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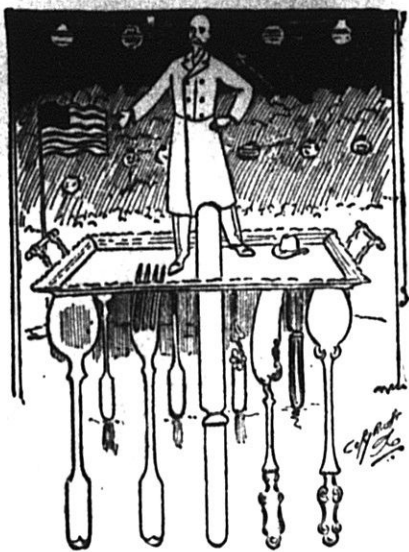
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Now is the time to supply of Fall School Dresses or Dry Goods of any description.

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On a Silver Platform.

The present agitation of the silver question, will inevitably cause a rise in the price of that beautiful metal, therefore now is the time to buy silverware, and if you want fine goods, at cut rates, and a large assortment to select from go to

STEVENSON'S Jewelry Store
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Which will Win—McKinley or Bryan?

That's the question of to-day. But do you know that Lokker & Rutgers are selling \$1.25 Slippers for 49 cents? Their line of Summer Clothing and Furnishing Goods is the best and most complete in the city.

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"If taken into the head by the nostrils two or three times a week, Thomas' Electric Oil will positively relieve the most offensive case of catarrh." Rev. E. F. Crane, Dunkirk, N. Y.

Wonderful Malarial Bitters.

The recommendations of the best Chemists and Medical Practitioners assure the public of the purity of Speer's Wines and they are as well as speed of the purity of Aunt Rachael's Malarial Bitters, the base of which is this wine, only made bitter by herbs and roots among which are Peruvian Bark, Chamomile Flowers, Snake Root, Ginger, etc. It is daily used by the Medical Faculty. Druggists sell the Bitters.

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CITY AND VICINITY.

The Allegan county Republican convention will be held Wednesday, July 29.

Holland township Republicans will caucus Wednesday afternoon. See call on second page.

Boot & Kramer have a new delivery wagon, second to none in the city. It comes from the shop of P. Gunst.

In Van Buren county a woman, Christina Popendick, has been convicted of poisoning hay, and was fined \$150.

The August term of the circuit court, which is to open on Monday, Aug. 3, will be adjourned for one week.

The trial of P. H. Wilms for assault and battery upon E. Takken, Saturday, resulted in a verdict of guilty, from which Mr. Wilms has taken an appeal to the circuit.

Charles Wells of Berlin, one of the candidates for the nomination of register of deeds on the Republican ticket, was in the city Saturday, cultivating the acquaintance of his friends.

Rev. David D. Demorest, D. D., Professor at the Theol. Seminary, New Brunswick, N. J., is the guest at Macatawa Park of his daughter, Mrs. Rev. Graham Taylor, of Chicago. The Doctor also visited former acquaintances in this city.

We have received a copy of the program list of the Coopersville fair to be held Sept. 22-25. It is a neat little book, compact, with the contents systematically arranged. The work was done at the Observer office. The coming fair will be the ninth in the existence of the association.

It will be very gratifying to the resident shareholders in the defunct Granite State Provident Association to learn that the Michigan assets of the concern have been returned to Mr. Humphrey, the receiver appointed for this state, and that all those interested can now make settlements with the latter by addressing him at Lansing.

The Republicans of Olive had their caucus on Friday evening of last week and elected the following delegates to the county convention, to be held Aug. 8: Seth Coburn, Hubert Pelgrim, John C. Robart, Henry Searsma, Richard Smith, George Pelgrim, Henry Harrington, Arius J. Eelman, Hubert Schout. There was an attendance of 75, and all the nominations were made by ballot.

The following advice to wheelmen is given in an old country exchange: Don't forget your pump. Don't loan your bike, you might need it yourself. Don't ride with loose tires. Don't lean forward so awfully. Don't ride with a hump back. Don't ride a gear that is too high. Don't drink much on long tours. Don't spin right after a meal. Don't fail to turn to the right. Don't go out in the dark, without a lantern. Don't imagine that you're a racer. Don't turn a short corner on wet roads. Don't forget that wet tires are more liable to get punctured than dry tires. Don't try to ride like a man, when you're a woman.

Holland Republicans of Chicago have organized a club.

Dr. J. W. Cooper of Grandville, would like to represent his district in the legislature.

Dr. J. Van der Laan was re-elected a member of the Muskegon board of education, receiving 975 votes out of 1,163.

P. Oosting has been awarded the contract for the masonwork connected with the addition to the Zeeland school building.

John Caulfield and George F. Richardson were the delegates from this congressional district at the St. Louis silver convention this week.

That "crown of thorns upon the brow of labor" is turning out to be a chestnut. But it cannot be denied that it has rendered its author good service.

The following are some of the fair dates for 1896:

Holland—Sept. 29, 30, Oct. 1, 2.
Coopersville—Sept. 22-25.
Berlin—Sept. 29, 30, Oct. 1, 2.
Allegan—Sept. 22-25.

A thief sneaked into the Stewart's office of the steamer Soo City, while Henry Herbert was out, and walked off with his watch and chain, \$16 in money and some papers. This happened in Chicago, Monday.

On Sunday the C. & W. M. will inaugurate its special fruit service for the season. The train on the northern division will leave Hart at 1 p. m., Waverly at 5 p. m., New Buffalo at 11 p. m., and arrive at Chicago at 5 o'clock the following morning.

It takes more than the ordinary rate of wages to hire a servant girl in any of the lake shore towns just now. Many of the domestics have thrown up their jobs for the more lucrative employment of picking fruit, and still there is a demand for more help.—G. R. Press.

Supervisor Henry Bosch of Jamestown, candidate for the nomination of county treasurer, was around on Thursday, repairing his fences. Henry has a good many friends among the older residents of the city and will no doubt receive a due support from them.

Allegan Journal: The Methodist, Presbyterian, Episcopal and Congregational churches have made a very timely arrangement by which a union Sunday evening service will be held in one of these churches during the remainder of the summer. Each church will hold its own service in the morning. The Baptist church does not enter into this arrangement.

The dog days, which began July 3, continue to August 11. They are so called from Sirius, the most brilliant of fixed stars in the head of the constellation Canis major, or the great dog. During this period this star and the sun rise within the same hour, and the ancients who worshipped the dog attributed the extreme of summer to the influence of this constellation—a superstition which in name has been perpetuated to the present day by the use of the term "dog days."

The probabilities are that in this congressional district there will be a three cornered fight on congressman. Wm. Alden Smith is the Republican nominee. The free silver Democrats are likely to nominate Judge Burlingame or Geo. P. Hummer, and the sound-money Democrats that have bolted the Chicago platform and candidates, will make a third nomination. The latter number is quite numerous in the Valley City and includes such men as W. B. Shelby, C. M. Heald, John S. Lawrence, Philo Fuller, Thos. Hefferan, John E. Moore, Dr. G. K. Johnson, Geo. J. C. Smith, Dr. C. S. Hazeltine, J. H. P. Hugbart, L. E. Hawkins, Judge J. W. Champlin and many others.

The next state teachers institute for Ottawa county will be held at Zeeland, during the week commencing Aug. 31. From a circular issued by Sup't Pattengill we take the following: "The work will combine professional and academic instruction. The institute will be divided into sections; and the instructors will conduct classes for the purpose of reviewing some studies, and also to illustrate certain methods of instruction. The workers have been urged to arrange for callisthenic exercises, singing, marching, and the like, so as to make the work move off cheerily and without fatigue. There will be no enrollment fee, and every teacher or would-be teacher should arrange to attend every session. Try to be present at the first session." Full particulars in regard to board, etc., may be obtained upon application to the local committee. Miss Cora M. Goodenow, Berlin, Mich.

In Europe they are also to have an early harvest and a good grain crop.

Pennsylvania's majority for McKinley this fall is predicted at 300,000.

The Grand Rapids Street Railway Co. claim that the bicycle has caused a falling off in their daily receipts of \$200.

Ionia county delegates will go instructed for Plogree. Sentiment in his favor is on the increase throughout the state.

The Republicans of Agnew organized a McKinley club Monday evening. Geo. A. Farr of Grand Haven was there and gave them a stirring address.

The Veneklasen brickyard at Hamilton, is doing a good business, with plenty of orders ahead. Red brick is the principal color manufactured there.—News.

The Epworth League will give a picnic social at the residence of Mrs. J. Nies, east Eighth street. A program has been prepared and will be rendered by members of the league.

The huckleberry crop of northern Van Buren county this season is the largest ever known. The scarcity of help to gather the crop has caused thousands of bushels to be left on the vines.

Rev. J. B. Hoekstra, the new pastor of the H. C. Ref. church at East Saugatuck, and family, have arrived and settled in their new home. Rev. H. was a former pastor in this city; his last charge was in Muskegon.

In reply to inquiries at the News office we would say that arrangements will be made by Judge Padgham so as to hold a session of the circuit court in this city during the latter part of September, for the convenience of those that desire to take out papers of citizenship.

On Thursday President Kollen received word of the death of Hon. Nathan F. Graves, LL.D., at his home in Syracuse, N. Y., on Thursday, the 21st inst., aged 83 years. Mr. Graves will be remembered as among the latest munificent benefactors of Hope College. The beautiful building on Hope College campus, bearing his name, will be the perpetual testimonial thereof.

Monday evening, July 27, a farewell reception will be tendered to Rev. and Mrs. H. Huizinga, in Hope Church. Rev. W. H. Williamson of Grand Rapids will preside, and other speakers are Dr. G. J. Kollen, Rev. J. A. Otte, M. D., of Amoy, China, Prof. E. Winter, and Rev. H. Huizinga. Rev. and Mrs. Huizinga will leave during the week for their future home and work at Vellore, India.

Miss Fannie J. Sparkes, a missionary for twenty years in India, will lecture in the M. E. church on Wednesday evening, July 29, at 8:00 o'clock. Subject, "A Bengalee Wedding," illustrated by twenty-five persons in native costumes, with songs and choruses in both English and native languages. Miss Sparkes comes highly recommended as an interesting and talented speaker. You are invited to come and hear her. Admission 10 cts.

Tuesday's session of the common council was a busy one. Prominent among the matters brought up were the ordering of a sidewalk leading to the cemetery and fair grounds; a renewed effort at laying out streets in block A; the introduction of two new ordinances, one of which will regulate the numbering of buildings; the protest of our local wheelmen against some of the provisions of the ordinance regulating bicycles; the submission for approval by the council of two more additions to the city; and the authority given the board of public works to expend \$1,300 for the increase of our water supply.



A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—Largest United States Government Food Report. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 108 WALL ST., N. Y.

J. B. Mulder has been elected business manager of the Holland City Band.

Rev. H. G. Birchby has returned from his trip east, where he spent his vacation, and will again occupy his pulpit Sunday.

Next week there will be a clean-up sale at John Vandersluis' dry goods store. Everything in the line of summer goods must go, regardless of cost. Read his add in this issue.

The joint meeting of the common council and the board of public works, for the purpose of reviewing the proposed sewage system, will be held in Lyceum Opera House, on Wednesday evening next.

The secretary of war has ordered that Capt. Curtis McD. Townsend be relieved from further duty with the Mississippi river commission, and that he shall proceed to Grand Rapids, Mich., take station there and relieve Lieut. Col. Garrett J. Lydecker, of the charge of certain river harbor works on the east shore of Lake Michigan to be designated by the chief of engineers.

At Fenoville John F. Barron, a dealer in peach baskets and fruit packages here, was arrested on a complaint made by a representative of the Fruit Growers' association for selling baskets that failed to show the capacity as provided by the law of 1895. Mr. Barron is the representative of O. L. King & Co., of this city, and handles their baskets. The case was tried Tuesday, J. C. Post of this city appearing as counsel for the defense. There being no denial of the facts, a conviction followed and a fine of \$25 was imposed. From this an appeal was taken, with a view of testing the validity of the law, which is held to be unconstitutional because of its discriminating features, and indefinite because it fails to designate how the size or contents of the package is to be ascertained, whether by measuring from the rim down or from the cover down. Both manufacturers and fruit growers are interested, and hence the complaint was made.

The following road jobs will be let by highway commissioner J. Van Appeldoorn, of Holland town:

July 28.—Improving north and south sec. line between secs. 10 and 11, range 14, at 10:00 a. m.; improving east and west 1/2 line of sec. 1, range 16, at 1:00 p. m.; ditching and improving the Olive town line, sec. 1, range 16, at 4:00 p. m. The letting will be at the several places named.

July 31.—At 2:00 p. m. A new bridge on Lake street, west of city; hauling gravel on Lake street; hauling gravel on city limits; hauling gravel on Lake Shore, east and west 1/2 line, sec. 22, range 16. The letting will be on Lake street, just west of city limits.

Aug. 1.—At 2:00 p. m., building of a new bridge on the town line, between sec. 13 of Holland and sec. 18 of Zeeland. Place of letting will be at the bridge.

Be sure
don't fail
come soon
and look over
BOSMAN
BROS.

LINE OF CLOTHING, BICYCLE SUITS, GOLF HOSE AND CAPS.

Sewer Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the common council and the board of public works of the city of Holland will meet on

Wednesday, July 29, 1896,

at 7:30 p. m., at Lyceum Opera house to consider any suggestions and objections that may be made by parties interested with respect to the map, plans and estimates of the proposed sewerage system of the city, as made by Alvord & Shields, and placed on file in the office of the city clerk.

Dated Holland, July 9, 1896.

By order of the common council.
Geo. H. Strr, City Clerk.

News \$1.00 a year.

Chicago June 28, 1896.

AND WEST MICHIGAN RY.

	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m.
Lv. Grand Rapids.....	9 15	5 45	1 30	11 30
Ar. Waverly.....	10 20	6 50	2 01	7 30
Holland.....	10 15	6 40	2 06	7 20
Chicago.....	11 50	6 50	6 40	
	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m.
Lv. Chicago.....	7 30	5 00	9 30	
Holland.....	4 15	6 05	12 35	9 50
Waverly.....	4 55	4 45	12 30	10 30
Ar. Grand Rapids.....	5 15	5 45	1 25	10 40
Lv. ".....			11 30	7 10
Potoskey.....			12 35	6 00
	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
Lv. Chicago.....	11 30	7 30	5 00	9 30

Allegan and Muskegon Division.

	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m.
Lv. Pentwater.....			1 35	
Muskegon.....	8 30	7 05	12 35	1 35
Grand Haven.....	8 53	7 34	1 07	
Ar. Waverly.....	9 40	8 15	1 50	
Holland.....	9 45	8 20		3 40
Allegan.....	11 30			3 55
	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m.
Lv. Allegan.....	6 30		6 00	
Holland.....	9 45	6 20	1 05	7 10
Waverly.....	10 00	6 25	2 10	7 15
Grand Haven.....	10 35	7 25	2 50	
Lv. Muskegon.....	11 15	8 25	3 25	
Ar. Pentwater.....			11 30	
	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
Lv. Allegan.....	6 30		6 00	

*Daily.
Passenger can leave Holland 6:30 a. m. and connect at Waverly with Ottawa Branch Business Men's train which arrives at Grand Rapids 8:00 a. m.

Trains leaving Holland 2:35 a. m. and 12:25 p. m. connect at Grand Rapids with G. R. & L. arriving at Potoskey 9:20 a. m. and 7:50 p. m. and Bay View 9:25 a. m. and 7:55 p. m.

Detroit, June 28, 1896.

LANSING & NORTHERN R. R.

	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
Lv. Grand Rapids.....	8 54	3 16	7 35	
Ar. Lansing.....	11 43	5 44	10 10	
	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
Lv. Detroit.....	7 40	1 10	6 00	
Lansing.....	10 24	3 51	8 57	
Ar. Grand Rapids.....	12 20	5 25	10 45	

Parlor Cars on all trains, seats 25 cents for any distance.

GEO. DEHAVEN,
G. P. A. Grand Rapids, Mich.
J. C. HOLCOMB, Holland Agent

Holland City News.

SATURDAY, July 18 1896.

Holland, - - Mich.

Republican County Convention.

A delegate convention of the Republicans of Ottawa county will be held at the court house in the city of Grand Haven, on Monday, Aug. 5, 1896, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various county offices and members of the legislature from the first and second representative districts; also to elect twelve delegates to the Republican state convention, to be held in Grand Rapids, August 5th, 1896; also to elect twelve delegates to attend the senatorial convention to be hereafter called, and for the transaction of such other business as may come up before the convention.

Based on the Republican vote for governor at the general election held in 1894 the several townships and wards are entitled to delegates as follows:

Albion.....	6	Wright.....	6
Blondin.....	4	Zeeland.....	16
Chester.....	4	Grand Haven city.....	4
Crookery.....	7	First Ward.....	4
Georgetown.....	7	Second Ward.....	2
Grand Haven.....	2	Third Ward.....	10
Holland.....	11	Fourth Ward.....	4
Jamestown.....	7	Holland city.....	7
Oliver.....	9	First Ward.....	7
Spring Lake.....	14	Second Ward.....	3
Talimadge.....	7	Third Ward.....	8
		Fourth Ward.....	6
		Fifth Ward.....	9

Local committees will please see that caucuses are called in compliance with section 9 act 175 of the public acts of 1893, which requires at least five days' notice to be given by publication in one or more daily newspapers in places where such papers are published and in other cases by posting up notices in at least three public places in the precinct for which the caucus is to be held.

Dated Grand Haven, Mich., July 9, 1896.

GEORGE D. TURNER,

Ch'm Rep. Co. Com.

JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Sec.

Republican Ward Caucuses.

Republican ward caucuses for the election of delegates to the Republican County convention (which is called for August 3rd next), will be held on Thursday, July 30, 1896,

at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

The places designated and the number of delegates to which each ward is entitled are as follows:

First ward—Engine house No. 2; seven delegates.

Second ward—Second floor Grand wet printing office; three delegates.

Third ward—Holland City News office; eight delegates.

Fourth ward—Office of Geo. E. Kollen; six delegates.

Fifth ward—Maple Grove school house; two delegates.

Dated Holland, July 16, 1896.

By order of Republican City Committee.

Geo. E. KOLLEN, Ch'm.

H. R. DOESBURG, Sec'y.

Holland Township Republican Caucus.

A Republican Caucus for the township of Holland to elect 11 delegates to the Republican County Convention, will be held at the townhouse, on Wednesday, July 29, 1896, at 2:00 p. m.

Holland, July 21, 1896.

By order of the committee.

W. DIEKEMA, Ch'n.

A. VAN DER HAAR, Sec'y.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Allegan County.

Arrangements are being made for a baseball tournament to be held at Allegan, August 13, 14, and 15. Clubs from Ottawa, Van Buren, Barry, and Allegan counties will participate and some interesting games may be expected.

The Allegan summer normal opened with about one hundred present and it is thought this number will be largely increased. The instructors are Prof. H. W. McIntosh and Mrs. J. M. Kilian of Allegan village; Prof. J. W. Humphrey of Wayland, and Mrs. D. V. Pursell of Plainwell. The normal will last five weeks.

For a number of years Allegan was the principal wool market in southwestern Michigan, but the buyers here this season have purchased less than 75,000 pounds. Free wool!

The new Allegan creamery is in running order and doing business.

The salary of the postmaster of Otsego has been increased from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

The roof of the Allegan school building is said to be very defective, and an expert architect of Grand Rapids has advised them to renew it.

Muskegon.

A terrible accident occurred in Muskegon township Monday, by which 15 year old Albert Wilk lost his life. With his sister he was playing about an old well and had playfully thrown a ribbon from the girl's hair in the well, when she seized and threw in his hat and dared him to go after it. He climbed down, got the hat and ribbon and started up when there was a sound of caving earth. The rotten curbing had given away. It was well on into morning before the hastily summoned neighbors succeeded in recovering the dead body.

Ottawa County.

Thomas Savidge of Spring Lake claims to have the greatest corn crop in Western Michigan. He has ten acres of it eight feet tall.

A yellowish white grub or bore about one inch in length and the size of a small cutworm, is destroying the oak trees in the vicinity of Ottawa Station. The grub eats the wood where limbs branch out from the tree and the first wind that comes along blows off the branches thus eaten. Very few trees in the vicinity have escaped the ravages of the insects.

G. R. Herald: C. K. Hoyt, who represented the Hudsonville end of Ottawa county in the state legislature two winters ago, would like to do so again, provided Edwin A. Wilkey of

Van Buren county is not nominated and elected auditor general. Rumor has it that if Mr. Wilkey should capture the plum he is after, one of his first and best appointments, of the many he would have to give out, would fall to the lot of Mr. Hoyt. However, Mr. Hoyt is not carrying all his eggs in one basket, and he is not letting the legislative nomination get very far out of his sight, lest he might perchance need it. He is able to conduct his campaign from the vantage ground of an editorial sanctum, or three of them for that matter, as he is conducting the Hudsonville News, the Byron Center Globe and the Sand Lake Star.

Saugatuck.

Mrs. Geo. Walz, the victim of the gasoline stove accident at Douglas last week, died at her home Saturday, having lingered in great agony from the time of the accident. Deceased was 46 years old and leaves a husband and five children.

The steamer Greyhound is being fitted with passenger accommodations and as soon as they are completed she will be put on the Holland route. The Greyhound is a new boat, perfectly seaworthy, and of good speed. Capt. J. N. Upham will be in command.

The new school board organized by electing John Koning moderator, R. C. Brittain director, and D. L. Barber assessor.

Commercial: As if the yellows was not bad enough, there is a new disease working among the peach trees of this section, which is generally considered by the growers to be a new form of the yellows. Its symptoms, however, are entirely different from the usual form of that disease. The fruit does not prematurely ripen, but withers and decays before coming to maturity. The foliage of the tree turns yellow, and altogether it has the appearance of being affected with some sort of blight. The trees left standing, die at the end of the second or third year. It is thought to be contagious, as the yellows.

The Chicago and Milwaukee boats now come up to their docks at this place.

Grand Haven.

At the special election Monday, on the proposition to bond the city for \$8,000 for the construction of a municipal lighting plant, a light vote was polled. The total ballots cast was 569, of which 344 were in favor and 225 against, lacking 34 of a two-thirds vote. Hence the proposition was defeated.

At the annual meeting of the Highland Park Association Jos. Koeltz was elected president, Chas. E. Conger secretary, and A. Hendry treasurer.

Says the G. H. Tribune: The next move now should be for a free bridge. No other project would be of more advantage to our city than a free bridge over Grand River.

Henry Armstrong, one of our well-known and respected citizens died Sunday evening.

The young people of the Second Ref. church gave a lawn social Tuesday evening at the home of Jacob Baar.

Zeeland.

There is good reason to suspicion that the late fire at Wm. Van Slooten's residence was the work of fire bugs.

Grounds are being cleared and work will soon be commenced on the new planing mill of Mr. Wichers.

New wheat is beginning to come in. The kernel as compared with last year's crop, is much shrunken. This is probably due the extreme heat and dry weather, ripening it so sudden.

The following were appointed as commissioners on peach yellows by the township board of Zeeland: A. G. Van Hees, Derk Huyser and Sjoerd Yntema.

The Misses Anna G. Everhard and Jennie Dekker are in Grand Rapids attending the normal.

Mrs. H. De Kruij, Sr., is in New Holland visiting her daughter Mrs. Dr. Wm. Van den Berg.

At the school meeting last week A. G. Van Hees and A. Van Kley were elected trustees, in the place of F. Boonstra and Wm. De Pree. The board organized by electing R. Veneklasen moderator, A. Lahuis director, and A. G. Van Hees assessor.

Rev. J. P. De Jonge and wife are on a three weeks' vacation at Roseland, Ill.

Peter Elenbaas of this village and his brother Isaac, of Grand Rapids, have purchased the old stand of De Pree & Elenbaas and will rebuild the factory lately destroyed by fire.

Proposed Improvement of Fifteenth street Special Street Assessment District.

CITY OF HOLLAND, MICH.,

CLERK'S OFFICE, July 8, 1896.

Notice is hereby given: That the Common Council of the City of Holland have caused to be made and deposited with the city clerk, for public examination, the profile, diagrams and estimates for the proposed grading, graveling and otherwise improving of Fifteenth street, between the center of Land street and the center of Cleveland avenue, in the City of Holland, pursuant to grade and profile to be adopted by the common council in connection with this proposed improvement and to be established on the basis of connecting with other streets.

That in making said grade, all stumps be taken up and removed from said street.

That all shade trees, wherever the grade to be established may require the same, be lowered and reset with the least possible damage to such shade trees.

That the sidewalks, if any, along said part of said street be taken up, wherever such may be necessary, and relaid 9 inches, on the outer edge, above the grade to be established, as above set forth, after the grading work is completed.

That all crosswalks that are in the way in making said grade be taken up, and relaid after the grading work is completed, the crosswalks to be taken up and relaid under the supervision of the street commissioner, at the expense of the city.

That whenever any culverts or drains are to be constructed, they shall be located and built as directed by the common council; the cost and expense thereof to be paid from the general fund of the city.

That after the grade work is completed, a road-bed 24 feet wide through the center and the whole length of said part of said Fifteenth street be covered with gravel, of the kind used on Tenth street, west of Maple street, or of a quality equally as good as that used on said part of Tenth street, to an average thickness of 9 inches, so spread that when finished it will be 12 inches thick in the center and 6 inches on the sides.

That the whole of the costs and expense of said work and improvement be defrayed by a special assessment upon the lots, lands and premises, or parts of lots and lands abutting upon said part of said Fifteenth street; provided however, that the cost of improving the several street intersections on said part of said Fifteenth street be assessed against the City of Holland and be paid from the general fund of the city.

That the lands, lots and premises upon which said special assessment shall be levied, shall include lots one, two, and three in block sixty-nine; lots four, five and six in block sixty-two; lots five, six, seven and eight in block sixty-three; lots one, two, three and four in block sixty-eight; lots one, two and three in block sixty-seven; lots four, five and six in block sixty-four; lots six, seven, eight, nine and ten in block sixty-five; lots one, two, three, four and five in block sixty-six; of the original plat of the Village of Holland; also lots nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen and sixteen in block fifteen; lots one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight and nine in block sixteen; lots ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen and eighteen in block fourteen; lots seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven and twelve in block thirteen; lots one, two, three, four, five and six in block eighteen, in the South West Addition to the then Village of Holland:

Also lots, one, two three and seven in block eight; lots four, five, six and seven in block seven; lots one and seven in block nine; lots five and six in block ten, in Hope College Addition, to the then Village of Holland:

Also lots seventy six, seventy-seven, seventy-eight, seventy-nine, eighty, eighty-one, eighty-two, eighty-three, eighty-four, ninety-seven, ninety-eight, ninety-nine, one hundred, one hundred one, one hundred two, one hundred three, one hundred four, one hundred five, one hundred six, one hundred seven, one hundred eight, one hundred nine, one hundred ten, one hundred eleven, one hundred twelve, one hundred thirteen, one hundred fourteen, one hundred fifteen, one hundred sixteen, one hundred seventeen, one hundred eighteen, one hundred nineteen, one hundred twenty, one hundred twenty-one, one hundred twenty-two, one hundred twenty-three, one hundred twenty-four, one hundred twenty-five, one hundred twenty-six, one hundred twenty-seven, one hundred twenty-eight, one hundred twenty-nine, one hundred thirty, one hundred thirty-one, one hundred thirty-two, one hundred thirty-three, one hundred thirty-four, one hundred thirty-five, one hundred thirty-six, one hundred thirty-seven, one hundred thirty-eight in Bay View Addition to the now City of Holland:

Also the several street intersections where said part of said Fifteenth street crosses Land street, Columbia and College avenues, Market, River, Pine and Maple streets, and First Van Raalte, Harrison and Cleveland avenues.

All of which said lands, lots and premises, as herein before set forth, shall be designated and are hereby declared to constitute a special street district, for the purpose of special assessment, to defray the costs and expense of grading and otherwise improving said part of said Fifteenth street, in the manner hereinbefore set forth; said district to be known and designated as "Fifteenth Street, Special Street Assessment District."

That said improvement was determined upon by the Common Council, May 29th, A. D. 1896.

That on Wednesday, the 29th day of July, A. D. 1896, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., the common council will meet at their room to consider any objections to said assessment district, and the improvement, estimates, plans and profile that may be made.

Geo. H. SIPP, City Clerk.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by Martin G. Caswell and George W. Caswell, of the township of Holland, county of Ottawa and state of Michigan, parties of the first part, to Jacob Van der Ven, of the city of Grand Rapids, county of Kent and state of Michigan, party of the second part, dated on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1892, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa county, Michigan, on the first day of February, A. D. 1894, in liber 44 of Mortgages, on Page 169, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the time of this notice the sum of One Hundred Sixty-five Dollars and Fifty Cents, besides an attorney fee of Fifteen Dollars, provided for by law; and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part of it:

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, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage with interest and costs of foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee of Fifteen Dollars, said sale to take place at the north outer door of the Ottawa County Court House, at the city of Grand Haven, Ottawa County, Michigan, (that being the place where the circuit court for the county of Ottawa is holden) on

Monday, the Twelfth day of October, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day. The said mortgaged premises to be sold being described in said mortgage as all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Holland, County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, known and described as follows: The south half of the north half of the southwest quarter of section numbered ten (10), in township numbered five (5) north of range sixteen (16) west, containing according to United States survey, forty (40) acres of land, more or less.

Dated Holland, July 15th, A. D. 1896.

JACOB VAN DER VEN, Mortgagee.

G. J. DIEKEMA, Attorney for Mortgagee.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN,

COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

At a session of the probate court for the county of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Monday, the twentieth day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety six.

Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Kruythof deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of James Brant, administrator with the will annexed of said estate, praying for the examination and allowance of his final account, that he may be discharged from his trust, have his bond canceled, and said estate closed.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Wednesday, the Twenty-sixth day of August next,

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

A true copy, (Attest)

JOHN V. B. GOODRICH,

Judge of Probate.

Guardian's Sale.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Kramer, a mentally incompetent person.

Notice is hereby given, that I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on Monday, the seventh day of September, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the house situated upon the premises heretofore described in the city of Holland, in the county of Ottawa, state of Michigan, pursuant to license and authority granted to me on the second day of March, A. D. 1896, by the Probate Court of Ottawa county, Michigan, all the right, title, interest or estate of said Isaac Kramer, a mentally incompetent person, in or to those certain pieces or parcels of land situated and being in the county of Ottawa, in the state of Michigan, known and described as follows, to wit:

The West Half of Lot Eight (8) in Block Thirty-Eight (38) in the city of Holland, Ottawa county, Michigan; also

The West Half, except the South Ninety (90) feet of the East Thirty-One (31) feet of the West Forty-One (41) feet of Lot Eleven (11) in Block Thirty-Eight (38) in the city of Holland, County of Ottawa and State of Michigan.

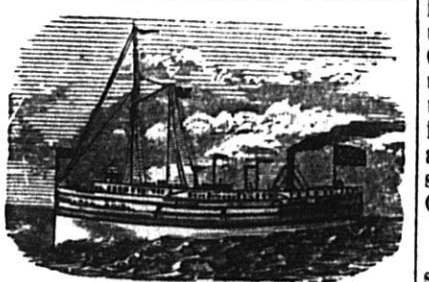
Dated July 22nd, A. D. 1896.

W. DIEKEMA, Guardian.

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

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

Grand Haven & Milwaukee Line.



GROSBY TRANSPORTATION COMPANY.

Stmr. Nyack and Wisconsin.

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

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

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



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SCIENTIFIC OPTICIAN.

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

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

EXAMINATION FREE.

I call at your home only when requested.

Mrs.

Hettie M

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Is the gifted artist of

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call and see you with samples on

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86 MONROE STREET,

Grand Rapids, Mich.

CASTORIA

for Infants and Children.

MOTHERS, Do You Know

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

An Honest Man's Story.

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

DEAR SIR:—Thank God there is a medicine that will cure catarrh. Mr. Pretzinger I used your sample box of catarrh which you sent me. The first night I used it it helped me. May God bless you for your kindness. I used the little box you sent me and about half of a 50 cent jar. They keep it in Chambersburg. I have told a great many people about your medicine.

Hon. Squire Britton, brother-in-law to me, is using it; he says it is helping him very much; he has catarrh very bad. Mrs. C. D. Ludwig, daughter of me is using your medicine. I use it in the evening before retiring to bed and am feeling better now than I have for the last five years. My head is clear and I have more energy for work and my business. Before I used your medicine I felt many a time that I did not care whether I was living or dead; I had no energy; I didn't care for anything. I had catarrh over sixty-seven years; mother had catarrh and it turned into consumption; she died in her sixty-fourth year. I have a farm up at Strasburg, seven miles from Greenville. On nice days I drive up the farm and work. Mr. Pretzinger I think it would pay you to have it put in all Franklin County papers as I am a reliable, honest man, so the people say, middling well acquainted over the County.

Yours truly,
Geo. K. ZOLLINGER.

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

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

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Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure blind, bleeding, ulcerated and itching piles. It absorbs the tumor, allays the itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared only for Piles and itching on the private parts, and nothing else. Every box is guaranteed. Sold by druggists, sent by mail, for \$1.00 per box. Williams' Mfg. Co., Prop'r, Cleveland, O.

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Do You Hear

We are making the dull season lively by selling

Dry Goods, Notions and Groceries.

So cheap that people cannot afford to do without them. We are closing out our stock of Parasols, and made special prices in Dress Goods. Remember our special sale on Ladies' White Muslin Underwear every Monday.

M. NOTIER

G. VAN PUTTEN

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

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

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

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

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Bicycles sold cheaper than any other place.

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CHEAPER THAN STAYING AT HOME.

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

GEO. DeHAVEN, G. P. A.

ANOTHER EXCURSION TO GRAND RAPIDS.

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

GEO. DeHAVEN, G. P. A.

A TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.

A Farmer Butchers His Three Children, Sets Fire to His House, Then Suicide.

Attica, Mich., July 22.—Gorman Swain, a farmer living one mile south of this place, early Tuesday morning killed three of his children with a butcher knife; set fire to his house, and then committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart.

Swain was about 48 years old, and was in comfortable circumstances. He had a violent temper and for years had threatened to kill his family and himself. His wife died last spring, since which time Swain's outbursts of temper have been more frequent and of a more violent nature than ever.

Last Sunday evening he had trouble with three of the older children, Fred, aged 19 years, Anna, aged 17 years, and Birdie, aged 15 years. He whipped them severely and they took refuge at a neighbor's house. Monday night he tried to induce them to return home, but they refused, and probably saved their lives.

Neighbors were aroused by the burning of Swain's house shortly after three o'clock Tuesday morning. When they reached the place a horrible sight confronted them. Lying on the roadway with their throats cut from ear to ear were Frank Swain, aged 11 years; Lucy, aged nine, and Jimmie, aged seven years. The father lay near them with a bullet hole above his heart. By his side were the weapons with which he had ended their lives and his own.

It is supposed that Swain was temporarily insane.

WILL BUILD A GOOD ROAD.

Bicyclists to Construct Wheel Paths Out of Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, July 21.—At a meeting of the managers of the Grand Rapids Bicycle club Monday night it was decided to build a bicycle path from that city to Grand Haven, a distance of 30 miles. The path will be built through Berlin, Coopersville, Nunica, Ferrysburg and Spring Lake, and will cost between \$4,000 and \$5,000. Of the sum about \$2,500 will be contributed by the towns through which the path will run. The construction of the path will be simple and will not cost above \$150 a mile. A strip of ground five feet in width near the fence on whichever side of the road may be most favorable will be plowed up and then rolled and a substantial dressing of clay and gravel will be put on and again rolled, and then the path will be ready for use. Instead of bridging the streams the path will run into the road and the crossing will be on the wagon bridges.

This will be the first of several paths which will in time be built out of the city. A path to Holland and the resorts in that vicinity has been agitated. The farmers at the further end of that route are all Hollanders and they object to the path because many bicyclists would use it on Sunday. A path to Kalamazoo, a distance of 30 miles, will also be built next season if the Grand Haven path shall prove successful. There is already a path from Kalamazoo to Augusta and this will in time be extended to Jackson and thence to Detroit.

BIG LUMBER TRADE FAILURE.

J. W. Howry & Sons, of Saginaw, File Heavy Damages.

Saginaw, July 16.—News was received here of the filing of chattel mortgages by J. W. Howry & Sons, lumbermen of this city, but whose offices and operations are at Fenton Falls, Ont. The main mortgage is for \$490,000, and is given to the Bank of Toronto, covering all their Canadian interests. Two mortgages for \$18,000 on real estate in this city and county are given to H. K. Howry and S. L. Wiggins, receivers, for G. B. Wiggins, and two for \$4,900 each to Grace H. Howry. It is said that another mortgage is prepared, covering a New Mexico ranch to secure other creditors. The disaster was probably precipitated by a \$200,000 loss by fire some weeks ago, in which the insurance money all went to the Canadian bank.

BASKETS MUST BE MARKED.

Fruit Growers Will Make a Test of the Recent Law.

Decatur, July 20.—Michigan peach growers secured the passage of a law by the last legislature requiring manufacturers of fruit packages to stamp the capacity on each package made by them. Manufacturers throughout the state have ignored the provision of the act, and at the instance of the fruit growers' associations John F. Barron, of Fennville, was arrested for the purpose of making a test case. The growers claim that only the makers of fruit packages and the commission men are benefited by the nonenforcement of the law, and they propose to carry the case to the higher courts.

AN ULTIMATUM.

Bicyclists Won't Vote for Niles Bonds Unless Bell Ordinance is Repealed.

Niles, July 21.—A short time ago the city council passed a law compelling bicyclists to carry bells and lanterns, keep off the sidewalks, ride slowly and sound the alarm at every crossing. They rebelled. A vote comes up next week for the proposition to issue bonds, and the bicyclists declare that unless the bicycle ordinance is modified they will kill the bond issue scheme. As the town council needs the money it has capitulated and will change the ordinance to suit the bicyclists if they will keep from killing the bond bill.

EPWORTH LEAGUERS.

Eight Hundred Delegates Attend the Meeting at Ludington.

Ludington, July 16.—Over 800 delegates attended the Michigan State Epworth league annual convention. The secretary's report indicates a membership of 37,500, an increase of 2,500 members. Services and meetings were held at all hours of the day. Of the former the most pleasing and impressive were the sunrise services on the top of Mount Epworth, 300 feet above the lake, held every morning at six o'clock, and the vesper services held on the beach of Lake Michigan every evening at six o'clock.

UNION SILVER PARTY.

It Springs Into Existence Through a Convention at Lansing.

Lansing, July 17.—The independent free silver convention held here Thursday was attended by 225 delegates, all but three of the 12 congressional districts of the state being represented. E. C. Watkins, of Belding, a former republican, presided, and George F. Richardson, of Grand Rapids, a democratic ex-congressman, was secretary. The resolutions simply call for the free coinage of silver, and the 34 delegates elected to the St. Louis convention were instructed "to vote as a unit to the end that all silver forces of the United States may be united in the great battle for the emancipation of the people." The party was christened the "union silver party."

The convention elected a state central committee, and authorized it to appoint in each district a congressional committee, to be composed of a free silver republican, a free-silver democrat, a nationalist and a populist, pledged to work for the union of all the parties on a single ticket in nation, state and county and legislative and congressional districts. The committee was authorized also to call a state convention at the same time and place of holding the state conventions of the democratic, nationalist and populist parties, for the purpose of uniting on a state electoral ticket if possible. The same plan is proposed in congressional and legislative district and counties. The party was christened "the union silver party."

These delegates at large to the convention at St. Louis were elected: John McElrath, Detroit; O. R. L. Crozier, Washenaw; C. J. Covey, Grand Ledge; E. E. Jarvis, Benton Harbor; E. C. Watkins, Ionia; E. A. Reynolds, Ingham; Charles H. McGinley, Sanilac; H. E. Light, Saginaw; C. J. Chaddock, Muskegon; Douglas Rober, Mecosta. Two delegates from each congressional district were also elected. The delegation will favor the indorsement of Bryan and Sewall.

A BAD STORM.

Crops and Property in Southern Michigan Damaged Heavily.

Detroit, July 16.—A fierce storm of wind, rain and electricity swept over southern Michigan Wednesday night, doing damage to crops and property to the extent of nearly \$200,000. The electrical display was magnificent, and the sky was a mass of fire for upwards of two hours. Near Hillsdale the Lake Shore tracks were washed out, and all trains delayed for nearly ten hours. At Grand Haven the stockroom of the American Mirror company was damaged to the extent of \$20,000. In Calhoun county 20 barns were reported struck by electricity and burned. In Lenawee county the rainfall was 2.10 inches. Around Kalamazoo immense damage was done to celery beds. In Berrien and St. Joseph counties great orchards of apples, peaches and pears were stripped of fruit by the wind.

GAVE UP ITS DEAD.

Bodies of a Man and a Woman Found in an Artificial Lake.

Detroit, July 16.—The body of a man about 45 years of age was found in one of the artificial lakes at Belle Isle park on Wednesday morning. It was identified as that of Barney Wetzel, a peddler. It was a case of suicide. A few hours later the body of a woman was found in the same lake near where Wetzel's body had been picked up. The woman appeared to be about 50 years of age. A post-mortem examination revealed the fact that she had calcareous affection of the heart. It was thought that she was seized with a spasm and either fell into the lake or committed suicide while temporarily crazed by pain.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

Superintendent Pettengill's Programme for the Summer Months.

Lansing, July 20.—Superintendent of Public Instruction Pettengill has mapped out an active campaign for himself during the teachers' institute season this summer. The following is his schedule of engagements: July 24, Grand Rapids; July 25, Lapeer; August 4, Hillsdale; August 5, Whitehall; August 6, Fremont; August 7, Kalamazoo; August 10, Wyandotte; August 11, Monroe; August 12, Armada; August 13, Clare; August 14 and 15, Gladwin; August 17, Coldwater; August 18, Big Rapids; August 19, Frankfort; August 24, Howell; August 25, Adrian; August 26, Vassar; August 27, Manistee; August 28, Traverse City; August 31, Bellaire; September 1, Lake City; September 2, Zeeland; September 3, Saginaw; September 4, Bay City.

LIVELY SCHOOL ELECTION.

Women Vote for Reform in Greenville Educational Methods.

Greenville, July 19.—At the regular school election held in Phelps opera house, Dr. A. W. Nichols was elected director, in place of L. W. Sprague, and O. C. Miller, a member of the board, succeeds himself. There never has been as exciting a school election here. Hacks and buses were running all day carrying women to the polls. The issue was the exclusion of music, drawing and fairy tales and substitution of short-hand, typewriting and lecture courses. The educational reform party won, and useful instructions will succeed fairy-tale entertainment.

Four Horses Cremated.

Saginaw, July 18.—Fire broke out in a load of hay, caused by a spark from a passing traction engine, setting F. E. Tallmadge's big barn on fire, and cremating four valuable horses, besides damaging three residences. His loss is \$2,600; insured for \$2,500. This is the third time within a year his barn has been burned, the last time 17 horses being burned, and six perished in the previous fire.

Let to a Minneapolis Firm.

Washington, D. C., July 18.—The contract for the interior finish work of the Detroit (Mich.) public building has been awarded to Forrester & Smith, of Minneapolis, Minn., at \$216,740, the work to be completed within 17 months. This bid was \$90,000 less than the next lowest bid.

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Holland City News.
SATURDAY, July 25.
G. VAN SCHULVEN, Editor.
Republican Nominations.
For President
WILLIAM MCKINLEY,
of Ohio.
For Vice President
GARRETT A. HOBART,
of New Jersey.
For Member of Congress, Fifth District—
WILLIAM A. SMITH,
of Grand Rapids.

In the campaign that is upon us there is this connection between the tariff question and the free coinage of silver: The repeal of the old tariff by the substitution of the Wilson bill created a deficiency in the annual receipts of the government, averaging about 75 millions a year. This difference it was intended to make good in part by the income tax, but this has been knocked out by the supreme court. This deficiency unavoidably affected the gold reserve in the treasury. To keep up this reserve new bonds were issued, and for the first time in the history of the country, since the war, the government run behind, and the national debt, instead of being reduced during Mr. Cleveland's second term, has been increased by about 250 millions of dollars. If this running behind had been prevented, much of the present financial depression and wild silver agitation would have been avoided. It's bad financiering that has done the mischief.

Twenty years ago, during the so-called Greenback campaign, when we had a similar issue as to-day, only that then the cry was to "stamp" paper, instead of silver, Col. Ingersoll in a speech in New York uttered the following, which is quite applicable to the problem before us at present: "I believe in silver, because it is one of the greatest of American products, and I am in favor of anything that will add to the value of an American product. But I want a silver dollar worth a gold dollar, even if you make it or have to make it four feet in diameter. No government can afford to be a clipper of coin. A great republic cannot afford to stamp a lie upon gold or silver. Honest money, an honest people, and an honest nation. When our money is only worth eighty cents on the dollar, we feel twenty per cent. below par. When our money is good we feel good. When our money is at par that is where we are. I am a profound believer in the doctrine that for nations, as well as men, honesty is the best always, everywhere and forever. I have been told that during the war we had plenty of money. I never saw it. I lived years without seeing a dollar. I saw promises for dollars, but not dollars. And the greenback, unless you have the gold behind it, is no more a dollar than a bill of fare is a dinner."

The great mass of the people work for their living. If they are obliged to take their wages in cheap dollars they will find them exceedingly dear dollars for them when they come to pay the butcher, the baker, the grocer and the farmer. The cheap dollar strikes the poor man first, it strikes him last, and it strikes him all the time. He will find himself under its lash every time he goes to pay a bill. The rich man can protect himself. He can write it in his contract how he is to be paid, and exact the condition of his bond. But the poor man has no such protection. The laborer must take what goes. There are men crying for cheap money, because they hope to profit by paying half dollars for the whole dollars which they owe. But it will not be the rich—the capitalists—who will suffer in the end. It will be the men who by brawn and brain carry forward the production of the world. The only dollar that is good for a poor man, a working man, a man who earns his bread by his labor, is the honest dollar—the dollar that is exactly what it professes to be.

Under free and unlimited coinage of silver, silver will be free only to those who are so fortunate as to own uncoined silver bullion.
To all other Americans it will have to be procured precisely as silver is procured now—by working for it as wages, or by selling something in exchange for it. And it will be worth then only half what it is worth now.
The people who imagine that under free coinage of silver silver is going to be got free by anybody else seem to be numerous at the present time. Their numbers will diminish steadily under pressure of common sense until pollution is time in November.

In view of the unreasoning action at the Chicago convention, the thinking business man cannot fail to see rocks ahead. In the event of failure next November to stem the threatened tide of repudiation and national dishonor, the reverses and depression of 1893-94 are likely to be only foretastes of what will follow.—Bradstreet.

The entire volume of the currency in this country consists of, in round numbers: gold \$612,000,000, silver \$610,300,000, and paper \$475,000,000. Every silver dollar is full legal tender for all debts, public and private, unless otherwise stipulated in a contract, and except for the redemption of gold certificates of the government. But suppose we abandon the gold standard and go to the silver standard. The first consequence will be the withdrawal of the entire volume of gold and the shrinkage of the currency to an appalling extent. Gold will then become a commodity and an article of traffic, like it was during the late war. The second consequence will be that the paper now worth 100 cents to the dollar will become worth only the value of the silver with which it will be redeemable—about 50 cents to the dollar. The third consequence will be that the silver will decline from 100 cents to the dollar, at which our gold now keeps it, to about 50 cents to the dollar. It would be well for all the people thoroughly to realize this fact—that, if we continue to maintain the existing gold standard, we continue to keep in our country every dollar's worth of money now in it—gold, silver and paper—and that we also continue to keep every dollar of the gold, silver and paper at a valuation of 100 cents to the dollar.

Capital can always be depended upon to take care of itself. It is the farmer and laboring man who need to be protected. As soon as it should become evident that the policy of free silver was likely to be adopted by this country all individuals who have loaned money, or who hold mortgages, would take immediate steps to call in their outstanding loans, and foreclose the mortgages. It is needless to try to picture the widespread ruin which would follow simultaneous action along these lines by banks and other creditors throughout the country. Yet they would be forced to take such action in self-defense, in order to avoid the danger of having to take 50-cent dollars in payment of the debts due to them. No man can reasonably hope to bring about better times by diluting the money of the country. We condemn stock-watering in railroad companies because it is a fraud upon the people, and should never ask the government to pursue a like course.

The people of this country, up to 1892, were in favor of sound money and a protective tariff. During the campaign of that year the people, and especially the farmers, seemed troubled by a spirit of unrest, and seemed to reach the conclusion that the protective tariff had not contributed much to the prosperity which they had hitherto enjoyed. When the election was over the country became alarmed, a panic came, and mills, mines, and factories were shut up. Hundreds of thousands of laboring men were thrown out of employment and the wages of thousands of others were reduced, and are still being reduced. The result of it all has been exceedingly disastrous times ever since, and now the people are told that a free and unlimited dose of 16 to 1, in other words a fictitious money, will be the proper remedy.

"I am opposed to free silver as a panacea for our social evils. What we want and what every workingman wants is not more money, but more buying power. But if all things go up through an increase in the circulating medium then the workingman is not benefited by more money. He is worse off, for wages will be the last thing to go up, and he will probably in most cases have to strike for an increase." The above is the sentiment of V. L. Berger, a labor leader in Milwaukee.

Of the 581 German papers published in the United States only 39 advocate a free coinage of silver. Of the papers that are published in the Holland language four are recognized as Democratic, but not one of them supports the Chicago platform or its nominees. It is safe to say that 90 per cent of the foreign vote so-called, cannot be lured into this modern silver-calf-worshipping, no more than they could be made to subscribe to the flat doctrine in 1878.

Any person who reflects upon the subject must know that there cannot be two kinds of money in circulation, one for the poor and one for the rich; that cheap money and dear money cannot co-exist and that the cheap will drive out the dear. This is the inviolable law of finance, proved by our own experience during the late war, and by the experience of every civilized nation on earth.

The issue by the government of money which in the markets of the world is not accepted for its face value, is a robbery committed by the government against everybody who is forced to accept said money at its face value. The free coinage of silver would be such a robbery, because sixteen grains of silver are worth only fifty-one cents in gold, the coin metal of the civilized world.

Recent events have imposed upon the patriotic people of this country a responsibility and a duty greater than that of any since the civil war. Then it was a struggle to preserve the government of the United States. Now it is a struggle to preserve the financial honor of the government of the United States. Then it was a contest to save the union. Now it is a contest to save spotless its credit. Then section was arrayed against section. Now men of all sections can unite and will unite to rebuke the repudiation of our obligations and the debasement of our currency.—McKinley.

The annual meeting of the Ottawa County Building and Loan Association of this city was held on Wednesday evening. The reports of the secretary and the financial exhibit of the association were satisfactory, as usual. If the premiums keep up at the present normal rate the first series of stock, issued eight years ago, will be paid off within a year, in accordance with the terms stipulated. The association during the eight years of its existence has not suffered one dollar of loss and never foreclosed a mortgage to enforce payment. The auditing committee that attested the secretary's report was composed of Messrs. C. Verschure, C. M. McLean, and I. Marsilje. The retiring members of the board of directors were re-elected, viz: J. G. Van Putten, G. J. Van Duren, D. Te Roller, R. A. Habermann, C. Verschure. The board will meet for organization on Tuesday, Aug. 11. There is one item in the financial statement of the secretary which is of special interest at this time. Among the assets of the association are mortgages to the amount of \$165,500. This money belongs to the stockholders. It was paid in on the basis of the gold standard, every dollar being worth one hundred cents. Supposing the "free and unlimited coinage of silver" carries the day next fall, and these mortgages are paid in on a silver basis, with money worth only fifty cents on the dollar—how will the stockholders like it? This is only one way in which the silver question can be conveyed directly home and made a subject of individual reflection by those personally interested. The same thing applies also to the depositors in the savings departments of our banks. In another column appears the periodical report of the condition of the First State Bank of this city. A very important item in that report is the showing of over \$118,000 in savings deposits. It is of direct importance to each depositor to feel assured that when he calls for that money it will be returned to him in just as good money as he paid in—which under the Chicago platform will be a matter of the gravest doubt.

The glamour which was cast upon the Chicago delegates by impassioned oratory is passing away. It is apparent to everybody who reads the speeches that so powerfully swayed that body that it was their manner rather than their matter which carried weight. Even the great Bryan speech, as it was considered by so many of those who heard it, shrinks materially when printed. Being in type it is subjected to cold criticism and attention is attracted to its bombastic character, the crudeness of its sentiments and the garishness of its periods.—Free Press.

The national convention of building and loan associations will meet in Philadelphia next week. It will represent 2,000,000 members and nearly \$100,000,000 of invested capital, all paid in on a gold basis. As the free silverites aim a serious blow to every member of such associations, an effort will be made to have the convention formally declare against the election of Bryan and Sewall.

The value of money consists in its purchasing power. The government stamp upon coin or paper does not impart any intrinsic value to them, but converts them merely into an instrument of convenience.

A Grand Haven inventor says he has worked fifteen years on perpetual motion, and has not got it yet. The same length of time with the same confession of failure should be allowed the modern political philosopher who is trying to demonstrate that a silver dollar of 16 ounces (our present dollar) which is not backed by a gold dollar, is of equal value to a silver dollar of 32 ounces, simply because the government says so.

Democrats who incline to the belief that they must stand by the Chicago platform and nominations, odious as they are, because they were the work of a Democratic convention, are moved by a mistaken sense of party loyalty.

In the St. Louis convention this week a number of Populist leaders denounced the Democratic party for having stolen and adopted their principles.

A South Haven fruit grower last year set out an acre of gooseberry bushes on a sandy corner of his farm, and this season he marketed from them \$16 crates of berries, at a net profit of \$208.

Holland Semi-Centennial.

The first step towards a proper celebration of the Holland Semi-Centennial was taken by the common council of the city at its session of July 7, when the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS the year 1897 will mark the fiftieth anniversary of that emigration from the Netherlands which, in its spread and historic scope, under the direction of its great leader A. C. Van Raalte, embraces not only the founding of the present city of Holland and the settlement of the Holland Colony, but whose numerical force and local importance during the half century that followed has been manifest and acknowledged throughout a considerable portion of Western Michigan—not to speak of the many other States into which it diverged; and, WHEREAS by reason of its past and present central relations to that movement, educationally and otherwise, it is only fitting that the people of the city of Holland take the initiative in an all-around appropriate commemoration of that historic event, from a colonial as well as from a more general point of view, as suggested by the Mayor in his recent inaugural;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the common council of the city of Holland, for want of a more direct body from which such a measure might emanate, do hereby assume the initiative in this matter, by designating the several individuals herein named, in their representative capacities, with others as hereinafter provided, as a suitable commission to charge themselves with perfecting necessary arrangements for a fitting observance of this our "Holland Semi-Centennial," to-wit:

Mayor J. De Young, and one other member of the common council;
G. J. Kollen, President of Hope College;
W. H. Beach, President of the Board of Education;
C. J. De Roo, President of the Board of Public Works;
H. Van der Haar, Supervisor of Holland Township.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that said committee before entering upon the details involved, and at such other times as in their judgment it may be deemed proper, are hereby charged and empowered with selecting and adding to their number such additional persons as, in view of the scope and territory the celebration of right should cover, will make the whole a truly representative and efficient body.

The Mayor named Ald. Visscher as the other member from the common council.

The second step in the program was when on Saturday last, the gentlemen above named, in accordance with the directions set forth in the second resolution, met and selected and added to their number representative men from this and neighboring localities, as follows:

- Holland City—I. Cappon, G. W. Mokma, Prof. C. Doesburg, G. J. Diekema, Prof. H. E. Dosker, J. Fairbanks, E. J. Harrington, Geo. P. Hummer, Dr. H. Kremers, G. W. Brownlee, I. Marsilje, R. Kanters, L. Mulder, H. D. Post, K. Schaddelee, A. Steketee, H. Van der Haar, G. Van Schelven, J. G. Van Putten, H. Walsh.
Holland Town—D. B. K. Van Raalte, G. J. Boone.
Zeeland—J. Den Herder, Wm. De Pree, H. De Kruij, J. Huizinga, C. Van Loo, A. G. Van Hees, B. J. Veneklaasen.
Overisel—G. J. Emmink, Rev. G. J. Nykerk.
New Holland—Rev. A. Stegeman, J. Ten Have.
Vriesland—C. Den Herder, G. J. Van Zoeren, S. Yntema.
Graafschap—R. Bouws, J. W. Garvelink, H. J. Klomprens, A. J. Neerken, P. Van Anrooy.
East Saugatuck—J. Heringa, E. Sprink.
Grand Haven—J. Baar, Dr. A. Van der Veen, D. Vyn.
Jamestown—H. Bosch, H. Van de Bunte.
Grand Rapids—J. Benjamin, Prof. G. E. Boer, J. Steketee, A. Van Bree, F. Van Driele, J. Van der Sluis, Rev. E. Van der Vries, J. A. S. Verdie.
Kalamazoo—J. Den Bleyker, Walter Hoek, Francis Lucas, Dr. H. Schaberg.
Muskegon—Dr. J. Van der Laan, J. Van der Werp, G. Wagner.
Drenthe—H. Lubbers.
Ebenezer—Rev. J. Van der Meulen.
Grandville—Rev. D. Broek.
Allegan—John Stegeman.
Spring Lake—Rev. A. Zwemer.
Detroit—Capt. C. Gardner, U. S. A.
Chicago—Geo. Birkhoff, Jr.

A call has been issued for the first meeting of all the parties constituting the "Holland Semi-Centennial Commission," which will be held in this city, in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, on Eighth street, on Thursday, July 30, 1896, at 10 a. m., to effect a permanent organization and devise and adopt such plans and measures as may be further the object in view.

The case of William Wilson, publisher of the sensational pink weekly called "The Mascot," not unknown to some here, was tried at Grand Rapids this week and his parer adjudged to be an indecent publication under the statute. Says the G. R. Herald: While a jury was being secured Wilson was represented by Attorney M. L. Dunham, but when ready to proceed with the trial the attorney disappeared and left his client to defend himself. Mr. Dunham said that the publication was indecent and that he did not propose to defend any person who was guilty of publishing such filthy literature. In his opinion it was degrading to young men and women and injurious to children. The particular charge in the complaint referred to the issue of the sheet of June 20. Several newboys were sworn to show that they had purchased the paper and sold it on the streets. Copies of the paper of the date in question as well as several other issues were offered in evidence. After a short deliberation the jury rendered a verdict of guilty and Wilson was sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 and costs. He will take an appeal.

The Highland Park resorters, Grand Haven, intend to come down on an excursion to Macatawi Park some day next week.

Clean Up Sale.
You know this store never carries over any goods from one season to the other. We must part company with all
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Price is no object. We have only one object in view, that is
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Cotton and wool challies to close. 3½c
New Dimities fast color and good style to close. 4c
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Ladies High color Ribbed Vests worth 25c to close 15c
A line of the best standard Prints (light colors) the best 6c and 7c goods to close 3½c
This sale lasts till the goods are closed out but would advise the ladies to be on hand early as the goods can not last long at these prices. Remember we do as we advertise.
A FEW REMNANTS AT ALMOST YOUR OWN PRICE.
Sale begins Monday morning.
John Vander sluis.
N. B. Ask to see those new Fall Dress Goods just received at 20c and 29c yd.

May's Bazaar Next door to Kiekintveld's Bookstore.
Only 25c for good shears, sold elsewhere for 40c.
Only 25c for good pocket knife, generally sold for 50c.
Only 10c for Backgammon or Checker board with checkers better ones for 18c and 25c
Dominoes 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c.
Genuine Richter Harmonicas 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c to 50c
Games of all kinds 5c upwards.
Rubber Balls 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c
Largest line of Dolls in city from 1c up to \$1.00
Doll Heads 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c to \$1.00
Garden sets (shovel, rake and hoe) 10c.
Wooden Picnic plates 5c dozen.
Japanese Napkins 5c dozen
Chinese Lanterns 2c to 3c each.
Paraffine candles 1c each
China Toy Teasets 6c, 10c, 15c, 25c and 50c
Tablets 1c, 3c, 5c, 10c Paper and envelopes 5c to 25c
Combination Purse and Card Case 25c.
Shaving brushes 10c, 15c, 25c. Tooth brush 5c and 10c.
Hair and Clothes brushes, Dressing Combs, etc.
Whisk brooms 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c.
Side combs 5c to 25c. Belt pins 1c to 5c.
1 Box (2 cakes) fine buttermilk soap 10c
Call on us for silver plated ware, crockery, glassware and tinware.
Life size portraits of Presidential Candidates.

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Silver Dollars
are good enough for us.
What we want is more of them and we are taking all we can get exchange for mill products.
Your grocer will take them too in exchange for our peerless "Sunlight" and "Daisy" brand of flour.
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The Macatawa Drive.
At a meeting of the Grand Rapids Wheel Club, held Monday, it was decided to build the bicycle track from that city to Lake Michigan by the way of Berlin, Coopersville, Nunica, Spring Lake and Grand Haven. The choice laid between the above route and Holland, and as reported it was decided largely by the representation that the farmers along the line of the route selected were strongly in favor of the project; that they had subscribed money and labor, and made promises to keep the path in repair; and also by the tender of a guaranteed subscription of \$1,000, to be paid as soon as the path shall be completed. It was furthermore represented that the authorities of Zeeland township were decidedly hostile to the enterprise, and that this sentiment was owing to a fear of Sabbath desecration.

Be that as it may, as the case now stands a cycling path from Grand Rapids to Lake Michigan, if built at all, is to be laid on the north side of Grand River. This however need not deter Holland; to the contrary, we view the decision as forbidding better results than if it had been otherwise. All that it would have secured us is a mere "path." What we need is more than a path, we need a graded and graveled road, from the city to the resorts. This will accommodate all—business and carriages as well as wheelmen. And with a graveled road, continued in the manner it has been commenced, there will be more wheelmen visiting this locality than can be induced by any cycling path along the route above selected. What Grand Rapids wheelmen want is not merely the waters of Lake Michigan, but the Holland resorts—Macatawa Park especially. When they reach Lake Michigan they want to reach a spot where it is an object to stop.

What stands our people in hand to do, and do at once, is to complete the drive along the south side of Black Lake to Macatawa Park, designated as the Lake street road. Already it is finished from the city a short distance west of Central Park, leaving only 2½ miles to be worked. For the grading of this distance, which is only nominal, we are informed that the residents and land owners along the road stand ready to become responsible. For the graveled it requires about 1800 yards, which at 60 cents a yard would amount to \$1,100. Upon the recommendation of the highway commissioner the people of Holland township, at their annual meeting last April, voted to contribute a sum equal to one-third of any amount of money donated by private individuals, which in this case would be \$275.

This would leave \$825 to be raised by subscription—a very insignificant sum indeed, when we consider the many sources from which it can be drawn, all equally interested: The landowners, the resorters all along the drive-way, the cottage owners at Central Park and Harrington's Landing, Jenison Park and Macatawa Park. Then there are the liverymen and carriage owners in this city, the wheelmen and the business men, all of whom are interested—the latter not the least.

We have been approached on this subject matter this week by reliable parties who assure us that a large number of those enumerated above stand ready to contribute their share, provided it is taken hold of at once, and completed the entire distance from Central Park to Macatawa Park. All it needs is for some one or more to take an active hold, and the work can be done in three weeks.

It will at once be felt that this is not a matter of bicycle riding, or pleasure, merely, but absolute business, and that it will do more to bring in southern trade to this city, and draw it away from the so-called country stores, than anything else that could be suggested.

We suggest the Holland Cycling Club and the highway commissioner of Holland township, acting jointly, as a suitable combination to take action, and to do it at once, before the closing of the resort season.

Which will Win—McKinley or Bryan?
That's the question of to-day. But do you know that Lokker & Rutgers are selling \$1.25 Slippers for 49 cents?
Their line of Summer Clothing and Furnishing Goods is the best and most complete in the city.
Lokker & Rutgers are leaders; others follow.
Columbia Block, Eighth street, Holland.
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ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

J. J. Cappon and Geo. P. Hummer have connected their residences with the Chase phone.

H. G. Hanson has resigned as engineer at the water and light station, to take effect Aug. 1.

Will O. Van Eyck, having completed his law studies, was in the city this week. He has concluded to locate in Holland, and will occupy the rooms over Bosman Bro's clothing store.

A very interesting lecture program has been arranged for the Auditorium at Macatawa Park, the details of which have been unavoidably crowded out this week. They will appear in our next.

The young man arrested on Friday by marshal Dyk for the theft at Grand Rapids of a bicycle, was taken in charge the next day by dep. sheriff Gates, and taken to Grand Rapids to answer to the charge.

The M. E. church social at the residence of Ald. and Mrs. J. A. Kooyers Wednesday evening was one of the successful affairs of the season, the aggregate attendance being not less than four hundred.

Tuesday was the twentieth anniversary of Simon Verwer, and as he is about to leave for Houghton, to take a course in the state mining school located there, his parents, classmates and friends joined forces in a very pleasant surprise.

The steamer Music will give an excursion on Lake Michigan, Saturday evening, leaving Holland at 7:15, arriving at the resorts at 8 o'clock, and giving an hour's ride on the "big lake." The Holland Cornet Band has been engaged for the occasion.

One of our citizens called our attention to the item in last week's NEWS, stating that the new bell in the Market street church, weighing 1,550 pounds, was the largest in the city, and informed us that the Hope church bell leads it by one hundred pounds, but that owing to its unfavorable location it has never had an opportunity to demonstrate its capacity.

John Carver and Charles Clifford, two farmers residing near Saugatuck, were at the City Mills with their team Friday afternoon, when the horses took fright and ran away. At the corner of College avenue and Seventh street they made a short turn, throwing the men out. Carver fell forward between the horses and the wagon, received a kick and had a wheel pass over him, fracturing the jaw. Clifford got off with some light scratches. Dr. Kremers was called in to dress the wounds.

Mayor De Young, President Kollen, Prof. E. Winter, G. T. Huizinga, J. W. Bosman, and Albert Huizinga, were among those from this city that attended the annual meeting of the Old Settlers' Association at Zeeland Thursday. They report a good attendance and much interest taken. The approaching semi-centennial was discussed and the prevailing sentiment was to fall in line with the proposed celebration, under the auspices of the "Holland Semi-Centennial Commission." In the evening addresses were delivered in the Ref. church, to a large audience, by Prof. E. Winter of this city and Rev. G. Haan of Boreculo.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. G. T. Huizinga and daughter Jennie returned on Wednesday morning from a three weeks' visit in Chicago. Mr. Huizinga, who left here on Monday, returned with them.

Ed. Van Drezer was in Grand Haven, Monday.

C. R. Wilkes, one of Allegan's attorneys, was in Holland Saturday.

Editor Bassett of the Fennville Herald was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Van Dugteren and children are visiting Mrs. Van Dugteren's sister in this city, Mrs. John Vandersluijs. Mr. Van Dugteren is teller in the State Bank of Michigan at Grand Rapids.

F. D. Haddock started on his wheel Wednesday for a "spin" to Olivet. He expects to be gone a week or more.

Miss Sue Cappon and niece Irene Brusse visited with Rev. and Mrs. P. De Bruyn at Grand Haven this week.

Mrs. F. O. Nye was a passenger on the boat from Chicago Sunday morning. Mr. Nye came in from Ionia the day before, to meet her.

Mrs. Rev. D. Broek of Grandville, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Dr. D. G. Cook.

Misses Lizzie and Nellie Veenendaal of Durham, Wis., are visiting their sister, Mrs. P. Thomas.

Miss Alice Kools of Kalamazoo, is visiting her cousin, Alice Michmershuizen.

Mrs. W. Clock of Otsego and Mrs. J. Wall of Kalamazoo, visited the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Jonkman.

Geo. P. Hummer attended the Democratic ratification meeting in Detroit, Tuesday evening.

Sheriff Keppel was in the city Tuesday, subpoenaing witnesses for the next term of court.

Gelmer Kuyper of Grand Rapids, was in town Thursday.

Mrs. Rev. K. Van Goor, who has been seriously ill for some days, is slowly recovering.

J. Wise was a passenger on the steamer City of Holland Thursday morning, having spent some time in Chicago in the interest of the Bee Hive.

J. B. Mulder, of the Grondwet, was at the county seat Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Mattason returned to her home in Middleville, Thursday, after a week's visit with her sister, Lany Van Dorn.

Mrs. S. L. Morris of Grand Rapids, is spending the week with old acquaintances in this city.

Peter Vennema of Menominee, Mich., visited his parents this week, and leaves for Chicago, this evening.

FOR THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

Sewage Again.

Mr. EDITOR:—I want to add my voice to that of Mr. H. D. Post and Prof. J. T. Bergen, with whom I agree as to the danger of emptying our sewage into Macatawa Bay.

This question is one of greater importance to us as a city than that of free silver and the gold standard is to the country at large; yet how the press teems and public halls reverberate with discussions on the money question and how little has been said here about this question of public health, which is really one of life and death to us.

If there is a system absolutely safe and free from all objections we ought to know it and adopt it, though it cost more. Only this one system has been presented for our consideration so far.

There is reason to believe that there is a wide-spread feeling of indifference in Holland in regard to all questions of public and private sanitation, even among men of prominence and intelligence, and this may carry the day for the defilement of our beautiful bay and the destruction of our public health, but I hope not.

J. H. GILLESPIE.
Holland, July 22, 1896.

McKinley on the Value of Labor.

No worthy American wants to reduce the price of labor in the United States. It ought not to be reduced; for the sake of the laborer and his family and the good of society it ought to be maintained. To increase it would be in better harmony with the public sense. Our labor must not be debased, nor our laborers degraded to the level of slaves, nor any pauper or servile system in any form, nor under any guise whatsoever, at home or abroad. Our civilization will not permit it. Our humanity forbids it. Our traditions are opposed to it. The stability of our institutions rests upon the contentment and intelligence of all of our people and these can only be possessed by maintaining the dignity of labor and securing to it its just rewards. That protection opens avenues for employment, broadens and diversifies the field of labor, and presents variety of vocation is manifest from our own experience.—Wm. McKinley.

Most of the planks of the Chicago platform are full of knot-holes and so badly warped that lots of Democrats would rather stand somewhere else.—Detroit Journal.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Have you tried Bangs' Soda? 26 tf

Even in the most severe cases of sprain or bruise, cut or burn, Thomas' Electric Oil gives almost instant relief. It is the ideal family liniment.

What seems but a case of simple catarrhus frequently develops into the most dangerous of bowel troubles, if neglected. Dr. Fowler's Ext. of Wild Strawberry is a never failing specific in all such cases.

"After suffering from dyspepsia for three years, I decided to try Burdock Blood Bitters. Two bottles cured me entirely." Mrs. G. C. White, Taberg, Oneida County, New York.

Thousands are suffering excruciating misery from that plague of the night, Itching Piles, and say nothing about it through a sense of decency. Instant relief in Doan's Ointment. It never fails.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST STATE BANK.

at Holland, Michigan, at the close of business July 14, 1896.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$ 81,214 49
Stocks, bonds, mortgages, etc.	4,160 69
Overdrafts	113 82
Banking house	9,010 19
Furniture and fixtures	19 57
Due from banks in payment of checks	1,369 44
Due from other banks and on hand	2,071 96
Checks and cash items	1,211 60
Notes and coin	17 54
Gold coin	7,923 80
Silver coin	1,683 30
U. S. and National Bank Notes	4,157 00
Total	\$ 97,525 76

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund	5,600 00
Undivided profits less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	3,220 84
Commercial deposits subject to check	46,492 41
Commercial certificates of deposit	52,230 51
Savings deposits	118,236 97
Notes and bills discounted	2,500 00
Total	\$ 79,285 76

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

I, GERM W. MOKMA, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GERM W. MOKMA, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of July, 1896.
HENRY J. LUDSEN, Notary Public.

Corroborate: Attest: GERRIT J. DIEKEMA, HENRY KREUZER, ISAAC MARSILJE, Directors.

For Sale.

20 acres of good sand land, of which five acres are low muck with clay bottom. Good house and barn; stream of water through the land; good drinking water, for man and beast; nice variety of small fruit, such as raspberries and strawberries; also apple and peach orchard. Location 1½ mile west from center of city, on Graafschap road, near J. Kuite's farm. Address: JACOB JOHNSON, Holland, Mich., or enquire at News office. 26 tf

The Ideal Panacea.

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs, Colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations."

Rev. John Butkus, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: "I have been a Minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church for 50 years or more, and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave me such speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery." Try this Ideal Cough Remedy now.

H. Walsh, Holland.
A. De Krulff Zeeland.

Notice.

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

Stockholders desirous of presenting names of members as candidates for election as directors can do so to the Secretary, on or before July 1, 1896. Holland, June 17, 1896.

C. A. STEVENSON, Sec.

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Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers is the best, handiest, safest, surest, cleanest, most economical and satisfactory dye ever invented. It is the gentlemen's favorite.

Found!

A pocket book with some money in it. Enquire of A. Van Putten, at the Butter tub factory.

Hives are not dangerous to life, but they are a prolific breeder of misery and profanity. Doan's Ointment gives instant relief, even in the worst cases of this and other exasperating diseases of the skin.

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

The finest line of Pocket Books ever brought to this city, to be seen at Stevenson's jewelry store.

Port Grape Wine for the Sick.

"We can confidently recommend Speer's Port Grape Wine, a superior article of wine for the sick and debilitated. The vineyards and cellars are at Passaic, N. J.—Medical Review. No Brandy is better than Speer's "Climax" of 1896.

For Singers, an Effective Cure for Colds.

Old Aunt Rachael, the well-known nurse of Holland descent, has gotten up for some New York physicians, according to their prescribed formula, a combination of Horehound Elecampane, Grape Juice and Rock Candy, that is doing wonders in the cure of coughs, colds and sore throat. It is put up in 25 and 75 cent sizes. Public speakers should carry a bottle in their pocket. Sold by druggists.

Like Hypnotism.

HABITS THAT APPEAR ALMOST HYPNOTIC.

The tendency with which some habits stick to people, or people stick to the habits, is very remarkable, particularly the tobacco and coffee habit.

People act almost as if they were in reality under a hypnotic spell. They promise themselves a-d friends time and again that they will leave off, when they find health forsaking them, but they make one excuse or another and keep on the dreary way as if guided by an unseen spirit of evil.

Physicians realize the uselessness of treating a patient for any of the multitude of nervous diseases so long as the poisonous alkaloids of tobacco and coffee are being taken into the system even in minute doses.

It is a simple matter to break the coffee spell if the food-drink, Postum, the health coffee made by the Postum Cereal Co. of Battle Creek, Mich., is used in its place. This is a fact-statement of fine Mocha coffee in looks when brewed and changes to the rich golden brown of old Java when cream is added. Being made wholly of grains intended by the Creator for man's subsistence. It makes red blood quickly and is fattening and nourishing. The muddy complexion disappears and in its place comes the clear skin of health with rich blood coursing of it. Many people are sick and do not know that it is the insidious poison of coffee that prostrates stomach and liver and causes it. They laugh at first, but a trial of a week without coffee and using the food-drink, Postum, makes one wake up to a great big life fact.

The children can sip from papa's or mamma's coffee cup. If it happens to contain Postum and their little bodies will grow round and fat under the nourishment of the pure grains, but it is a heartless proceeding to feed the tender bodies on coffee, as every one knows the puny, sickly looks of coffee drinking children.

Let people adopt healthful food and drink and "throw physic to the dogs."

"Just as good" as Postum Cereal are words used to defraud the public.

It's not.. Necessary

To have the same kind of meat for dinner every other day.



Drop in and See Us.

We'll give you no end of suggestions, and the prices won't stand in the way either. Best goods, best prices and best service is our motto.

ECONOMY MARKET.

Jacob Kulte, Jr.

Eighth Annual Statement of the Ottawa County Building and Loan Association.— July 1888—July 1896.

RECEIPTS.		DISBURSEMENTS.	
Membership, Transfer Fees and Pass Books.....	\$ 1,852 61	Advanced on Loans.....	\$152,055 17
Installments.....	143,506 90	Installments Withdrawn..	33,185 17
Interest.....	39,128 72	Interest on Withdrawals..	10,809 31
Installment Premium.....	845 80	Safe.....	171 25
Fines.....	558 26	Expense.....	7,287 39
Semi annual Dues.....	1,670 14	Interest on adv. payments.	1,010 24
Loans Repaid.....	18,123 91	Rebate on Premium.....	90 44
Insurance Repaid.....	1,109 01	Insurance.....	1,227 24
Taxes Repaid.....	2 80	Taxes.....	125 48
Real Estate.....	200 00	Loans and Interest.....	
Loans.....	4,227 33	Balance at Bank, July 1, '96	
	\$ 211,225 48		\$ 211,225 48

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
Mortgages.....	\$162,550 00	Due Stockholders.....	\$106,389 82
Loans on Stock.....	2,000 00	Interest, Premiums and dues in advance.....	591 77
Interest, Premiums and dues in arrears.....	2,066 98	Unearned Premiums.....	12,270 91
Safe, Books, Furniture etc.	300 00	Profit.....	49,463 48
Insurance Advanced.....	113 42		\$ 168,715 48
Taxes Advanced.....	122 68		
Balance at Bank.....	962 40		
	\$ 168,715 48		

This is to certify: That we have examined the books and accounts of the OTTAWA COUNTY BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, and that we find the above statement correct.

C. VERSCHURE, }
C. M. MCLEAN, } Auditors.
I. MARSILJE, }

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

Charles A. Stevenson being first by me duly sworn says, that he is the Secretary of the Ottawa County Building and Loan Association, that the foregoing Annual Statement was made by him as such Secretary, and that the same is a true, complete and correct statement of the assets, liabilities and affairs of said Association.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of July, A. D. 1896.
GERRIT J. DIEKEMA,
Notary Public, Ottawa County, Mich.

SUNDAY EXCURSION TO THE GERMAN PICNIC.

Grand Rapids on July 25th, will be the center of attraction for Germans from all over Michigan. On that date the Arbeiter Bund Societies of the state will hold the first Runderfest in many years, and expect to make it the event of the year. Societies from Detroit, Ann Arbor, Saginaw, Bay City, Traverse City, Manistee, Ludington, Muskegon, St. Joseph, La Porte, Ind., and various other points, will participate in the festivities, which will be held in Schoenfelds Grove at Reeds Lake. Excursions have been arranged for at low rates from above named points, and a large number of people will attend the picnic.

Various Old Country games, sports, etc., will be given, and a general good time is assured.

For those who do not care to attend the picnic, a visit to Grand Rapids, with its many attractions, will well repay the slight expense. C. & W. M. excursion train will leave Holland at 9:30 a. m., and arrive at Grand Rapids at 10:35 a. m. Return train will leave at 6:30 and 11:30 p. m. Round trip rate 50 cents. Bicycles carried free. Base ball at 3:00 p. m. at Reeds Lake, between Grand Rapids and Milwaukee.

Geo. DeHaven, G. P. A.
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Respectfully Yours.

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

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

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

D. BERTSCH.

Eighth Str., Holland.
Bangs sells Drugs. 26-1f

White Seal Saloon

JOHN SERREAR, Prop.
C. BLOM, Sr., Clerk.

Fine Wines, Liquors, Cigars.

Finley Toledo and Holland Beer always on tap.
No. 17 River St., HOLLAND.

Holland City News.
MU - DER BROS., Publishers.
Holland, Mich

The News Condensed.
Important Intelligence From All Parts.
DOMESTIC.

While bathing at Lake Minnetonka, a summer resort near Minneapolis, Florence Mills, aged 17; Birdie Mills, aged 14, and Helen Cheney, aged 13, were drowned.

In a tenement house fire in Boston Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Driscoll were burned to death and Mrs. Margaret Hogan, a widow, received fatal injuries. Nine children in a family named Allen died at Santiago, Minn., from the effects of drinking poisoned lemonade.

Southern Michigan was visited by a wild rain and windstorm of cyclonic character which did damage to property and crops aggregating \$150,000.

The 100th anniversary of the evacuation of Fort Ontario by the British was celebrated at Oswego, N. Y.

A delegation of nearly 1,000 women from Cleveland called on Maj. McKinley at his home in Canton, O.

Davidson & Sons, manufacturers of marble mosaic and tiles in Chicago and wholesale dealers in marble and granite, failed for \$300,000.

A heavy rainstorm which was practically a cloudburst, did great damage throughout Pittsburgh and Allegheny. It is estimated that the loss will reach \$1,000,000.

J. W. Hewry & Sons, of Saginaw, Mich., extensive lumber manufacturers operating at Fenelon Falls, Ont., failed for \$500,000.

Miss Addie Tillman, the eldest daughter of Senator Tillman, was killed by lightning on a mountain near Frevard, N. C.

Mary Snodgrass was hanged at Coeburn, Va., for the murder of her child.

William Jennings Bryan, the democratic nominee for president, visited his birthplace, Salem, Ill., and was given a hearty reception.

The country is being flooded with low-grade teas through the ports of Sault Ste. Marie and Port Huron. These teas have been rejected at New York and Boston on account of their inferior grade.

George Alexander and John Altheit, fishermen, were caught in a gale at Vermillion, O., and drowned.

Four companies of militia and the police are serving to hold the riotous strikers at Cleveland, O., in check.

Charles and Leonard Birrer, brothers, aged about 20 years, were drowned while swimming at Quincy, Ill.

At the international convention in Milwaukee of the Baptist Young People's Union John H. Chapman, of Chicago, was reelected president and Denver was chosen as the place of meeting in 1898.

Fifteen men were drowned in the old river bed at Cleveland, O., by the capsizing of a skiff in which they were returning from work.

The total land sales of the Northern Pacific company during the fiscal year just closed amounted to \$1,641,551, an increase of nearly \$1,000,000 over the land sales of the previous year.

The sixth international convention of the Baptist Young People's Union of America opened in Milwaukee with delegates present from every state in the union, as well as from Canada. The report of the secretary showed a total of not less than 8,000 societies, with a membership of more than 400,000.

In a runaway accident near Manitou, Mich., Mrs. Foster, aged 75, and her daughter, Mrs. Thompson, aged 34, were instantly killed, and a son of Mrs. Thompson was fatally injured.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 17th aggregated \$954,742,363, against \$985,244,072 the previous week. The decrease compared with the corresponding week in 1895 is 7.3.

At Hillsboro, O., the First national bank closed its doors.

In a duel at Knoxville, Tenn., Washington Smith was killed by D. F. Rogers. Smith was the father of 14 children, including four sets of twins.

There were 216 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 17th, against 219 the week previous and 256 in the corresponding period of 1895.

P. J. O'Connor, of Savannah, Ga., was reelected president of the International Ancient Order of Hibernians at the annual meeting in Detroit.

The New York State Bankers' association in session at Niagara Falls declared strongly for the continuance of the gold standard.

Samuel G. Fleming, cashier of the Exchange national bank at El Dorado, Kan., was charged with the theft of \$10,000 of the bank's money.

The Hallet & Davis company, dealers in pianos and organs in Chicago, failed for \$140,000.

In the vicinity of the Brown company's works at Cleveland, O., there were several riots and an open conflict between the mob and militia, during which 1,000 men were put to flight at the point of the bayonet.

A statement prepared by the commissioner of immigration shows that 343,267 immigrants arrived in this country during the fiscal year ended June 30, against 258,536 in 1895.

The nineteenth annual meeting of the American Bar association will be held at Saratoga Springs August 19, 20 and 21 next.

The correspondence between Secretary Olney and Lord Salisbury on the question of international arbitration has been made public and shows that, while considerable progress has been made towards the desired end, and indicating that a satisfactory conclusion will be reached, yet no vital point has been agreed upon.

Frank June and his wife and child, of Grand Haven, Mich., were drowned in the lake by the upsetting of a boat.

The percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 19th were as follows: Cleveland, .672; Cincinnati, .671; Baltimore, .671; Boston, .568; Chicago, .556; Pittsburgh, .541; Brooklyn, .460; Philadelphia, .460; Washington, .442; New York, .431; St. Louis, .286; Louisville, .229.

Because of the loss of property Louis S. Gradke and his wife, each 64 years old, killed themselves with morphine at Galesburg, Ill.

At the final business session in Milwaukee of the Baptist Young People's Union the place for the meeting in 1898 was changed from Denver to Chattanooga, Tenn.

Fire destroyed the immense car barns and offices of the Chicago City Street railway, with 600 street cars and three horses, entailing a loss of \$542,700, and Patrick J. Martin, William L. Elwell and Frank Crosby perished in the flames.

James French shot and killed his wife at Rockford, Ill., and then fatally shot himself. Domestic trouble was the cause.

Henry J. Smith, trading as the Historical Publishing company, failed in Philadelphia for \$100,000.

Warren P. Rouse and Miss Nora Tanner fought a duel with pistols and knife at Anniston, Ala., and both were killed.

Archibald Askew fatally shot his uncle, Arthur Callahan, and then killed himself at Kingston, Ill.

The village of Trout Run, Pa., was nearly wiped out by fire.

The celebration of the centennial of Cleveland, O., began with appropriate services in all the churches. The festivities will last until September 10.

A generally poor condition of fruit throughout the country is announced in the report of the agricultural department.

Mrs. Greenfelt and her child were drowned in Turkey river at Dubuque, Ia. The child fell out of a skiff and the mother jumped in to save it.

Dan Dicks (colored) was lynched by a mob at Ellentown, S. C., for attempting to outrage Mrs. L. W. Hill.

Malvern, Ark., a town of 6,000 inhabitants, was entirely destroyed by an incendiary fire.

Mrs. Martin Drury and her two children were fatally bitten by snakes at Blair's Valley, Pa.

Joseph Topper and his wife committed suicide near Lawrenceburg, Ky., by lying down on the track in front of an approaching railway train.

Rutie Johnson shot and killed his wife at Vicksburg, Miss., and then committed suicide. Jealousy was the cause.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 20th was: Wheat, 46,743,000 bushels; corn, 8,666,000 bushels; oats, 7,107,000 bushels; rye, 1,650,000 bushels; barley, 747,000 bushels.

Incendiaries started two fires at Henderson, Ky., that caused a loss of \$300,000.

The secret service division of the treasury department calls attention to the circulation of counterfeit one and five-dollar bills of the series of 1891.

Freeman Geeser, aged 35, and Fred, his brother, aged 31, were suffocated while cleaning out a well at Janesville, Wis.

Nearly 2,000 men have been thrown out of work by the closing of the Norrie, East Norrie and Pabst iron mines at Ironwood, Mich.

Etta Robbins, aged 25 years, by means of an ax killed A. J. Call, a widower, aged 45, living near Huntington, W. Va., and his daughter Nettie, 24 years old, and fatally wounded the remaining members of the family, Lottie, 18 years of age; Grace, aged 11, and Otis, aged 13. No cause is known for the deed.

A fire in the Diamond match plant in Chicago caused a loss of \$100,000.

Will Moore, a professional gambler at Wabash, Ind., fatally shot Mrs. Lum Hong because she would not live with him and then killed himself.

Charles Miller, aged 48, living near New Albany, Ind., killed his wife and then took his own life. Domestic trouble was the cause.

The damage done to the crops on Roanoke river in North Carolina by the recent flood in that stream will be over \$1,000,000.

Joseph Elliott, of Minneapolis, and Miss Ball, of Eagle Bend, Minn., were drowned in Bemidji lake by the upsetting of a boat.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

The South Dakota populists met at Huron and nominated Andrew See for governor and J. E. Kelly and Freeman Knowles for congress. A resolution endorsing Bryan's candidacy for president was indorsed.

The Iowa republicans met at Des Moines and nominated the following ticket: Secretary of state, George L. Dobson, of Des Moines; auditor, C. G. McCarthy, of Nevada; treasurer, John Herriott, of Stewart; attorney general, Milton Remley, Iowa City, renominated; supreme judge, Scott M. Ladd, of Sheldon; railroad commissioner, Ed A. Dawson, of Waverly. The national platform was heartily indorsed.

The populist state convention at Little Rock, Ark., voted to send an unstructured delegation to the St. Louis convention.

New York and Chicago had been selected as headquarters of the republican national committee, and members of the committee will be in each city all the time during the campaign.

The republicans nominated George Spalding for congress in the Second district of Michigan, the democrats named W. T. Zenon in the Third Indiana district, and the populists nominated E. E. Lemmon in the Seventh district of Minnesota.

Ex-Gov. William Eustis Russell, of Massachusetts, died suddenly of heart disease at a fishing camp at St. Adelaide, Pabos, Quebec. Mr. Russell was 39 years of age and leaves a wife and three children.

The populist convention at Little Rock, Ark., nominated A. W. Files, of Pulaski county, for governor.

The Minnesota free silverites in convention at St. Paul nominated John Lind, of New Ulm, for governor.

Congressional nominations were made as follows: Indiana, Third district, Robert J. Frazer (rep.); Fourth, William G. Holman (dem.). Georgia, Second district, J. M. Griggs (dem.); Fifth, L. F. Livingston (dem.) renominated. Minnesota, Sixth district, Page Morris (rep.).

The Higgins faction of the republican party in Delaware met at Georgetown and nominated John C. Higgins for governor and R. C. Houston for congress.

Charles S. Faris, an editorial writer for the A. N. Kellogg Newspaper company, a pioneer of Kansas and one of the oldest newspaper men in the state, died in Kansas City, aged 63 years.

William J. Bryan, democratic candidate for president, arrived at his home in Lincoln, Neb., and was greeted by an immense crowd.

Ex-Gov. Joseph H. Williams, aged 64, died at his residence in Augusta, Me. For 50 years he had held different positions of trust and was one of the most prominent men in Maine.

C. P. Dorr has been nominated for congress by the republicans of the Third district of West Virginia.

The prohibition state nominating committee met at Moundsville, W. Va., and nominated T. C. Johnson, of Kanawha county, for governor.

Frank S. Black has been renominated for congress by the republicans of the Nineteenth New York district.

Rt. Rev. Arthur Cleveland Cove, of Buffalo, Protestant Episcopal bishop of the diocese of western New York, died at Clifton Springs, N. Y., aged 78 years.

The funeral of ex-Gov. Russell took place at Cambridge, Mass., and among the large number present were President Cleveland and Chief Justice Fuller.

Members of the republican national committee met in Chicago and decided to open the campaign in the west on August 5 with speechmaking in Nebraska and Minnesota.

The California socialist labor convention at San Francisco adopted a platform protesting against the free coinage of silver.

If the expectations of the executive committee of the "sound money" democracy of Illinois are realized there will be another democratic national convention and nomination not later than September.

FOREIGN.

The steamer Hope, with Lieut. Peary's arctic expedition on board, sailed from Sydney on her northern voyage of exploration.

A massacre occurred at Egin, in the Diabekir district of Armenia, in which 400 persons were killed by the Turks and the village was pillaged.

The Humber bicycle works at Coventry, England, were burned, the loss being \$400,000.

Jules Guisard, one of the associates of Ferdinand de Lesseps in the Suez canal project, died in Paris at the age of 70 years.

Mrs. Letitia Youmans, the celebrated temperance worker, died in Toronto, Ont.

Queen Victoria has consented to act as arbitrator in the boundary dispute between Chili and Argentina.

Ten Christians were massacred by Turks at Heraklion, in the island of Crete.

Maximo Gomez, commander in chief of the Cuban army, issued an order commanding the destruction by dynamite of all Spanish troop trains.

In a railway accident near Amato, Jamaica, 17 persons lost their lives and 22 were severely injured.

In a fight at Niskar between Mussulmen and Armenian Christians 60 of the former and 340 of the latter were killed.

LATER.

George Swain, a farmer aged 40 years living near Attica, Mich., while insane over the death of his wife killed his three children and then took his own life.

Naylor's opera house and other buildings were burned at Terre Haute, Ind., the total loss being \$300,000.

A strike of the various organizations constituting the Brotherhood of Tailors was declared in New York, involving 12,000 workmen.

The people's party of Illinois will meet at Springfield on August 12 to nominate state officers.

A sudden flood in Benson creek, near Frankfort, Ky., drowned ten persons, swept away many bridges and buildings and ruined hundreds of acres of corn and other crops.

Prof. A. L. Miller, a prominent German musician of Pana, Ill., drowned himself at Pekin, Ill.

In a wreck on the Chicago & Texas railroad one mile south of Murphysboro, Ill., 12 persons were injured, two of them fatally.

The will of Austin Corbin was probated in New York. It leaves \$10,000,000 to his wife and children.

Ex-President Harrison has consented to take the stamp for the republican national ticket from October 1 until the eve of election day.

Fifteen hundred persons gathered at the John Brown farm in Saranac Lake, N. Y., to witness the unveiling of a John Brown monument.

Joseph Wesley Harper died at his home in New York, aged 66 years. Up to last year he had been the senior member of the firm of Harper Brothers, publishers.

When the barkentine Herbert Fuller, from Boston for Rosario, put in at Halifax it was found that during a mutiny on board Capt. Nash, his wife Laura and Second Officer Bramberg had been killed in their bunks while asleep. Thomas Bram, the mate, was charged with the crime.


The national convention of Methodist deaconesses began at Asbury Park, N. J.

The following congressional nominations have been made: Illinois, Seventeenth district, Benjamin Caldwell (dem.); Eighteenth, T. M. Jett (dem.). Michigan, First district, J. B. Corliss (rep.) renominated. West Virginia, First district, B. B. Dovenor (rep.) renominated; Fourth, Warren Miller (rep.) renominated. Georgia, Eighth district, W. M. Howard (dem.).

Headache Destroys Health

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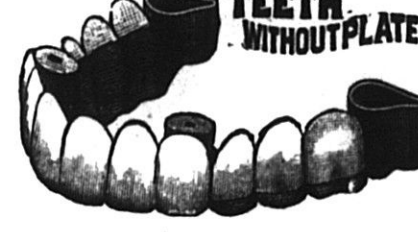
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"I was a great sufferer during all last winter with my kidneys. The pain was on each side of my back over the hips, it was right where you put your hands when you stand with them placed on your hips. It was worse in the morning, and I was sometimes in such pain I could not get out of bed in the ordinary manner, but would have to sort of roll out, keeping my body as straight as possible, and I would be compelled to walk stooped over until I got gradually straightened out, when I would feel a little easier. This continued in this way until I commenced taking Doan's Kidney Pills. I had seen them advertised, so I procured a box at the drug store of J. O. Doesburg, and on taking them they gave me almost instant relief. I continued using them and I have not been a sufferer since. I have every confidence in Doan's Kidney Pills. They have proved to be just as represented. If ever I should have any return of the trouble I shall know what to use. It pleases me to be able to speak a good word for them."

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FROM MICHIGAN TOWNS.

A Budget of News of a Most Interesting Character.

The wheat yield in Calhoun county is reported the lightest in years.
George Manning, of Fruitport, was killed by lightning during a recent storm.

Albert Thurband, of Menominee, fell from his wagon and the wheels passed over him. He died soon afterwards.

Dr. G. D. Gibson, of Adrian, was killed by a kick from a colt that he was trying to drive up to a street car.

The old soldiers and sailors of Allegan county will meet in annual reunion at Allegan August 18, 19 and 20.

Congressman Spaulding, of the Second district, was renominated by the republican convention at Jackson.

The twenty-ninth annual reunion of the veterans of the Eighteenth Michigan infantry will be held at Tecumseh, August 26.

Oil has been found in small quantity at a depth of 1,000 feet in the test well sunk by the Oil and Milling company at Bangor.

The 14 wells from which Benton Harbor draws its water supply are dry and there is practically no fire protection for some parts of the city.

In boring a test well for the Vicksburg waterworks a vein of soft coal from three to four feet in thickness was struck 50 or 60 feet below the surface.

It is proposed to utilize the old road-bed of the railroad which formerly ran from Adrian to Tecumseh by putting in an electric line between the two cities.

Harry Halbert, aged 12 years, was drowned while bathing in the river at Grand Ledge. He got beyond his depth and could not swim.

The best yield of wheat reported in the vicinity of Portland, Ionia county, is 14 bushels per acre. Branch county threshers report an average of about nine bushels.

Edward Woodbury, of Kalamazoo, has been elected president of the Chicago, Kalamazoo & Saginaw Railroad company to fill the vacancy caused by the death of A. J. Bowne.

James Vincent, a Waterford farm laborer, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor. Vincent had been missing for some days and afterwards his lifeless body was found in a hog pen.

Chandler Bros., owners of the Frankfort bank that failed last spring, have been arrested on the charge of perjury. The offense is alleged to have been committed in connection with their qualifying as sureties on the bond of a township treasurer.

BIG MINES SHUT DOWN.

Two Thousand Men Thrown Into Idleness in the Superior Region.

Ishpeming, July 21.—The ore shipments from Lake Superior and Lake Michigan ports up to June 30 exceeded the heavy shipments of last year by over 500,000 tons. It now appears that the purpose of this heavy shipment was to get rid of the ore on hand and to have nothing left when the slump in prices came as it has now. All the mines are getting ready to make retrenchment in the matter of mining, the largest being that of the Metropolitan Land and Iron company, owning and operating the Norrie, East Norrie and Pabst mines at Ironwood, which have produced about 1,000,000 tons of ore a year for the last five years. After two reductions of the working force heroic measures have been taken, and the mines to-day are practically closed, throwing nearly 2,000 men out of employment. Other mines are getting ready to close, and the operators hold out no hope of reopening. The miners are alarmed at existing conditions.

Feet and Murder Case.

Houghton, July 22.—Andrew Gobel-nelson, on trial at Eagle River, Keweenaw county, for the murder of John Pellonen, was acquitted by the jury. The evidence showed that John Lind struck Pellonen with a bed slat and Gobel-nelson struck him with an iron poker. After the case went to the jury a close examination of the wooden slat revealed hair and clotted blood in a crack, the evidence going to show that the poker had inflicted the lesser and not the fatal wound. Gobel-nelson was discharged and Lind will be tried for the crime.

He May Die

Lansing, July 19.—Charles W. Chittenden, of this city, a habitual user of tobacco, attempted to break the habit, and may die as a result. Mr. Chittenden, who is 70 years of age, made an effort to cease the use of the weed by taking one of the "tobacco cures." He became insane as a result, and in his delirium jumped out of a second-story window, breaking his leg and injuring himself internally, so that he may not recover.

Crazy Woman Rends a Bank.

Houghton, July 22.—Mrs. Mary Jacobs, whose husband was killed in an accident at the Osceola mines several years ago, created consternation in the Houghton national bank Tuesday by demanding \$1,000,000 from Cashier Rice, threatening to do some promiscuous shooting if her demand was not complied with forthwith. She was disarmed before doing any damage and will be sent to the asylum.

Killed by a Freight Train.

Stephenson, July 22.—Peter Johnson, farmer, of Kloman, Menominee county, while returning from Powers Monday night was run over by a south-bound freight. After the engineer whistled the brakeman attempted to throw him from the track by going out on the pilot, but without success. Both legs and one arm were cut off. He died in 15 minutes.

Still in Custody.

Ontonagon, Mich., July 18.—The attorney for Redpath and Beveridge, in jail here for the murder of Holly Beveridge, applied to Circuit Court Commissioner Shuster to be admitted to bail. After hearing arguments and looking over the testimony he denied their application.

A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison of Washington, Ind., "Sun" writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Suehle, 2825 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a backache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50 cents and \$1 00. Get a Bottle at

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THE MARKETS.

New York, July 22.	
LIVE STOCK—Steers.....	\$3 80 @ 4 50
Sheep.....	2 25 @ 4 25
Hogs.....	1 40 @ 2 60
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents.....	3 80 @ 4 00
Minnesota Bakers'.....	3 25 @ 3 75
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	2 40 @ 2 80
No. 1 Hard.....	63 1/2 @ 64
CORN—No. 2.....	67 @ 67 1/2
September.....	32 1/2 @ 32 3/4
OATS—Western.....	24 @ 25 1/4
LARD.....	3 55 @ 3 70
PORK—Mess, Old.....	8 25 @ 8 75
EGGS.....	11 @ 13

CHICAGO.	
CATTLE—Beeves.....	\$3 40 @ 4 40
Stockers and Feeders.....	2 50 @ 3 75
Cows and Bulls.....	1 40 @ 2 60
Texas Steers.....	2 50 @ 3 50
HOGS—Light.....	3 30 @ 3 70
Rough Packing.....	2 75 @ 2 90
SHEEP.....	2 40 @ 3 25
BUTTER—Western Creamery.....	10 @ 14
Dairy.....	9 @ 13
EGGS—Fresh.....	9 @ 10
POTATOES (per bu.).....	22 @ 28
PORK—Mess.....	6 12 1/2 @ 6 25
LARD—Steam.....	3 25 @ 3 55
FLOUR—Winter.....	2 60 @ 3 60
Spring.....	2 60 @ 3 75
GRAIN—Wheat, July.....	55 1/2 @ 55 3/4
Corn, No. 2.....	25 1/2 @ 26
Oats, No. 2 Cash.....	17 1/2 @ 18
Rye, No. 2.....	31 1/2 @ 31
Barley, Good to Fancy.....	24 @ 32

MILWAUKEE.	
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring.....	55 1/2 @ 55 3/4
Corn, No. 3.....	26 1/2 @ 27
Oats, No. 2 White.....	19 1/2 @ 19 3/4
Rye, No. 1.....	31 1/2 @ 31 3/4
Farley, No. 2.....	30 @ 30 1/2
PORK—Mess.....	6 25 @ 6 30
LARD.....	3 35 @ 3 40

DETROIT.	
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red.....	60 1/2 @ 60 3/4
Corn, No. 2.....	29 @ 29 1/2
Oats, No. 2 White.....	20 1/2 @ 21
Rye, No. 2.....	31 1/2 @ 32

ST. LOUIS.	
CATTLE—Native Steers.....	\$3 70 @ 4 40
Texas.....	2 50 @ 3 70
HOGS.....	3 25 @ 3 55
SHEEP.....	2 25 @ 4 00

OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Steers.....	\$3 00 @ 4 25
Cows.....	1 25 @ 3 25
Feeders.....	2 50 @ 3 50
HOGS.....	2 80 @ 3 25
SHEEP.....	2 90 @ 3 40

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Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by Jan H. Willink and Janna Willink, his wife, of the township of Holland county of Ottawa and state of Michigan, parties of the first part to Gilles Wabeko of the township of Zeeland, county of Ottawa and state of Michigan, party of the second part, dated on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1884, and recorded in the office of the register of Deeds, of Ottawa county, Michigan, on the 10th day of October, A. D. 1893, in liber 45 of mortgages, on page 374; which said mortgage was duly assigned by John J. Wabeko, John A. Pyl and Cornelis Van Zwailenburg, as the executors of the last will and testament of Gilles Wabeko, deceased, to Adriana Van Zwailenburg, and which said assignment was, on the 7th day of December, A. D. 1893, duly recorded in the office of Register of Deeds of said county, in liber 53 of mortgages, on page 438; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the time of this notice the sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Ninety Dollars and Forty Cents, besides an attorney fee of Thirty-five dollars provided for by law and in said mortgage and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law or in equity, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part of it; and the whole of the principal sum of said mortgage together with all arrearages of interest thereon, having become due and payable by reason of default in the payment of interest on said mortgage on the day when the same became due and payable, and the nonpayment of said interest in default for more than thirty days after the same became due and payable, wherefore under the conditions of said mortgage the whole amount of the principal sum of said mortgage with all arrearages of interest thereon, at the option of the said Gilles Wabeko, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, became due and payable immediately thereafter, and the said Adriana Van Zwailenburg, assignee of said mortgage, hereby declares her election and option to consider the whole amount of the said principal sum of said mortgage due and payable. 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, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage with interest and costs of foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee of thirty-five dollars said sale to take place at the north outer door of the Ottawa county court house, at the city of Grand Haven, Ottawa county, Michigan, that being the place where the circuit court for the County of Ottawa is holden, on Monday, the Seventeenth day of August, A. D. 1899, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the said mortgaged premises to be sold being described in said mortgage as all that certain piece or parcel of land situated and being in the township of Holland, county of Ottawa, and state of Michigan, known and described as follows, to wit: The West Half of the South East Quarter of Section Numbered Three (3), in Township numbered five (5) north of range numbered fifteen (15) West, and containing eighty (80) acres of land, more or less, according to government survey.

Dated Holland, May 23rd, A. D. 1899.

ADRIANA VAN ZWAILENBURG,

Assignee.

GERRIT J. DIKKEMA,

Attorney for Assignee.

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