medicine that will cure catarrh. Mr. Pretzinger I used your sample box of catarrh which you sent me. The first night I used it it helped me. May God bless you for your kindness. I used the little box you sent me and about half of a 50 cent jar. They kept it in Chambersburg. I have told a great many people about your medicine. Hon. Squire Britton, brother-in-law to me, is using it; he says it is helping him very much; he has catarrh very bad. Mrs. C. D. Ludwig, daughter of me is using your medicine. I use it in the evening before retiring to bed and am feeling better now than I have for the last five years. My head is clear and I have more energy for work and my business. Before I used your medicine I felt that I was dying; I did not care whether I was living or dead; I had no energy; I didn't care for anything. I had catarrh over sixteen years; mother had catarrh and it turned into consumption; she died in her sixty-fourth year. I have a farm up at Strasburg, seven miles from Greenville. On nice days I drive up the farm and work Mr. Pretzinger I think it would pay you to have input in all Franklin County papers as I am a reliable, honest man, so the people say, middling well acquainted over the County.

Yours truly,

GEO. K. ZOLLINGER.

A small sample can be obtained by sending a 2c. stamp to Pretzinger Bros., Chemists, Dayton, O.

One Minute Cough Cure touches the right spot. It also touches it at the right time if you take it when you have a cough or cold. See the point? Then don't cough.

LAWRENCE KRAMER.

Well Satisfied with Ayer's Hair Vigor.

"Nearly forty years ago, after some weeks of sickness, my hair turned gray. I began using Ayer's Hair Vigor, and was so well satisfied with the results that I have never tried any other kind of dressing. It requires only an occasional application of

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Hair Vigor to keep

my hair of good

color, to remove

dandruff, to heal

itching humors, and prevent the

hair from falling out. I never hesi-

tate to recommend Ayer's medicines

to my friends."—Mrs. H. M. HAIGHT,

Avoca, Nebr.

AYER'S Hair Vigor

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Take Ayer's Sarsaparilla for the Complexion.

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The services of a first-class

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Bargains in Parasols

\$2.25 Parasols at.....\$1.25
85c " ".....50c
\$3.00 " ".....\$1.50

A Few more nice Capes at one-half price and many other bargains.

M. NOTIER

G. VAN PUTTEN

calls the attention of the public to his summer line of dry goods. The following are only a few of the bargains which he offers:

Fine line of Ladies Shirt Waists from.....50c to \$1.00
Shirt Waist Sets from.....10c to 35c
Belt Pins and Belt Buckles from.....5c to 25c
Latest Styles in Ladies Neck Wear.....5c to 25c
Ladies Hose from.....5c to 50c a pair
Gents' Half Hose from.....5c to 50c a pair
Children's Hose a Specialty.....5c to 50c a pair
Ladies Vests with and without Sleeves, from.....5c to 75c
Gents' Colored Merino and Fine Gauze Underwear at.....25c
Boys' Silver Gray Ribbed Underwear at.....25c
Children's Gauze Underwear at all prices.

Besides these bargains we can show you prints, cottons, outing flannels, ginghams, percales, laces and embroideries at prices that can compete with any firm in this city.



DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS

The only safe, sure and reliable Female Pill ever offered to Ladies. Especially recommended to married Ladies. Ask for DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS and take no other. Send for circular. Price \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

For Sale by J. O. DOESBURG. Also a full line of Patent Medicines, Trusses, Shoulder Braces, Spectacles, Paints and Oils, Brushes, Fine Cigars and choice lot of Perfumeries.

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Entire stock of—

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Hats, Caps and Furnishing Goods, regardless of cost. Come for Bargains.

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GO TO S. Reidsma, Eighth St. FOR CHEAP BEDROOM SUITS.

Handsome patterns, new styles \$10.00 and up. Very heavy carved, 24x30 plate, solid oak for only \$15.00.

THE FINEST SELECTIONS OF
Ingrain, Tapestry, Brussels and Moquettes
EVER EXHIBITED IN THE CITY.

Bicycles sold cheaper than any other place.

WALL PAPER, LACE CURTAINS, WINDOW SHADES, ETC. IN GREAT QUANTITIES. EXAMINE MY STOCK BEFORE BUYING ELSEWHERE.

RESTORED MANHOOD DR. MOTT'S PILLS

The great remedy for nervous prostration and all nervous diseases of the generative organs of either sex, such as Nervous Prostration, Painful Urine, Loss of Manhood, Impotency, Nightly Emissions, Youthful Errors, Seminal Worry, excessive use of Tobacco or Opium, which lead to Consumption and insanity. With every box we give a written guarantee to cure or refund the money. Sold at \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

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CHEAPER
THAN
STAYING
AT
HOME.

Will be almost a fact for those who take advantage of the very low rate excursion to Grand Rapids via C. & W. M. R'y on May 30th. Good way to celebrate Memorial Day. Tickets will cost only 50c.

GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A.

ANOTHER
EXCURSION
TO
GRAND RAPIDS.

Will be run via C. & W. M. R'y on Sunday, May 31st. Train will leave Holland at 10:30 a. m., and arrive at Grand Rapids at 11:30. Returning, special trains will leave at 7:00 p. m., and 11:30 p. m. Round trip 50c. Bicycles and baby cabs free. The city is very attractive now and will be more so on above date.

GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Information from Various Points in Michigan.

July 16, Lansing: Free silver state convention.

July 16-17, Ann Arbor: Annual conference of Michigan health officers.

The capacity of the paper mills at Plainwell are to be nearly doubled.

Horses used on the reclaimed swamp lands near Alma wear wooden shoes.

A Buffalo company is to establish a stove and hoop mill at Thompsonville.

Clouds of grasshoppers are eating everything up in the country around Manistee.

July 24-26, Traverse City: Sixth annual meeting of the Woman's Press association.

Thirty thousand children were in line in the recent Sunday school parade at Detroit.

C. C. Smith, a veteran soldier of Mt. Pleasant, dropped dead of heart disease.

Mrs. Lizzie Cummings, of Bay City, has become insane from an exclusive diet of peaches and cream.

Salvation Army soldiers at Saginaw have been arrested for being too noisy and aggressive on the streets.

Charles Pangborn, of Otsego, was found dead in his bed. Heart disease was the cause. He was 80 years old.

Some of the miners discharged at Bessemer have turned their attention to farming, and their efforts promise success.

At Vicksburg special election money propositions to issue \$12,000 in bonds for water works and \$3,500 for electric lights were both carried.

H. Ferguson, of Kalkaska, has harvested nearly 100 bushels of fine strawberries from a comparatively small patch in Kalkaska village.

The famous Chicago Hussars will give a four days' military carnival at St. Joseph July 12, 13, 14 and 15. The citizens raised \$1,000 for the purpose.

Miss Mary Lee, of Bangor, was in the St. Louis cyclone. She is still in the hospital, having been unconscious for days after injury. It is feared she will never fully recover.

The track of the St. Joseph Valley railway, running from Berrien Springs to Buchanan, is being put in shape to permit the running of trains, after the lapse of nearly a year.

The outlook for fruit in Belleville and vicinity is very bright. Reports from surrounding townships say that fruit is staying on the trees well and that the trees are heavily loaded.

Wild lettuce is rapidly spreading all through Kalamazoo county, and uncultivated places are covered with its stalks. The farmers are organizing to prevent the plant going to seed.

The 13th annual camp-meeting of the Vicksburg spiritualists will be held at Fraser's grove at that place August 7 to 30. Reduced railroad rates will be given and a notable array of speakers and mediums will be present.

GOES FOR A FIGHT AND GETS IT.

John Sexauer Ralces a Row and Dies from the Result.

Sturgis, July 7.—The German Benevolent society held a picnic at Minnewaukon lake July 4. John Sexauer, aged 19, residing two miles southwest of Lima, Ind., went to Klinger lake, got into a fight and was cleaned out. He then went to Minnewaukon, drank more whisky and proceeded to fight. In a few minutes stones, chairs and missiles flew in all directions, and in the melee John Sexauer received two blows on the head, producing concussion and internal hemorrhage, from which he died.

An inquest was held and a verdict returned that Sexauer came to his death by blows on the head by unknown parties.

State Has a Good Balance.

Lansing, July 3.—The fiscal year of the state of Michigan closed June 30 and Treasurer Wilkinson reports a cash balance in the state treasury at the close of business that day of \$912,000 in round numbers. The collections upon tax levy of last December, which amounted to over \$3,000,000, have nearly all been received by the state, and from now until the close of the calendar year the cash balance will steadily diminish.

Will Meet in Grand Rapids.

Detroit, July 3.—At the meeting of the republican state central committee it was decided to hold the nominating convention in Grand Rapids on Wednesday, August 5, though several members preferred a later date. The temporary chairman of the convention will be Victor M. Gore, of Benton Harbor, who won that honor over J. Wight Giddings, of Cadillac, having had 14 votes pledged to him.

Cannot Indorse the Plank.

Lansing, July 4.—Jay P. Lee, the leading candidate for the republican nomination for congress in the Sixth Michigan district, has published a letter repudiating the St. Louis financial plank, and saying that if nominated and elected he will favor the free coinage of silver at a ratio of not less than sixteen to one.

Lands to Be Put Up at Auction.

Lansing, July 8.—Land Commissioner French has received a patent for 5,000 acres of choice lands in the upper peninsula from the federal government. On August 13 they will be offered at auction at an upset price of eight dollars per acre.

Suicide at St. Joseph.

St. Joseph, July 2.—Thomas Babcock, who was slightly demented, started out walking with his wife. When a short distance from the river he broke away and jumped in. He was drowned.

Victim of Bright's Disease.

Kalamazoo, July 8.—There was an apparent mystery in the sudden death of Jennie Gray here. An investigation by the coroner developed the fact that she died of Bright's disease.

Death of L. C. Hurd.

Jackson, July 6.—L. C. Hurd, builder, and for many years proprietor of the Hurd house, died of cancer at noon Sunday, aged 51.

COLD WATER TICKETS.

Opposing Prohibition Faction Nominates at Lansing.

Lansing, July 5.—Separate state tickets were named in this city Saturday by the opposing factions of the hopelessly divided prohibition party. Several of the leading members of the national, or broad gauge, wing are in favor, however, of a dissolution of their party if a union of the so-called reform forces can be accomplished. An attempt was made in this connection to make overtures to the populists, but without success. The national ticket is as follows:

Governor—John Giberson, Clare.

Lieutenant governor—Harvey B. Match, Marquette.

Secretary of state—Rev. Salem A. Dean, Flushing.

Treasurer—Isaac N. Shepherd, Sheppard.

Auditor general—Abram S. Jackson, Manistee.

State land commissioner—Rudolph R. Atkins, Petoskey.

Superintendent of public instruction—Mrs. Lucy F. Morehouse, Big Rapids.

Member of the state board of education—Joseph B. Steers, Ann Arbor.

The nominations of the regular prohibition organization follow:

Governor—R. C. Stafford, Plymouth.

Lieutenant governor—Henry Andrus, Edwardsburg.

Secretary of state—George Roelofs, Grand Rapids.

State treasurer—W. C. Edsall, Otsego.

Auditor general—W. A. Hearty, Caro.

Attorney general—Noah W. Cheever, Ann Arbor.

Land commissioner—William Farmer, Vermontville.

Superintendent of public instruction—R. N. Avann, Albion.

Member of state board of education—Elmer Housser, Detroit.

A. M. Todd, of Kalamazoo, national treasurer of the national party, created a sensation among the delegates to the state convention of that party by advocating the holding at St. Louis on July 20 of a national conference for a union of reformers. His idea is to form a union to advocate direct legislation in nation, state and county; the government issue of all money, free silver and kindred reforms, and he suggests that, if necessary to such a union, the national candidates of the national party be withdrawn.

THINK SALARIES TOO HIGH.

Granges in Southern Michigan Trying to Reduce County Expenses.

Detroit, July 6.—In many counties in southern Michigan the grange societies are petitioning the boards of supervisors to decrease the salaries of county officials. The increase in state and county taxation, together with the depressed condition of agriculture, is given as the reason for the request. In Berrien county the supervisors have responded by cutting the treasurer's salary \$500 and reducing the rate for the dieting of prisoners in the county jail.

If the project is successful the plan is to be tried in other agricultural regions where the grange societies are a political factor.

MILLERS MEET.

Output of the Mills Has Been Only 56 Per Cent. of Their Capacity.

Lansing, July 8.—At their midsummer meeting Tuesday the Michigan Millers' association passed resolutions favoring the re-enactment of reciprocity laws. The secretary reported that association members had, since January 1, shipped out of the state 311,108 barrels of flour, or 60,000 more than last year, and had manufactured 422,257 barrels, or 56 per cent. of their capacity. The total capacity of Michigan mills is 24,000 barrels per day, and on the basis of 56 per cent. the state will manufacture 4,000,000 barrels this year.

Death of James M. Turner.

Lansing, July 8.—James M. Turner, of this city, republican candidate for governor in 1890 and widely known as a prominent railroad builder and capitalist, died at Alma sanitarium Tuesday, aged 47, leaving an aged mother, a widow, two sons and innumerable friends. He was twice elected mayor of this city, has been a member of the state legislature and had filled other important positions of public trust. At the time of his death he was chairman of the free silver state central committee.

Naval Reserves Off on a Cruise.

Detroit, July 7.—The first division of the Michigan naval reserves, numbering 80 officers and men, boarded the United States steamer Michigan Monday morning for the annual five days' cruise of instruction. First Assistant Secretary of the Navy McDoo and Lieut. Niblock, United States navy, inspected the naval volunteers on board the Michigan, and these officers, with Gov. Rich and a portion of his staff, accompanied the expedition as far as Port Huron.

Cheap Fares in Detroit.

Detroit, July 4.—Every street car line in this city is now collecting three-cent fares. The Fort Wayne & Belle Isle road sold eight tickets for 25 cents and took those of other lines for rides. This is the result of the passage by the council of the Pingree ordinance giving an extended franchise to the road in consideration of cheaper fares. It has 30 days in which to accept the ordinance.

Won't Leave the University.

Ann Arbor, July 7.—Dean V. C. Vaughan, of the university medical department, has recently been offered a much higher salary than he gets here to go to the Bellevue hospital in New York, but he has refused because of his zeal for his department here. It is said he would have been assured of \$4,000 a year income in the position offered him.

Perished in the Kalamazoo River.

Kalamazoo, July 7.—Earl Morgan, aged ten years, tried to wade over Kalamazoo river Monday afternoon and carry his clothes on his head. He stepped into a deep hole and was drowned. The body was recovered by a diver.

Dropped Dead.

East Tawas, July 6.—Wellington W. Perry, a well-known lumberman and one of the earliest settlers of this county, dropped dead Saturday while harnessing his horse.

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Proposed Sewerage System.
REPORT OF THE ENGINEERS.
Chicago, Ill., June 13, 1886.
To the Board of Public Works, City of Holland, Michigan.
GENTLEMEN:—We submit herewith a map of Holland on a scale of 200 feet to one inch, showing a proposed system of sewers, with the details so figured that the depth, size and grade of any sewer is determined.

OUTLET.
The outlet for this entire system in dry weather is located at the foot of Eighth street, and extends 1,400 feet into the water of Macatawa Bay by means of an iron pipe ten inches in diameter, laid beneath the bed of the lake. For the first six hundred feet the pipe is to be laid at a depth of eight feet below the bottom in order to provide against the contingencies of a deeper channel for steamers and shipping, while the balance of the way the pipe may be laid four feet below the bottom. The outer end of the pipe is to be supported at a height of two feet above the bottom by means of piles.

MAIN SEWERS.
The drainage of that portion of the city now built upon, is to be accomplished by two main sewers, uniting at the corner of Maple street and Eighth, the northerly of the two running east on Eighth street, and receiving important branches at River street both from the north and south, while the Maple street branch extends south of Fourteenth street, thence east to College avenue, receiving branches from the south on College avenue, River street, and Maple avenue. From these mains, branch sewers will readily reach to all streets adjacent.
A main sewer for that district south of Eighteenth street, which will not probably be built for some years to come, will be located on Nineteenth street, running west to Harrison street, thence north in Harrison street to the lake, where the storm water will overflow, while the dry weather flow will be carried by a smaller sewer to the pipe outlet at the end of Eighth street.

SIZE OF SEWERS.
The size of all sewers are shown in detail upon the map, and are calculated to have a capacity when running half full, somewhat larger than is necessary for the removal of the household wastes alone, so that some capacity is available for storm water in certain districts where pavements may be provided in the near future. In general, however, it may be said that the system is the separate system, so arranged that in connection with the sandy and porous soil upon which the city is situated, it will result in most of the benefits of the combined system, without its unsanitary and injurious features which the combined system often necessitates.

DEPTH OF SEWERS.
Six feet below the surface of the streets to the bottom of the sewer has been considered minimum for resident streets, while eight to ten feet in depth for the business streets has been planned for.

MATERIAL OF SEWERS.
All sewers up to and including 18 inches in diameter are proposed to be circular, and of vitrified tile sewer pipe, the minimum size being nine inches in diameter. All of the sewers above 18 inches in diameter to be built of brick, egg shaped in section, the largest size being 26 inches wide by 39 inches deep. This shape enables the flow in dry weather to be concentrated in the bottom, thus preventing deposit, while it also provides some capacity for some storm water without impairing sanitary conditions, or necessitating large sizes.

GRADE OF SEWERS.
In all cases it has been the endeavor to provide grades that would become self cleaning, and that would prevent any deposits taking place in the sewers.

MANHOLES.
Manholes have been placed on all sewers which could not be entered at distances of 100 feet, more or less. These are necessary for inspection, flushing and cleaning.

HOUSE JUNCTIONS.
Small branch pipes of six inches in diameter should be set opposite every lot for connecting the houses. These are not shown upon the map, but should be laid out and carefully recorded for future use when each sewer is built.

OVERFLOWS.
It has been thought desirable that a portion of the water of tannery creek should be taken into the Maple avenue and Fourteenth street sewer at its upper end, leaving the bed of the creek intact for the excessive water of storms, until such time as the Nineteenth street and Harrison avenue sewer is built, when it is believed, trouble from storm water in tannery creek will be entirely obviated.
This having been planned for, it is found desirable to provide an overflow into tannery creek again below Eighth street in time of excessive floods or storms. This overflow is to be so arranged that all ordinary flow will be discharged through Eighth street into the iron pipe outlet, including the dry weather flow of tannery creek and the wastes of the tannery. Another overflow should be provided for at the

west end of Eighth street at the beginning of the outlet pipe.
TANNERY WASTES.
The drainage from the C. & B. tannery will form the larger portion of the sewage for some years to come, and should be connected direct with the sewer in Eighth street, together with all the dry weather flow of the creek, for the purpose of dilution. A catch basin should be built on the premises, receiving the overflow from the vats, and other waste, and the waters of the creek should enter the catch basin through a sand catcher so as not to carry an undue quantity of sediment into the sewer, and the whole then led to the Eighth street sewer by means of a pipe of about 15 inches in diameter.

FLUSHING.
No flush tanks have been provided for the system, but it may be advisable in the first few years of its operation, before enough water can reach the sewers from house drains, to build a few temporary flush tanks of the automatic variety. It is believed, however, that the surface water will greatly help the flow, and it is recommended that flushing, which is required beyond this, be done by means of a flushing wagon through the manholes.

CATCH BASINS.
No catch basins have been drawn in upon the map, but it is believed that if desired, a limited number of catch basins for removing the water from paved streets may be connected with the sewer without injury, and for this purpose the sewer in Eighth street, throughout its entire length, has been made slightly larger than would otherwise be necessary. In case the city decides to purify its sewage by other means than dilution, these catch basins would have to be disconnected from this system, and otherwise provided for in order to reduce the expense of purification.

FINAL DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE.
The present plan contemplates the ultimate or final disposal of sewage by dilution in the waters of the Bay, but the system has been so designed that if desired, other methods of disposal may be adopted.
1st. The sewage may be purified by land irrigation or filtration, and for this purpose a pumping station would be required, probably at the foot of Eighth street, sufficient to lift the sewage to such distance or height as would convey it to suitable land. For this purpose, it would be necessary to acquire not less than thirty acres of land for broad irrigation, or about five acres for intermittent downward filtration for the present population.
2nd. The sewage may be partially purified by chemical precipitation or chemical precipitation combined with intermittent filtration. In either case pumping would be necessary, together with about three acres of land as in the first instance.
In all cases of disposal other than by dilution, as proposed, all rain water, water from roofs, pavements or the soil, would have to be excluded as far as possible. A portion of the area of the city might be led to disposal works by gravity if such works are sufficiently near, but a considerable portion of the city, including the tannery wastes, must be pumped in any event, if any method of disposal is adopted other than that by dilution as proposed.

DILUTION.
It is expected that the ordinary sewage flow of the first five years of the use of sewers, including the tannery wastes, will not exceed 1,000,000 gallons in twenty-four hours, which, with the amount of dilution available, will be entirely purified within a few hours after reaching the fresh water of the lake by the oxidation of its organic compounds. As it is obviously not the intention of the city authorities to draw their water supply from the Bay, it is difficult to find valid objection to the purification of the sewage flow by dilution in this manner, so long as it is efficient and inoffensive. The City of Muskegon, much larger in population than Holland, now purifies its sewage by this method of disposal, and finds it without objection. In order to obtain the utmost diffusion possible, it is recommended that the outlet 100 feet of the discharge pipe be perforated, on its upper side, and raised to the level of the bed of the lake. With holes one inch in diameter, ten feet apart along the last 100 feet of pipe, a maximum of diffusion will be secured, the end of the pipe of course being left open for heavy discharge of rains.

CONSTRUCTION.
Care will be necessary in construction to secure tight joints in pipe sewers, and in case of egg shaped sewers in heavy cuts, it may be advisable in wet ground to substitute circular sections for the oval form, as it is stronger and less liable to distortion in being laid in place.
Careful records should be kept for the future use of the City of all features of the system, and competent and experienced inspectors should be secured to aid the engineer in charge to see that every detail is perfect before being covered out of sight.

ESTIMATE.
For 10 Iron Pipe Outlet in lake \$ 2,800
In Eighth street—
From the lake to River street..... 4,067
" River street to College avenue..... 1,900
" College ave to Columbia ave..... 1,100
Total for Eighth at main and outlet \$ 9,867
In Maple and Fourteenth street—
Maple st. from Eighth str. to Fourteenth street..... \$ 2,980
Fourteenth street from Maple to College ave..... 3,167
Total for Maple and Fourteenth st. main..... \$ 6,147
Branch mains from Eighth street—
In River street from Eighth street to Sixth street..... \$ 825
In River street from Eighth street to Tenth street..... 315
Total for branch mains, Eighth st. \$ 1,140
Branch mains from Maple and Fourteenth street main—
In Maple street from Fourteenth street to Eighteenth street..... \$ 1,142
In River street from Fourteenth str. to Eighteenth street..... 1,087
In College ave from Fourteenth str. to Eighteenth street..... 1,850

Total for Branch mains from Maple and Fourteenth streets..... \$ 3,889
Add 6 per cent for administration..... \$ 1,918
Total estimated cost (not including taxation expense)..... \$21,435
In presenting a completed plan of sewers for the City of Holland, with a submerged outlet into Macatawa lake, it is perhaps desirable to explain in detail, why the disposal of the sewage by dilution seems to be the proper method for the present, instead of adopting other methods of purification which are recently coming into wide notice.
It is very popular belief that ordinary sewage, containing as it does, the elements of plant life and growth, should be utilized for that purpose, instead of running to waste or allowed to become a nuisance to the community, and with this end in view, very many costly experiments have been made, with a view to acquiring some return from the waste of our municipalities.
While it is true that in some instances these experiments have resulted in a partial success, yet among sanitarians to day, in the present state of engineering science, it is admitted that we can not hope to combine profit to any great extent with projects for the disposal of the wastes of our cities, except under peculiarly favorable local conditions.
The practical problem then of sewage disposal, which is at present attainable is to prevent injury to health, and freedom from nuisance, by its complete and efficient purification, and the sewer system of Holland has been so planned that anyone of the well known and practicable methods of accomplishing this result may be put into operation as an extension to the present sewerage plan.
Sewage in the fresh state as it ordinarily flows from house drains, is by no means the offensive fluid it is popularly supposed to be, but in passing through the chemical changes which are necessary to its dissolution and final reduction to harmless matter, it becomes both offensive and dangerous to health, unless promptly and amply exposed under proper conditions to the oxygen of the air, and to the operation of the nitrifying organism.
All methods of purification are but methods for promoting this chemical and bacteriological change under the most suitable conditions.
By the disposal upon land, the air in the soil comes in contact with the sewage in myriads of points, and aids in effecting its transformation into compounds, some of which are necessary for plant life and growth. This is the process we see constantly going on under our eyes in nature.
Intermittent filtration is another method of accomplishing the same result in the same way, but at increased rate, while methods of chemical precipitation consist in partially separating the organic matters from their fluid vehicle and reducing their bulk to manageable limits. They are then disposed of as local conditions may require so as not to give offense.
In dilution in large bodies of water or streams the necessary oxygen is supplied by the presence of air in the water, of which there is always a considerable quantity. Where the amount of sewage is not greater than could be readily oxidized by the air contained in the water, the purification takes place under favorable conditions.
As has been said, the sewer system of Holland has been so designed that the rain-water may be excluded, and either of these methods may be adopted. The sewers lead to a common outlet. They are not larger than can be used for the separate system, and as a large portion of the area of the city, including the tannery, must be pumped in event of using any method of disposal other than by dilution it is thought desirable that all be pumped, so that larger latitude be given in selecting the method and site of ultimate disposal works, when such works are finally found necessary.
Such disposal works will cost a considerable sum of money, and require an annual appropriation for maintenance; moreover the progress of sanitary science during the past few years has been rapid, and it is a question whether or not the next few years will not develop possibilities the results of which the city of Holland will be glad to avail itself of.
In the meantime, it behooves the careful designer who feels his responsibility to inquire what nuisance, if any, will result from the disposal of the sewage from the present population in the waters of Macatawa lake, especially as it is certainly not the intention of the city to draw its water supply from that source.
In all questions of the proper purification of sewage by dilution, the most important consideration is what proportion of fresh water should be added to a given volume of sewage to effectually purify it within a reasonable time.
It is found that where fresh waters are agitated by winds or currents, or flow over rocky bottom in water falls, they are capable of receiving and purifying a much larger quantity of sewage than would be the case if a still body of water undisturbed were used for absorbing the wastes. The reason for this is obvious. The air has a larger measure of access to the water, and can continually re supply the exhaustion produced by the oxidizing process.
The Massachusetts state board of health have suggested that as a result of experiment, in a river continuously flowing at a sufficient velocity to prevent deposit, there should be a discharge of 24 to 7 cubic feet per second for every 1,000 inhabitants who dispose their wastes in its waters. This is equivalent to a dilution of from 16 to 45 times the volume of sewage.
It was recommended for Chicago by the drainage and water supply commission that provision be made in the discharging capacity of the new canal for about 26 times the volume of sewage.
In Milwaukee a pumping plant has been completed for flushing the river, and it is found that a dilution of about 3 times the volume of sewage gives no offense, though it is estimated as the results of experiments that 25 to 30 times the volume of sewage would be equally effective.
On the other hand, in the city of Chicago a dilution of only four times the volume of sewage has proved to be exceedingly offensive, and London

with a dilution of seven to nine times the volume of sewage by the Thames did not prove to be unobjectionable.
For these and other instances then, we conclude that a dilution of from 25 to 30 times the volume of sewage in a running stream or channel is necessary for continuous purification without danger or detriment to health or nuisance to surroundings.
The conditions where sewage flows into lakes, bays or ponds, are somewhat different from running streams, although the process of purification is the same in either case. As the only means of removing and distributing the sewage are the tidal and wind currents, it is necessary that great care be given to the proper dispersion of the sewage through the body of water into which it is discharged; in order that it may have the highest possible degree of dilution.
Experiments made in the city of Boston, show that even in still water where the dilution is sufficient the purification takes place in a very few hours, and that winds and waves have a large part in aiding the result.
In Muskegon sewage is discharged under similar conditions to those proposed in Holland, and although Muskegon is a much larger place, no objectionable features to the method are observable.
Nearly all lake towns and cities discharge their sewage into the lake to purify by dilution, and aside from the question of drawing their water supply from the same source, there can be no question but that no other method of disposal is at once so economical and efficient where the proper ratio of fresh water to the sewage is maintained.
The question of the propriety of towns drawing their water supply from the same body of water into which they dilute their sewage, is of course, an entirely different issue, and under such circumstances the disposal of the sewage of Holland by dilution into Macatawa lake, could not be countenanced for a moment.

But the essential and practical question to be discussed is: If the sewage of Holland is emptied into the center and west end of Macatawa lake, and carefully diffused through a large volume of water, will it occasion any noticeable or objectionable results, for the present or for some years to come?
In answer to the first query, let us see what are the conditions that obtain. The area and soundings of lake Macatawa from the chart of the U. S. Survey give approximately a contents of 1440 million cubic feet of water contained. Three influences are to work to constantly agitate and change this body of water. These are:
1st. The overflow of the Black river, which perhaps slightly influences the change of water in the bay, but which cannot be said to be a very considerable factor in the problem.
2nd. The winds, which are constantly agitating the surface of the lake into waves and currents, which unquestionably have great influence in adding to its oxidizing power.
3rd. The fluctuation of Lake Michigan, which is perhaps the greatest factor in changing the water of the lake.
Let us for the moment assume that there is no change in the waters of the east end of Macatawa lake whatever, and that the sewage from the city, including tannery waste, which is all together estimated not to exceed 1,000,000 gallons per day for the first few years, is emptied at the end of the outlet pipe, and diffused through a section of the middle of the lake 1,000 feet square, and 12 feet deep. A brief calculation will show that the flow of a day's sewage will equal a ratio of ninety volumes of fresh water to one volume of sewage, or several times the amount we have seen is necessary. Under these circumstances it is believed that the greater part of the sewage will be purified in two or three hours after reaching the lake, and that the action of the winds and waves will greatly assist the chemical and bacteriological changes that are requisite for this purpose. When it is remembered that the available area of the lake is several times larger than that here assumed and that the sewage flow for the first four or five years probably much smaller than that estimated, it is difficult to see how any objectionable or noticeable appearance will be caused in the eastern end of the lake for some years to come.

While the designers for the proposed system of sewers for the city of Holland are earnest advocates of the most improved methods of sewage disposal by chemical or land methods, and have advocated their adoption in other places, and made them a special study, yet, after a candid review of the data and local conditions surrounding the problem in Holland, they cannot conscientiously recommend methods, which, however satisfactory from a scientific point of view, must be considerably more costly and difficult than the simple method of dilution, while not any more efficient or practical at least for the present.
Nevertheless, it is a part of wisdom to recognize that the system should be so designed that any of the improved methods may be adopted, should occasion require, or the growth of the town demand in the near future. This it is believed has been carefully done in planning the Holland sewer system as it is now laid out.
Respectfully submitted,
JOHN W. ALVORD,
ALVORD & SHIELDS.

By reason of the extra inroads the official proceedings of the common council and board of public works make upon our columns this week, we have been compelled to curtail on our correspondents and other news of a local nature. In view of the importance of the subject contained in the report of Messrs. Alvord & Shields, we would suggest to our home readers that they preserve this number for further investigation and reference. It is of vital importance to every resident of Holland.
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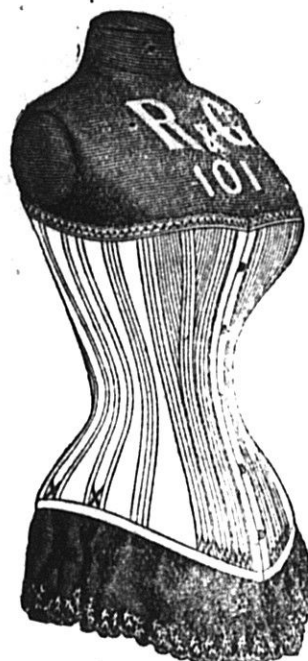
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ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

On the third ballot this afternoon Gov. Stone of Missouri withdrew Bland's name, and cast the vote of his state for Bryan, which gave him the nomination, amid great cheering.

The drought is being severely felt, all around us.

Although the summer resort season is only just opened, the Hotel Macatawa is already crowded.

Geo. P. Hummer will be a member of the committee that is to officially inform the Democratic nominee for president of his nomination.

The increase in business in the post office of Holland during the past year carries with it an increase in salary of \$100 a year. It took effect July 1.

John Cook of Grand Haven was in town Friday, looking up his old friends. John is hustling his campaign for the nomination of county treasurer.

Wm. Jacques of West Olive was in the city this week, calling the attention of his friends to his candidacy for the nomination of county clerk on the Republican ticket.

Prof. Gerhard Vos, Ph.D., of the Theol. Seminary, at Princeton, N. J., who is enjoying a few days' outing at Ottawa Beach, will occupy the pulpit of Rev. K. Van Goor on Sunday, forenoon and afternoon.

In the bicycle race this (Friday) afternoon there were three contestants—Johnnie Roost, Bert Smith and Chas. Robs. Both trials were won by the former—first heat in 1:36½ and second in 1:32½. The contest took place on the race track, at the fair grounds; distance ½ mile. The premium consisted in a silver cup.

G. Vyn left here for his home in Wilkesboro, North Carolina last week, and reached there yesterday (Thursday) morning. A telegram received last night stated that a few hours after his arrival his wife died, very suddenly. The deceased was a sister to the late John R. and Martin Kleyn.

Married in this city, at the home of the bride's parents on Ninth street, by Rev. J. Van Houte, on Tuesday evening, Rev. John Schaefer and Miss Minnie Alberti. The wedded couple expect to leave next week for their new home in Lenox, South Dak., where the groom will assume the pastorate of a Reformed congregation.

Parties engaged in moving buildings having of late assumed too much liberties with trimming shade trees that beautify our streets, but happen to encumber the right of way of some old shell of a building. Mayor De Young on Tuesday served notice on one of the parties thus engaged that shade trees had certain rights which the profession was bound to respect.

Those that are specially interested in live stock will be glad to learn that arrangements have been perfected by which four of our enterprising young business men are receiving daily from Chicago the latest advices and quotations of the stock market, spring chickens, frogs, etc. The combination includes the following: John Bosman, Henry Meengs, Con. De Pree and John E. Benjamin.

The Holland and Chicago line has recently secured new quarters for the docking of freight in Chicago, and claim now to have the most centrally located freight house there, especially so for fruit, being located on South Water street, near State. The building is conveniently arranged and commodious. Twenty-five fruit trucks will be able to enter and load at one and the same time. This will, no doubt, be welcome news to shippers.

Gerrit J. Ten Brink, of Olive, has been adjudged insane by Judge Goodrich and is at present detained at the county infirmary awaiting transfer to the asylum at Kalamazoo. Ten Brink is laboring under the delusion that an electric road from this city is to be laid out over lands in which he is interested, and to which he is violently opposed. Assuming to be the sheriff of Kalamazoo county he called at Dr. W. Van den Berg's place on Wednesday, and informed the doctor that he was about to arrest him. The latter feigned submission and accompanied the insane man to this city, where proper proceedings were instituted for his care and custody. In postmaster De Keyser Ten Brink claimed to recognize a long lost brother.

Big bargains in winter underwear at Streng's.

\$1.25 Kid Gloves for 62 cents at Streng's clearing out sale.

50 cents on a dollar saved by taking advantage of Streng & Son's clearing out sale.

Among the freight carried by the Chicago boat line this week was a consignment of 500 barrels of glucose for Grand Rapids.

Sheriff Stratton of Allegan gets the entire award, \$1,318.45, for the arrest of the Kendallville train robbers. Such is the decision of Judge Adsit.

The attention of bicycle riders is directed to the ordinance in another column, regulating the use of wheels, now pending before the common council.

Married in this city, at the home of the bride's parents on west Thirteenth street, by Rev. H. Van Hoogen, on Wednesday evening, John C. Vissers and Miss Mary Hofman.

This is the time of the year you need thin dress goods. Our dry goods merchant John Vandersluis has just received a new line, and he also has something to say about corsets in this issue.

M. Notier has bought of E. J. Harrington the lot adjoining the fruit pier on the east, on Macatawa Bay. He will at once erect a two story store building and stock it with general merchandise.

The base ball game, K. of P. vs. K. O. T. E., is on this afternoon, at the fair grounds. At two o'clock the two cornet bands of this city joined issue and their rival strains gathered quite a crowd to take in the contest.

The W. R. C. will give a lawn social, with refreshments, at the home of Mrs. H. Boone, Ninth street, on Thursday evening, July 16. No doubt a pleasant time will be had, and the invitation to attend is extended to all.

Dep. Sheriff Albert C. Keppel, and two detectives from Grand Rapids, returned from Ottawa Beach this (Friday) afternoon, where they succeeded in apprehending three individuals, who were wanted in the Valley City for burglary.

Personal Mention.

George Broadmore, formerly of this city, but now residing near Detroit, was in the city on the Fourth, calling upon old acquaintances.

Neal Hazen was home on the Fourth from Toledo, O.

Ed. Bertsch, who is at present connected with a tannery in Columbus, Ind., was home on the Fourth. He will probably move to Columbus.

Miss Grace Yates is visiting the family of William Harrison of Walnut park, Grand Rapids.

Ale P. Steglinga, ex-supervisor of Olive, moved into the city last week, and will be one of our permanent residents.

Miss H. H. Hunt is in Allegan, the guest of Miss Cora Higinbotham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Slioter passed the Fourth at Grand Haven.

Miss Tillie Van Schelven is in Wau-pun, Wis., where she will visit the summer with her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Conway.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hadden spent Wednesday and Thursday in Chicago.

James A. Latta, of Detroit, spent the Fourth with his parents, Prof. and Mrs. P. A. Latta, in this city.

Geo. E. Kollen, Harry R. Doesburg, A. Verlee, J. Kerkhof and F. Van Ry were at Grand Haven Wednesday, attending the meeting of the Republican county committee.

Geo. P. Hummer spent the week in Chicago attending the Chicago convention.

Mrs. Dr. H. Kremers and children are occupying a cottage at the Park. Henry Beucus of Chicago spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Anna Dyk.

Ald. Habermann was a passenger for Chicago on Sunday evening's boat.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Huntley, took the boat for Chicago, Sunday afternoon.

Prof. and Mrs. Phil. Soulen and children of Orange City, Ia., arrived here on the Fourth, to spend the summer with Mr. and Mrs. H. Boone, parents of Mrs. Soulen.

Judge Goodrich of Grand Haven, was in the city Wednesday, on official business.

J. C. Post and son Hoyt, Postmaster C. De Keyser, J. B. Mulder, J. G. Van Putten, E. P. Stephan, B. A. Mulder, Will Breyman, Dr. H. Kremers and son Willie, Fred Metz and Jud Watson were in Chicago Wednesday and managed to take in the big convention.

The Misses Salma Johnson and Alla Fredrick of Grand Rapids, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. Grevengoed.

Mrs. Geo. P. Hummer and children are tenting it for a season at the Park.

Chas. Doesburg and wife returned on Thursday from a week's visit with friends in Chicago.

Pros. Att'y Visscher was at Coopersville Thursday.

G. W. Mokma and son Harry, took the steamer Tuesday evening for a trip to Iowa.

A. H. Brink and son were passengers on the Soo City Tuesday.

Editor Holmes of the Hamilton News was in town Thursday.

Wm. Vorst of Grand Rapids, shook hands with old friends in Holland this week.

Louis Neumeister, now of Sheboygan, Wis., but formerly a resident here, is in town, shaking hands with his many friends. He will make a two weeks' stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright and son Marshall, have been spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Streng.

Mrs. H. Landaal is on a three weeks' visit with her parents in Milwaukee.

Mrs. J. Brockmeyer of Freeport, Ill., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bosman.

Hon. L. G. Palmer of Big Rapids, was in the city Thursday.

The following parties dined with Mrs. M. S. Marshall, Bellavista Cottage, last Sunday: W. H. Tuttle, F. H. Clark, Harry Hammill, C. M. Converse, all of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cass and daughter, Grand Rapids; Mr. and Mrs. E. Westvere, Chicago; Mrs. M. Johnson and son, Washington, D. C.

Miss Gertrude Kanters entertained her many little friends at an afternoon tea, Wednesday, the event being her 3rd anniversary. The guests present were the Misses Evelyn De Vries, Estell Kollen, Helena De Pree, and Mamie Lokker; Master J. Freeman Streng, Richard Oggel, William De Roo, Frank Kleinheksel, of this city, and Marshall Wright of Chicago. Miss Jennie and Mrs. Gerard Kanters assisted.

IN SOUTH AFRICA.

Portuguese Have Lost the Impulse of Discovery and Conquest.

In the early years of the sixteenth century, long before the first Dutch fort was erected at Cape Town, Portugal had planted her settlers at various points along the east coast from Delagoa bay to the Zambesi and Mozambique, says Century. They did some trading in gold and ivory with the interior, and they ascended the Zambesi for several hundred miles. But the pestilential strip of flat ground which lay between the coast and the plateau damped their desires and threw obstacles in the way of their advance. They did little to explore and nothing to civilize the interior.

Three centuries passed, during which our knowledge of south central Africa was scarcely extended; and it was not until some 60 years ago that the Dutch Boers, in their slow wagons, passed northeastward from Cape Colony to the spot where Bloemfontein and Pretoria now stand; not till 1854-6 that David Livingstone made his way through Buchananaland to the Victoria falls of the Zambesi and to the Atlantic coast at Loanda; not till 1889 that the vast territories which lie between the Transvaal republic and Lake Tanganyika began to be occupied by the Mashonaland pioneers. All these farmers, exploring and mining prospectors came up over the high plateau from the extreme southernmost end of Africa, checked from time to time by the warlike native tribes, but drawn on by finding everywhere a country in which Europeans could live and thrive; while the Portuguese, having long since lost the impulse of discovery and conquest, did no more than maintain their hold upon the coast, and allowed even the few forts they had established along the course of the Zambesi to crumble away.

Mummifying the Dead.

A method of mummifying the dead by absorption of humidity and gases after the body is placed in the coffin has been devised by an Italian named Verrelloni. The body seems to be preserved as if in life, excepting that the color is the yellowish copper tint peculiar to Egyptian mummies.

Belle Isle.

Detroit's celebrated park, Belle Isle, was purchased by the city in 1879 for \$200,000. Since then over \$1,000,000 has been spent in beautifying the spot.

No Fake this time Boys.

Con. O'Leary and George Stewart will meet at Lyceum Opera House, Friday, July 17th, in a ten round go, and Frank Chrispel and Frank L. Kuite in a six round go. Other local talent will also be present.

Respectfully Yours.

I have bought the entire stock of shoes and foot-wear of E. Herold, and desire to close out all of last season's goods that are more or less out of style.

Some of these goods will be sold at greatly reduced prices.

Come and see! A special invitation is extended to my old friends and customers that used to deal with me heretofore, when I was in the Dry Goods trade.

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Pure blood and a good digestion are an insurance against disease and suffering. Burdock Blood Bitters keeps the blood pure, the digestion perfect.

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All the claims of superiority and deep cuts flashed before you from time to time by clothiers, who are apparently reckless of results and reputation.

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rather to the substantial common sense confidence inspiring dealer, who values your patronage and doesn't deceive you. Where *your* money buys just as much as your neighbor's and where you are sure of *always* finding the lowest possible prices quoted.

The ready sale of our Men's all wool Cassimere Suits, which we bought late in the season and can therefore sell at the low rate of

\$7.50

has broken up the sizes somewhat, but there are quite a number of "Good Things" on our tables yet. You should not fail to avail yourself of this Bargain.

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ONE PRICE STRICTLY.

An Ordinance

Relative to the use of Bicycles, Velocipedes, and other similar Vehicles, within the City of Holland.

THE CITY OF HOLLAND ORDAINS:

Section 1. No person shall ride any bicycle in any of the public parks, or on any sidewalk within the limits of the city of Holland.

Sec. 2. No person shall ride any tricycle, velocipede, or other similar vehicle, on the sidewalks of Eighth or River streets in said city; provided, however, that the provisions of this section shall not apply to cripples and persons using such vehicles by reason of their inability to walk.

Sec. 3. No person shall ride any bicycle, velocipede, or other similar vehicle, on Eighth or River streets in said city, at a speed greater than eight miles an hour, nor shall more than four persons ride abreast on any of the streets or avenues of said city, excepting in a general public parade or demonstration.

Sec. 4. No person shall ride, use or propel any bicycle on any of the streets or avenues of said city, unless such bicycle has attached thereto a bicycle bell or gong, of the size and kind usually affixed to bicycles, and every such bicycle-rider shall ring such bell or gong at a distance of thirty feet from every cross-walk upon which pedestrians may be crossing, and within a reasonable distance from all pedestrians and persons riding on bicycles and in other vehicles, that he may overtake or pass, in said city.

Sec. 5. Every person riding a bicycle or other similar vehicle on any street or avenue of said city, between one-half hour after sunset and sunrise of the next day, shall, except during moonlight, have affixed to such bicycle or vehicle, a bicycle-lamp of the size and kind usually affixed to bicycles, and shall have such lamp lighted.

Sec. 6. It shall be the duty of every person riding any vehicle mentioned in this ordinance, when meeting, overtaking or passing any other person, or vehicle, to keep to the right, and in all respects obey the laws of the road.

Sec. 7. It shall not be lawful for any person to throw, scatter, sweep, deposit or place on any street or avenue within the city, any glass, tacks, crockery, scrap iron, nails, tin, wire, electric light carbons, ashes or other thing or substance liable to cause puncture to the tires of any vehicle mentioned in this ordinance, or that would interfere with the use thereof.

Sec. 8. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding twenty-five dollars and costs of prosecution, or by imprisonment in the city jail, or county jail of the county of Ottawa, for a period not exceeding thirty days; and in case a fine and costs only shall be imposed, the offender may be sentenced to be imprisoned in the city jail or county jail of Ottawa county, until the payment of such fines and costs, for a term not exceeding thirty days.

Sec. 9. An ordinance entitled "An ordinance relative to coasting, skating, the use of velocipedes, bicycles and tricycles, on the sidewalks of Eighth and River streets, and to prohibit certain practices and amusements on the streets of the city of Holland," passed December 14, 1886, and approved December 15, 1886, is hereby repealed.

Sec. 10. This ordinance shall take effect twenty days after its passage.

The New Wave.

Physical Culture, Pure Food and Drink Marks a New Era.

A great popular pure drink and pure food wave is just now passing over the country, and it seems to have come to stay.

More attention is being given to articles of food and drink than heretofore, and people are slowly learning that good health cannot be preserved under the present civilization unless the habits are of a more natural character. The apparently harmless coffee habit now numbers its victims by the thousands, producing obstinate stomach and bowel troubles that will not abate except by leaving off the habit.

It is not always an easy task to drop a lifetime habit.

One of the late discoveries is a pure food coffee, made entirely of grains and possessing great fattening and nourishing properties, while it brews the exact deep-sal brown color of Mocha and when cream is added, it takes the rich golden brown of old Java. The taste is pungent an pleasant, quite similar to coffee: in fact so close to it in aroma and flavor that the coffee drinker, who has had trouble with coffee, will freely take on the new grain drink when he discovers that it agrees with him perfectly, and its healthful properties quickly dismiss his former ails.

The great feature of this new and rational method of dismissing sickness, is to avoid drugging oneself and quit hurtful habits, taking in only what is known to be pure natural food such as the Creator intended for man's subsistence.

Dr. Wesley A. Dunn, Editor of "Medical Current," Marshall Field Bldg., Chicago says: "I am highly pleased with it."

Nothing is more to the point than this new food-drink made from grains. It bears the name of "Postum Cereal," and is made by the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

It claims to be a direct and quick producer of new blood corpuscles by the natural method of good nourishing food taken in a liquid form. It is quite a bit less expensive than coffee and altogether its use appeals to one's common sense.

Beware of the fraudulent imitations of the original Postum Cereal Grain coffee. Insist on Postum.

Our jeweler Stevenson has just laid in a large and varied assortment of Leather Belts, Bicycle Belts, fine Pocket Books, Gold, Silver and Aluminum Buckles, Blouse Sets, Belt Pins etc. Our lady friends would do well to examine his stock before buying.

Our citizens are requested to keep in mind the visit of Dr. H. E. Wilcox the famous specialist of the Chicago, Eye Institute, who will be here July 13 to 18 at the office of Dr. O. E. Yates.

The use of Hall's Hair Renewer promotes the growth of the hair, and restores its natural color and beauty, frees the scalp of dandruff, tetter, and all impurities.

We all depend on good Light for our Success in Life.



Holland people have found it impossible to secure satisfactory treatment or to have their eyes properly fitted with glasses, without the expense of a visit to some large city. To give the people of this vicinity the best advice possible,

Dr. H. E. Wilcox,

OF THE CHICAGO EYE INSTITUTE

Will be at the office of Dr. O. E. Yates of this city July 13th to 18th.

If your eyes need Treatment or Glasses, you will be told so at once, and there will be no experimenting.

Old and Young Can have the benefit of Advice and no Charge.

Remember the date.

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From grape wine has, by its extreme age and constant care while in uniform temperature and pure, sweet atmosphere of storage houses for fourteen years, become a rival of the Hennessy and other brands of Cognac Brandy, and much lower in price, and preferred by the physicians of Philadelphia, New York and other cities. Buy it of druggists.

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DOMESTIC.

The body of Cecil Wayland was found hanging in the woods near Hannibal, Mo. He assaulted a highly respectable woman, and it was thought her friends could explain the hanging.

Over 20,000 veterans, who followed the fortunes of Lee, Longstreet and Jackson met in Richmond, Va., in sixth annual reunion and to witness the laying of the corner-stone of the Jefferson Davis monument.

Mr. Preston, the director of the mint, has adjusted the values at which foreign coins are to be received by United States customs officers during the next quarter. The values are increased on a basis of \$0.68769 per ounce of silver, as against \$0.68207 on April 1, 1896.

The assistant attorney-general of Illinois, Mr. Newell, has rendered a decision in which he holds that greenbacks are taxable property.

The syndicate which was formed at Youngstown, O., two years ago to establish newspapers from New York to San Francisco has failed.

On a wager of \$100 Lee Palmer walked from Waterloo, Ia., to Dubuque, a distance of 100 miles, in 40 hours.

Benjamin Huff, of Foot Jack, Ind., an old man, while temporarily insane shot and fatally wounded his daughter-in-law and then killed himself.

The public debt statement issued on the 1st showed that the debt increased \$1,820,853 during the month of June. The cash balance in the treasury was \$853,905,635. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury, amounts to \$308,584,823.

Rufus Buck, Louie Davis, Lucky Davis, Naoma July and Sam Sampson, comprising what is known as the Buck gang, were executed at Fort Smith, Ark., for assaulting and murdering the wife of Henry Hassan, a farmer.

J. E. Hardy, a high-wire performer from Toronto, made two trips across the gorge at Niagara Falls on a three-quarter-inch wire rope which was 160 feet above the water.

It was said that William Kruse, for more than 30 years a trusted employee of the importing firm of C. A. Aufmordt & Co., of New York, had sailed for Glasgow with \$100,000 belonging to his employers.

Troops were called for to suppress labor riots at Cleveland, O.

Crescenzo Merola, who shot and killed Emanuel Loro, a barber at Old Forge, Pa., was hanged at Scranton.

The coinage executed at the United States mints during June aggregated 12,760,615 pieces of the value of \$4,623,929, as follows: Gold, 140,982 pieces of the value of \$2,471,217; silver, 3,143,423 pieces of the value of \$1,950,692; minor coin, 9,496,210 pieces of the value of \$302,016.

The Mallory steamship line wharf was burned at Galveston, Tex., the loss being \$150,000.

A two-foot vein of gold ore, assaying \$2,300 a ton, has been found in the Bald mountain district of South Dakota.

One man was killed and dozens were wounded in a riot between striking workmen and the police in the vicinity of the works of the Brown Hoisting and Conveying company in Cleveland, and the troops were called out to stop the fracas.

The closing day of the encampment of the United Confederate Veterans at Richmond, Va., was devoted to the laying of the corner stone of a monument to Jefferson Davis.

The national bank circulation outstanding on the 1st aggregated \$225,912,960, an increase since June 30, 1895, of \$14,312,262.

Charles Williams (colored), of Baltimore, cut his wife's throat with a razor at Atlantic City, N. J., and then served himself in the same manner.

Ten thousand coal miners in the Birmingham (Ala.) district received an advance of seven per cent. in wages.

Two yaws of the towboat Fallie capsized at Cincinnati and threw seven men into the river, two of whom were drowned.

The cruiser Charleston has returned to San Francisco after an absence of two years in Asiatic waters.

The managers of the centennial celebration to be held July 22 at Cleveland, O., have asked the war department to detail government troops to take part in the ceremonies.

The boiler of a railway engine exploded near Hartsville, Ala., killing Engineer James Jones, Fireman Daniel Atkins and brakeman J. Jenkins.

The percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 6th were as follows: Cleveland, 672; Baltimore, 667; Cincinnati, 642; Boston, 607; Pittsburgh, 541; Chicago, 529; Philadelphia, 516; Washington, 500; Brooklyn, 492; New York, 410; St. Louis, 331; Louisville, 190.

John Connelly, a spinner at Fall River, Mass., cut his two-year-old child's throat and then killed himself. He was out of work and despondent.

The scores of glass factories throughout New Jersey have closed down for the summer, giving 5,000 workmen a two months' vacation.

The American Society of Civil Engineers held its 28th annual convention in San Francisco.

Manufacturers representing 1,700,000 spindles in the vicinity of Boston have agreed to curtail production during four weeks in the next two months.

Pending a settlement on the wages scale every iron mill in the Mahoning valley in Ohio has closed, throwing 5,500 men temporarily out of work.

Work is soon to be begun on fortifications for the defense of New York, to cost \$50,000,000.

Michael Barbaras and Louis Deristi were killed in a coal mine explosion at Fayette City, Pa.

Uvalde county, Tex., was being devastated by a prairie fire.

There were 217 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 4th, against 217 the week previous and 195 in the corresponding period of 1895.

During a storm at Hardin's Valley, Tenn., Arthur Peake, a young farmer, and two sisters named Swan were killed by lightning.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 4th aggregated \$1,103,518,933, against \$899,553,832 the previous week. The increase compared with the corresponding week in 1895 was 13.0.

Rachel Mogstad and Bessie Youngren, two young Norwegian girls, took their own lives in Chicago because of poverty.

Sidney Randolph, a negro, charged with the murder of little Sadie Buxton, was lynched by a mob at Rockville, Md.

Whitehouse, a town of 500 inhabitants 17 miles south of Toledo, O., was nearly destroyed by fire.

Arthur E. Smith rode from New York on a bicycle in 142 hours, 15 minutes, breaking the record of 145 hours and 54 minutes.

Lena Bissig, 12 years old, and Jacob and John Lee, aged six and five years respectively, were drowned at Rochester, N. Y., by the upsetting of a skiff.

A cloudburst at Borden, Ind., swept away several houses and stores and in the surrounding country many bridges and all the crops were destroyed.

Mrs. Robert Young and one child who lived near Hillsboro, Ill., were burned to death in their home, which was destroyed by fire. Mr. Young and five other children escaped.

Near Adairville, Ky., H. H. Harmon, the town marshal, and Dick Younger, an outlaw, killed each other in a duel.

The newly-arrived flag containing the 45th star, representing Utah, came into existence on the 4th.

Solomon Marable was hanged at Farmville, Va., for the murder of Mrs. Lucy Jane Pollard June 14, 1895.

Mrs. Henry Ingram, of Battle Creek, Mich., entered upon the 140th day of a fast caused by physical affliction.

Fire destroyed the chlorination works of the Consolidated Mining and Milling company at Deadwood, S. D., the loss being \$100,000.

Thirty-two sticks of dynamite, enough to blow up the whole city, were found secreted under the steps of the Methodist church at Deadwood, S. D.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 6th was: Wheat, 47,189,000 bushels; corn, 9,100,000 bushels; oats, 8,548,000 bushels; rye, 1,462,000 bushels; barley, 813,000 bushels.

The fire loss of the United States and Canada for the month of June was \$5,721,250, making the total for the half year \$63,959,550, against \$66,477,600 for the first six months in 1895.

The opera house at Augusta, Me., owned by J. M. Haynes, was burned, the loss being \$100,000.

By the death of a wealthy uncle in Ohio Frank Wallace, a street car conductor in Lexington, Ky., has fallen heir to \$50,000.

A flood completely swept out the valleys bordering Wegee and Pipe creeks, south of Bellaire, O., carrying away \$200,000 worth of property and drowning James Berry and his wife and baby. Hundreds of people escaped death by taking to high ground.

Mrs. K. B. Richardson, aged 55, and her 17-year-old daughter Ethel were murdered near Santa Barbara, Cal. Suspicion points to Scott Richardson, the dissolute stepson of Mrs. Richardson.

Another waterspout in the interior of Ohio and Marshall counties, W. Va., caused great loss to property and a suspension of railroad traffic.

Robert Cherry Foy, a cadet at the Annapolis military academy from Alabama, has been sentenced to close confinement for one year for hazing.

The 52d annual convention of the Sons of Temperance of North America began in Washington.

By the explosion of natural gas at the Evergreen hotel, seven miles north of Allegheny, Pa., six persons were injured, three fatally.

At Newport, Ky., Alonzo J. Walling, convicted of the murder of Pearl Bryan, was sentenced to be hanged August 7.

N. P. Young, clerk of Isle of Wight county, Va., died at the age of 80. His father, grandfather and great-grandfather preceded him in this office, and the position of clerk was filled by this family 120 years.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

During July conventions of the new national prohibition party will be held in over 20 states, and complete state tickets and presidential electors nominated.

The Arkansas republicans in convention at Little Rock nominated H. M. Remmel for governor. The platform adopted endorsed the St. Louis platform.

In convention at St. Paul the Minnesota republicans renominated David M. Clough for governor and adopted a platform endorsing the national candidates and platform.

Harriet Beecher Stowe, the gifted authoress of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" and other works of world-wide reputation, died at her home in Hartford, Conn., aged 84 years.

The Nebraska republican state convention at Lincoln nominated John McCall, of Lexington, for governor, and adopted a platform endorsing the work of the national convention.

The following congressional nominations were made: Iowa, Ninth district, A. L. Hager (rep.) renominated; Tennessee, Sixth district, J. W. Gaines (free silver democrat); West Virginia, Fourth district, Walter Pendleton (dem.).

At a meeting in Topeka, Kan., of the Republican State league Edward Madison, of Dodge City, was elected president. The resolutions endorse the platform adopted at St. Louis unequivocally.

The funeral of Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe was held at her late home in Hartford, Conn., and the remains were taken to Andover, Mass., for burial.

Garret A. Hobart, the republican nominee for vice president, visited Maj. McKinley at his home in Canton, O.

Michigan republicans will hold their state convention at Grand Rapids on August 5.

The prohibitionists of Minnesota in convention at Minneapolis nominated a state ticket headed by William J. Dean, of that city, for governor. A broad gauge platform was adopted.

The republicans of the Fourth district of Arkansas nominated Judge C. C. Waters, of Little Rock, for congress.

J. C. McKibben, a California forty-niner and a former member of congress from that state, died in Washington.

The Wisconsin silverites will hold a state silver convention in Milwaukee on July 15 to elect delegates to the national silver convention to be held in St. Louis on July 22.

The national executive committee of the new national party announces that its platform favors absolute suppression of the traffic in liquor as a beverage, equal suffrage regardless of sex, bimetalism at sixteen to one, an income tax, teaching in American public schools in the English language, election of president, vice president and senators by direct vote, liberal pensions for ex-soldiers and sailors, their widows and minor children, exclusion of pauper and criminal immigrants and prevention of voting by naturalized citizens until one year after naturalization.

John W. Evans, of Waupaca, has been nominated for congress in the Eighth Wisconsin district by the national party.

Gen. Pierce M. B. Young, United States minister to Guatemala and Honduras, died in New York.

FOREIGN.

Col. Wishon, of Portsmouth, the young Ohio man who organized a company of soldiers and with them joined the Cuban insurgents, was killed in a skirmish with the Spaniards.

The export of bananas from Gibra, Nuevitas and Obeyes has been prohibited by Gen. Weyler on the ground that the steamers engaged in the trade bring supplies to the Cuban insurgents.

The Egyptian government packet Rahmanieh, from Suakim for Suez, broke her shaft and was wrecked on a reef and it was feared that 60 persons were drowned.

In June there were 3,598 deaths from cholera in Cairo, Egypt.

It is said that Russia has obtained absolute freedom of trade in northern China.

The Cretan insurgents defeated the Turks in a recent contest on the north-western coast of the island of Crete, killing 200 of them.

At a banquet in Wilhelmshaven Emperor Wilhelm said during a speech: "Germany is resolved to go its own way, courting no one's favor, doing no one wrong, but ever ready to uphold peace and order in the world."

Earthquakes were occurring daily at Arequipa, Peru, and much damage was being done.

The Egyptian packet Rahmanieh arrived at Suez. She was reported to have gone ashore on a reef, with the loss of 60 lives.

It was said that the steamer Three Friends had safely landed in Cuba the men and arms and ammunition which she took from Key West, Fla., to aid the insurgents.

The Cretons have elected a provisional government and have decided to proclaim the union of the island with Greece.

Daniel D. Youmans, a prominent hatter of New York, and his wife were drowned at Bergen, Norway, where they were on a visit.

LATER.

The democratic national convention met in the Coliseum in Chicago on the 7th and was called to order by Chairman Harrity. After prayer Senator Hill, of New York, was named as the choice of the national committee for temporary chairman, but the silver men would not accept him and elected Senator Daniel, of Virginia, to the position. After appointing other officers and selecting the various committees the convention adjourned for the day. At a caucus of free silver leaders in the evening they selected Senator Stephen M. White, of California, to be the permanent chairman of the convention.

The silver majority in the credentials committee met and threw out the gold delegations of Michigan and Nebraska. The subcommittee on resolutions agreed to report a platform that, among other things, declares for the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of sixteen to one; denounces the issue of bonds; demands that the power to issue circulating notes be taken from national banks; declares for a tariff for revenue only; favors an income tax; demands that pauper immigrants shall be kept out of the country, and declares for liberal pension legislation. Leaders of the "sound money" element held a conference at which a third-party movement was urged, but no definite action was taken.

The weekly report as to the condition of the crops throughout the country is favorable.

The Yale crew was defeated at Henley-on-Thames in the third trial heat for the grand challenge cup, the Leander crew of London winning by 1 1/4 lengths in 7:14.

The Illinois League of Republican Clubs will hold their next annual convention at Peoria on September 1.

The examination of the books of ex-City Attorney Moreland, of Pittsburgh, Pa., and his assistant, House, show \$397,000 unaccounted for.

The New York republican state convention will meet at Saratoga on August 25 to nominate a candidate for governor and other state officials.

The ancient and honorable artillery company of Boston were accorded an enthusiastic welcome on their arrival in London.

The committee appointed by the republican national convention at St. Louis to notify Garret A. Hobart of his nomination for vice president met at the home of the nominee in Paterson, N. J., and performed that duty.

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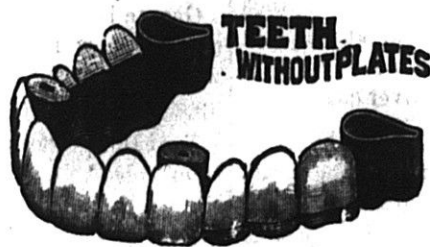
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TO MINE FOR SILVER.
Boston Capitalists Are to Dig for a Precious Legendary Lode.
Houghton, July 7.—It is reported that a party of eastern capitalists, chiefly from Boston, have joined in an enterprise to begin mining operations for silver in what is known as Silver mountain, on the west bank of the Sturgis river, about 12 miles southeast of Baraga. A wonderful legend attributes to the mountain a vast hidden mine of pure silver, the secret opening to which has been known only to the Indians and to one or two white men, whose lives ultimately paid the price for the knowledge they had surreptitiously gained. Outcroppings of the precious metal are numerous, and two or three times during the last quarter of a century companies have been organized for exploring purposes. In 1867 Henry Herbert, a Houghton druggist, was murdered while searching for the mine, and the Indians tell of many other whites who lost their lives while prospecting for the fabulous lode. It is said the Indians used to come into Ontonagon in the old days with sacks full of pure silver and now white men will make a desperate effort to repeat that experience.

LIFE INSURANCE IN MICHIGAN.
Amount of Policies, Premiums and Losses During the Past Year.
Lansing, July 6.—In his annual report, which will soon be submitted to the governor, Insurance Commissioner Giddings shows that during the past year 40 regular, or level premium life insurance companies wrote policies amounting to \$24,502,848, receiving premiums aggregating \$4,356,715, and incurred losses of \$1,584,765. At the close of the year they had insurance aggregating \$127,850,365 in force. The taxes paid by insurance companies amounted to \$215,184. The report says that a general revision of the laws governing cooperative and fraternal assessment life associations is an imperative necessity as affording the only remedy demanded by a suffering public which is being preyed upon by the representatives of irresponsible associations beyond the reach of insurance supervision.

SALOON MEN TO SUFFER.
Violations of the Law July 4 at Marquette to Be Punished.
Marquette, July 8.—Eight saloon keepers were arrested Tuesday afternoon for violation of the liquor law in selling drinks July 4, under cover, it is alleged, of implied promise of protection by the committee that arranged the celebration here. This protection had been made a condition of liberal saloon subscriptions to the celebration fund, so it is said. Four years ago similar cases occurred, and Judge Stone was unusually severe with the offenders. As these cases will also come before him, it is quite certain the severest penalty of the law will be meted out to those who were implicated in the former violations. Two of the saloon keepers made no pretense of closing on the Fourth, but the others closed front doors only.

The Champion Speller.
Decatur, July 4.—Miss Shirley D. Ward, of this city, is the best speller in the public schools of Michigan, she having won that title in a state spelling contest inaugurated by the superintendent of public instruction, which has been in progress over a year. The several schools in each township first ascertained their best speller. These contested for the county championship, and to each of the winners in the latter class was pronounced a selected list of 800 words by the several county superintendents of schools.

Road to Be Extended.
Decatur, July 3.—The directors of the St. Joseph Valley railway have decided to extend the road from Berrien Springs to Benton Harbor, and the work of construction will be at once commenced. The road has been an unprofitable property for several years, but the projected extension will reach the richest portion of the western Michigan fruit belt, and the directors hope to put the entire line on a paying basis.

Magistrates Will Fight.
Decatur, July 8.—Many Michigan justices of the peace were thrown out of office July 1 by an act of the last legislature and have combined to test the law. A judge of the circuit court will be asked to grant a mandamus requiring one of the ex-justices to issue a summons. If the petition is refused it will be taken to the supreme court.

Shot by a Drunken Husband.
Detroit, July 8.—T. H. Otten, a drunken horsehoof, Tuesday morning shot his wife, the bullet lodging in her shoulder, and also shot Mrs. Henry Desruisseaux, at whose house Mrs. Otten had been staying, she having left her home on account of her husband's dissipated and dangerous habits. Both women will probably recover.

Good Gain for Lansing.
Lansing, July 3.—The new city directory for Lansing, just issued by Chilson & McKinley, will show a total of 8,444 names, an increase of 420 over the directory of 1894. Upon a basis of 2½ persons to each name, the city has gained over 1,000 inhabitants in two years and now has a total population of 21,110.

Drowned.
Kalamazoo, July 5.—Marinus Remenues and John Van Dwell were thrown out of a boat at Lakeview Saturday night and Remenues was drowned. The body is in 30 feet of water.

Lansing Bonds Sold.
Lansing, July 3.—The city of Lansing sold \$50,000 of 4½ paving bonds to W. J. Hayes & Sons, of Cleveland, at a premium of \$321. The bonds mature in five equal yearly installments.

Drowned in Black Lake.
Holland, July 2.—While swimming in Black lake John Hesselink, the 12-year-old son of Garrett Hesselink, was drowned. The body was found two hours later.

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FLOUR—Minnesota Patents.....	3 25	@ 3 75	
Minnesota Bakers.....	2 40	@ 2 80	
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	64½	@ 64½	
September.....	61½	@ 62½	
CORN—No. 2.....	33	@ 33½	
September.....	33½	@ 33½	
OATS—Western.....	22	@ 26	
PORK—Mess, Old.....	7 75	@ 8 85	
LARD—Rendered.....	4 10	@ 4 15	
BUTTER—Western Crm'y.....	11½	@ 12	
EGGS.....	11	@ 15	

CHICAGO.		CATTLE—Beeves.....		35 50		@ 4 40	
Stockers and Feeders.....		2 50		@ 3 75			
Cows and Bulls.....		1 25		@ 3 75			
Texas Steers.....		2 50		@ 3 75			
HOGS—Light.....		3 25		@ 3 75			
Rough Packing.....		2 85		@ 3 00			
SHEEP.....		2 00		@ 4 00			
BUTTER—Western Crm'y.....		10		@ 14½			
Dairy.....		9		@ 12			
EGGS—Fresh.....		9		@ 9½			
POTATOES—New (per brl.).....		80		@ 1 00			
PORK—Mess.....		6 75		@ 6 80			
LARD—Steam.....		3 75		@ 3 80			
FLOUR—Winter.....		2 80		@ 3 00			
GRAIN—Wheat, July.....		54½		@ 55½			
Corn, No. 2.....		26½		@ 26½			
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GRAIN—Wheat, No 2 Spring	\$	54½ @	54½
Corn, No. 3.....		26½ @	26½
Oats, No. 2 White.....		17½ @	17½
Rye, No. 1.....		31½ @	31½
Barley No. 2.....		30 @	30½
PORK—Mess		6 65 @	6 70
LARD		3 75 @	3 80

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GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red.....	\$	58½ @	58½
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CATTLE—Native Steers.....	\$	40 @	42

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