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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XX.

HOLLAND, MICH., SATURDAY, AUG. 29, 1891.

NO. 31.

HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

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

L. Mulder - Publisher.

Rates of advertising made known on application.
"Groundwater and News" Steam Printing House, River Street, Holland, Mich.

A HOME.

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

ON SMALL AND EASY PAYMENTS.

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

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

Walter C. Walsh.

Holland, Mich., May 6, 1891.

IF YOU WILL WRITE TO
J. H. BACHELER, M. D.,
CANCER SPECIALIST, 28 MONROE ST.,
Grand Rapids, Michigan.

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

J. G. Huizinga, M. D.

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

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

Office in Meyer & Son's building, one door north of the music store. River street. Office hours: 11 to 12 a. m., 1:30 to 4 p. m., and evenings. Can also be found at his office during the night.
Holland, Mich., April 28, 1891. 23 17

Newspapers and Periodicals

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

C. De Keyser.

Holland, Mich., May 6, 1891. 15tf

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Attorneys and Justices.

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

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

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

Bakeries.

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

Banks.

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

Barbers.

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

Commission Merchant.

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

Drugs and Medicines.

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

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

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

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

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

Dry Goods and Groceries.

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

BOOT & KRAMER, dealer in Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., Eighth street near Bank.

CRANDALL, S. R., dealer in Department Goods and proprietor of Holland City Bazaar, Eighth street.

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

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

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

VAN DER HAAR, H., general dealer in fine Groceries, etc. Oysters in season. Eighth street.

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

WISE, J., dealer in Notions and Fancy Goods, Also Hair Work. Eighth street opposite City Hall.

Furniture.

BOUWER, JAN A., Dealer in Furniture, Carpets, Wall Paper, etc. Meyer, Brouwer & Co's old stand, River St.

Hardware.

KANTERS BROS., dealers in general hardware, Steam and gas fittings a specialty. No. 52 Eighth street.

VANDER VEEN, E., dealer in stoves, hardware, cutlery, etc. Tin and sheetiron work. Corner River and Eighth streets.

Manufactories, Mills, Shops, Etc.

ELMEAN, J., Wagon and Carriage Manufacturer and blacksmith shop. Also manufacturer of Ox Yokes. River street.

HOLLAND CITY BREWERY A Self Proprietor, capacity of Brewery 4,000 barrels. Cor. Maple and Tenth streets.

HUNTLEY, A., Practical Machinist Mill and Engine & Pumps a specialty. Shop on Seventh street, near River.

HUNTLEY, JAS., Architect, Builder and Contractor. Office in New Mill and Factory on River street.

KESTON, PEANING MILL, J. R. Kley, Proprietor, Architect and Builder, dealer in lumber, lath, shingles, and brick. Sixth street.

PROENIX PLANING MILL, Scott & Schuerman, Proprietors, dealer in lumber, lath, shingles and brick. River street.

Merchant Tailors.

PRUSSE BROS., Merchant Tailors.

Meat Markets.

DE KRAKER & DE KOSTER, dealers in all kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats, River street.

Physicians.

HUIZINGA, J. G., M. D., Physician and Surgeon. Office cor. of River and Eighth Sts. Office hours from 10 to 12 a. m., 1 to 4 p. m. and 7 to 9 p. m. Diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat a specialty.

KREMERS, H., Physician and Surgeon. Residence on Twelfth street, cor. of Market. Office at the drug store of H. Kremers. Office hours from 11 a. m. to 12 m., and from 5 to 6 p. m.

MARJELLE, J. A., Physician and Surgeon. Office at Walsh's drug store. Residence, corner of Eighth and Fish streets. In the house formerly occupied by L. Spruiell. Office hours: 9 to 10 a. m., and 3 to 5 p. m.

Saloons.

BROWN, P., dealer in liquors and cigars of all kinds. Eighth street near River.

Watches and Jewelry.

REYMAN, OTTO, Watchmaker, Jeweler, and dealer in fancy goods. Corner of Market and Eighth streets.

STEVENSON, C. A., successor to H. Wykhusen, Jeweler and Optician, Eighth street opposite Walsh's drug store.

Miscellaneous.

WOLTMAN, A., Manufacturer of Fine Havana Cigars, and dealer in Cigars, Tobacco, Pipes, etc.

KEPPEL, T., dealer in lumber, lath, shingles, salt, sand and calced plaster. Corner Eighth and Cedar street.

SOCIETIES.

F. & A. M.

Regular communications of UNITY LODGE, No. 191, F. & A. M., will be held at Masonic Hall, Holland, Mich., at 7 o'clock on Wednesday evening, Jan. 21, Feb. 18, March 25, April 22, May 20, June 17, July 15, August 19, Sept. 16, Oct. 14, Nov. 11, Dec. 9. St. John's days June 24 and December 27. O. BREYMAN, W. M. D. L. GORD, Sec'y.

K. O. T. M.

Crescent Tent, No. 68, meets in K. O. T. M. Hall at 7:30 p. m. on Monday night next. All Sir Knights are cordially invited to attend. Cheapest Life Insurance Order known. Full particulars given on application. JOHN J. CAPRON, Commander. W. J. DAVIDSON, B. K.

THE MARKETS.

Wheat	per bushel	1 00
Barley	per bushel	1 15
Corn	per bushel	77
Oats	per bushel	34
Clover seed	per bushel	4 25
Potatoes	per bushel	30
Flour	per barrel	5 50
Cornmeal, bolted	per cwt.	1 80
Cornmeal, unbolted	per cwt.	1 40
Ground feed	per cwt.	1 40
Middlings	per cwt.	1 13
Beans	per bushel	90
Hay	per ton	10 00
Hotey	per barrel	16 15
Butter	per lb.	17
Eggs	per dozen	15
Wood, hard, dry	per cord	1 50
Chickens, dressed	lb (live 4 @ 50)	8 10
Beans	per bushel	1 75
Onions	per bushel	2 00
		1 35

I Have Moved.

L. P. Husen, the River Street Jeweler, can still be found on the same street, just one block south, in the new store next to Justice Fairbanks' office.

Owing to the continued increase of trade a larger place of business was needed.

Give me a call and satisfy yourself that I carry the neatest and latest styles of watches, clocks, jewelry and silverware, at the lowest prices, where quality is considered.

I have in my employ one of the finest watch makers to be had in the country.

If you have a watch or clock out of repair, leave it with me and have it repaired by a thorough workman.

Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

Watches made from key wind to stem wind.

Bring in your old scraps of gold and silver and have them made into new goods at a slight cost.

All work promptly executed.

It is a pleasure to show goods, so give me a call, whether you wish to purchase or not.

L. P. HUSEN,

River St. Jeweler.
Holland, Mich., Aug. 18, 1891.

Girl Wanted.

A good, competent girl, for general housework. Good wages. Family of six. For information apply at B. Stoketee. Mrs. G. McKoy. Chicago, Ill.

CITY AND VICINITY.

Wheat \$1.00.

The number of those that take city water, is nearly up to 200.

The tub factory of J. & A. Van Putten is being enlarged and has shut down for two weeks.

Adam Wagner, after having resided at Eastmanville since 1854, has moved with his family to Belding, Mich.

Notwithstanding the late drought the crop of blackberries in Western Michigan has been the largest in many years.

Died in this city, on Saturday, after a lingering sickness, Mrs. J. Van der Schuur. The deceased was the wife of the Advent exhorter at this place.

The Northern Presbyterian makes favorable mention of the labors of Theol. student H. S. Juistema, in South Dakota, where he spent his vacation as a local missionary.

Cards are out announcing the wedding on Thursday of next week, of Rev. H. Geerlings of Decatur, Mich., and Miss Rika L. Mulder, daughter of the publisher of the News.

Everything points to a large volume of trade this fall. With the increased circulation of the News it will be well for the merchants of Holland to fix the public mind upon the fall stocks they are now daily expecting.

The Detroit Times has sent out a "Birthday Supplement and G. A. R. Souvenir," which is a marvel of beauty. With it go also two engravings, of the Battle of Gettysburg and the Battle of Kenesaw Mountain.

The Benton Harbor canning factory has closed for the season, having put up 40,000 two-pound cans of raspberries, 33,000 cans of blackberries, 40,000 cans of strawberries and 15,000 cans of cherries. This is the sort of industry Holland should have.

Saturday afternoon the yacht Ottawa and another pleasure yacht were capsized on Macatawa Bay. There were about fifteen ladies and gentlemen on one boat and about five on the other, and though there was some lively scrambling no one was drowned.

We have received a copy of the premium list of the Allegan county fair, which is to be held Sept. 29 to Oct. 2. It is a neat pamphlet of 96 pages; Henderson & Ward, printers. Like similar issues it is supposed to give all the desired information. Parties desiring a copy will please address C. H. Adams, secretary, Allegan, Mich.

Horsemen of this city and Zeeland are utilizing the race track at the fair grounds are speeding their horses daily. Ph. Coburn is training the horses of Dr. W. Van Putten. C. Boone and S. Coburn of Zeeland have some horses of their own on the grounds. H. Boone is also seen there occasionally with his favorite Maggie B.

List of letters advertised for the week ending Aug. 27th, 1891, at the Holland post office: Miss Mary Conrad, Miss Kittie Coon, Mrs. Lydia Howard, Mr. Gus Krane, Mr. Richard Lankhett, Miss Grace Lynch, Mr. J. H. Roseman, Mrs. J. S. Smith, Mrs. Sarah Story, Charlie E. Skinner. G. J. VAN DUREN, P. M.

Chas. Johnson, residing south of the city, showed us a sample of tomatoes the other day, grown on his place, four of whom weighed five pounds. They are of the variety designated for the present as "the 400." The seed firm that have introduced this variety offer a premium of \$250 for the most suitable name suggested by any one that has purchased a package of seed from them this year.

Capt. P. Pfanstiehl, in addition to his other business, has established a general steamboat agency, on the Bradshaw dock, which dock he has leased for the season. He has an office there suitably fitted out, with a lady clerk, and telephone. Under existing arrangements the captain controls pretty much all the wharfage at the head of Black Lake. Take it all and all, he is one of the busiest men in the city.

Cranberry lake is a small inland water in the township of Wright, Ottawa county. The fish in said lake, says the Coopersville Observer, are dying by the thousands. The water has turned to a dirty green color and bull-heads, sunfish and bass are dying in such numbers as to create a stench which is unbearable in the vicinity. Last Saturday nearly 200 bushels of dead fish were gathered up from the shores of the lake and carted away, some of them being buried and others scattered over plowed fields for fertilizing purposes, and on Sunday evening as many more could have been shoveled up.

Bulbs at Dutton's. See notice.

The union school at Douglas is to have a new 500-pound bell.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Johannes Mulder, Fourth Ward, Monday—a son.

Miss Mary Huisinga presided at the organ in the First Ref. church, Sunday.

Rev. Wm. Lewis, of Brazil, Ind., has purchased the Koenigsburg property on Eighth street, east of the post office.

Celery is becoming an extensive product of Bay City. One man has 40 acres of it and will have 100 next year.

The time table of the steamer Macatawa has been amended, and the evening trip discontinued during the remainder of the season.

The steamers Favorite of Chicago and W. H. Browne of Saugatuck came up the bay Tuesday, and tied up to Capt. Pfanstiehl's docks.

Husen, the River street jeweler, has moved into new quarters, next to Squire Fairbanks' office, where he is cosily located and ready for business.

The ship canal between Grand Rapids and Grand Haven was never known to be so low as at present. The steamer Barret has stranded at Eastmanville, unable to get any further.

South Haven people overwhelmingly defeated the project of raising \$7,000 for the purpose of building cisterns for fire protection, and think that a complete system of waterworks will be about their size.

The two C. & W. M. locomotives which were badly smashed in the recent collision south of Holland, are now in the repair shops at Muskegon, being rebuilt. They have been stripped clean of all coverings.

G. R. Eagle—A mortgage for \$3,500 has been filed with the city clerk by the West Michigan Park association. The mortgage is in favor of Henry Spring and covers all the property of the association at Ottawa Beach.

In view of the opening of school, one week from Monday, M. Kiekintveld has laid in a full line of books and supplies for both city and district schools, which are offered at low prices. See announcement in another column.

The firemen of Holland have no use for dilapidated sheds, or remnants of old buildings. The boys are being credited with a chronic zeal for the prompt enforcement of the ordinance relative to the removal of nuisances.

Let everybody bear in mind that he or she should consider the fair as part of their property and thus take special interest in its success and make calculations to bring something to swell the amount in the several departments and add interest to the fair.

The manager of the Benton Harbor branch of the Squire Dingee Pickle Company says cucumbers are pretty nearly a failure this year. The average yield in this locality will be about twelve bushels to the acre, while in the eastern part of the state it will be only three bushels, and in Wisconsin about two bushels to the acre.

The state board of equalization have adjourned, and before determining upon the true valuation of the several counties they will go to the Upper Peninsula and visit the counties of Marquette, Gogebie, Houghton, and Iron Mountain, comparing assessment rolls with the valuations placed upon mining properties by experts.

The auction sale of horses at the stables of Ed. Harrington, Tuesday next, is largely advertised in this issue of the News, and promises to be well attended. These horses are not an aggregate promiscuously picked up from all over, but are home-bred, and owned by Ed. There will be not less than twenty, and all of them will be sold to the highest bidder.

Treventle Visser, a handsome daughter of Rutolf Visser, residing on Wealthy Avenue, Grand Rapids, went to sleep in the early evening one day last week, with the windows of her room open because of the heat. Upon awakening a short time later, she was horrified to find that her beautiful long brown locks had been cut off close to her head. A plank leaning against the window was the only clue to the nocturnal barber.

There is another piece of legislation that will work a hardship throughout the state. The Reform School at Lansing was becoming overcrowded and an enlargement rendered necessary. But to our reform solons it appeared that the shortest cut was to simply change the age of admission and make it between 12 and 16 years; it was between 10 and 12. The problem now is what to do with juvenile offenders between the age of 10 and 12.

At South Blendon they propose to build a new Reformed church.

T. Slag has contracted for three houses on Fifteenth street, near Maple.

Rev. M. Kolyn of Kalamazoo has declined the call of the First Ref. church.

Dr. Wm. De Bey of Chicago, at one time a student at Hope College, died in that city the 17th inst., aged 43 years.

It is becoming a matter of local dispute, which is the most popular on the streets of our city, the bronco or the bicycle.

Mr. Dijkstra of Ventura met with a painful accident Friday of last week. While ascending a ladder he slipped and fell, dislocating the right shoulder. Under the care of Dr. Wetmore he is doing nicely.

Personal Mention.

J. C. Post went north Tuesday, on a visit to the Soo.

J. De Vries of Grand Rapids was in town Wednesday.

Dr. Will Bosman of Kalamazoo, was in the city Monday.

Dr. J. Reynolds of Grand Haven was in town Wednesday.

Geo. Trineck of Muskegon Sundayed with his parents in this city.

Geo. Birkhoff, Sr., and wife spent the week with Prof. and Mrs. H. Boers.

James Monroe, postmaster of Kalamazoo, was seen in town Wednesday.

Representative Geo. F. Richardson spent a few hours in the city, Wednesday.

Ed. Born of the Allegan wagon and carriage works was in the city Wednesday.

J. Verhaar of Roseland, Ill., agent of De Grondet, favored us with a call this week.

Rev. A. Zwemer, of Sioux County, Iowa, is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Ed. Breeze, wife and child, of Kalamazoo, were the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. DeMerell.

Lucius M. Boltwood of New Haven, Conn., was among the friendly callers at the News office, this week.

Mrs. E. E. Peattie of New York is a guest of her cousins Mrs. J. C. Waterman and Mrs. M. S. Marshall.

Mrs. C. Briggs and Miss Nettie Briggs of Battle Creek, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Higgins.

Hi Potts of Grand Haven, the well-known journalist, was a welcome visitor at the News office Thursday.

Mrs. M. S. Marshall was called to Augusta, Wis., this week, on account of the serious illness of her husband.

H. M. Rose, city editor of the G. R. Democrat, wife and son, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Dickema, Sunday.

Dr. M. Veenboer and wife of Grand Rapids passed through the city Saturday, on their way home from the resorts.

Harry Stevenson, of Freeport, Ill., returned to his home, Sunday evening, after a few days' visit with his parents in this city.

Theol. student Harry Kremers has returned from the west and is spending the balance of his vacation at his home in this city.

P. J. Pietenpol arrived in town last week and will resume his studies at the opening of the Western Seminary, next Wednesday.

Mrs. Hattie Conway and children and Miss Jennie Otten returned to Waupun, Wis., Wednesday, after a six weeks' visit with relatives and friends in this city.

J. D. Sherwin of Grand Rapids and S. N. Chambers of Grand Haven spent part of last week visiting their cousins Mrs. J. A. Waterman and Mrs. M. S. Marshall.

V. and Jennie Vander Veen and their brother John, of this city, went to Grand Haven Wednesday to attend the wedding of their cousin Miss Marion Van der Veen.

Geo. W. Browning, superintendent and manager of the Ottawa Furniture Co., has moved his family here from Charlotte. He occupies one of T. Keipel's brick houses on Market street.

F. M. Harvey, a former resident of Olive and of this city, but lately of Jackson, Mich., has purchased a small farm of Geert Garvelink, three miles south of the city, and moved his family there, last week.

John Boone, Jr., son of H. J. Boone, Holland town, has been appointed collection clerk of the Grand Rapids Savings Bank. His oldest brother Thomas, after a four-years' service with the institution, has been promoted to the position of teller.

Two notices in this issue of "Girl Wanted."

The South Haven Basket factory is turning out 10,000 peach baskets daily.

The Classis of Holland of the Ref. Church will hold its fall session at Zeeland, Wednesday.

Died, Tuesday, the seven-months old infant of Mr. and Mrs. J. Klaasen, Thirteenth street.

The president's house, on Hope College campus is expected to be completed by the 1st of October.

The Featherbone Corset Co., which has been the main stay of Three Oaks, will be moved from there to Kalamazoo.

Benton Harbor, by a popular vote last week, has bonded itself to the amount of \$50,000 for public improvements.

The strife for the position of deputy oil inspector of this district has resulted in the appointment of E. D. Blair, of Grand Haven.

The pulpit of the First Ref. church will be occupied next Sunday by Rev. E. De Pree of Grand Rapids, forenoon and afternoon.

Ex-Congressman Cutcheon's friends in Manistee are arranging for a public testimonial before his final departure for Washington.

Holland City News.

HOLLAND CITY, MICHIGAN.

PEORIA'S CRAZY NEGRO

PLAYS HAVOC WITH THE CITY'S POLICE FORCE.

A Brutal Murder Near Mattoon, Ill.—Good Move of a New Jersey Officer—After the Dalton Gang—Misfortune of an Iowa Town.

SLASHED BY A NEGRO.

Three Policemen and a Woman Fearfully Cut by a Desperado.

On the streets of Peoria, Ill., a negro ran amuck. The desperado is Frank Berry, and his associates say he murdered two men in Natchez a few years ago. He tried to cut a colored woman's throat, and Officers Sloan and Campbell entered just in time to save the woman, but in the fight which ensued both of them were fearfully cut. Officer Sloan has three ugly gashes in the face, one of which is six inches long and exposes his tongue. Campbell is cut around one-half of his neck. Berry got out on the street, but Officer Stevens knocked him down. Berry rose and cut Stevens in the face. He then started to run across the street when the patrol wagon was driven onto him and one of the horses stepped on his head rendering him insensible, and he was captured.

ON THE DIAMOND.

How the Clubs Engaged in the National Game Stand.

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

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
W. L.	Pc.	W. L.	Pc.
Chicago.....	49	39	62
Boston.....	41	56	66
New York.....	40	57	66
Philadelphia.....	35	48	59

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.			
W. L.	Pc.	W. L.	Pc.
Boston.....	44	32	58
St. Louis.....	40	30	50
Baltimore.....	35	45	56
Philadelphia.....	33	50	61

WESTERN ASSOCIATION.			
W. L.	Pc.	W. L.	Pc.
St. Louis.....	33	43	56
Omaha.....	28	44	57

Lynched Though Guiltless of Crime.
Will Lewis, colored, aged 18 years, was lynched at Tallahoma, Tenn. The lynching was very quiet, done, no one except two prisoners in the calaboose knowing anything about it. Lewis was regarded as a quarrelsome negro, and a few days ago he attempted to kill City Marshal Rainey. He was last arrested for acting in a disorderly manner and insulting a lady.

Grand Mound, Iowa, Scourged.

Fire broke out at Grand Mound, Clinton County, Iowa, and the buildings of Jacobs, harness dealer; Teege, butcher; Leyder, blacksmith; Twogood, hardware; Fitzgerald, druggist; and Moeller and Detloff, hardware merchants, were entirely consumed. The total loss is placed at \$20,000. Only a year ago fire devastated the main part of the place.

Will Give No Quarter.

United States Marshal Grimes of Caldwell, Kan., who has charge of the remains of Deputy Short, who was killed by one of the Dalton gang, says that from this time it is a war of extermination, and his deputies will shoot on sight. The trail of the Daltons has been found, and every deputy marshal in the territory is on it.

To Protect Young Girls.

Superintendent Brown, of the Newark, N. J., Police Department, has issued an order for the arrest of all girls under sixteen found on the streets after 9 p. m. A close watch will be kept on the regular places, and if young girls are found visiting the picnic parks with improper escorts they will be taken in charge by the police.

The Fire Record.

A special dispatch from Fort Smith, Ark., says: The town of Charleston, Tex., was partially burned last night. Total loss, \$50,000. The court house and records were burned. At Moody, Tex., a very disastrous fire occurred, destroying half the business portion of the town, including the postoffice. Loss, \$20,000; incendiary.

Slain with a Hoe.

James Winkieblack, residing near Charleston, Ill., who gained an unenviable reputation five or six years ago in connection with the murder of Nehemiah Fleetwood and wife, is again in court charged with his landlord and neighbor Scott Green's murder. Winkieblack killed Green with a hoe.

A Startling Report.

It is reported in Washington that the crews of two small steam whalers wintering near the mouth of the Mackenzie River, about five hundred miles east of Point Barrow, have been massacred by the natives of that region.

Rough on Both of Them.

A black snake, over eleven feet in length, attacked Jerry Canfield, of Hamburg, Conn. Canfield was thrown down, and the wheels of his wagon ran over both him and the snake, breaking his legs and killing the reptile.

To Succeed Edmunds.

Hon. Redfield Proctor, now Secretary of War in President Harrison's Cabinet, has been appointed Senator to succeed George F. Edmunds by Governor Page, of Vermont.

Owen's Murderer Captured.

At Mansfield, Mo., Sheriff Klindine captured James Wright, and will take him to Sneedville, Tenn., where he is wanted for murder.

Suicide of a Morphine Victim.

At Salt Lake City, U. T., a carpenter named Will Sherrill shot himself through the heart. The effects of the morphine habit led to the suicide.

Only Six Months.

An Italian laborer who was detected robbing the body of one of the victims of the disaster in New York was sentenced to six months in prison.

Apparently Destitute. He Left \$17,000.

Near St. Louis, Edward Baker died, apparently in destitute circumstances. His relatives in clearing up the house discovered an old trunk containing \$17,000. The deceased left a widow and three children, none of whom suspected his having the money.

Fell from a Window in His Factory.

At Yonkers, N. Y., John Howland, a wealthy hat manufacturer, aged 64 years, fell from a window of his hat factory, and striking on the stones one hundred feet below, was killed.

THAT CAUTIOUS FEELING

Exceedingly Right Prospects.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

During the past week attention has been absorbed by great excitement in grain. There is little room to doubt that the foreign demand will be greater than ever if prices here are not so advanced as to check it. The general business of the country does well, with gradual improvement in nearly all branches, based on actual increase of demand from farming States. The general feeling is cautious and conservative. Though the prospect of large trade is bright, in scarcely any branch is there seen a disposition to venture upon large speculative purchases. Yet the volume of business is probably as large as ever before at midsummer. The business failures during the last seven days number: United States 193, Canada 17, as compared with a total of 227 the week previous. For the corresponding week last year 173 in the United States and 20 in Canada.

PLOT TO GAIN \$30,000.

The Plan Was to Accuse Employees of Siegel, Cooper & Co. of Arson.

Thomas Higgins, William Dalton, George Washington and John Anderson are under arrest, charged with conspiracy and attempted blackmail. Ever since Siegel, Cooper & Co.'s store, State and Adams streets, burned the proprietors have had suspicions that the fire was of incendiary origin. August Binswanger, attorney for the firm, began a thorough investigation, and caused the arrests. Their plan was a simple one. They agreed to go to the insurance companies and propose that on payment of \$20,000 they would disclose the parties who had set the buildings on fire, and then confirm each other's story.

PALLIUM FOR KATZER.

The Catholic Archbishop Receives High Honors from His Eminence the Pope.

With all the pomp and grandeur of an ancient and historical ecclesiasticism, which has its embodiment in the Roman Catholic Church of the present, his Eminence Cardinal Gibbons invested with the pallium the newly elected Archbishop of Milwaukee, the Most Rev. Frederick Xavier Katzer, D. D., at the Cathedral of St. John, Milwaukee. The presence of a prince of the church, together with archbishops, bishops, archbishops, abbots, monsignors, and hundreds of priests gave an opportunity for an elaboration of ritual which is seldom attempted in the West.

DID HE TAKE HIS LIFE?

Clark Woodman of Omaha, Neb., Found Dead in a Room.

The body of Clark Woodman, one of the wealthiest citizens of Omaha, Neb., and an influential director in the Lincoln Oil trust, was found in his room at the Grand Pacific Hotel Chicago. The supposition of every one at all interested personally is that it was a case of suicide. The cause for such an act is a peculiar mystery, and all the circumstances do not by any means confirm the theory of suicide, which is, however, strengthened by a few strange and unexplained facts.

TOOK THE LAW IN THEIR HANDS.

An Indiana Murderer Taken from Jail, Hanged and Filled with Bullets.

City Marshal Bruce, of Shelbyville, Ind., while endeavoring to stop a quarrel between Charles Hawkins and another man, was shot by Hawkins. A mob of 500 collected at the jail where Hawkins was confined. After gaining an entrance six men came rushing out pulling their victim by the neck. He exclaimed: "Give me time to pray." They took him to a tree, hanged him up, shot him full of bullets, and in five minutes the mob had dispersed.

THEIR TICKET.

Pennsylvania Republicans Have Started the Ball Rolling.

State Auditor..... J. M. GREGG
State Treasurer..... J. W. MORRISON

The Pennsylvania Republican State Convention met at Harrisburg, and on the first ballot chose the gentlemen named above as candidates for the respective offices. The convention took a lively interest in the surface indications, but committed itself to no candidate for the Presidency. The platform adopted favors the free coinage of silver.

BROKE TWO OCEAN RECORDS.

The Teutonic Made the Fastest Time from Liverpool to New York.

The White Star Line steamer Teutonic beat the record for western Atlantic passages. Her time from the bar at Queens-town to the Sandy Hook bar was five days sixteen hours and thirty-one minutes. This is one hour and thirty-seven minutes faster than the time of her sister ship the Majestic. One day the Teutonic steamed 517 miles, which also beats the record of speed for a day.

OHIO'S JESSE JAMES

Is Safely Lodged Behind the Prison Bars at Ottawa.

James Roberts, arrested at New Washington for the Columbus Grove, Ohio, robbery and murder, was fully identified by Cashier Maple and John Crawford, the hardware dealer who sold him two revolvers. He was taken to the Ottawa jail. He went from the scene of the robbery to New Washington, where he had been the guest of his uncle, Mr. Carson, postmaster of the village.

CROPS ARE INJURED.

The Recent Heavy Frost Does Great Damage Throughout the Badger State.

Frost did considerable damage to crops in Wisconsin. A dispatch received from Neocosh states 75 per cent of the cranberry crop is ruined. The temperature in the canberry belt fell to ten degrees below freezing. From the tobacco sections dispatches say that another frost of this kind will ruin 10,000,000 pounds of tobacco, which is now being put in sheds. Corn and potatoes suffered severely in some sections.

CREMATED IN A CABIN.

The Charred Remains of Benjamin R. Musgrave Found Near Terre Haute, Ind.

Terre Haute, Ind., has a ghastly sensation in the charred remains of a human being found in the ruins of a fire eight miles north of the city. It is reasonably certain that the bones are those of B. R. Musgrave, a real estate dealer of the city up till two years ago, since which time he has been a fugitive from justice.

Forced Her to Take Poison.

Howard D. Earle, of Buffalo, N. Y., gave his wife a dose of laudanum, and when she threw it off he held a hammer over her head, forced her to take another dose, and left her to die. A woman in the house later discovered Mrs. Earle's condition and called two doctors who resuscitated her.

Alleged Incendiary Caught.

At Indianapolis, Ind., there have been within the last thirty days about seventy-five small fires of barns, little dwelling-houses, etc. A man named John Taylor was arrested. He is a house-repairer and small carpenter. His scheme was to burn property and then get the job of repairing. It was his prompt appearance just after

the fires and soliciting for the repairing jobs that led to his arrest.

Skipped with the Cash Box.

At Sioux City, Iowa, two thousand people gathered at Evans' Park and paid 25 cents each to see a wild West show that had been extensively advertised. When the crowd was gathered the show people quietly left the ground with the admission fees, and it developed that there was no show of the kind in existence. Some well-known Sioux City people were arrested for complicity in the swindle.

Murder of Thirteen Children.

Marciano Medina, his wife, and his daughter, living on a ranch at Lomo di Zomora, in the United States of Colombia, have been arrested, the first charged with murder and the other two with being accessories in the killing of ten children born to Medina and his wife and three born to his daughter. Medina has confessed, and he shows little feeling now that he has been discovered.

Costly Blaze in Texas.

At Dallas, Tex., Ardinger & Rose's clothing store, F. M. Smith & Co.'s boot and shoe house, and Warden's gun store were destroyed by fire. W. F. Shook, a druggist, and W. A. Watkins, piano dealer, were also burned out, as were several doctors and lawyers having offices on the upper floors of the burned buildings. The loss will aggregate \$400,000, with insurance of perhaps a quarter of that sum.

Mutiny on a Steamer.

The fremen and coal-passers on the Netherlands Line ship Odessa, on her last western passage, rebelled. They put out the fires and stopped the boat when two days out from New York. Captain Bakker promptly shot and killed the ringleader, ending the uprising. Three hundred passengers were on the craft. The dissatisfied men were all foreigners, anarchists and socialists.

Girls Helping the Strikers.

At Lafayette, Ind., the Lake Erie and Western officials were determined to start their freight trains, but were unsuccessful. Between twenty-five and thirty men arrived from Chicago to man the trains, but the strikers soon had all but two of them won over. The dining-room girls at the St. Nicholas Hotel refused to wait on the men who came to take the strikers' places.

Was the Boy Poisoned?

West Brownstown, Ind., is excited over the sudden death of little George Hughes, two weeks ago. He was an important witness in a criminal prosecution, and not feeling well a doctor was called, who gave him some medicine. He died. One of the parties interested in the suit gave him the medicine. His body will be exhumed and his stomach analyzed.

Has a Good Thing and Knows It.

The city of Grand Rapids, Mich., bought a seventeen-acre tract without realizing that a half acre in the center of it is owned by a notorious prize-fighter now in Waco, Tex. His piece is worth about \$300, but he now refuses to sell to the city or any one else for less than \$6,000, and if they don't want to pay it he writes that he will come home and start a beer-garden.

Carried Off by a Balloon.

A most remarkable balloon ascension was made at a summer resort fifteen miles below Wilmington, N. C. Charlie Williams, a negro helper to the aeronaut, was carried to a height of 5,000 feet. It was supposed that Williams had been killed, but just before reaching the ground he disentangled himself, jumped away and escaped unhurt.

His Body Found in a Creek.

The body of Nicolaus Errie was found in Flint Creek, Missoula County, Mont. On his person was found a bank-book from Milwaukee, showing a balance of \$1,100 to his credit. He had a second-class ticket from St. Paul to San Francisco and \$123 in his pocket. He had doubtless fallen from a train and rolled into the creek.

Fruit-Growing in Oregon.

The country around Albany, Ore., in the Willamette Valley, has long been noted especially for its fine climate and "big red apples," but now acres upon acres are being planted in pears, prunes, cherries and other fruits suitable for canning purposes. More canneries are needed there to take care of the surplus fruits.

Cattle Die on a Tramp Steamer.

The cable brought news of very heavy mortality among the cattle on the steamer Loch Lomond, which arrived at Dundee from Montreal. The steamship met with a heavy gale and no fewer than 121 of the cattle perished on the voyage. The Loch Lomond is a tramp steamer and has never carried cattle before.

His Arm Torn off.

The door of a car in a freight train swung open as the train neared the Marion station in Jersey City at 9:20 at night as it passed a passenger train. Joseph Kelter, of New York, sat with his arm out of the window of the passenger train. The swinging freight car door caught his arm and tore it from his socket.

Relations a Little Strained.

The German Minister of Finance has sent a communication to the Emperor asking that the duties on corn be suspended for three months. He ignores Chancellor Von Caprivi by this action, and it is thought that one of the Ministers will be obliged to leave the Cabinet.

Canada's Wheat Crop.

Canada will export more wheat this year than ever before. The yield in Ontario will be 30,500,000 bushels, or nearly 10,000,000 more than last year. Manitoba and the Northwest will yield, it is estimated, 30,000,000 and other provinces 2,500,000 bushels, in all about 63,000,000 bushels.

Crushed His Skull.

Ada, Ohio, is in a ferment of excitement over a brutal murder. George Stokesbury, a fellow named Stewart, and John Frouth became engaged in an altercation. Stokesbury was knocked down. Frouth struck him with a big stone, crushing in his skull. He expired in about half an hour.

Severe Storm in Missouri.

Dispatches from several points in Missouri indicate that the storm which did so much damage at Atchison, Kan., and Kansas City, Mo., played havoc with the grain in stacks and standing corn, as well as doing immense damage to houses, barns, and outhouses.

Desperate Fight in a Church.

A desperate affray at the Methodist Church at Pineville, Wyoming County, W. Va., resulted in the wounding of Sheriff Lambert and the capture of two desperadoes. "Grandpaw" Rules and his grandson Joe, both under the influence of liquor, caused the trouble. Both were jailed.

Every Vessel Destroyed.

The United States Consul at Martigues, in the West Indies, cables that a hurricane destroyed every vessel in the harbor.

A Woman for Judge in Nebraska.

The executive committee of the Nebraska Prohibition State Central Committee placed

on their ticket the name of Mrs. Ida M. Bittenbender, of Lincoln, as candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court. R. W. Richardson, the nominee, being found ineligible.

Pinkerton Men Placed on Guard.

Pinkerton detectives have been taken to Pottsville, Pa., by the Pottsville Iron and Steel Company to assist their own special police in guarding the property at the company's fishback mill and protecting the non-union men at work.

Elberon Hotel and Cottage Sold.

The trustees' sale by Charles S. Brown of the property at Elberon, N. J., known as the Elberon Hotel and the Garfield Cottage, where President Garfield died, took place, and was bid in by the trustees for the sum of \$62,000.

Fatal Fall of a Train Conductor.

As a freight train on the Monon was going down the steep grade at Smithville, Ind., a wheel broke and Walter Ferguson, the conductor, was thrown to the ground; the blood vessels in his neck and his windpipe both burst, and he died.

No Beer for Indians.

Secretary Noble has instructed the Commissioner of Indian Affairs to direct Agent Bennett of the Union Indian Agency in the Indian Territory to seize all packages of beer that may be shipped into the Indian Territory.

Two Insane Women Commit Suicide.

A double suicide occurred in the Erie County (N. Y.) Jail. Two insane women, Anna Gorosowski and Catherine Schmidt, hanged themselves with pieces of bed-clothing within twenty minutes of each other.

Two Firemen Killed by the Cars.

A carriage containing H. G. Mulligan, of Greenbush, and J. F. Hickey, of Troy, delegates to the Firemen's Convention at Herkimer, N. Y., with John Lawton, of that village, as driver, was struck by the N. Y. C. express and all were killed.

Stabbed His Assassin.

Near La Porte, Ind., Washington Keith-line assaulted a man named Lewis, whom he knocked down, and while kicking him in a brutal manner the latter drew a knife and stabbed Keithline in the left side near the heart. Lewis fled.

Wrecked by Storms.

A violent wind and hail storm passed over country contiguous to Atchison, Kansas, Kansas City, Mo., and Bloomington, Ind., unroofing buildings and doing immense damage.

Cairo's Quaint Streets.

The World's Fair directors awarded George Pangelos, a merchant at Cairo, Egypt, the privilege of reproducing a street of his native city at the Columbian Fair.

Took His Life for Five Cents.

Near Jackson, Tenn., James Hardin stabbed and instantly killed J. Edwards, his nephew. Hardin accused Edwards of having spent five cents which had been entrusted to him.

Four Men Killed in a Mine.

William Janz, G. A. McNeill, Robert Blackburn and Alexander Barron were killed at the Black Bear mine in Coeur d'Alene County, Idaho, by falling earth.

One of the Hoodlums Resigns.

At Ottawa, Ont., it is understood Mr. A. Senecal, Superintendent of the Government Printing Bureau, has resigned and that his resignation has been accepted.

Dropped Dead While Changing Cars.

At Mitchell, Ind., an old lady, aged about 70 years, while changing cars suddenly dropped dead. Her name was McQueen and she was from Renaud, Ill.

Every Bone Broken.

A boiler in Spencer's sawmill at Wallaceburg, Ont., exploded. Fireman Clark Brunson was killed nearly 100 feet, and nearly every bone in his body broken.

Gold Found in Abundance.

Carson, Nev., William Zirn, at Pine Nut, Nev., was offered \$1,000 for permission to work his new mine twenty-four hours. In four hour Zirn took out \$1,500.

Murdered Man Identified.

The young man found murdered in a spring south of Indianapolis four weeks ago proves to have been named Gilbert. He was from St. Louis.

Killed His Sister.

At Chicago a drunken brawl at a christening party resulted in the murder of Mrs. Amelia Darwald by her brother, Albert Kinki, a laborer.

I Rowed While Fishing.

George Fussell, an old resident of Cumberland, Wis., and his grandson were both drowned while fishing in Beaver Dam Lake.

An Old Resident Killed.

William Orr, aged 80, the oldest man in White County, Ind., was killed at Monon by a train.

Two Men Cremated.

At Boston, Mass., two men, asleep in the loft of a stable, were burned to death, as were also two horses.

LATEST MARKET QUOTATIONS.

CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Common to Prime.....	63.50	@	62.25
HOGS—Shipping Grades.....	4.00	@	5.75
SHEEP.....	3.00	@	5.00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	1.04	@	1.03
OATS—No. 2.....	.35	@	.37
RYE—No. 2.....	.31	@	.31 1/2
BUTTER—Choice Creamery.....	.21	@	.23
CHEESE—Full Cream, Nats.....	.08 1/4	@	.09 1/4
EGGS—Fresh.....	.14 1/2	@	.15 1/2
POTATOES—New per bushel.....	.40	@	.45
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE—Shipping.....	3.50	@	5.75
HOGS—Choice Light.....	3.50	@	5.75
SHEEP—Common to Prime.....	3.50	@	4.50
OATS—No. 2.....	.37	@	.37 1/2
CORN—No. 1 White.....	.33 1/2	@	.34 1/2
OATS—No. 2 White.....	.33	@	.33 1/2
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE.....	3.50	@	5.75
HOGS.....	4.50	@	5.50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	1.01	@	1.03
CORN—No. 2.....	.30 1/2	@	.31 1/2
OATS—No. 2.....	.30 1/2	@	.31 1/2
RYE—No. 2.....	.30 1/2	@	.31 1/2
CINCINNATI.			
CAT. LK.....	3.50	@	5.25
HOG.....	3.50	@	5.25
SHEEP.....	3.00	@	5.00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	.39	@	1.01
CORN—No. 2.....	.35	@	.36
OATS—No. 2 Mixed.....	.31 1/2	@	.32 1/2
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE.....	3.50	@	5.25
HOGS.....	3.50	@	5.25
SHEEP.....	3.00	@	5.00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	.39	@	1.01
CORN—No. 2.....	.35	@	.36

HOLLAND CITY NEWS

G. VAN SCHELVEN, Editor.

SATURDAY, AUG. 29, 1891.

Our Public Schools.

In another column will be found the Annual Statement of the Public Schools of the City of Holland, comprising a full record of everything pertaining to the management of our schools during the fiscal year now closed. Also the budget for the next year, with the amounts to be raised by taxes this winter, the total of which is \$12,010, as against \$9,213 in 1890, and \$8,325 in 1889. This increase is largely accounted for by the increase in the teaching force and the salaries paid, and by the new heating apparatus in the Central school building, now in process of construction.

Notwithstanding the additional room obtained by the enlargement of the Fourth Ward school last year, the steady increase of pupils during the year just closed and a like prospect during the next, confronted the board with the probability that at any time in the immediate future they might be called upon to provide additional school room. Unless the basement rooms in the Central building could be provided with suitable ventilation and rendered fit for occupation by the pupils of the primary department, the only alternative left would be to erect another building.

Inasmuch as the furnaces in the Central building had to be entirely renewed this fall, it was finally decided by the board to experiment in this connection upon a system of ventilation, for said basement rooms which would make them available as school rooms, and thus solve the problem. To that end the board entered into a contract with the Hyatt & Smith Manufacturing Co., of Detroit, for a blast apparatus, large enough to heat both the Central and High School buildings and which will at the same time furnish the desired ventilation for the basement rooms. The firm are hard at work now in placing this heater. One of the four basement rooms in the north-west corner, will be entirely occupied by the heater, a boiler for generating steam, and other apparatus; also as a storage place for fuel. The heater has a 42-inch fan, and engine for driving the hot air into the flues, and also cold air, for ventilating purposes, when so desired. An underground duct also connects the plant with the High School. The furnaces here, which could hardly be expected to have lasted another winter, have already been taken out.

The contract price is \$1,975, but with the usual changes and extras the entire cost will likely be somewhat increased. The contractors guarantee that the plant will meet all the desired objects, and have given bonds to that effect; The amount of fuel required, as stated by the contractor is one-third of a ton of coal a day. The work is to be completed by the 15th of September.

The school census this year will be taken by Jerry Winters. School begins a week from next Monday.

Labor Day at the Resorts.

The Grand Rapids papers give the details of the manner in which the various labor organizations in that city intend to celebrate Labor Day, on Monday, Sept. 7. After a parade in the morning through the principal streets in the city the procession will disband at the Union depot, where trains will be in waiting to convey the crowds to Ottawa Beach and Macatawa Park. The parade is expected to be the largest and grandest of the kind ever seen in Western Michigan, as there will be forty-five uniformed unions in line and several military bands.

At Ottawa Beach attractions without number are arranged for the day. One of the features will be a grand band concert.

The C. & W. M. will run six special trains, the first at 8:30 a. m., the next ones at 9:30, 10:10, 10:30, 12:30, and the last at 8:30 p. m.

Program at the resorts is as follows: 11 a. m.—Base ball game, at Shady Side.

12 m.—Dinner; tables in the groves for picnic parties. Meals at the hotels, 50 cents; serving same begins at 11:30.

1 p. m.—Oration by the Hon. James E. McBride, the well-known attorney, to whom the labor problem has become an interesting study.

2:30 p. m.—Exhibition by the life saving crew. The first part of this exhibition will take place in Macatawa Bay. The shooting of the life line will take place on the regular drill ground of the crew (on the Macatawa Park side of the channel).

4:30 p. m.—Amateur swimming contest in Macatawa Bay for a silver cup; entries free; those wishing to compete will send their names to J. H. Alliger, amusement director, Ottawa Beach; open to everybody. Grand band concert from the veranda of the Ottawa Beach Hotel, during the entire afternoon, by one of the finest military bands in Michigan. Dancing at the

"Casino," on the Ottawa Beach side, and in the "Pavilion" on the Macatawa Park side. Lake steamers will be on hand to make hourly excursions out into Lake Michigan. Altogether the day will be celebrated on a scale of magnificence never before seen in this part of the State.

The "Little Harry."

Friday morning as A. Dykhuys and Johannes Lappinga, of Olive township were walking on the shore of Lake Michigan, nine miles north of Holland harbor, they discovered the wreck of a small yacht, and upon investigation found it to be the "Little Harry," owned by Kees Verhoef, and named after his nine-year old boy Harry.

Father and son made the yacht their home, during the summer, and had managed to fit up sleeping apartments in the fore-cabin for both. Their residence was in Muskegon, but the greater part of the summer was spent at the Holland resorts, at the service of those that desired to engage him and his yacht for a sail. The old man, in his appearance was the picture of the typical old tar, and had become quite a favorite, with his yacht, among the resorters.

The yacht had stranded right side up, and in the little cabin was found the dead body of young Harry; but of the old skipper no traces could be detected. The masts of the boat were broken off, and the sails and rigging were hanging at the side of the hull.

At this writing there is room for only one conjecture: that the storm of Thursday was too much for the little craft; that she capsized; and that father and son both drowned, with the body of the former still out in the lake. Little Harry's body being in the boat, is undoubtedly to be attributed to the fact that he had taken shelter in the little cabin against the storm.

An inquest was to be held during the day (Friday) by one of the justices of the township of Olive.

LATER.—The stmr. Favorite which gave an excursion from Holland to Grand Haven, Thursday, reports having passed the Little Harry about seven miles north of the harbor, with the old man at the tiller.

The deceased was past 70, and was quite active. He leaves a widow to mourn his tragic death.

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Has not yielded to the various remedies you have been taking. It troubles you day and night, breaks your rest and reduces your strength. Now try Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, before the bronchial tubes become enlarged or the delicate tissues of the lungs sustain fatal injury. As an anodyne and expectorant, this preparation has no equal. It soothes the irritated membrane, promotes expectoration, and induces repose. The worst cough

Can Be Cured

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"After the gripe—cough. This was my experience—a hacking, dry cough, with an incessant tickling in the throat, keeping me awake nights, and disturbing the household. I tried a great number of 'cough-cures,' but they gave me only temporary relief. At last I concluded to take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and before I had used half a bottle, I had my first all-night sleep. I continued to improve, and now consider myself cured."—A. A. Sherman, Coeymans, N. Y.

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Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, many have been saved from fatal illness.

E. D. Estabrooks, Canterbury, N. B., says: "In the winter of 1889 I was a surveyor of lumber in Sacramento, Cal. Being considerably exposed, I took a bad cold accompanied with a terrible cough. I tried several remedies, but they failed to cure me, and it was thought I was going into a decline. On the advice of a friend, I began to use Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and less than half a bottle completely cured me."

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To the Exposition.

For the Detroit Fair and Exposition the C. & W. M. and D. L. & N. Railways will sell excursion tickets August 25 to September 4th, good to return until Sept. 5 inclusive, at one lowest fare for round trip, with 50 cents added for admission to the Exposition. These railroad lines are the 'favorites' to Detroit. 29-3w.

To Whom it May Concern.

I am pleased to testify that one box of Dr. F. J. Schouten's Rheumatic Pills has cured me of a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

JAS. A. BROUWER.

Holland, Mich., July 13, 1891.

Believing that a trial of Cushman's Menthol Balm will convince you of the superiority of this ointment for the many uses of the household, the manufacturer is giving away a limited number of 50 boxes at H. Walsh's Drug Store. Get one now before they are all gone, and try it for cuts, bruises, burns, chapped hands, sores, ulcers, salt rheum or any skin disease.

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Look Here!

Leave all your repair work with me; promptly filled your orders will be. Handsome goods at my store you'll find. Useful and pleasing each of its kind; satisfaction guaranteed to one and all. Everything in price has taken a fall. Now is the time at my new store to call. RIVER ST. JEWELRY.

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We are always to the front with a full line of School Books and School Supplies for both city and district schools. Our stock of stationery, such as Slates, Tablets, Pencils, Pens, etc., etc., is the largest and most complete ever yet shown in this city.

Remember that with every purchase you receive free of charge of the above stationery whatever you may desire, according to the quantity you buy. Having bought over

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Holland, Mich., Aug. 28, '91. 31tf

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HOLLAND, Mich., Aug. 28, 1891.

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Wm. Brusse & Co.

Holland, Mich., June 18, 1891.

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Do Not

Buy any Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware, Gold Pens, Spectacles, etc., until you have examined the stock of C. A. Stevenson. He gives the lowest prices, and has the best assortment in the city.

Holland, Mich., July 2, 1891. 23-1f.

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J. D. HELDER.

Moore & Shaefer's fine shoes always on hand at J. D. HELDER.

Annual School Meeting.

The annual meeting of the legal voters of the school district "The Public Schools of the City of Holland," will be held on Monday, Sept. 7, 1891, at 7:40 p. m., at Room No. 1, Central School Building, at which meeting the Board of Education will report the receipts and expenditures of the school year, and for the transaction of such business as may lawfully come before it.

By order of the Board of Education, C. VAN SCHURE, Secretary. Dated Holland, Mich., Aug. 25, 1891. 31-2w.

Water Lots

AND

DOCK.

I offer for sale, cheap, my

Dock at the Head of Black

Lake, City of Holland.

E. J. Harrington

Holland, Mich., July 30, '91. 42 1y

Guardian's Sale.

In the matter of the estate of Johanna A. Pieters and Alida Pieters, minors.

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

Terms of sale will be made known at time and place of sale. Dated July 2nd, A. D. 1891.

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It is a seamless shoe, with no tacks or wax thread to hurt the feet; made of the best fine calf, stylish and easy, and because we make more shoes of this grade than any other manufacturer, it equals hand-sewed shoes costing from \$4.00 to \$5.00. \$5.00 Genuine Hand-sewed, the finest calf shoe ever offered for \$5.00; equals French imported shoes which cost from \$5.00 to \$12.00. \$4.00 Hand-sewed Welt Shoes, fine calf, stylish, comfortable and durable. The best shoe ever offered at this price; same grade as custom-made shoes costing from \$4.00 to \$5.00. \$3.50 Police Shoes; Farmers, Railroad Men and Letter Carriers all wear them; fine calf, seamless, smooth inside, heavy three soles, extension edge. One pair will wear a year. \$2.50 fine calf; no better shoe ever offered at this price; one trial will convince those who want a shoe for comfort and service. \$2.25 and \$2.00 Workingmen's shoes. Those who have given them a trial will wear no other make. Boys' \$2.00 and \$1.75 school shoes are worn by the boys everywhere; they sell on their merits, at the increasing sales show. Ladies' \$3.00 Hand-sewed shoe, best imported shoes costing from \$4.00 to \$5.00. Ladies' \$2.50, \$2.00 and \$1.75 shoe for Misses are the best fine Douglas, stylish and durable. Caution—See that W. L. Douglas' name and price are stamped on the bottom of each shoe. W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.

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You can find all kinds of

FRUIT,

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Mattresses, Lounges, Easy Chairs, Fine Rockers,

Carpets, Rugs, etc., etc.

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All size and price Frames made to order at reasonable prices

"I believe every man who knows the year ending the first Monday in September, A. D. 1891."

ANNUAL STATEMENT

Receipts and Expenditures of "The Public Schools of the City of Holland," for the year ending the first Monday in September, A. D. 1891.

In accordance with the provisions of "Title XXII of the Charter of the City of Holland," the Board of Education of "The Public Schools of the City of Holland" herewith present the following Annual Statement:

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Treasury, last settlement.	\$ 2,961 04
Taxes, 1890-91.	2,212 22
Primary Moneys.	1,788 95
Debt of Pump, Ward School.	4 00
Total.	\$14,645 50

DISBURSEMENTS.

SALARIES-TEACHERS.

S. E. Higgins.	\$1,100 00
J. W. Kitch.	500 00
Jennie E. Coburn.	170 00
Minnie J. Coats.	225 00
L. Beamer.	325 00
S. J. Higgins.	400 00
R. Verbeek.	325 00
M. B. Pfaendel.	325 00
Minnie Mohr.	340 00
Gertrude Higgins.	275 00
Rose Mohr.	225 00
Mary Huntley.	225 00
Minnie Van Baale.	215 00
A. A. Cunningham.	350 00
Addie Clark.	325 00
Rika To Roller.	325 00
Anna M. Pfaendel.	325 00
Margaret C. Post.	275 00
Mrs. J. W. Kitch.	200 00
Kate Walker.	65 50
Total.	\$6,335 50

OTHER SALARIES.

G. Van Schuren, Secretary.	\$ 5 00
C. Ver Schure.	25 00
C. Steffens, Census.	15 00
Hans Thompson, Janitor.	40 00
Mary Thompson.	8 00
H. Toren.	100 00
C. de Jong.	99 50
Total.	\$ 692 63

FUEL.

T. Kappel.	\$ 134 70
J. De Boer.	232 17
J. Van Dyk, Jr.	115 52
Jos. Fitter.	38 00
E. M. Kent.	7 40
G. Van Haeften.	1 00
Total.	\$ 554 24

SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

H. Kramers, sundries.	\$ 1 75
Rand, McVally & Co., globe.	7 13
Prang Educ. Co., models, etc.	23 65
A. H. Andrews & Co., maps.	13 91
S. Reidsma, curtains.	16 75
P. W. Kane, b'n's & stationery.	121 31
E. J. van Veen, hardware.	3 25
E. J. Harrington, oil, soap, etc.	2 46
Nat'l B'n'l Fur. Co., sh'l'suppl.	60 13
U. De Vries, pointers.	1 20
Quire's H'dw Co., ink wells.	8 00
W. O. Olmsted, ink, etc.	8 00
James A. Brown, chairs.	5 00
James Huntley, material, etc.	9 86
Inter State Pub. Co., supplies.	1 44
Lee & Shepard, suppl. readers.	13 40
J. W. Kitch, 1 Piouser reader.	1 90
Total.	\$ 287 66

REPAIRS.

J. Hoek, caulking and painting.	\$ 28 60
City of Holland, sidewalk.	41 54
Kramers Bros, carp. pipes, etc.	210 90
I. Valkema, labor on wood.	1 60
J. Newold, draying.	50
J. Huntley, labor and material.	30 06
Geo. Deming, grates.	7 00
S. De Boer, carpenter.	1 09
Walsh, De Boer Milling Co., fire grates.	74
Scott & Schuurman, labor and material.	16 50
T. Van Landeged, plumbing and furnace repairs.	22 91
E. Winter, making repairs.	1 75
Total.	\$ 344 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

J. De Feyer, drayage & freight.	\$ 6 32
Mulder & Nagelkerk, adv. print.	71 60
B. Stekete, sundries.	13 83
A. Stekete, do.	1 94
H. Walsh, do.	4 00
H. Toren, ash kettle.	3 00
S. E. Higgins, freight, exp., etc.	10 64
H. Boone, draying.	1 00
G. Plakke, cleaning yard, ward school.	4 20
J. Verbeek, sawage.	24 00
B'n'l Water Com'n's, water rent.	64 58
Boot & Kram's, sundries.	2 73
W. W. Noble, sawage.	2 50
C. A. Stevenson, clock.	1 60
W. ykhu's & Huk, furniture.	3 00
Geo. Brunner, freight.	23 10
G. v. Putten & Sons, 10 gal. oil.	1 90
Int. paid 1st State B'n's loan.	11 06
J. Lokker, trans't officer.	26 25
Cleveland Pub. Co., diplomas.	8 10
A. D. Goodrich, orchestra.	1 00
Lycem Opera House, rent.	8 00
Total.	\$ 304 59

FOURTH WARD SCHOOL.

James Huntley bal. contract.	\$1,504 49
P. H. McBride, sale of bonds.	20 06
Lizze Doornbos cleaning ward school.	5 00
T. Van Landeged, furnace.	308 10
Gr. Rapids Fur. Co., seats.	120 00
Jas. Brunner, furniture.	11 00
I. Knippen, labor on wood.	9 00
C. Ver Schure, writng b'onds.	3 00
F. G. Churchill, placing seats.	10 20
Total.	\$2,002 99

INSURANCE.

P. H. McBride.	\$ 90 00
J. O. Doornburg.	45 00
Total.	\$ 135 00

BONDS AND INTEREST.

Bond No. 3, Series B.	\$1,000 00
Interest on " B \$3,000.	130 00
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Balance on hand.	\$1,340 57
Total.	\$14,045 50

THE TREASURY.

From the above it will be seen, that the fiscal year close with a balance in the Treasury of \$1,340.57, distributed among the several funds as follows:	
On hand—Fuel.	\$ 247 11
Insurance.	87 64
Teachers.	1,432 65
Janitor.	158 26
Sec'y and census.	23 95
Total.	\$1,949 61

OVERDRAWN—INCIDENTAL.

4th W'd Sch'l Bag.	\$ 65 05
Balance on hand.	\$2 00
Total.	\$ 67 05

OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS.

The outstanding bonded indebtedness of the District is as follows:	
Series B—1 bond of \$1,000.00 @ 6 per cent, due February 1st, 1892.	\$ 1,000
Series C—5 bonds of \$300.00 each, 6 per cent, due February 1st, 1893-1895.	3,000
Series D—4 bonds of \$500.00 each, 6 per cent, due February 1st, 1896-1897.	2,000
Series E—3 bonds of \$1,000.00 each, 6 per cent, due February 1st, 1898-1900.	3,000
Series F—5 bonds of \$1,000.00 each, 5 per cent, due February 1st, 1901-1903.	5,000
Series G—3 bonds of \$1,000.00 each, 5 per cent, due February 1st, 1904-1906.	3,000
Total outstanding.	\$ 17,000

REVIEW.

During the school year 1890-1891, "The Public Schools of the City of Holland," have maintained a graded school as heretofore in the High School, Central and Ward School Buildings, comprising a High School, four Grammar and eight Primary departments.

Whole number of teachers, including superintendent and instructor in vocal music, 18.

Highest number of pupils enrolled, 1014.

Average daily attendance, 750.

Average number of pupils for each teacher, 47.

Total school population, census of 1890, 1,274.

The following branches of study were taught—Orthography, Reading, Language Lessons, Writing, English Grammar, Geography, Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry, Physiology, U. S. History, Civil Government, Physics, Book-keeping, Rhetoric, General History, English Literature, Latin, Vocal Music; also English History, English Classics, English Composition, Astronomy, Chemistry, Commercial Law, Drawing, Botany and Physical Geography.

TEACHERS ENGAGED FOR 1891-92.

The Board have engaged the following teachers for the ensuing school year:

S. E. Higgins, Superintendent.	\$1,300
Music.	
HIGH SCHOOL.	
Harry S. Meyers, Principal.	300
Minnie J. Coats, Asst. Principal.	425
Mrs. E. J. Higgins, Prin. Gram. School.	325
Miss A. L. Ross, Asst. Prin. Gram. School.	325
CENTRAL SCHOOL.	
Miss Maggie B. Pfaendel.	320
Minnie Mohr.	325
Gertrude Higgins.	300
Rosina Mohr.	260
Minnie Van Baale.	250
Maggie Moors.	350
Saddie G. Clark.	250
A. A. Cunningham.	275
Mabel Rose.	250
Mary Danson.	250
WARD SCHOOL.	
Miss Addie Clark.	350
Rika To Roller.	350
Anna M. Pfaendel.	350
Margaret C. Post.	350

JANITORS ENGAGED FOR 1891-92.

For Central and High School Buildings, Hans Thompson, at a salary of \$480.

For Fourth Ward School at a salary of \$—

ESTIMATES FOR 1891-92.

The following are the estimates of the Expenditures for the support of "The Public Schools of the City of Holland," for the ensuing year:

Bond No. 4, Series B, due Feb. 1, 1892. \$1,000 00

Interest on outstanding bonds, due Feb. 1, 1892. 940 00

Teachers salaries. 1,800

less estimated prim. moneys. — \$5,800 00

Fuel. 400 00

Janitor.	680 00
Secretary and Census.	90 00
Incidental.	1,300 00
Insurance.	160 00
Heating and Ventilating.	2,000 00
Total.	\$12,010 00

Which said sum of \$12,010 is to be reported to the Common Council of the City of Holland, to be raised by tax upon the assessment roll of said City for the year 1891.

This is to Certify: That the above and foregoing is a true and correct statement of all the receipts and expenditures of the district, showing the items thereof, the sources of income, the amounts of salaries paid to officers, teachers, and employees and to whom paid, the obligation incurred, and the amount of indebtedness outstanding, the number of schools in the city, the number of teachers employed, and of the pupils instructed therein during the preceding year, and the branches of study pursued by them; and also the estimates required to be made for the support of the schools for the ensuing year, and the items thereof.

By order of the Board of Education.

Geo. Ballard, President.

C. Ver Schure, Secretary.

Dated Holland, Mich., Aug. 25, 1891.

(OFFICIAL)

Board of Education.

REPAIRS.

HOLLAND, Mich., Aug. 25, 1891.

The Board met in special session.

Minutes of previous meetings were read and approved.

Report sent in a communication relative to assignment of teachers to the several rooms, which after slight amendment, was adopted by the Board.

Comm. on teachers recommended Miss S. Vischer as one of the teachers for the ensuing year, which recommendation was not adopted.

Whereupon Miss Mary Danson was appointed.

Comm. on claims and accounts reported the annual settlement with the treasurer of the Public Schools, also estimate of taxes for the ensuing fiscal year—Adopted.

The secretary presented the annual statement of receipts and expenditures—Adopted.

[See published statement in another column—Ed.]

Comm. on school books and furniture were empowered to purchase a dictionary for the grammar school.

Adjourned.

C. Ver Schure, Sec'y.

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 eight hundred and ninety-one.

Present, CHARLES E. SOULE, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hendrikus Osewaarde, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Druke Osewaarde, legatee in said will named, praying for the probate of an instrument in writing filed in said Court purporting to be the last will and testament of Hendrikus Osewaarde, late of Zeeland in said county, deceased, and for the appointment of Johannes Osewaarde, executor in said will named, executor thereof:

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Tuesday, the Fifteenth day of September, next,

at eleven 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 petition 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 (ITT) News, per publication and circulated in said county of Ottawa, during three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

A true copy, (Attest)

30-3w CHAS. E. SOULE, Judge of Probate.

NEW ENTERPRISE

L. C. COTTS,

Manufacturer of

BROOMS & BRUSHES.

Constantly on hand a large assortment of hand-made brooms and brushes of different sizes, grades and prices. Orders by mail promptly filled.

Factory on Eleventh Street, east of King's Factory.

Holland, Mich., August 6, 1891.

Ask Your Local Dealer for Cotts' Brooms.

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Read This:

Dr. F. J. Schenten: Dear Sir—About three months ago I bought a box of your anti-rheumatic pills and after using one-half of them I find myself in perfect health. Last year I went to Mt. Clemens, Mich., and although I obtained relief there, it did not cure me. At the urgent desire of some of my friends I tried your anti-rheumatic pills with the above happy result. I deem them the best I have used and I have tried nearly everything.

Respectfully Yours,

WILL BREYMAN, Jr.

Holland, Mich.

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Proof Roofing Process.

A new Liquid for Roofs, old and new. Applied while hot.

All Work Guaranteed.

Old Roofs Repaired

The above Fire-proof Roofing Process is represented in Holland by

Frank G. Swift.

Leave orders at the Hardware Store of Kanters Bros.

Holland, Mich., July 31, 1891. 27 1t

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Our new Elevator will be completed about August 20th and we will then be prepared to accommodate those who have not sufficient storage room of their own, with

Free Storage of Wheat for Three Months.

Other grain will be stored at a moderate charge which will be made known on application. We always pay the highest market prices for grain. Compare them with Grand Rapids and surrounding towns.

The Walsh-DeRoo Milling Co.

Proprietors of Standard Roller Mills.

Holland, Mich., Aug. 6, 1891.

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Old Stand of Mrs. D. M. Gee.

HOLLAND, MICH.

Millinery Store Complete!

Our Stock is new and choice. We offer Hats and Flowers during the next 30 days at less than cost.

Also Ribbons at greatly reduced prices. Avail yourself of this offer.

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Great Inducement!

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In Summer Goods.

To make room for our Large Fall Stock of Clothing our prices have been reduced to suit every body at the

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RIVER STREET. HOLLAND, MICH.

MACATAWA POULTRY FARM,

The Home of the Barred Plymouth Rocks and the Derbyshire Red Caps,

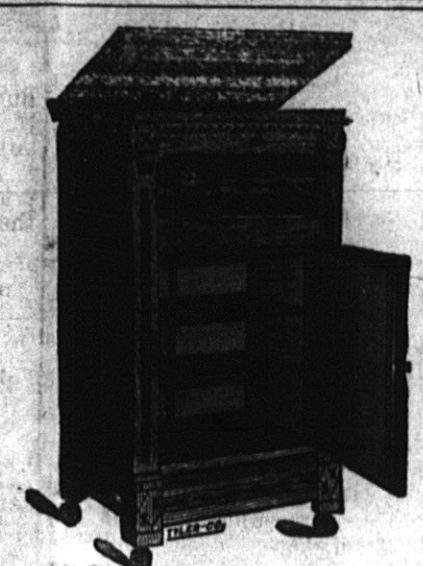
Eggs for Hatching,

Galvanized Wire Netting for Poultry Yards, at 1/2 cent a square foot by roll; less than roll 1 cent per square foot.

Plymouth Rock Eggs \$1.50 per 13, Red Cap \$2.00 pr 13.

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E. B. SCOTT, Proprietor.



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E. Van der Veen.

Gasoline always on hand.

Holland, July 23, 1891. 13-1y

H. J. Cronkright, BARBER.

Shop: North of DE KRAKER'S PLACE.

River Street, - - Holland, Mich. 46

Commissioners on Claims.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.

COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

Estate of Jacoba Smeege, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate of said County, Commissioners on claims in the matter of said estate on June 5th 1891, and six months from the fifth day of June A. D. 1891, having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to all persons holding claims against said estate, in which to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment:

Notice is hereby Given, that we will meet on Tuesday the fourth day of August, A. D. 1891, and on Tuesday, the eighth day of December, A. D. 1891, at 10 o'clock A. M. of each day, at the office of Henry D. Post in the City of Holland in said County, to receive and examine such claims.

Dated Holland, Mich., June 20, A. D. 1891.

HENRY D. POST, WILLIAM H. BEACH, Commissioners.

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Only four minutes from the Court House; table cars, and the door.

New house with all Modern Improvements; newly furnished. On American and European plans. Rooms \$5.00 weekly transients 50 cents and upward. Turkish Baths for ladies and gentlemen, 50 cents. Restaurant by Fred. Compton, chef, Chicago and Union League Club. Table d'Hote served.

at this place for future use. 25 1y

NOTICE.

Whereas my wife Gerseje Hoeve has left my bed and board without any just cause or provocation, I do hereby forbid any one to harbor or trust her on my account.

HENRY HOEVE.

Drenthe, Mich., Aug. 6, 1891. 28 3w

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JA'S. MEEUWSEN'S

Refrigerator Meat Wagon.

Daily Rounds of the streets of the City of Holland, with the choicest meats of all kinds, same as in a butcher shop, neatly arranged in my new Refrigerator Meat Wagon, where they are kept nice and fresh.

LOOK OUT FOR THE WAGON!

GREAT EXPLOITS FOR US

DR. TALMAGE POINTS OUT WHAT WE MAY DO.

A Deed of Greater Worth than Leading an Army to Victory in Battle Is the Leading of a Human Soul to God.

At Orange Grove, N. J., Dr. Talmage took for his text, Daniel xi, 32, "The people that do know their God shall be strong and do exploits."

Antiochus Epiphanes, the old sinner, came down three times with his army to desolate the Israelites, advancing one time with 102 trained elephants, swinging their trunks this way and that, and 21,000 infantry, and 6,000 cavalry troops and they were driven back. Then, the second time, he advanced with 70,000 armed men, and had been again defeated. But the third time he laid successful siege until the navy of Rome came in with the flash of their long banks of oars and demanded that the siege be lifted.

And Antiochus Epiphanes said he wanted time to consult with his friends about it, and Popilius, one of the Roman ambassadors, took a staff and made a circle on the ground around Antiochus Epiphanes, and compelled him to decide before he came out of that circle, whereupon he lifted the siege. Some of the Hebrews had submitted to the invader, but some of them resisted valiantly, as did Eleazer when he had swine's flesh forced into his mouth, spit it out, although he knew he must die for it, and did die for it, and others, as my text says, did exploits.

An exploit I would define to be an heroic act, a brave feat, a great achievement. "Well," you say, "I admire such things, but there is no chance for me; mine is a sort of humdrum life. If I had an Antiochus Epiphanes to fight I also could do exploits." You are right, so far as great wars are concerned. There will probably be no opportunity to distinguish yourself in battle. The most of the brigadier generals of this country would never have been heard of had it not been for the war.

Neither will you probably become a great inventor. Nineteen hundred and ninety-nine out of every two thousand inventions found in the patent office at Washington never yielded their authors enough money to pay for the expenses of securing the patent. So you will probably never be a Morse or an Edison or a Humphrey Davy or an Eli Whitney. There is not much probability that you will be the one out of the hundred who achieves extraordinary success in commercial or legal or medical or literary spheres. What then? Can you have no opportunity to do exploits? I am going to show that there are three opportunities open that are grand, thrilling, far reaching, stupendous and overwhelming. They are before you now. In one, if not all three of them, you may do exploits. The three greatest things on earth to do are to save a man, or save a woman or save a child.

During the course of his life, almost every man gets into an exigency, is caught between two fires, is ground between two millstones, sits on the edge of some precipice, or in some other way comes near demolition. It may be a financial or a moral or a domestic or a social or a political exigency. You sometimes see it in court-rooms. A young man has got into bad company and he has offended the law, and he is arraigned. All blushing and confused, he is in the presence of judge and jury and lawyers. He can be sent right on in the wrong direction. He is feeling disgraced, and he is almost desperate.

Let the district attorney overhaul him as though he were an old offender, let the ablest attorneys at the bar refuse to say a word for him, because he cannot afford a considerable fee; let the judge give no opportunity for presenting the mitigating circumstances, hurry up the case, and hustle him up to Auburn or Sing Sing. If he lives seventy years, for seventy years he will be a criminal, and each decade of his life will be blacker than his predecessor. In the interregnums of prison life he can get no work, and he is glad to break a window glass, or blow up a safe or play the highwayman, so as to get back within the walls where he can get something to eat and hide himself from the gaze of the world.

Why don't his father come and help him? His father is dead. Why don't his mother come and help him? She is dead. Where are all the ameliorating and salutary influences of society? They do not touch him. Why did not some one long ago in the case understand that there was an opportunity for the exploit which would be famous in Heaven a quadrillion of years after the earth has become scattered ashes in the last whirlwind?

Why did not the district attorney take that young man into his private office and say: "My son, I see that you are the victim of circumstances. This is your first crime. You are sorry. I will bring the person you wronged into your presence and you will apologize and make all the reparation you can, and I will give you another chance." Or that young man is presented in the courtroom and he has no friends present, and the judge says, "Who is your counsel?" And he answers, "I have none." And the judge says, "Who will take this young man's case?"

And there is a dead halt, and no one offers, and after a while the judge turns to some attorney who never had a good case in all his life, and never will, and whose advocacy would be enough to secure the condemnation of innocence itself. And the professional incompetent crawls up beside the prisoner, helplessness to rescue despair, when there ought to be a struggle among all the best men of the profession as to who should have the honor of trying to help that unfortunate. How much would such an attorney have received as his fee for such an advocacy? Nothing in dollars, but such every way in a happy consciousness that would make his own life brighter, and his own dying pillow sweeter, and his own Heaven happier—the consciousness that he had saved a man!

So there are commercial exigencies. A very late spring obliterates the demand for spring overcoats and spring hats and spring apparel of all sorts. Hundreds of thousands of people say, "It seems we are going to have no spring, and we shall go straight out of winter into warm weather, and we can get along without the usual spring attire. There is no autumn weather, the heat plunging into the cold, and the usual clothing which is a compromise between summer and winter is not required. It makes a difference in the sale of millions and millions of dollars of goods, and some oversanguine young merchant is caught with a vast amount of unsalable

goods that will never be salable again, except at prices ruinously reduced.

The young merchant with a somewhat limited capital is in a predicament. What shall the old merchants do as they see the young man in this awful crisis? Rub their hands and laugh and say: "Good for him. He might have known better. When he has been in business as long as we have he will not load his shelves that way. Ha! Ha! He will burst up before long. He had no business to open his store so near to ours anyhow." Sheriff's sale! Red flag in the window: "How much is bid for these out-of-fashion spring overcoats and hats, or fall clothing out of date? What do I hear in the way of a bid?" "Four dollars." "Absurd, I cannot take that bid of \$4 apiece. Why, these coats when first put upon the market were offered at \$15 each, and now I am offered only \$4. Is that all? Five dollars, do I hear? Going at that! Gone at \$4," and he takes the whole lot.

The young merchant goes home that night and says to his wife: "Well, Mary, we will have to move out of this house and sell our piano. That old merchant that has had an evil eye on me ever since I started has bought out all that clothing, and he will have it rejuvenated, and next year put it on the market as new, while we will do well if we keep out of the poorhouse." The young man, broken spirited, goes to hard drinking. The young wife with her baby goes to her father's house, and not only is his store wiped out, but his home, his morals, and his prospects for two worlds—this and the next. And devils make a banquet of fire and fill their cups of gall, and drink deep to the health of the old merchant who swallowed up the young merchant who got stuck on spring goods and went down. That is one way, and some of you have tried it.

But there is another way. That young merchant who found that he had miscalculated in laying in too many goods of one kind and been flung of the unusual season, is standing behind the counter, feeling very blue and biting his finger nails, or looking over his account books, which read darker and worse every time he looks at them, and thinking how his young wife will have to be put in a plain house than she ever expected to live in, or go to a third-rate boarding-house where they have tough liver and sour bread five mornings out of the seven.

An old merchant comes in and says: "Well, Joe, this has been a hard season for young merchants, and this prolonged cool weather has put many in the doldrums, and I have been thinking of you a good deal of late, for just after I started in business I once got into the same scrape. Now, if there is anything I can do to help you out I will gladly do it. Better just put those goods out of sight for the present, and next season we will plan something about them. I will help you to some goods that you can sell for me on commission, and I will go down to one of the wholesale houses and tell them that I know you and will back you up, and if you want a few dollars to bridge over the present, I can let you have them. Be as economical as you can, keep a stiff upper lip, and remember that you have two friends, God and myself. Good morning!"

The old merchant goes away and the young man goes behind his desk, and the tears roll down his cheeks. It is the first time he has cried. Disaster made him mad at everything, and mad at man and mad at God. But this kindness melts him, and the tears seem to relieve his brain, and his spirits rise from ten below zero to eighty in the shade, and he comes out of the crisis.

About three years after, this young merchant goes into the old merchant's store and says: "Well, my old friend, I was this morning thinking over what you did for me three years ago. You helped me out of an awful crisis in my commercial history. I learned wisdom, prosperity has come and the pallor has gone out of my wife's cheeks, and the roses that were there when I courted her in her father's house have bloomed again and my business is splendid, and I thought I ought to let you know that you saved a man!"

In a short time after, the old merchant, who had been a good while shaky in his limbs and who had poor spells, is called to leave the world, and one morning after he had read the twenty-third Psalm about "The Lord is my Shepherd," he closes his eyes on this world, and an angel who had been for many years appointed to watch the old man's dwelling, cries upward the news that the patriarch's spirit is about ascending. And the twelve angels who keep the twelve gates of Heaven, unite in crying down to this approaching spirit of the old man, "Come in, and welcome, for it has been told all over these celestial lands that you saved a man."

There sometimes come exigencies in the life of a woman. One morning a few years ago I saw in the newspaper that there was a young woman in New York, whose pocketbook containing \$37.33 had been stolen, and she had been left with not a penny at the beginning of winter, in a strange city, and no work. And although she was a stranger, I did not allow the 9 o'clock mail to leave the lamp post on our corner without carrying the \$37.33, and the case was proved genuine.

Now, I have read all Shakespeare's tragedies, and all Victor Hugo's tragedies, and all Alexander Smith's tragedies, but I never read a tragedy more thrilling than that case, and similar cases by the hundreds and thousands in all our large cities—young women without money and without home and without work in the great maelstroms of metropolitan life. When such a case comes under your observation how do you treat it? "Get out of my way; we have no room in our establishment for any more hands. I don't believe in women anyway. They are a lazy, idle, worthless set. John, please show this person out of the door."

Or do you compliment her personal appearance, and say things to her which if any man said to your sister or daughter you would kill him on the spot? That is one way, and it is tried every day in the large cities, and many of those who advertise for female hands in factories, and for governesses in families, have proved themselves unfit to be in any place outside of hell. But there is another way, and I saw it one day in the Methodist Book Concern in New York, where a young woman applied for work and the gentleman in tone and manner said in substance: "My daughter, we employ women here, but I do not know of any vacant place in our department. You had better inquire at such and such a place, and I hope you will be successful in getting something to do. Here is my name and tell them I sent you."

The embarrassed and humiliated woman seemed to give way to Christian confidence. She started out with a hopeful look that, I think, must have

won for her a place in which to earn her bread. I rather think that considerate and Christian gentlemen saved a woman. New York and Brooklyn ground up last year about 30,000 young women, and would like to grind up about as many this year. Out of all that long procession of women who march on with no hope for this world or the next, battered and bruised and scoffed at, and flung off the precipice, not one but might have been saved for home and God and Heaven. But good men and good women are not in that kind of business. Alas for that poor thing! Nothing but the thread of that sewing girl's needle held her, and the thread broke.

I have heard men tell in public discourse what a man is; but what is a woman? Until some one shall give a better definition I will tell you what woman is. Direct from God, a sacred and delicate gift, with affections so great that no measuring line short of that of the infinite God can tell their bound. Fashioned to refine and soothe, and lift and irradiate home and society and the world. Of such value, that no one can appreciate it, unless his mother lived long enough to let him understand it, or who in some great crisis of life, when all else failed him, had a wife to re-enforce him with a faith in God that nothing could disturb.

Now I should not wonder if you trembled a little with a sense of responsibility when I say that there is hardly a person in this house but may have an opportunity to save a woman. It may in your case be done by good advice, or by financial help, or by trying to bring to bear some one of a thousand Christian influences. If, for instance, you find a woman in financial distress and breaking down in health and spirits trying to support her children, now that her husband is dead or an invalid, doing that very important and honorable work—but which is little appreciated—keeping a boarding-house, where all the guests, according as they pay small board, or propose, without paying any board at all, to decamp, are critical of everything and hard to please, busy yourselves in trying to get her more patrons and tell her of divine sympathy.

Yea, if you see a woman favored of fortune and with all kindly surroundings, finding in the hollow flatteries of the world her chief regalement, living for herself and for time as if there were no eternity, strive to bring her into the kingdom of God, as did the other day a Sabbath school teacher, who was the means of the conversion of the daughter of a man of immense wealth, and the daughter resolved to join the church, and she went home and said, "Father, I am going to join the church and I want you to come." "Oh, no," he said, "I never go to church." "Well," said the daughter, "if I were going to be married, would you not go to see me married?" And he said, "Oh, yes." "Well," she said, "this is of more importance than that."

So he went and has gone ever since, and loves to go. I do not know but that faithful Sabbath school teacher not only saved a woman, but saved a man. There may be in this audience—gathered from all parts of the world—there may be a man whose behavior toward womanhood is perfidious. Stand up, thou masterpiece of sin and death, that I may charge you! As far as possible make reparation. Do not boast that you have her in your power, and that she cannot help herself. When that fine collar and cravat and that elegant suit of clothes comes off and your uncovered soul stands before God, you will be better off if you save that woman.

There is another exploit you can do, and that is to save a child. A child does not seem to amount to much. It is nearly a year old before it can walk at all. For the first year and a half it cannot speak a word. For the first ten years it would starve if it had to earn its own food. For the first fifteen years its opinion on any subject is absolutely valueless. And then there are so many of them. My! What lots of children! And some people have contempt for children. They are good for nothing but to wear out the carpets and break things and keep you awake nights crying. Well, your estimate of a child is quite different from that mother's estimate who lost her child this summer. They took it to the salt air of the seashore and to the tonic air of the mountains, but no help came, and the brief paragraph of its life is ended. Suppose that much could be restored by purchase, how much would that bereaved mother give? She would take all the jewels from her fingers and neck and bureau and put them down.

And if told that that was not enough, she would take her house and make over the deed to it, and if that were not enough she would call in all her investments and put down all her mortgages and bonds, and if I have made over all my property, and if I have that child back I will now pledge that I will toil with my own hands and carry with my own shoulders in any kind of hard work, and live in a cellar and die in a garret. Only give me back that lost darling!

But what are you going to do with those children who are worse off than if their father and mother had died the day they were born? There are tens of thousands such. Their parentage was against them. Their name is against them. The structure of their skulls is against them. The nerves and muscles contaminated by the inebriety or dissoluteness of their parents, they are practically at their birth laid out on a plank in the middle of the Atlantic ocean in an equinoctial gale and told to make for shore. What to do with them is the question often asked.

There is another question quite as pertinent, and that is, what are they going to do with us? They will, ten or eleven years from now, have as many votes as the same number of well-born children, and they will hand this land over to anarchy and political damnation just as sure as we neglect them. Suppose we each one of us save a boy or save a girl. You can do it. Will you? I will.

How shall we get ready for one or all of these three exploits? We shall make a dead failure in our own strength we try to save a man or woman or child. But my text suggests where we are to get equipment. "The people that do know their God shall be strong and do exploits." We must know him through Jesus Christ in our own salvation, and then we shall have his help in the salvation of others. And while you are saving strangers you may save some of your own kin. You think your brothers and sisters and children and grandchildren all safe, but they are not dead, and no one is safe till he is dead.

The center of population is the skull.

THE ALMY TRAGEDY.

SENSATIONAL CRIME WORTHY OF COMMENT.

New England Sentimentality Likely to Interfere with Justice—The Criminal Deserving of the Severest Penalty—His Deed That of a Fiend—Shame, but Devilish.

Revenge of a Coward.

The staid old State of New Hampshire has added a chapter to the records of crime in this country which hardly can be surpassed for the grim background of the murder itself and the extraordinary details which have followed its commission. The crime of which Frank C. Almy is guilty was marked by the most revolting cruelty and barbarity as well as by rank cowardice. Six weeks ago the wretch, angered because his sweetheart, Christie Warden, rejected his advances, sprang from his place of concealment on a lonely road, dragged her away from her mother and sister into the woods, and not only shot her down in cold blood but even mutilated her for death. He escaped, boasting to his terrified companions that now he had had revenge. The horror of the crime aroused the entire county. Large rewards, aggregating \$1,000, were offered, and hundreds of people as well as police and detectives from various cities hunted for him, but to only over the New Hampshire hills but throughout New England. Other parts of the country were ransacked, but to no purpose, and at last the theory was accepted that he had gone to Europe, and all hope of his capture was lost.

It now appears, however, that he never left the farm of the Warden family. With that fascination which sometimes seizes upon criminals to remain upon the scene of their crimes he concealed himself in the barn. From his hiding-place he saw the funeral of his victim. In dark nights he stole up to the house and watched what was going on within. He saw detectives and reporters within a few feet of him and heard them discuss plans and probabilities for his capture. He even took food from the house in the night and visited Christie's grave in the cemetery near by. All these weeks it never occurred to the astute detectives to search the Warden premises, and had it not been for the accidental discovery of some cans taken from the house, which raised a suspicion in the mother's mind that he was somewhere on the premises, he might still have been at liberty. She mentioned her suspicions to the Sheriff, and that functionary with a companion kept a nightly vigil about the barn. At last they were rewarded by a sight of the lean and haggard murderer emerging from his hiding-place to obtain food. He was entirely unprepared for resistance, but for some mysterious reason the two armed men made no attempt to arrest him. Instead of that they raised a hue and cry and the next day the barn was besieged by no less than 1,500 people, who proceeded to bombard their victim. When he had been wounded two or three times and it became apparent to him that further attempt was useless he agreed to surrender and even dictated terms so far as personal security was concerned. When the terms were accepted he added crime to crime by shooting one of his captors. That he was not killed on the spot speaks well of the New England sense of justice. The Sheriff who had been so reluctant to perform his duty promptly and energetically saved him from flying by appealing to the crowd to let the law take its course. They decided to do so and the brutal wretch was removed to jail. If the courts are as fearless and the law is as perfect as the Sheriff boasted it will not be long before Almy will expiate his horrible crime on the gallows.

It is not so certain, however, that this wretch will meet the fate he deserves. Already there is a certain halo of romance gathering about him. His visits to his victim's grave, his preservation of letters and souvenirs she had given him, his declaration that he loved her all the time, and that he shot her by accident and then shot her over and over again because he could not bear to see her suffer, have had a certain effect upon the maudlin and morbid cases of society who are ready to declare that he was insane with love. People of this kind are making a lion of him, and there is danger that they may bring sufficiently strong pressure to bear to save him from hanging. With all his conservatism and love for justice, sentimentality is a strong element in the New England composition, as has been shown even in the Jesse Pomeroy case and in many another equally brutal and revolting. The prosecuting officials, therefore, will have a hard task before them, though every circumstance of the murder can be easily established. Should any contingency, however, save this monster from the gallows it will be a public calamity. The practice of girl killing has become alarmingly common, and it is time that the courts should adopt heroic measures to suppress it. There is no better case to begin with than that of Almy. If all reports are true this is not the first girl he has killed. There is no romance about his crime. There was no love in his feelings toward Christie Warden. His act was dictated by revenge, either because Christie Warden had wounded his pride by her rejection of his suit or because of lower and more revolting motives. In either case he richly deserves death, and has barred himself from the sympathy of any right-minded person. Crimes like his are becoming alarmingly frequent, and it is time that the law should step in and protect helpless women from being slaughtered merely because they exercise the right of rejecting the advances of men who may have conceived a sudden and revolting passion for them.

Illions for the Farmers.

Reports indicate that the government experiments in Texas for producing rain by the discharge of explosives were successful. Further trials are to be made and the question as to whether rain can be artificially produced will be definitely settled. A decision in the affirmative will mean millions of dollars yearly in the pockets of American farmers.—*New York Press.*

A Vigorous Constitution.

The Emperor of Germany, for a man who is suffering from cancer, hydrophobia, a broken knee-cap, Bright's disease, the opium habit, and delirium tremens, seems to be doing very well. He must have a most vigorous constitution.—*Boston Traveller.*

A Great Success.

The number of people who know just how the World's Fair ought to be managed is steadily increasing. If they will all visit it when it is opened, the Fair is certain to be a magnificent success in point of attendance.—*Boston Traveller.*

FIERCE FIGHT IN CHILL.

THREE THOUSAND SOLDIERS DEAD.

A Terrible Battle, Lasting Three Days, Took Place Between Balmaceda's Forces and Those of the Insurgents—Heavy Losses on Both Sides.

In the Scale.

Even while the battle was raging, news reached this country of a collision between the Congressional and Government forces of Chile. The dispatch was sent from Valparaiso, and reads:

President Balmaceda and the Junta de Gobierno are engaged in the final desperate struggle for the mastery of the Republic of Chile.

The chosen battle grounds are in full view of the city of Valparaiso, and thousands of anxious eyes are watching from every point of vantage the battle which is to decide the fate of the country.

The battle has been raging practically for three days. The first engagement was at the mouth of the Aconcagua and resulted in a reverse to the Government.

The final test of strength is now being made at Vina del Mar Beach, directly across Valparaiso Bay and less than five miles away.

When the news reached here that an army of 8,000 rebels had landed at Quintero Bay, Balmaceda and his generals were taken by surprise, but the utmost activity was used in getting troops to the front, so as, if possible, to prevent the invading army from crossing the Aconcagua River immediately south of the bay.

The arrangements were made hurriedly and only a little over half of the troops were available for this purpose. Six of the insurgent war ships were anchored in Cosmon Bay, at the mouth of the river, and under the cover of their guns the army of the Junta undertook the task of forcing a passage of the river.

A most desperate and bloody battle resulted, lasting nearly all day.

A falling fire from the insurgent artillery, which was formed on the northern bank of the river, aided by the heavy batteries and machine guns from the ships, was too much for the government troops and they were forced to retire, which they did in good order.

Both sides fought with the utmost valor and the desperate character of the battle may be judged from the fact that, while less than 20,000 troops were engaged, the list of casualties will foot up nearly 3,000 men killed and wounded.

Balmaceda found out that the insurgents are something more than "nitrate stealers." The general in command of the government forces selected a strong position on the beach of Vina del Mar, the eastern shore of Valparaiso Bay, as his second line of defense, and leaving force enough in front of the enemy to check his progress somewhat, took his place there and went to work to strengthen it as much as possible.

All day long the insurgent forces pushed their way steadily forward, driving the comparatively small government force before them. It was a constant skirmish for fifteen miles over broken country.

At every point of vantage the Balmacedans made a stand, and while they were constantly forced to give way before superior numbers they retarded the advance, and gave the main army at Vina del Mar a chance to better prepare itself for the decisive fight.

It was not until late in the evening that the attacking army arrived in front of Balmaceda's line of defense.

It was then too late to give battle. In the meantime President Balmaceda, with every available man in this department, himself in command, went to the front. He had over 13,000 available fighting men, while the insurgent forces had been reduced to less than 7,000.

At the back of the government line is Fort Callao, the heavy guns of which have done good work, but in raking the enemy by land and preventing the insurgent fleet which had entered the bay from doing anything more effective than long range firing.

The Congressionalists attacked in force and the battle has raged with the utmost fierceness. The war ships did all they could to aid their land forces, but they had a healthy regard for the heavy guns in the forts, and were compelled to do their fighting at long range.

They sent as many men as they could spare, with all their available machine and rapid fire guns, to aid as a naval auxiliary brigade the attack on Balmaceda's position.

The most intense excitement prevails in this city. The roar of heavy artillery and the sharp rattle of small arms resound through the streets and are echoed back from the high hills surrounding the city. Everybody who is left here has sought some place overlooking the battlefield, and thousands of people are watching the desperate struggle which is being fought under their very eyes.

The scene from Valparaiso is one of awful grandeur. A heavy pal of smoke hangs like a cloud over the contending armies. It is lit up a most continuously by sharp flashes of light from the cannon and rifles, and the thunderous roll of the artillery can be heard continuously.

FLOODED THE TOWN.

Fierce storm at Pottsville drives People to their Garrets.

A cloudburst broke over Pottsville, Pa., and the water poured down in torrents for an hour. The culverts were unable to carry all the water, and portions of the town were flooded. Fully 400 families were driven to the upper stories of their homes, and the cellars and kitchens were filled with water and mud. The business portion of the town suffered greatly, the cellars of stores being filled with water. Railroads and streets were turned into rivers three and four feet deep, and the raging torrents carried all sorts of goods and debris down to the Schuylkill. It was the worst storm ever known in Pottsville. The damage is estimated at \$100,000. Reports from Minerville, St. Clair, Port Carbon, Schuylkill Haven, Girardville and Mahanoy Place tell the same story of devastation and damage by the rain and flood.

As Is in Links.

A CATTLE range in Washington is over 300 miles long and 200 miles wide.

The Georgia mother who sold her twin babies for a dollar probably made a good bargain—for the twins.

SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., boasts of a dog which, recently, swallowed at one gulp a good-sized live chicken.

The Emperor of Japan has decreed that every man who provokes a duel or accepts a challenge shall pay a heavy fine and serve from six months to two years in the galleys.

A CRISIS IMMINENT.

IN DICTATOR BALMACEA'S AFFAIRS.

The Insurgents Prepared to Give D. Battle—Terrible Results of the Rancore in the West Indies—Over Lives and Twenty Vessels Lost.

A dispatch from Valparaiso, Chile, says: The insurgent army has effected landing at Quintero Bay, only two miles north of this city. According to the lowest estimate it numbers 10,000 men. They were brought down from Caldera on eight transports, three tug and four warships. The point of landing is about fifty miles from Santiago where Balmaceda's forces to the number of 10,000 have been stationed. Quintero Bay is the entrance to a fertile valley and is in direct line with Santiago and Valparaiso. The Balmacedists have for some time anticipated a movement south on the part of their foes, but they believed that Coquimbo would be the first place attacked.

It now appears that the hovering of the insurgent fleet in the neighborhood of Coquimbo Bay was only a scheme to deceive Balmaceda. By coming so far south the insurgents leave the large force of Balmacedists at Coquimbo many miles to the north of them and helpless to render any aid to the Government army in this neighborhood. The landing at Quintero Bay was therefore a complete surprise to the President, but as soon as he learned the news he acted promptly. By his command a large force was sent north to meet the enemy.

Admiral Brown, from his flagship, the San Francisco, saw the landing of the insurgents. They are all well armed and enthusiastic. The United States warship Baltimore is in this harbor. The Esmeralda, commanded by Silva Palma, is just outside the harbor. It is expected that it will be joined at once by the other insurgent war vessels from Quintero Bay.

It looks as if, in conjunction with the advance of the land forces upon this city, the fleet will open fire upon the forts that defend this harbor. Valparaiso Bay is at once fortified. The forts mount thirty guns, among which are a ten-inch muzzle loader, eleven eight-inch and nine-inch breech loaders, and five Krupp guns of 24 centimeters caliber. The remainder are 600-pounders. Most of these guns are masked, and offer a small target for ships to hit. The gunners are all skilled men, who have a great deal of practice. They know the distances across the bay, as they have a range finder.

The insurgent fleet has altogether some nineteen guns, including 16-inch, 8-inch, and 6-inch breech-loaders. Unless some of the government gunners turn traitors it does not seem likely that the fleet can silence the forts. So far it is quiet here. It looks as if the most important engagement so far in the history of the present war is about to be fought. Until the present time it has been nearly altogether a battle of words. Now a fierce fight is imminent.

On its result depends in all likelihood the complete overthrow of Balmaceda or of his opponents. The rout of the President's forces would undoubtedly be quickly followed by the capture of both Valparaiso and Santiago by the victorious army of the insurgents.

OVER SIXTY LIVES LOST.

Terrible Results of the Hurricane that Visited Mar in June.

The hurricane that swept over Martinique of the West India Islands, caused greater damage than at first supposed.

So far as can be learned there were over sixty deaths as the result of the hurricane's visitation, but it will be some time before the full extent of the disaster is known. At Fort de France alone there were twelve lives lost, and at both Fort de France and St. Pierre, to say nothing of the country districts, there have been large numbers of people injured.

Five persons are known to have been killed in St. Pierre, but it is feared that this does not represent the entire loss of life in the capital.

Communication with the different parts of the island was never an easy matter, and it is excessive difficult to get detailed news at present.

As the reports from the various sections reach St. Pierre it becomes evident that the extent of the devastation has not been much exaggerated. Destruction of property and loss of life are reported from all parts of the coast.

The latest report received here from Lamentin shows that there are ten dead in that place alone in addition to a large number of injured.

At Francois there were sixteen people killed and large numbers injured, and at Riviere Pilote there were two or more deaths, and so on from all parts of the island comes the tale of woe and desolation. La Trinite sends in the list of its dead at ten and numbers of more or less severely injured. The damage done to shipping and property may safely be classed as stupendous. About two-fifths of the island was under cultivation and the mountain slopes were covered with forests. All the cultivation and all the forests in the path of the hurricane appear to have been swept away. The numerous sugar, coffee, cotton, and cacao plantations which felt the force of the tornado seem to have been destroyed. The number of ships wrecked in the several harbors of the island is at least twenty.

Mid Class e' scenes.

There are fears that the investigations of Mr. Depew in the remote and little frequented portions of Greece may result in his capture by the brigands infesting those localities. Well, if our Chauncey does get captured this country will cheerfully pay the ransom and send the bill to the Government of Greece, perhaps, by Ben Butler, who will see that the formula, C. O. D., is observed.—*Rome Sentinel.*

CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW is in Athens, Greece. Of course he will visit the Acropolis and seek out the tomb of Demosthenes. While at Rome he dropped a tear at the grave of Cicero (pronounce it kickero, please).—*Dayton Times.*

Mr. DEPEW is of the opinion that the brigands in Southern Europe have lost their cunning. They held up a train next to the one in which he and Mr. Vanderbilt were traveling, but never so much as looked at Mr. Depew's train. The missed a golden opportunity.—*Boston Herald.*

CHAUNCEY DEPEW has recently visited the late Henry Demosthenes, of Greece, and is said to have remarked that he didn't see how Mr. Demosthenes could have been much of a speaker when there was no such thing as Demosthenes in his day.—*Minneapolis Times.*

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Grant Haven.

The First Ref. church has extended a call to Rev. M. Kohn, of Kalamazoo. The grocers of the city closed up on Thursday afternoon and joined in a "grocerymen's picnic," at Highland Park.

From the Tribune: "The electric light meeting of five or six hundred of the representative tax paying citizens of the city at the Opera House was not only unanimously in favor of electric lighting, but enthusiastically so. We say unanimously, there were two dissenting votes, or rather one and a half, as the second man who started to say "no" changed his mind, when about half through and ended in an inglorious squeak."

Ground for the new electric light plant was broken Monday.

H. Bloeker & Co., met with a serious loss Tuesday night in the burning at about one o'clock of the foundry and contents adjacent to their engine works. Origin of fire unknown. Loss \$3,000; insurance \$1,800.

The opening of the new Cutler House will be on Tuesday evening Sept. 1st., though dinner will be served on the preceding Sunday.

Gerrit Budema of Nortonville near this city, from three acres of red and black raspberries has sold six hundred dollars worth of fruit.

Died, Tuesday morning, at his home seven miles south of this city, Daniel O. Connell, one of the first settlers on the State road, between this city and Holland. He leaves a wife, four daughters and one son, and a large circle of friends to mourn his loss.

Akeley Institute will begin its fourth school year Sept. 17.

The D. & M. R'y will be forced to rebuild the elevator destroyed by fire several years ago, will it retain its hold upon the transportation of wheat east. The fact that the Milwaukee & Eastern Transit Co. are building a large elevator at Grand Haven renders it the more imperative, inasmuch as shippers at Milwaukee prefer to send their grain across the lake and thence east by rail rather than via Chicago, where delays seem unavoidable, owing to the immense business during the grain shipping season.

The event of the season in social circles occurred in St. John's church and the handsome residence of Dr. A. Vanderveen Wednesday evening, the occasion being the marriage of W. H. Dubee of Ripon, Wis., to Miss Marion, the doctor's oldest daughter. Dr. Wilkinson performed the ceremony before a large number of guests and friends. Refreshments were served at the residence and during the evening opportunity was given to see the numerous and costly presents. At 11:30 Mr. and Mrs. Dubee left for Milwaukee. After Sept. 17 they will be at home at Ripon, Wis.

Allegan County.

From the Gazette: Allegan furnishes the prettiest girl to be seen at Ottawa Beach. But who she is 't would never do to tell.

There probably are not so many peaches grown on an equal area anywhere in the United States as in Allegan county.

From the Saugatuck Commercial: Another peach buyer from Minneapolis arrived here Tuesday. He said the dealers of the twin cities had become tired of buying their fruit of the Chicago commission men and now proposed to buy direct from the growers and thus do away with a useless class of middlemen.

There is a report from trustworthy sources that a thousand baskets of peaches, affected with the yellows, were shipped from Fennville one day last week. Such shipments are a damage to every fruit grower in Michigan whose products are sold in the same market with this diseased fruit.

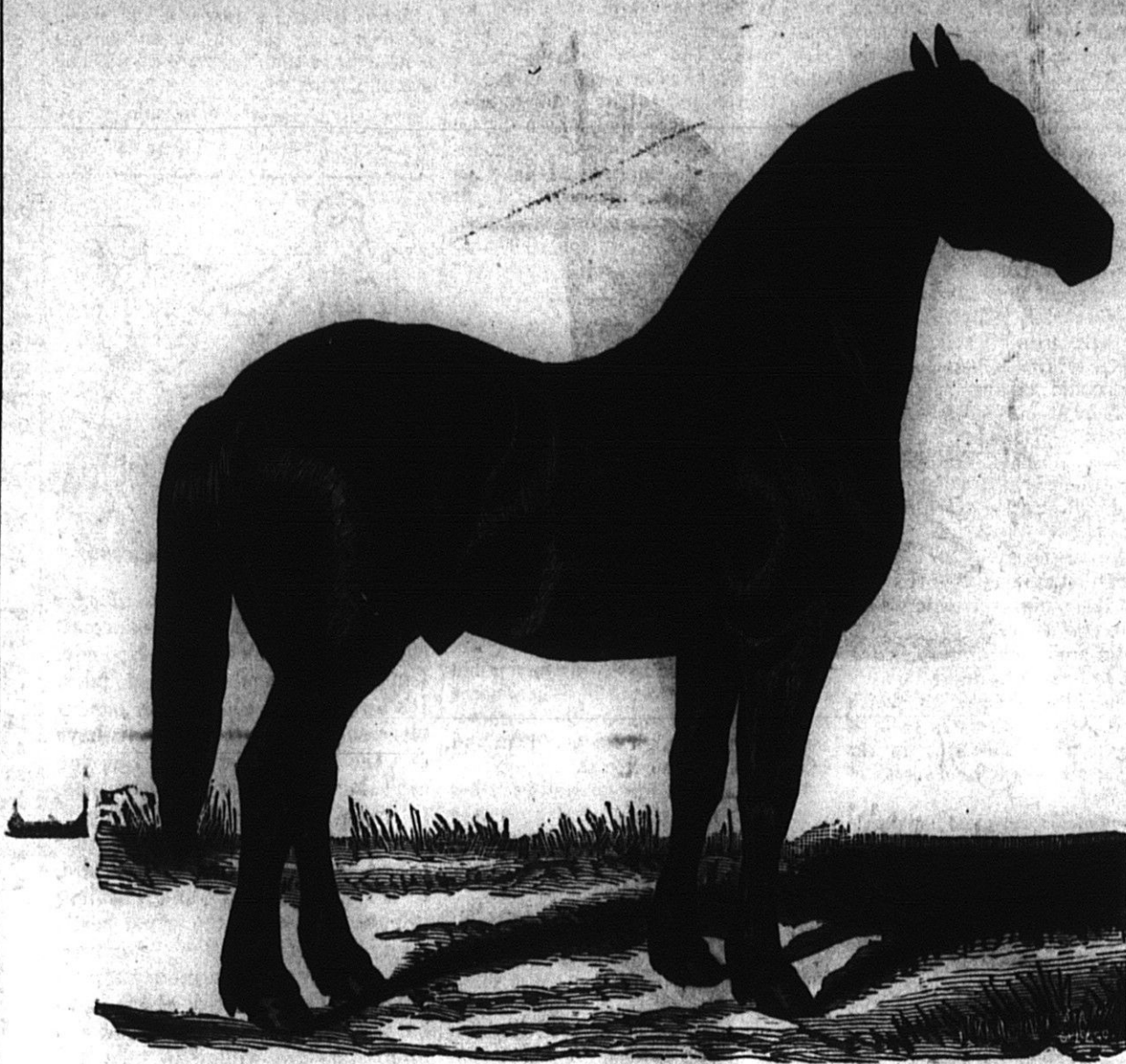
The Milwaukee market is doing better by peach shipments this year than it has ever done before.

A noisy crowd of about one hundred excursionists came on a moonlight ride from the Holland resorts last Tuesday night, reaching here about 10 o'clock. They made a big racket about town for an hour or so and then returned.

Pennsylvania oil men have leased 9,000 acres of land around Allegan and will bore six wells for oil at once.

Yellows are becoming so general and so threatening in Manlius that surrounding peachgrowers are alarmed and vigorous means are being taken to check the ravages and spread of the disease. Whole wagon loads of peaches all ready for market have been destroyed when it was learned that they had been taken from diseased trees.

A Horse.



Everyone wishing to buy a horse will have an opportunity at the Large Public Sale of TWENTY HORSES,

among which will be found

Workers and Carriage Horses of all kinds.

Sale to take place on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1891,

AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M., at my Barn at the corner of Market and 7th sts.

Ed. J. HARRINGTON Jr.

HOLLAND, MICH.

ALBERT RIDDERING, Auctioneer.

Every horse will sold to the highest bidder, without reserve.

One year time will be given on good secured notes at 7 per cent interest; 5 per cent discount for cash.

Never before have we had such an elegant display of Dress Goods as we are now showing for the Fall trade. New goods arriving daily.

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This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers.—For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50 cts. and \$1.00 per bottle at P. W. KANE'S Drugstore, Holland, and A. DE KRUIF, Zeeland.

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We control exclusively many of our own patterns in carpets. They are very choice.

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Special Assessment Notice.

CITY OF HOLLAND, MICH.,

CLERK'S OFFICE, Aug. 18th, 1891.

To John De Boer, V. B. Blair, C. R. Mower,

Isaac Cappel, John Derks, Jan Elfrink, P. H.

Christ, John J. Cappel, Kiasa Van Doesburg,

Christian Van Putten, O. Van Vijven, John Van

dyk, Teunis Ten Houten, W. C. Welch, Geo. W.

Atwater, S. Van der Veen, Cappel & Bertsch

Leather, Jacob Kuit, Jacob Van Putten,

Patric J. Doyle, J. W. Bosh, Isaac Lamereaux,

Frank Hodder, J. H. Puck, Third Ref. Church,

G. Van Ark, Wm. Doornbos, Abel Kaverings, P.

H. Van Baalte, C. Van der Heuvel, Jr., C. Van

den Heuvel, and Cit. of Holland:

You and each of you are hereby notified that a

special assessment roll, for the improving, grad-

ing and graveling of Pine Street, special street

assessment District 1, the city of Holland, has

been reported by the board of assessors to the

common council of the city of Holland, and filed

in this office, and that the common council has

fixed upon Tuesday the 8th day of September

1891 at 2 o'clock, at the common council room in

said city, as the time and place when and where

they will meet with the board of assessors to re-

view said assessment.

Any person objecting to the assessment may

file his objection thereto in writing with the city

clerk.

By order of the Common Council,

36-37. GEO. H. SIPP, City Clerk.

Do You Want

Furniture, Carpets, Wallpaper etc.?

We Invite You to the Store of

RINCK & CO.,

Eighth Street, Holland, Mich.

You will save money by buying your Goods there!

IN FURNITURE

can supply you with every article

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we carry the largest

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we have in larger variety than

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DECORATED SHADES of all the latest patterns

WINDOW SHADES made in all sizes.

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Ask for "Magic" at your Grocer's. Let him

sell his other kinds to other people.

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Proprietor,

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During the building season of 1891 I will sell CASH, DOORS and MOULDINGS at bargains that defy a petition. Parties that desire to buy in large quantities do well to send for prices.

I will also give special rates to all Builders and tractors for dressing and matching lumber.

LUMBER.

My Lumber-yard is at all times stocked with an ample supply of pine and hemlock lumber, piece-stuff, sheathing and finishing boards, flooring, ceiling, siding, sidewalk material, lath, shingles, window and door frames, etc., etc.

Special attention is called to the fine designs and plans of

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Do not build until you have seen them, as it costs no more to build a good, tasteful building than one poorly constructed. Buildings contracted for complete,

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Holland, Mich., April 3, '91.

J. R. KLEYN

Wm. Van Der Veere

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New Sewing Machines from \$20 and upwards.

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Holland, March 20, '91.