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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XXIX.

HOLLAND, MICH., FRIDAY, AUGUST 24, 1900.

NO. 32

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OUR LINE OF FALL WAISTS

are now in stock. You will find them in the latest material and style.

The goods they are made from is Fleece Lined, Mercerized Italian Cloth, in black and colors. French Flannels in all shades and Persian patterns. Prices ranging from

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A. I. KRAMER,

34 W. Eighth St., Holland, Mich.

P. S. See our beautiful line of Medallions we are giving away. Ask for Coupons.

THE ARCADE



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During the next two weeks
we will close out our

Men's, Women's and Children's

TAN SHOES

At 1-4 Off

From the regular prices

Ardis & Warnock

16 West Eighth St.

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are the forts of the sight, which make it strong and secure against impairment. If your vision is not all that nature intended it should be or could make it, you need some kind of a glass to correct the deficiency. You can't determine what you require for yourself, but should call and have your eyes examined by us.

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SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

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Graduate Optician.

24 East Eighth St.

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PICKLING SPICES

AT REASONABLE PRICES.

Cinnamon, Ginger, Cloves, Mustard Seed, Red Peppers, White Peppers, Allspice, Turmeric, Laurel Leaves, etc. Fresh from the largest spice mill in the country, at

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Holland City News.

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CITY AND VICINITY.

Prof. Henry E. Dosker, of Ho p college, occupied the pulpit of the Fourth Reformed church of Grand Rapids last Sunday.

The students of the Kindergarten training school, of Grand Rapids, enjoyed an excursion to Macatawa Park last Tuesday.

Rev. A. H. Strabbing, of New Holland, occupied the pulpit of the Alleghan German M. E. church last Sunday morning and evening.

A. Vennema, of E. Tenth street, is on a visit to Orange City, Ia., with his children, Mr. and Mrs. D. Schalekamp. The operation on his eye was successful.

The annual convention of the W. C. T. U. of Ottawa county will be held in Grand Haven, Aug. 30 and 31. An interesting program will be carried out. There will be a speaking contest for a gold medal, an address by one of the best speakers in Michigan and papers on work in the various departments.

Gov. Roosevelt, of New York, candidate for vice-president on the republican ticket, will speak at Grand Rapids September 7. The republicans have begun preparations to welcome the rough rider and all the preparations are of the most elaborate kind. Mr. Roosevelt will be accompanied from Detroit by State Chairman G. J. Diekema and they are expected to arrive in Grand Rapids at 1:30 in the afternoon of Sept. 7. From the depot the governor will be escorted to the Morton house and a public reception will be held there. There will be a public meeting in the evening.

Rev. J. Van Houte, pastor of the First Reformed church, will preach his farewell sermon next Sunday.

Breyman's orchestra furnished music for a dance at Upham's Opera house, Saugatuck, last Friday evening.

Will Kremers, son of Dr. H. Kremers, has been appointed chief chemist at the Sugar Factory. He acted as assistant last year.

Arthur Baumgartel is filling a temporary position as stenographer in the office of the General Freight agent of the G. R. & I. railroad at Grand Rapids.

Rev. A. W. De Jong, pastor of the Fourth Reformed church, preached in Roseland, Ill., last Sunday. His pulpit in this city was occupied by Rev. Dr. J. H. Karsten.

Rev. Albert Pieters, of Japan, conducted the services in the Third Reformed church last Sunday in place of Rev. G. H. Dubbink who is taking an outing at the northern resorts.

The D. & M. trainmen found in the seat of the coach occupied by Clyde Hill, when he was being taken to Lonia Prison, after his escape, a box of goodies tied around which was a bunch of for-get-me-nots.

Chris Bonge has sold a 55-acre farm of Mrs. Joscelyn on the town line in Ventura, on beach of Lake Michigan, to Alexander Ackerman, Section 4, and 80 acres of Mrs. Joscelyn in Section 3. Consideration for the whole \$2,000.

The death of Mrs. John Oosting occurred Friday evening at her home, 192 West Twelfth street. Her age was 35 years and she is survived by a husband and two children. The funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Third Reformed church.

In the orchard of Geo. Souter, supervisor of Holland township, are trees bearing the best summer apples produced in this part of the state. The apples are of the Benoni variety and are way above the standard, according to reports submitted by expert samples.

The steamer City of Louisville, which has been placed on the Holland & Chicago route in place of the Soo City while the latter is undergoing repairs to machinery in Muskegon, was taken off the run in order to make Sunday trips for the Graham & Morlins, and the excursion steamer Mary of Benton Harbor made the Saturday night and Sunday afternoon trip in her place. The Louisville returned in time for the Monday night trip.

Congressman Smith will begin his speaking campaign in this district in earnest after a big meeting, which will be addressed by Governor Theodore Roosevelt in Grand Rapids on Sept. 7 and will continue his campaign vigorously up to the day before election. He has served notice on the opposition that if they capture the Fifth district they will have to fight for it inch by inch and he is confident that he will make his word good.

The police officers entertained company at the city jail Farmers Picnic day. In the afternoon two men were gathered in by the police so that they could collect their scattered senses and get their bearings. Several of their friends accompanied them to the lock-up. The friends did not leave with the officers and were locked in for meditation. The joke was discovered about six o'clock and Marshal Dykhuis liberated the whole crowd at supper time. The police force handled the crowd in good shape all day. The marshals, deputies and constables were assisted by D. Gilmore, P. Siersma, Grant Scott, I. H. Fairbanks, H. Brickman, H. Vander Poehl, and P. Bush, who were appointed by the council.

Lightning struck three houses on Fourteenth street during last Monday's electrical storm. It struck Mrs. Edward Powers, 201 West Fourteenth street as she was about to open the door, knocking her down and injuring her arm, leaving a black and blue spot. Outside of the nervous shock experienced her injuries were slight. The lightning then passed through the house of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Deto, but did no serious damage. Then it entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rogers next door to Mr. Deto. Mrs. Rogers was at Montague visiting and all of the children except one little girl were calling on Mrs. Deto. This little girl was struck and knocked senseless. She had a bottle in her hand and this bottle was smashed in a hundred pieces. When neighbors found the little girl she was insensible but was soon resuscitated and has entirely recovered from the shock.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Ery, Tuesday—a son.

The steamer Soo City is again on its regular run on the Holland and Chicago line.

The Grand Haven Interurban railway ordinance was passed last Monday night by the Grand Rapids common council.

Rev. Jacob Van der Meulen, one of the best known pastors of this section of the country, will leave his home in Graafschap where he has been stationed for some years, for Pella, Neb., where he will take charge of a congregation.

The death of Edreen De Klard, one of the old residents of this city, occurred last Monday night at his home on East 17th street. His age was 74 years. He is survived by a wife and one daughter. The funeral was held from the house yesterday forenoon.

Peter Steketee, Leon Reeve, Leo Wise, Stanley McKay and Harry Bush captured most of the prizes in the races and athletic contests Wednesday. They entered nearly all of them and if a man passed them he had to work for the honor, for the boys are built on the right lines and they take a back seat for no one.

A total of 39 deaths occurred in Ottawa county in July, 37 in Muskegon and 41 in Allegan. Of the deaths in this county, Holland reported 6, Grand Haven 5, Allendale 1, Blendon 2, Chester 1, Georgetown 1, Grand Haven 1, Holland 2, Jamestown 1, Olive 2, Polkton 5, Robinson 2, Spring Lake 3, Tallmadge 1, Wright 1, Zeeland 3.

The Michigan Republican Newspaper association meeting at Kalamazoo, September 18 and 19, will close with a banquet which it is proposed to make one of the greatest rallies of the republican campaign in the state. The republican candidates for Congress, United States senators and the candidates on the state ticket will be present. The Republican state committee will co-operate and probably furnish a speaker of note outside the state.

The contractors having the erection of John Van der Veen's brick block on Eighth street in charge, moved a portion of the roof of the Boston Bakery building adjoining in order to get the party wall ready for the second story. The heavy rain of Monday night entered the opening and flooded the second story of the building which is occupied by Edward Bertsch and family. All of the household effects were drenched and considerable damage was done to the furniture.

Edward Blake, of Chicago, died suddenly Tuesday noon at the home of Jacob Kuite, Jr., on Eighth street, where he had been visiting for some days. He felt slightly indisposed the latter part of last week and Sunday a physician was summoned but his case was not considered serious and his friends were surprised to learn that he died Tuesday from the effects of an acute attack of appendicitis. Mr. Blake was a prominent politician of Chicago a few years ago. He is survived by his mother, who resides in that city.

Fire broke out last Wednesday night at one o'clock in the residence on 117 West Thirteenth street, occupied by William Trimble. The firemen responded to the call promptly and in a short time both hose companies were on the scene. The fire had a pretty good start but the boys know how to handle the hose and in a few minutes had the flames under control. The city can well feel proud of the fire department for the work done Wednesday night. The firemen went right into the midst of the blaze and in that way made every move count. The fire started on the upper floor near the roof. The family were aroused by a neighbor who saw the blazing roof. The building was badly damaged and most of Mr. Trimble's furniture except a few articles was destroyed. Unfortunately the furniture was not insured and the loss is heavy. The house is owned by John Harmsen. It was damaged to the amount of \$500, and is insured for \$600. Mr. Trimble's loss amounts to about \$400. It is suspected that the fire was of incendiary origin.

"Down Mobile" at the Lyceum Opera house next Tuesday evening.

The schooner Uua arrived in port Wednesday night with a cargo of slabs.

Supply your needs in bed spreads at John Vandersluis' bed spread sale next week. Good spreads from 25 cents up.

Dr. Mastenbrook will not be in the city next week to attend to his patients as he is going to the national G. A. R. encampment in Chicago.

George Bardeen, president of the Bardeen paper mill at Osego, has deposited \$10,000 in the bank at that village as a wager that McKinley will be re-elected president.

Henry P. Koenigsburg, of this city, an appointee of Congressman William Alden Smith in the census office at Washington, has been promoted for faithfulness and efficiency.

The Aid society of the M. E. church will hold a tea meeting Aug. 30, from 2:30 to 5 p. m., at the home of John Kooyers. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

List of advertised letters at the Holland postoffice for the week ending Aug. 24: Frank M. Lee, Mrs. Fred McEachron, Harry Mendall, Miss Mary Olmstead, Chas. Bissel, Mrs. L. E. Wemer.

The Michigan conference of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held at Battle Creek during the week of Sept. 13. The conference comprises the churches in the entire western half of Michigan and is one of the largest in the church connection in the world.

The steamer Soo City will run an excursion to St. Joseph next Wednesday. This will be the last chance to take a long lake trip this summer and undoubtedly a large number of people from Holland and the resorts will take advantage of it and go to St. Joseph.

The Ladies Guild of Grace Episcopal church will give a lawn social at the home of Mrs. Wm. Olive, Wednesday evening, Aug. 29. Ice cream and cake will be served. All are cordially invited to attend. Music by Breyman's orchestra and the Mandolin and Guitar club.

A grand harvest excursion will be given to Ottawa Beach and Macatawa Park on Wednesday, August 29th. The special train will start at Kalamazoo and stop at all intermediate points. The train will leave Allegan at 8:45. The Allegan Military Band will accompany the excursionists.

Married, Thursday evening, Aug. 23, at the home of the bride, 110 West Thirteenth street, by Rev. C. B. Kendall, of Grand Rapids, uncle of the bride, Frank Robinson and Mrs. Alice Nalsh, both of Holland. They leave immediately for their home in Douglas accompanied by the good wishes of their many friends in this city.

Lincoln J. Carter has produced a new play "Down Mobile" which comes to the Lyceum Opera house next Tuesday evening August 28. It deals with southern characters and tells a story of great interest in a thrilling manner. There are 17 artists in the cast and a play of great merit is promised. Seats on sale at Hardie's at 50, 35 and 25 cents.

The athletic young men of Graafschap were strictly in it at the Farmers Picnic. As bicycle riders they showed they have the right metal to make good racers. They rode from 14th street to 7th in record breaking time and gained the good will of the crowd by their fine showing. Gerrit Otterbeek won first prize, Jacob Bloemers second, and Marinus Hoedema third.

The steamer Alice M. Gill, chartered by the government for use in the lighthouse service, was at the Holland harbor yesterday. Capt. Warren, lighthouse inspector, was aboard and as a result of his inspection a new lighthouse may be erected on the end of the south pier this fall in place of the old one which was found to be in bad condition. The new lighthouse will be built nearer to the end of the pier. The superstructure will be of iron and the whole will be built according to the latest designs in marine architecture.

Notice.

August 25th at 2 p. m. a job of ditching on east and west quarter line section 24 in town 5 n r 15 west near A. J. Huizenga's residence, will be let on the premises.

J. VAN APPELDOORN,
H. Com. Holland Township.

WANTED—Women to pare peaches. South Haven Preserving Co., South Haven, Mich.

A blessing alike to young and old; Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. Nature's specific for dysentery, diarrhoea and summer complaint.

Go to Lokker & Rutgers and get prices on boy's and children's suits. They are selling them at a sacrifice.

Lokker & Rutgers is the place to buy boy's and children's suits. They have a large stock and must sell.

AUGUST—1900.

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Holland City News.

FRIDAY, August 24.

Hessian Fly Destroyer

Prof Clinton D. Smith, in a letter to the secretary of the Michigan Millers association, makes this preliminary report on the prospects of a good wheat crop and of a profitable price for the same.

Michigan Farmers' Institutes, Agricultural College, Mich.

Aug. 14, 1900.

Dear Sir: In the matter of fall wheat I have to report progress. The Hessian fly promises to get a fair start this fall, although the parasites are reported by Prof. Pettit as becoming common. These parasites are small flies which lay eggs in the flax seed stage of the Hessian fly. We are not prepared to make any prophecy as to how greatly they will hold their enemy in check next season. With the intelligent aid of wheat growers, though they will be able to make a good crop possible next year.

Our suggestions for the full campaign are as follows:

1. Plow the ground as early as possible, keeping down volunteer wheat and getting ready a good seed bed.
2. Sow a narrow strip of wheat early to allow the insects laying eggs in it. Plow this strip under when about ready to sow, doing the job thoroughly.
3. Sow a little later than common, say not far from Sept. 20 in this latitude, depending somewhat upon weather conditions.
4. Use a little fertilizer of the commercial class to give the wheat a good strong start.
5. Get all the farmers in a given community to adopt this method, as no matter how successful a given farmer may be in getting rid of the fly in the fall, if his neighbors do not aid in the work, he will have the fly in his wheat in the spring.
6. Advise against sowing rye for at least three reasons:
 - Rye is attacked by the fly as well as wheat.
 - Rye, once in soil, is hard to eradicate and will injure succeeding wheat crops seriously.
 - Rye brings a price less than wheat and the average yield in the state is less than that of wheat.
7. Farmers should sow their usual acreage of wheat this fall:
 - Because the prices next year will run high beyond all reasonable doubt.
 - Because the fly will probably not be as bad again for several years, although this will depend somewhat upon the intelligent practice on the part of the farmers.
 - Because the rotation generally adopted ought not to be changed, and wheat is peculiarly a Michigan money maker.

Yours respectfully,
CLINTON D. SMITH.

Lake and Marine.

Lieut. W. J. Reynolds, inspector of lifesaving stations on Lake Michigan, has returned to Chicago after a tour of inspection of his district. He reports that a location has been secured for a new lifesaving station on the South Manitou Island. The site is on the south side of the harbor, north of the lighthouse.

Muskegon is yelling for a sound-deflector to carry the dismal sound of her fog whistle out to the sea; it now keeps her citizens in a state bordering on frenzy, especially at night, when they are trying to sleep.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Hamilton.

We are having fine weather here and plenty of rain. Crops are good, and if we get good prices the farmers should be happy.

Several of our people attended the encampment at Saugatuck last week. They report some bad weather which blew some of the tents down and wet the outfit of the campers, but withal a good time was enjoyed.

Saturday was payday at the pickle factory and the fences and hitching posts were strung with farmers' teams until quite late in the evening. They went home happy and with plenty of money.

Mrs. W. Van Bree, of Zeeland, and Mrs. O. Niff and daughter, of La Grange, Ind., visited their sister, Mrs. Clara Peterham Sunday.

Elmer Wells' house burned last Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Wells were in Grand Rapids at the time. None of the contents were saved. Insurance \$550.00.

Mrs. Geo. Taylor is home again. She

has been to Schoolcraft to attend her mother who is quite ill.

Mr. Hoadley and wife took in the excursion to St. Joe Sunday. Mrs. Hoadley will remain with her parents for a week's visit.

The bill in this village is now in splendid condition, the best it has ever been and it now looks as though it would stay so. We think road-master Robinson is worthy of many thanks from our people.

Mr. Hoffman, our blacksmith, is preparing to move away and Messrs. Groff and Inman will soon be in possession with a full-fledged machine shop.

Jacob Mosher is quite ill at the present writing.

R. Parkhurst has returned from Petoskey where he has been visiting his wife who disappeared so mysteriously some time ago.

The firm of Harvey & Gillies, of the Hope roller mills is no more, as the present partner, Mr. W. Gillies and his brother George have purchased the entire property and will be known hereafter as Gillies Bros. Gen. will not be an active member of the firm until June next as he has business in Iowa that will demand his attention until that date. We understand that Mr. Harvey, the former partner will now live a retired life which he well deserves as he always led an active, useful life. The Gillies Bros. are well-known here as active, upright businessmen and we all unite in wishing them a grand success which they so well deserve.

We regret to learn that our north side merchant, Peter Maas, is about to move his goods to Holland to occupy a store now being prepared for him.

Chet Gilbert is taking the palm as the banner pickle grower of this town. He has four acres of the premium beauties and markets thirty bushels daily.

John Kalvoord is making some fine improvements on the dam, laying it up with cement and stone. John is going to have it stay this time.

Ben Brouwer and wife are now now entertaining his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fisher of Holland. Well Ben is a good fellow to visit, wouldn't mind staying a week ourselves.

Bert Klinkers is remodeling his house and treating it to a new coat of plastering. Bert says he is bound to have it to suit him if it costs him a coat button.

Cornell Ahersoot has turned painter and anyone wishing a first-class job had better be looking after him and his brushes.

Ottawa County

Nat Robbins, of Grand Haven, has secured the contract to furnish Ottawa county court house and jail with coal this winter.

The Old Settlers Picnic will be held on Wednesday, August 29th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gillespy, on the town line, one-quarter of a mile north of Six Corners.

Barney Cleveringa, one of the most popular young men, of Grand Haven, formerly one of the life-saving crew at that place, passed away last Friday morning, from the effects of an acute attack of Bright's disease, with which disease he has been a sufferer for several years. His death has been expected for several days, as he has been in an unconscious state since early in the week. It is believed that the disease which caused his death, was contracted in the life saving service. When the schooner Ellen Stevenson went on the beach near Grand Haven some years ago, one cold fall day, Barney was wet through and through and greatly chilled. Since then the disease has been getting a firm hold on his system.

An insane woman from Allendale named Mattie Ritter, was brought to Grand Haven Saturday, and Judge Goodrich ordered her committed to the Kalamazoo asylum. She was violently insane and it took two men to hold her. Her insanity was caused by religion. The Spring Lake Boat Co. has gone out of business and the charter has been surrendered. Wm. Barret has purchased the plant and will continue the manufacture of boats.

Allegan County.

The Democratic County Senatorial and Representative conventions, will be held at Allegan, Tuesday Sept. 4th. County Clerk Barnes has received notary public commissions for F. S. Day, of Allegan; Alice C. Woodworth and Oscar M. Smith, of Saugatuck; Alfred Whitcomb, of Plainwell, and C. Elmer Wolfinger, of Hopkins Station.

The Pere Marquette fruit-train leaves Pennville for Chicago at six o'clock P. M. The rate per car-load has been reduced from \$52 to \$40 for the all-rail route.

The Pere Marquette railway bridge at New Richmond will again include a draw. The draw will permit navigation of the river above New Richmond by Saugatuck boats.

During the first sixteen days of August the pumps of the Allegan water-works pumped over 12,000,000 gallons of water.

It is expected that in the near future another rural free mail delivery route will be established from the Allegan office. The line of the proposed route runs north to Peabody's corner, thence east to Dunning's corner in Watson township, thence to Andrew Bracelin's corner, thence north to Pierce's corner, thence past the county farm to Allegan.

Dr. T. V. Roy, a Hindoo doctor located in Osego, was arrested last week charged with practicing medicine without a diploma. He was brought to Allegan and arraigned in Justice Cook's court, where his trial was set for Sept. 4 and he was released on his own recognizance to appear at that time.

Filmore.

The rain on Monday was a good soaker, and made plowing easy on the hard ground.

John H. Boeve is again walking without the aid of his crutches.

Miss Janet Van Den Beldt attended the teachers examination at Allegan last week.

Only a few of our people took in the excursion to Lansing this year. They did not forget the hard treatment of the railroad company and the street carline at Lansing last year. At least I didn't.

Dr. H. Boss, returned last Monday, from the other side of the Atlantic Ocean, where he spent three months. The doctor is well pleased with what he has seen.

Mr. Robert Douma returned from Big Rapids where he spent a few months at the normal school. Mr. Douma has been engaged as teacher in school district No. 1.

West Olive

August 22, 1900.—Farmers Picnic. Now is the correspondents picnic coming next?

The people around here are afraid to do much work, for fear of getting roasted. They are all right.

One report says that the cider mill will be in running order this week.

Mrs. Boyer and Marble accompanied their sister, Marie Fish, to her home in Fowlerville Friday and returned the same day.

"Doc" Norton, who is at present serving as juror in the circuit court from Olive township, spends a good part of his time in Grand Haven, and of course we miss him, but he came back Saturday.

F. Grebenskie will soon have as good a house as the best of our up to date citizens. The foundation is done and the new shingles are on. Next comes the paint.

Ed. Maynard shipped the first carload of rye from this station last week to Walsh-De Roo in Holland.

C. P. Babcock was in Holland Thursday on business.

Sunday school was well attended, but two teachers were absent. How is it with you Agnew.

H. Goodman shipped his first carload of rye this week, to W. H. Beach, and E. Maynard his second carload.

C. E. Lindabury is now thinking of moving back to Missouri, as he does not like the frost breath of our Michigan winters, the climate being much milder in Missouri. They will rent their farm but we will greatly regret to lose them as they are people of the best kind.

Leonard Garnetta, our popular section boss, and his family, spent Sunday with his brother in Shelby.

Mrs. C. B. Ingersoll was in Holland Tuesday.

That "ill wind that blows nobody good" last Monday, gave us a good share of the damage. A lot of corn was knocked down, a good many bushels of unripe apples were thrown where they do not belong and worse of all, the box car that Ed. Maynard intended to ship his second carload of rye in had part of its roof taken off and thrown against the warehouse, but the people had patience and there was no disorder.

C. M. Shearer was taken very ill last week but we are pleased to hear that he is improving.

Joe Wiser's house was entered by a sneak thief and his pocket book and about \$1.40 cents was taken last Tuesday. Joe says he knows very well who did it but it don't pay to have him arrested.

Quite a large number of people around here attended the Farmers Picnic, but the correspondent had to write the W. O. news.

Port Sheldon.

Too late for last week.

Our resort has been lively. Frank Julian, wife and children, Mrs. Bolce and son, and a number of others from Allegan and Blendon have been enjoying themselves.

Rye, so far, is turning out from 14 to 21 bushels per acre.

Monday there was quite a time at the bridge. A number came down to see and help Ausikers get their machine over. It was impossible to lower the water so they had to go through it. With the aid of men and planks they crossed over safe and sound and are now threshing in Ireland among the big farmers.

Mr. F. Hibberd, of Chicago, has been spending a week with Chris Cook.

Will De Kruff called on Chris Cook Tuesday.

Martin Kline has come home on account of poor health.

John Ausiker and George Scott were down to help get the threshing machine over.

This has been the weather to make a man sweat threshing.

Lots of farmers north of the river will thresh over one thousand bushels this year.

No dust in your eyes, plowing in the sand this year.

Olive township ought to have a ferry at the bridge instead of trying to keep the river open. Chris Cook said he worked there and when he took out one shovelful, two came back.

Mrs. G. Any and children, of Chicago, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Any.

Matt Quick was here Sunday, also Wm. Quick, of Grand Rapids, is making relatives and friends a visit.

Joe Peck and Joe Goodman, of West Olive, were here Tuesday, and caught a big string of black bass.

L. Kline is going to run three farms. He now has two teams, busy plowing for grain.

Mr. H. Gooding has been on the sick list, but is some better at present.

F. Van Draw is building his new house right along.

Mr. and Mrs. Kline attended quarterly meeting at Holland Sunday.

Bodily pain loses its terror if you've a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Instant relief in case of burns, cuts, sprains, accidents of any sort.

"I had a running, itching sore on my leg. Suffered tortures. Doan's Ointment took away the burning and itching instantly and quickly effected permanent cure." C. W. Lenhart, Bowling Green, O.

FIND KRUGER'S LOCATION

President of Transvaal and His Generals, with 8,000 Boers, Are at Machadodorp.

PLOTTER AGAINST ROBERTS IS GUILTY.

Not Yet Sentenced—Roberts Reports Engagement Near Venterburg—Three British Lieutenants, a Medical Officer and Twenty-Four Men Are Captured.

Twyfelaar, Monday, Aug. 20.—Through secret intelligence agents the British authorities learn that Gen. Louis Botha, the commander in chief of the Boer forces; Gen. Lucas Meyer, the commander of the Orange Free State forces, and Gen. Schalkburger, vice president of the Transvaal republic, with 8,000 Boers, have assembled at Machadodorp (generally understood to be the headquarters of President Kruger, on the Pretoria-Delagoa Bay railroad), with the whole Boer artillery, including the heavy pieces formerly at Pretoria.

Plotter Against Roberts Found Guilty

Pretoria, Aug. 21.—The trial of Lieut. Cordua, formerly of the Transvaal artillery, on a charge of being concerned in the plot to kidnap Gen. Roberts, was concluded Tuesday. The prisoner was found guilty of all the counts in the indictment against him, but sentence was deferred until the findings of the court shall have been confirmed by Lord Roberts.

Boers Capture British Lieutenants.

London, Aug. 22.—The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Roberts, dated August 21:

"Lieut. Col. Sitwell, reconnoitering near Venterburg, engaged the Boers. Two British were wounded. Lieuts. Spedding, Davenport, Surtees and Watson and a medical officer and 24 men are missing. Hamilton has crossed the Crocodile river."

"Paget and Baden-Powell engaged the commandoes protecting De Wet, August 20. Lieut. Flowers and one man were killed. Lieut. Kirby and six men were wounded."

To Publish Treasonable Letters.

London, Aug. 22.—Henry Labouchere's publication of the correspondence advising him of the seizure at Pretoria of compromising letters to Secretary Reitz is to be followed by the publication of the whole correspondence which, the colonial office says, will be issued by Thursday, all the members of parliament involved having answered the official communication sent to them on the subject.

Decides Against Alabama Company.

Joliet, Ill., Aug. 22.—Judge Dibell, in passing on the motion to take control of the Joliet Wire company and trust woven wire fence plant from the Robinson faction and give it to the Alabama Steel and Wire company, decided against the Alabama company. Both sides are fighting for supremacy and this decision is but a temporary victory. The principal trial is pending.

Hot Spell Broken.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 22.—The hot spell in central and western Kansas was broken by a severe rain, wind and hail storm. About two inches of rain fell, effectually ending the drought that had threatened the corn crop. In the vicinity of Scandia several barns, windmills, hay and grain were destroyed by the wind.

Flour Rate War.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 22.—A flour rate war has broken out on all St. Paul roads on eastern consignments via Duluth and by the all-rail route. The rates are made to suit the shipper, and are the outcome of secret cutting. The bidding for flour shipments is lively and it is believed the reductions will hold for some time.

Coal and Petroleum Discovery.

Astoria, Ore., Aug. 22.—Several prominent Astoria business men have secured control of 6,500 acres of land at Knappa, near Astoria, and disclosed the fact that experts have declared it a very valuable coal and petroleum field. A company has been formed and it is stated development will begin immediately.

Population of Philadelphia.

Washington, Aug. 22.—The population of Philadelphia, according to the count just completed at the census office, is 1,293,697. The population in 1890 was 1,046,964. The increase during the past ten years was 246,733, or 23.57 per cent.

Iowa Post Office Robbed.

Lyons, Ia., Aug. 22.—The vault of the Lyons post office was blown open by cracksmen. The burglars secured a small sum in cash and stamps. The same office was looted in a similar way seven years ago.

Not Significant.

New York, Aug. 22.—J. M. Jarvie, of Arbuckle Brothers, said that the recent reduction in coffees was not significant. It was due, he said, to trade dullness and lower prices for green coffee.

Vestmakers Win Strike.

New York, Aug. 22.—The vestmakers in this city have won their strike for the union scale of wages and the ten-hour workday. The strike affected 2,000 men, women and girls.

Former Hotel Man Dead.

Philadelphia, Aug. 22.—Thomas Green, formerly proprietor of Green's hotel, in this city, who was well known throughout the country, died at his residence here.

Chamberlain's Daughter Weds.

Birmingham, Aug. 22.—Ethel, a daughter of Joseph Chamberlain, was married to Whitmore Richards, a lawyer of London.

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Piano Practice Causes Disease Declares Dr. Waelzhold in an Article on "Music and Nerves."

Chlorosis, Neurosis and Other Nervous Disorders From Which So Many Girls Suffer said to be the result of "Hammering the Keyboard."

In the British Medical Journal is discussed Dr. Waelzhold's article on "Music and Nerves," in which he claims that the alarming increase in nervous disorders in young girls is due to the "deadly custom" of hammering the keyboard.

Whether or not the cause is due to piano lessons may remain a question, but there is no denying the fact that there is an enormous increase of nervous diseases among young girls at the critical age of twelve to sixteen, when they are just crossing the threshold of womanhood. Their nervous systems are put to a severe strain by excessive study at school, practice of music and anxiety of examinations. It is during this trying time that girls become pale, weak and nervous, and suffer the results of irregularities of the delicate feminine organs.

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State Ticket.

For Governor—AARON T. BLISS, of Saginaw.

For Lieutenant-Governor—O. W. ROBINSON, of Houghton.

For Secretary of State—FRED W. WARNER, of Oakland.

For State Treasurer—DANIEL MCCOY, of Kent.

For Auditor-General—PERRY F. POWERS, of Wexford.

For Commissioner of State Land Office—E. A. WILDEY, of Van Buren.

For Attorney-General—HORACE M. OREN, of Chippewa.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction—DELOS FALL, of Calhoun.

For Member of State Board of Education—JAMES H. THOMPSON, of Osceola.

Legislative Ticket.

For Representative, First District—LUKE LUGERS.

For Representative, Second District—ROBERT ALWARD.

County Ticket.

For Judge of Probate—J. V. B. GOODRICH.

For Sheriff—E. J. DYKES.

For Clerk—C. E. HOYT.

For Register—P. BRUSSE.

For Treasurer—F. J. FOX.

For Prosecuting Attorney—P. H. McBRIDE.

For Circuit Court Commissioner—C. E. SOULE.

For Coroner—T. KIEL, O. E. YATES.

For Surveyor—E. H. PECK.

Republican Senatorial Convention.

A convention of the 23rd Senatorial district of Michigan, comprising the counties of Ottawa and Muskegon, will be held at the Court House in the city of Muskegon, on Thursday, the 30th day of August, 1900, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of nominating a Republican candidate for senator in said district; also for the election of a senatorial committee and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The counties will be entitled to representation as follows:

Ottawa county 13 delegates.

Muskegon county 12 delegates.

U. P. Brown, Chairman.

Dated Spring Lake, Mich. Aug. 16, 1900.

Senator Stewart will Vote for McKinley.

Senator William M. Stewart, of Nevada, called at republican headquarters this week and said he had decided to vote for President McKinley. "Mr. Bryan's unparalleled campaign for the principles of the Chicago platform," said Senator Stewart, "and his insistence upon the adoption of that platform at Kansas City induced the people to suppose the campaign of 1900 would be conducted on the issues of 1896. In this it seems they were mistaken." Senator Stewart quoted Mr. Bryan's declaration of his intention, if elected, to call an extraordinary session of congress to give the Philippines freedom upon the same terms as Cuba. He also denounced the recent convention of anti-imperialists at Indianapolis, and denounced Mr. Bryan for promising to attempt to "extend the Monroe doctrine to the Orient."

Commercial Travelers for McKinley.

To the Editor of the Chicago Times-Herald: We see it frequently stated in Democrat papers that the majority of commercial travelers are going to vote for Bryan. As an old member of that fraternity, I will give you my personal observations, which will certainly serve to disprove their erroneous statements and remove the stain that the democrats are persistently trying to fasten upon this class of voters.

A friend of mine carried a paper for ten days and made it a practice of asking fellow-travelers to express their political preferences. The McKinley list showed 115, the Bryan list 11, non-committal 17. I take it that all of the latter are for Bryan, as it does take a great deal of courage to go on record as a Bryanite. It will be observed that by making the above liberal allowance we still have about four to one for McKinley in our ranks, which is certainly very creditable. As applied to general sentiment among commercial men we have almost the mystic 16 to 1 in favor of McKinley.

I thought the above a good way to get the prevailing opinion of the boys, and I started a list, but my efforts came to naught, as my McKinley

PROF. BRYAN'S MARRIAGE BUREAU



Bryan: "You'll find the young lady easy to support."
The German Democrat: "And take that 16 to 1 ice wagon for a mother-in-law! Not much!"—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

list became so large that I could not find a Bryan man with sufficient courage to so declare.

This certainly proves that their claim is a myth, and is just about as reliable as Democratic information ever is.

"What is the difference between Buffalo Bill and Bryan?"

"Buffalo Bill has a show."

Tuscola, Ill., Aug. 16. J. B. H.

Grand Celebration.

As early as 6 o'clock in the morning visitors began coming to town to attend the Farmers Picnic, and they kept coming until the streets and parks were crowded by a merry throng of pleasure seekers.

They stayed all day and when the night was very late were still hurrying towards home after a joyous celebration in the city. In numbers the crowd was one of the largest that ever attended a celebration of that kind, and good nature and a spirit of fun and mischief were the chief characteristics of the individuals composing it. At the close of the day festivities they were ready to declare that Holland's Farmers Picnic was a grand success.

The fun began early. The Holland band, in better trim and playing better than ever before, was the first in the field. It began at nine o'clock and was soon reinforced by the East Holland band, a fine lot of fellows, who can hold their own with the best of them. When the sun reached the proper place in the heavens and an air of expectancy and awe hung over the city the wonderful Bube band of Pot-dunk, led by King Ribs and Prince Vaudie, the star funmakers, marched majestically into the city. Their costumes were killing, and death lingered fondly in every note that was wafted by the breeze. Thanks to the wide-awake High School boys the "Si Plunk" and aggregation was a huge success.

At eleven o'clock the bands assembled in the park and gave a short concert. Then came the address by Milo D. Campbell orator of the day. Mr. Diekema introduced the distinguished visitor in a few witty remarks, backed by a hearty tribute to his worth as a man, a statesman and a defender of the rights of the people. Mr. Campbell was at his best and gave an eloquent oration in which he told of the working of the state tax commission and gave some sound advice to the audience. His remarks were received with applause and the crowd appreciated his fine effort.

At twelve dinner was served in the park. The lemonade was fine, the coffee was just the right flavor and the well filled lunch baskets were soon relieved of their contents. The work of the committee on refreshments could not be done better.

At two o'clock the committee on sports began to "get busy," and they kept busy until supper time. Sack races, bicycle races, running races, jumping contests, potato races, free silver contests and laughable sports of every description were given with such profusion and confusion that the sight-seers were simply bewildered and—well, they just looked on and had a huge time. Sport was in the air and everybody had a good time.

After supper a grand band concert was given. The Evening Press News-boys band, which arrived in the city at noon and stayed (most of them) until morning, was at its best and entertained the crowd until the 9:45 train left. The visitors from the city to the north-east are all right and Holland will always have a warm spot for the Press band.

Now that the picnic is over the different committees can breathe a sigh of relief. They all did well and made the occasion a grand success, but it means a great deal of work and worry and they are not sorry that their responsibility is at an end.

A meeting will be held soon to prepare a statement and receive the reports of the different committees. This meeting will disclose a most

satisfactory state of affairs. It will show that the money has been used carefully and sparingly and that a good surplus will still be in the hands of the treasurer. This can be used as a nest egg for another picnic if the people so desire.

S. O. & W. A. Fair.

The annual fair of the South Ottawa and West Allegan association given last fall was a success in every particular. Every department was properly conducted and exhibits were numerous. A fine program of races and sports was carried out each day. Everything possible was done to please those attending and as a result large crowds were present each day. When the books were balanced it was found that the financial returns were satisfactory and the future prospects of the society were bright indeed.

Encouraged by the success of last fall's fair the officials concluded to do still better next time and they began immediately to plan with that object in view. As a result they are now in a position to hold the greatest fair ever given in Holland as a book of the premium list recently issued will show.

The fair will be held October 9, 10, 11 and 12. The first day entries may be made at the Secretary's office on the fair grounds until 3 p. m. Exhibitors living near the grounds are requested to make entries earlier if possible.

On the second day of the fair, Wednesday, October 10, the judges will begin examining exhibits. At 1:00 the exhibition of Standard Bred-class will take place. Two years old or over, will be exhibited to harness on track, but judges are to understand that speed shall not be the only test of merit. At 1:30 p. m. Roadster Class, with the same provision as Standard Bred. At 2:00 p. m. Carriage Horse, trot or pace, best 2 in 3, mile heats, \$25. Entrance fee ten per cent of purse. Farmers' single-trotting race, mile heats, 3 in 5, \$25.

The third day there will be two horse races, a base ball game and other amusements, of which announcement will be made later. The fourth day there will be trotting and running races and other amusements. All entries in the Speed Classes will close on Saturday, Oct. 6, at 12 o'clock p. m. Entrance fee 5 per cent of purse and 5 per cent additional to winners. Five entries and three starters are required in each class. Horses will be called at 1 o'clock each day. All races will be mile heats, best 3 in 5, to harness, unless otherwise stated, and will be conducted under the rules of the American Trotting Association, of which this society is a member.

Besides the attractions mentioned above there will be games of all kinds athletic contests and other sports each afternoon of the fair.

The premium list is presented to the public with the following greeting signed by H. Kroolker, president; and L. T. Kanters, secretary:

"In presenting this our annual premium list to the public, we do so with a great deal better confidence than has sometimes been the case. Our last fair in October, 1899, was at least financially a success. The receipts were large enough to cover expenses and to pay all premiums in full. This is indeed encouraging and goes to show that if the weather permits, the attendance at our fairs is always good and large enough to supply ample funds.

The attractions at our last fair, such as races, balloon ascensions, etc., were very good, and we promise to make them equally good or better this year. The exhibits in some departments, however, were not as good as they might have been. The Poultry, Swine, Sheep, Cattle and agricultural departments were not as well filled as we could have wished, and we hope that this year we will be able to make a better showing in these departments and we extend to all a hearty invitation to help us in this matter. There is no reason why our building and cattle stalls should not be full, to overflowing. The territory covered by our association stands second to none in

the state in the products of the farm. We ask you therefore to help us in this matter, so that our country fair may become the best in the state, and we promise that if the weather is good during the days on which the fair is held that all premiums will be paid in full."

The officers of the fair association are as follows: H. Kroolker, president; J. H. Boone, vice-president; L. T. Kanters, secretary; H. J. Luidens, treasurer; A. C. Van Raalte, marshal; J. H. Boone, supt. of grounds.

The superintendents are as follows: cattle, J. Meuwesen; horses, J. H. Boone and H. Kroolker; sheep and swine, H. Kratt and G. J. Boone; poultry, Jas. L. Conkey; agriculture, Geo. H. Souler and A. B. M. Westerhof; pomological, G. J. Deur; farm implements, B. Van Raalte, Jr.; floral department, Dr. Wm. Van den Berg; Women's department, Martha Blom; children's department, Martha Blom; miscellaneous department, M. G. Manting; household department, Mrs. B. Van Raalte.

Common Council.

A large amount of routine business was transacted at last Monday night's meeting of the common council. A resolution was passed providing that the board of public works be directed to construct the two trunk sewers and reduction tanks as soon as possible, that the board be requested to advertise for sealed proposals for said work, that the sewer bonds of Ten Thousand dollars be issued, dated September 1, 1900, to bear interest at four per cent and that the city clerk be instructed to advertise for buyers for said sewer bonds, each sealed proposal for said purchase to be accompanied by a certified check for \$150.00. The Michigan Telephone company has overstepped the authority given them by the common council in the matter of placing poles and wires on the streets of the city and in order to check them from further damage the following resolution introduced by Alderman Sprietsma was passed:

Resolved, that the city attorney be authorized and instructed to order the Michigan Telephone Company to remove its poles, wires and crossarms from all of those streets where they were placed in violation of a resolution passed by the common council of the city of Holland, January 4, 1898, and that the city attorney be further instructed to notify the Michigan Telephone Company to place no more poles and string no more wires without the permission of the common council, except according to resolution aforesaid.

SWISS AS MILITARY MEN.

Strict Government Conditions Make Their Army a Superb War Machine.

Every year the Swiss soldier must do a certain amount of rifle practice in order to keep his marksmanship up to a high standard. He is allowed to choose his own time and place for this practice, but under strict government conditions. The Swiss army last year was composed of a total of 284,000 fighting men. A French military authority holds that "this army, in case of war upon its territory, need not fear any army which can be named." An English officer who witnessed its maneuvers two years ago wrote to the London Times that "of the Swiss army as a war machine it is impossible to speak in terms other than those which, to anyone who has not seen its performance, must appear too laudatory." The National Review contrasts the Swiss military organization with the British volunteer system and very much to the disadvantage of the latter. "Our men," says the writer, "are ill-trained in shooting and often armed with defective or discarded weapons. The Swiss have thoroughly modern arms and are probably the best shots in Europe. The Swiss system of mobilization is perhaps the most effective in the world." The Swiss have always been a fighting nation, and the power which should attempt to annex them against their will would engage in a tremendous undertaking.

BELIEVE IN SOOTHSAVERS.

Many Women of Various Classes Are Regular Patrons of the Clairvoyants.

The writer recently called upon half a dozen professional palmists and clairvoyants and gathered in the course of the interviews some very startling facts concerning the clients who consult these ladies, says the New York Telegram.

"Every unmarried woman," said one clairvoyant to me, "asks the same question, namely, 'When shall I marry?'—a patently absurd question. Others, again, while not going quite so far, would like to know the initials of their future husband, whether he will be dark or fair, and so on.

"Some people's notions of the power of palmistry," declared another lady, "are wildly vague. For instance, a gentleman called here the other day who had lost \$100, and he asked me where it could be found."

Fashionable authors are prone to inquire if their new books will go well, and one of our best known actors invariably consults a palmist in order to learn whether he will be successful in a new role.

Men, I learn, are quite as superstitious as women, and some even more so. Stockbrokers come in large numbers to consult one fashionable clairvoyant, and to another look betting men, in order that the crystal globe may be consulted as to the success of a horse who may be carrying their money.

Bed Spread SALE!

Together with another large concern we closed out the balance of a manufacturer's line of

Bed Spreads

We got them at such a price that we can retail them at prices they would usually cost at wholesale.

A good fair Bed Spread for.....52c

A better grade (well worth 90c) for.....69c

A Spread that always sold for \$1.25 for.....\$1.00

A regular \$2.00 Bed Spread for.....\$1.48

Remember these prices for next week only or as much of the week as the goods will last. Sale begins Monday morning and lasts till they are sold. Supply your wants now in Bed Spreads as you may not have a chance like it again.

Good Soap—5 bars for 10c

We are still selling the celebrated King cleaning soap, guaranteed pure and good for laundry purposes, while it lasts we sell it

5 Bars for 10c

JOHN VANDERSLUIS

The Busy Store.

WOMEN HAVE DECORATION.

Forty-One of Them Have Received the Ribbon of the Legion of Honor.

According to a chart in the Palais des Femmes at the Paris exposition—the women's palace—the number of women who have received the ribbon of the Legion of Honor is not large—some 41 in all. Sarah Bernhardt is the latest name to be recommended for this honor, and this is the first time, it is understood, that an actress has been nominated. Of the 41, 31 had been decorated for special services in connection with hospital or ambulance work, one was an artist, one an archaeologist and three were rewarded for heroism in war. Rosa Bonheur was the artist, and she received the distinction in 1855 as a result of the award by the jury of the grand prix for her picture, "The Horse Fair," now known far and wide. The emperor did not approve of the Legion of Honor being conferred upon a woman, and it was not till 1855—12 years after—that she actually received it. In 1894 she became an officer of the order. Juliette Dodu, who was condemned to be shot by the Germans during the Franco-Prussian war for refusing to telegraph a message, was another. She was released by the order of Prince Frederick Charles, to receive both the cross of the legion and the military medal.

FOOD FOR THE FAMISHED.

Island in Torres Strait Where Stores Are Left for Distressed Sailors.

"Did you ever hear of the old ocean storehouse in Torres Strait?" asked the old seaman, relates the Washington Star. "It's called Deliverance island, though it is sometimes marked on the charts as Berby island. It is like a mound rising out of the ocean, the highest point being about 50 feet. It is well-nigh barren, having only a few bushes and shrubs. On one side is a sandy beach, on the other a fissure forming a sort of cave, in which stores are left by men-of-war and merchant vessels passing through for the relief of distressed and shipwrecked sailors. I went in there last year from the Enterprise, an American bark.

"During a calm, we lowered a boat and pulled. In this cave we found tins of preserved meat, biscuits, tobacco and a wooden box marked 'post office.' Our skipper, Capt. Samuels, wrote a letter to a friend of his in Boston. It reached him, too. Deliverance island that day belonged to the French, but we took down their flag and hoisted the stars and stripes. That is the custom—the last ship through the straits hoists its flag on this ocean storehouse and post office."

Endorsed by Clergymen.

Gentlemen: some personal experience enables me to heartily recommend the use of Henry & Johnson's Arnica and Oil Liniment. For external application in cases of sprains and bruises it is unquestionably excellent. It takes hold and gives relief. This is not a guess, but a word of testimony.

EDWARD HAWES, D. D.
Dr. Hawes was for many years pastor of the First Church, Burlington, Vt. His testimony is the testimony of all who use the Arnica and Oil Liniment. It never fails to give satisfaction. Sold by all druggists at 25 and 50 cents a bottle.

Go to Lokker & Rutgers and get prices on boys' and children's suits. They are selling them at a sacrifice

Chickens Wanted.

Cash paid for chickens at John Y. Hutzenga's.

Lokker & Rutgers is the place to buy boy's and children's suits. They have a large stock and must sell.

Boy's and children's suits. Large stock of them and must sell. Call at Lokker & Rutgers and find out all about it.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Thursday, the twenty-third day of August in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

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

In the matter of the estate of Jennie Ten Cate, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of Gern W. Mokma, executor named in the will of said deceased praying for the probate of an instrument in writing, filed in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said Jennie Ten Cate, deceased and for the appointment of himself as the executor thereof. Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the Twenty-fourth day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three consecutive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy Attest.)
JOHN V. B. GOODRICH,
Judge of Probate.
FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Thursday the 23rd day of August in the year one thousand nine hundred.

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

In the matter of the estate of Jan Luidens, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Henry J. Luidens, son and heir at law of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument in writing, filed in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said Jan Luidens, deceased and for the appointment of himself as executor thereof.

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

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CITIZEN'S TELEPHONE 490.

Society and x x Personal.

W. E. Conger, of the Grand Rapids Herald, and his wife, are spending a few weeks at Macatawa Park.

Miss Cornelia De Boer, of Grand Rapids, was the guest of friends in this city the past week.

Miss Mary Whelan and Miss Maud Paine, of Muskegon, were the guests of Miss Kate Whelan at Macatawa Park Sunday.

John and P. F. Ostema, of Chicago, and James Ostema, of Grand Rapids, were the guests of their parents Sunday.

Wm. Post, formerly in the plumbing business in this city, was the guest of friends in Holland Sunday. Mr. Post is traveling representative of the Mutual Dental Supply Co. of Chicago.

Miss Rena Winter is visiting friends in Milwaukee.

Dr. J. F. Van Rooy, of Chicago, was the guest of John Van der Sluis the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox and Miss Anna Fox, of Grand Rapids, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Phernambucq Sunday.

Bernard Bloemendaal has returned from a visit with friends and relatives in Roseland, Ill.

Mrs. J. Van de Krieke, who has been the guest of Mrs. I. Marsille and Mrs. J. Pessink, has returned to her home in Kalamazoo.

Mrs. James Whelan has returned from South Haven where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Robinson.

Lieut. W. J. Reynolds, inspector of the life saving stations of the 12th district, was at the Holland station this week on official business.

Rev. G. H. Dubbink is visiting at Petoskey this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Swift visited friends in Benton Harbor this week.

Mrs. D. Snyder left Monday morning for a visit with friends at Mackinaw.

Rev. Dr. E. C. Oggel and wife of New Palz, N. J., are the guests of relatives in this city.

Miss Ella Trimble, who has been the guest of her uncle, Rev. Adam Clarke, has returned to her home in Charlevoix.

Attorney Geo. E. Kollen attended circuit court at Grand Haven this week.

Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Gillespie have returned from a trip to Rochester, Buffalo and the Thousand Islands.

B. A. Mulder spent Thursday in Grand Rapids.

Miss Mamie Nauta has returned from a visit with friends in Chicago.

John Brink, who is attending business college in Grand Rapids, is the guest of his parents in this city.

Miss Ruth Kirkhoff returned Saturday from a visit with friends in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bosman, of Land street, are visiting friends in Chicago.

Mrs. M. Moreland and her three daughters, of Chicago, are the guests of Dr. E. Winter.

Miss Rena Winter, is visiting friends in Milwaukee.

E. D. Stanton, of Forest Grove, was the guest of friends in this city the first of the week.

Mrs. E. F. Hallett, has returned from a visit to her parents in St. Joseph.

Almon T. Godfrey is the guest of friends in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Geerlings, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Steketee, Jr., Miss Reka Werkman, and Miss Marguerite Mulder left Monday night for a week's visit to Chicago and Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mulder and family left Monday night for Chicago.

Frank Van Ry, sheriff of Ottawa county, was in the city Tuesday.

F. D. Haddock, superintendent of the Public schools, was in Grand Rapids yesterday.

Mrs. John Zalsman has returned from a visit to relatives and friends in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Haynes and son, of Chicago, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James De Young, have returned to their home in Chicago.

W. D. Kelly, of Muskegon, candidate for the nomination of state senator on the republican ticket, was in the city yesterday.

Archie Campbell and wife, of Grand Haven, were in the city Wednesday.

Gerrit Rossink and Miss Boyle, of Grand Rapids, were the guests of Miss Martha Blom Wednesday.

Postmaster Van Schelven was in Grand Haven yesterday.

Miss Lottie Whaley, of Ventura, has gone to the Northern Peninsula to visit her aunt, Mrs. W. O. Baker.

State representative Robert Alward of Hudsonville, was in the city yesterday.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

See Lincoln J. Carter's great play "Down Mobile" at the Lyceum opera house next Tuesday evening August 28.

Harrison Bros. Minstrels will give a street parade at six o'clock and an entertainment under their big tent at 8 o'clock. The parade and show was not given this afternoon because they did not arrive in time.

Does it pay to grow cucumbers, and would it have paid Allegan to have hustled and secured a salting plant? Read this: The firm of Williams Bros. & Charbonneau, of Detroit, who have a salting plant at Plainwell, made their first payment for the season last Tuesday. The growers received \$1.20, and are very much pleased with their success. This is their first season. The pickling plant was built there this spring.—Allegan Gazette.

After indulging in a several weeks discussion regarding the respective merits of the two clubs, the Holland nine and the West Michigan factory nine decided to settle the question of supremacy. They met on the diamond last Friday afternoon and when the blue streaks were cleared from the atmosphere and the smoke of battle passed away it was found that the West Michigan boys were outclassed and suffered defeat by a score of 23 to 2. The factory club is composed of good, clever sports. They play a good individual game but through lack of practice their team work was not the best. They are a husky lot of fellows and showed the right sportsmanlike spirit by playing with a nine as good as the Holland club. The boys of the regular nine were in fine trim. They played a fast game and hit the ball hard and often. Ver Schure pitched a fine game and Schouten caught like a veteran. Tremble was in the box for the West Michigan and Kerkup caught.

At last Monday night's meeting of the board of public works, the specifications for Holland's sewerage system were adopted. Relative to private drains to be connected with the trunk sewers, the specifications are as follows: "Private drains may be connected with the sewer to be built under this contract at any time before the completion of the work, provided that the contractor shall first join with the owner of the lot to be drained in making application for the permit; but no private drain shall be connected with the sewer built under this contract, without a written permit, for each drain from the city." The specifications also provide for the strict supervision of all the details connected with the construction, by placing the work under the direction of experienced engineers. As such engineers, the board of public works has employed Alvord & Shields, of Chicago, who agree to do the following work: "To superintend the construction, including the entire time of an experienced engineer, to give lines and grade, inspect materials, and give general supervision of work, also to visit the work personally as often as necessary, at least once a week; to give general supervision and directions, adjust all differences, make estimates, reports, etc. on work in progress, also to prepare profiles for new lines, which may be petitioned for, and assist in letting contracts therefor, and to keep special close watch of the building of both bacteria tanks, the time to begin and end upon the written order of the president of the board of public works."

NOT PROPER FOR WOMEN.

Philadelphians Protest Against Girls Teaching Chinese in Sunday Schools.

A powerful blow was delivered the other day by the Women's Christian association of Philadelphia against the practice of permitting girls and young women to teach Chinamen in the Sunday schools. A strongly worded letter was addressed to John H. Converse, president of the Christian league. The protest was as follows:

"The Women's Christian association of Philadelphia considers the time has come to enter a protest against the teaching of Chinamen in the Sunday schools of our city by women, especially young women. The aim of the Women's Christian association is prevention and protection; both of these, we believe, are needed in this direction. The association therefore appeals to the Christian league to bring its influence to bear upon the superintendents of Sunday schools where Chinamen are taught to persuade them to discontinue the custom of having women teachers for the Chinese.

"We recognize that this radical change cannot be accomplished at once. We nevertheless urge that a limit of age be immediately adopted and in the stead of the young girls now occupying the men of the church be substituted."

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Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous heads. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by Heber Walsh, Holland and Van Bree & Son Zeeland.

WORLD'S SUPPLY OF IRON.

Prediction That Ferruginous Ores Are Likely to Become Increasingly Scarce.

A good deal of anxiety has been felt during the last two years as to the available supplies of iron ores and fuel. The total world's consumption of iron ores in 1899 was probably more than 90,000,000 tons. Of this quantity I take it that the United States contributed more than 23,000,000. But in all countries alike very exceptional efforts were made to increase the output so as to overtake the greatly stimulated demand. These efforts are still being continued. Spain has been ransacked from one end to the other in order to increase the available supplies. France is opening up new sources of supply in Greece, North Africa and elsewhere. The Germans have sought to acquire almost a monopoly of the supply of Swedish Lapland—within the arctic circle—for a number of years to come, and have concluded arrangements which point to their belief that iron ores are likely to become increasingly scarce, writes J. S. Jeans, in Engineering Magazine.

This is a very general apprehension, and if, as I believe, it is justified by the facts, it seems to be probable that this condition may mainly determine future supremacy. Mme. De Staël once observed that "Providence fights on the side of the biggest battalions." In the war of commerce and industry it is conceivable that Providence may in the future seem to interpose on behalf of the nation that has the largest available supply of cheap iron ores.

HAVE AN ANTI-PATHY TO SOAP

Geysers in the Yellowstone Park Violently Rebel When Required to Make Soap.

Some few years ago an unfortunate discovery for a time menaced the tranquillity and almost the existence of some of the geysers in Yellowstone park. The story goes, that an adventurous Chinaman once essayed to use the bowl of one of the geysers for the purpose of washing clothes, the temperature of the water appealing to his oriental mind. Everything went well until he began to use soap, when suddenly a violent eruption seized the apparently innocent geyser, hurling clothes and all into the air. The experiment was tried on other geysers with similar results, and for a time it was considered a great blessing, as, when large tourist parties arrived, it was a great convenience to bring on a special display by "soaping the geyser," as it was called, while before the advent of the Chinaman and his soap, some of the most beautiful geysers often remained stubbornly inactive for days and often weeks and months. After a time, however, it was discovered that this soaping was slowly but surely harming the geyser action, "tiring them out," in fact, and thereupon the government put a stop to the use of soap in the park in connection with the geysers.

WOMEN IN GERMANY.

They Have Many Various Opportunities of Advancement in the Various Professions.

The regulations of the German government as to woman's place in the learned professions are exceedingly liberal. For some time past they have not been technically barred from the right of being doctors, dentists, etc., but the chances of training were so limited that only very few women could avail themselves of the privileges thus afforded.

The establishment of "gymnasiums" for girls in many of the larger German cities, notably Berlin, Leipzig, Hanover, Konigsberg, Stuttgart and others, has given to girls the preparation which they required in order to enter upon the university training which is needed to qualify for any learned profession. The universities admit women, if not as full students; at least to the lectures. The position of dentist requires two years' university training only, as against five years for medicine, which easily explains the preponderance of fully qualified dentists over doctors.

In the whole of Germany there are, it is said, only nine female doctors; six of whom practice in Berlin, one in Frankfurt, one in Leipzig and one in Munich.

WAS TOO LAZY TO BREATHE.

Man Who Ought to Be on Some Government Commission to Investigate Something.

The laziest man in North America discovered himself the other evening in the small bachelor apartments, not far from Lafayette square, where he lives, says the Washington Post. He was lying on a couch in the lounge-room, smoking a cigar, when the cigar went out. That is to say, the fire at the end of the cigar departed. The man raised himself on one arm with great effort and snapped the messenger call that was installed over the couch. Then he reclined and waited. After about ten minutes there was a knock at the door and a messenger boy entered.

"D'you ring, sir?" asked the boy.

"Yes, son," said the laziest man in the western hemisphere. "Just gimme a match off that table there, will you?"

The boy handed the man on the couch a match, and waited. The man relighted his cigar and smoked on.

"D'you want me to go somewhere, sir?" asked the boy, fidgeting.

"No, that's all," said the man. "Take that half-dollar off the table."

Then the boy went off grinning.

That man ought to be on some government "commission" to investigate something somewhere.

HEROIC CURE FOR AN ITCH.

Serie-Comic Experience of a Stage Coach Passenger Who Was Held Up by a Road Agent.

Whatever differences of opinion may exist in regard to other subjects, those who have been held up by highwaymen are unanimous in the statement that no matter how few the holders up or how many they held up, each and every man said that the robber's weapon was pointed directly and solely at him. Years ago, says the Troy Press, in California a traveler was on a stage coach that a pair of bandits went through. The 14 passengers were all made to get out and stand in a row, with their hands high over their heads. One burly ruffian stood guard over them with a double-barreled shotgun, while the other engaged in the pleasing task of relieving them of their valuables and spare cash. This particular traveler was nearest the man with the shotgun.

While the ceremonies were in progress his nose began to itch and instinctively he started to lower one hand to scratch it. "Hands up, there!" came the stern order, and his hand went automatically back into place. But that itching redoubled and again he essayed the relieving scratch. "Say, what's the matter with you, anyhow?" demanded the highwayman. "Are you wishful to become a lead mine?" "My nose itches so I can't stand it any longer," tearfully explained the sufferer. "I simply have got to scratch it." "No, you hain't," ungrammatically corrected the knight of the road, "cause I'll do it for you." And with that he proceeded to scratch the offending nasal organ with the muzzle of his shotgun. You can wager your shoes that that particular nose stopped itching with great abruptness.

FISH PRESERVED IN ICE.

Antediluvian Denizens of the Deep Discovered in a Huge Glacier.

State Fish and Game Commissioner Johnson is one of the oldest cowboys in the state. He is an exceptionally entertaining talker and a man who in past years has been considered modest, truthful and kind to those easily induced to believe stories concerning the beasts of the field and the fishes of the sea, says the Denver Times.

But he has apparently changed. On a recent morning he claims to have seen a man who saw a fish frozen in the ice in the perpetual glacier on the north side of Long's peak.

"The story is a true one," said Mr. Johnson, "for the man who told it to me is a scientist and one of the most prominent men in the country. His discovery will be announced to the department at Washington and a scientific investigation may follow. He tells me the fish appears to be about 18 feet in length, as nearly as one could estimate looking through a field glass."

"But there are no fresh-water fish of such proportions," was ventured.

"Isn't a fresh-water fish. It's a salt-water fish."

"But how did it get there?" "Early enough to a fish man. That fish has been frozen in the ice glacier there ever since the time of the flood, when all this land was inundated. That is the reason the find is an important one."

HE WAS GETTING TIRED.

The Annoying Experience of a Janitor with a One-Night Theatrical Company.

While I am at it I might as well tell of that other company—a repertoire company—who played 12 plays, opening Monday afternoons and playing twice a day for the entire week in towns not usually good for a "one-night stand" for a metropolitan organization, says the Denver Times.

This one opened on a Monday afternoon at "Ravenhill, O.," an extraordinarily bad stand, and it was "raining pitchforks." Two o'clock came and not a single soul in the house; 2:30 and the anxious "actor-manager," looking out the "peephole" in the curtain saw one lone individual sitting in stately silence in the middle of the hall.

To close and not play meant the circulation of the report that they were stranded, so the a.m. stepped before the curtain and said:

"Sir notwithstanding that you are the only distinguished citizen of this progressive place who has deigned to honor us with your presence at this, our opening performance, I wish to state that we shall proceed with the performance and give just as careful a production as though the house was packed to the walls."

"I wish you'd hurry up, then," grunted the audience. "I'm the janitor and I want to go home."

Great preparations are being made for the sultan's silver jubilee on August 31, when he will have been 25 years on the throne. Poets and historians are busy writing accounts of his pious works and the great things he has done for his subjects. These will be translated and published in all languages.

Vacation Cards from Libraries.

Vacation cards, issued by a public library in Somerville, Mass., are good during July and August, and those who possess them are permitted to take out ten books at a time and return them within four weeks by mail or express and exchange them for another ten books.

Would It Save the Bears?

The suggestion that the name "Proctor" should be changed to "Victoria" is said to be receiving wide support.

UNJUST UMPIRE FOILED.

Defeat of the Houndville Humpers by the Hurling Liliacs.

The baseball cranks were swapping stories. The man with sunburned neck had just finished telling how he had once made a triple play unassisted, when the man with the sandy whiskers spoke up.

"The remarkable play which the man with the sunburned neck has described," he said "reminds me of a singular game in which I myself once participated. It took place out in Wisconsin. The team of which I was a member was called the Hurling Liliacs, and my regular position was right field. The Houndville Humpers, the team that went up against us, was made up of ex-cowboys, and they had the reputation of getting burly on the slightest provocation. The umpire was an extremely large man, who knew about as much about baseball as Adam did about the mechanism of an automobile.

"The game began, and the umpire's decisions were so uniformly unjust and idiotic that neither side suffered more than the other, and for a time all went well. But in the last half of the eighth the trouble began. The score stood 48 to 40 in favor of the Humpers. Our side was at bat, and the first three men up drew bases on balls. Then the fourth man got four wide ones and the umpire called him out. Our first base man was justly enraged at the unfair decision and demanded an explanation.

"The bases are full," said the umpire, "and there is no room for the batter. Therefore he is out."

"Why, you blankety blank chump," exclaimed the first base man, "don't you see that it forces?"

"No man can be scored unless the ball is hit out," interrupted the umpire. "You may go to the bench for using profane language."

"Of course the opposing pitcher gave the next man up four wide ones, and the umpire again called an out. The second base man was the one to protest this time, and he in turn was sent to the bench and put out of the game. When the umpire called the third man out on the fourth ball, the rage of our team knew no bounds. Fear of the Humpers prevented us from doing anything violent to him, and we had to be content with killing him with our mouths. We threw out words and epithets so vehemently that when our opponents came to bat every one on our side but myself had been ordered out of the game.

"Our adversaries were already proclaiming victory, but I bade them cease their cries and went in to contend against them alone.

"The first man up knocked a pop up fly, which I easily gathered in. The second man hit a little grounder, which I stopped, and by hard running beat him down to first. The third man was disposed of in a like manner.

"I was the first man up in the next inning, and I saw that, as there was nobody to follow me, it would be necessary to make a home run. The first ball pitched was a wide one, but I leaped across the plate and landed into deep center for four bases. I went to the bench and then came up in place of the second man. This time I jumped high into the air and banged the ball over right field fence. Nine times I came to the bat and made nine home runs, winning the game by the score of 49 to 48. The Houndville Humpers were crazy with rage, but none of them questioned the slight irregularity of my coming to bat nine times in succession, as it was just that I should take the place of the absent players. And then they take a good many liberties with the national rules out there."—New York Sun.

The Professor's Keg.

A college professor of national reputation whose occasional sermons are a feature of the summer months in one of the Broadway churches was showing some visitors through the music room in his house last week when one of them said:

"This beer keg looks very attractive, professor. But there seems to be no ice chest under it, and I assume that it is not for use."

The keg was really a beautifully made barrel, with a spigot inserted at one end. It stood on a rack like a saw-horse.

"Have you ever heard of a sermon barrel?" asked the professor. "Well, this is the genuine article, and so far as I know it is the only one in this country."

The professor turned the spigot, and the front of the barrel swung back on its hinges, disclosing several shelves on which were stacked a score or more of sermons ready for use as emergency might require.—New York Sun.

Algerian Hill Dwellers.

The recruiting officers of the French army in Algiers report the probable survival of hill dwellers descended from the adventurous vandals that conquered northern Africa 1,500 years ago. They are blue eyed, oval faced and appreciably much more intelligent than their Kabyle neighbors, whose language they have been induced to adopt. The sons of many hundred summers have bronzed their hides, but dark brown beards (unknown among the unmixed Semites) are found in every shepherd's cabin of the Algerian Atlas.

Spanish War Prize Money.

Of the \$100,000 prize money which the court of claims has awarded to our naval forces which were engaged in the destruction of the Spanish fleet at Santiago Rear Admiral Sampson is to receive \$8,355 and Rear Admiral Schley about \$3,000. The residue will be apportioned among the remaining officers and enlisted men on the New York, Brooklyn, Oregon, Iowa, Indiana, Texas, Gloucester, Vixen, Hiss, Ericsson, Harvard, Resolute and the Fern.

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ALLEGED PLOT IS NIPPED.

Suspected Anarchists Arrested by Secret Service Officers in New York.

REDS WILL BE PROMPTLY DEPORTED.

Warning Sent from Italy That They Were Coming to Assassinate President McKinley—Men Protest Their Innocence, But They Are Suspicious Characters.

New York, Aug. 18.—Natalie Morena, an ex-convict, and Michael Guida, an Italian, who were reported on their way to this country to attempt the assassination of President McKinley, were arrested at the North German Lloyd pier in Brooklyn by secret service officers. They are now detained, it is thought, by the immigration officials somewhere in this city.

Came from Italy. They arrived direct from Naples on the Kaiser Wilhelm II. Thursday evening. The vessel was at once boarded by W. P. Hazen, head of the local office, under instructions from Chief Wilkie, of Washington, and the men were placed under arrest.

An investigation has since been going on into the history of the men. While nothing so far has been found to identify them with any secret society of Italy or as being anarchists, it has been found that Morena is an ex-convict. The history of Guida is now being looked up.

Warning Came from Naples. The information on which the men were arrested was received by Chief Wilkie on August 1 from Naples, and he has been on the lookout ever since. The secret service officials were informed that the two men were about to leave Italy with the avowed purpose of killing the president. Descriptions of the two men were furnished by the informant, and there was no trouble in arresting them on their arrival.

Protest Their Innocence. The men protest their innocence, but they are suspicious characters. It is hard to tell what will result from the investigation, but it is likely that both will be deported. Morena will have to go back beyond doubt, as an ex-convict cannot land in this country under the immigration laws.

Fourteen in the Plot. New York, Aug. 20.—Further developments in the case of Notohe Marcesca and Michael Guida, the Italian anarchists who were arrested here before they had landed from the Kaiser Wilhelm II. and who are believed to have crossed the ocean for the express purpose of assassinating President McKinley, reveal that instead of two there are 14 anarchists under arrest at the detention prison of the bureau of immigration, and all of them are charged with being in the conspiracy against the life of the president. The 14 men did not all come over from Europe on one steamer. They have been strung along, one at a time or in pairs, for the last ten days. The secret service men were watching for them, however, and they were promptly arrested on arrival.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Tables Showing the Standing of the Clubs of Leading Organizations Up to Date.

The standing of the leading baseball clubs is shown in the following table. National league:

Clubs	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Brooklyn	57	35	.620
Pittsburgh	54	44	.551
Philadelphia	48	50	.490
Chicago	48	50	.490
Boston	47	51	.480
Cincinnati	46	52	.469
St. Louis	43	55	.437
New York	37	61	.379
American league:			
Chicago	62	40	.608
Indianapolis	55	47	.539
Minneapolis	51	51	.500
Detroit	47	55	.458
Kansas City	44	58	.430
Cleveland	40	62	.392
Buffalo	37	65	.362
Minneapolis	36	66	.353

Killed His Father.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 20.—James M. Burnham, publisher of the Wymoran, at Wymore, Neb., shot and killed his father, Capt. Collins A. Burnham, at their home Sunday. A coroner's jury immediately exonerated the son. Both father and son were prominent political workers in the county in which they reside. The killing was in self-defense. The son gave himself up to the officers.

Made a Heroic Resistance.

Manila, Aug. 21.—A Filipino force of 600 men attacked 30 men of the Forty-third United States Infantry in garrison in a convent at Catubig, Island of Samar, and killed 19 and wounded five. The little band made heroic resistance and killed 200 of the enemy. A flying column of the Forty-third Infantry has been formed to drive Gen. Majica from the Island of Leyte.

A Farmer's Crime.

Arlington, Minn., Aug. 21.—Theodore Wallart, a farmer living near here, killed his wife and three children and then set fire to his barns, destroying the stable with nine horses, a corn crib and a full hay barn. Domestic trouble was the cause. Wallart escaped to the woods.

Three Killed by Boiler Explosion.

Columbus, O., Aug. 22.—A special to the Dispatch from Glenford, O., says: Manna Heiser's sawmill boiler exploded, killing Lavina Dupler, Eliza Winegarner and a man named McLaughlin.

Bresel Asks Delay.

Rome, Aug. 22.—Bresel, the assassin of King Humbert, has asked for a postponement of his trial until witnesses can arrive from the United States.

POWERS FOUND GUILTY.

Jury Says He Was an Accessory to the Murder of Goebel and Must Suffer Life Imprisonment.

Georgetown, Ky., Aug. 20.—After a single ballot and without a dissenting vote the jury in the case of Caleb Powers declared him guilty of being an accessory to the murder of Gov. Goebel and fixed his punishment at imprisonment for life. Mr. Powers has issued the following statement:

"To the Public: I am asked my opinion concerning my trial and the verdict of the jury. Could I have but one opinion? Can any fair minded man or woman of this state have but one? That one of the greatest judicial farces known to history has been enacted here in my trial, under the forms of law, no well informed man can doubt. Innocence is no shield with \$100,000 and the methods of Campbell against you. The rectitude of one's past life counts for naught. They say Taylor is guilty because he was at his office, and that I am guilty because I was away from mine. This has been a political trial throughout for political purposes, and no greater mistake has been made by the democratic party since they robbed us of the offices to which we were fairly elected by the people. There are good men and noble women in the democratic party, and many of them. They are not all bad, far from it. A great many of them do not indorse the theft of the state offices. A great many more will not indorse this mockery of a trial, this prostitution of the courts of justice for certain ends. From the beginning of the campaign until now I have stood with what little merit I have had for the rights and liberties of the people. That is my crime. That is the only offense I have committed. That is the only thing proven against me. I swore to that myself in my testimony. I have never had, and I now have no apology to make for being true to the trust imposed upon me by a majority of the voters of this state. History will draw its dark lines around those who have outraged me and disgraced the judiciary and blackened the history of the state. I am, yours very respectfully, CALLEB POWERS."

IOWA DEMOCRATS.

State Convention at Cedar Rapids Names a Ticket and Adopts a Platform.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Aug. 17.—All nominations of the democratic state convention on Thursday were made by acclamation. The ticket is as follows: Secretary of state, S. G. Crane, of Polk county; auditor of state, L. M. Gibson, of Delaware county; treasurer, H. L. Williams, of'Brien county; attorney general, C. Harper, Des Moines county; judges supreme court, J. W. Freeland, Wayne county; railroad commissioner, J. E. Anderson, Winnebago county; electors at large, Joseph Elbock, Polk county, and C. H. Mackey, Keokuk county.

Following is a summary of the resolutions adopted:

It pledges support to Bryan and Stevenson, and reaffirms the Kansas City platform; declares that combination of manufacturing trusts and railway trusts has resulted in closing many factories in Iowa, and demands the enactment and enforcement of stringent laws, both state and national, to control all trusts; deprecates the growing power and influence of railways in state politics, and the subversive policy of the executive council, the railroad regulation and even the governor himself to railway dictation; it demands that railway rates and taxation, as well as legislation affecting railways, shall be fixed for the benefit of the whole people without improper interference from special interests involved; it condemns the subterfuge of the mulct and pharmacy act by which the republican party has returned the saloon to Iowa, while still maintaining the force of prohibition; declares its belief in majority rule, and favors an honest and open policy of local control with stringent regulations; condemns the republican party for passing the anti-fusion law and constantly changing other election laws with a view to confuse the voter and defeat the will of the electorate; urges all citizens who love liberty and oppose imperialism and the imperialistic policy of the republican party to rally to the support of Bryan and Stevenson.

Funeral of Huntington.

New York, Aug. 18.—Simple and brief were the services yesterday which preceded the bearing of the body of Collis P. Huntington to the mausoleum in Woodlawn cemetery. Every wheel and stroke of commerce throughout the great Southern Pacific system of railroads and steamship lines was stopped for seven minutes during the burial, and during the short suspension of business 50,000 men in all sections of the United States remained idle.

Is a Mystery.

Chicago, Aug. 20.—Twenty-five thousand dollars in transit between the Commercial national bank of Chicago and a Burlington (Ia.) bank has disappeared, and the officials of the Adams Express company and of the Burlington railroad are investigating to learn who was the thief. The package was delivered to the Burlington bank on Saturday, apparently as shipped, but the contents were missing when it was opened.

Victims of Heat.

Pana, Ill., Aug. 22.—Tuesday was the hottest day of the year, the thermometer standing 104 in the shade at one o'clock. Business and farming was practically suspended. John Yates, a farmer residing near Shinkley, was overcome in his pasture and died in a few moments. W. H. Ryan, a leading farmer of Stonington, fell dead while driving from market to his home. Many prostrations are reported from all other sections.

Minneapolis Outstrips St. Paul.

Washington, Aug. 22.—The census office Tuesday made public the census returns for St. Paul and Minneapolis, Minn. The population of St. Paul is 163,632, an increase over 1890 of 30,476, or 22.89 per cent. The population of Minneapolis is 202,718, an increase over 1890 of 37,980, or 23.05 per cent.

Campers Killed.

Allentown, Pa., Aug. 18.—In a crossing accident near this city John F. Wolfe, Harvey O. Wolfe and John V. Gottschalk, comprising a party of campers, were killed.

A Broken Rail.

Sandusky, O., Aug. 18.—A broken rail on the Lake Shore road threw cars into deep water near this city and seven persons were badly hurt.

Kentucky Prohibitionists.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 22.—The prohibition state convention nominated for governor John D. White, of Manchester, Clay county.

A TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.

A Missouri Doctor Kills His Uncle, Mother-in-Law and a Sheriff and Meets Death Himself.

Leavenworth, Kan., Aug. 21.—Three men and one woman were shot and killed at Farley, a small town across the river in Missouri. Dr. Sturley Harrington, a physician, shot his mother-in-law, Mrs. William Wallace, aged 70; his uncle, James Wallace, aged 72, and the sheriff of Platte county, J. P. Dillingham, who attempted to arrest him. Harrington was in turn shot by Henry Dillingham, the sheriff's son.

The trouble which led up to the shooting started from a threat of Dr. Harrington to kill his wife. She fled from her home and he accused his uncle and mother-in-law of attempting to conceal her. He was under the influence of liquor when he committed the deed. All of the parties were highly respected citizens of Platte county, James Wallace being one of the wealthiest farmers in the county.

TOOK MANY PRIZES.

The American Exhibitors Are Well Up in the List at the Exposition in Paris.

Paris, Aug. 18.—The list of awards to American exhibitors at the Paris exhibition was made public Friday. The United States, in all, secured 1,981 awards. Of these 220 were grand prizes, 486 gold medals, 553 silver medals, 422 bronze medals, 270 honorable mentions and a long list of gold, silver and bronze medals for collaborators.

Such is the record achieved by America, as announced by the French officials. Every line of industry and art and skill is given recognition. American farm products, American mines and forestry receive grand prizes and gold medals, and American cottons, woollens and silks are given the same consideration as are American harvesting machinery, sewing machines, printing presses, liberal arts and transportation, while silverware, jewelry, art and education are placed in the front.

BIG PLANT BURNED.

Factory of the Kelly Ax Manufacturing Company, at Alexandria, Ind., Destroyed—Loss, \$500,000.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 20.—A Sentinel special from Alexandria, Ind., says: The entire plant of the Kelly Ax Manufacturing company, valued at \$500,000, was destroyed by fire Sunday evening. This was one of the largest factories in this city and the largest ax factory in the world, employing some 800 or 1,000 men when running at full force. The plant was operated all year, never stopping more than one week at a time to take stock. The company has just enlarged the factory, increasing the output fully one-third. The plant was well insured.

DAMAGED BY WIND.

A Tornado in Wisconsin Destroys Many Buildings in Sheboygan, Causing Heavy Loss.

Sheboygan, Wis., Aug. 21.—A terrific tornado tore through the south side of this city, destroying property to the amount of \$100,000. In all 75 buildings were blown away. Not a single life was lost, but hundreds of people were bruised and suffered slight injuries. The path of the storm was from the northwest to the southeast, covering a district of two miles, two blocks in width, through that district of the city where many of the laboring class live and who owned their homes.

Go to Prison for Life.

Palestine, Tex., Aug. 22.—Former Justice of the Peace Joseph Wilkerson, the alleged leader of the mob that lynched the three Humphries in Henderson county in May, 1899, and J. A. Johns, Sam Hall and John F. Maddis, the remaining defendants, on Tuesday pleaded guilty to murder in the first degree and each received a life sentence in the penitentiary. The action disposes of all the Humphries lynching cases, eight in number. Each defendant received a life sentence.

Kidnaper Goes Insane.

Joliet, Ill., Aug. 18.—Extra Ann Ingersoll, of Painesville, O., the woman who in May, 1898, kidnaped Gerald Lapiner, aged two and one-half years, at Chicago, and kept him hidden several months, has gone insane after a year's confinement in the state penitentiary. She was taken to Kankakee insane asylum.

Found Chest of Gold.

Greensburg, Pa., Aug. 22.—Executors of the estate of Mrs. Sabina Beer, who recently died at Madison, this state, found \$16,000 in a chest in the house, \$5,000 of it in gold. The house has been vacant for some weeks.

Farmers' Congress.

Colorado Springs, Col., Aug. 22.—The farmers' national congress met in twentieth annual convention in this city, 23 states being represented. Gov. Thomas welcomed the delegates to the state.

Minnesota Judge Dead.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 22.—Former Associate Justice William Mitchell, of the Minnesota supreme court, died suddenly at Alexandria, Minn., at an early hour in the morning of apoplexy.

Married Seventy-Five Years.

Nashville, Ill., Aug. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. James Carroll, 93 and 92 years of age, celebrated the seventy-fifth anniversary of their marriage at their summer home near here.

Seven Killed.

Kensico, N. Y., Aug. 22.—Seven persons were killed here by a rear-end collision between freight trains on the New York Central road.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven in said county, on Friday the Twenty seventh day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred.

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

In the matter of the estate of Peter Pfanzelt deceased and mentally incompetent person.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Cornelia Pfanzelt, Guardian of said estate and mentally incompetent person, praying for the examination and allowance of her account as such Guardian, that she may be discharged from her trust, have her bond cancelled and said estate closed.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the Tenth day of September next,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy, Attest.)

JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.

FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Tuesday the 31st day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred.

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

In the matter of the estate of Arie De Cook, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Minnie Walcott, daughter and heir at law of Arie De Cook, Administratrix, (now deceased) praying for the examination and allowance of the final account of the said Arie De Cook, as such Administratrix, that her estate may be released, her bonds cancelled and that Gerrit W. Kooyers, or some other suitable person, may be appointed as Administrator de bono non to finish the administration of said estate.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the Tenth day of September next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

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FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Monday, the 30th day of August in the year one thousand nine hundred.

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

In the matter of the estate of Alexander T. Cuvellier, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Tentile Cuvellier, wife and only heir at law of said deceased, praying for the determination of the heirs at law of said Alexander T. Cuvellier, deceased, and who are entitled to the lands of said deceased as in said petition described.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday the Twentieth day of September next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy, Attest.)

JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.

FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

Commissioner on Claims

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

Probate Court for said County.

Estate of Janet V. Kiekintveld, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate of said County, Commissioners on Claims in the matter of said estate, and six months from the Second day of July A. D. 1900, having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to all persons holding claims against said estate, in which case present their claims to us for examination and adjustment.

Notice is hereby Given, That we will meet on Thursday the Twentieth day of September, A. D. 1900 and on Wednesday, the Second day of January, A. D. 1901 at ten o'clock a. m. at each day, at the office of Isaac Marshall, First State Bank Block in the City of Holland in said County, to receive and examine such claims.

Dated August 4th, A. D. 1900.

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Mortgage Sale.

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage bearing date the 11th day of May A. D. 1899, made and executed by John Otto and Sophia Otto, his wife, of Blenden, Ottawa County, Michigan, unto Arie Roet, of the same place, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for said Ottawa County in Liber 34 of Mortgages on Page 367 on the 14th day of May A. D. 1899 at 11 o'clock a. m.

And by reason of such default there is, at the date of this notice, claimed to be due upon the debt secured by said mortgage, including principal, interest and an attorney fee provided by law, the sum of Eight hundred eighty-seven and 50-100 (\$887.85) dollars:

And no suit nor proceedings at law or in chancery having been instituted to recover the amount due as aforesaid, or any part thereof:

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statutes of Michigan in such case made and provided, the undersigned will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder at the North outer front door of the Court House, in the City of Grand Haven, in the County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for said county is held), on Saturday, the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the premises described in said mortgage, which are as follows, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of Blenden, Ottawa County and State of Michigan, described as the North half (1/2) of the South half (1/2) of the North East quarter (1/4) of Section number two (2) in Township numbered six (6) North of Range numbered fourteen (14) West, containing forty (40) acres of land, more or less, according to Government Survey.

Dated at Grand Rapids, Michigan, this 26th day of June A. D. 1900.

JACOB SEEBERGER, Attorney for Mortgagee.

ANNE HOBT, Mortgagee.

88 Monroe Street, Grand Rapids, Mich. 24-13W

Hearing of Claims.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, made on the 30th day of July A. D. 1900 six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Tentile Kroon late of said County, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, for examination and allowance, on or before the 2nd day of January next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of January next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

Dated at the City of Grand Haven July 2, A. D. 1900.

JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.

Hearing of Claims

Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, made on the 10th day of May A. D. 1900, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Graden Sult late of said County, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, for examination and allowance, on or before the 10th day of November next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on Saturday, the 10th day of November next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

Dated at the City of Grand Haven July 2, A. D. 1900.

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HEAVY FIGHTING AHEAD.

Evident That the Allied Forces in China Have Hard Campaign Before Them.

AMERICANS THE FIRST TO ENTER PEKING

Japanese Reported to Have Occupied the Imperial Palace—Remy Reports All Except Imperial City Has Been Cleared of Chinese Troops—Reply to Li Drafted.

Washington, Aug. 22.—The war department announced early in the day that it was in receipt of a casualty list from Gen. Chaffee, and this was made public about noon. It was learned, however, that the Chaffee dispatch contained a considerable amount of matter besides the list of killed and wounded, and it was the subject of an extended white house conference between the president, Secretary Root and Acting Secretary of State Adee. It was hoped by the officials that the receipt of detailed news from Gen. Chaffee would simplify the situation considerably, and enable this government to map out in a large degree, its future line of action in China. This was not the case, however. Gen. Chaffee's telegram indicated that there may yet be considerable heavy fighting around Peking and between that city and the coast. It was impossible to make any prediction as to the date of the pacification on the information thus furnished and the administration is not able to fix even an approximate date for the withdrawal of our troops from Chinese territory.

We're Fruitless Wait.

While the white house conference was in progress, the Chinese minister arrived at the state department. Mr. Adee was absent, and the minister waited patiently for two hours, the expectation being that the reply of the United States government to Li Hung Chang's peace application would be handed to him. At 12 o'clock Minister Wu had heard nothing as to the return of the acting secretary of state, and he returned to the Chinese legation, expecting to call Thursday unless advised before then that his presence was desired.

Bloody Work Going On in Peking.

Bloody work has been going on in Peking, according to a dispatch received Wednesday by the navy department from Admiral Remy, dated Taku, the 20th, and Peking, the 16th. The message shows that the American forces were then fighting, along with the allies, and that progress had been made which could only have been accomplished after military efforts of a severe character. Admiral Remy's dispatch is as follows: "Chefoo, Aug. 21, Taku, 20.—Dickens command is landing to-day, Peking, 16. All except imperial city cleared of Chinese troops. American troops first to enter imperial city, have penetrated to the gates of the palace. Capt. Reilly, Fifth artillery, killed on 15th. Morning 15th Sixth cavalry and about 400 English and Japanese dismounted about 1,000 Boxers eight miles outside of Tientsin. About 100 Chinese killed, five Americans wounded. Chaffee's losses six killed, 30 wounded, two days fighting. (Signed) "REMY."

Must Have Required Hard Fighting.

Officials of the war department who are familiar with the physical conditions of the defenses of Peking say that the fact that all but the imperial city had been cleared of Chinese troops is evidence enough of the severe fighting which must have occurred. In order for the American troops to penetrate to the gates of the palace they must have stormed a wall about 30 feet high, which no doubt was stubbornly defended.

It is a source of satisfaction to the military officials here that the allied commanders succeeded in clearing the region outside of the imperial city of Chinese troops, as thereby the danger of attacks in the flank and in the rear, while the invaders were storming the imperial city, would be obviated. Everyone is glad, of course, that the Americans were the first to enter the imperial city, another testimonial to the gallantry and industry of the American forces.

Admiral Remy's dispatch, in stating that all but the imperial city had been cleared of the Chinese soldiery, left the impression that a force of defenders was still entrenched in that section of Peking and would have to be routed out. Undoubtedly there have been brisk engagements since the Remy dispatch was sent, but the officials of the department here are in no way concerned about the result of the fighting.

Gen. Chaffee's brief report stated that he entered the legation grounds at five o'clock on the evening of the 14th, and that eight of his men were wounded in the day's fighting. Admiral Remy's dispatch shows that within the next two days Gen. Chaffee lost six men killed, including Capt. Reilly, of the Fifth artillery, and 30 men wounded.

To all appearances, therefore, the fighting in Peking was more severe after the entry into the city than during the movements which brought the Americans to the legation gates. This may be explained by the evident fact that the rescuing parties were engaged in clearing the outer city of the Chinese soldiery. Such a task could not have been a light one, owing to the presence of large bodies of Chinese troops in the city, and the means at hand of fortifying themselves in the narrow streets of the main city, and behind the walls of the imperial city.

Further Fighting Outside Peking.

Admiral Remy's dispatch also shows that there is further fighting outside of Peking and that the Boxers have not been dispersed, but are still inclined to

hang on the outskirts of the invaders and harass them as much as possible.

It also would seem to press more fighting for the allies if they should attempt to return from Peking and for the reinforcements which will be sent forward to Tientsin and Peking. Evidently, according to the military authorities the country about Tientsin and between that city and Peking still harbors hostile forces which will have to be overcome by the allies before the road can be opened from Peking to the sea.

Reply to Li Drafted.

Washington, Aug. 22.—As a result of the conference between the president, Secretary Root and Acting Secretary Adee, the reply to Li Hung Chang was agreed upon and drafted. It was delivered to Minister Wu Wednesday and it is expected the text will be made public later.

Dispatch from Barry.

Washington, Aug. 22.—The war department has received the following cablegram: "Tientsin, Aug. 19.—Adjutant General, Washington: With reference to your telegram of 16th, horses, materials and troops promptly lighted at Taku and forwarded to front. Sixth cavalry mounted. Grant (transport) due in Manila now. Hospitals excellent, ample for present army, well supplied and in fine condition. Everything satisfactory. Go to Peking to-morrow. Sick and wounded doing well. (Signed) "BARRY."

Japanese Occupy Imperial Palace.

Rome, Aug. 22.—Dispatches received here from Taku, under date of August 20, say that, according to advices from a Japanese source, dated August 17, the battle of Peking was then finished, the Japanese had entered the imperial palace. The foreign ministers with detachments of the allied troops were then occupying the imperial city, the Chinese princes and ministers having retired to Seian (Sian Fu?), west of Peking.

Fighting Outside Tientsin.

London, Aug. 22.—Rear Admiral Bruce has cabled to the British admiralty from Taku, under date of Monday, August 20, that the allies were fighting the Chinese outside of Tientsin, on Sunday, August 19.

An official dispatch from Tientsin, dated August 20, and received at Tokyo, repeats that the Japanese occupied the imperial palace at Peking August 16, and says that about August 12 the dowager empress and the emperor and ministers left Peking with 3,000 troops, their destination, it is supposed, being Sian-Fu. Peking, being in great confusion, was divided into several districts.

Half the Tartar city was placed under the control of the Japanese, and committees of Japanese, American, British, Russian and French officers were appointed to maintain order. A detachment of Japanese troops rescued the foreign missionaries and Chinese Christian converts who had been imprisoned in the palace. Two hundred Japanese were killed or wounded.

Envoys Going to Tientsin.

London, Aug. 22.—In the news that reaches London this morning direct from China there is nothing to confirm the report that the empress dowager has been run to earth. The foreign envoys, according to the Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Express, are proceeding to Tientsin. The same correspondent avers that the sacred city was entered August 15, two days earlier than Rear Admiral Bunce reported.

Floot Over Imperial Palace.

"The flags of the allies," says the Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Mail, wiring yesterday, "are now floating over the imperial palace. Street fighting, however, continues. Considerable assistance in the capture of Peking was rendered by 4,000 armed native Christians. The legations were enabled to hold out by purchasing ammunition from the Chinese."

Germans Delayed by Rains.

Berlin, Aug. 22.—The German war office has received a dispatch from Taku, dated August 19, saying the advance of the German battalion was delayed by violent rains. It reached Peking August 17. Yang-Tsun, it is added, was still threatened by the Chinese troops on the imperial canal.

Von Waldersee Dines with King.

Rome, Aug. 22.—Field Marshal Count von Waldersee, the German officer who is going to the far east in order to take command of the allied forces in China, with the three officers accompanying him, breakfasted with King Victor Emmanuel Wednesday morning, after which the field marshal went to the Pantheon and deposited a wreath on the tomb of King Humbert. The field marshal left Rome at 2:30 p. m. for Naples, where he will embark for China.

Rebels Active in Corea.

Yokohama, Aug. 22.—An official dispatch from Corea says that a thousand rebels have attacked Song-Ching, burning the government buildings located there.

Missionaries Escape.

Boston, Aug. 22.—The American board of commissioners for foreign missions has received a cablegram from Chefoo as follows: "Psalms One-Twenty-Four-Seven. Peking and Tung-Chow missionaries, also Chaplains, Smith's, Wickoff's, saved."

The passage of Scripture alluded to is: "Our soul is escaped as a bird out of the snare of the fowling; the snare is broken and we are escaped."

The Peking missionaries are: Rev. W. S. Ament, Rev. C. E. Ewing, wife and two children, Miss Ada Haven, Miss Nellie Russell, Mrs. J. L. Mater. The Tung-Chow missionaries who had taken refuge at Peking are: Miss Mary E. Andrews, Miss Jane G. Evans, Miss Abbie G. Chapin, Rev. Chauncey Goodrich, D. D., wife and three children; James H. Ingram, M. D., wife and two children; Miss Luella Miner, Rev. E. G. Tewksbury, wife and two children; Rev. Howard B. Galt and wife. The Pang-Chuang missionaries who were at the annual meeting and took refuge at Peking are: Rev. Arthur H. Smith, D. D., wife; Misses E. Gertrude and H. Grace Wyckoff. Lin-Ching missionaries under the same conditions are: Rev. F. M. Chapin, wife and two children.

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Ground feed.....	1 1/2
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Brass.....	50
Hay.....	9 00
Butter per lb.....	15 1/2
Eggs per dozen.....	12
Cork per lb.....	5
Wood hard, dry per cord.....	2 00
Chickens, live.....	6
Spring chickens.....	5
Beans per bushel.....	1 50
Ground Oil Cake per cwt.....	1 50
Dressed Beef.....	6
Veal.....	5 1/2
Mutton.....	6 1/2
Lard.....	7 1/2
Hams.....	7 1/2
Shoulders.....	5 1/2
Tallow.....	4
Hides—No. 1 Cured.....	8
No. 1 Green.....	6
No. 1 Tallow.....	4
Calf.....	11

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What does your mirror say? Does it tell you of some little streaks of gray? Are you pleased? Do your friends of the same age show this loss of power also?

Just remember that gray hair never becomes darker without help, while dark hair rapidly becomes gray when once the change begins.

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Holland City News.

MULDER BROS. & WHELAN
Holland, Mich

Holland Twenty-Seven Years Ago.

[From Our Files of 1874.]

August 23. Mr. H. Doesburg has been engaged the past week in taking the census of the Public School District, of this city, for Mr. Joslin, Secretary of the new School Board. The committee appointed by the Board of Education took possession of the school house on Monday last, with a view to putting it in order for school use.

The following named gentlemen have been informally chosen directors and officers of the Holland Iron Company: Nathan Kenyon, Heber Walsh, Jacob Van Putten, Adolph Lietelt and John Root. Jacob Van Putten was designated as President; Heber Walsh Secretary; and N. Kenyon as treasurer, which action it is supposed will be ratified at the legal elections, Sept. 1.

We learn that the Board of Education of this city have secured the services of Prof. G. W. Crouch, A. M., of Grand Junction, as Superintendent of our Public Schools; also the services of his wife as assistant, at a salary of \$1,200 per year. They are both old teachers and come to us with the highest recommendations. School will commence the first Monday in September next.

Mr. K. H. Langton has put into H. B. Ferris' sawmill, one of Chandler & Taylor's improved stove planers, which will employ seven men, dressing 7,000 staves per day. Mr. Langton informs us that the difference in freight between dressed and undressed staves will nearly pay the expense of dressing, which, taken together with the fact that dressed staves are quoted from eight to ten dollars higher in market, would seem to indicate that it is a profitable machine. This machine is used exclusively for tight barrel staves. Should the market encourage, he will also put in a heading machine, and run both during the winter.

Last Monday, Hon. John Root invited us, with several other gentlemen of this city, to accompany him in a visit to his fruit farm on the "Lake Shore". We gladly availed ourselves of the invitation, and was at once placed on the order of going. On our way the large grapes of J. Cornford, Esq. which is one of the finest we have seen for a long time. It shows evidence of cultivation, skill in pruning, and one of the largest crops of grapes, for young vines, we have seen this season. Arriving at Mr. Root's orchard, we were pleased to see a large crop of fruit, and a fine lot of trees. He has about 3,000 peach trees, 1,000 pear trees, and a large number of apple trees, just coming into bearing; the trees are all in good growing condition, and well cared for. This season's crop indicates that the "Lake Shore" is the preferable locality for fruit. Mr. Root's orchard is certainly favorably situated and pleasantly located, and to a man who desires to cultivate fruit, it is a property to be desired. This orchard will yield this season from 400 to 500 bushels of peaches, 200 bushels of apples, and a fine crop of pears. It is for sale for \$5,000. We wish we had many more such men of energy as the Hon. John Root.

We learn from the New York Herald that Cornelius Gardiner, formerly a student at Hope college, graduated from the Military academy at West

Point as Second Lieutenant, and has been assigned to duty with the 19th U. S. Infantry.

We learn that parties were here yesterday to make arrangements to make Holland the main shipping point for Grandville plaster.

First Campaign Poem.

A bard of Coopersville has indited the following lines of poetry, dedicated to Congressman William Alden Smith and entitled "The New Version of the Bonnie Blue Flag."

This William Alden Smith will go
To Washington again;
The Fifth will never turn him down
While he wishes to remain.
Our Billy is a bully boy,
He's always in the right;
At Washington, our pride and joy,
Five Thousand o'er McKnight!

Chorus—
Hurray! Hurray! for William Alden Smith,
Three cheers for the grand old Fifth.
We'll send him there again, hurray!

Allegan County Convention.

The Republicans of Allegan convened Aug. 22, for the purpose of selecting candidates for the various county offices. The main contest was for sheriff. Edward Bensley, of Allegan, and Frank Shipp were the leaders of nearly equal factions. During the afternoon session the following nominations were made.

Judge of Probate, F. H. Williams.
Sheriff, Edward Bensley.
Clerk, Chas. Barnes.
Treasurer, Frank Andrews.
Register of deeds, H. J. Klomparens.
Prosecuting Attorney, Chas. Thew.
Surveyor, Hugh McDougal.
Circuit Court Commissioners P. L. Fouch and L. C. Andrewson.
Coroners, Fred Wade and S. T. Lubbe.

Words of Appreciation.

The Farmers Picnic is again a thing of the past, but it has left to many a contented heart, happy thoughts and pleasant memories.

The day was a grand success. Nearly every farmer turned out to partake of what our city friends had prepared for them. The music was excellent and the coffee and lemonade was not to be excelled in quantity and quality. Therefore it was decided by the undersigned that we thank the business men of Holland for their liberal treatment and for their efforts to give the farmers an enjoyable day.

JOHN VENHUIZEN, pres.
E. VANDER WALL,
G. W. DE WITT,
HENRY STRABING,
JOHN LEENHOUTS,
HENRY BOEVE, JR.

Daring Burglars.

Daring and clever burglaries were committed in this city last Wednesday night. Their operations were confined to a limited district between West Eleventh and West Fourteenth streets and they entered the homes of the most prominent and well-to-do people in town. From this it is argued that the burglars were acquainted in this locality and knew where to go to make a rich haul. The residences of Frank Hadden, J. C. Post, Geo. W. Browning, John H. Raven, W. H. Wing and Fred Metz were entered.

About 2:30 o'clock the burglars were discovered in the house of Mr. and Mrs. Raven, Twelfth street, by the latter, who was awakened by a slight noise. She awakened her husband and the burglars retreated. By the glare of the electric light Mr. Raven saw a man jump out of the window. It was rare good fortune on the part of Mr. Raven that they were frightened away as he had diamonds and jewelry in the house to the amount \$1,000.

The burglars fared better at the residence of Frank Hadden. They entered through a window in the rear of the house and ransacked every room in the building excepting the bath room and the room occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Hadden. From Mr. Hadden's house the thieves took 1 band ring, worked E. D. S. solid gold; 1 solid gold ring, band, marked Mrs. E. R. Vaughn, Dec. 25, 1881-2; 1 stick pin with six leaves, green cast with one pearl in centre; 1 solid gold watch, box hunting case, No. of case 731434, Illinois works, J. W. C. No. of works 807,558; 1 fine chain; 1 pair diamond ear rings, Tiffany setting. Mrs. Vaughn is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hadden and part of the property stolen belonged to her.

The residence of J. C. Post was entered through the bay window and every room down stairs was searched by the thieves. Evidently but one room up stairs was entered and from this room most of the property secured was taken. This is the room of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Post. They were in Chicago at the time and the room was occupied by Mrs. Chapel.

Most of the property taken from Mr. Post's residence consisted of old fashioned rings and souvenir pieces of jewelry, valued in all at about \$25. Not satisfied with their plunder the burglars helped themselves to a midnight lunch. Harry Post's wheel was taken but it was found the next day near the lot of Mrs. Ver Hulst on

Fourteenth street. Mr. Post thinks that the work was done by one person and that this person used Harry's wheel to go to the depot to wait for an outgoing train.

The residences of Fred Metz, G. W. Browning and W. H. Wing were entered in the same manner but nothing was taken, the burglars, evidently being frightened away before they could make a thorough search.

Marshal Dykhuis and Deputy sheriff Ford lost no time in starting a thorough search for the thieves. Cards giving a description of the stolen property were issued and mailed to police officers in different parts of the country. It is thought that the burglars escaped by way of Saugatuck, as two men were seen early in the morning on the south side of Grandtash, going that way. Messrs. Dykhuis and Ford scoured the neighborhood of Saugatuck and Douglas yesterday.

American Corn in the Ongole Faith Orphanage, India.

For the Holland City News.

The corn has come, 97,730 bags full, of which 7,000 bags came to A. B. Mission, of which 72 bags came to the Orphanage. Before this we had received money from far and near with which we gave help to starving people. I don't know whether they fully understood that we were only the transmitters of money that friends in America and elsewhere gave to us. But now they saw the train of cars coming in, loaded down with real American corn. There was no mistake about it. This corn was the identical gift, as it had come from the hands of American farmers 12,900 miles away. Our share of it will last our 225 orphans almost a month. We had one difficulty for we have no proper means to grind the corn. The children, who are made to do almost all their own work, pounded and pounded until their hands were blistered, but the corn was only broken into bits and not ground fine. I told them to cook what they had and to grind it with their natural grinders which they did with some success. They relish the corn very much.

I must also write about two little famine babes. One of them we found dead in a gutter and of that there is not much to be told. The other, a little Mohammedan baby girl of six months old, was brought to me by its own emaciated mother. "Take it sir," she said, "I have no food for myself, and no milk for this child and its twin sister." I took the little skeleton baby into the orphanage. I don't buy babies nor did this mother ask any price for hers, but I gave her a small sum to help her take care of herself and her remaining child. Our little one has greatly improved the ten days that she has been with us and the other children are very fond of it. The famine here has not been as severe as in the North West, but the copious June shower, which they had in other parts of India, have failed us entirely so that the prospect is very dark.

The number of orphans who are brought to us is increasing daily. We hope to be able to receive all who come and to provide for them until they are grown up. We shall teach them all if possible to read the bible and to write at least their own name. We shall also teach them to work and except in special cases we shall try to make them better fitted for the work and the environment in which they or their parents previously were. The various details of the problems arising from the assumption of so many homeless waifs are constantly before the Director and the advisory council. We look to God, the Father of the fatherless, both for guidance and for means to carry on the work.

H. HUIZENGA, Director.
Ongole Faith Orphanage.

The four peach townships of western Allegan county are Ganges, Casco, Saugatuck and Laketown, in the order named, and they contain the largest acreage of peach orchard of any portion of the state of equal area. The following statistics are taken from the last statistical report of the state of Michigan on farm products. Total acres of peach orchards in the state, 53,128.16. Acres in the above named townships, 6,976. Acres in Ganges, 3,418.50; Casco, 1,758.50; Saugatuck, 1,332; Laketown, 467; Ganges being by far the largest peach growing township in the whole state. Allegan county as a whole has the largest acreage of peach orchard of any county in the state, and ranks second in apple orchard acreage, being exceeded by but one county, that of Oakland. Since the above statistics were collected, many new peach orchards have been set out and many young orchards have come into bearing so that the figures above given are now very much too small.—Fennville Herald.

Boy's and children's suits. Large stock of them and must sell. Call at Lokker & Rutgers and find out all about it.

FOR SALE—House and lot, 215 West Twelfth street. Price \$1,400. Apply at News office.

Real Estate Transfers.

P. Bruss, Register of Deeds.

Rebel Wounding and wife to Elias Becker 1/2 s 1/2 w 1/4 lot 1 block 64 City of Holland. \$100
William E. Ogden and wife to John D. Head n 1/2 s 1/2 w 1/4 sec. 15 Township of Holland. \$400
James L. Reed and wife to Thomas Van Varen and wife s 1/2 s 1/2 w 1/4 sec. 18 Town of Holland. \$400
Marcius F. Joutiman and wife to Albert H. Meyer w 1/2 s 1/2 block 89 City of Holland. \$350
Fredrick H. Hendricks to John Fy1 lot 18 Van den Berg's add village of Zeeland. \$150
William Ten Hagen and wife to Cornelius J. Fisher n 60 ft lot 3 block 10 s w add City of Holland. \$1800
Cornelius J. De Roo and wife to Mattie Fisher s 50 ft w 120 ft lot 3 block 87 Holland. \$600
Thamne Van den Bosch and wife to Margrieta Van Toll and 1/2 int of w 1/2 s 1/2 w 1/4 sec 3 township of Holland. \$400
Peter and Abt Berghorst to Pieter Goeman n 1/2 s 1/2 e 1/4 sec 3 Township of Zeeland. \$1500
John Ver Hage and wife to Peter and John Ver Hage n 1/2 s 1/2 w 1/4 sec 15 Township of Zeeland. \$1800

Marriage Licenses.

Rommelt Hummel, 44, Holland; Eelkje Copery, 31, Holland.

EXCURSIONS VIA THE PERE MARQUETTE

ANNUAL LOW RATE TO PETOSKEY, TRAVERSE CITY, CHABLEVOIX, LUDINGTON, MACKINAC ISLAND, SEPTEMBER 11

Trains will leave Holland at 11:10 a. m. Rate \$4.00 to Petoskey and Traverse City via Pere Marquette through or via Grand Rapids, Howard City and G. R. & L. Ry. Rate to Mackinac Island \$1.00 more than Petoskey. Rate to Ludington \$3.00. All tickets good to return until Sept. 32 inclusive. See bills or ask agents for full particulars.

CHICAGO GRAND ARMY ENCAMPMENT.

Tickets will be sold August 25th to 29th, good to return until August 31st and will be extended to Sept. 30th if deposited with agent in Chicago. Rates one cent per mile from all stations. Ask agents for full particulars.

DETROIT KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS ENCAMPMENT.

Tickets will be sold August 25th to 28th, good to return until Sept. 5th, and will be extended to Sept. 14th if deposited with agent at Detroit. Rate one way fare for round trip. Ask agents for full particulars. 31-2w

LABOR DAY AT GRAND RAPIDS.

SEPT. 3.

Big celebration. Tickets will be sold at all Pere Marquette stations within fifty miles of Grand Rapids at one way fare, good to return until Sept. 4th. 32-1w

SUNDAY, SEPT. 2.

ST. JOSEPH AND LA PORTE.

The usual attractions at St. Joe and La Porte.

FIREMEN'S PICNIC AT LA PORTE

The firemen of that enterprising town will have a big picnic at Tuxedo Park, a delightful resort on Clear Lake a half mile from the town. Pere Marquette train stops at Park. A fine program of attractions has been arranged for the day and everybody invited to come and enjoy the fun. Special train will leave Holland at 7:00 a.m. Returning leave LaPorte at 6:30. St. Joe 8 p. m. Round trip rate La Porte \$1.00, St. Joe \$1.00. 32 2w

DETROIT, SEPT. 3. LABOR DAY AND LETTER CARRIERS' CONVENTION.

11th Annual Convention of National Letter Carriers Association. Grand Parade at 3 p. m. 20 brass bands. Electric display in evening, etc., etc. Tickets will be sold by all Pere Marquette agents on Sept. 2nd and 3rd (on the 2nd only at stations having Sunday trains), all good to return until Sept. 10. Rate one way fare. 32-2w

MILWAUKEE, SEPT. 13. LOW RATE ACROSS THE LAKE BY DAY-LIGHT.

An excellent opportunity to visit Milwaukee and the Northwest will be afforded by this excursion, as tickets will be good to return until Sept. 23rd. Train will leave Holland at 12:25 a.m. and arrive at Ottawa Beach at 1:35 p.m., connecting with a Pere Marquette steamer for a delightful termination of the trip, by daylight across Lake Michigan, arriving in Milwaukee about 9:30 p. m. Rate from Holland will be \$2.50. Returning steamers leave Milwaukee at 9:30 p. m. every day. 32-2w

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A competent cook and second girl to work in private family in Grand Rapids. Mother and daughter or sisters preferred. Write to Mrs. J. B. Martin, Douglas, Mich., care Mrs. Turnbull.

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