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# HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XX.

HOLLAND, MICH., SATURDAY, JULY 25, 1891.

NO. 26.

## HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

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

L. Mulder - Publisher.

Rates of advertising made known on application.

"Groundwater and News" Steam Printing House, River Street, Holland, Mich.

## A HOME.

I have some of the finest lots in the city on my list, and will sell them at a great bargain.

### ON SMALL AND EASY PAYMENTS.

With the new steamboat line to Milwaukee and the opening of the C. L. King factory a real estate investment will make money.

If you want a Lot, or a Home, call on me and see what I can offer.

Walter C. Walsh.

Holland, Mich., May 6, 1891.

IF YOU WILL WRITE TO

**J. H. BACHELER, M. D.,**  
CANCER SPECIALIST, 28 MONROE ST.,  
Grand Rapids, Michigan.

HE will send you free a Circular, that carefully and fully describes the symptoms of all forms of cancer. The circular also gives the names and post office addresses of more than 100 persons who have been cured of cancer by his plaster treatment. — Office hours: 10 to 12; 2 to 4 p. m. — Telephone No. 1008. 9-17

**J. G. Huizinga, M. D.**

### PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Special attention paid to diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat.

Office in Moyer & Son's building, one door north of the music store, River street. Office hours: 11 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m., and evenings. Can also be found at his office during the night.

Holland, Mich., April 23, 1891. 23 ly

## Newspapers and Periodicals

Can be obtained at reduced rates of the local agent in this city. Leave your orders for any publication in the U. S. or Canada at the Post Office, with

**C. De Keyser,**

Holland, Mich., May 6, 1891. 156f

## BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

### Attorneys and Justices.

**DIEKEMA, G. J.,** Attorney at Law. Collections promptly attended to. Office, Van der Veen's block, Eighth street.

**FAIRBANKS, T.,** Justice of the Peace, Notary Public and Pension Claim Agent, River St., near Tenth.

**POST, J. C.,** Attorney and Counsellor at Law. Office: Post's block, corner Eighth and River streets.

### Bakeries.

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

### Banks.

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

### Barbers.

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

### Commission Merchant.

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

### Drugs and Medicines.

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

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

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

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

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

### Dry Goods and Groceries.

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

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

**GRANDALL, S. B.,** dealer in Department Goods and proprietor of Holland's City Market, Eighth street.

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

**DE VRIES, U.,** dealer in General Merchandise, and Produce. Fresh Eggs and Dairy Butter always on hand. River street, cor. Ninth.

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

**VAN DER HAAB, H.,** general dealer in Dry Goods, etc., Oysters in season. Eighth street.

**VAN PUTTEN, J. & SONS,** General Dealers in Dry Goods, Groceries, Crochery, Hats and Cap Flour, Provisions, etc., River street.

## CITY AND VICINITY.

Wheat, old 90c, new 85c.

Miss Lalla McKay will sing in Hope church, Sunday evening.

Benton Harbor and Douglas have commenced shipping peaches and muskmelons to Chicago.

The Michigan state assembly, Knights of Labor, what there is left of them, will meet in convention at Lansing, Aug. 4.

For the next thirty days oil stoves and refrigerators are being offered at reduced prices at the hardware store of E. Van der Veen. See ad.

Everybody is busy in the country and farmers' teams are a scarce quantity in town just now. It is only after a rain shower that they put in an appearance.

Rev. Jas. F. Zwemer, of Orange City, Ia., was in the city this week, and will at an early date resume his labors in behalf of the endowment of Hope College.

The C. & W. M. railway has commenced work on a new iron drawbridge over the Muskegon river. It will have a thirty-five foot opening and replace the present wooden structure.

The twenty-seventh annual fair of the Kent County Agricultural Society will be held at Grand Rapids, Sept. 14-18. In the premium list, just out, they announce "competition open to the world."

N. E. Earle, a prominent attorney of Grand Rapids, ex-member of the legislature, and a leading republican, died Saturday. His name was prominently mentioned as a candidate for the congressional vacancy of this district.

One day last week 23 Dutchmen were returned from New York to Amsterdam, by the steamer Maasdam. They came under the class of pauper emigrants, and under the recent act of Congress were not allowed to land.

The race course at the fair grounds is in good condition now, and the more it is used the better it will be in trim for the fair races. It is open and free to all; and the horsemen of this city will no doubt avail themselves of the opportunity thus offered.

One of the pioneer women of Graafschap, that settled there in the early part of '47, Mrs. Hermans Strabbing, aged 88 years, died Wednesday night. She was the mother of Sheriff Strabbing of Allegan County, and of Rev. A. Strabbing of Hamilton.

The People's Party of this city and vicinity, numbering it is said about fifty, have rented Harrington's Hall for a year, as a place of meeting. David Bertsch is president of the club; Olef J. Hansen, vice president; Alvin A. Alverson, secretary; and John Elferdink, Jr., treasurer.

The board of education have resolved upon the hot blast system for the heating and ventilating of the Central and high school buildings. It is said that by the adoption of this system of ventilating the four basement rooms in the Central building can also be utilized for school purposes. The expense involved will be about \$3,000.

Some time last spring Hendrikje De Zwaan, of Colledoon, applied for and obtained in the Allegan circuit a divorce from her husband Jan De Zwaan, on the grounds of ill-treatment. The decree carried with it an allowance of \$1,000. To all of which the defendant objects and the case will now be taken to the supreme court. G. J. Diekema of this city represents the aggrieved wife and Phil Padgham of Allegan the wronged husband.

Messrs C. L. King & Co. will break up their factory in Montague in about two weeks and move the entire plant into their new building on Bay View, in this city. A large number of families will move with them and every effort is being made to secure them residences. Several new buildings in the west end of town have been contracted for, and more are to follow. Material at the new factory is also beginning to be brought in, the first car loads of logs having arrived Wednesday.

Several of the Veterans of this city and vicinity are preparing to attend the National Encampment of the G. A. R., at Detroit. They expect to leave a week from Monday morning and take in all the festivities connected with the event. An effort is being made to obtain consent from the state authorities to take the battle flags of the several Michigan regiments, now deposited in the state capitol, and carry them in the parade of Tuesday. If this effort succeeds Ben Van Raalte has been promised the honor of carrying the colors of his old regiment, the 25th Infantry.

Holland Fair week, Oct. 6-9.

Squire Fairbanks has obtained an increase of pension for Jan. Albers, late of the 25th Mich. Inf.

The HOLLAND CITY NEWS and the Detroit Weekly Tribune are now offered for one year at the low price of \$1.50, strictly in advance.

Occasionally an old settler, in the shape of a well preserved pine stump, is being exhumed in digging the trenches for the water-mains.

It takes about three seconds for a message to go from one end of the Atlantic cable to the other. Between Grand Haven and Holland it generally takes the better part of 24 hours.

Edgar Welton and Earnest Fletcher, of Olive, were bound over to the Circuit Court for trial, Tuesday, by Squire Fairbanks, on the complaint of Andrew Mundy, for having forcibly broken into his enclosure.

G. H. Evening Tribune: "P. H. McBride, of Holland, arrived in town this morning with his umbrella." At this end of the route we can report the safe return of the umbrella on the evening of the same day.—Ed.

Rev. Albertus Pieters will preach in Hope Church Sunday morning, the occasion being his last Sabbath in Holland, before his departure as missionary to Japan. A sermon to children will be preached by the pastor in the evening.

John D. Rockefeller, the Standard Oil magnate, it is said, is in shattered health and has completely lost his nerve. It ought to be said, however, that those who have had any financial dealings with him of late have not noticed the loss.

The three sons of Mr. and Mrs. Minne Stegenga, North Holland, Peter, Gerrit and Dirk, have built their parents a \$1,000 new residence on the old farm, opposite the church. The contractors were Messrs. T. Smit and T. Slag, of this city.

The building on the corner of Eighth and Market streets, occupied by A. Woltman as a cigar store, is being moved south to make room for the new bank building. The plans have not been fully decided upon, except that it will be a double block, fronting on Eighth street, and three stories high.

From the Saugatuck Commercial:—"People at Holland saw the light of the fire at Douglas last Thursday night and called out their fire department, thinking the blaze was at the Graafschap settlement. Next time a fire occurs in this region after 4 o'clock information should be wired to our neighbors of the Leather City."

Johannes Fisher, of Grand Haven, was 90 years old Thursday. He came to that place from Milwaukee in 1853 with a wife and eight children, and has five sons now living. His wife died 10 years ago. He has 38 grand children and 31 great grand children. Mr. Fisher has been blind 25 years, but otherwise enjoys good health.—Tribune.

The first new wheat was brought in Wednesday, by D. H. Clark, at the Standard Roller Mills. It was raised on sandy soil on the Bay Road to Macatawa Park. The quality was good and the yield 17 1/2 bushels per acre. The next day the Holland City Mills received their first new wheat from J. A. Van Tubergen, which was also of the best quality. At W. H. Beach's John Naber delivered 150 bushels, Friday, the quality of which was excellent.

The committee recently appointed in behalf of a new library building for Hope College met in this city Wednesday, to consider the feasibility of making a beginning with the project in hand. Several handsome donations have already been received and more are expected. Plans and estimates have been solicited, and judging from indications the matter will not be allowed to linger. The committee consists of Prof. Kollen, Rev. Dr. Beardslee, H. D. Post, Esq., and Rev. J. F. Zwemer.

Overisel township has a case of suicide to record this week. Lucas Harnsen was a well to do farmer, aged between 55 and 60 years, with a family consisting of his wife and four or five children. There is said to have been some trouble or disagreement of late, the exact nature of which we did not learn. About midnight of Wednesday he got out of bed, went out doors, and did not return. Shortly after his leaving his wife thinks she heard a report, like the discharge of a fire-arm. In the morning a search was instituted and his dead body found in the field, away from the house. At his side lay an empty gun. The charge of the gun was lodged in his breast, and death must have been instantaneous.

Celery growing about Kalamazoo gives employment to 2,500 people.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. Notier, on Ninth street, Friday, the 17th inst., a daughter.

Bargains in the line of millinery goods are offered by Miss De Vries & Co. See their new ad.

Divine services will be held in Grace church, Sunday morning and evening, by Rev. J. N. Rippey. Communion at 10 o'clock a. m.

As one of the freaks of vegetation we were shown by Mr. Kordux a three-jointed cucumber, raised by him on his place north of the city.

The ladies of Grace Episcopal church will hold another ice cream festival at the old Reidsma store, Eighth street, on Saturday evening.

List of letters advertised for the week ending July 23rd, '91 at the Holland, Mich., P. O.: M. O. Helmer, Hon. D. N. Taylor.

G. J. VAN DUREN, P. M.

The C. & W. M. will start a special train on Monday, Aug. 3, leaving St. Joseph 9:00 a. m., stopping at Holland, and arriving at Grand Rapids 12:15 p. m., and at Detroit at 5:30 p. m.

Judge Champlin, whose term of office as justice of the supreme court expires Dec. 31, has been elected by the board of regents of the Michigan University as one of professors in the law department.

The saw and shingle mill and lumber of the Cutler & Savidge Lumber Company at LeRoy, Osceola Co., Mich., was destroyed by fire Sunday night at 12 o'clock. The loss is said to be about \$250,000 and the insurance large.

If all the wealth in the United States were to be equally divided now, in six months there would be some people riding in palace cars, some in buggies, some would be walking, and some would be sitting in the fence corners watching the procession go by.

G. J. Diekema has accepted the invitation to deliver the address at the annual meeting of the Farmers' Union Picnic Association of Ionia county, to be held at Saranac, on Wednesday, Aug. 19. This organization takes in the entire agricultural population of Ionia county.

Rev. E. C. Oggel, well remembered by many of our readers, and now the pastor of a Reformed church at the island of St. Thomas, writes that he likes the place very well, but the ways of the people are very odd. Instead of a bell announcing the hour of church a drummer stands on the outside and drums them in, and many other queer customs.—Tribune.

A New Jersey boy has caused a deal of trouble for the school authorities of that state because he refused to apologize for kissing a girl and would not take a whipping from the teacher. The boy refused to acknowledge he committed a crime even though the kiss was stolen. He was dismissed from school, but the county and state superintendents were both boys once and re-instated him.

The dates between which excursion tickets to Detroit and return will be accepted upon Michigan roads was changed at the Ottawa Beach meeting of the Michigan Passenger Association on Thursday last. It is now agreed that tickets shall be good for return on and after Aug. 4 to Aug. 18. Any one desiring to return later than this may have their tickets extended upon application so as to terminate not later than Sept. 30.

Robert Packard and wife of New Hartford, Ia., are the father and mother of twenty-nine living children. The first of the offspring, a man now 49 years of age, is married and lives on a farm adjoining his parents. The other twenty-eight are single and live under the parental roof. There is only one girl among the number. The first child was born alone. The next five births were triplets, and the remainder are sets of twins.

H. H. Pope, a resident of Allegan, vice-president of the Waverly Stone Company of this city, is thus quoted in a recent interview by the G. R. Democrat: "I have just returned from Chicago, where I purchased \$3,000 worth of new machinery to be used at our quarries. We will now have machinery sufficient for an output of thirty cars per day of sawed and building stone. Our shipments are increasing, and we send stone north, south, east and west. I have just closed two large contracts." Speaking of the city of Holland, Mr. Pope said: "I want to say to you that Holland is the biggest town of its size in the country. I stood in one place this morning and counted thirty-seven new residences upon which the hammer resounded."

The wheat yield in southern Michigan is large. Some fields go as high as 38 bushels per acre.

The car department of the C. & W. M. repair shops at Muskegon is busy refitting 100 fruit cars.

Gen. Alger has invited President Harrison to be his guest during the G. A. R. encampment at Detroit.

On her Wednesday trip the City of Marquette took the first shipment of peaches from this place, for Milwaukee.

Thanks to Geo. H. Souter for a choice selection of his English Black currants, the finest we have seen this season.

The Common Council has ordered the improvement of that part of Eleventh street lying between Cedar and Market streets.

The milliner's early closing notice has been amended so as to read that their several stores will be closed during the summer at 7 o'clock p. m.

The residents of Fourteenth street, not wishing to be outdone by their neighbors, have also sent in a petition to the Common Council for the grading and graveling of their street.

The annual meeting of the Ottawa County Building and Loan Association which was to be held on Tuesday evening, has been adjourned for two weeks, at the same place and hour.—See notice.

Rev. F. P. Baker, of Wayne, Neb., has received a call from the Reformed church at Constantine, and also from Immanuel Presbyterian church, Grand Rapids. He expects to go to Constantine.

They came very near having a hanging bee in the blacksmith shop on River street, opposite Centennial Park, one day last week. The victim escaped within a hair's breath of his life and is now in the country, recuperating.

The contract for the construction of the culvert on Maple street has been awarded to J. B. Smit, for \$447; and the grading and graveling to Bernardus Riksen, at 10¢ cents for the grading and 58 cents for the graveling, per cubic yard.

## Personal Mention.

C. L. King was in the city, Thursday.

Miss Rose Mohr spent Sunday at Fremont.

Frits Dykema, of Fremont, Sundayed with his parents.

D. Schram, of the G. R. Standard, is cottaging at Macatawa.

Mr. J. Van den Berg has gone to Kalamazoo to visit friends.

Pros. Atty Danhoff and Sheriff Vaupeel were in the city, Monday.

A Herold of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with his parents here.

Miss Nellie Williams of Detroit is the guest of Miss Kittle Doesburg.

Miss Cornelia Benjamin of Grand Rapids is visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. E. Krusinga has been visiting her daughter Mrs. J. Nies, at Saugatuck.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes, of Nebraska, are the guests of Rev. and Mrs. H. S. Barget.

Capt. P. Pfanstiehl took the steamer City of Marquette for Milwaukee, Wednesday.

Misses Martha and Lucy Blom are making a two weeks' visit with friends at Grand Haven.

Miss Hannah Te Roller returned Friday from an extensive visit to friends in Iowa and Wisconsin.

Mrs. Ja's Ten Eyck, of Fairview, Ill., and daughter, are visiting Mrs. D. B. K. Van Raalte. The two ladies are sisters.

S. De Bruyn, of late connected with De Hope as proof reader, has taken a position with Van Vlissingen Bro's, Roseland, Ill.

Mrs. Barkema and Mrs. Oosting and children of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. R. Van der Ploeg of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. Van der Ploeg.

J. Marion Doesburg, late of the Plankinton Hotel, Milwaukee, has received the appointment of manager of the Johnson Electric Service Co., a corporation newly organized in that city.

J. L. Rademaker and J. Stouthamer of Milwaukee, Mrs. J. Visser of Pella, Ia., and Mrs. K. Mechelen, of Keokuk, sons-in-law and sisters respectively of T. Keppel, are visiting with the latter.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Spietsma took the steamer Kalamazoo for Chicago, Tuesday evening, to be present at the wedding in that city, of their daughter Johanna to Jacob Van Reenen, on Thursday of this week.







# Holland City News.

HOLLAND CITY, MICHIGAN.

## HANGED A BURLY NEGRO

ANGRY KENTUCKIANS WHO DIDN'T WAIT FOR LAW.

Russia Wants India—Crushed in a Mini Shaft—Twenty Officers Shot—The Base-Ball Record—Defaulter Pope Arrested in Mexico.

### PULLMAN STRETCHED HEMP.

Shelbyville (Ky.) Citizens Take the Law Into Their Own Hands.

At Shelbyville, Ky., when negro Sam Pullman's assault on Mrs. Thomas Glenn became generally known, business of all kinds was suspended and the citizens took up the exciting pastime of man-hunting. The hemp patch in which Pullman was hiding was quickly surrounded, every man was armed with a shooting iron and every tenth man was supplied with a long piece of rope. Pullman was afterward captured as he was counting ties on the railroad track near Lawrenceburg. He was placed in the jail at that place and after night-fall Sheriff Long, with twenty guards, started back to Shelbyville with him. A crowd of curious people followed. When the officers had got about two and one-half miles on the road from Lawrenceburg "the best citizens of Shelbyville" overtook them and without resistance quickly lynched the negro.

### CHOLERA AT MECCA.

Hundreds of Deaths Daily Reported Among Turkish Pilgrims.

Advices from Mecca represent the cholera as rapidly increasing at that place. On one day recently 140 deaths occurred, followed by 380 on the next day. The mortality is greatest among the Turkish pilgrims. The Khedive has ordered rigorous measures to prevent the introduction of the disease into Egypt. Not one Egyptian has as yet been smitten with the cholera.

### GOULD ROADS CONSOLIDATE.

The Three Fort Scott Lines Merged Into One Company.

A meeting of the directors of three of Jay Gould's roads, the Fort Scott and Southern, the Fort Scott and Eastern and Fort Scott Belt Terminal Railway, took place at Fort Scott, Kan. They were consolidated under the name of the Fort Scott Central Railway Company.

### ON THE DIAMOND.

How the Clubs Engaged in the National Game Stand.

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

NATIONAL LEAGUE.				
W. L.	W.	L.	Pc.	
New Yorks	48	38	55.8	Philadelphia's 35 38 47.6
Chicago	43	31	58.1	Brooklyn's 34 39 46.6
Bostons	40	38	54.8	Cincinnati's 31 43 41.9
Cleveland	35	38	48.0	Pittsburgh's 30 41 38.0
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.				
W. L.	W.	L.	Pc.	
Bostons	44	25	64.1	Columbus's 38 43 46.9
St. Louis	33	29	53.3	Cincinnati's 35 43 44.8
Baltimore	31	30	50.0	Washington's 25 36 41.1
Philadelphia's	38	39	49.4	Washington's 25 36 41.1
WESTERN ASSOCIATION.				
W. L.	W.	L.	Pc.	
Omahas	43	29	59.7	Kansas City's 37 41 47.4
Milwaukee's	42	32	56.8	St. Paul's 35 40 46.4
Lincolns	42	34	55.3	Denver's 34 42 44.7
Minneapolis	43	36	54.1	Duluth's 25 42 37.3

### Advancing on India.

Advices from India bring the intelligence that Russia is again at work on the north-western frontier endeavoring to extend her already powerful influence in that region across the border into Hindoostan and Afghanistan, whose domination the St. Petersburg Government has long coveted.

### Royal and Select Masons Meet.

At Minneapolis the General Grand Council of Royal and Select Master Masons elected Orestes A. B. Senter, of Columbus, Ohio, General Grand Master, and Henry W. Mordhorst, of Fort Wayne, Ind., Grand General Recorder.

### Mrs. Parnell Bitten.

Mrs. Della T. Parnell, mother of Charles Stewart Parnell, while fondling a strange dog at her home at Ironsides, N. J., was badly bitten on the left hand. The dog was at once killed and the wound cauterized.

### Crushed in a Mine Shaft.

At Pinebluff coal mines, Ala., a shaft caved in, burying four miners under a mass of stones and dirt. When taken out Tom Roundtree was dead, his body having been crushed to a jelly.

### "Stonewall" Statue Unveiled.

At Lexington, Va., on the thirtieth anniversary of the first battle of Bull Run, the statue of Gen. Stonewall Jackson was unveiled by his granddaughter, Julia Jackson Christian.

### Defaulter Pope Arrested.

William H. Pope, the defaulting State Treasurer of Tennessee, has been arrested in the City of Mexico. He will be held for a requisition by the Tennessee authorities.

### Deny that She Is Married.

The parents of Mrs. James Brown Potter, now in Paris, deny the reports that their daughter had been divorced from Mr. Potter and married to the actor, Bellevue.

### Senator Ross Dead.

Senator W. H. Ross, of the Cherokee Nation, died at Fort Gibson, of heart disease. He was a half-breed, 68 years of age, and was educated at Princeton.

### Shot Twenty Officers.

Twenty Chilian army officers were shot, having been convicted of poisoning Admiral Montt and several other members of the revolutionary party.

### Have Recovered the Bodies.

The bodies of Captain Jennings and five of his crew, who were drowned at the wrecking of the steamship Circe, have washed ashore at Anticosti.

### Want Poff for President.

Kansas Alliance men are advocating Senator Poff for the Presidential nomination by the People's party.

### Smuggled Chinamen Sent Back.

The Chinamen who were smuggled across the Canadian border at Franklin, Vt., have been sent back to Canada. They said they were brought to Cowansville, Quebec, by the Canadian Pacific Road, and thence smuggled across the border in a carriage by a white man.

### Wrecked on Hope Island.

"Boss Bill" Tamos' old yacht Columbia, which the famous ringleader of New York politics escaped from New York to the Spanish main, was wrecked on Hope Island,

## THE OHIO TICKET.

James E. Campbell Renominated for Governor by Ohio Electorates.

At Cleveland, Ohio, 600 delegates assembled at the Democratic State Convention, and were called to order by State Chairman Norton. His introductory speech dealt chiefly with the McKinley bill, and accepted the challenge voiced in the Republican platform. He was followed by Allen W. Thurman, who also assailed the McKinley measure. Both speakers joined in expressing admiration for Mr. McKinley as an honest and able citizen, but assailed the wisdom of his judgment upon the tariff question. The majority report of the Committee on Resolutions, containing clauses favoring a graded income tax and the free coinage of silver, was accepted. The minority report differed only in these particulars. Ex-Congressman Follett, heading the Hamilton County delegation, presented the name of Lawrence T. Neal, of Chillicothe, as candidate for Governor. He was followed by S. D. Dodge, of Cleveland, who named Virgil P. Kline, of Cuyahoga County. Gen. Michael Ryan, of Cincinnati, then presented the name of Gov. James E. Campbell, and a ballot immediately followed with this result:

Campbell.....509 73.6  
Neal.....124 24.6  
Kline.....56

After Gov. Campbell's speech of acceptance, ex-Congressman Yoder, of Lima, named W. V. Marquis for Lieutenant Governor, and he was chosen by acclamation. The completed ticket is given.

Governor.....JAMES E. CAMPBELL  
Lieutenant Governor.....W. V. MARQUIS  
Treasurer of State.....T. E. BRENNAN  
Attorney General.....J. F. ACKERMAN  
Judge of Supreme Court.....JOHN P. BAILEY  
Commissioner of Schools.....CHARLES C. MILLER  
Member Board of Public Works.....J. McNAMARA  
Food and Dairy Commissioner.....H. S. TRUBNO

### FINE CROP PROSPECTS.

The Country Generally Feels Their Influence and Trade Is Better.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: business clearly grows somewhat more active, though midsummer dullness is still the rule. At Eastern cities there is noticed more demand for manufactured goods with larger call for materials. At the West trade is enlivened by the large yield of winter wheat already harvested and by the bright outlook for other crops. At the South, however, though the crop advices are also favorable, no improvement appears in business, which is duller than usual even for the season and at some points is pronounced quite unsatisfactory. Imports at New York have sharply declined since July, amounting to about \$4,300,000, or 18 per cent. less than for the same weeks last year. On the other hand, exports of domestic products at this point show an increase thus far in this month of \$3,323,000, or nearly 33 per cent. in comparison with the same weeks last year. The money markets are generally in fair shape, and collections fair for the season. The business failures occurring throughout the country during the last seven days number 374, as compared with a total of 347 last week. For the corresponding week of last year the figures were 207.

### WEST SUPERIOR WINDSWEEP.

Five Killed and Many Others Injured by a Cyclone.

A terrible storm of wind and rain struck West Superior, Wis. Several small buildings were blown down, but at one spot the storm left appalling proof of its deadly force. A large three-story frame structure, near the barge works, partly completed, was blown down on the heads of about twenty workmen and a score of other people who gathered within its limits for protection. It was with the utmost difficulty that the undertaking of getting at the real extent of the disaster was prosecuted. A pair of corpses dragged from the ruins dispelled the faint hope that no life had been sacrificed outright. Rescuers were hindered and the misery of the wounded doubly intensified by water-soaked garments. The building is a complete wreck. In spite of the pouring rain the visitors at the scene rushed in and assisted the firemen in the cause of rescue. Men in all professions and walks of life stood shoulder to shoulder and worked with only the thought of humanity's sake. Five were killed outright and ten injured.

### MRS. MAYBRICK DOOMED.

Her Suit to Recover Her Husband's Life Insurance Money Decided Against Her.

Judgment was given at London on the action brought in the case of Mrs. Maybrick against an insurance company to recover the sum of \$10,000 insurance upon her husband's life. The court decided that Mrs. Maybrick had murdered her husband and consequently she could not recover the amount for which he was insured, as his death was caused by the person for whose benefit the policy was taken. Mrs. Maybrick, it will be recalled, is the American woman who, a few years ago, was arrested on the charge of poisoning her husband, who was a well-known Liverpool cotton merchant.

### SUICIDE OF JUDGE WARDER.

Remorse for the Murder of His Daughter and Son-in-Law Drives Him Crazy.

Judge James A. Warder, of Chattanooga, Tenn., who shot and killed his son-in-law, S. M. Fuggette, and dangerously wounded his daughter, Mrs. Fuggette, while she was trying to save her husband's life on Jan. 18 last, shot himself at the stone cottage on Lookout Mountain, and died. Judge Warder was the District Attorney of Chattanooga at the time of the murder, which was the most appalling tragedy known in the State. Intense grief and remorse gradually unsettled his mind until he became but a shadow of his former self.

### SCUFFLED IN THE FLAMES.

Many Casualties by a Tenement-House Fire in Brooklyn.

In a fire in a Brooklyn four-story brick tenement the damage is estimated at \$20,000. The three-year-old daughter of John Bishop, the janitor, was suffocated. Mrs. Bishop, the mother of the janitor, fell and was seriously injured. Mrs. Bridget Smith was carried out in an unconscious condition. Mrs. Birdslat jumped through a window and was seriously injured. Mrs. William Foley fell down stairs and was badly bruised. An unknown man had his leg broken. The fire is supposed to have been incendiary.

### QUAY WILL STEP DOWN AND OUT.

Clarkson Likely to Become Chairman of the Republican National Committee.

Senator Quay has issued a call for a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Republican National Committee in Philadelphia. Senator Quay has informed more than one of his friends that he had concluded to retire from the Chairmanship, although retaining his membership in the National Committee. He will in all probability be succeeded by J. S. Clarkson.

### YELLOW FEVER SPREADING.

Ten Cases of the Disease at the Chandelour Quarantine Station.

The yellow fever at Chandelour Quarantine Station, twelve miles off the Mississippi shore in the Gulf of Mexico, is reported as spreading. It was brought there by a vessel from Rio de Janeiro, and there have been ten cases with two deaths. Additional supplies of sulphur, charcoal, and

other disinfecting materials have been shipped to the island from New Orleans.

### CHINESE DYNASTY'S PERIL.

Recent Rioting Encouraged by Advocates of Revolution.

The organized Chinese mob which destroyed the Roman Catholic mission establishment and killed two foreigners at Wushih, a large city on the Grand Canal, 100 miles from Shanghai, is rapidly growing in numbers and is slowly making its way toward the city, taking in on its line of march, all the foreign settlements along the Yang-tse-Kiang River.

### TRAGEDY AT ERIE, PA.

Two Children Burned to Death and Their Mother Frightfully Scorching.

A careless nurse-girl in the employ of Carl Schwartz, of Erie, Pa., left his two children—Lena, aged 3 years, and the baby, Annie—alone in a back-yard in the vicinity of some matches and an oil can. Soon after their mother found both children in flames, and in her frantic efforts to save them was almost burned to death herself. Little Lena is dead, the baby will die, and the mother will be a cripple for life.

### TOUGH ON SPORTSMEN.

The Canadian Authorities Will Levy Duty on Guns and Fishing Tackle.

At Ottawa, Ontario, the Collectors of Customs have been notified that they may accept entry and duty on guns, fishing rods, any other equipments of parties visiting Canada for sporting purposes, with the condition that the duty so paid will be refunded on proof of the exportation of the same within a period of two months from date of entry.

### A BATTLE FEARED.

The Entire Tennessee Militia Ordered to the Briceville Mines.

Gov. Buchanan has ordered the entire State militia to Briceville, Tenn., to protect convicts at work in mines at that place. It is stated that 2,000 miners are marching to the seat of war. It is feared there will be trouble before the miners will yield to the convicts taking their place.

DESTRUCTION CAUSED BY LIGHTNING

Nine Buildings Burned in an Ohio Town—Little Insurance.

At Roundhead, a rural village in Hardin County, Ohio, fire started in Young's livery stable, which was struck by lightning and burned. Hoey & Breen's grocery and their new residence and six other houses were also destroyed. Loss \$7,000; little insurance.

### SOLD A BOY BABY FOR \$1.

Curious Warranty Deed Filed for Record at Nevada, Mo.

At Nevada, Mo., a warranty deed was filed, conveying a boy baby, Ruby Earl Sheppard, to R. S. Wyatt for the sum of \$1. The deed was duly signed by the parties to the transfer, among whom was the mother of the child, and attested by a notary public.

### WENT OVER THE FALLS.

A Sensational Story Told of Two Englishmen at Niagara.

Two Englishmen report having seen a horse pulling a buggy containing a man and two women roll off the bank at the "Point," midway between the old suspension bridge and the whirlpool at Niagara Falls.

### Roasted Groceries.

A fire at Altoona, Pa., destroyed the buildings occupied by Heinemann & Besant, wholesale grocers; James C. Watts, wholesale commission merchant; George F. Street, leather and hide dealer; Harry Mixdorf, ice cream factory; the Central Hotel, and one dwelling. The Central Hotel adjoining was slightly damaged. The total loss was \$25,000; fully insured. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

### Postal Clerks to Organize.

A conference of postal clerks was held at Cincinnati, Ohio, for the purpose of forming a national organization. It is understood that the Eastern delegation will ask Congress to pension clerks disabled in the service and provide for the families of those killed; also to retire clerks after having served a specified time on half pay.

### Commenced a Feud.

At Jewett, Tex., as a result of a long-existing feud between two farmers, J. T. Russell and J. H. Fletcher, the latter was shot and fatally wounded. It is thought that this is but the beginning of a feud as bloody as any that has cursed the State in many years, as both men have many friends and staunch supporters.

### A Kentucky Lynching.

Frank Rosinus was taken from the Mid-diesborough, Ky., jail and lynched. The day before Rosinus and Liles Johnson fired upon the police who were attempting their arrest and wounded Patrolman Tucker and Policeman Dorsey Williams. Johnson escaped lynching through being jailed at Pineville.

### Drunkard Doctors Disqualified.

The Georgia State Legislature has passed a bill disqualifying drunken doctors from practicing. A method of indictment has been framed, and upon conviction of drunkenness the accused is made subject to a heavy penalty if he should attempt to practice again.

### Heavy Fire Losses in Lynn.

At Lynn, Mass., the Strout, Currier and Blake Stores were destroyed by fire. The heaviest losses are W. N. Currier & Co., \$120,000; E. E. Strout, \$45,000; H. F. Leggs, \$50,000; and John Carniff, \$18,000. The total loss will exceed \$350,000, with insurance of \$120,000.

### Thought to Be Lost.

It is feared that the steamship Endymion, which sailed for New York from Barrow, England, June 27, has been lost. The steamer was sighted July 13 by the Taurus, and was then lying to to repair a broken crank, but declined assistance.

### Used a Pick on Giant Powder.

Five workmen employed at the Denver (Col.) electric works desired to open a can of giant powder. One of the men struck the head of the can with a pick. All five of the men were fearfully burned and torn, one of whom will die.

### Washington Wants the Encampment.

The citizens of Washington, D. C., have raised the guarantee fund of \$50,000 for the Grand Army encampment in 1892, and a committee was appointed to go to Detroit to present the claims of the former city as a desirable place for the encampment.

### A Tramp's Last Ride.

East-bound passenger train No. 2, collided with passenger train No. 4, west-bound, at Clark's Station, near Reno, Nev. Three engines and the mail car were badly wrecked and a tramp beating his way West on a brake beam was killed.

### A Kentucky Tragedy.

Near Columbia, Ky., Tyler Grant shot and killed Tyler Gorman. Grant is jail. He says he mistook Gorman for York Gorman, Tyler's brother, who he claims had

threatened to kill Grant on sight. Gorman was at work in his field when shot.

### Ten Persons Injured.

At the Fort Scott crossing of the Missouri Pacific and Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroads, a freight train crashed into a chair-car of the Missouri Pacific passenger train, knocking it off the tracks. Ten persons were injured.

### Severe Storm at Duluth.

One of the severest storms for years visited Duluth, Minn. Rain fell in torrents and the lightning was very sharp. No lives were lost. All the damage was caused by water flowing down a steep hillside. Two blocks will have to be entirely repaved.

### Died from a Snake Bite.

Susie, aged 5, daughter of Ebenezer Frazier, of St. Croix, Ohio, was bitten by a copperhead snake and died. The snake was found on the hearth of the open fireplace, where there had been no fire this summer.

### Met Death on the Scaffold.

Robert Williams was hanged in the Pine Bluff (Ark.) jail yard for the murder of Albert Hayes on the night of Nov. 22 last. Williams said that he thanked his friends for their kindness to him, and claimed that Christ had pardoned him.

### Killed in a Drunken Quarrel.

Near Pikeville, Ky., in a drunken quarrel, Tom McCoy shot and killed George Roberts. McCoy surrendered and claims to have acted in self-defense. Roberts' family threaten vengeance if McCoy is not punished.

### Killed on an Engine Pilot.

John Merrifield was instantly killed and a fellow-brakeman fatally injured while riding on a cow-catcher at Rockbridge, near Beardstown, Ill., by the engine running into a grove of horses.

### Fallen Near a Million Dollars.

Mrs. Dr. J. Holloway, of Springfield, Ohio, has fallen heir to \$1,000,000 left by her uncle, Sir James Baxendale, of England.

### Ocean Steamer Collides.

The German steamer Dresden collided with the big Annie Harris in the English Channel, sinking the latter vessel. Four sailors were drowned.

### Took His Own Life.

C. S. Wattles, a prominent produce merchant of Ithaca, N. Y., committed suicide by drowning. Temporary insanity is supposed to be the cause.

### New York's Loper.

That Chin Hop Sing, the Chinese laundryman in the basement of 403 Fifth street, New York, is afflicted with leprosy there is no further doubt.

### A British Steamer Ashore.

A report has been received from South-west Point, Antioch, to the effect that the British steamer Circe is ashore a few miles from that place.

### Their Way in Missouri.

John Cook was shot and killed at Tiff City, Mo., while disturbing a religious meeting. Another ruffian had his hand shot off.

### Shot the Justice.

At Saline City, Ind., Thornton Jackson shot Justice of the Peace William Miner. Justice Miner had fined Jackson's son for disturbing the peace. Jackson is in jail.

### Clemency for a Murderer.

In the case of Edward Belden, of Kansas, sentenced to be hanged July 24 for murder, the President has commuted the death penalty to imprisonment for life.

### The World's Harvest.

In a summary of the world's harvest prospects, the London Times ventures the opinion that the prices for grain will continue high.

### A Tennessee Tragedy.

The wife of Thomas Lochridge, of Maury County, Tennessee, killed her three young children and then committed suicide.

### Bank Failures.

The Central Bank of Kansas City, Kan., and the Merchants' National Bank of Fort Worth, Texas, have failed.

### Ingalls Going to the Holy Land.

Ex-Senator Ingalls is going abroad with W. A. Croft's autumn party, to go through Europe to Greece, Jerusalem and Egypt.

### Jail Delivery at Deadwood, S. D.

A general jail-break was made from the jail at Deadwood, S. D., five prisoners escaping, all charged with felony.

### Hanged by a Mob.

Frank Dice, charged with murder, was taken from his cell in the Spencer, Ind., jail by a mob and hanged.

### Mr. Spurgeon Improving.

Mr. Spurgeon is said to be progressing slowly but satisfactorily toward recovery.

### Eleven Killed.

Eleven men were killed in a railroad accident near Liverpool.

### THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Common to Prime	.....	\$3.50	@ 6.00
HOGS—Shipping Grades	.....	4.00	@ 5.75
SHEEP	.....	3.00	@ 5.00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	.....	.80	@ .87
CORN—No. 2	.....	.60	@ .61
OATS—No. 2	.....	.40	@ .41
RYE—No. 2	.....	.76	@ .77
BUTTER—Choice Creamery	.....	.18	@ .17
CHEESE—Full Cream, flats	.....	.18	@ .00
EGGS—Fresh	.....	15¢	@ 16¢
POTATOES—New, per bu.	.....	2.75	@ 3.00
INDIANAPOLIS.			
CATTLE—Shipping	.....	3.50	@ 5.75
HOGS—Choice Light	.....	3.80	@ 5.50
SHEEP—Common to Prime	.....	3.50	@ 5.30
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	.....	.81	@ .82
CORN—No. 1 White	.....	.62½	@ .63½
OATS—No. 2 White	.....	.41	@ .42
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE	.....	3.40	@ 6.25
HOGS	.....	4.50	@ 5.50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	.....	.85	@ .86
CORN—No. 2	.....	.56½	@ .57½
OATS—No. 2	.....	.33	@ .34
POK—Mess	.....	10.50	@ 11.00
CINCINNATI.			
CATTLE	.....	3.50	@ 5.25
HOGS	.....	4.00	@ 5.50
SHEEP	.....	3.00	@ 5.00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	.....	.85	@ .88
CORN—No. 2	.....	.61	@ .62
OATS—No. 2 Mixed	.....	.41	@ .42
DETROIT.			
CATTLE	.....	3.00	@ 5.00
HOGS	.....	3.00	@ 5.00
SHEEP	.....	3.00	@ 5.00
WHEAT—No. 4 Red	.....	.80	@ .81
CORN—No. 2 Yellow	.....	.69½	@ .70
OATS—No. 2 White	.....	.41	@ .42
TOLEDO.			
WHEAT—Now	.....	.85½	@ .86
CORN—Cash	.....	.61½	@ .62
OATS—No. 2 White	.....	.41	@ .42
CLOVER SEED	.....	4.20	@ 4.50
BUFFALO.			
BEEF CATTLE	.....	4.53	@ 4.60
LIVE HOGS	.....	4.25	@ 4.30
SHEEP	.....	4.00	@ 4.05
WHEAT—No. 1 Hard	.....	1.04½	@ 1.05
CORN—No. 2	.....	.65	@ .66
MILWAUKEE.			
WHEAT—No. 3 Spring	.....	.87	@ .88
CORN—No. 3	.....	.69	@ .70
OATS—No. 2 White	.....	.40	@ .41
RYE—No. 1	.....	.82	@ .83
BUCKWHEAT—No. 2	.....	.69	@ .70
POK—Mess	.....	11.00	@ 11.50
NEW YORK.			
CATTLE	.....	3.50	@ 5.00
HO	.....	4.00	@ 5.00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	.....	.75	@ .76
CORN—No. 2	.....	.71	@ .72
OATS—Mixed Western	.....	.41	@ .42
BUTTER—Creamery	.....	.14	@ .15



## HOLLAND CITY NEWS

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SATURDAY, JULY 25, 1891.

### Our Young Missionaries.

One of the leading events of the coming week will be the departure from this city of a little band of missionaries, to the land of the Rising Sun and the Celestial Clime beyond.

The party consists of Rev. Albertus Pieters and wife—nee Kollen, and Miss Lizzie Cappon, second daughter of ex-mayor I. Cappon. They will leave here Thursday evening or Friday morning for Chicago, and thence to Orange City, Ia., where the group will be joined by the fourth member, Miss Nellie Zwemer, youngest daughter of Rev. A. Zwemer. A short stop will be made at the latter place, where a series of farewell meetings will be held, and from where they will proceed via Omaha to San Francisco, and thence take the steamer "City of Pekin" on the 11th of August and sail for Tokio, Japan. Mr. I. Cappon will accompany the party all the way from here to San Francisco and at Orange City they will be likewise joined by Rev. A. Zwemer.

At Tokio the group will separate, Rev. and Mrs. Pieters continuing their journey to Nagasaki, Japan, and there take charge of the Steele Academy, an institution planted by the Reformed Church of America, in connection with its mission work in that country. At this point the Misses Cappon and Zwemer will take another steamer and continue their journey to Amoy, China, which is headquarters of the same denomination for its mission work in that country. Here they will tarry for a while to acquire the language and otherwise prepare themselves for their future labors, and in the mean while be engaged in educational work in the "Ferris Ladies Seminary," located at that point.

To each individual member of this group, this city or immediate vicinity has been his or her home, from childhood up, educationally as well as otherwise; and it is but natural that the event should draw out a series of demonstrations of friendly interest and affection. Mr. Pieters was born in Alto, Wis., and came here in infancy, with his parents, the late Rev. and Mrs. R. Pieters, and has since lived among us. His bride is the daughter of one of the early colonists of Overisel, and she too has spent the years of her maidenhood in this city while obtaining her education at Hope College—in fact, all are graduates of that institution. Miss Lizzie Cappon was born in this place, has taught in our Public Schools, and been prominently identified with various local, christian and philanthropic organizations. The interest always taken by her in the growth and prosperity of the Third Ref. church, of which she was a member, will cause her departure to be felt for a long while. Miss Nellie Zwemer was born in the parsonage at the neighboring burgh of Vriesland, and also taught three years in the Public Schools here, before being similarly engaged in the Northwestern Academy at Orange City, Ia.

Of the many pleasant social incidents connected with and preceding the departure of our young friends, the wedding of Rev. Albertus Pieters to Miss Emma Kollen, on Tuesday, was the most prominent. The ceremony took place at the residence of the bride's parents in Overisel, and was performed by Rev. Dr. Steffens, assisted by Rev. Jas. F. Zwemer, of Orange City, Ia.

This (Friday) evening a large public farewell meeting will be held at Zealand, under the auspices of the Classis of Holland, in honor of the young missionaries.

Next Tuesday evening the congregation of the Third Reformed church will tender them a farewell reception, which occasion will be sufficiently general in its character to have it considered as embracing the entire community.

The News bids these young people an affectionate good-by, wishing them God-speed in their every effort promotive of a christian civilization and a civilized christianization.

At the close of the Annual Militia Encampment, Monday, Gov. Winans as commander-in-chief of the state troops issued a general order in which, after praising the men for their military behavior during the encampment, he also thanks Capt. C. Gardner, the officer appointed by the war department to inspect and report on the part of the United States, for the thorough manner in which he has performed his duties. Also the four late Michigan graduates of West Point, among whom is Lieut. W. H. Bertsch, of this city, who have shown by their willingness to perform any duty assigned to them, that they will not disappoint the hopes of their fellow citizens.

General Cutcheon left Manistee last week for Washington to assume his duties as member of the government board of fortifications and ordnance. His family will go there in the autumn for residence.

### Ex-Gov. St. John on the Fourth Party.

This apostle of the "Third" Party thus expresses himself on the merits of the new born political organization: "I was at the Cincinnati convention, last month, as a looker-on and I watched the proceedings closely. I must say that as a reform convention it is the biggest failure I ever saw. All meritorious reforms were neglected, and the only thing that distinguished it from the old party conventions was the visionary sub-treasury scheme, which has no foundation either in justice or common sense. It would be the worst species of class legislation. It would afford no relief whatever to the very poor, the class that need relief most. The idea of making the government a public pawnbroker is idiocy. Such a scheme would bankrupt any government. As far as the rejection of prohibition is concerned I have this to say: No other party convention was ever more subservient to the liquor interests than the one which just met at Cincinnati under the guise of reform.

The following is among the reminiscences of the late Vice President Hamlin:

After the presidential election in 1864 the bearers of the electoral votes of the various States brought them to Washington and deposited them with the Vice-President. A Mr. Templeton, of Newark, was intrusted with the votes of New Jersey. He hired a special train, filled it with guests, and went to Washington. The next day he appeared in the Vice-President's room with all his followers. Bowing low, he said:

"I have the honor, Mr. Vice-President, to deliver to you the electoral vote of my state. New Jersey, sir, casts nine votes for that splendid soldier and patriot, George B. McClellan, for President. New Jersey, sir, casts nine votes for that eminent statesman and gentleman, George H. Pendleton, for Vice-President."

"The devil she does!" exclaimed Mr. Hamlin; and then he resumed his writing, and the imposing audience was over.

The United States delegates of the Congregational council lately in session in London, Eng., who will attend the unveiling of the memorial at Leyden, Netherlands, to John Robinson, pastor in Holland of the Pilgrim Fathers, are Dr. Hall, of Connecticut; the Rev. A. Hastings Ross, of Michigan; Dr. Whitman, of Massachusetts, and Dr. Woods, of Minnesota. This unveiling was to take place on Friday, July 24, in St. Peter's church, Leyden. The pilgrim fathers, it will be remembered, left in the Mayflower and settled at Plymouth, Mass., in 1620. It is expected that large numbers of Americans who are now in Europe will be present at this interesting ceremony in Holland.

All free trade skeptics are respectfully requested to step in at the News office and examine a sample of American roofing tin, just manufactured by the N. & G. Taylor Co., of Philadelphia, that will compare favorably with any we have been compelled to import from the Old World, until the advent of the McKinley Bill. No doubt the tin peddler's wagon will be on the road again in the next campaign, but this time it will have a different class of customers.

"By their newspaper shall ye know them" was the apt comment of a successful merchant upon the claims of an aspiring community whose citizens were soliciting his interest and endeavoring to impress upon him the enterprise of its people. Year by year the newspaper of a community is becoming more definitely the index of the enterprise and progressive tendencies of its people.—EX.

Kate Field says: "There are three codes of morals—one for women, one for men, and one for royalty. Women must be virtuous or be socially damned; men may do as they please, provided they pay their club bills and do not cheat at cards; royalty—well, a divinity doth hedge a king, and makes of his orgies very proper tea parties.

The tenth annual reunion of the Agricultural College alumni will be held at Lansing August 13 and 14. Geo. A. Farr of Grand Haven will deliver the oration of the day.



A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—Latest U. S. Government Food Report.

### Resort Notes.

Geo. De Haven chartered the "Belle of the Park" Sunday evening, and gave his friends a moonlight ride to Saugatuck.

The ghost party at Hotel Ottawa Wednesday evening was enjoyed by about sixty couples. It will be repeated on Friday evening, the 31st.

The children's carnival this (Friday) evening, it is expected, will be a delightful affair. The entire evening will be given up to the enjoyment of the little ones.

The exhibition of the Life Saving Crew on Tuesday afternoon was very interesting to the many hundreds of spectators.

Jacob Kuite, Sr. of the Macatawa Park Association, has been personally supervising some of the many improvements made there this week.

## THE MOST RELIABLE

To correct the constipated habit, remove sick-headache, relieve dyspepsia, to purify the blood, cure jaundice, liver complaint, and biliousness, Ayer's Pills are unequalled. They are an excellent after-dinner pill, assisting the process of digestion, and cleansing and strengthening the alimentary canal. When taken on the invasion of a cold or a fever, they effectually prevent further progress of the disease. Being sugar-coated and purely vegetable, they are the best

### Family

medicine, for old and young. Ayer's Pills are indispensable to soldiers, sailors, campers, miners, and travelers, and are everywhere recommended by the medical fraternity. Dr. J. W. Hayes, Palouse, W. T., writes: "Ayer's Pills are the most evenly balanced in their ingredients, of any I know of."

"For more than twenty years I have used Ayer's Pills as a corrective for torpidity of the stomach, liver, and bowels, and to ward off malarial attacks, and they have always done perfect work."—E. P. Goodwin, Publisher Democrat, St. Landry, La.

"I was master of a sailing vessel for many years, and never failed to provide a supply of Ayer's Pills, for the use of both officers and men. They are a safe and reliable

### Cathartic

and always give satisfaction."—Harry Robinson, 52 E. Pearl st., Fair Haven, Conn.

"For a long time I was a sufferer from stomach, liver, and kidney troubles, and having tried a variety of remedies, with only temporary relief, I began, about three months ago, the use of Ayer's Pills, and already my health is so much improved that I gladly testify to the superior merits of this cathartic."—Manoel Jorge Pereira, Oporto, Portugal.

## Ayer's Pills

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Every Dose Effective.

### A Card.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cronkright desire to express their due appreciation and thanks to friends and neighbors for their kind aid and sympathy during the illness and at the death of their child.

Holland, July 23, 1891.

### Milliners Closing.

The Milliners of Holland City will close their several stores, on and after Monday, July 20, at 7 o'clock in the evening. They will be so closed every evening during the summer.

Mrs. M. BERTSCH,  
WILHELM-STRASSE,  
MISS DEVEREUX & CO.  
Holland, Mich. July 17, '91. 25-26

## CHICAGO June 21, 1891. AND WEST MICHIGAN RY.

Trains depart from Holland:			
	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.
For Chicago	10 42	1 52	12 55
" Grand Rapids	3 02	9 17	3 10
" Muskegon and a.m.			p.m.
Grand Haven	5 30	9 55	3 00
Hart and Pontiac			
Waterloo	5 30		6 25
Manistee and Ludington	5 30		3 00
" Big Rapids	5 30		3 00
Traverse City	5 30		3 00
Allegan and Toledo	9 55		3 00
Chicago via St. Joseph	4 20		p.m.

Trains arrive at Holland:			
	p.m.	p.m.	a.m.
From Chicago	3 00	9 12	7 50
" Grand Rapids	9 55	1 52	12 55
" Muskegon and a.m.			p.m.
Grand Haven	9 45	1 45	3 10
Manistee and Ludington	1 45	11 50	1 52
" Big Rapids	1 45	11 50	1 52
Traverse City	1 45	11 50	1 52
Allegan and Toledo	9 50		6 00
Chicago via St. Joseph	4 20		p.m.

\*Daily, other trains week days only.  
Wagner Palace Sleeping Cars on night trains to and from Chicago.  
Wagner Parlor Buffet Cars on day trains to and from Chicago; 10:42 a.m. train from Holland has free chair car to Chicago.  
9:17 p.m. has Wagner Sleeping car to Traverse City.  
Tickets to all points in the United States and Canada. Connections in Union Station, Grand Rapids with the favorite DETROIT, LANSING & NORTHERN R.R.

## DETROIT 21 June, 1891. LANSING & NORTHERN R.R.

Lv Grand Rapids	6 50 a.m.	1 00 p.m.	6 25 p.m.
Ar Grand Ledge	8 25	2 35	7 55
" Lansing	8 50	3 00	8 18
" Howell	9 44	4 15	8 48
" Detroit	11 15	6 05	10 25
Lv Grand Rapids	7 05	4 20	
Ar Howard City	8 40	5 40	
" Edmore	9 25	6 25	
" Alma	10 17	7 10	
" St. Louis	10 25	7 37	
" Saginaw	11 45	9 00	

6:50 a.m. runs through to Detroit with parlor car seats 25c.  
1:00 p.m. and 6:25 p.m. run through to Detroit with parlor car seats 25c.

Geo. De Haven, General Passenger Agent, Grand Rapids, Mich.

## GREAT BARGAINS!

### TO THE RESORTS!

Every body will spend a part of the season at the resorts and must have an outfit. In this connection it will be well enough to know that

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A nice suit of clothes can be had for less money at the

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Holland, Mich., June 18, '91. 42-1y

### Guardian's Sale.

In the matter of the estate of Johanna A. Pieters and Aylida Pieters, minors.  
Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder on Tuesday the eighth day of September, A. D. 1891, at 2 o'clock, in the afternoon, at the premises to be sold and hereinafter described in the city of Holland, the county of Ottawa, in the State of Michigan, pursuant to license and authority granted to me on the eleventh day of July, A. D. 1891, by the Probate Court of Ottawa County, Michigan, all of the right, title, interest or estate of said minors, in or to that certain piece or parcel of land situated and being in the county of Ottawa, State of Michigan, known and described as follows to-wit: The undivided two-fifths (2/5) of the lot numbered fifteen (15) in block numbered forty-two (42) in the city of Holland, according to the recorded map thereof, on record in the office of the register of deeds of said Ottawa County.  
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Dated July 23rd, A. D. 1891  
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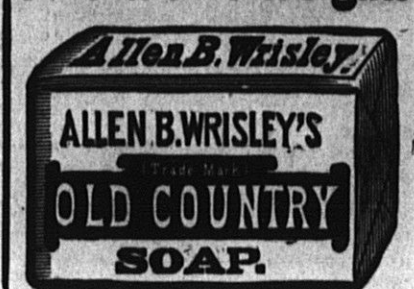
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## WHILE THE RAIN CAME DOWN.

While the rain came down they stayed  
In the maples' kindly shade,  
Leaning from the ferny shore  
Weched the dappled river-floor  
Where the raindrops gaily played.

Every leafy mountain glade  
Felt the raindrops' rushing raid;  
Lowering storm-clouds hovering o'er  
While the rain came down.

Laughing, careless, man and maid,  
With the wide umbrella's aid  
Sheltered from the drops that pour,  
Love and youth their happy lore  
Naught cared they, though long delay  
While the rain came down.  
—(Georgia Roberts, in Boston Transcript.)

## SAVED BY A RAVEN.

BY EDMUND COLLINS.

Two brothers, George and Frank Blackburn, lived with their father in one of the largest settlements on the Labrador coast. George was seventeen and Frank fifteen, and both the boys in summer ranged the coast in a small skiff collecting birds' eggs and other specimens. George owned a pet raven, which he had trained to follow him, carry small parcels in his mouth, and do many other intelligent things, and the bird was exceedingly attached to him. Whenever George went into the woods or among the hills Jack, which was the raven's name, followed him, cawing and chattering, sometimes walking, sometimes fluttering, and frequently darting far ahead with loud, delighted screams. He liked also to go with his young master in the boat, but that he was seldom permitted to do.

One lovely June morning the two boys and their cousin, Ned Bradshaw, put out from the little wild cove in an open skiff with two tanned sails, to make an excursion to Cormorant Islands, about three leagues down the coast. Jack came hopping and flying down the rocks, appealing piteously, with loud cawing, to be taken on board. George raised his hand and shouted, "No, Jack; can't come. Home, Jack," and then the skiff was pushed off, while the poor, lonesome bird stood on a rock close by the water's edge. Then he raised his wings, flew over the water and circled over the boat cawing and looking at George as if begging him to relent and take him on board. But George arose in the boat and, in a stern, angry voice, ordered him to go home. The disappointed bird turned and flew quietly ashore, perching on the edge of a narrow strip of meadow, looking disconsolately after the fast disappearing boat.

The object of the visit to Cormorant Island was to get some of the eggs of the cormorant, which are rather difficult to obtain. The boys had not told their parents where they were going, but they had decided upon nothing less than the ascent of the island, the sides of which rose almost perpendicularly out of the sea to a height of nearly four hundred feet. The island had three sides, and on one of these sides was a series of rocky shelves resembling a stairway, but some of them were so narrow that it was impossible to get a steady foothold upon them.

When the coast fishermen passed the island they shuddered because so many tragic events were connected with its name. Five or six adventurous persons had scaled its shelvy sides and got up among the multitude of birds, but not a man of them had ever been able to make the descent. The boys very well knew the history of the island and its dangers, but George had for more than two years been studying the problem of how to get up and come down in safety, had examined every rock-shelf on the side through a glass, tracing the same on paper, and had talked with every fisherman on the coast who knew anything about the place and obtained his opinion as to the safest ways of descending.

So he had quietly provided himself with two short hand-gafts, with stout wooden handles, having on one end a running loop of cord to be fastened around each wrist, and on the other end a strong steel hook. These were designed for getting a hold in cracks and fissures in the face of the cliff where it would be impossible to draw one's self up by means of the fingers, for George knew that the most daring and expert climbers had used gafts with success.

The coast was bold and desolate, and contained no habitation between the dock from which the skiff had set out and the island, or for several leagues beyond. When they reached the base of the island, which stood close to the mainland, they pulled their skiff upon a small platform of rock, got their guns and began shooting the birds that circled around the island and nested on the terraces. Then George told that he was going up. They knew how expert he was, and remembered all the dangerous places that he had climbed before, but their faces grew white with fear as they looked at the 400 feet of sombre, rocky wall that towered above them.

"Now, boys," said George, as he threw off his coat and tightened his belt, "don't be a bit frightened about me; with these gafts I can climb up there without any trouble, and I can come back, too, with the greatest safety. I'll take your bag, Frank, for the eggs, only put plenty of oakum in it so they won't break when I'm coming back." Frank brought him the bag, and his hand trembled as he put it around his brother's neck, but neither of the boys seemed to know what to say.

"Now, good-by, boys, for the present; I'll be through in twenty minutes; these cormorants defend their nests so that I may be able to gaff some of them. Look out for them as I throw them over." Then seizing his gafts tightly in his hand he sprang toward the cliff, running nimbly up a half-dozen paces almost as light-footed as a weasel. The two boys looked at him in speechless terror, but they had great faith in his skill and courage. He found little difficulty in passing the first dozen ledges or so, for he could easily reach them, and they gave sure footing. Every minute or so he stopped to consult his drawing, which was a complete chart of the face of the cliff. After a third of the descent was made he paused, and, as the boys could see from below, looked somewhat nervous about him and again carefully

studied his drawing. It was plain that the path which he had traced out for himself in a dotted line was an impossible one. Nevertheless, he turned his hand behind him and waved a signal of encouragement, but he never once looked back or down. Then he seemed to gather resolution; stuck fast one gaff and then another, into two tiny rifts in the cliff and drew himself up over a space of seven or eight feet to the ledge above. Then, for the first time, he turned and looked down. These rifts ran obliquely, and from his gestures it seemed only too plain that he doubted if he could get back. But his courage did not fail him, and after a minute's rest he resumed his perilous journey, sometimes being suspended in the air by both arms, sometimes by one, with no place to put his toe; yet it was marvelous to see the progress he made up the iron-stained face of the steep wall. When he reached a terrace that he could stand upon he rested a few seconds, hitched up his trousers, and began the ascent again.

Near the top the cliff beetled out above his head, and he crept along the ledge, first to one side and then to another, looking for some part of the rock above him where he could get a hold for his steel hooks. He tried one place and another, but was afraid to trust himself, and at last discovered a small rift through which a tiny stream of water trickled, and into that he thrust both his gafts, lifting himself lightly upward. This was the most perilous spot of all, for above him was a stretch of about 15 feet of bald cliff; below him lay an abyss nearly 400 feet deep, with surging sea and cruel rocks at the bottom. To turn his head and look down would be terror and immediate destruction, so he climbed on and on, shifting his gafts from one holding point to another, sticking his knees hard against the cliff and hardly ever finding a spot to place his foot. Then the summit was reached and he sprang lightly upon the rim of sod.

The two breathless watchers below pulled off their caps and hurrahed, but he stood silently at the dizzy top till the echo of their voices in the cliff had died. Raising his hand to get their attention he shouted in a strong, mournful tone: "I can never go back. Don't wait for me, but try if you can get help." Then he sat down upon a rock, exhausted from the desperate climb.

The top of the island was about three acres in area and was inhabited by more than 5,000 birds. It would be almost impossible to take a step in any direction without treading into a nest, and the mothers became infuriated as George walked about, and rose with shrill cries, brushing his face with their wings and pecking savagely at him. The wings of the other birds hovering about and flying across the island fairly darkened the ground, and there were tumult and anger among all the cormorants at the intrusion upon their abode. George struck several of the birds with one of his gafts, and, after killing them by pounding their heads against a rock, threw them over the precipice to the boys below, for he knew they would linger about the base of the island for awhile before returning home.

Then with despair in his heart he sat upon the sod near the verge of the cliff and watched for the departure of the skiff. The air was filled with the harsh cries of the birds, and the echoes in the cliffs turned the place into an utter babel. He sat there for half an hour, and by that time the sun sank in the far western water. Now he noticed the sails of the skiff, and the brisk breeze carried her swiftly around the nearest headland and left him there with the gloomy shadows creeping upon the island, leagues from everything human and surrounded by screaming, angry birds, whose eyes gleamed in his face as they brushed past in the gathering dusk.

Night very soon fell upon sea and land; the birds ceased their tumult and settled among the rocks and upon the ledges, but the wind freshened and whistled about his ears, while the restless moaning cry of the sea came to him from below. Not a star was to be seen, but huge, black clouds came trooping out of the south, filling the heavens to leeward. It was not long before the night was suddenly riven with flame—awful thunders bellowed across the heavens, seeming to shake the island and the cliffs about it; then torrents of rain were loosened, drenching to the skin the poor boy as he lay there upon the bleak sod.

George had a brave heart, but he felt that his chances of escape were very slim. Down the island wall he could not go, and in what other way could he leave the place? Then arose in his heart a feeling of remorse that he had concealed from his parents his intention of climbing the island, and far more bitter to him than his own misery was the thought how his mother would feel when his brother and cousin reached home without him. He knew they had been crying out some words to him before they left, but the noise of the water, disturbed by the freshening breeze, had prevented him from hearing what they said.

So he sat there through the pitchy dark, hour after hour, terrified by the blinding lightning and deafening thunder and deluged by the pitiless rain. The great black birds everywhere about him crouched close upon their nests and huddled behind the rocks for shelter. Not once through that long and terrible night did he close his eyes in sleep, and when the gray dawn appeared in the East a great throb of hope went through his heart.

The clouds had rolled away and the sun burned up on the edge of the sea, like a large scarlet furnace. And with the rising of the sun came the voices of his parents and friends from the mainland asking how he had fared during the night, and telling him to keep up his spirits. He could see his mother in the group, and he saw that she was weeping; her voice came distinctly from among all the rest telling him that God was good and that he would in some way be rescued. Then some of them tried to throw across food made up in tins and parcels, but they all fell short and dropped into the gulf below. He was now tortured with hunger, and on the advice of his mother, who stood in the front of the assemblage on the mainland, he built a fire out of the decayed grasses and weeds, the dry bones of birds and nest materials, and roasted a half-dozen eggs, selecting the fresh ones when cooked and eating them.

So far no one could devise any means of reaching him. It was impossible to stretch a ladder across, and access from below was equally impossible. A number of fishermen had gathered around the base of the island in their boats, but they were nonplussed like those on land. His father and several of the fishermen tried for hours to fly a rope across the chasm, but it fell short fully 40 feet from the brink of the island. The group stood there in mute sorrow, the mother constantly shouting across words of encouragement.

Hour after hour passed till the sun had passed the meridian, then the party on the mainland heard a wild cawing close beside them, and turning, saw that Jack, poor George's raven, had joined them. Evidently the bird had followed the party at a safe distance, remaining all these hours in the background, but had at last ventured to show himself. No sooner did George see him than an idea flashed through his mind, and raising his voice he cried:

"Catch Jack and fasten the smallest rope you have to his leg and I will get him to bring it across." Fortunately, one of the party had brought along a reef of cod line, so the bird was captured and the line fastened to his leg, after which it was placed in a loose coil by the brink of the mainland cliff.

"Come, Jack, come," shouted George, and immediately upon the bird being released he plunged out into the air across the gulf with exultant chattering, dragging the line and made straight for George, perching at his feet and looking at him with wide, curious eyes. The party on the mainland understood the expedient, and immediately fastened the end of one of the heavy coils of rope to the small line and then fastened carefully together all the heavy coils.

Taking the small line in his hand, George drew across the heavy coil, and when he got hold of the end of it dragged it to a perpendicular rock and carefully fastened it around it. The men on the mainland then threw the joined cable over into the gulf and it went with a swash down into the sea. George next unfastened the line from Jack's leg, then saying a few cheery words to his mother, got upon the rope and descended swiftly down over the precipice and was received below by a boat which lay by the lower end of the rope. A wild hurrah went up from his delighted friends, but no one made a louder demonstration of joy than Jack, who went screaming down the abyss and perched in the boat beside his beloved master. The mainland party returned home by the marshes and reached the dock just as George arrived there by the fisherman's skiff. —(St. Louis Republic.)

## IT TAKES A STEADY HAND.

Steering a Hook and Ladder Truck Not Easy Work.

"Perhaps you think it an easy thing to steer a fire truck; so it is—when you know how," said a gray-haired fire-lad die the other day as he nimbly vaulted out of his left seat on the tail of the truck after returning from a false alarm of a few blocks away.

"There are practically two men on the truck, the man who drives and the man who steers," continued the veteran. "I've done both duties now for more than ten years, and flatter myself that I know something about them, but I think that the steerer has the harder job of the two."

It is probable that any one who has thought of the matter at all has come to the same conclusion, for the deftness with which a hook and ladder truck is swung around sharp corners, in its mad race to a fire, is something to be wondered at by the onlookers.

The truck itself is about 40 feet long and carries from six to eight extension and several life-saving ladders, the longest of the former projecting out behind about ten feet. The truck is drawn by three strong and fleet horses, which are driven by a man sitting on a high seat in front. The members of the company find standing room on the low platform which runs along either side of the truck below the body of the conveyance, while at the extreme end sits the steerer away up in the air. You scarcely see the men between for looking at the driver and his coadjutor at the other end. The latter has his hand on a big wheel like an enormous brake on a freight car, on which he keeps his hands firmly closed. Meanwhile his eyes are on the driver. He sees the driver turn a corner, and he is ready in an instant. If his eye was not true and his hand brawny and steady the unwieldy vehicle would be dashed into a lump post or even into a building in a twinkling.

But the steerer knows his business. At just the crucial moment he turns his iron wheel this way or that way, and the heavy wheels of the truck, which answers to his touch, as the ship answers her helm, barely touch the curb and in a moment swing into a direct line with the forward wheels, and the machine dashes on until the same dangerous maneuver is repeated at the next corner.

Every fireman connected with the several hook and ladder companies is taught both to drive and to steer, but in some way the duties are apt to devolve upon the most competent in the company, and so it is that one man or another comes to do the same work year after year, and good work gains for him a reputation for his specialty. Beginners are taught their duties in that direction by handling the truck on the returns from fires, and little by little learn skill from experience. —(New York News.)

## Narcotic Poisoning.

The startlingly general use of morphine, opium and laudanum in this country calls forth words of warning from every side. Many begin the use of these narcotics because physicians recommend them when they are sick, but it should be understood that these drugs have an entirely different action in health and sickness. The person that might take a large dose when seriously ill, will often be killed instantly by half that dose when well. They should never be used without the advice of a physician, no matter whether the patient is sick or not. They are taking a deadly poison, and poison is beneficial only under certain circumstances. —(Yankee Blade.)

Funeral instruments are provided on some Russian railways.

## DEPARTED VOICES CALL

TALMAGE PREACHES ANOTHER STIRRING SERMON.

The Influence of Empty Chairs—Father's, Mother's, Baby's—All Urge the Living to Lead Better and Nobler Lives—A Powerful Appeal.

Dr. Talmage's subject was the "Vacant Chair," and his text, I Samuel xx, 18, "Thou shalt be missed, because thy seat will be empty."

Set on the table the cutlery and the chased silverware of the palace, for King Saul will give a state dinner to-day. A distinguished place is kept at the table for his son-in-law, a celebrated warrior, David by name. The guests, jeweled and plumed, come in and take their places. When people are invited to a king's banquet they are very apt to go. But before the covers are lifted from the feast Saul looks around and finds a vacant seat at the table. He says within himself, perhaps audibly, "What does this mean? Where is my son-in-law? Where is David, the great warrior? I invited him. I expected him. What! a vacant chair at the king's banquet!"

The fact was that David, the warrior, had been seated for the last time at his father-in-law's table. The day before Jonathan had coaxed David to go and occupy that place at the table, saying to David in the words of my text, "Thou shalt be missed, because thy seat will be empty." The prediction was fulfilled. David was missed. His seat was empty. That one vacant chair spoke louder than all the occupied chairs at the banquet.

In almost every house the articles of furniture take a living personality. That picture—a stranger would not see anything remarkable either in its design or execution, but it is more to you than all the pictures of the Louvre and the Luxembourg. You remember who bought it and who admired it. And that hymn book—you remember who sang out of it. And that cradle—you remember who rocked it. And that Bible—you remember who read out of it. And that bed—you remember who slept in it. And that room—you remember who died in it. But there is nothing in all your house so eloquent and so mighty-voiced as the vacant chair.

I suppose that before Saul and his guests got up from this banquet there was a great clatter of wine pitchers, but all that racket was drowned out by the voice that came up from the vacant chair at the table. Millions have gazed and wept at John Quincy Adams' vacant chair in the House of Representatives, and at Henry Wilson's vacant chair in the Vice Presidency, and at Henry Clay's vacant chair in the American Senate, and at Prince Albert's vacant chair in Windsor Castle, and at Thier's vacant chair in the councils of the French nation; but all these chairs are unimportant to you as compared with the vacant chairs in your own household. Have these chairs any lessons for us to learn? Are we any better men and women than when they first addressed us?

First I point out to you the father's vacant chair. Old men always like to sit in the same place and in the same chair. They somehow feel more at home, and sometimes when you are in their place and they come into the room, you jump up suddenly and say, "Here, father, here's your chair." The probability is, it is an armchair, for he is not so strong as he once was, and he needs a little upholding. His hair is a little frosty, his gums a little depressed, for in his early days there was not much dentistry. Perhaps a cane chair and old-fashioned apparel, for though you may have suggested some improvement, father does not want any of your nonsense. Grandfather never had much admiration for new-fangled notions. I sat at the table of one of my parishioners in a former congregation; an aged man was at the table, and the son was presiding, and the father somewhat abruptly addressed the son and said, "My son, don't now try to show off because the minister is here."

Your father never liked any new customs or manners; he preferred the old way of doing things, and never looked so happy as when with his eyes closed he sat in the armchair in the corner. From the wrinkled brow to the tip of the slippers, what placidity! The wave of the past years of his life broke at the foot of that chair. Perhaps sometimes he was a little impatient, and sometimes told the same story twice; but over that old chair how many blessed memories hover! I hope you did not crowd that old chair, and that it did not get very much in the way. Sometimes the old man's chair gets very much in the way, especially if he has been so unwise as to make over all his property to his children with the understanding that they are to take care of him. I have seen in such cases children crowd the old man's chair to the door, and then crowd it clear into the street, and then crowd it into the poor-house, and keep on crowding it until the old man fell out of it into his grave.

But your father's chair was a sacred place. The children used to climb up on the rungs of it for a good-night kiss, and the longer he stayed the better he liked it. But that chair has been vacant now for some time. The furniture dealer would not give you fifty cents for it, but it is a throne of influence in your domestic circle. I saw in the French palace, and in the throne room, the chair that Napoleon used to occupy. It was a beautiful chair, but the most significant part of it was the letter "N" emboldered into the back of the chair in purple and gold. And your father's old chair sits in the throne room of your heart, and your affections have embroidered into the back of the chair in purple and gold the letter "F." Have all the prayers of that old chair been answered? Have all the counsels of that old chair been practiced? Speak out! old armchair.

History tells us of an old man whose three sons were victors in the Olympic games; and when they came back, these three sons, with their garlands, put them on their father's brow, and the old man was so rejoiced at the victories of his three children that he fell dead in their arms. And are you, O man, going to bring a wreath of joy and Christian usefulness and put it on your father's brow, or on the vacant chair, or on the memory of one departed? Speak out! old armchair! With reference to your father, the words of my text have been fulfilled, "Thou shalt be missed, because thy seat will be empty."

I go a little further on. In your house and I find the mother's chair. It is very apt to be a rocking chair. She had so many cares and troubles to soothe that it must have rocked. I remember it well. It was an old chair, and the rockers were almost worn out for I was the youngest

and the chair had rocked the whole family. It made a creaking noise as it moved, but their was music in the sound. It was just high enough to allow us children to put our heads into her lap. "That was the bank where we deposited all our hurts and worries. Ah! what a chair that was. It was different from the father's chair; it was entirely different. You ask me how. I can not tell, but we all felt it different. Perhaps there was about this chair more gentleness, more tenderness, more grief when we had done wrong. When we were wayward father scolded, but mother cried. It was a very wakeful chair. In the sick days of children other chairs could not keep awake; that chair always kept awake—kept easily awake. That chair knew all the old lullabies and all those wordless songs which mothers sing to their sick children—songs in which all pity and compassion and sympathetic influences are combined.

That old chair has stopped rocking for a good many years. It may be set up in the loft or the garret, but it holds a queenly power yet. When at midnight you went into that garret shop to get the intoxicating draft, did you not hear a voice that said, "My son, why go in there?" And louder than the boisterous oncore of the place of sinful amusement, a voice saying, "My son, what do you do here?" And when you went into the house of abandonment, a voice saying, "What would your mother do if she knew you were here?" And you were provoked with yourself, and you charged yourself with superstition and fanaticism and your head got hot with your own thoughts, and you went home and you went to bed, and no sooner had you touched the bed than a voice said: "What! a prayerless pillow? Man! what is the matter?" This. You are too near your mother's rocking chair.

"Oh,shaw!" you say, "There's nothing in that; I'm five hundred miles off from where I was born; I'm three thousand miles off from the church whose bell was the first music I ever heard." I can not help that; you are too near your mother's rocking chair. "Oh," you say, "there can't be anything in that, that chair has been vacant a great while." I cannot help that; it is all the mightier for that; it is omnipotent, that vacant mother's chair. It whispers, it speaks, it weeps, it carols, it mourns, it prays, it thunders. A young man went off and broke his mother's heart, and while he was away from home his mother died, and the telegraph brought the son, and he came into the room where she lay, and looked upon her face, and he cried out: "Oh, mother! mother! what your life could not do your death shall effect. This moment I give my heart to God." And he kept his promise. Another victory for the vacant chair. With reference to your mother, the words of my text were fulfilled, "Thou shalt be missed, because thy seat will be empty." I go on a little further, and I come to the invalid's chair. What? How long have you been sick? "Oh, I have been sick ten, twenty, thirty years." Is it possible? What a story of endurance! There are in many of the families of my congregation these invalid chairs. The occupants of them think they are doing no good in the world, but that invalid's chair is the mighty pulpit from which they have been preaching all these years, trust in God. The first time I preached here at Lakeside, Ohio, amid the throngs present there was nothing that so much impressed me as the spectacle of just one face—the face of an invalid who was wheeled in on her chair. I said to her afterward, "Madame, how long have you been prostrated?" for she was lying flat in the chair. "Oh," she replied, "I have been this way fifteen years." I said, "Do you suffer very much?" "Oh, yes," she said, "I suffer very much. I suffer all the time. Part of the time I was blind. I always suffer." "Well," I said, "can you keep your courage up?" "Oh, yes," she said, "I am happy, very happy, indeed." Her face showed it. She looked the happiest of any one on the ground.

Oh, what a means of grace to the world, these invalid chairs. On that field of human suffering the grace of God gets its victory. Edward Payson, the invalid, and Richard Baxter, the invalid, and Robert Hall, the invalid, and the ten thousand of whom the world has never heard, but of whom all Heaven is cognizant. The most conspicuous thing on earth for God's eye and the eye of angels to rest on is not a throne of earthly power, but it is the invalid's chair. Oh! these men and women who are always suffering but never complaining—these victims of spinal disease and neuraltic torture and rheumatic excruciation will answer to the roll call of the martyrs and rise to the martyr's throne and will wave the martyr's palm.

But when one of these invalid's chairs becomes vacant, how suggestive it is! No more bolstering up of the weary head. No more changing from side to side to get an easy position. No more use of the bandage, and the cataplasm, and the prescription. That invalid's chair may be folded up, or taken apart, or set away, but it will never lose its queenly power; it will always preach of trust in God and cheerful submission. Suffering all ended now. With respect to that invalid the words of my text have been fulfilled, "Thou shalt be missed, because thy seat will be empty."

I pass on and I find one more vacant chair. It is a high chair. It is the child's chair. If that chair be occupied I think it is the most potent chair in all the household. All the chairs wait on it; all the chairs are turned toward it. It means more than David's chair at Saul's banquet. At any rate, it makes more racket. That is a strange house that can be dull with a child in it. How that child breaks up the hard worldliness of the place and keeps you young to sixty, seventy and eighty years of age! If you have no child of your own, adopt one; it will open Heaven to your soul. It will pay its way. Its crowing in the morning will give the day a cheerful starting, and its glee at night will give the day a cheerful close. You do not like children? Then you had better stay out of Heaven, for there are so many there they would fairly make you crazy! Only about five hundred millions of them! The old crusty Pharisees told the mothers to keep the children away from Christ. "You bother him," they said; "you trouble the Master." Trouble him! He has filled Heaven with that kind of trouble.

A pioneer in California says that, for the first year or two after his residence in Sierra Nevada County, there was not a single child in all the reach of a hundred miles. But the Fourth of July came, and the miners were gathered together, and they were celebrating the Fourth with oration and poem and a boisterous brass band, and while the band was playing an infant's voice was heard crying, and all the members were startled, and the swarthy men began to think of their homes on the eastern

coast, and of their wives and children far away, and there hearts were thrilled with homesickness as they heard the baby cry.

But the music went on, and the child cried louder and louder, and the brass band played louder and louder, trying to drown out the infantile tears rolling down his face, got up and shook his fist and said, "Stop that noisy band and give the baby a chance." Oh, there was pathos in it, as well as good cheer in it. There is nothing to arouse and melt and subdue the soul like a child's voice. But when it goes away from you the high chair becomes a higher chair, and there is desolation all about you.

In three-fourths of the homes of this congregation there is a vacant high chair. Somehow you never get over it. There is no one to put to bed at night; no one to ask strange questions about God and Heaven. Oh, what is the use of that high chair? It is to call you higher. What a drawing upward it is to have children in Heaven! And then it is such a preventive against sin. If a father is going away into sin he leaves his living children with their mother; but if a father is going away into sin what is he going to do with his dead children floating about him and hovering over his every wayward step? Oh, speak out, vacant high chair, and say: "Father, come back from sin; mother, come back from worldliness. I am watching you. I am waiting for you." With respect to your child, the words of my text have been fulfilled, "Thou shalt be missed, because thy seat will be empty."

My hearers, I have gathered up the voices of your departed friends and tried to intone them into one invitation upward. I set in array all the vacant chairs of your homes and of your social circle, and I bid them cry out this morning: "Time is short. Eternity is near. Take my Saviour. Be at peace with my God. Come up where I am. We lived together on earth, come let us live together in Heaven." We answer that invitation. We come. Keep a seat for us, as Saul kept a seat for David, but that seat shall not be empty. And on, when we are all through with this world and we have shaken hands all around for the last time, and all our chairs in the home circle and in the outside world shall be vacant, may we be worshipping God in that place from which we shall go no more for ever. I thank God there will be no vacant chairs in Heaven.

There we shall meet again, and talk over our earthly heartbreaks. How much you have been through since you saw them last! On the shining shore you will talk it all over. The heart-aches. The loneliness. The sleepless nights. The weeping until you had no more power to weep, because the heart was withered and dried up. Story of empty cradle, and little shoe only just worn out never to be worn again, just the shape of the foot that once pressed it. And dreams when you thought the departed had come back again, and the room seemed bright with their faces, and you started up to greet them, and in the effort the dream broke and you found yourself standing amid room in the midnight—alone.

Talking it all over, and then, hand in hand, walking up and down in the light. No sorrow, no tears, no death. Oh, Heaven, beautiful Heaven! Heaven where our friends are. Heaven where we expect to be. In the East they take a cage of birds and bring it to the tomb of the dead, and then they open the door of the cage, and the birds, flying out, sing. And I would to-day bring a cage of Christian consolations to the grave of your loved ones, and I would open the door and let them fill all the air with the music of their voices.

Oh, how they bound in these spirits before the throne. Some shout with gladness. Some break forth into uncontrollable weeping for joy. Some stand speechless in their shock of delight. They sing. They quiver with excessive gladness. They gaze on the temples, on the palaces, on the waters, on each other. They weave their joy into arlands, they spring it into triumphal arches, they strike it on timbrels, and then all the loved ones gather in a great circle around the throne of God—fathers, mothers, brothers, sisters, sons and daughters, lovers and friends, hand to hand around about the throne of God—the circle ever widening—throne to hand, joy to joy, jubilee to jubilee, victory to victory. "Until the day break and the shadows flee away. Turn thou, my beloved, and be like a roe or a young hart upon the mountains of Bethel."

The whole of the city is intersected by canals, broad, long and deep, and capable of accommodating vessels of heavy tonnage. These canals divide the city into so many islands, turned by draw-bridges, swivel-bridges, turning-bridges, and a few stone bridges. It is curious to walk through Rotterdam and find everywhere these canals, with streets on either side, and trees along the side of almost every street, and more curious still to find that you can never get away from the shipping. In the very heart of the city large ships are discharging their cargoes; the masts of the ships are seen among the houses above the trees, beside the churches, and all along the center of the main thoroughfares. Many of these ships are built expressly for the Rhine and Holland; they are single-masted, broad, stout, and all highly colored and ornamented. The prevailing style is bright green for the hull, with red or white stripes, gilded poops, varnished or highly polished decks and masts, while buckets, hatches, barrels and other things, are usually painted a bright red, with white or green stripes. The cabins are models of cleanliness and comfort, with brightly polished windows, snow-white muslin curtains and pots of flowers. Besides the novelty of finding "a fleet imprisoned in the heart of the city," there are many things to attract the attention in the streets of Rotterdam. The houses have pointed facades; are of all shades of brick, from the darkest red to the pinkest of pink; whitewashed stone or wood ornaments the facade; the windows and doors are bordered with broad white stripes; the window sills are generally full of flowers; the windows are provided with little mirrors, by means of which the inmates can see all that takes place up or down the street without being themselves seen; brass plates and brass knobs in a high state of polish adorn the doors, by the side of which bird-cages frequently hang. If a curious fact that nearly all the houses are a little out of the upright, and lean more or less, while sometime in a street all the houses will lean slightly in one direction.







## ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

The charge against McIntee, for criminal assault upon a young girl, has been disposed of by a plea of guilty of an assault only.

The contract of the city with the Globe Light & Heat Co., for the lighting of the street lamps, has been renewed for another year.

Prof. C. Doesburg is being ranked among the successful anglers. He returned home one day this week in high glee with a fine string of white and black bass.

As the Holland Martial Band were out on parade, last week, one of the teams on the street became unruly and run over one of the lads of J. A. Roost. No material injury, however.

Will Breyman of Holland was in Fennville to-day with a stock of gold and silver watches. He intends to place a stock in Mr. Husen's jewelry store, in a short time.—*Dispatch*.

The circuit court will meet on Monday, Aug. 3, and after the transaction of routine business will adjourn to the 17th. Judge Buck of Kalamazoo will preside. No jury cases will be tried until the 17th.

John Boezel, a carpenter at work on the new house of J. C. Post, Thirteenth street, fell from the scaffolding, Tuesday forenoon. Though he made a descent of 23 feet, John managed to come down unhurt.

It is said that ex-county treasurer Gibbs will engage an expert accountant to go over the books and accounts of the four years he was in office, and see whether his deficiency cannot be made good in that way.

There was a small strike Friday morning among the shovel brigade employed in digging the trenches for the water mains. Some 15 of them quit for the reason that they were paid only \$1.25, while others employed in the laying of the pipe received \$1.50.

The grievance between Geo. Nash and the stmr. Macatawa has been adjusted. On Saturday Capt. Judd, dep. U. S. marshal, libeled the boat on a writ issued out of the U. S. court, for damages sustained by Mr. Nash this spring, when he was struck by the wheel of the boat, while at work caulking under her stern. Five hundred dollars settled the demand.

The display of the National colors on the engine house and on the C. & B. tannery, Tuesday, was in honor of the marriage of John Hefje, foreman of Hose Comp. No. 1, and Miss Gertrude Schippers, of Graafschap. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. E. Dosker, at the residence of the groom's parents on Maple street. The wedding party in the evening took the boat for Chicago.

Two young boys climbed through an open window in the Second Reformed church, Grand Haven, entered the library and stole \$18 of missionary money. They then went aboard the steamer Atlanta and tried to purchase tickets to Chicago, but the clerk refused to sell them tickets without an order from their parents. They left the boat and it is thought went to Muskegon on an excursion train.—*Express*.

The steamer City of Marquette, of the Milwaukee line, came up to the head of the lake twice this week, each time taking on board a consignment of freight for Milwaukee from the Holland Stage and Heading Comp. The freight traffic on this new line is said to be very satisfactory, and developing into a trunk business, though the company has been thwarted thus far in its efforts to secure an additional boat, as intended.

## OUR NEIGHBORS.

### Zeeland.

Preparations are being made for the mission meeting to be held at this place Friday evening, in honor of the young missionaries about to depart for China and Japan.

At the annual school meeting held last week the old trustees were re-elected, and by the report of the school board it was shown that the number of pupils was too large for the number of teachers engaged. A motion was carried by a unanimous vote authorizing the board to fit up another room and hire one more teacher, thus making the number of teachers employed six.

J. Van Eenennaam, the popular landlord of the Zeeland hotel, has made another improvement. He has built a new addition to his hotel.

K. Veneklasen & Bros. of the brick yard firm, are having a telephone line put up between their place and Hamilton to have easy communication with their brick yard there.

The farmers are almost through harvesting, and with the exception of a few all report the wheat crop to be better than for years past. Potatoes, corn, oats, and in fact everything so far looks very well.

July 22, 1891.

### Olive Centre.

The frequent showers we are having rather hinders the harvesting, but it keeps the crops growing nicely.

Will Pierce has a new Deering Binder.

Mrs. Eugene Lyons and son, of Riverside, and Mrs. Ernest Lyons and son, of Irtutus, Emmet county, are visiting at Fordyce Lyons. Mr. Lyons is again able to be out and around.

Charles and Ida Holmes have just re-

turned from a few days sojourn in Laketown.

Gerrit Southfield and Reita Goshorn were married recently, and Monday night they received an old-fashioned serenading. Cow bells and a mill saw were distinctly recognized among the musical implements.

Married, Saturday last, by Squire Montford, Pearl Fletcher and John Goshorn.

Andrew Mundy is in his element; he has another law-suit on hand.

## Allegan News.

H. J. Klompars shipped his last car of old hay last week and this week shipped his first car of new hay, the latter being bought by D. Lenters of Fillmore, at \$9 per ton. From this it will be seen that hay starts in at a good figure this year.—*Journal*.

The Michigan Paper company of Plainwell shipped its first full carload of toilet paper to Chicago last Monday. In the car were placed 35,000 of the rolls. This is a new feature of the company's business.—*Gazette*.

Douglas has been without a grist-mill only a week, and yet its merchants report a perceptible decrease in trade.—*Record*.

Those of our readers who remember the old steamer Ira Chaffee that was built in Allegan and formerly run between Saugatuck and Chicago for so many years, will be interested in learning the final fate of the old propeller. She was lying at a lumber dock at Sault Ste Marie last Friday when she took fire aft of the engine room and was entirely consumed.

The violent wind that preceded the rain on last Monday did a damage to the peach orchards in this vicinity that has not been fully reported, but must have been considerable. Nearly every tree is fairly burdened down with fruit and a wind like that of last Monday causes many of the large branches to break and greatly disfigures the orchard. The wind came just at the time when the greatest damage was possible.—*Commercial*.



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## Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

COUNTY OF ZEELAND.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Zeeland, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Wednesday the 17th day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

Present, CHARLES E. SOULE, Judge of Probate.

With master of the estate of Peter Hilleman, deceased.

On read and filed the petition, duly verified, of Evert van Dyke and Peter Ueber, executors of the will of said deceased, praying for the examination and allowance of their account, that they may distribute said estate to the statutory legatees thereof named in the will of said deceased, be discharged from their trust, have their bond cancelled and said estate closed; Thereupon it is Ordered, That Wednesday, the Nineteenth day of August, next,

at seven o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petition should not be granted; And it is further Ordered, That said petitioners give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the time and place of said petition, and the hearing thereon by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, of 10 days for the successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy, Attest)

CHARLES E. SOULE, Judge of Probate.

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## Teachers' Examinations.

FALL SERIES, 1891.

The Ottawa County Board of School Examiners will hold the following examinations at places and dates named:

Regular Examination — Grand Haven, Thursday and Friday, August 6th and 7th.

Special Examination — Zeeland, Friday, August 29th.

Special Examination — Coopersville, Friday, Sept. 25th.

The Board has adopted the following rules:

1. Applicants for third grade certificate will be examined in orthography, reading, penmanship, geography, grammar, arithmetic, U. S. history, theory and art of teaching, civil government, physiology and hygiene.

An average of 80 per cent. is required.

In addition to third grade branches applicants for second grade will be examined in algebra and physics, and a further addition for first grade of geometry, botany, general history and school law. An average of 85 per cent. for second grade and 90 per cent. for first grade will be required.

2. Each examination must be complete. Those obliged to rewrite must take the examination in full.

3. Teachers whose average standing is 90 or above in third grade branches and who can bring certificates of successful work, will be excused from re-writing on those branches, if writing for a higher grade.

4. Examinations will begin at 8 a. m. and will be both oral and written.

COLE M. GOODENOW, Chairman, Berlin.

J. W. HUMPHREY, Secretary, Holland.

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## MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of payment of a mortgage executed by Jan Van den Bosch, of Holland, Ottawa County, State of Michigan, to Hubert Keppel, of Zeeland, Ottawa County, Michigan, dated March twenty-third, A. D. 1887, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan, on March twenty-fifth, A. D. 1887, in Book of mortgages on page 180, which mortgage was assigned by said Hubert Keppel by assignment in writing dated June sixth, A. D. 1891, to Isaac Marsilje, of Holland, Michigan, and which assignment was recorded on June sixth, A. D. 1891, in said Ottawa County register's office in Book of mortgages on page 459, which mortgage was given to secure payment of part of the purchase money of the premises hereinafter described, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law or in equity, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public vendue of the mortgaged premises, to pay the amount of said debt, with interest and costs of foreclosure and sale, including the attorney fee provided by law and by said mortgage. Said sale to take place at the front door of the Ottawa County court house, at Grand Haven, Michigan, on the twenty-first day of August, A. D. 1891, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

The said mortgage, ed premises to be sold being: All of that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the village of Zeeland, in the County of Ottawa, and State of Michigan, and described as follows: A. An undivided three-eighths (3/8) part of said undivided two-thirds (2/3) part of lots fourteen (14) and fifteen (15) of Block number two (2) of the village of Zeeland, according to the recorded plat of said village, together with the buildings thereon and the steam power with all the machinery run thereby, excepting that part of said number fourteen (14) with the buildings thereon, bounded on the north and east sides by the north and east lines of said lot number fourteen (14) on the south by a line parallel with the north line and one hundred feet distant therefrom, and on the west side by a line parallel with the east line and one hundred and six (106) feet distant therefrom, and also excepting a square piece, of one hundred feet north and south by twenty four feet east and west, in the north west corner of said lot number fifteen.

Dated June 23rd, 1891.

ISAAC MARSLJE, Assignee of Mortgage.

J. C. POST, Attorney.

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