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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

SATURDAY, AUG. 12, 1893.
Holland, Mich.

The New Excuse.
The husband had bought his wife a gown, in which with pride she flaunted; then she saw some elegant hats in town and one of them sorely wanted.
"I'm needing a hat, though I feel," said she, "Ashamed to make such a confession."
"My dear, you will have to wait," said he, "Till after the extra season."

The American Farm as an American Training School.

It remains true even to-day, that the farm is the chief and the best school for training of capable men that exists in this country. It is otherwise in Europe, where one does not find a class corresponding to the independent American farmer. But with us the farmer is a superb trainer of boys. His lads are learning real things, while the city boys too often are merely studying in books the pale reflection of things.

The farmer boy knows early about land and soils; about crops and their rotation; about the seasons and the weather and the signs of sky. He grows up in familiar acquaintance with animals. He owns a dog, he has a favorite horse, he rides wild colts, he feeds horned cattle. He helps in planting and in harvesting. He is usually versed in wood lore and knows trees and plants, birds, squirrels, rabbits and ground hogs. He develops superb health. He helps repair the fences. He learns about tools and masters the complexities of farm machinery. In short, the range of his practical knowledge becomes very great.

There is more reading done in our farm neighborhoods than in our cities; and the typical farm home has its newspapers always and its magazines quite frequently.

Nor are the district schools so inferior, though their quality varies much from year to year. With a good teacher in charge, the country district school is better than the city graded school, because it is more free from mere machinery and better adapted to develop the individuality of pupils. Hundreds of men and women of high standing and wide experience to-day are thankful for the wooden country school-house of their childhood days, in which the educational methods pursued were infinitely more scientific and valuable than those now followed in many of our city schools.—*Albert Shaw in Sketch of Leland Stanford, August Review of Reviews.*

Low Rate Annual Excursion to Petoskey.

Thursday, Aug. 31, the Chicago & West Michigan Ry. will run their annual low rate excursion to Petoskey. Rate from Holland will be \$4.00 for round-trip, tickets good to return on any regular train until Sep. 7th, inclusive. Special train will leave Holland at 10:55 A. M., stopping at Grand Rapids for dinner, and Traverse City for supper, arriving at Petoskey at 8:30 P. M. Baggage will be checked through or to any station north of Baldwin. Connection for Manistee is made at Manistee Crossing, at Thompsonville for Frankfort, at Traverse City for adjacent resorts, and at Williamsburg for Elk Rapids. This will be your best opportunity this year to visit the northern Michigan country at very small expense, and enable you to see the splendid scenery along the line of the West Michigan Ry.

28-3w Geo. DeHaven, G. P. A.

The success of Mrs. Annie M. Beam, of McKeesport, Pennsylvania, in the treatment of diarrhoea in her children will undoubtedly be of interest to many mothers. She says: "I spent several weeks in Johnstown, Pa., after the great flood, on account of my husband being employed there. We had several children with us, two of whom took the diarrhoea very badly. I got some of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy from Rev. Mr. Chapman. It cured both of them. I knew of several other cases where it was equally successful. I think it cannot be excelled and cheerfully recommend it." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Heber Walsh Holland, Mich. and A. De Krulff Zeeland Mich.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

WHILE the times are so close for money, I will close out my entire stock of Clothing, Furnishing Goods and Trunks and Valises, very cheap. I must have money.

L. HENDERSON.

If you are looking for a fine pair of russet oxfords, go to E. HEROLD & Co.

The Fourth Ward Family Supply Store is the place to leave your orders. P. J. ZALSMAN.

Mr. Thomas Barte, editor of the Graphic, Texarkana, Arkansas, has found what he believes to be the best remedy in existence for the flux. His experience is well worth remembering. He says: "Last summer I had a very severe attack of flux. I tried almost every known remedy, none giving relief. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was recommended to me. I purchased a bottle and received almost immediate relief. I continued to use the medicine and was entirely cured. I take pleasure in recommending this remedy to any person suffering with such a disease, as in my opinion it is the best medicine in existence." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Heber Walsh Druggist Holland, Mich. and A. De Krulff Zeeland Mich.

A Million Friends.
A friend in need is a friend indeed, and not less than one million people have found just such a friend in Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, and Cold. If you have never used this Great Cough Medicine, one trial will convince you that it has wonderful curative powers in all diseases of Throat, Chest and Lungs. Each bottle is guaranteed to do all that is claimed or money will be refunded. Trial bottles free at Heber Walsh's Drug store. Large bottles 50c. and \$1.00.

Do not neglect the Great Cleaning out sale at NOTTER & VERSCHURE.

WHILE the times are so close for money, I will close out my entire stock of Clothing, Furnishing Goods, and Trunks and Valises very cheap. I must have money.

29 ? L. HENDERSON.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

If you want to invest or borrow money, a good watch, or a nice clock, silver or flat ware, a wedding ring, a fine gold pen;

If you want your eyesight tested, low prices, honest dealing and a large stock to choose from,

go to C. A. STEVENSON, Eighth St., Holland, Mich. Opposite Walsh's Drug Store. 21?

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

If you wish to advertise anything anywhere at any time write to GEO. F. ROWELL & Co., No. 104 Spruce St., New York.

WHEN

You want a WATCH that will

Keep Correct Time,

Just step into the Jewelry Store of

O. Breyman & Son,

and you will get the value of your money.

Get your Repairing done here!

They keep everything that is found in a first-class Jewelry Store and at prices that will astonish you for their cheapness

17-1y.

Are you in need of A HAT?

We have on hand a complete line of

HATS.

Your first pick for 5 Cents

out of a lot of 500; come early and get first choice.

Straw Hats.

Do not forget our stand:

The Eighth st. Clothing House third door west of Lyceum Opera House,

Lokker & Rutgers.

JAPANESE PILE CURE

A New and Complete treatment, consisting of SUPPOSITORIES, Capsules of Ointment and two Boxes of Ointment. A never-failing Cure for Piles of every nature and degree. It makes no operation with the knife or injections of carbolic acid, which are painful and seldom a permanent cure, and often resulting in death, unnecessary. Why endure this terrible disease? We guarantee 6 boxes to cure any case. You only pay for bottle received. \$1 a box, 6 for \$5. Guarantees issued by our agents. Sold, Pills Prepared by Japanese Liver and Stomach Regulator and BLOOD PURIFIER. Small, mild and pleasant to take, especially adapted for children's use. 60 1/2 cent bottles.

GUARANTEES issued only by W. J. LANGE, Grandville Ave., Grand Rapids, Mich. 21-7

ADIRONDA TRADE MARK
Wheeler's Heart Cure AND Nerve

Will Positively Cure HEART DISEASE. NERVOUS PROSTRATION. SLEEPLESSNESS, AND All Derangements of the Nervous System. UNEXCELLED FOR INFANTS. A blessed boon for tired Mothers and Restless Babies. Purely vegetable, guaranteed free from opiates 100 full size doses 50 cents.

PREPARED BY Wheeler & Fuller Medicine Co., CEDAR SPRINGS, MICH. Sold by HEBER WALSH, and MARTIN & HUIZINGA, 51 1/2 y

\$500 REWARD!

We will pay the above reward for any case of Liver Complaint Dyspepsia, Sick headache, Indigestion Constipation, or Costiveness we cannot cure with Dr. West's Vegetable Liver Pills, when the directions are strictly complied with. They are purely Vegetable, and never fail to give satisfaction. Sugar coated. Large boxes 35c. Beware of counterfeits and imitations. The genuine manufactured only by THE JOHN C. WEST CO., Chicago, Ill. 21-1y.

A. HUNTLEY.

Engineer and Machinist.

Office and Shop on Seventh St., Holland, Mich.

Mill and Engine Repairing A Specialty.

All Orders Promptly Attended to.

Ready and willing to meet any party in consultation relative to boilers, engines and other Machinery.

A. Huntley.

Holland, Mich., Feb. 18, '92.

For the Season!

G. Van Putten & SONS

For Ladies.

Dress and Apron Gingham. Challies, 5 cents a yard. Pongee Satteens. Ladies' Underwear. Hosiery, Belts. Corsets, Umbrellas. Face Veilings. A full line of Mitts, from 20 cents upwards. Windsor Ties.

For Gents.

Underwear, at all prices. Full line of Gents' Hosiery. Overalls, Jackets, and Pants.

FAMILY SUPPLIES PROMPTLY DELIVERED.

G. Van Putten & Sons.

River Street, Holland, Mich.

RESORT!

A Forty-Acre Tract adjoining the well-known and favorably located Resort known as

Harrington's Landing

Is offered for sale at a bargain.

If desired, eighty acres can be had.

Inquire of

E. J. Harrington,

HOLLAND, MICH., July 12, '93.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of payment of a certain mortgage, made and executed by Keesa Zuitewind, of the City of Holland, County of Ottawa and state of Michigan, to Dirk Klein, of the township of Hollis & County of Ottawa and state of Michigan, dated the thirteenth day of May, A. D. 1892, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan, on the twenty-fifth day of May, A. D. 1893, in Liber 44 of Mortgages on page 445, which said mortgage was on the 28th day of April, A. D. 1893, duly assigned by said Dirk Klein to Grietje Schaftenaar, of the Township of Holland, County of Ottawa and state of Michigan, and which said assignment was on the first day of May, A. D. 1893, duly recorded in the office of said register of deeds in Liber 40 of Mortgages on page 127, and on which said mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of one thousand five hundred fifteen dollars and sixty-nine cents (\$1515.69), beside an attorney fee of thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) provided in said mortgage and by law; and no suit or proceeding 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 arrearage of interest thereon having become due and payable by reason of the default in the payment of interest on said mortgage on the day when the same became payable, and the non-payment of said interest in default for more than sixty days after the same became due and payable, whereby under the conditions of said mortgage the whole amount of the principal sum of said mortgage with all arrearage of interest thereon at the option of said Grietje Schaftenaar became due and payable immediately thereafter; and the said Grietje Schaftenaar has hereby declared 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 cases 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 cost of foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee of thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) provided by law and in said mortgage, said sale to take place at the outer door of the Ottawa County Court House at Grand Haven, Michigan (that being the place where the Circuit Court for Ottawa County is holden), on the

Sixteenth day of October, A. D. 1893, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of said day. The said mortgage 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, and designated as follows, to-wit:—The south twenty-one (21) acres of the west three-fourths (w. 3/4) of the west half (w. 1/2) of the north-west quarter (n. w. 1/4) of section thirty three, in Township five (5) north of range fifteen (15) west. Dated Holland, July 18th, A. D. 1893. GRIETJE SCHAFTENAAR, Assignee of Mortgage. GERRIT J. DIEKEMA, Attorney for Assignee.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by Jan Van De Forest, of the city of Holland, County of Ottawa and state of Michigan, party of the first part, to Antonie J. Van Raalte, of Spring Lake, in said county of Ottawa and state of Michigan, party of the second part, dated the fifteenth day of August, A. D. 1891, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan, on the 21st day of August, A. D. 1894, in Liber 27 of Mortgages, on page 133, which said mortgage was on the tenth day of July, A. D. 1893, duly assigned by said Antonie J. Van Raalte to Jane Marsilje, of Holland Township in said county, which assignment was on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1897, recorded in the office of the register of deeds for said county in Liber 39 of Mortgages on page 473, and which mortgage was on the 13th day of May, A. D. 1893, duly assigned by said Jane Marsilje to Isaac Marsilje, of the same place, and was on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1893 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for said county in Liber 40 of Mortgages, on page 149, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of two hundred fourteen dollars and forty six cents (\$214.46) beside an attorney fee of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) provided for by law; and no suit or proceeding 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 cases 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 (\$15.00) provided for by law; said sale to take place at the front door of the Ottawa County Court House, at the city of Grand Haven, Michigan (that being the place where the Circuit Court of the County of Ottawa is holden) on

Monday, the fourth day of September, A. D. 1893, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the said premises to be sold being described in said mortgage as: All that piece or parcel of land situated and being in the Township of Olive, in the County of Ottawa and state of Michigan, and described as follows: The south-east quarter (S. E. 1/4) of the north east quarter (N. E. 1/4) of section numbered seventeen (17) in Township six (6) north of range fifteen (15) west, containing forty (40) acres of land, more or less. Dated Holland, June 6th, A. D. 1893. ISAAC MARSILJE, Assignee. GERRIT J. DIEKEMA, Attorney for Assignee. 20-13w

Farm For Sale Cheap!

Located in the well-known fruit region of Oceana Co. 108 acres, of which about 60 acres are improved. Balance beach and maple, 500 peach trees, some apple trees, good house and barn, good well at the door, in a well-settled country, one half mile from school. Prices low. Payments easy. For full particulars address or enquire of A. SHELANDER, New Era, Oceana County, Mich. 23-2m

H. J. Cronkright,

BARBER,

Shop: North of DE KRAKER'S PLACE.

River Street, Holland, Mich.

De Kraker & De Koster,

Dealers in FRESH, SALT, AND SMOKED MEATS.

Parties desiring Choice Steaks and Roasts

Are especially invited to call.

Market on River Street

DE KRAKER & DE KOSTER.

Holland, Mich., Aug. 8, 1892.

G. M. POND,

UPHOLSTERING AND FURNITURE REPAIRING.

NEW WORK MADE TO ORDER.

Eighth Street, a door west of W. Van der Veere's meat market.

HOLLAND, MICH.

Quality and Price.

Aquila Rich House Paints

Two characteristic features of our which are increasing our sales wonderfully every season.

It will pay you to investigate if you intend to paint.

KANTERS BROS.

19 1y

City Meat Market.

Wm. Van der Veere.

THE SEASON CHOICE MEATS.

The Best in the Market. Cor. Eighth and Fish St.

GOOD ENOUGH!

Such is the verdict of those that have looked into the

FURNITURE EMPORIUM

—of—

RINGK & CO.,

and examined the latest arrivals of this season's goods.

Carpets and Matting.

Immense Stock of Wall Paper and Trimmings.

The latest novelties in Baby Carriages.

HARDWARE

of J. B. VAN OORT,

Special attention is called to new Gasoline Stoves.

"Aurora" and "New Aurora."

This last is the latest and most improved Gasoline Stove in the market.

Also a full line of Oil Stoves.

PAINTS.

The celebrated Paints of Heath & Muligan are kept on hand, in all shades and colors.

CREOLITE,

A new substance for floor painting. Dries bone-hard in one night, is free from tack, and durable.

J. B. VAN OORT, Holland, Mich., March 24, 1892.

Address—Holland, Coopersville, Grand Rapids. 9 1y

Pianos AND Organs.

The Latest. The Lehr & Co. Seven Octave Upright

= Pano-Organ.

It is also the best. Looks like a Piano. Comes near to it in action. Full, rich tone. Artistic in finish and

Fair in Price.

The Bush & Gerts

New Piano.

Recent Improvements.

1. Patent Transposing Keyboard.
2. Muffler Lever.
3. New Third Pedal Muffler.
4. Patent Spiral Springs.
5. New Sliding Desk.
6. Pedal Stick Guide.
7. Rubber Headed Bracket Bolts.

G RANKANS, Y. M. C. A. Block.

Address—Holland, Coopersville, Grand Rapids. 9 1y

Holland City News.

HOLLAND CITY, MICHIGAN.

POWDER MILL LETS GO

FOUR KILLED AT PITTSBURG, ILLINOIS.

Robbers Get Several Quarts of Nickel—Denver Takes Down Her Sign Inviting an Invasion of Tramps—Shocking Tragedy at St. Louis.

How to Eternity.

Tuesday, 1,600 kegs of powder in the press mill at the Phenix Powder Works, near Pittsburg Station, Ill., exploded and the building was blown to atoms. Two workmen were killed instantly and two others were fatally injured and afterward died. The dead are: John Elliott, of Youngstown, Ohio; Luther Estes, of South Wyndham, Me.; Bishop Hickman, of Chattanooga, Tenn.; Charles Mallach, of Pittsburg. A large steel shaft in the press mill snapped while revolving rapidly and a shower of sparks fell from the machinery into the powder. Estes, Hickman and Mallach were in the press mill when it went up. A moment after the press mill went up the coming mill was shattered, but the men in it had time to escape. The other buildings were saved, but for three hours fire raged toward the main storehouse containing twenty tons of powder. Strenuous efforts saved the storehouse, and an explosion was averted. The plant was worth about \$100,000. There are quite a number of dwelling-houses around the works, which were totally wrecked. This is the second time this mill has blown up.

CAMP RELIEF DISBANDED.

Five Hundred Unemployed Men Thrown Out Denver's Charity.

Camp Relief, at Denver, which has been operated by the State for the support of the idle and hungry men of the city, has been disbanded, and 500 men who have been receiving food at the camp were thrown upon the city, in addition to the hundreds of others already being fed by the charitable organizations. There were many muttered threats among the men, most of whom are workmen, and, under ordinary circumstances, law-abiding citizens, but with starvation staring them in the face they are sullen and show a disposition to become desperate unless some means of continuing the supply of food is adopted immediately. The charity organizations of the city are already greatly overtaxed in caring for the suffering women and children of the city, and what to do with the large number of idle and hungry men is a grave question with the authorities.

KILLED HIS LITTLE BABES.

Insane John Finn of St. Louis Almost Exterminates His Family.

John Finn, a newspaper carrier, living at 2834 Chouteau avenue, St. Louis, almost completely wiped his family out of existence. He had been ill, and while his wife was absent from the house became delirious. Jumping from his bed he seized a flatiron and beat two of his children, boys, fearfully about the head, inflicting fatal injuries. Then with a butcher-knife he backed his two girls in a most horrible manner. He completed his fearful work with a slash across his own throat. All five are fatally wounded. The horrible work of the insane man was not discovered until Mrs. Finn returned and found her little home literally reeking with blood.

EXPRESS ROBBERS CAUGHT.

Three of Four Men Landed, Together with \$5,000 of the Booty.

At Wichita, Kan., Howard H. Greer, an ex-telegraph operator from El Dorado; Arthur Hancher, an express messenger, and Jack Beck, clerk of the Occidental Hotel, were arrested for the robbery of the United States express wagon on the streets of that city on the night of July 29, and \$5,000 of the stolen money—\$7,000—was recovered. Greer was the first one arrested and he broke down and confessed, as did each of the others as he in turn found himself in the clutches of the officers. The actual perpetrator of the robbery, a colored man, has not yet been captured, but the officers are close on his tracks.

HORSEWHIPPED BY WOMEN.

Punishment Meted Out Liberally to James Collins for an Insult.

The town of Higbee, Mo., was a scene of excitement Monday evening, caused by the whipping of James Collins, a shoe-maker, by five infuriated women who plied their whips until the clothing was literally cut from the body, leaving a number of ghastly marks on his bleeding flesh.

Prisoners Break the Findlay Jail.

The jail of Hancock County, Ohio, is now empty. An attempt was made Sunday to dig through the walls, and each prisoner was locked in his cell. Tuesday morning the sheriff and a mason entered the jail to make repairs, leaving the outside doors unlocked. The cell doors had been forced open during the night, and like a flash every prisoner made a break for liberty. They scattered in all directions, and were soon out of the city and in the woods. Parties started after them with guns, and the woods are now being scoured, but not one has been captured. Fifty dollars reward is offered for each.

Arrests a Would-Be Hero.

At Macon, Mo., a detective of the Wabash Railroad Company arrested H. Johns, the Atlanta young man who claims he overheard two desperadoes planning to wreck and rob the south-bound passenger train and then flagged the train before it reached an extricated rail. Young Johns has given out five different statements about his experience.

Whole Town Wiped Out.

Snow Hill, Md., burned the other night. Only two stores and a few dwellings were saved. The loss is about \$300,000.

Held Up a Motor Car.

At Omaha a masked man boarded a motor train in the north part of the city and covered the motorman, conductor and two passengers with a big revolver. He secured several quarts of nickels from the conductor and escaped.

Can Deface Gettysburg.

Attorney General Hensel has refused the writ of quo warranto requested by certain citizens of Gettysburg to deprive the trolley lines of its franchises on the battlefield, and decided all the points involved in favor of the trolley company.

FINES FOR FAIR MEN.

Judge Stein Finds World's Fair Directors Guilty of Contempt.

For contempt of court in ignoring the Clingman injunction restraining the directors and officials of the World's Columbian Exposition from closing the gates of the Fair on Sunday, Judge Stein of Chicago entered a rule suing six members of the directors and the Director General. Those adjudged guilty, with the fine entered against each, are as follows:

Lyman J. Gage.....\$1,000
Charles L. Hutchinson.....1,000
Charles H. Henshaw.....1,000
William D. Kerfoot.....1,000
Andrew McKelvey.....1,000
Victor E. Lawson.....1,000
Director General Davis.....250

The court ordered that those fined \$1,000 stand committed to jail until the fine was paid. In the case of Director Victor Lawson, the court held that the officer had voted in belief that the injunction had lapsed, and that he was not intentionally guilty; in view of this mitigating circumstance a fine of \$100 was imposed. Director General Davis was held less directly responsible and was fined \$250, with the same provision regarding payment. Messrs. Messer, Forbes, St. Clair and Higginbotham were regarded by Judge Stein as instruments for the execution of the directors' ruling, and were discharged. Director Nathan was also discharged. Attorney Eddy, representing the Fair Company, moved an appeal from the court's ruling and the motion was granted. All the directors and other officers were in court.

TWELVE WERE DROWNED.

Sinking of the Steamer Rachel Sherman with Tourists on Lake George.

The steamer Rachel Sherman struck a rock and sank at Pearl Point landing, Lake George. She had an excursion party of twenty-nine persons aboard from Fourteen-Mile Island. Twelve of the party were drowned. They were all from Troy, Brooklyn, and Hoboken. The terrible accident occurred about 9 o'clock at night at the lower end of Lake George. The steam yacht Rachel is owned by D. W. Sherman, proprietor of the Pearl Point House. The little vessel was turned toward the One Hundred Island House, and was gliding toward the landing, when the passengers were thrown forward by a sudden shock. In the dark the vessel had run upon a sunken pier, and before assistance arrived from the shore it sank in eighteen feet of water. The shrieking, struggling passengers battled for life in the darkness. Deeds of heroism were performed by the men. When all in sight had reached the shore, it was learned that eight or nine persons, all women, except one youth of 19, had sunk to watery graves. As soon as possible an attempt to recover the bodies was made, and after strenuous efforts all the bodies were brought to the surface.

Money Is Moving.

An earnest effort is being made at the treasury department to assist the money market as far as the resources at the command of the department will permit. The circulation statement Wednesday showed an increase during July of \$17,372,000, of which the larger part was in gold coin. Acting Secretary Curtis took a further step to increase the circulation by signing an order late in the afternoon authorizing national banks which hold public funds on deposit to receive deposits up to the par value of their securities. The requests for new national bank notes Wednesday to increase the outstanding circulation were \$4,070,000. This is a larger amount than has been asked for in a single day for years, and almost reaches the largest total for the entire month of July. The belief seems to be entertained at the Treasury Department that both the savings banks and the national banks can profit by the surrender of the bonds held by the savings banks for cash to swell their currency reserves and by the issue of new circulation by the national banks upon the bonds thus acquired. If the demand for new circulation continues for a week or two at anything like the rates reached Wednesday, the national bank note circulation will advance \$15,000,000 or \$20,000,000 during the month, and aggregate \$200,000,000 by September 1. The gold in the Treasury passed the reserve limit and stood at \$100,791,370. The net gold certificates outstanding are \$88,995,950, and the total holdings in the Treasury \$187,787,025. Gold has been pouring into the New York Custom House in payment of duties at a remarkable rate during the past two weeks and gold certificates have again found a place in the payments.

BANKS IN MICHIGAN.

Certificates of Deposit Have Decreased \$5,000,000 in Two Months.

The consolidated statement of the condition of the 155 State banks and three trust companies of Michigan at the close of business July 12, issued by the State Banking Commissioner, shows that the amount of savings deposits and certificates of deposit decreased in two months nearly \$5,000,000, while commercial deposits show no appreciable decrease. Much of the savings withdrawal was in hoard.

Militia Suppress a Row.

A bloody fight occurred at Elberon, a suburb of Parkersburg, W. Va. Milt and Will Freeman, two toughs who have terrorized the neighborhood, were the instigators. Besides the above John Vaughn, John Marshall and four sons, John Strong and five others were participants. All were beaten and cut in a terrible manner. Company E, local militia, arrived on the scene and separated the fighters with drawn guns and bayonets.

Base-Ball Record.

The standing of the clubs of the National League is shown by the following table:

Team	W.	L.	Win. Pct.
Boston	29	21	.578
Philadelphia	28	22	.560
Pittsburgh	21	29	.420
Cleveland	17	33	.340
New York	13	37	.260
Brooklyn	11	41	.214

Morton's Barn Burned.

Levi P. Morton's immense new barn at Elletts, Rhinebeck, N. Y., and outbuildings, together with 100 head of Guernsey cattle and all the farm horses, were destroyed by fire. Loss, over \$100,000.

Killed by Robbers.

Highwaymen, folled in their attempt to rob Joseph G. McIntosh in a lonely spot on South Park avenue, near 62d street, Chicago, shot him in the head. He died in an hour. McIntosh was a carpenter.

Lays Aside His Baton.

Theodore Thomas, musical director of the Columbian Exposition, has resigned. The expenditure on account of the musical department has been \$300,000, and the receipts \$100,000.

James H. Walker & Co. Fail.

James H. Walker & Co., the big Chicago dry-goods merchant, confessed judgment for \$5,495.72 in favor of Ed. No.

REASON DETHRONED.

MOTORMAN CRAZY BECAUSE OF AN ACCIDENT.

Frightful Slaughter in a Lake Shore Accident—Alleged Murderers Killed Four Whitecaps of a Mob of One Hundred Bent Upon Lynching.

Motorman Crased by an Accident.

A little son of Mr. and Mrs. Harper, members of the theatrical profession visiting relatives in Lincoln, Neb., was run over by an electric car and sustained injuries from which he died a few hours later. The motorman in charge of the car became violently insane. The mother of the child is seriously ill and news of its death has been kept from her. Conflicting stories are told as to the responsibility for the sad accident.

WRECK WAS A BAD ONE.

Three Killed and Nine Injured on the Lake Shore Road.

Three sleeping cars on the Lake Shore train No. 4, going east Saturday night, were derailed by spreading rails at Linden, Ohio, and crashed into a freight train on the siding. The list of the dead is: C. E. Lafferty, freight engineer, Elyria, Ohio; J. K. Robinson, colored porter of sleeping car Erie, Chicago; Charles Spain, Toledo, Ohio. The injured: Prof. R. K. Emerson, of the chair of geology, Amherst College, East Gloucester, Mass., rib fractured, scalp wound, shoulder cut, and internal injuries, will die; E. J. Fisher, Ravine street, Allegheny, Pa., left foot cut; J. B. Hamilton, 523 Euclid avenue, Cleveland, hurt internally; M. C. Kiltredge, catcher of Chicago ball team, left wrist sprained; Bruno Kniffier, 54 Central avenue, Cleveland, Ohio, left hand injured; M. Pellham, colored porter, Boston, Mass., internal injuries; James Ryan, member of Chicago ball team, cut about head and face and left leg badly mashed; H. G. Stevens, colored porter, Buffalo, N. Y., head cut; A. H. West, 562 Kenwood place, Chicago, cut about head and body.

TOKE MORE HEALTHY.

Gold Imports Are Helping to Disperse Monetary Clouds.

R. G. Dun & Co's Weekly Review of Trade says:

Demoralization in the speculative markets has been followed by a more healthy tone, and heavy imports of gold inspire hope that the monetary troubles may abate. The week has been one of surprises. Enormous liquidation in wheat brought the lowest prices ever known. The crash of the pork market nearly \$10 from the nominal price of that product in an hour and caused several failures for millions each. Extraordinary depression in stocks, and a slaughter which included some of the best, were quickly followed by a bear panic and sensational advances. Meanwhile in the money markets there has come a singular sense of relief, notwithstanding an actual increase in present embarrassments, almost amounting to a paralysis of exchange between the chief commercial cities, and of many industrial failures to secure what is needed for the payment of wages. Hopes are nevertheless fixed on the ships bringing over \$11,000,000 gold across the sea, and on the extra session of Congress.

Prisoners Fail to Break Jail.

A desperate attempt was made Thursday afternoon by seven prisoners to break the Clark County, Ind., jail. They were only prevented from accomplishing their design by the timely arrival of Mollie Donovan, sister of the sheriff. When the sheriff entered the jail he found several saws, many bunches of keys and bars and other instruments that they have been using for the purpose. Several of the iron bars of the cells had been completely severed and only thirty minutes more time would have been required for them to gain their liberty.

Whitecaps Routed, with Four Killed.

Four months ago Samuel and William Conrad, young farmers of Boone Township, Harrison County, Ind., were arrested for murder, they being supposed to have killed their father to get possession of his property. On trial they were discharged. Many of their neighbors believed them guilty, however, and Sunday morning a mob of 100 or more made an attack upon the Conrads' home, intending to lynch the brothers. The latter were ready for an attack, and in a battle four of the mob were killed. The brothers escaped.

Riot Caused by Invading a Jail.

At Alexander, W. Va., Stephen Welch and wife were arrested for moonshining. The man escaped. Mrs. Welch was put in jail and about ten o'clock at night a crowd of her friends broke into the jail and let her out. A riot occurred when the officers attempted to prevent the mob from taking her, and about twenty shots were fired on both sides. One of the rioters, named Hickman, was shot through the hand and two others were wounded, but were taken away by their friends. More trouble is feared.

Ousted from Midway.

War has at last been won on the disreputable dives in Midway Place, at the World's Fair, masquerading under the names of "dancing theaters." Director General Davis sent word to Director of Works Burnham to immediately put a stop to the alleged dancing in the Persian palace. Mr. Burnham was also directed to take from the women their passes to the Fair, and to see to it that they were employed by no concessionaire in the street.

Carr Caught After a Long Chase.

Hinton A. Carr, the defaulting president of the Tusculum, Alabama, Banking Company, who has been captured in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, after a two months' chase, was shadowed by detectives through many cities before they finally captured them. Carr is thought to have taken the funds of the bank with him. He is short \$30,000 to his depositors. Governor Jones has sent requisition papers for Carr's return.

Three Thousand Idle Men.

At Johnston, Pa., most of the Cambria Iron Company's mills have shut down and 3,000 men are idle. It cannot be definitely stated when work will be resumed, but an official says that it will be done just as soon as enough orders accumulate to justify starting the works.

Flames in a Lumber Camp.

The lumber camp of Keshequa, Pa., on the Erie Railroad, burned. Kane's big sawmill and boarding-house, with several tenement houses, have been destroyed. The loss will be \$100,000, which is covered by insurance.

Turned Out \$4,000,000.

The amount of gold, which the mines of California have turned out during the last sixty days of business depression is close upon \$4,000,000.

SOLDIERS' HOME SUED.

Veterans Want Big Damages for Being Dishonorably Discharged.

At Leavenworth, Kan., Francis Xavier Cummerie, an 80-year-old veteran, has brought suit against the Soldiers' Home for \$886,225 damages. Cummerie was dishonorably discharged from the Home last October, he alleges, without cause. Cummerie is his own attorney, and his petition covers fifty-eight closely written pages. For alleged imposition, fraud, extortion, insolence, arrogance, robbery, oppression, expulsion, libel and slander Cummerie wants \$10,430 damages. For "defacement of personal property" he asks \$300,000, and for attack for the purpose of abducting \$66,794.33, making a total of \$386,225.33. The defacement of personal property was injury done to the manuscript of three books on the subject of natural philosophy, which he was writing. Cummerie went security for costs and the clerk of the court entered the suit. Lawyers say the paper is drawn up in proper form.

BEATEN BY ROBBERS.

Horrible Treatment of an Aged Couple by Burglars Near Somerset, Pa.

Near Somerset, Pa., three masked men entered the residence of Abraham Beam, a retired farmer, 97 years old, and finding Mr. and Mrs. Beam alone demanded their money. Mrs. Beam handed them a pocketbook containing less than a dollar. The robbers turned ferociously upon the old couple and beat them in a horrible manner. A piece of firewood was forced down Mrs. Beam's throat in an effort to extort from him the hiding place of his supposed wealth. The old gentleman lost consciousness and the robbers, thinking they had killed him, knocked Mrs. Beam senseless with a club and fled. Mrs. Beam finally recovered and rang the dinner-bell to arouse the neighbors. No trace of the robbers has been found.

Holes Asks for Rest.

Gov. Holes, of Iowa, has made public his desire to not run a third time for Governor, and while not declining to become a candidate for the Senatorship in the regular way, he states his opposition to the plan of nominating by popular vote, and refuses to allow his name to be used in that manner. He favors the election of Senators by popular vote; but so long as there is no provision for it, he thinks a nomination effected by this method would intrude national issues at a time when State issues were paramount.

Removed a Rail.

An attempt was made to wreck the south-bound passenger train on the Wabash Railroad near Moberly, Mo. Shortly after midnight the son of the station agent overheard two men talking about the expected wreck. He summoned help, and an examination of the track showed that a rail had been removed near a bridge. The train was flagged and the track repaired.

Father Mollinger's Estate.

The account of Gregor Meyer, administrator of the late Father Mollinger, was filed in the Register's office at Pittsburg. The account shows that the total value of the estate was \$84,193.71. The amount expended to pay debts, costs and other matters was \$19,663.40. This leaves a balance of \$64,530.31 to be distributed.

Suicide on the Board.

Nelson Van Kirk, the well-known trader on the Chicago Board of Trade, shot and killed himself in his office, room 411, in the Halto Building. He found that his trades would have to be closed out and went to his office, shut himself in and took his own life.

Chicago Man Dies in the Water.

Thomas Galeford, of Chicago, while bathing in the Mississippi at Muscatine, Iowa, accidentally went into a hole, and was drowned before he could be reached. The body was found. He leaves a wife and several children in Chicago.

Loss Over \$1,500,000.

The fire which has burned for a week in Burlington County, New Jersey, along the Mullica River, has exhausted itself. A careful estimate places the damages to buildings at \$150,000; to timber, \$1,300,000; and to the crop of cranberries, \$75,000.

New Crop Tea Arrives.

The British steamer Glenagie, with 6,000 tons of the new crop of tea, arrived in New York from Yokohama and Amoy. The cargo was worth about \$1,500,000 when she left Amoy. It is worth much more now.

Nancy Hanks' Fast Mile.

At Buffalo, N. Y., "Budd" Dobie drove Nancy Hanks, the famous trotter, a mile in 2:12, her best time this year.

General W. P. Innes Dead.

General William P. Innes, widely known in Masonic and Grand Army circles, died at Grand Rapids, aged 67.

Private Bank Closed.

Lazarus Silverman, a private banker doing business at 95 Dearborn street, Chicago, has closed his doors.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

CHICAGO.

CATTLE—Common to Prime	3.25	3.50
HOGS—Shipping Grades	3.00	3.50
SHEEP—Fair to Choice	3.00	4.00
WHEAT—No. 2 Spring	58	59
CORN—No. 2	28	29
OATS—No. 2	22	23
RYE—No. 2	42	44
BUTTER—Choice Creamery	19 1/2	20 1/2
EGGS—Fresh	13	14
POTATOES—New, per bushel	1.50	2.25

ST. LOUIS.

CATTLE—Common to Prime	3.00	3.50
HOGS—Choice Light	3.00	3.50
SHEEP—Common to Prime	3.00	3.50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	58	59
CORN—No. 2	28	29
OATS—No. 2 White	22	23
RYE—No. 2	42	44

CINCINNATI.

CATTLE—Common to Prime	3.00	3.50
HOGS—Choice Light	3.00	3.50
SHEEP—Common to Prime	3.00	3.50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	58	59
CORN—No. 2	28	29
OATS—No. 2 White	22	23
RYE—No. 2	42	44

DETROIT.

CATTLE—Common to Prime	3.00	3.50
HOGS—Choice Light	3.00	3.50
SHEEP—Common to Prime	3.00	3.50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	58	59
CORN—No. 2	28	29
OATS—No. 2 White	22	23
RYE—No. 2	42	44

MILWAUKEE.

CATTLE—Common to Prime	3.00	3.50
HOGS—Choice Light	3.00	3.50
SHEEP—Common to Prime	3.00	3.50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	58	59
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NEW YORK.

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HAVE NO SEED WHEAT THE EXTRA SESSION!

WILL BORROW FROM THEIR NEIGHBORS.

Great Scheme for Getting Big Money Out of Cheap Wheat—Fatal Torrent of Water in a Maine Town—Voracious Grasshoppers.

Dilemma of Kansas Farmers.

A delegation of citizens representing eight of the western counties of Kansas met with the Executive Council in special session at Topeka, for a conference in regard to the procuring of seed wheat which will be used this fall. The delegation was confident that there will not be many removals from that section if seed can be procured for the fall sowing, and that in all probability it will tide these people over the present hard times so that with a crop next year they will be in good shape again. Just how to obtain this wheat the Council has not yet decided, but it will probably be collected from the farmers of Eastern Kansas, and will be considered as a loan and paid back next year. The farmers of the western part of the State do not want this as a gift, and will accept it only on the condition that they pay it back again in wheat or money. Immediate steps will be taken by the Executive Council to furnish the seed asked for by these gentlemen.

WHEAT FOR HOGS.

If Fed to Hogs Wheat Will Bring a Dollar Per Bushel.

A. J. Allen, of the firm of Fairbank, Allen & Co., live stock commission merchants, of South St. Paul, Minn., owner of a farm in South Dakota. In discussing hard times, low prices of wheat, etc., he advocated a Detroit, Minn., Record man that farmers feed their wheat to hogs; if they have much wheat give it a hard fanning and keep the best for market—it will be raised to No. 1 hard by the process—and use the rest for feed. He stated that good results can be obtained by soaking the grain twenty-four hours before feeding—not long enough to make it sour, however, for then the sugar of it turns into alcohol. Putting his experience into figures, it would seem that wheat is worth \$1.01 per bushel to feed when hogs are worth 4 1/2 cents per pound.

RESERVOIR GIVES WAY.

Five Persons Crushed Beneath Tons of Water at Portland, Me.

Five lives were lost through the breaking of the large reservoir in the east promenade of Portland, Me. The reservoir contained 20,000,000 gallons of water, and was situated on high land which sloped rapidly down to the bay. Immediately beneath were the houses of Michael Lappen and Dennis M. Conley. Both were swept away. Those killed were Mrs. Conley and baby daughter, Agnes and Minnie Conley, and James Moseley. The loss will be \$75,000.

Bold Robbers Secure a Big Sum.

Three masked men walked into Bowman's general store at Farmington, N. M., Saturday night and ordered every one in the store, among them Representative Bowman, to throw up their hands. They went through the safe, secured \$1,200 in money and diamonds and jewelry to the value of \$700. The men then backed out of the store, mounted their horses and rode away in the direction of the Navajo reservation. A posse is in pursuit.

Shot a Horse Thief.

Deputy United States Marshal William Ellis with a posse started from Harshorne, T. T., in pursuit of a gang of horse thieves who have infested that vicinity for some time. He captured Mart Harper, and detailed one of his force to guard him while he continued his pursuit of the balance of the gang. Harper attempted to escape, and was shot through the groin by the guard. The wound is not mortal. Harper was taken to the Fort Smith Jail.

Personal Mention.

John Nies of Saugatuck was in the city, Thursday.

Dr. H. Kremers took in the county seat Wednesday.

J. B. Mulder and wife left for Petoskey, Friday morning.

Miss Minnie Bloemendaal visited the Worlds Fair this week.

Dr. H. J. Poppen of Forest Grove, was in the city, Tuesday.

Miss Dina Van der Berg left for Chicago, Tuesday evening.

Jacob Helder of Kalamazoo is visiting his parents in this city.

John E. Benjamin was in the Valley city on business, Wednesday.

B. L. Scott and two daughters took in the Worlds Fair this week.

E. O. Nye of Kankakee, made his family a brief visit this week.

O. B. Wilms has returned from a visit with friends in Coopersville.

Miss O. Anderson of Morley, Mich., is the guest of Miss Mary Karsen.

L. T. Kanter took the stmr. Saugatuck for Chicago, Monday evening.

G. Laepple attended the funeral of Gen. Innis at Grand Rapids, Sunday.

Theol. student G. H. Dubbink of Overisel is taking in the Worlds Fair.

Sheriff Keppel and wife visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Van Putten over Sunday.

I. Marsilje and daughter took the steamer for the White City, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. G. Dalman and daughter Mrs. H. Beckman are visiting relatives in Vriesland.

Prof. D. B. Yntema was here from St. Johns this week, trying to secure a residence.

R. Van der Werp and family of Grand Rapids, are rusticating at Macatawa Park.

Klaas Poppen of Roseland, Ill., is spending his vacation with friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. J. C. Post and children have recovered from their severe attack of scarlet fever.

J. Hogenstein and family of Grand Haven visited their friends in Holland, Tuesday.

Theol. student J. Luxen returned from his summer labors at Lafayette, Ind., Saturday.

Prof. Latta of Allegan was the guest of his daughter Mrs. W. C. Walsh, Sunday.

Miss Kate De Vries attended the funeral of Mrs. Clara M. Gee at Grand Rapids, Monday.

L. Mulder, wife and daughters Anna and Lena, are on a ten days' visit at the Worlds Fair.

W. K. Johnston, architect, was in the city Saturday, looking over the new college library.

Mrs. and Mrs. James Cook of Morley Mich., are on a week's visit with relatives in this city.

Rev. H. Utterwick and family are in Grand Rapids, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. S. Verdier.

Miss Hattie Zwemer of Spring Lake will teach in one of the schools of Fillmore, the coming year.

Henry Kiekintveld and his brother James, of Grand Rapids, took in the Worlds Fair this week.

Capt. A. E. Anderson of this city is employed at Robertson & Duncan's shipyard, Grand Haven.

The Misses Van Goor spent Thursday in Zeeland, the guests of their cousin Mrs. H. De Kruff.

P. L. Cloetlingh of Muskegon has secured a position as tinsmith with John Strabbing, Hamilton.

Frank E. Doesburg is home on a visit, from Yorkville, Mich. He is a full-fledged telegraph operator now.

Mrs. J. Pauels has returned from a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. John Cook at Grand Haven.

Dr. D. Meengs of Muskegon will in a few days remove to Grand Rapids, and practice his profession there.

Prof. J. H. Gillespie returned Tuesday from Rockford Ill., where he had been attending a summer school.

Attorneys Post, McBride, Diekema and Visscher attended the opening session of the circuit court, Monday.

J. J. Rutgers, of the firm Lokker & Rutgers, was a passenger for Chicago on the stmr. Saugatuck, Monday evening.

Otto Schaap returned to his home, Thule, S. D., Tuesday. Mrs. S. will follow him in the course of a few weeks.

Tony Pauels and wife of Grand Rapids, after having visited the Worlds Fair, spent Thursday with their parents in this city.

Supt. C. M. McLean has been spending the last week at Caro, Tuscola county, as instructor in the state teacher's institute.

Miss Susie Cappon and her brother Abe have returned from a week's visit with their sister Mrs. Rev. P. De Bruyn, at Grand Haven.

Mrs. Dr. M. Veenboer and children of Grand Rapids are spending the summer at the homestead of her father, Dr. M. Chamberlain, Jamestown.

Messrs. Holmes & Cronin of the W. M. Independent were happy in meeting many of their old friends during a visit to this city in the early part of the week.

Mrs. G. Wakker is at Maurice, Jr. She left here on Wednesday of last week and reached there one day before the death of her nephew, Rev. P. Wayenberg.

Mrs. Geo. P. Hummer will accompany her sister Mrs. Dr. E. C. Oggel to Grand Haven, Saturday, when she will be the guest of her cousin, Mrs. John Cook.

Dr. J. Mastenbroek of Muskegon was in the city Thursday, making a professional call upon his patient Wm. Swift. The doctor is about to move from Muskegon to Ludington.

Rev. Dr. E. C. Oggel was at Muskegon Sunday, where he supplied the pulpit of the First Ref. church. While there he was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Jno. Van der Laan. He will leave for Grand Haven Saturday, accompanied by Mrs. O., and preach in the First Ref. church, of which he was at one time the pastor. In Grand Haven they will be the guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. Van der Veen. In the course of next week they expect to leave for Pella and Orange City, Ia. On their return they will take in the Worlds Fair, and expect to be back in this city in October.

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TALMAGE'S SERMON.

THE PSALMIST RECALLS THE DAYS OF HIS YOUTH.

Dr. Talmage Preaches on the Benefits of Solitary Contemplation—The Hand of Providence in the Vicissitudes of Life—Preparation for the Hereafter.

Musing by the Fire.

Rev. Dr. Talmage chose as the topic for last Sunday's sermon a panorama of reminiscences appropriate to the season, the text selected being Psalm xxxix, 3, "While I was musing the fire burned."

Here is David, the psalmist, with the forefinger of his right hand against his temple, the door shut against the world, engaged in contemplation. And it would be well for us to take the same posture often, closing the door against the world while we sit down in sweet solitude to contemplate.

In a small island off the coast I once passed a Sabbath in delightful solitude, for I had resolved that I would have one day of entire quiet before I entered upon autumnal work. I thought to have spent the day in laying out plans for Christian work, but instead of that it became a day of tender reminiscence. I reviewed my pastorate. I shook hands with an old departed friend, whom I shall greet again when the curtains of life are lifted. The days of my boyhood came back, and I was 10 years of age, and I was 8, and I was 5. There was but one house on the island, and yet from Sabbath daybreak, when the bird chant woke me, until the evening melted into the bay, from shore to shore there were 10,000 memories, and the groves were a hum with voices that had long ago ceased.

Youth and Age.

Youth is apt too much to spend all its time in looking forward. Old age is apt too much to spend all its time in looking backward. People in middle life and on the apex look both ways. It would be well for us, I think, however, to spend more time in reminiscence.

By the constitution of our nature we spend most of the time looking forward. And the vast majority of people live not so much in the present as in the future. I find that you mean to make a reputation. You mean to establish, yourself, and the advantages that you expect to achieve absorb a great deal of your time. But I see no harm in this if it does not make you discontented with the present or disqualify you for existing duties.

It is a useful thing sometimes to look back and see the dangers we have escaped, and to see the sorrows we have suffered, and the trials and wanderings of our earthly pilgrimage, and to sum up our enjoyments. I mean to-day, so far as God may help me, to stir up your memory of the past, so that in the review you may be encouraged and humbled and urged to pray.

I want to bind in one sheaf all your past advantages, and I want to bind in another sheaf all your past adversities. It is a precious harvest, and I must be cautious how I swing the scythe.

Among the greatest advantages of your past life was an early home and its surroundings. The bad men of the day, for the most part, dip their heated passions out of the boiling spring of an unhappy home. We are not surprised that Byron's heart was a concentration of sin when we hear that his mother was abandoned and that she made sport of his infirmity and often called him "the lame brat." He who has vicious parents has to fight every inch of his way if he would maintain his integrity and at last reach the home of the good in Heaven.

Perhaps your early home was in the city. It may have been in the days when Canal Street, New York, was far up town. That old house in the city may have been demolished or changed into stores, and it seemed like sacrilege to you, for there was more meaning in that plain house, in that small house, than there is in a granite mansion or a turreted cathedral. Looking back this morning, you see it as though it were yesterday—the sitting room, where the loved ones sat by the plain lamp, the mother at the evening stand, the brothers and sisters, perhaps long ago gathered into the skies, then plotting mischief on the floor or under the table; your father with a firm voice commanding silence, that lasted half a minute.

Happy Childhood Days.

Oh, those were good days! If you had your foot hurt, your mother always had a soothing salve to heal it. If you were wronged in the street, your father was always ready to protect you. The year was one round of frolic and mirth. Your greatest trouble was an April shower, more sunshine than shower. The heart had not been ransacked by troubles, nor had sickness broken it, and no lamb had a warmer sheepfold than the home in which your childhood nestled.

Perhaps you were brought up in the country. You stand now to-day in memory under the old tree. You clucked it for fruit that was not quite ripe because you could not wait any longer. You hear the brook rumbling along over the pebbles. You step again into the furrow where your father in his shirt sleeves shouted to the lazy oxen. You frighten the swallows from the rafters of the barn and take just one egg and silence your conscience by saying they will not miss it. You take a drink again out of the very bucket that the old well fetched up. You go for the cows at night and find them wagging their heads through the bars. Oftentimes in the dusty and busy streets you wish you were home again on that cool grass or in the hall of the farmhouse, through which there was the breath of new mown hay or the blossom of buckwheat.

You may have in your windows now beautiful plants and flowers brought from across the seas, but not one of them stirs in your soul so much charm and memory as the old ivy and the yellow sunflower that stood sentinel along the garden walk and the forget-me-nots playing hide and seek under the long grass. The father, who used to come in unburned from the fields and sit down on the doormat and wipe the sweat from his brow, may have gone to his everlasting rest. The mother, who used to sit at the door a little bent over, cap and spectacles on, her face mellowing with the vicissitudes of many years, may have put down her gray head on the pillow in the valley, but forget that home you never will.

Have you thanked God for it? Have you rehearsed all these blessed reminiscences? Oh, thank God for a Chris-

tian father. Thank God for a Christian mother. Thank God for an early Christian altar at which you were taught to kneel. Thank God for an early Christian home.

I bring to mind another passage in the history of your life. The day came when you set up your own household. The days passed along in quiet blessedness. You twain sat at the table morning and night and talked over your plans for the future. The most insignificant affair in your life became the subject of mutual consultation and advisement. You were so happy you felt you never could be any happier.

Out of the Cloud.

One day a dark cloud hovered over your dwelling, and it got darker and darker. But out of that cloud the shining messenger of God descended to incarnate an immortal spirit. Two little feet started on an eternal journey, and you were to lead them. A gem to flash in Heaven's coronet, and you to polish it. Eternal ages of light and darkness watching the starting out of a newly created being.

You rejoiced and you trembled at the responsibility that in your possession an immortal treasure was placed. You prayed and rejoiced, and wept and wondered, and prayed and rejoiced, and wept and wondered. You were earnest in supplication that you might lead it through life into the kingdom of God. There was a tremor in your earnestness. There was a double interest about that home. There was an additional interest why you stay there and be faithful, and when in a few months your house was filled with the music of the child's laughter you were struck through with the fact that you had a stupendous mission.

Have you kept that vow? Have you neglected any of these duties? Is your home as much to you as it used to be? Have those anticipations been gratified? God help you to-day in your solemn reminiscence and let his mercy fall upon your soul if your kindness has been ill requited! God have mercy on the parent on the wrinkles of whose face is written the story of a child's sin! God have mercy on the mother who in addition to her other pangs has the pang of a child's iniquity! Oh, there are many, many sad sounds in this sad world, but the saddest sound that is ever heard is the breaking of a mother's heart! Are there any here who remember that in that home they were unfaithful? Are there those who wandered off from that early home and left the mother to die with a broken heart? Oh, I stir that reminiscence to-day!

I find another point in your life history. You found one day that you were in the wrong road; you could not sleep at night. There was just one word that seemed to sob through your banking house, or through your office, or your shop, or your bedroom, and that word was "eternity." You said: "I am not ready for it. O God, have mercy!" The Lord heard. Peace came to your heart. You remember how your hand trembled as you took the cup of the holy communion. You remember the old minister who consecrated it, and you remember the church officials who carried it through the aisle. You remember the old people who at the close of the service took your hand in theirs in congratulatory sympathy, as much as to say, "Welcome home, you lost prodigal," and though those hands have all withered away that communion Sabbath is resurrected to-day. It is resurrected with all its prayers and songs and tears and sermons and transfiguration. Have you kept those vows? Have you been a backslider? God help you! This day kneel at the foot of mercy and start again for Heaven. Start to-day as you started then. I rouse your soul by that reminiscence.

But I must not spend any more of my time in going over the advantages of your life. I just put them all in one great sheaf, and I bind them up in your memory with one loud harvest song, such as reapers sing. Praise the Lord, ye blood bought mortals on earth! Praise the Lord, ye crowned spirits of Heaven!

Tribulations.

But some of you have not always had a smooth life. Some of you are now in the shadow. Others had their troubles years ago; you are a mere wreck of what you once were. I must gather up the sorrows of your past life, but how shall I do it? You say that is impossible, as you have had so many troubles and adversities. Then I will just take two, the first trouble and the last trouble.

As when you are walking along the street and there has been music in the distance you unconsciously find yourself keeping step to the music, so when you started life your very life was a musical timebeat. The air was full of joy and hilarity. With the bright, clear air, you made the boat skip. You went on, and life grew brighter, until after awhile suddenly a voice from Heaven said, "Halt!" And you halted. You grew pale. You confronted your first sorrow. You had no idea that the flush on your child's cheek was an unhealthy flush. You said it cannot be anything serious. Death in slippers feet walked round about the cradle. You did not hear the tread, but after awhile the truth flashed on you. You walked the floor. Oh, if you could with your strong, stout hand, have wrenched the child from the destroyer.

You went to your room, and you said: "God, save my child! God, save my child!" The world seemed going out in darkness. You said, "I cannot bear it. I cannot bear it!" You felt as if you could not put the lashes over the bright eyes never to see them again sparkle. Oh, if you could have taken that little one in your arms, and with it leaped into the grave, how gladly you would have done it! Oh, if you could let your property go, your houses, your land, and your storehouse go, how gladly you would have allowed them to depart if you could only have kept that one treasure!

But one day there arose from the Heavens a chill blast that swept over the bed-room, and instantly all the light went out, and there was darkness—thick, murky, impenetrable, shuddering darkness. But God did not leave you there. Mercy spoke. As you were about to put that cup to your lips God said, "Let it pass," and forthwith, as by the hand of angels, another cup was put into your hands. It was the cup of God's consolation. And as you have sometimes lifted the head of a wounded soldier and poured wine into his lips, so God puts his left arm under your head, and with His right hand He pours into your lips the wine of His comfort and His consolation, and you

looked at the empty cradle and looked at your broken heart, and you looked at the Lord's chastisement, and you said, "Even so, Father, for so it seemeth good in thy sight."

Oh, it is your first trouble. How did you get over it? God comforted you. You have been a better man ever since. You have been a better woman ever since. In the jar of the closing gate of the sepulcher you heard the clanging of the opening gate of Heaven, and you felt the irresistible drawing heavenward. You have been purer and holier of heart ever since that night when the little one for the last time put his arms around your neck and said: "Good night, papa. Good night, mamma. Meet me in Heaven."

But I must come on down to your later sorrow. What was it? Perhaps it was sickness. The child's tread on the stair or the tick of the watch on the stand disturbs you. Through the long, weary days you counted the figures on the carpet or the flowers in the wall paper. Oh, the weariness and exhaustion! Oh, the burning pang! Would God it were morning, would God it were night, were your frequent cry. But you are better—perhaps even well. Have you thanked God that to-day you can come out in the fresh air; that you are in this place to hear God's name, and to sing God's praise, and to implore God's help, and to ask God's forgiveness? Bless the Lord who healeth all our diseases and redeemeth our lives from destruction.

Perhaps your last sorrow was a financial embarrassment. I congratulate some of you on your lucrative profession or occupation, on ornate apparel, on a commodious residence—everything you put your hand to seems to turn to gold. But there are those of you who are like the ship on which Paul sailed where two seas met, and you are broken by the violence of the waves. By an unadvised indorsement, or by a conjunction of unforeseen events, or by fire or storm, or a senseless panic, you have been flung headlong, and where you once dispensed great charities, now you have hard work to make the two ends meet.

Thank God for Prosperity.

Have you forgotten to thank God for your days of prosperity and that through your trials some of you have made investments which will continue after the last bank of this world has exploded and the silver and gold are molten in fires of a burning world? Have you, amid all your losses and discouragements, forgot that there was bread on your table this morning and that there shall be a shelter for your head from the storm, and there is air for your lungs and blood for your heart and light for your eye and a glad and glorious and triumphant religion in your soul?

Some years ago I was sailing down the St. John River, which is the Rhine and the Hudson commingled in one scene of beauty and grandeur, and while I was on the deck of the steamer a gentleman pointed out to me the places of interest, and he said, "All this is interval land, and it is the richest land in all the provinces of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia."

"What," said I, "do you mean by interval land?" "Well," he said, "this land is submerged for a part of the year. Spring freshets come down, and all these plains are overflowed with the water, and the water leaves a rich deposit, and when the waters are gone the harvest springs up, and there is the grandest harvest that was ever reaped." And I instantly thought, "It is not the heights of the church and it is not the heights of this world that are the scenes of the greatest prosperity, but the soul over which the floods of sorrow have gone, the soul over which the freshets of tribulation have torn their way, that yields the greatest fruits of righteousness, and the largest harvest for time, and the richest harvest for eternity." Bless God that your soul is interval land.

The Last Hour.

But these reminiscences reach only to this morning. There is one more point of tremendous reminiscence, and that is the last hour of life, when we have to look over all our existence. What a moment that will be! I place Napoleon's dying reminiscence on St. Helena beside Mrs. Judson's dying reminiscence in the harbor of St. Helena—the same island—twenty years after. Napoleon's dying reminiscence was one of delirium as he exclaimed, "Head of the army!" Mrs. Judson's dying reminiscence, as she came home from her missionary toil and her life of self sacrifice for God, dying in the cabin of the ship in the harbor of St. Helena, was, "I always did love the Lord Jesus Christ." And then, the historian says, she fell into a sound sleep for an hour and woke amid the songs of angels.

I place the dying reminiscence of Augustus Caesar against the dying reminiscence of the Apostle Paul. The dying reminiscence of Augustus Caesar was, addressing his attendants, "Have I played my part well on the stage of life?" and they answered in the affirmative, and he said, "Why, then, don't you applaud me?" The dying reminiscence of Paul the Apostle was: "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give me in that day, and not to me only, but to all them that love His appearing."

Augustus Caesar died amid pomp and great surroundings. Paul uttered his dying reminiscence looking up through the roof of a dungeon. God grant that our dying pillow may be the closing of a useful life and the opening of a glorious eternity.

Two French scientists say that a current of electricity does not always kill when it appears to do so. It simply produces an appearance of death, from which the subject may be restored by artificial respiration. In commenting on this statement, the Worcester Gazette suggests that this may be the case with the criminals who are executed by electricity in this State, and that they are really killed, not by electricity, but by the doctors who afterward make an autopsy on them. It seems that rabbits have been revived after receiving a shock of 2,500 volts and twenty amperes, a shock more powerful than is given in the execution of murderers.—New York Tribune.

An itching for notoriety is not enough to secure a niche in the temple of Fame.

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SILVER MEN FROM FORTY-TWO STATES MEET.

They Declare for the Restoration of the White Metal to Its Place as Part of the Money of the Nation—Eight Hundred and Ten Delegates in Attendance.

Demands Made by the West.

Chicago Special: The attendance at the National Silver Convention which met in Chicago was larger than that of any previous assembly of like character in the history of financial agitation. The army of delegates assembled overcrowded the First Methodist Church auditorium an hour before the meeting was called to order, and it was early apparent that a larger hall would have to be sought for future sessions.

Eight hundred and ten delegates from forty-two States and Territories, representing all political parties and every shade of political belief, rallied to discuss silver. It was an enthusiastic body of men. They had met for a single purpose, and they kept that purpose steadily in mind. A grave crisis, as they viewed it, had called them together.

When Chairman Warner of the Bimetallic League called the convention to order, scores of delegates were obliged to stand in the aisles, but all took the inconvenience good naturedly,

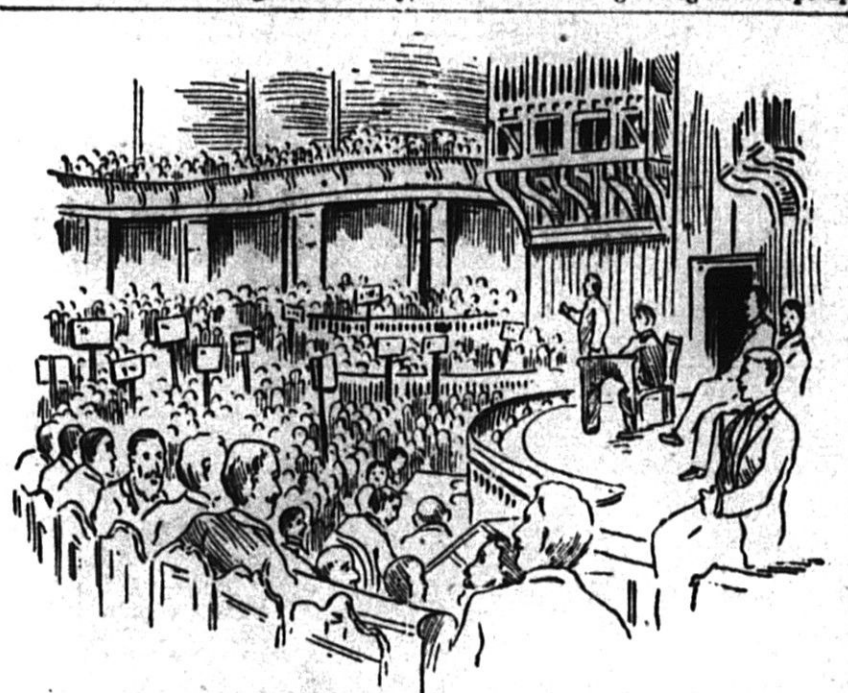
select a larger hall in which to hold the sessions of the convention. The convention then adjourned until 2:30 p. m.

The afternoon session was held at Central Music Hall. The various State delegations filled the entire lower floor. Colorado, with its big delegation, took



GENERAL WARNER.

up a position in front and to the left of the stage. Immediately back of Colorado sat the Nebraska men, and behind them a goodly number from California. Iowa and New Mexico sat side by side to the right in front. Back of them Illinois' big delegation kept up



THE CONVENTION IN SESSION AT CENTRAL MUSIC HALL.

as the convention was so largely attended. After a few opening words, Chairman Warner introduced Mayor Harrison of Chicago, who welcomed the delegates to the city. Among other things he said:

In almost prehistoric times we know that gold and silver were the money metals of the world. Gold is found in pockets. It is the fruit of chance, but silver is worked out of the rocks by hard, methodical, inevitable labor. They find that those who believe in bimetalism are crazy. If the act of 1873 could be blotted from the annals of American political action, I believe that silver would be worth 125 cents on ounce. Be wise in your deliberations, and tell Grover Cleveland what the people of the United States want. I welcome you all.

Thomas M. Patterson, in responding to Mayor Harrison's address, said:

I know that the Mayor of Chicago is heart and soul in the cause. Chicago is not a "gold bug" city. Those who so assert know only the opinions of the bankers of this city. The bimetalists are the conservative element of the country. They call us lunatics; crazy lunatics. Do we ask for anything new? All we ask for is that the law of 1873, the law framed by Alexander Hamilton, the law approved by George Washington, shall be restored to the statute books without blotting out a letter or the omission of a line. When the Chicago Clearing House Association bankers meet, let them recall that it is not the tariff measure that adds to the circulating medium of the country, but that it is their policy that has struck down silver and has caused those who have lost part of their money to fear for the remainder and to withdraw it from circulation.

Gen. Warner Makes His Address.

Gen. Warner called Judge Miller, of Illinois, to the chair while he delivered his address as President of the Bi-



CHAIRMAN A. W. WARNER.

metallist League. The address was an exhaustive discussion of the causes of the present financial depression, tracing them directly to the demonetization of silver in 1873, which he characterized as a crime. By it the money of the world had been decreased one-half, thereby reducing the value of everything but the evidences of debt. These it had enhanced. During the course of his remarks he said:

How the United States could ever have been ensnared into such a plot as that of 1873 I cannot understand. My only explanation of it is that they were taken unawares. Nobody at that time knew that the Sherman act demonetized silver. The President did not know, the Senate did not know, the presiding officer did not know it—there was only one man who knew it, and he has not been hanged or indicted for treason. If ever a scoundrel stalked abroad it is the perpetrator of that measure. That act will be known in history as the "crime of 1873." Let the names of those who are connected with it not be in oblivion. The compromise we offer is to put us back under the laws that obtained prior to 1873.

At the close of Gen. Warner's speech the delegates jumped up in their seats and gave three wild hurrahs for him.

A committee on credentials was then appointed, consisting of one member from each State. On motion of ex-Congressman Symes, of Colorado, the Chairman was authorized to appoint a committee of five on permanent organization. As this committee, the Chairman named Symes of Colorado, Reagan of Texas, Washburn of Massachusetts, and Fullinwider of Illinois. A committee consisting of one delegate from each State was authorized to be appointed on rules and order of business, this appointment to be made by the various State and Territorial delegations. The Committee on Permanent Organization was also authorized to

NEWS OF OUR STATE.

ITEMS OF INTEREST TO MICHIGANDERS.

Supplies Needed for the State Institutions—Satisfactory Crop Yields—Voracious Grasshoppers—Roscommon's Invincible Ball Team—Celery Has an Insect Enemy.

From Far and Near.

THE Ogemaw County Agricultural Society will hold their annual fair Oct. 10, 11 and 12.

THE city of Port Huron was incorporated in 1857, and the Herald claims for it a population of 20,000.

DURING the coming fall and winter more lumbering will be done in Lucas County than for several years past.

DIPHTHERIA at Elkton is now confined to six families. Edward Klein died of the disease several days ago.

THE State Teachers' Institute for Midland County will be held at Midland, commencing Monday, Aug. 28, and lasting five days.

A NEW insect called the negro bug, which is an enemy of the celery plant, is creating great alarm in the southern part of the State.

ONE HUNDRED men are at work on the contract for grading a roadbed for extending the Midland branch ten miles west from Midland.

NORTHVILLE has a "Jack the Ripper." He, unlike the famous Jack of Whitechapel, slashes open only the cushions of buggies.

FOR three years Roscommon has had a base-ball team called the "Invincibles." They have played everything from Bay City to the Straits, and never lost a game.

SAND BEACH is not suffering with hard times. Seventeen new buildings have been erected there this season, and the school building has been enlarged \$1,500 worth.

AS WM. WISNER, of Au Gres, was going through a thick bush Daniel House mistook him for a bear and sent a bullet into him. Wisner is badly wounded, but may survive.

THE Kirby-Carpenter Company has about 60,000,000 feet of lumber piled up at Menominee. The poor condition of the market has not given the concern any chance for good sales.

THE crop report from Washington says Michigan corn and potatoes are above the average; oats a light crop; wheat harvested except in northern section, and yield better than expected.

A FEW months ago O. Hakes, of Wheatfield Township, Ingham County, moved his family to Tennessee. Last week he returned, and now declares that Michigan is good enough for him in the future.

CHEBOYGAN members of the M. N. G. are disgraced. They say they were disgraced with the way things were conducted at the encampment last year, and this year they will attend simply to keep the company from being disbanded.

MRS. MILLER and Mat Mesner were married at Allouez several days ago. The bride is 69 years of age and the groom 59. Their honeymoon was spoiled by the burning of the residence and all other buildings on the valuable property the bride owned.

J. E. ST. JOHN, who assumed the superintendency of the Industrial School for Boys at Lansing, says he will not make any changes for the present in the staff of employees, preferring to get acquainted with them first and see whether or not any changes are desirable.

THE committee appointed at the meeting of the boards of the various State Institutions reported that the following articles would be needed for the inmates: 5,700 suits of clothes, 8,200 pairs of shoes, 16,400 pairs of boots, 7,600 suits of underwear, 8,800 shirts, 4,500 brooms, 2,200 blankets, 2,000 pairs of slippers, 2,200 sheets, 2,300 pillow slips. Dr. Foster Pratt, of the insane asylum at Kalamazoo, said it was impracticable for the inmates of that institution to wear prison-made clothes. He said they were very sensitive, and reject anything which conveys the impression that they are prisoners.

THE faculty of Benzonia College as made up for next year will consist of ten members.

WARD JOHNSON, son of a farmer living four miles east of Holly, was drowned while bathing in Green Lake. The boy was 18 years of age.

It is said that Port Huron has no place where the boys can go in bathing or playing ball without being liable to complaint for violation of an ordinance. Great guns!

AT Lansing, the family of F. M. Mitchell were poisoned by eating canned tomatoes. Four of the family were soon out of danger, but Mrs. Mitchell and her little son were for some time in a precarious condition.

FRANK CHICKUM, a Pottawatomie Indian of Mt. Pleasant, was sentenced to the county jail for a term of thirty days for wife-beating. He confessed he was drunk when he administered the beating, and declared where he obtained the liquor, which resulted in the arrest of John Boyd.

MRS. M. L. MOORE, of Cassville, lost her watch last November, and had long since given up all hope of its recovery. The other day she found it in the pig pen, looking as bright as ever with the exception of the springs and balance wheel, and now it is said she is the happiest woman in Huron County.

The Supreme Court granted an order authorizing the State Treasurer to pay overdue death claims of the Imperial Life Insurance Company, of Detroit, which stopped business in November last, from its deposit in the State Treasury for security of policy-holders. The claim, after it has been fully proved, must be certified to by the commissioner of insurance.

TAWAS City longs for the extension of the Cincinnati, Saginaw and Mackinaw Railroad over the route surveyed some time ago from Bay City along the shore. The line would run through good farming lands and would open a market for a large amount of hardwood.

A 7-YEAR-OLD daughter of Mrs. Laura Wilson, of Midland, was badly burned at Freeland. She and two other children were building bonfires, and in some way her dress caught fire. She did not give an alarm immediately, and was so seriously burned that she is not expected to recover.

Nature Demands a Tonic.

We ought never to forget, even those of us who possess vigorous health, that we are wearing out—that the vital clock-work, so to speak, must eventually run down. This, of course, we cannot prevent, because it is in the ordinary course of nature, but we may retard the too rapid arrival of decay by the use of an invigorant which takes rank of every other—namely, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. This century has not witnessed a parallel in success to this famous medicine, which not only sustains health by promoting vigor but overcomes constipation, dyspepsia, chills, and fever, nervousness, rheumatism, and other disordered conditions of the system fostered by weakness and an impoverished condition of the blood. The feeble, persons convalescing after exhausting disease, and the aged, derive infinite benefit from the use of this helpful and efficient tonic.

Several Companions.

"Money is like women in one respect," said Mr. Darley, one day to his wife.

"That's so," replied she. "It's a good thing to have around the house."

"That wasn't the resemblance I had in mind," Mr. Darley went on.

"I suppose not."

"No; money is like women because money talks."

"Well, money has some well-known masculine characteristics, too," retorted Mrs. Darley. "It gets tight."

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MESSAGE TO CONGRESS

THE PRESIDENT CONSIDERS FINANCE ONLY.

He Favors the Immediate and Unconditional Repeal of the Sherman Law, and Holds It Principally Responsible for the Present Alarming Business Situation.

Text of the Document.

President Cleveland's message to the 44th Congress, assembled in extraordinary session, is comparatively brief. The message is special rather than general in its character, and is limited to the necessities of the financial situation. Mr. Cleveland insists upon the unconditional repeal of the Sherman law, and he attributes to it principally the ills with which the country is now threatened. The document in full reads as follows:

To the Congress of the United States:

The existence of an alarming and extraordinary business situation, involving the welfare and prosperity of all our people, has constrained me to call together in extra session the people's representatives in Congress, to the end that, through a wise and patriotic exercise of the legislative duty with which they are charged, present evils may be mitigated and dangers threatening the future may be averted.

Our unfortunate financial plight is not the result of untoward events nor of conditions

of dollars. Unless Government bonds are to be constantly issued and sold to replenish our exhausted gold, only to be again exhausted, it is apparent that the operation of the Silver Purchase law, now in force, leads in the direction of the entire substitution of silver for gold in the Government Treasury, and that this must be followed by the payment of all Government obligations in depreciated silver.

At this stage gold and silver must part company, and the Government must fall in line with the established policy to maintain the two metals on a parity with each other. Given over to the exclusive use of a currency of greatly depreciated value, the standard of the commercial world, we could no longer claim a place among the nations of the first class, nor could our Government claim a performance of its obligations, so far as such an obligation has been imposed upon it, to provide for the use of the people the best and safest money. If, as many of its friends claim, silver ought to occupy a larger place in our currency and the currency of the world through general international co-operation and agreement, it is obvious that the United States will not be in a position to gain a hearing in favor of such an arrangement so long as we are willing to continue our attempt to accomplish the result single-handed.

Resulted in a Lack of Confidence.

The knowledge in business circles among our own people that our Government cannot make its fiat equivalent to intrinsic value, nor keep interior money on a parity with superior money by its own independent efforts, has resulted in such a lack of confidence at home in the stability of currency values that capital refuses its aid to new enterprises while millions are actually withdrawn from the channels of trade and commerce to become idle and unproductive in the hands of timid owners. Foreign investors, equally alert, not only decline to purchase American securities, but make haste to sacrifice those which they already have. It does not meet the situation to say that the currency is grounded, and that there is no reason for lack of confidence in the purpose



related to our natural resources; nor is it traceable to any of the afflictions which frequently check national growth and prosperity. With plenteous crops, with abundant promise of remunerative production and manufacture, with unusual invitation to safe investment, and with satisfactory assurance to business enterprise, suddenly financial distrust and fear have sprung up on every side. Numerous moneyed institutions have suspended because abundant assets were not immediately available to meet the demands of frightened depositors; surviving corporations and individuals are too content to keep in hand the money they are usually anxious to loan, and those engaged in legitimate business are surprised to find that the securities they offer for loans, though heretofore satisfactory, are no longer accepted. Values supposed to be fixed are fast becoming conjectural, and loss and failure have invaded every branch of business.

The Silver Purchase Law.

I believe these things are principally chargeable to Congressional legislation touching the purchase and coinage of silver by the general government. This legislation is embodied in a statute passed on the 14th day of July, 1890, which was the culmination of much agitation on the subject involved, and which may be considered a truce, after the long struggle, between the advocates of free silver coinage and those intending to more conservative. Undoubtedly the monthly purchases by the Government of \$4,000,000 ounces of silver, forced under that statute, were regarded by those interested in silver production as a certain guaranty of its increase in price. The result, however, has been entirely different. For immediately following a spasmodic and slight rise the price of silver began to fall after the passage of the act, and has since reached the lowest point ever known. This disappointing result has led to renewed and persistent effort in the direction of free coinage.

Meanwhile, not only are the evil effects of the operation of the present law constantly accumulating, but the result to which its execution must inevitably lead is becoming a palpable one to all who give the least heed to financial subjects. This law provides that in payment for the \$4,000,000 ounces of silver bullion which the Secretary of the Treasury is commanded to purchase monthly there shall be issued Treasury notes redeemable on demand in gold or silver coin, at the discretion of the Secretary of the Treasury, and that no notes may be retained by him, however declared in his act to be "the established policy of the United States to maintain the two metals upon a parity with each other upon the present legal ratio or such ratio as may be provided by law." This declaration so controls the action of the Secretary of the Treasury as to prevent him exercising the discretion nominally vested in him. If by such action the parity between gold and silver may be disturbed, manifestly a refusal by the Secretary to pay these Treasury notes in gold, if demanded, would necessarily result in their discredit, and depreciation as obligations payable only in silver, and would destroy the parity between the two metals by establishing a discrimination in favor of gold.

Up to the 1st day of July, 1893, these notes had been issued in payment of silver bullion, purchased to the amount of more than \$147,000,000. While all but a very small quantity of this bullion remains uncollected and without acceptance in the Treasury, many of the notes given in its purchase have been paid in gold. This is illustrated by the statement that between the first day of May, 1891, and the fifteenth day of July, 1893, the notes of this kind issued in payment for silver bullion amounted to a little more than fifty-four millions of dollars, and that during the same period about forty-nine millions of dollars were paid by the Treasury in gold for the redemption of such notes.

Drain Upon the Gold Reserve.

The policy necessarily adopted of paying these notes in gold has not spared the gold reserve of \$100,000,000 long as set aside by the Government for the redemption of obligations for this fund has already been subjected to the payment of new obligations amounting to about \$120,000,000 on account of silver purchases, and has, as a consequence, for the first time since its creation, been encroached upon.

We have thus made the depletion of our gold easy, and have tempted other and more appreciative nations to add to their stock of gold. The opportunity we have offered has not been neglected, as shown by the large amounts of gold which have been recently drawn from our Treasury and exported to increase the financial strength of foreign nations. The expense of exports of gold over its imports for the year ending June 30, 1893, amounted to more than thirty-seven and a half millions of dollars. Between the first day of July, 1891, and the fifteenth day of July, 1893, the gold coin and bullion in our Treasury decreased more than one hundred and thirty-two millions of dollars. While during the same period the Treasury increased more than one hundred and forty-seven mil-

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You Can Judge Their Character by the Way They Carry Cash.

If you want to know something about a man's character watch how he handles his money.

The generous, careless man carries his money loose in his pocket—copper, silver, and gold all mixed up together, and when he is going to pay for anything he takes out a handful and picks out the amount he requires. He seems to have no fear of robbery, for he is of a trustful disposition, and being perfectly honest himself, thinks most others are like him.

Of course he is often cheated and imposed upon, yet he never entirely loses his faith in his fellow-creatures. A fine nature is his—in fact, too fine to cope with the many greedy, grasping mortals that flood the world.

The man who, if he has to pay a few pence, won't even take the trouble of counting out the amount in coppers, but throws down a piece of silver to be changed—and by the by he rarely counts his change—is a type of "a fool and his money are soon parted."

Perhaps a love of display, almost inmost in separable from such a character, has something to do with this.

The careful man always carries a purse, and keeps the gold, silver, and copper in different compartments. A man like this never wastes his money; he values it as it ought to be valued, and, though not niggardly, is determined to have his money's worth. He quite believes that "any fool can make money, but it takes a wise man to keep it," and he is right.

The mean man never lets you see what money he has; when he is going to pay for anything he turns his back to you, clutches his money tight, and, so to say, draws it out of his hand, placing the coins down one by one, for he is loath to part with them, even for necessities.

Such a man is not far removed from a miser, who rarely carries money about his person at all, unless it be sewn up in his clothes.

Remember, the man who jingles his money in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred hasn't got much. A bunch of keys and a few coppers make a good deal of noise.

Young Men.

"I can heartily say to any young man who is waiting good employment, work for Johnson & Co., follow their instructions and you will succeed." So writes an agent of H. F. Johnson & Co., Richmond, Va., and that's the way all of their men talk.

At the present day most heavy tunnel work is done by machine drills, driven by compressed air, which also serves to ventilate the works.

For weak and inflamed eyes use Dr. Isaac Thompson's Eye-water. It is a carefully prepared physician's prescription.

The Phonicians were the first to employ engineers to fortify cities.

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Hertburn, Sick Headache, and other symptoms of Dyspepsia troubled me for several years. Since I have been taking HOOD'S SAPPARILLA all this is changed. Dyspepsia trouble no longer bothers me. I do not have heartburn and I am free from headache. I have gained in flesh and feel better in every way. Mrs. J. M. O'Connell, Martinsville, Ill.

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Buttermilk for Sunstroke.

If used moderately instead of water, beer, or any other stimulant, buttermilk will ever prove a preventive of sunstroke or heat prostration. As additional evidence other than my many years of personal knowledge I refer to an incident at Des Moines, Ia., years ago, when some twenty or more cases of sunstroke occurred in one day, most of whom were mechanics and day laborers, teamsters, etc. So many were prostrated in one day that an infallible preventive—buttermilk—was recommended by the aged agricultural editor of the Iowa State Register, C. F. Clarkson. Immediately requisition was made on the rural districts for the lactical fluid, and all the drinking resorts were supplied with the ice-cold article. I personally sampled the goods, business having called me to the city, with the mercury at 108 degrees and over, and though over three-score and ten, I was on the streets without an umbrella from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m., with no dinner and only five glasses of the buttermilk, which I drank slowly, at intervals. It quenched thirst, strengthened nerves, quieted the pulse, and invigorated the man.—St. Louis Republic.

Welfare.

Welfare is not to be confounded with happiness, because, although it ultimately includes it, it often demands temporary sacrifices of it. If we take pleasure in anything that injures our health, our powers, or our character, by so much that pleasure diminishes our welfare. Lower gratifications, though often innocent in themselves, must be resigned whenever they conflict with higher claims. The intelligent man who desires to make the best and the most of himself discerns the comparative value of these things and governs himself accordingly, always being ready for self-denial when his true welfare demands it. His growing judgment, knowledge and reason will ever suggest new methods of self-improvement, and through these sacrifices of pleasure a higher and purer happiness will be gained.

Browning and Lord Coleridge.

Lord Coleridge, in his presidential address at the Salt schools, Saltair, England, not long ago, told a good story. Browning lent him one of his works to read, and afterward meeting the poet, the Lord Chief Justice said to him: "What I could understand I heartily admired, and parts ought to be immortal; but as to much of it I really could not tell whether I admired it or not, because for the life of me I could not understand it." Browning replied: "If a reader of your caliber understands 10 per cent. of what I write I think I ought to be content."

Harmless Pastime.

A Bible bee is the latest form of amusement at Cuthbert, Ga. Prizes are awarded to the persons proving themselves most familiar with Bible history.

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A British agricultural exchange, discussing the origin and distribution of sheep, believing that British domestic sheep were principally derived from the high grounds of Persia, Afghanistan and India, and that they could not exist far inland owing to too dry a climate and the scarcity of salt, says: "Our mountain sheep are principally derived from Asian wild ancestors there is every reason to believe, but that sheep can do well, when attended to away from the seaboard, we have ample proof in Australia. There are even at this day many species of wild sheep inhabiting the mountain ranges in the center of Asia, far removed from the sea." Others are as firmly convinced that the wild ancestors of long wool sheep lived in a cold climate, and in low, heavily grassed lands. Among the fossil remains of the sheep found in Europe, paleontologists describe two distinct species, one of which is named the "Marsh" sheep. Even at the present day the numerous breeds of mountain sheep, after so many centuries of domestication, are entirely different in disposition and habit from the long-wooled or low-land sheep. Indeed, the two breeds cannot attain their full development on the same pasture.

Yes, Minerva, it is proper that resolutions of condolence should be framed in pine.—Elmira Gazette.

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OUR NEIGHBORS.

The Fire at Allegan.

Our neighbors at Allegan have again been visited this week with a disastrous fire, the particulars whereof we take from the Democrat:

Wednesday morning about five o'clock the fire alarm was sounded and investigation showed that fire had started in the boiler room of the straw-board factory of Stanley & Co., and spread to the Eagle foundry and woolen factory of Joseph Ambler. These buildings were very inflammable, and it took but a short time for them to be a mass of flames.

The planing-mill of A. B. Seery next caught, and together with the furniture shop of Huntley & Schuman were licked up almost in a second.

The intense heat almost drove the firemen from the scene, but they heroically stood their ground and did valiant battle.

For a time it appeared that the flourmill of Guard & Fairfield would be saved, but the destruction of a large line of hose by the heat caused a short delay and before another line could be placed in position it had caught and soon nothing but a heap of ruins marked the spot where it had stood.

The new paper-mill on the opposite side of the race was on fire several times but was put out, and as the fire died down for want of material the danger was averted. With the exception of a charring of the siding and a breakage of all the windows, the mill was saved intact.

The office of the paper-mill company, a small building standing close to the mill, caught fire. The firemen and citizens, however, pushed it bodily into the race, thus removing a threatened danger.

The iron sheathing of the electric light building was all that saved the structure from catching fire. Had this building taken fire no earthly power could have saved the balance of the mills and factories on the race. The asbestos roofing on the immense roof of the paper-mill also proved of inestimable value in saving that structure. It withstood the intense heat and did not catch fire during the time when it was impossible for the firemen to get near enough to do any service.

Fortunately there was little or no wind, and the breeze blowing was from the west, carrying the flames and cinders away from the other mills.

It is too soon to get the correct figures, but as near as can be arrived at now the losses foot up nearly \$30,000.

The only insurance held by the losers is—Guard & Fairfield, \$500 in stock; Sawyer, on share in flouring mill, \$500; and the new paper mill, enough to cover loss, probably.

The village loses about 1,000 feet of hose.

The fire is a terrible blow to the sufferers, as in nearly every instance they had their entire capital invested, and have nothing to start up with again.

The small amount of insurance is explained by the extra hazardous condition of the risks, insurance companies declining in many cases to accept them, and in others making the premium so large that owners of the property could not afford to carry insurance.

Grand Haven.

In the month of July, 16 marriage licenses were issued in Ottawa county. Born to Supervisor and Mrs. Robinson of Grand Haven Town, on Sunday—a daughter.

One day last week the county jail was entirely empty.

Tribune: A. Troutwine found a very curious thing in a peach stone the other night: several well colored peach leaves that looked as healthy as if they had been on the branches. How they come to get in there is the mystery.

A workman at the court house was struck on the head with a wrench Wednesday afternoon by one of the sub-contractors. The workman had been discharged and it seems was bothering the other men, making his former boss angry, and the result is that blood flowed freely for awhile.

Henry Lubens, a lad aged fourteen, was drowned in Grand River Saturday noon. The boy slipped from a log and a companion could not rescue him. The body was found. This is the third drowning within a month.

For simon-pure sand-dust there is no place along the east shore of Lake Michigan that can come up to the ally leading from the C. & W. M. depot to the court house.

Port Sheldon.

A special meeting was held in our school house, district No. 7, to receive the resignation of Mr. Nooks, as director, and to elect his successor. Derck Riemsema was the successful one.

The threshing machines are all out. Mr. Goodin started last week at West Olive, Chas. Miles went north over the bridge with his new machine, and Hine Amsicker is at Richard Smith's. Opposition is the life of trade.

Our fishermen at the mouth have come to the conclusion that there is not a fortune at the trade. They have pulled up stakes and left for other parts.

The other night two tramps of Port Huron passed through here and when they got opposite J. Any's his son's young hound was out and they took it along. Abraham Any's went after them and had them held, but they could not tell where the dog was and they were let off. The dog was six months old and of a black and tan color.

Gib Guile, one of our old acquaintances of Hudsonville, was here at Mr. Any's on Monday night, looking for some cows to take back with him. It is eight years ago since his smiling face was seen in these parts.

Zeeland.

Tony De Krift is improving, though slowly.

The school board has engaged the following teachers for the coming year: G. H. Petrie, principal; Miss E. Cyburn, Beaverdam; Miss De Vries Drenthe; Anna Huizinga, Zeeland; Hannah Van Loo, Grand Haven; Christina Holkeboer, Holland.

Manager Wichers of the Zeeland furniture factory is in New York in the interest of the firm. The factory is still running full force and a large shipment of furniture east was made this week. It is claimed that all of the operatives understand the tariff question better now than they did last fall.

Editor Verwey of Holland was in town Wednesday, and was seen to take copious notes.

B. Veneklasen member of the brick yard firm, who has been confined to his bed nearly half a year, is on the gain.

The sporting editor of the News was here Friday last, exhibiting the great speed of the famous trotter owned by the Times man. Before he got through however, driver, horse and buggy were picked out of a depression on the side of the road. No damages.

Olive.

Our quiet neighborhood was considerably stirred by the death of James Tuttle, Sunday morning, at the residence of M. B. Merritt. It was a case of diphtheria and there was plenty of excitement about it. No other cases are known of at this date.

Elmer Stevens and Kaziah Heady were married a couple of weeks ago, and are keeping house at Mrs. McCall's place, just like old folks.

Love Fletcher and Cora Reynolds were married last Saturday, in Grand Haven. They are stopping at present with the bride's mother, Mrs. Daniel Husted.

The Olive Centre K. O. T. M. meet every Thursday evening, at the Grange Hall. The Grange meets every Saturday evening.

What puzzles farmers most nowadays is, why they have to pay 50 cents for 25 pounds of flour, when they can only get that much for a bushel of wheat which contains 35 lbs. of flour and 14 lbs. of bran? Perhaps it may take a miller to answer this.

Everything is about as dry as it can be, and live. All growing crops are suffering severely for want of rain, both on sand and clay.

Allegan County.

Miss Anna Brink of Graafschap, Geo. E. Cook of Holland, E. H. Sevey of Dennison and Maria Van Doorne of Grand Haven township attended the summer normal at Allegan the last two weeks.

The basket factory at Saugatuck has temporarily closed down.

Gazette: The summer normal has closed Wednesday afternoon, after a very successful session of nearly five weeks. The total enrollment was sixty three. Much earnest work was accomplished by the students. The last hour was devoted to pleasing and appropriate exercises.

Fennville Herald: The peach country is filled with men seeking employment in picking and packing peaches and there seems to be no danger of a scarcity of laborers this season.

Several old fields around here are being badly injured by swarms of grasshoppers and the farmers are obliged to cut their oats at once, in order to save them. The peppermint growers also complain of the ravages of the grasshoppers.

Saugatuck Commercial: The new creamery near East Saugatuck is nearly completed and will be ready to receive milk within a few weeks. The opening of the new creamery will cut off a large portion of the business of the one now in operation at Fennville.

Already there is promise of considerable work in the ship yards the coming winter. Rogers & Bird will build a new steamer and upper works will be put on the steamer Suit.

Before the close of the month there are likely to be six or eight lake steamers plying at this place in the peach trade. There will be a slim picking for some of them.

Mrs. F. Wade is at Lansing to attend the commencement exercises at the Agricultural college. She will be accompanied home next week by her brother, John Nies, Jr., who is a student there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Houtkamp of Milwaukee, are visiting friends in Saugatuck.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of Allegan county will hold their annual convention August 22 and 23.

On Saturday a horse driven by Mrs. Franks became frightened and tipped the buggy over, throwing Mrs. Franks out upon the sidewalk and striking Miss Mabbs, a cripple upon crutches, in the middle of the back, throwing her twenty feet and cutting her forehead and arm and injuring her internally. The doctor thinks she will recover.

South Haven

The other day five young men were arrested on complaint of Village Marshal Cook for using profane and obscene language on the streets. They were arraigned before Justice Delamere, found guilty, sentenced to pay \$5.00 each as fine and costs. This action of the marshal is commendable, and the marshals of other villages with similar ordinances can well imitate his example.

On a recent Sunday evening the Methodist, Congregational, and Baptist churches unanimously adopted a resolution against Sunday excursions to and from this village in particular, and such excursions in general, believing them to create a lax sentiment regarding law, besides annoying many citizens.

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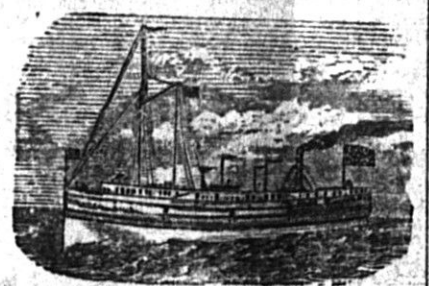
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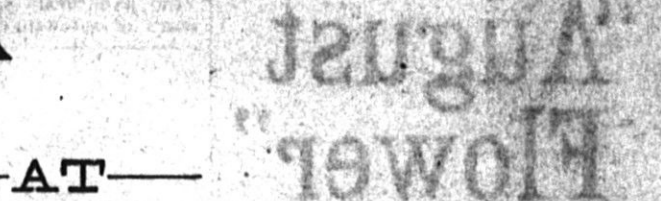
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