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# HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XXXIII.

HOLLAND, MICH., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1904.

No. 34

**50c All Wool Suitings at 43c**  
SPECIAL FOR NEXT WEEK

Beginning  
**Saturday, Sept. 3rd**

We will place on sale 10 pieces of

**All Wool Suitings**

Different Shades a bargain at 50c

**Your Choice at 43c**

Just the right goods for Fall and Winter Dresses.

**A. I. Kramer,**



**ARE YOU FITTED**

With the excellent means for perfect sight which our experience and knowledge prepare us to supply you?

Examination Free. Satisfaction Guaranteed

**W. R. Stevenson**

Optical Specialist

24 E. 8th St. Holland.

**If it is Correct, It's Here**

*All the new Ideas, Many Patterns to select from, clothes made as they should be made, combining all the essential qualities for satisfactory clothes—*

**FIT AND WORKMANSHIP**

*and that indescribable touch so necessary for up-to-date Garments; and then the price is in itself a feature. Expenses light, prices corresponding.*

**DYKEMA, The Tailor,** 41 East 8th Street.  
CLEANING, PRESSING AND REPAIRING promptly and properly done.

**H. Vander Ploeg**

I desire to announce to the Public that I am thoroughly ready for the opening of School this fall.

**Just Think of It!**

**Two Tons of Tablets**

**4,000 Pounds**

Buying in such a large quantity, I am able to sell cheap at the following rates: **Tablets for Pen**—5 cents a pound—6 pounds for 25c. **Tablets for Pencil**—3 cents a pound—10 pounds for 25c. (Only 25c worth or less sold to one person at one time.) These tablets have no covers, but at the price stated they actually sell as cheap as wrapping paper. **Tablets 9x4-in.** good for spelling excellent for pen paper, only 1c each. Not only have I the largest supply of Tablets in the city but I carry a splendid line of all sorts of **School Supplies.** While in Chicago this week I purchased a full line of

**SCHOOL BOOKS**

For use in High Schools and in the District Schools. In our neat store, we shall welcome all children and will celebrate our first opening with a **full School Line**, by giving each child that buys something (no matter how little) a nice

**SOUVENIR**

**Henry Vander Poeg**

41 E. 8th. THE BOOK STORE Holland, Mich.

## Holland City News.

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

MULDER BROS. & WHELAN, Pubs.

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HOLLAND CITY NEWS Printing House, Bldg. & Kramer Bldg., Eighth St., Holland, Mich.

### CITY AND VICINITY.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Nibbelink, West Fifteenth street, Tuesday—a daughter.

F. J. Kantlehner of Muskegon is foreman of the roundhouse at Waverly while Forman Kelly is relieving the foreman at Grand Haven.

The Ferry cases closed in the Ottawa circuit court Saturday and they will be argued before Judge Padgham in the Allegan circuit court next month.

The mission at St. Francis Catholic church closed last Monday morning and Father P. Gottfried Schlachter, who conducted it, as well as Rev. Father Eickelmann, the pastor, were very well pleased with the results.

Charles Robinson fell from an engine Monday night while working at the Pere Marquette yards at Waverly and his collar bone was fractured and his left hip severely bruised. He was brought to his home on 26th street where Dr. H. Kremers attended him.

Charles Boyden's new auto boat was given a trial on Spring Lake Sunday afternoon and it proved a success for speed, holding a rate of about nineteen miles an hour. The hull was built by William Barrett of Spring Lake and the engine is of Grand Rapids make. Mr. Boyden designed the boat.

Excellent indeed is the showing made by Crescent Tent, No. 68, K. of M., of Holland on page 4 of this issue of the News. Over two hundred of Holland's substantial citizens belong to this society and share in its fraternal benefits. It has paid out in the city of Holland since 1890 in sick, disability and life benefits the grand total of \$29,888.27.

Municipalities and communities suffering from or threatened with the presence of typhoid germs in drinking water supplies should at once request the Secretary of Agriculture to render assistance. Dr. George T. Moore, physiologist, after an exhaustive investigation, found a remedy which destroys the typhoid germs. It is a simple dilution of copper sulphate or a metallic copper and has been used with marked success in several cities.

In the four years that have elapsed since the federal census of 1900, Ottawa has allowed none of the counties of Michigan which were behind her then in population to pass her. Among the counties of the state we were 17th in population in 1900. We are 15th now and are crowding some of our neighbors. In the past four years we have gone ahead of Marquette and we are close to Genesee, Ingham, Oakland and Washtenaw.

The Holland Sugar Company is getting the factory in readiness for the fall campaign and a prosperous season is expected. Following are the men who will fill the most responsible positions:

Superintendent—W. Kremers.  
Chief engineer—H. VanEyck.  
Assistant engineer—J. VanEyck.  
Foreman—Charles Manning.  
Chief chemist—Otto G. Can.  
Assistant chemists—C. W. Ladd, John H. Link, E. J. Pierson.  
Sugar boilers—T. P. Price, Angus McVicar.

It has been said that the Democratic national committee intends to print and circulate 15,000,000 tons of literature during the campaign. In this connection the New York Herald prints some statistics showing that the total amount of paper of all kinds made in this country in a year is 1,568,873 tons, valued at \$85,410,145. Consequently the Democrats will need ten years' supply for which they must pay more millions of dollars than are represented by the public debt of the United States. Furthermore, the distribution of this mass of literature would break down the mail service. From all of which the Herald sagely concludes that the Democrats are simply trying to frighten the people of the country into voting for Parker.

Born to Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Wiersma, Lucas, Mich., August 26—a son.

Born to Prof. and Mrs. F. D. Haddock, Polo, Ill., August 22—a son.

Dr. N. M. Steffens preached in the Fifth Reformed church of Grand Rapids last Sunday.

The Misses Cynthia and Elizabeth Schaelkamp of Orange City, Ia., who have been the guests of friends here for several weeks, have returned home.

There were 30 deaths in Ottawa county during the month of July—five in Holland and six in Grand Haven. In Allegan county there were 35 deaths during July.

It is expected that before next season Ottawa Beach hotel will be sufficiently enlarged to accommodate more than the present capacity, 750 guests.

John H. Raven has returned from Kalispell, Montana, where he conducted a jewelry sale. He will go to Gloucester, Mass., to-day where he will sell a \$15,000 jewelry stock at auction.

Dr. George Baker, of this city, who has been laboring with the city mission in Cleveland, O., has been recalled to the Indian field in Oklahoma and will soon leave for Fort Sill.

Rev. A. Keizer, pastor of the Ninth street Christian Reformed church, is one of the trio named by the Grandvilles avenue church of Grand Rapids, from which a pastor will be selected.

Prof. A. M. Raap, instructor in Dutch language and Dutch literature in Hope College, has moved his family from Chicago to the residence of G. Blom on Central avenue. Mr. Blom has moved into his handsome and commodious new residence on East Fourteenth street.

There will be an important meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union Friday evening at the home of Mrs. C. St. Clair, 323 River street, when Sunday school work will be discussed. All members are requested to be present, and the pastors of all local churches with the superintendent of each Sunday school, are cordially invited to be present.

"John Doe," as his name appeared on the court docket, played cards in an Eighth street saloon and refused to settle with the proprietor. Deputy Sheriff Derk Overweg caught him as he was about to shake the dust of the city from his feet and brought him before Justice VanDuren where a sentence of 30 days in the county jail was imposed in default of payment of a \$10 fine.

Charles Thomas died Tuesday morning at his home on the Hugh E. Bradshaw place on the bay shore, death resulting from cancer of the stomach. Mr. Thomas was born in England 39 years ago and came here from Detroit three years ago, securing employment in the interurban line car shops. He is survived by his wife.

The September meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of Hope church will be held on the afternoon of Wednesday the 7th at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. D. Post on West 11th St. A cordial welcome will be given all ladies of the church and congregation particularly any strangers in our midst who may be interested to attend.

The death of Ray VanHoek occurred Monday at the home of H. Tuurling, 177 East Sixth street, where he boarded at the expense of the county, being a township charge. He was operated upon six weeks ago for tuberculosis of the bone, his foot being affected and death resulted from the disease. The funeral services were held from the Tuurling home Thursday afternoon, Rev. A. Keizer officiating.

The new fall schedule of the G. R. H. & C. interurban road will go into effect on September 16, on which day fast trains will be taken from the time table. Another important change which will be made is the running of all cars on the hourly instead of the half hourly schedule as at present. The removal of the limited trains from the road follows the action of the Graham & Morton Transportation company, which has decided to discontinue the morning boat trips from Holland to Chicago. The evening boats will be continued until later in the season.

**Cool, Satisfying DRINKS For Thirsty People**

Finest Ice Cream, Finest Fruits and Flavors. Saturday, Pine Apple Ice 5 cents.

**Gon DePree's Drug Store**

See that the boys and girls go to school next Tuesday.

William Vanden Berg, living east of the city, has the small pox.

Mrs. Bert Westerhoff visited friends in Grand Haven this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stoketee, jr., left Monday night for a visit to friends in Chicago.

Hon. G. J. Diekema will deliver an open air address to the Y. M. C. A. of Grand Rapids at Fulton Street park next Sunday.

List of advertised letters at the Holland postoffice for the week ending Sept. 2.—C. H. Browning, Nicola De Rosa, Wm. Haubennestel, Rev. Henry Knott, H. C. Marloe, Mike Seeman, E. Stalder, Miss Myra Winn.

Attorney and Mrs. Arend Visscher will leave next Monday for New York to take the steamer Baltic for Europe September 1. They will visit England, Germany, Switzerland, France and the Netherlands, and expect to return home about the middle of November.

With 25 delegates present out of about 100 entitled to seats in the convention the Democrats of the Fifth district Wednesday at Grand Rapids nominated ex-Circuit Judge Vernon H. Smith of Ionia for congress to run against Congressman William Alden Smith, after a determined effort had been made to induce several others to make the run. M. G. Manting was secretary of the convention, and Al Toppen was elected a member of the congressional committee.

The summer days were too greatly fringed with chilling weather this year and as result the resort season has not been quite as good as it should. Nevertheless it has been fair at the Macatawa Bay resorts and that is more than can be said of most of the others. Macatawa Bay has a way of getting along well even when other places meet failure. This is due to the fact that it is a family resort instead of an excursion center, a resort where people come from afar with their families to spend the season, instead of a resort for transients that come in hundreds one day and stay away in hundreds the next. Ottawa Beach hotel closed Monday, Macatawa will close next week and Virginia Park will be open for several days.

A hint to those who are willing to see Holland grow, but who do not wish to take a hand in contributing to that growth is contained in the work being done by M. Van Putten. Instead of sitting quietly croaking and doing nothing but find fault he builds houses. This year alone, through his efforts, at least ten houses will be built. The carpenters are just putting the finishing touches on the fourth one that he has built on Sixteenth street, and three more houses are rapidly rounding to completion on Pine street between fifteenth and sixteenth streets. Good luck has been with Mr. Van Putten in his efforts, as a purchaser is generally found for each house before it is completed. Or probably it is good judgment instead of good luck. For Mr. Van Putten has a way of building houses right and selling them on terms that are right. Were his example followed more generally Holland would witness a more rapid growth. If you have money and do not wish to build houses there are other things to do. Engage in business enterprises. Put your money in circulation through legitimate business deals and help the city.



# MAY HAVE BARRED RUSSIAN RETREAT

LACK OF NEWS FROM LIAOYANG  
SEEMS TO INDICATE JAP-  
ANESE VICTORY.

MIKADO'S TROOPS MAY  
HAVE FLANKED SLAVS

Japs May Be in Possession of Tele-  
graph Lines to North of Kuropatkin's  
Position - Russian Victory  
Claimed in First Day's Fight.

The entire absence of news from the battlefield of Liaoyang up to Wednesday afternoon is not explained by any advice either from St. Petersburg or Tokyo. It is now midnight in Manchuria, but no word has been received of events since nine o'clock Tuesday night, when it was announced that the fierce battle that raged all Tuesday ceased at nine o'clock and both armies had bivouacked on the field. The only surmise to be drawn from this absence of both press dispatches and official reports is that the telegraph line has been cut north of Liaoyang. Gen. Sakharoff Tuesday reported that a large Japanese force was advancing northward along the Taitse river, west of the railroad. Such a movement, if accomplished, would interpose this force between Liaoyang, the Russian base, and Mukden and would cut Kuropatkin's communication north. Added probability is given to this surmise by the fact that Tuesday the press received almost hourly dispatches from Liaoyang, one timed at 6:49 p. m., detailing the battle up to that hour, being received in New York at 1:15 p. m., while up to Wednesday afternoon no advice had been received. The announcement that activities were resumed at daybreak Wednesday morning must therefore be an invention.

**Anxiety at St. Petersburg.**  
St. Petersburg, Aug. 31.—The great anxiety for news of Wednesday's battle had not been relieved at this hour. No press or private dispatches giving details of the fighting have arrived and the explanation given is that the wires are probably busy with official messages. It is positively stated, however, that the emperor Wednesday afternoon received a telegram from Gen. Kuropatkin, but the contents cannot be learned.

The general staff does not doubt that the losses Tuesday were heavy on both sides, but the staff declares that in the absence of direct information the figures mentioned are largely guess work.

**Battle Resumed.**  
Liaoyang, Aug. 31.—The battle was resumed Wednesday with rifle fire at dawn, in the southwest. There was desultory firing all night. The last attack of the Japanese Tuesday was made at seven p. m. on the Fengwang-cheng road.

**Japs Reported Captured.**  
St. Petersburg, Aug. 31.—A dispatch from Mukden Wednesday afternoon says it is reported there that Gen. Samsonoff has captured two Japanese Battalions.

**The Russian Losses.**  
St. Petersburg, Aug. 31.—Lieut. Gen. Sakharoff, telegraphing to the general staff, on the conclusion of Tuesday's 16 hours of fighting around Liaoyang, estimates that the Russian casualties throughout the day were 3,000.

The battle ended at nine o'clock Tuesday night, when many positions occupied by the Japanese were retaken and again held by the Russians.

**Claims Russian Victory.**  
St. Petersburg, Aug. 31.—Success crowned the Russian arms the first day of the battle of Liaoyang, and the utmost confidence prevails here that the issue of the fight will be a complete victory for Gen. Kuropatkin.

From dawn until dark Tuesday the battle raged, first in the center and left and then on the right of the Russian line. The Japanese charged gallantly and desperately in an effort to break the center, and then in the afternoon came a movement against the opposite flank. This attack was delivered from the west, but Gen. Kuropatkin had evidently anticipated just what happened, for he not only met and repulsed it, but actually was able by superior force to overlap and envelop the Japanese. Tuesday night both armies bivouacked in their positions.

No attempt was made by Lieut. Gen. Sakharoff in his report to estimate the Japanese losses, except to say that they were extremely heavy, and the Russian losses were only approximated at 3,000. No Russian general officers fell.

**The Russian Positions.**  
Gen. Kuropatkin's forces occupied positions forming a semi-circle about Liaoyang, the flanks resting on the Taitse river, east and west of the city.

The battle divided itself into two periods. After a preliminary bombardment of the Russian lines on the right, the Japanese infantry advanced to the attack, charging the Russian center. Although repeatedly checked they came on with bulldog tenacity, hurling themselves against the Russian positions with the bayonet. There were many bloody hand-to-hand encounters. By noon the Japanese actually succeeded in occupying a portion of the Russian trenches. Then Gen. Kuropatkin sent forward some reserves, delivering a series of counter attacks, recaptured the lost positions and drove back the Japanese all along the line.

The attack on the center having failed, the second half of the fight began at four o'clock in the afternoon,

when the Japanese tried to turn and roll up the Russian right. Here, also, they failed, but only after a desperate struggle, which was continued until nine o'clock at night. Reserves dispatched in time by Gen. Kuropatkin at last succeeded not only in checking the Japanese but in enveloping and driving them back in confusion.

During the progress of the battle Gen. Kuropatkin encouraged his men on the fighting line by sending out the news of the repulse of the attack upon Port Arthur August 26.

The Japanese flank movement from the west began Monday from Chandiapudzi, three miles southeast of Shakh, which is 11 miles northwest of Liaoyang.

One of the striking features of the battle was the splendid work of the Russian artillery, in which arm the Japanese heretofore have excelled. A dispatch filed late Tuesday night says that a report was current at Liaoyang that 46 Japanese guns were captured during the day.

There is great rejoicing in St. Petersburg over the news on the bulletin boards. The dispatches posted there are surrounded by eager crowds. The officials of the war office, although they have not yet received advice in regard to Wednesday's events, are in high spirits. The Japanese, who have been continuously advancing for a week, are now said to be utterly exhausted after Tuesday's hard and unsuccessful fighting, and no doubt exists here that if the opportunity offers, Gen. Kuropatkin will not fail to follow up the advantage he has achieved.

**Report from Tokyo.**  
Chicago, Aug. 31.—What purports to be a cable from Tokyo to the Journal says it is reported at that place that the Japanese forces have obtained a footing within the inside outskirts of Liaoyang. Reinforcements to the mikado's forces are continually arriving.

**Wireless Station Dismantled.**  
Washington, Aug. 31.—The state department has received a cablegram from Consul General Fowler, at Chefoo, saying that the Russian wireless telegraphy station there has been dismantled.

**Stoessel Reports Japs Repulsed.**  
St. Petersburg, Aug. 31.—Gen. Stoessel's report says that the Japanese attacks were repulsed till August 25, with heavy loss to the attackers. He gives no details of the positions held or of the Russian losses in men, but says the officers suffered severely, especially the younger ones. Some of the larger Russian guns were placed out of action by the Japanese batteries and were replaced by field pieces.

Finally, the general recommends Gens. Fock, Kondratenko, Smirnov and others for bravery and devotion. The navy as well as the army will share in the benefits of the imperial decree, published Tuesday, by which the term of military service for soldiers of the Port Arthur garrison is reduced so that every month served from May last until the end of the year shall count for one year of the full term of service. This is a repetition of what was done at the time of the siege of Sebastopol.

## TRAIN IS HELD UP.

Masked Men Rob Express Car of Oregon Express at Kemmerer, Wyoming.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Aug. 31.—Upon the arrival of the Oregon express on the Oregon Short Line at Kemmerer, Wyo., at two o'clock Wednesday morning four men stepped out from the shadow of a building near the depot and as soon as the door of the express car was opened by the messenger, two of them held him up, while the two others stood off the station agent. A package containing \$900 to pay off the employees of the Kemmerer Coal company was demanded, and was given to the robbers, who disappeared.

Sheriff James and Deputy Jones, of Evanston, went on a special train to the scene of the robbery, and are now in pursuit of the robbers. The robbers are believed to be employees of the coal company, who knew of the arrival of the package, as they made no further search for other plunder. A package containing \$13,000 for the Cumberland Coal company was not disturbed.

## SIXTEEN DROWNED.

Aden, Arabia, Aug. 31.—A boat containing the captain and 16 members of the crew who had left the British steamer Baron Innerdale, which was ashore at the Kuria Muria islands, off the southeast coast of Arabia, capsized and all the occupants were drowned with the exception of one boy, who was saved by natives. The Baron Innerdale sailed from Kurrachu, British India, July 27, for the United Kingdom or the continent.

## TRIPLE TRAGEDY IN ARKANSAS.

Stephens, Ark., Aug. 31.—A triple tragedy occurred near Mount Holly, Union county, Tuesday, in which one white man and two negroes were shot to death. Details are very meager, but it is said that two negroes offered an indignity to a white woman. A mob went out on a hunt for the negroes with the result that a white man, a stranger named Stover, and a negro man and a woman were killed.

## SENATOR HOAR'S CONDITION.

Worcester, Mass., Aug. 31.—The following bulletin on the condition of Senator George F. Hoar was issued Wednesday forenoon: "He is resting comfortably and there is no apparent change in his condition. His strength has not increased, but he takes nourishment administered by his doctors and sleeps well. We look for no perceptible change for several days."

## CROP CONDITIONS.

Corn Belt Complains of Lack of Rain  
—Too Much Moisture in  
Other Sections.

Washington, Aug. 17.—The weather bureau Tuesday issued the weekly crop report as follows:

The Atlantic coast and east gulf districts have suffered from excessive moisture and lack of sunshine, a large part of the central valleys, from drought, the lake region from low temperature and the northern Rocky mountain and north Pacific coast districts from heat and drought.

Rain would prove beneficial generally throughout the corn belt, over a large part of which, more particularly the southern and eastern portions, corn is suffering more or less seriously from drought.

The weather has been favorable for spring wheat harvest, which is far advanced in the southern portion of the spring wheat section, and the crop is ripening rapidly in the extreme northern portion. Reports of damage from rust continue from the Dakotas and portions of Minnesota. Hot winds have proved injurious in Washington, and yield below the average are reported from Oregon.

Oat harvest is now finished, except in the extreme northern districts, where this work progressed under favorable conditions. A good crop is generally indicated.

Hay is finished except in the more northerly sections, where it has continued under favorable conditions. A large crop of hay of good quality has been secured in most sections.

## BASEBALL.

Tables Which Show the Standing of the Clubs in the Struggle for First Place.

The standing of clubs of leading baseball organizations is shown by the following tables: National league:

Club	Won	Lost	Per cent.
New York	68	27	.719
Chicago	60	37	.620
Pittsburgh	56	39	.589
Cincinnati	59	42	.584
St. Louis	59	43	.565
Boston	58	43	.576
Brooklyn	54	45	.543
Philadelphia	47	51	.479
American league:			
Boston	59	39	.602
Chicago	50	40	.560
New York	56	39	.589
Philadelphia	54	40	.574
Cleveland	51	42	.549
Detroit	41	55	.427
St. Louis	37	53	.411
Washington	22	73	.233

## THE SULTAN YIELDS.

Constantinople, Aug. 15.—After prolonged pour parlers and considerable haggling on the part of the Turks, a satisfactory solution of the American school question has been arrived at. This matter, which is the most important of the American demands, was settled by extending to American schools the same treatment as that accorded to schools under the protection of other powers.

## HOLLAND MARKETS.

Prices Paid to Farmers.	
PRODUCE.	
Butter, per lb.	15
Eggs, per doz.	18
Dried Apples, per lb.	66
Potatoes, per bu.	45
Beans, hand picked, per bu.	180
Onions	85

GRAIN.	
Wheat, per bu.	1 08
Oats, per bu., white.	31 31
Barley, per bu.	60
Corn, per bushel, new, or old.	61
Barley per 100.	60
Clover Seed, per bu.	5 00
Timothy seed, per bu. (to consumers).	2 00

## BEEF, PORK, ETC.

Chickens, dressed, per lb.	10
Chickens, live, per lb.	8
Spring Chickens live.	10
Tallow, per lb.	4
Lard.	5
Beef, dressed per lb.	8
Pork, dressed per lb.	5 6
Mutton, dressed per lb.	6 1 2
Veal, per lb.	5 07
Lamb.	10
Turkey's Live.	10

## FLOUR AND FEED.

Price to consumers.	
Hay	per 100, 0 90
Flour "Sunlight," patent per barrel.	6 81
Flour "Daisy," straight, per barrel.	6 40
Ground Feed 1 40 per hundred, 25 00 per ton	
Corn Meal, unbolted, 1 35 per hundred, 25 00 per ton	
Corn Meal, bolted per 3 40 barrel	
Middlings 1 30 per hundred, 24 00 per ton	
Bran 1 15 per hundred, 21 00 per ton	
Linseed Meal \$1.45—\$28 per hundred.	

## HIDES.

Prices paid by the Cappon & Bertsch Leather Co	
No 1 cured hide.	10%
No 1 green hide.	8%

**F. S. LEDEBOER, M. D.**  
Physician and Surgeon.

SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO DISEASES OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

Night Calls Promptly Attended to.

Office over Breyman's Store, corner of Eighth Street and Central avenue where he can be found night and day. Ottawa telephone 110

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Take the genuine, original ROCKY MOUNTAIN TEA Made only by Madison Medicine Co., Madison, Wis. It keeps you well. Our trademark cut on each package. Price, 25 cents. Never sold in bulk. Accept no substitutes. Ask your druggist.

## THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

For the Week Ending Aug. 31.

John Mitchell says the scarcity of strikes in Great Britain is due to boards of conciliation.

Edward Thornton, the British minister to Nicaragua, is dead, following a severe attack of asthma.

William Chounard, who murdered his wife at Cass Lake, Minn., January 26, was hanged at Walker, Minn.

W. J. Bryan is reported to have been promised treasury portfolio for his unqualified support of Parker.

Chicago physicians are in want because of the practical banishing of germ diseases from the city.

One hundred thousand workmen in the United States are idle as the result of union labor troubles.

Alice Roosevelt had a narrow escape from being in an automobile smashup, the fright causing her to faint.

Philippine trade has increased \$1,000,000 and, excepting rice, America leads in imports for the first time.

A University of Chicago professor spends \$1,000 and a month's time to capture original potato bugs in Vera Cruz.

Eighty millions of dollars were given to philanthropic and charitable work in the United States last year.

Germany will oppose America's proposition for a triple two-cent postage agreement, including Great Britain.

The industrial dividends for September this year will be \$9,500,000, as compared with \$17,278,403 for last September.

An Italian murderer fled from pursuers in a swamp in Newark, N. J., and is believed to have sunk in the mud.

Miss Everett, of Exmoor, defeated Miss Carpenter, of Westward Ho, for the women's western golf championship.

Mrs. William Patterson, of Chicago, insane over domestic troubles, drowned herself in the lake at Jackson park.

Rear Admiral John C. Watson has been placed on the retired list of the navy, having reached the age of 62 years.

A Northwestern university professor shows that higher education lessens the probability of a young woman marrying.

A New York railroad will spend \$8,000,000 in providing a new rapid transit system, part of the road to be equipped electrically.

The post office at Piru City, Cal., was totally destroyed by fire, and Deputy Postmaster Burnham was caught in the flames and burned to death.

An elevator carrying four men and nearly a ton of acid fell at Babbitt's soap factory, in New York city. Two persons were killed and two fatally hurt.

The Harvard club, of San Francisco, has awarded to Yasunosuke Fukukita, a Japanese graduate of Stanford university, a scholarship at Harvard university.

Alexander Agassiz, the celebrated scientist of Cambridge, Mass., was elected president of the International Zoological congress in session at Bern, Switzerland.

Mrs. Robert J. C. Walker, a widow, daughter of William Weightman, of Philadelphia, inherits his estate of \$50,000,000 and becomes one of the world's richest women.

Frank and Fred Eberhardt, of Salina, Kan., won the tennis championship of the middle west by defeating H. M. Holland and F. R. Sanderson, of Galesburg, Ill., at Omaha.

Japan, in a formal statement, asks for fair play in Chinese neutrality, pleading justification of the seizure of a Russian torpedo boat at Chefoo and charging the czar with bad faith.

Dr. Charles F. H. Wilgohs, aged 100 years and eight months, is dead at Akron, O. He was of remarkable mental and physical vitality until a week ago and was able to walk for miles.

One balloon in the St. Louis-Washington race sailed eastward and was seen above two Illinois towns. It was making slow progress. The other contestant quit a few miles from the start, being unable to get a wind in the right direction.

## THE MARKETS.

New York, Aug. 31.	
LI STOCKS—Steers	\$1 50 @ 1 70
Hogs, State Penn.	5 35 @ 5 10
SHEEP	2 50 @ 4 25
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents	5 90 @ 6 40
WHEAT—December	1 12 1/2 @ 1 14 1/2
May	1 15 1/2 @ 1 16 1/2
CORN—December	57 @ 57 1/2
RYE—No. 2 Western	63 1/2 @ 70
BUTTER	12 @ 12 1/2
CHEESE (ex. Skims)	15 1/2 @
EGGS	15 @ 25

CHICAGO.	
CATTLE—Prime Beefsteers	\$5 20 @ 6 10
Medium Beefsteers	4 00 @ 5 00
Good to Choice Steers	3 90 @ 4 75
Calves	5 45 @ 5 85
HOGS—Assorted Light	2 75 @ 3 25
Heavy Packing	2 65 @ 3 20
Heavy Mixed	2 55 @ 3 15
SHEEP	2 10 @ 4 10
BUTTER—Creamery	12 1/2 @ 13
Dairy	12 @ 14
EGGS—Fresh	12 @ 20 1/2
POTATOES—Per bu.	47 @ 51
MESS PORK—Cash	1 37 1/2 @ 1 50
LARD—Cash	1 33 @ 1 55 1/2
GRAIN—Wheat, September	1 06 1/2 @ 1 07 1/2
Corn, September	53 1/2 @ 54
Oats, September	31 1/2 @ 32 1/2
Barley, New Feed	40 @ 42
Rye, September	67 1/2 @ 71 1/2

## MILWAUKEE.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Northern	\$1 15 1/2 @ 1 17
Corn, December	54 1/2 @ 55 1/2
Oats, Standard	33 @ 35 1/2
Rye, No. 1	74 @ 76 1/2

## KANSAS CITY.

GRAIN—Wheat, September	\$1 05 @ 1 06
December	1 04 @ 1 05
Corn, September	49 1/2 @ 50
Oats, No. 2 White	32 1/2 @ 34 1/2

ST. LOUIS.	
CATTLE—Beef Steers	\$3 75 @ 5 75
Texas Steers	2 50 @ 3 50
HOGS—Packers	5 50 @ 6 50
Butchers, Best Heavy	5 75 @ 6 75
SHEEP—Natives	3 25 @ 3 50

OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Native Steers	\$3 75 @ 5 55
Stockers and Feeders	2 50 @ 3 50
Cows and Heifers	2 25 @ 3 25
HOGS—Heavy	5 00 @ 6 25
SHEEP—Wethers	4 00 @ 5 25

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## JEFFRIES RETAINS THE CHAMPIONSHIP

**KNOCKS OUT "JACK" MONROE IN TWO ROUNDS IN BATTLE AT SAN FRANCISCO.**

Showing of "Butte Miner" a Disappointment—Latter Protests Against Decision—Big Crowd Witnesses the Contest.

San Francisco, Aug. 27.—Like the veriest amateur in the prize ring, Jack Monroe, of Butte, Mont., went down and out before Champion James J. Jeffries Friday night in the second round. The man from the mining district made such an extremely sorry showing that the great throng in Mechanics' pavilion roundly hooted him as he protested to Referee Graney against the decision that had been given in favor of Jeffries.

The two giants had not been in the ring two minutes when it was foreseen that the aspirations of Monroe would be quickly disposed of. The miner was scared and awkward and Jeffries in the first round had him twice on the canvas taking the count.

Jeffries directed his bombardment against the stomach of his opponent, and each shot was followed by a blow on the jaw that sent Monroe to his knees. Jeffries went back to his corner after the opening round with a sneer and a laugh on his swarthy face, while Monroe's seconds bustled themselves with smelling salts and restoratives. When the two came together for the second round the laugh on the champion's visage changed to a look of determination that boded ill to the miner.

Forty-five seconds after the gong sounded Monroe was lying on the floor, a bloody, bruised mass of humanity, with Jeffries standing over him, ready, if necessary, to put the quietus on the championship ambitions of his adversary. The miner was too dazed to rise to his feet and the timekeepers counted him out.

A great throng witnessed the contest. Estimates of the number in attendance range from 7,000 to 9,000, and it is believed that the gate receipts will approximate \$35,000.

## PENSION ROLL SHORTER.

List Shows Decrease for First Time in Its History—New Age Qualification Rule Satisfactory.

Washington, Aug. 25.—The annual report of the pension commissioner for the year ending June 30, 1904, shows that 47,374 persons were added to the rolls and 49,157 dropped, a net decrease for the first time in the history of the department.

The appropriation for the year was \$146,419,296 and the expenditures only \$144,712,787, leaving a balance of \$1,706,508.

Of the 47,374 persons added to the pension rolls 326 were by special act of congress, and of the 49,157 pensioners who were dropped, death claimed 43,920, of whom 31,728 were soldiers, 30,071 being volunteers of the civil war.

The total number of pensioners on the rolls as covered by the report is 720,315 soldiers, 273,841 widows and dependents, and 606 army nurses.

The report refers to the order issued by the commissioner March 15 last, in which age is made an evidence of disability, and says that in three and a half months of its operation only eight per cent, or 28,806 out of 370,000 pensioners, have asked for increase under its terms. The report says the order introduces no new principle, and "is in the direct line of economy, as it certainly is in the line of precedent."

Less than six per cent of the appropriation of \$1,500,000 was used to pay claimants under the order, the balance being turned back to the treasury.

## Four Children Drowned.

Cleburne, Tex., Aug. 26.—Four children were drowned Thursday evening by the capsizing of a boat in the Brazos river near Acton, Hood county. The dead: John Franklin, aged nine; Kitty Franklin, aged ten; Joe Franklin, aged eight; B. F. Goodman, aged 12. There were six boys and girls all told in the boat at the time of the disaster. In going down stream one of the boat's oars struck a snag, and the vessel immediately turned over. Two boys, names unknown, swam ashore. The bodies of the victims were recovered.

## Head-On Collision.

Deadwood, S. D., Aug. 31.—A special train carrying General Manager G. W. Holdredge, of the Burlington railroad, collided head-on with a regular passenger train on the Spearfish branch of that road Monday, badly smashing both engines, but nobody was seriously injured. The cause of the collision is unknown.

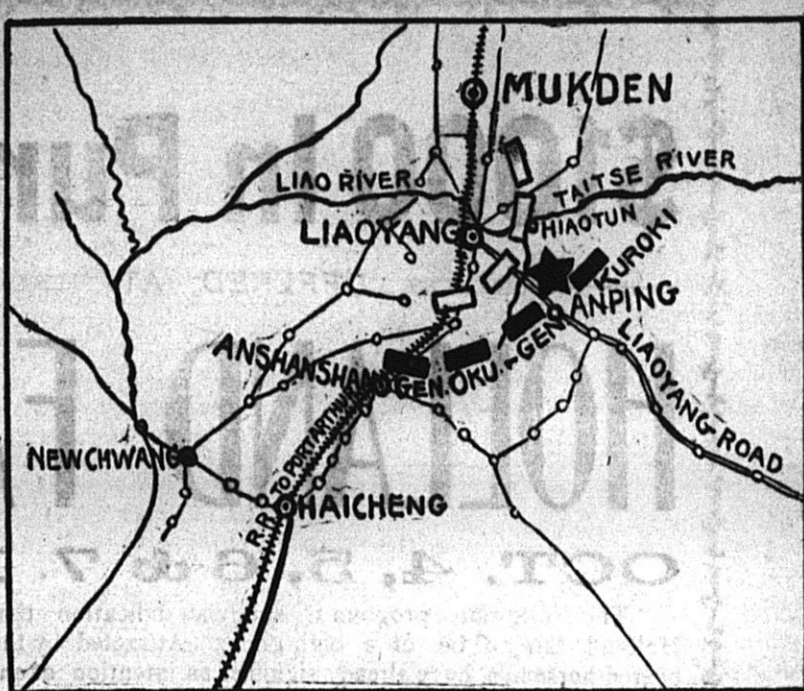
## Lynching in Wyoming.

Laramie, Wyo., Aug. 30.—Joe Martin (colored) was lynched by a mob of 300 men in front of Judge Carpenter's house at eight o'clock Monday night. Martin was a trustee in the county jail. He attacked a white girl, Della Krause, in the jail kitchen and slashed her face and arms with a knife.

## Another Negro Slain.

Statesboro, Ga., Aug. 30.—Sebastian McBride, a negro man living near Portal, in the upper part of Bulloch county, was taken out of his house Saturday night by a mob of five men, carried to the woods, whipped severely and then shot, from the effects of which he died soon afterward.

## MAP OF LIAOYANG BATTLEFIELD.



(Star shows point about ten miles southeast of Liao yang where Japanese forces concentrated for their attack—Russian forces are shown by unshaded rectangular figures—Japanese positions are indicated by black rectangular figures.)

## SPREAD OF MEAT STRIKE IN CHICAGO

**STOCK HANDLERS ORDERED TO JOIN RANKS OF THE STRIKERS.**

**INDEPENDENT PLANTS HAVE BEEN TIED-UP**

President Donnelly Explains Move of the Union—A Scarcity of Meat Is Possible—Packers to Hire Non-union Men.

Chicago, Aug. 31.—Independent dealers employing union men at the stock yards are threatened by the latest blow of the striking butcher workmen directed at the big packers. Live stock handlers were ordered to join the tie-up on Wednesday. This decision was reached by the executive board of the butcher workmen Tuesday night, following a determination to extend the strike indefinitely. Time for the live stock handlers to quit work was set for ten a. m. At the same time it was given out by strike leaders that switchmen employed in the stock yards by the Chicago Junction Railway company would probably quit. The switchmen, however, were said to be loath to make the move owing to peculiar conditions at the yards. Statements were made by the employers that arrangements had been made to replace the union strikers before night.

President Donnelly declared Wednesday morning that he had ordered 1,800 union butcher workmen, employed by Boyd & Lunham and Roberts & Oaks, independent firms, to strike at one o'clock Wednesday.

## Men Who Handle the Stock.

About 600 handlers employed by the Union Stock Yard & Transit company to drive, weigh and feed stock in the pens, were to go out, so that no cattle, sheep or hogs could be cared for or delivered to purchasers. Independent dealers, as well as big packers are affected by the strike. Most of the independent slaughtering houses have been running night and day since the strike. But since union butchers are employed in the independent plants, it was said, they will refuse to handle meat which has been in charge of any nonunion stock handlers likely to take the places of the strikers.

## Donnelly Explains Move.

"Independent dealers will be affected just as the big packers are," said President Michael Donnelly, of the Butcher Workmen's union. "It will be impossible for the packers to operate their plants without stock. So they will have no meat to ship."

The stockhandlers struck soon after the butcher workmen quit nearly two months ago, but returned to work. They agreed to quit a second time at a meeting held in Watita League hall Tuesday night.

## Packers Plan to Hire Men.

"Although we were not informed of the intention of the stock handlers to quit to-day, we have already planned to replace them with nonunion men," said an official of the stockyard company. Little if any interference with business will result.

## Much Confusion at Yards.

All who quit work marched out of the yards as soon as the hour for striking arrived. There was a party of about 500 of them in Exchange avenue during the exodus, and much confusion resulted. Independent packers with plants outside, who had bought cattle during the early hours of the market, were rushing their droves in order to be out of the yards early enough to avert any molestation, and to get their animals into the plants in time for the employees working Wednesday to slaughter and dress before the strike goes into effect.

## A Probable Lynching.

Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 31.—A special to the Commercial-Appeal from Vance, Miss., says that a sheriff's posse is searching for Hammond Dickie, a white man, who, it is alleged, criminally assaulted a nine-year-old negro girl there Wednesday. There are open threats of lynching Dickie if he is apprehended.

## DR. TOMAS HERRAN IS DEAD

**FORMER REPRESENTATIVE OF COLOMBIA AT WASHINGTON.**

Died at Liberty, New York, Where He Had Gone for Recuperation.

New York, Aug. 31.—Dr. Tomas Herran, who represented Colombia at Washington for several years and up to the time of the Panama incident, died Wednesday at Liberty N. Y. He had been ill for some time and went to Liberty in the hope that a sojourn there would aid in the restoration of his health.

Washington, Aug. 31.—Few Pan-American diplomats enjoyed the intimate friendship with the officials of the Washington government which was the late Dr. Herran's throughout his diplomatic career here. He was the only member of the diplomatic corps whom Secretary Hay received regularly in his private office. Dr. Tomas Herran first came to Washington at the age of three, his father having served here as minister from 1846 to 1863, when he assisted in the negotiation of the treaty of New Granada. Although born in Colombia most of Dr. Herran's early life was spent in Washington up to the time of his graduation from Georgetown university in 1863, when he went to London as private secretary to the Colombian minister to Great Britain. He traveled extensively and devoted considerable time to the study of languages, four of which he spoke fluently. In 1900 he was attached to the Colombia legation at Washington and throughout the regime of Minister Concha was the executive head of the legation. Upon the sudden departure of Minister Concha, Dr. Herran was made charge de affaires ad interim, and in this capacity signed with Mr. Hay on January 22, 1903, the Panama canal treaty between the United States and Colombia which, despite all that the charge could do, was rejected by the Colombian congress. This was the disappointment of Dr. Herran's life and from that and the severe strain under which he labored throughout the negotiations he never fully recovered. He did not receive what he considered proper treatment from the Bogota government after the failure of the treaty, and in the spring of 1904 he quietly closed the legation here and left Washington without presenting his official letters of recall. Dr. Herran leaves a large family.

## WISCONSIN DEMOCRATS.

Meet in State Convention at Oshkosh to Nominate Candidates for State Offices.

Oshkosh, Wis., Aug. 31.—The state democratic convention was called to order at noon Wednesday at the Grand Opera house. A full state ticket is to be named. Martin L. Lueck, of Juneau, was chosen temporary chairman, and F. E. Worden, of this city, temporary secretary. H. J. Killilea, of Milwaukee, was chosen permanent chairman. The nomination of ex-Gov. Peck, of Milwaukee, for governor, is conceded. It will probably be done Wednesday evening or Thursday morning by acclamation. There are several candidates for every other office. There is contest for the position of chairman of the state central committee, the incumbent, F. E. Worden, of Waukesha, being opposed by a faction which is putting forth J. E. Jones, of Portage. The convention is expected to make a recommendation with reference to the United States senatorship and the gentlemen who are looking for that favor are Former Senator William F. Vilas, Congressman C. H. Welles, Mayor Rose, of Milwaukee; Neal Brown, of Wausau, and T. E. Ryan, of Waukesha. The platform will denounce the extravagance of the present republican administration and declare for primary election reform.

## Mormons in Distress.

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 31.—Reports have reached here telling of considerable suffering among the Mormon colonists of Chihuahua, Mexico, this year on account of the prevailing drought. Only half and third crops have been produced. The colonists have planned to irrigate next year and engage in the sugar beet industry.

## Nominated by Democrats.

Milwaukee, Aug. 31.—Peter J. Somers, of this city, was Tuesday nominated for congress by the democratic convention of the Fourth congressional district of Wisconsin.

## SHE SUDDENLY RECOVERED

When Father Consented to the Doctor the Artful Patient Immediately Got Well.

She was in love with a young doctor.

"He's quite impossible!" cried her mother, when informed of it, relates Tit-Bits.

"Out of the question," asserted her father.

"He has fine prospects," insisted the girl.

"You can't live on prospects," said the father.

The next day she was ill.

"I can see nothing wrong," said the physician who was called to attend her.

Nevertheless, he left a prescription, but it seemed to do no good. The symptoms she described were conflicting and confusing.

"It's very strange," said the physician.

"If you do not understand the case we must get some one who does," said the mother.

So, after a week or more of experimenting, another physician was called in.

"A trifling indisposition," said the second physician. "I'll have her all right in a day or so."

But in a day or so she had him puzzled. Her lover had told her how to do it.

"Every time I see her," said the second physician, "there seems to be some new complication. I can't find anything radically wrong, but her statements certainly show that she is not all right."

By this time the father and mother were worried, and they sent for a specialist. The latter looked wise, but he met with no greater success than the two who had preceded him, although his bill was considerably larger.

The father had just seen the bill when the girl called to him.

"I fear," she said, wearily, "that this trouble is going to continue indefinitely. Don't you think it would be wise to have a physician in the family?"

The father looked at her suspiciously.

"Perhaps it would," he admitted.

"And it's so easy to have one," she persisted.

"Arrange it to suit yourself," he said, resignedly, for he was a man who knew when he was beaten.

The next day she was able to sit up, and the day after she had entirely recovered. But the father continued to look at her reproachfully, even up to the day of the wedding.

## BREW DOPE FROM BIRD SEED

Convicts in California Penitentiary Obtain Intoxicant in Singular Manner.

The prison officials at San Quentin will war on the deadly marijuana weed. Warden Tompkins has instructed Capt. Harry Harrison to detail guards and trusty Indian prisoners, who are familiar with the weed, to go over the prison grounds, inside and out, and dig out every weed found, says a San Francisco report.

San Quentin is used to surprises, but the story of the growth of the plant within the prison limits, and its enjoyment by the convicts, caused a stir in the official atmosphere of the institution.

Before the crusade stops it is possible that the convicts will have to surrender their canary birds, as it is feared that the wily convict is turning the Indian hemp seed diet of his pet into a powerful narcotic. Marijuana and Indian hemp seed must leave the prison. Both are rivals of opium.

The hemp seed makes an ideal narcotic for the convicts. A little is put in a tin cup and pulverized. Warm water is added and thin oil floats to the surface, a few drops of which produce a state of intoxication. The ease with which it can be prepared makes it popular with the convicts. They are allowed to draw upon their own funds to buy bird seed, and hundreds of them have birds. At San Quentin hemp seed is "dope."

Marijuana is a common-looking weed and something new to California, though there is a species called "cat-tleweed." The variety at the prison is the Mexican brand. It is worse than opium or its preparations. It is made into cigarettes and a few strong puffs are inhaled into the lungs. If its use stops here the smoker is mildly intoxicated. If he goes further with the smoking he becomes really drunk, and a few additional puffs overthrow his mind and he becomes a lunatic. He will run backward, imagining that all sorts of beasts are pursuing him. His condition becomes similar to delirium tremens.

## Dominica's Boiling Lake.

This curious lake was discovered through a man's losing his way in the surrounding forests and accidentally stumbling upon it. Shortly afterward (in 1875) a party was organized to explore it. The lake is elliptical in form, measures 200 by 100 feet, and lies about 3,400 feet above sea level. It is not a geyser, but it boils intermittently, sometimes for days at a time. Ten feet from the shore no bottom was found at a depth of 195 feet. Sulphuretted hydrogen (the gas famous in rotten eggs) is intermittently exhaled. It is very poisonous, and caused the death of a visitor and guide in 1901.—Detroit Free Press.

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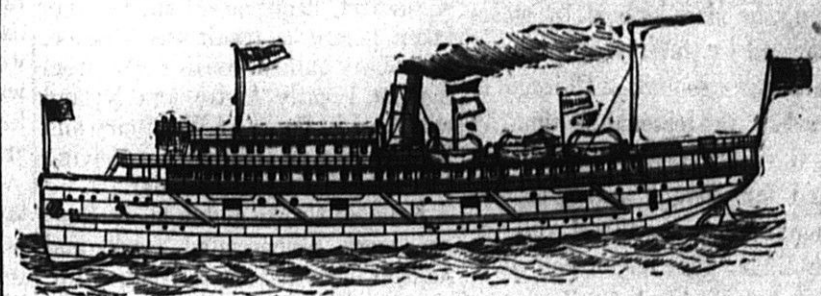
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## Relies On Roosevelt's Deeds.

"The only thing left to the Democrats in this campaign is to attack the personality of President Roosevelt," said Vice Chairman Harry C. New of the Republican national committee commenting on the action of the national Democratic managers in circulating excerpts from the works of Theodore Roosevelt as campaign documents.

"They have no issue to make a fight on," continued Mr. New. "The tariff issue is dead so far as the free traders are concerned, for it has become established that the people of this country are in favor of a protective tariff. The Democratic managers can do nothing except attack the President personally, but we are not worried in the least by that plan of campaign."

"We feel certain that President Roosevelt's popularity will be able to withstand attacks of this character, and we simply point to the things accomplished and put under way by his administration."

## Why Find Fault All The Time.

Soon the season of 1904 at Macatawa Park will be but a memory, and it is well to recall a few of the ideas that a contemplation of the park gives rise to. First will come to mind the controversies that have characterized the summer, and it might seem that this thought would suggest considerable of a dissertation. But it can be passed by with the remark that controversies have prevailed in other seasons and still the park goes on. And this gives rise to the idea that there must be a vast amount of good in the park. For in spite of wind or weather, in spite of controversial clouds, the park keeps on increasing in beauty and increasing in resources each year.

And why shouldn't it. Macatawa Park is better equipped with facilities for prosperity than any resort on the shore. It has beauty naturally, and has accommodations artificially second to none. You can yacht or swim either in Black Lake or Lake Michigan, can fish in either lake and can be fanned by breezes from either body of water. Of the accommodations, sufficient to say that all that is modern, such as electric lights etc., can be found at the park. Added to the natural beauty is the facilities for reaching the place by boat, by steam railway and by interurban railway. Then it is near enough to Chicago to be reached in reasonable time by those who intend to tarry more than a day and far enough away to discourage from coming those who intend to linger but a day or half day. It is in truth the ideal family resort of the lakes, a resort where a peaceful, restful atmosphere prevails and where opportunities for indulging in boisterous actions are denied.

Macatawa Park, Ottawa Beach, Jenison Park, Virginia Park, Waukazo and Central Park, all beauty spots on the bay in fact, are adjuncts of the city of Holland.

Therefore citizens of this city should realize that it is a mark of patriotism to stand by whatever aids the city, to praise when praise is due, to create favorable impressions instead of unfavorable. Do not be classed with the chronic croakers who are unwilling to see good in anything near to their own doorstep, but who must let their imagination cross mountains, seas and deserts to find objects about which they can utter words of commendation. But some people can find no good in anything. Others are broad enough to find good wherever it exists. As has been said:

"There is so much good in the worst of us,  
There is so much bad in the best of us,  
That it'll become any one of us,  
To say bad things of the rest of us."

Myron J. Carpenter has announced his retirement from the position of vice president and general manager of the Pere Marquette. He will engage in the coal business with headquarters in Chicago. Russell Harding, general manager of the C. H. & D. system and president of the Pere Marquette, is the executive head of the merged lines, which arrangement vacates the office held by Mr. Carpenter.

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## Republican County Convention

The republican county convention held Wednesday in Grand Haven was one of the liveliest and most enthusiastic in the history of the party. Three contests were on—for sheriff, prosecuting attorney and treasurer and the strife for the two first named positions was particularly keen and exciting. Following were the nominations made:

Judge of Probate—Edward P. Kirby of Grand Haven.  
Sheriff—Jesse Woodbury of Allendale.

County Clerk—Fremont Brown, Crockery.  
Register of Deeds—John J. Rutgers, Holland.

Treasurer—James H. Luther of Talmadge.

Prosecuting Attorney—Dan. F. Pagelsen of Grand Haven.

Circuit Court Commissioners—Charles E. Soule of Grand Haven, Geo. E. Kollen of Holland.

Coroner—Dr. John Mastenbrook of Holland.

Representative 1st District—Nicholas J. Whelan, Holland.

Representative 2nd District—Millard Durham, Coopersville.

Judge Kirby chairman of the county committee, called the convention to order promptly at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and Jacob Glerum, secretary of the county committee, read the call. Colon C. Lillie of Talmadge was introduced as the temporary chairman selected by the members of the county committee and the convention elected Jacob Glerum, temporary secretary.

Committees were appointed as follows:

Permanent organization and order of business Mr. Moore Polkton, Charles K. Hoyt of Grand Haven, E. P. Stephan of Holland.

Credentials—James J. Verhoeks of Grand Haven, Stoddard of Talmadge, A. J. Ward of Holland.

A committee on resolutions was not appointed, Hon. G. J. Diekema suggesting that inasmuch as the party had a state and a national platform a county platform was not necessary.

Judge of Probate Edward P. Kirby was nominated by acclamation, Attorney, Walter O. Lillie presenting his name and then came the battle royal for sheriff. It had all the trimmings of a first class political bombardment.

Mr. Phillips of Allendale placed Jesse Woodbury in nomination, Joseph Totten of Georgetown placed Cornelious Andre, Capt. H. F. Harbeck placed Cornelius Nyland, Geo. W. McBride of Grand Haven supporting him, and G. J. Diekema placed Hans Dykhuis.

On the first ballot Woodbury had 56 votes, Dykhuis 62, Nyland 49 and Andre 44. Eight more ballots were taken before a result was reached, Woodbury gained consistently from the first. Finally Andre and Nyland withdrew in favor of Woodbury and Woodbury was nominated, receiving 128 votes to 82 for Dykhuis.

Fremont Brown and John J. Rutgers were renominated clerk and register of deeds respectively, without opposition.

The names of James H. Luther and Hubert Pelgrim were presented for treasurer. The vote stood 140 to 70 and Mr. Luther was declared the nominee.

Nominating speeches for Prosecuting Attorney candidates followed. C. K. Moore of Coopersville presented the name of Louis P. Ernst; C. Van Loo named Mortimer A. Sooy; C. K. Hoyt presented Dan F. Pagelsen and P. H. McBride's name was presented to the convention by D. B. K. Van Raalte.

Result of first ballot for Prosecuting Attorney: Sooy 76, McBride 70, Pagelsen 44, Ernst 21.

Second ballot: Sooy 85, McBride 66, Pagelsen 44, Ernst 17.

Third ballot: Sooy 89, McBride 58, Pagelsen 43, Ernst 22.

Fourth ballot: Pagelsen 92, Sooy 92, McBride 26.

Dan Pagelsen received nomination on fifth ballot receiving 112 votes to 94 for Sooy.

After the nomination of a prosecuting attorney, the balance of the work of the convention was easy. Thomas S. Kiel and Dr. John Mastenbrook were made coroners by acclamation. Judge Soule and Geo. E. Kollen were renominated court commissioners and Emmett H. Peck was again placed on the ticket for surveyor.

To Nicholas J. Whelan and Millard Durham went renominations for legislative honors without opposition.

The tellers of the convention were Joseph O'Brien and Seth Coburn.

## NOTES OF THE CONVENTION

Though the contests were spirited, exciting and hotly contested, it is not likely that there has been a convention of late years that excelled that of Wednesday in downright hilarity, fun and good nature. Just as an unpleasant tension would be reached some good natured quip or witty sally would be injected into the proceedings. An instance of this was when A. J. Ward in supporting P. H.

McBride's nomination for prosecutor told a story about the man from Missouri, and when Charles K. Hoyt in nominating Dan F. Pagelsen for prosecutor said take he would be a good physician. But the premier break was made by the speaker who said, in supporting James H. Luther, that he was bred in Kent County and born and reared in Ottawa County.

The nominating speeches were particularly strong. G. J. Diekema's presentation of Hans Dykhuis was a sample of his best and was a vote gainer for the tall Grand Haven boy. Hon. D. B. K. Van Raalte nominated P. H. McBride in a forcible speech in which he paid the veterans of the civil war one of the most glowing tributes that has ever been heard on the floor of convention. John Nies and Con De Pree made supporting speeches that were models of speeches that say a great deal in a few words. A great oratorical flight was made by Joseph Totten from Hudsonville, who in an address teeming with patriotism briefly sketched the history of the republican party, praised Roosevelt and other republicans and ended by nominating Cornelius Andre. C. Van Loo of Zeeland is another staunch republican who can always be depended upon for the right kind of speech. His nomination of Sooy was an eloquent address and was a model of the finely rounded, telling style of the short oration. There was one man who spoke who did not have the opportunity of seeing his audience. It was H. Soerheide of Olive. He is blind. But this did not detract from his ability as a speaker as he made a fine presentation of Mr. Pelgrim's name. Mr. Soerheide is a graduate of the School For The Blind and has an education that many a man not blind does not possess.

Grand Haven Tribune—As is usual at Republican conventions, the personnel of the convention consisted of most of the leading men of the county. A Republican convention brings to Grand Haven nearly every man of standing in the community he represents as a delegate and today was no exception. The Holland delegates had a combine that died hard, but Holland went home last night with hardly a morsel out of the day's results. The country delegates fought the big town hard. Unlike Zeeland, however, the Holland delegates went home with few sore spots.

## Negro Robs House And Escapes To Woods.

The home of Mrs. John Kieft north of the city near the Grand Haven branch of the Pere Marquette railway was entered by a negro Sunday while the occupants of the house were at church and \$14, a gold watch that had long been an heirloom in the family and other valuable articles were stolen.

When Mrs. Kieft and her son-in-law, A. Vredevelt, who lives with her, neared the house on their return from church, they saw the negro leaving the house and Vredevelt grappled with him. The colored gentleman broke away only to come within reach of Mrs. Kieft, who seized him by the coat. With a twist he slipped his coat and hat from his shoulders and fled away, coatless and hatless. Thinking the marauder had a partner, Vredevelt looked in the house and by the time he again emerged the negro was not in sight.

Marshall Kamferbeek was notified and with a posse of neighbors scoured the woods in the vicinity, but darkness came and with it came no trace of the missing thief.

The Kieft house had been ransacked from top to bottom. The watch belonged to Mrs. Kieft and the money to Vredevelt. Marshall Kamferbeek sent messages to nearby towns and cities telling the authorities to apprehend the coatless and hatless negro, but no trace of him was discovered.

## Real Estate Transfers

John J. Rutgers, Register of Deeds  
Henry Root and wif to Arent Bolt's s & w 1-2 s w 1-4 sec 24-5-14 twp Zeeland..... \$8000  
Cornelia Brudee to Wm Kardux and wif pt lot 7, 8, and 9, Blk 5 Hope College Add Holland..... 400  
Tobyas Koffers and wif to Elizabeth Ratering pt lot 5 blk 44 Holland..... 100

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.  
At a session of said court, held at the Probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, on said county on the 24th day of August, A. D. 1904. Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Geert Oetman, deceased.  
Albert Oetman having filed in said court his petition praying that a certain instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to himself and Henry Oetman or to some other suitable person.  
It is further ordered that the 19th day of September, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said probate office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.  
It is ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,  
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.  
FANNY DICKINSON,  
Probate Clerk.

# \$1000 In Purses

OFFERED AT

# HOLLAND FAIR

OCT. 4, 5, 6 & 7, 1904

The following program is surely an indication that the races at the Holland fair will be of a high grade. Attracted by the liberal purses offered horsemen, have already signified an intention of entering their fast ones and some of the speediest steeds in the state will contest. The novelty races open to farmers will also prove good drawing cards and the excitement will undoubtedly be intense when they line up for the fray.

## WEDNESDAY, OCT. 5TH.

Free for all Pace or Trot.....Purse \$100  
1/4 mile heats, best 3 in 5

Seentlemen's Driving Class, Trot or Pace.....\$50  
Open to horses owned within 10 miles of Holland, and that have never started in a race. To be driven by owner 1 mile heats best 3 in 5

## THURSDAY, OCT. 6TH

2:30 Class Trot.....Purse \$200  
2:25 Class Pace.....Purse \$200  
Both Mile Heats, best 3 in 5

Farmers Novelty Race.....\$15  
Conditions to be agreed upon by contestants

## FRIDAY, OCT. 7TH

Free for all Pace.....Purse \$200  
2:24 Class Trot.....Purse \$200  
Both Mile Heats, Best 3 in 5

Farmers Novelty Race.....\$10  
Conditions to be agreed upon by Contestants

Running Race.....Purse \$25  
Best 2 in 3 1/4 mile heats

Entries Close October 1. Records made that date no bar.

## Additional Local

Wood and coal at right prices, Holland Fuel Company, Free Boone d Mgr., Citiz. 'phone 34. tf 44

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dick Steggenga, 129 East Seventeenth street, Wednesday—a son.

Bos & Bolhuis will build a meat market on West Fourteenth street for L. Knool.

Rev. William Moerdyke of Roseland, Ill., will conduct services in the Third Reformed church next Sunday morning and evening.

Miss Kate Blom is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. T. Bertsch of Mill Creek.

Attorney A. Van Duren attended to legal business in Grand Rapids Wednesday.

Frank Doesburg, formerly letter carrier, left yesterday for Washington D. C., to take a course in a business college, after which he will take a civil service examination and enter the government service.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vaupell returned Wednesday from a visit to their daughter, Mrs. L. Van den Berg, at Mahwah, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Trompen of Grand Rapids entertained the little cousins of their daughters, at Eue Gallie cottage at Macatawa Park where they are staying, at a party in honor of the birthdays of Sara Helene, aged to years and Margaret aged 2 years. A very delightful time was spent. Each cousin was the recipient of a small Indian canoe giving the date of the event in gilt—Aug. 24.

'Tis said a bottle and a glass  
Will make a person mellow,  
But Rocky Mountain Tea's the drink  
That livens up a fellow.—Haan Brothers.

## Put an End to it All.

A greivous wail oftimes comes as a result of unbearable pain from over taxed organs. Dizziness, Backache, Liver complaint and Constipation. But thanks to Dr. King's New Life Pills they put an end to it all. They are gentle but thorough. Try them. Only 25c. Guaranteed by W. C. Walsh's Drug Store.

## STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.  
In the matter of the estate of Albert Filkins, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 20th day of August, A. D. 1904, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the Probate Office in the city of Grand Haven in said county, on or before the 20th day of December, A. D. 1904, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday, the 20th day of December, A. D. 1904 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated August 20th, A. D. 1904.  
EDWARD P. KIRBY,  
Judge of Probate.

## Hope College.

Holland, Michigan.

A College of the sciences and the liberal arts, empowered to grant the A. B., and other degrees. A faculty of fourteen members. Thoroughly equipped laboratories in Chemistry, Physics and Biology. Courses in Mathematics, History, Psychology, Pedagogy, Literature, etc. Besides English the following languages are taught: Greek, Latin, French, German, Dutch Spanish, and Italian. Teacher's course entitling the graduate to a State Teacher Certificate. A music department, covering instruction in piano, organ, voice, violin, and theory. Connected with the College proper is a Preparatory School, or Academy, covering four years of instruction, which pupils holding an 8th grade diploma can enter without examination. This preparatory school fits the student for entrance into Hope College or other first class colleges or universities. Entrance and graduation fees are low. Rate of living is very reasonable, and students seeking self-support can often find employment. College opens Sept. 21, at 9 A. M. Applicants for either the preparatory department or for college should meet the Faculty in Graves Hall on Tuesday, Sept. 20, at 9 A. M. to present their certificates or diplomas. Others may then be examined for entrance into any of the classes. For further information or catalogue, apply to G. J. KOLLEN, President.

Western Theological Seminary  
The Western Theological Seminary will open for the reception of Students on Wednesday, Sept. 21, at 2 P. M. Students desiring to enter must present a certificate of membership in the church to which they belong and their credentials of scholarship.

J. W. BEARDSLEE.

## The Death Penalty.

A little thing sometimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or puny boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve ever handy. It's the best Salve on earth and will prevent fatality, when Burns, Sores, Ulcers and Piles threaten. Only 25c. at W. C. Walsh's Drug Store.

## GRAND RAPIDS

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 4.

Rate 50 cents  
Train will leave Holland at 11:00 a. m.

See posters or ask agents for particulars. 33 2w

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

## Jones--Henry.

A Greenville, Wis., editor a few days ago published the following enthusiastic account of a wedding in that town:

Miss Jennie Jones and Bob Henry were married at the Jones mansion last night. The bride is a daughter of our constable Jones who is a good officer and will undoubtedly be re-elected next spring. He offers a fine horse for sale in another column. The groom runs a grocery store on Main street and is a good patron of our add columns and has a fine lot of bargains this week. All summer he paid two cents more for butter than any store in town. The happy couple left on the ten o'clock to visit the bride's uncle in Milwaukee, who is reported to have lots of money and Bright's disease. Bob certainly has an eye for business.

Bill Nye began his career as a humorist in Wisconsin and his work seems to be living after him up there.—S. E. Kiser in Chicago Record Herald.

Wanted: Girl for general house work. Inquire at 103 East Tenth street.

## OLIN FAMILY ANNUAL EXCURSION.

To Cleveland, O. and Buffalo, N. Y. will be run over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. Tuesday Sept. 27.

Special train will leave Grand Rapids at 8:30 A. M. or Kalamazoo at 10:35 A. M. running through without change.

Fare to Cleveland O. and return \$6.75; Buffalo \$9.00.

Tickets good for 30 days. Particulars from ticket Agents or by writing: W. S. Brown, T. P. A., Hillsdale, Mich. or R. W. Innes, C. P. A. Grand Rapids, Mich.

## LOW RATE EXCURSION TO THE EAST.

On September 27th the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will run the Olin Family Excursion to Cleveland, O. and Buffalo, N. Y.

For particulars as to time of special train, rates, etc. see another column or hand bills.

## LABOR DAY RATES

The Pere Marquette will sell excursion tickets from all stations to points within fifty miles on Monday September 5th. good to return Tuesday, Sept. 6 at low rates. Ask agents for particulars. rw 33

## Attention Poultrymen

The regular meeting of the Holland Poultry & Pet Stock Ass'n. will be held at the usual meeting place on Wednesday evening Sept. 7th. Business of importance; a fine attendance requested.

J. B. Hadden Pres.,  
L. S. Sprietsma Sec.



## THE TIDE OF TIME.

"All the rivers run into the sea; yet the sea is not full; unto the place from whence the rivers come thither they return again."—Ecclesiastes 1:7.

All the rivers find the sea,  
And all the years, eternally.

The rhyet that idles on  
Where sigh the rushes tremulous,  
Or laughs beside the flowered lawn,  
Or flouts the spicy calamus.  
Or breaks and leaps and shouts and brawls  
With echoes from the farther hills,  
Still hears the sea's insistent calls  
And flows on as that calling wills.

The rivers of the varied moods—  
That sing across the singing plain,  
Or in the forest solitudes  
Chant measures in a somber vein—  
They, too, but answer that one call:  
Of north, or south, or east, or west  
The rivers journey one and all  
Down to the sea of peace and rest.

And from the sea the rivers rise  
As from eternity the days—  
Within the heart of time there lies  
The rule of the appointed ways;  
Within the heart of time each dawn  
And golden noon and twilight gray  
And every moment come or gone  
Has known its call to go or stay.

So all the smiles and all the tears,  
And grief and joy live o'er and o'er,  
And on the bosom of the years  
Drift out from some eternal shore,  
Rise out of that eternity  
Which was, and is, and shall endure;  
And what has been and what shall be  
Knew, and shall know, that haven sure.

All the rivers find the sea,  
And all the years, eternally.  
—W. D. N., in Chicago Daily Tribune.

## The Humiliation of John Strong

By HOWARD DEVINE

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It was the trial of John Strong's life that his sister could not or would not keep more capable and slightly maids about the house. In a general way he admitted inwardly and outwardly that Lavina was a most competent and comfortable housekeeper, but in the matter of maids he was peculiarly fastidious—placing the matter nearly as high in grade of importance as keeping the salt cellars filled.

"It positively spoils my appetite, Lavina," announced John Strong, dogmatically, "to have my food served by such dowdy girls."

John was just feeling the oats of his early old-bachelorhood. He was comparatively young as old bachelors go, but having lived at hotels and clubs and restaurants during the brief period between the death of his mother and the widowhood of Lavina—some three or four years—he had acquired the microbe of criticism which develops so readily and rapidly in the bachelor nature and moreover he wanted Lavina to understand thoroughly that he was no longer a kid brother, but had become a thoroughgoing man of the world. In truth John had been glad enough to get back to the spacious and comfortable old home and have his



HOLDING THE HAND OF A RATHER PRETTY LITTLE BLONDE GIRL.

comfort looked after by Lavina, after his years of servitude to landladies, stewards, cooks and other abominations of bachelor life. But he feared she regarded him still as a sort of small boy and it required some energetic complaint and a great deal of dignity, assumed or real, to maintain his position as a seasoned man of the world.

And Lavina—well Lavina always worshipped John as the king who could do no wrong—but, nevertheless, as the boy who was to be cared for and looked after, and she regarded his criticisms and his airs and graces much as a big Newfoundland dog regards the barking of a diminutive rat-and-tan.

"Which girl is it that offends your aesthetic sense, Johnnie?" inquired Lavina, sweetly.

The "Johnnie" settled it. The one thing Mr. John Strong could not stand was to be addressed by the pet name of his boyhood.

"All of 'em, all of 'em," he declared warmly. "Take this freak you have now as a dining room girl. In the first place nature never intended she should be seen outside a kitchen or laundry, and in the second place her method of getting herself up is positively disgraceful. She may be clean—but I doubt it—and it is a fact that the way she fixes her hair and dresses herself is a positive disgrace. It spoils my appetite to have her around, to say nothing of the thought that she handles my food."

"Why, I thought Nellie was a particularly neat and tasty girl," replied Lavina, sweetly. "Mrs. Terwilliger-Jones was remarking the other day that she was altogether too pretty a girl to have about a house where there was a young man. She said she would not have her

about her house when Robert was home—and I'm sure Nellie dresses very nicely."

John had gone purple during this speech.

"Mrs. Terwilliger-Jones," he shouted, "And so that old gossip is mixing in our affairs and offering advice about how a gentleman should live. I suppose she cannot recover from the low-born associations of the period prior to her marriage to Terwilliger-Jones. I don't wonder Bob prefers to travel than to live in such an atmosphere. Please do not mention her name to me again, Lavina. And as for this girl I insist that she be replaced immediately. Of course, I do not want to interfere with your domestic arrangements, but I positively refuse to eat in the house again so long as she waits on the table. Why, you should see the dainty girls they have to serve at the Mecca and at Bernick's. Pretty as pictures and dressed so daintily as to make it a positive pleasure to receive the dishes at their hands."

"But how is one to get these fairy waitresses?" asked Lavina with a quizzical smile. "I'm sure it's hard enough to get any sort of help."

"Pay 'em, pay 'em," answered John, decisively. "That's how Bernick gets 'em. We do not have to economize, Lavina, how many times have I told you. Do I ever complain at the bills?" Then John arose and stalked out, nor did he return for several days, telephoning that he would return when the objectionable person had departed.

Some days later Lavina and her friend Mrs. Terwilliger-Jones were downtown shopping one afternoon and decided to stay down for the theater. So they went to Bernick's for dinner. They occupied one of the cosy little boxes or private dining rooms, which lined both sides of the great main dining room, with its palms and music and glistening marble and noisy clatter of tongues and dishes.

Presently the tones of a familiar voice struck Lavina's ear. They came from the next room, which was separated only by a low partition. Evidently Brother John was also dining at Bernick's.

"Here, Thompson," said that new girl to wait on me—the pretty little blond who looks so neat. I can't endure a dowdy girl to wait on me." This in John Strong's most dignified and authoritative tones.

"Yes, sir," replied the usher deferentially.

Somemomentslater John's voice rose again. "Ah, there you are; and prettier than ever. Come, stop your blushing and look here at what I've brought you."

There was a feminine exclamation of surprise and pleasure and then John's voice again. "Come, now, don't I deserve a kiss? Yes I do. What? Well, if you won't give it to me I'll just have to take it."

There was a slight sound of a scuffle and a smothered scream. Lavina looked very severe and Mrs. Terwilliger-Jones inexpressibly shocked.

Again John's voice, "Well, if you are afraid people will hear, why don't you keep still. Yes, I'll give you my order in a minute. But look here, you're altogether too pretty and dainty a girl to be waiting on a table in a bloody old restaurant. It's too hard work for you. You look all tired out. I'll tell you what. You join me at the X street entrance to the park to-morrow afternoon at five and we'll have a nice little supper and take a boat ride afterwards. What do you say?"

"I don't get off until nine o'clock," replied a feminine voice.

"Pshaw, that's easy," replied John, "Just tell 'em you're sick and have to lay off. If there's a row I'll fix it with Bernick."

When she heard the sound of the girl's voice Lavina looked puzzled, then she smiled expansively. She whispered to Mrs. Terwilliger-Jones.

A moment later both ladies stood in the doorway of the adjoining room. A most scandalous sight met their eyes. John Strong sat at the table with hair slightly ruffled and holding the hand of a rather pretty little blond girl, who stood by his side blushing profusely. Before them on the table was an open jewel box, containing a handsome ring. Mrs. Terwilliger-Jones raised her lorgnette to her eyes and stared coldly. Lavina voiced a quick little giggle and said sweetly:

"Good afternoon, John, I thought it was your voice. Why, Nellie, how do you do? I didn't know you worked here. Do you like it better than in a private family? I must remember it and have you to wait on me when I come here. Why, John, I thought you could not, did not like to have Nellie serve your meals." Then both ladies retired.

John Strong's face was a study. "You don't mean—are you—did you—that it—dem it."

"Yes," replied Nellie. "Your sister discharged me last week. Didn't you recognize me? Why, I thought you did and that was why."

But John had reached for his hat and fled incontinently. Nor did he go outside the doors of his club for a week—and he resumed his home relations only upon the most solemn promise on the part of Lavina that the restaurant incident never would be alluded to.

Nor has John ever expressed himself on the servant girl question since.

**The Czar's Bodyguard.**  
The czar's bodyguard consists of 15 Circassians noted for their keenness and courage. They accompany the emperor everywhere, sometimes in disguise, sometimes in uniform, and on occasions as private gentlemen of the court. They keep a special watch on the kitchen, and examine everything that is cooked before it is placed on the imperial table. The wine is tasted several times a day by three persons, for fear that it should be drugged.

## Society and x x Personal.

Ingersoll—Barry

A very pretty home wedding occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ingersoll, West Olive, Wednesday Aug. 24, 1904 at three o'clock, when their eldest daughter Susie M. was united in marriage to George W. Barry.

Only the immediate relatives and friends were present.

At the appointed hour, to the strains of music played by Miss L. Olive Ingersoll, only sister of the bride, the couple entered the room and took their places before an altar of evergreens and flowers where the ceremony was performed by Elder I. D. VanHorn of Battle Creek.

Immediately after the ceremony a dainty repast was served, the Misses Oleva Ingersoll and Elva Barry acting as tray bearers. The gifts received were both numerous and useful.

Mrs. A. D. Floyd gave a reception last Saturday evening in honor of Prof. and Mrs. Channing W. Gilson of Chicago. Mrs. Gilson is the daughter of Mrs. Floyd. Mrs. C. V. R. Gilson more assisted in receiving the guests and Dr. G. J. Kollen assisted in presenting them to Prof. and Mrs. Gilson. Refreshments were served by the Misses Hazel Wing, Grace Browning, Theo Thuber, Estelle Kollen and Katherine Post. Those present were Dr. G. J. Kollen, Prof. and Mrs. J. H. Kleinheksel, Dr. A. C. V. R. Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Browning, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wing, Mr. and Mrs. John Busby, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Olive, Percy Ray, Prof. J. B. Nykerk, R. H. Post, Hoyt G. Post, Oswald Visscher, the Misses Daisy and Birdie Busby, Alvina Breyman, Bessie and Kate Pfanstiehl Jean and Isabelle Steffens, Otto Hurlbert, and Mesdames Robert Slowinski and W. H. Vander Lei. Prof. Gilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gilson of Chicago, were also there. Prof. and Mrs. Gilson will live in Quincy, Ill., where he has a position in the schools.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adams, at their lake shore cottage in Laketown, during the past two weeks have been entertaining their children, consisting of Edson B. Adams and family of Albany N. Y., Dr. A. L. Adams and family of Jacksonville Ills., and their daughter Mrs. W. L. Wilcox and family of Chicago. This is the first time in twenty years that the entire family have met together. The reunion was a very pleasant one and was much enjoyed in picnics and drives to the many pleasant resorts in the immediate neighborhood.

The musical entertainment given at Hope church Thursday evening was well attended and a fine program was carried out. Mr. Hartzell at the organ, and Mr. Van Hasselt with his violin both rendered the selections with harmony. The choir under Mrs. Van Verst and the singing delivered by Miss Jean Steffens was well received and the whole program was heartily applauded. Refreshments were served in which coffee and cake constituted the bill of fare. Too much credit cannot be given the church society for their hospitality to all.

Henry Fris is in Big Rapids.

Miss Alma De Young is visiting friends in Grand Rapids.

Miss Marie Brander of Sault Ste Marie is the guest of Mrs. B. Arendshorst.

Miss Josie Steketee of the firm of Steketee and Van Spyker left for Chicago Monday night to look over the fall millinery styles.

Prof. J. B. Nykerk was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Mayor Henry Geerlings was in Chicago this week.

C. H. Shetterly of Cadillac was the guest this week of his sister, Mrs. Arthur Van Duren.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Merrill have returned from a visit to Saginaw.

Rev. A. Klerk of Cedar Grove, Wis., called on friends here Tuesday on his way home from a visit to different Michigan cities.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Zwiers of James-town were the guests of their niece, Mrs. A. Bouwman.

Miss Hattie M. Holman of Grand Haven is visiting her cousin, Miss Hattie Kammeraad.

Miss Amelia Van Toll of Grand Haven is visiting Miss Hattie K. Bouwman.

Mrs. J. C. Lepebre and Mr. and Mrs. Tate of Chicago are visiting at the formers sister, Mrs. A. F. Kammeraad and brother, Albert Bouwman.

Peter Schoon was in Zeeland Wednesday.

Mrs. I. Goldman is visiting relatives in Kalamazoo.

Ed Van Landegend has gone to Pequaming, upper peninsula, to take a position as principal in the public schools.

Dr. J. O. Scott has gone to the worlds fair and his office is in charge of Dr. Brouwer of Detroit.

Will J. Robinson of South Haven came here Wednesday to enter Hope College. While taking the college course he will be employed at Hotel Holland.

John Alberti, of Chicago, formerly a well known business man of this city, was the guest of friends here this week.

Mrs. M. VanPutten and two sons left Wednesday for a visit with relatives in Grand Rapids and Spring Lake.

Wess. Nibelink and Tiemman Slagh drove to South Haven on a business trip this week.

Mrs. J. C. Haney, who has been the guest of Mrs. Sarah Mattison, has returned to her home in Hammond, Ind.

W. A. VanSyckle is spending a weeks vacation in Battle Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Channing W. Gilson of Chicago were the guests Sunday of Mrs. Channing's mother, Mrs. A. Floyd.

W. G. Barnaby went to Water-vliet Sunday for a days visit with his wife, who was the guest of relatives there.

Rev. James F. Zwemer has returned from a trip through the western states in the interests of Hope College. Mrs. Zwemer has also returned from a visit with her daughter at Spring Lake, and Miss Kate Zwemer and Mrs. TeKolste are home from their trip to Illinois.

Prof. J. H. Ehlers, formerly principal of the Holland High school, and who has been staying at Mackinac Island for the summer, was in the city Saturday on his way to Mt. Sterling, Ill., where he is engaged as superintendent for the coming year.

Jacob Flieman attended to business in Muskegon last Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Wagner who has been the guest of friends in this city, has returned to her home in Grand Rapids.

The Misses Maggie and Anna Marie Whelan, of Montague, who have been the guests of relatives in this city, have returned home.

William J. Olive attended to business in Olive Wednesday.

Miss Phila Ederle has returned from a visit to the St. Louis fair.

Jacob Pelgrim and Paul Kleinheksel have gone to the Worlds fair.

Claud Carnelisse of Grand Rapids spent part of the week with A. F. Kammeraad and family.

J. H. Wise and family have returned from a visit to friends in Freeport, Pa.

Theological Student Anthony Karreman, who spent the past 14 weeks preaching at Tinton, Iowa, has returned home.

Tom N. Robinson and James Deto left Monday for a visit with relatives in South Haven.

C. Blom, sr., was the guest Sunday of John Duursema of Pentwater.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hiler were the guests of their son in Grand Rapids Sunday.

Jacob Wise made a business trip to Chicago this week.

A. I. Kramer visited friends in Grand Rapids Sunday.

Mrs. John Elferdink of Rudyard is the guest of relatives here.

Henry Vander Ploeg made a business trip to Grand Rapids Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Bos of Filmore are attending the worlds fair.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Anderson of Grand Rapids were the guests Sunday of Miss Elgin Burke.

Miss Anna Dyke of Grand Rapids is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dyke, Fourteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. VanDuren were the guests the first of the week of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Cox of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Harrington and daughter Maud have returned from their summer home at Harrington's Landing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Reber were the guests of friends in this city Sunday.

Attorney L. Y. Devries made a business trip to Chicago this week.

Mrs. George H. Shaw left for Chicago Monday to see the fall millinery styles.

Prof. and Mrs. O. S. Reimold have gone to Lincoln, Ill., where Mr. Reimold is employed as principal of the Pontiac schools.

Those outing flannels for 43c a yard at John Vandersluis are sure to go with a rush next Wednesday. See them in show window. New Fall jackets and furs have also been received by Mr. Vandersluis.

## Graafschap

Albert Seggers died last Friday at the age of 86 years. The funeral services were held Monday at the Reformed church, Rev. Luxen of Muskegon officiating. Mr. Seggers is survived by four sons, Henry, George, John and Ben and three daughters, Mrs. A. Kleis, Mrs. Henry Wiemink and Mrs. Wm. Zuideweg.

Rev. John E. Kuizenga is away on a five weeks vacation. The church of which he is pastor is rapidly nearing completion. The plasterers will begin work Monday; the bell has been placed and sounds very good.

George Speed has finished the work of remodeling Ben Luger's house making of it one of the finest farm residences in this part of the country.

Dr. Peppeler's residence is nearly completed.

Mr. Harkema has bought a lot of John Mulder near the creamery and will put up a dwelling house. It will be finished before winter sets in. If Graafschap keeps on growing it will soon frighten Saugatuck.

You may roam the country o'er but will fail to find better

## TEAS and COFFEES

—Than can be found at—

## Boot & Kramer,

Groceries & Dry Goods

A spring tonic that cleans and purifies and absorbs all poison from the system. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well all summer. 35 cents. Tea or tablets. Haas Bros.

Owners of Bicycles.

Owners of bicycles who persist in leaving wheels on the streets after 1 o'clock in the morning are instructed that hereafter a charge of 50 cents will be made against the owner for every wheel taken in charge by an officer after that hour.

FRED H. KAMFERBEEK,  
City Marshal.

Wood and coal at right prices, Holland Fuel Company. Fred Boone. Mgr., Citiz., phone 34. tf 44

## EXCURSIONS

VIA THE

PERE MARQUETTE

St. Joseph Rate \$1, Muskegon rate \$.50, Whitehall rate \$.75 and Pentwater rate \$1.00. Sunday Aug. 28. Train will leave Holland at 9 a. m. See posters, or ask Agents for particulars.

H. F. MOELLER.

G. P. A.  
2wk

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TO YOU.

In order that our readers may be thoroughly convinced of the curative powers of the magical, relieving, and healing remedy, Paracamp, we are pleased to say that if you will fill out the coupon below and mail to The Paracamp Company to-day they will give you a full-size bottle free.

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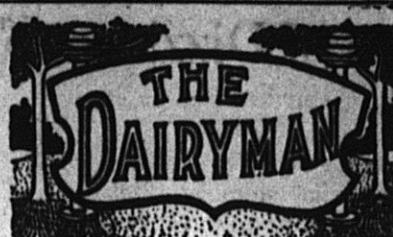
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**CASTORIA.**  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*



For some time to come the greater portion of the skim milk at creameries will be used as food for the lower animals. How to treat it so as to have it returned to the farmer in good condition is a very important question. Possibly I cannot do better than give an outline of the method followed in the dairy department of the Ontario Agricultural college, Guelph, Canada, says Professor Dean of that college.

The whole milk is heated by a Danish pasteurizer to a temperature of 180 to 185 degrees F. The milk flows directly into a cream separator, where the cream and skim milk part company. The skim milk drops into a small tank, and from there it is elevated by means of a rotary pump to a galvanized iron skim milk tank in the attic of the dairy building. Before the milk goes into the pipes some water is first pumped through in order to cleanse and wet the pipes. The pipes are also washed after the milk has been pumped. This is allowed to flow out of the skim milk tank before any milk goes in.

Once a week a strong soda solution is pumped through the pipes to cleanse them. As soon as there is sufficient skim milk for the patrons to begin drawing out they insert checks into a skim milk weigher, which delivers eighty-five pounds of skim milk for each 100 pounds of whole milk sent to the creamery. This hot skim milk is run directly into the patrons' cans, and we request them to set the skim milk in tanks of cold water as soon as they reach the farm and to keep the vessels clean into which the skim milk is put. By following this plan we have been able to furnish our patrons with a quality of skim milk nearly equal to hand separator milk.

Champion Guernsey Bull.

A magnificent specimen of the Guernsey breed is the bull Prince Rosendale 4291, says American Agriculturist, from which the illustration is copied. He is at the head of the herd of Clayton C. Taylor of Erie county, N. Y., and was bred in Wisconsin by Charles L. Hill. At the Pan-American he was the champion of the herd, winning twenty-two prizes on an exhibit of



PRINCE ROSENDALE 4291.

twenty-three head. He is a large, thrifty, vigorous animal of great substance and constitution, very deep bodied, good length and fine handler, large development and well placed rudimentary and considered by many expert judges a wonderfully strong dairy type.

Speed in Milking.

The quicker the milker the richer the milk if the work is done well and completely. Two milkers, one rapid and the other slow, will get about the same quantity of milk, but the former will get more fat. The difference between a rapid and a slow milker counts in butter or money.—Dairy and Creamery.

Buying Dairy Cows.

In buying a dairy cow look well to the udders. They should be well up in front and high up in the rear, teats of good size and well placed and far enough apart so that the animal can be milked without constantly hitting knuckles, says Farmer's Advocate. Fat, fleshy udders are objectionable. They should milk down well and be soft and flexible, having plenty of tissue to perform their work. The price of ordinary cows ranges from \$50 to \$60, but there may be more profit in the \$85 one than in the one costing \$60. The main consideration is whether she will make 150 or 350 pounds of butter in a year or give 1,000 or 7,000 pounds of milk, and a difference of a few dollars is unimportant if you get the best cow for the expenditure.

Dairy Notes.

Since the largest amount of contamination comes from the udder during milking, it is important that all udders be washed before milking.

No product of the farm is a greater delicacy or more palatable than really gilt edge butter, and the time spent in learning to make it is profitably used.

If the buttermaker would thoroughly please his patrons and secure from them the highest prices, his butter must not only be of good quality, but uniformly good.

All dairy utensils and everything with which the milk comes in contact should be rinsed, thoroughly washed and sterilized after each using.



## Days of Dizziness

Come to Hundreds of Holland People.

There are days of dizziness; Spells of headache, sideache, backache; Sometimes rheumatic pains; Often urinary disorders. All tell you plainly the kidneys are sick. Doan's Kidney Pills cure all kidney ills. Here is proof in Holland.

Mrs. M. Shonaker, 556 West 15th St., says: "I suffered from constant heavy aching pains across the small of my back so that I could not rest comfortably at night in any position and during the day I felt tired and languid. The kidney secretions became badly affected, irregular, too frequent, scanty and were attended by a good deal of pain besides depositing a heavy sediment. I suffered also from headaches and spells of dizziness so that I either had to sit down or hold on to something from falling. I used a great many different remedies but without obtaining any benefit. Friends advised me to use Doan's Kidney Pills and I got a box at J. O. Doesburg's drug store and used them. They helped me from the very start. They are the best remedy I ever tried and I have no hesitation in recommending them."

Scrofula, salt rheum, erysipelas and other distressing eruptive diseases yield quickly and permanently to the cleansing, purifying power of Burdock Blood Bitters.

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

'Tis said a bottle and a glass Will make a person mellow, But Rocky Mountain Tea's the drink That livens up a fellow.—Haan Brothers.

### Puts an End to it All.

A grievous wail oftentimes comes as a result of unbearable pain from overtaxed organs. Dizziness, Backache, Liver complaint and Constipation. But thanks to Dr. King's New Life Pills they put an end to it all. They are gentle but thorough. Try them. Only 25c. Guaranteed by W. C. Walsh's Drug Store.

Itching piles? Never mind if everything else failed to cure you. Try Doan's Ointment. No failure there. 50 cents, at any drug store.

Mothers lose their dread for "that terrible second summer" when they have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry in the house. Nature's specific for summer complaints of every sort.

### Suicide Prevented.

The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide has been discovered will interest many. A run down system, or despondency invariably precede suicide and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters, it being a great tonic and nerve-vine will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It's also a great Stomach, Liver and Kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by W. C. Walsh Druggist.

### Piles! Piles!

Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure itching, bleeding, swollen and itching piles. It soothes the smarting, itching, and burning, and gives instant relief. Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared only for Piles and itching on the private parts, and nothing else. Every box is guaranteed. Sold by druggists, and by mail for \$1.00 per box. Williams' Pile Ointment, Cleveland, O. Sold on a guarantee by J. O. Doesburg, Holland.

### Quick Arrest

J. A. Gullidge of Verbena, Ala. was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 24 tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c. W. C. Walsh Druggist.

### HOLLAND DELEGATION WILL GO ON SPECIAL TRAIN.

Arrangements have been made for a special train to take the delegates from Zeeland and Holland to the republican county convention at Grand Haven next Wednesday. The special will leave Holland at 7:30 o'clock in the morning and will return after the convention at a time fixed by the delegation. The fare from Holland is 80 cents for the round trip.

## IS BELIEVED TO BE A MURDERER

A MAN CHARGED WITH FOUR MURDERS AWAITING TRIAL AT COLCHESTER, CONN.

### ESCAPE WAGE PAYMENT IS SAID TO BE MOTIVE

The Bodies of Two of His Supposed Victims Have Been Found and a Search Is Being Made for the Others on His Farm.

Colchester, Conn., Aug. 31.—That Gershon B. Marx, now held in the Norwich county jail, is the perpetrator of a series of cold-blooded murders probably without precedent in the history of Connecticut, is the belief of the state officials who Tuesday began a systematic search for bodies on the Marx farm. Four murders and an attempt to poison another man can, it is believed by these officials, be traced to Marx.

The bodies of two of Marx' victims, Joe Pavol and Joe Palm, have been found. Marx is awaiting trial charged with the murder of Pavol, his wife being held as a witness for the state. The two bodies for which the search was begun are those of an 18-year-old boy and a Hebrew peddler.

#### Boy Suddenly Disappears.

The boy, who was known as Harry, arrived in New York from Russia about three years ago and he came here soon after to work for Marx. He worked on the farm for about six months and then suddenly disappeared. Marx was asked to explain the lad's absence and said he had gone to Hartford to find employment. Beyond that he would not talk about the boy. The Hebrew peddler went to the Marx home one evening two years ago and he has not been seen alive since, so far as known. These two men, in the opinion of State's Attorney Lucas and Sheriff Jackson, met their death in the same manner as the two farm hands, and to obtain positive proof supporting their opinion efforts will be made to unearth the bodies.

A Polisher known as "Joe" Tuesday made a statement to Sheriff Jackson, in which he accused Marx of attempting to end his life with poisoned whisky. Joe took the whisky, but was afraid to drink it, and put it away. When the body of Pavol was found Joe mentioned the matter to a constable and gave him the whisky, and the constable turned it over to the jailer of the county jail, who promised to have it analyzed. Marx made still another attempt on "Joe's" life when the latter discovered the body of Pavol, it is claimed. After he had exhumed the body "Joe" went to the house and accused Marx of murdering Pavol, and said he intended to notify the authorities. Marx thereupon picked up a scythe and said if Joe attempted to leave the place he would cut his head off. The farm hand escaped, however, without injury, despite several vicious lunges made at him by Marx, according to the statement.

The motive for the crimes can only be traced to an insane desire on the part of Marx to escape paying money to persons to whom he was indebted. The two men whose bodies have been found were six months behind in their wages, as was the young boy Harry, of whom no trace has yet been found.

It is said that he drugged his victims when they pressed him too hard for their wages, and then crushed their heads with an ax or some blunt instrument, after which the bodies were dismembered and buried. Each of the bodies already found bears a ghastly hole in the forehead.

### VILLAGE BOARD ARRESTED.

Officials of Sterling, Ill., Released Under Bonds—Charged with Malfeasance in Office.

Sterling, Ill., Aug. 31.—The members of the village board of Harmon were released Tuesday from jail on bonds. They were arrested, charged with malfeasance in office. It is alleged that they refused to show the village records to the people of the village.

This is the outgrowth of a feud started a year ago, which resulted in an attempt to destroy the town by fire, and later several places of business were damaged by dynamite explosions.

It is alleged that a saloonkeeper got control of the city officials and secured the passage of an ordinance closing the saloon of his opponent, who retaliated by having his license revoked, and now the opponent, Mike Burke, has brought proceedings against the village to have the officials produce records which, it is alleged, are locked in the village vault.

#### Captures Valuable Fleas.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 31.—A. M. Baber expects to receive \$5,000 from Baron Rothschild for a pair of Siberian fleas, which he secured from the back of a live arctic fox captured near East Cape Siberian. It is said Rothschild has every kind of flea known to man and beast except the Siberian species. Baber left for St. Louis, taking the fleas in a glass jar, bound for the exposition. He had not the slightest doubt regarding Rothschild's alleged offer of \$5,000.

#### Suicide in Wisconsin.

Janesville, Wis., Aug. 31.—Edwin C. Johnson, formerly proprietor of Myer's hotel here, and at one time very wealthy, committed suicide at the grave of his mother in Johnstown cemetery, Tuesday night. He had recently lost all he owned in a hotel failure.

#### English Bishop Dead.

London, Aug. 31.—Rt. Rev. George Ridding, first bishop of Southwell, died Tuesday. He was born in 1828.

### PICNIC SWEEP BY STORM

Three Persons Are Killed and Several Others Injured in New York Tornado.

Jamestown, N. Y., Aug. 26.—Three persons lost their lives and several others were injured in a tornado that swept through Chautauqua county Thursday. Parkhurst's grove, where the Stocktown picnic was being held, was directly in the path of the storm. Five thousand people were in the grounds when a terrific wind storm swept through the place.

The dead: Mrs. Austin E. Pierce, of Fredonia; Miss Ina Scott, of Shumla; Orin, Dalrymple, 60 years old.

The most seriously injured: Mrs. Orin Dalrymple, of Shumla, will probably die. Arthur Bills, Portland.

The storm came up suddenly. Trees in the grove were struck by lightning, many of them were blown down and the rain fell in torrents. The people who took refuge under the trees at the first sign of the storm were caught by the falling branches and injured. Many horses were killed in the same manner. Some of the animals stampeded, trampling upon the injured people, lying upon the ground. Some of the buildings in the vicinity were blown down and others were unroofed. Hundreds of forest and fruit trees were torn up and corn and oat fields were laid waste, entailing a loss of thousands of dollars.

### PACKERS SAY FINAL NO.

Refuse Application for Conference with Unions—Declare They Have All the Men They Need.

Chicago, Aug. 30.—Application was made Monday by the stockyard strikers for a conference for the purpose of bringing about peace in the industrial conflict waging at Packingtown. It was refused by the packers.

The application to the packers reached them in the form of a communication from the Allied Trades' council, signed by Matthew Carr, its president, and by Mr. Donnelly, president of the butcher workmen. It was sent immediately after the close of an early morning joint meeting held by the national executive board of the butcher workmen and the Allied Trades conference board.

Following the refusal of the packers to grant a conference with the unions the former issued this statement:

"The packers have a larger number of men working for them in Chicago this (Monday) morning than at any time during the strike. All western plants are running to their normal capacity. It will be their policy to retain all men now in their employ and to hire former employees to the extent that they may need them and as fast as possible."

### FORMER SULTAN DEAD.

Deposed Brother of Turkey's Ruler Passes Away in Confinement at Constantinople.

Constantinople, Aug. 31.—Former Sultan Murad V. died Monday of diabetes, from which he had long suffered. The remains of former Sultan Murad were interred Tuesday in the Yenidjami mausoleum at Stamboul, where his mother is buried.

Murad V. was born in 1840 and ascended the throne after the murder of Sultan Abdul Aziz, May, 1876. In July of that year Murad was placed under the regency of his brother, the present sultan, Abdul-Hamid II., and on August 31 he was dethroned. Outwardly this act was performed legally by the council of ministers on the ground that he was insane.

The confinement of Murad has been of the cruellest character. Only his jailers were allowed to see him, and every precaution was taken to prevent any intelligence of what was going on in the outside world from reaching him. Although Murad is announced to have died from diabetes, it had generally been understood, according to the palace reports, that he was suffering from tuberculosis.

#### Snow in Minnesota.

Duluth, Minn., Aug. 30.—A fall of snow, the first of the fall, occurred at Virginia early Monday morning. It lasted but a short time after the sun rose, but was sufficient to convince one that summer in the range country is a thing of the past. Crops, flowers and garden produce were damaged in the country immediately surrounding Virginia and heavy frosts are reported from other western Mesaba range points.

#### Fatal Auto Accident.

St. Louis, Aug. 29.—One spectator was killed and another probably fatally injured during the races of the world's fair automobile speed congress Sunday in an accident which totally demolished Barney Oldfield's racing machine and seriously injured Oldfield.

#### Boat Capsized.

Appleton, Wis., Aug. 30.—While rowing on the Fox river at Potato Point, three miles northeast of Appleton, Monday, a row boat occupied by Dennis Meddam and Anna Buss capsized, and both were drowned. The bodies were recovered.

#### Two Drowned.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 27.—Herbert D. Hill, a clerk in the Imperial bank, and James C. Patterson, a teller of the Canadian Bank of Commerce in the Canadian Soo, were drowned in the river here.

#### Shoots Wife and Self.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 30.—George Benneway, a saloonkeeper, fatally shot his wife Monday afternoon and then killed himself. He was separated from his wife and had just returned from Colorado.



Mrs. Weisslitz, Buffalo, N. Y., cured of kidney trouble by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Of all the diseases known with which the female organism is afflicted, kidney disease is the most fatal. In fact, unless prompt and correct treatment is applied, the weary patient seldom survives. Being fully aware of this, Mrs. Pinkham, early in her career, gave careful study to the subject, and in producing her great remedy for women's ills—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—made sure that it contained the correct combination of herbs which was certain to control that dreaded disease, woman's kidney troubles.

#### Read What Mrs. Weisslitz Says.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—For two years my life was simply a burden. I suffered so with female troubles, and pains across my back and loins. The doctor told me that I had kidney troubles and prescribed for me. For three months I took his medicine, but grew steadily worse. My husband then advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and brought home a bottle. It is the greatest blessing ever brought to our home. Within three months I was a changed woman. My pain had disappeared, my complexion became clear, my eyes bright, and my entire system in good shape."—MRS. PAULA WEISLITZ, 176 Seneca St., Buffalo, N. Y.—\$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

### Business Directory

#### Attorneys

DIKEMA, G. J., Attorney at Law, collections promptly attended to. Office over First State Bank.

POST, J. C., Attorney and Counselor at Law. Real Estate and Collection Office. Office, Block.

MCBRIDE, P. H., Attorney, Real Estate and Insurance. Office, McBride Block.

#### Banks.

FIRST STATE BANK, Commercial and Savings Dept. G. J. Diekmann, President; J. W. Leisler, Vice-president; G. W. Minkus, Cashier; H. Lindens, Asst. Cashier. Capital Stock \$50,000.

HOLLAND CITY STATE BANK, Commercial and Savings Bank. D. B. K. Van Raalte, Pres. C. Ver Schure, Cash. Capital Stock \$50,000.

#### Dry Goods and Groceries.

BOOT & KRAMER, Dealers in Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc. Eighth street.

VAN PUTTEN, GABRIEL, General Dealer in Dry Goods, Groceries, Crockery, Hats and Caps, Flour, Produce, etc. River street.

#### Physicians.

KREMERS, H., Physician and Surgeon. Residence corner Central avenue and twelfth street. Office at Drug Store, Eighth street.

WALSH, Heber, Druggist and Pharmacist. Full stock of goods pertaining to the business. City Drug Store, Eighth street.

#### Manufactories, Shops, Etc.

ELIEMAN, J., Wagon and Carriage Man, factory and Blacksmith and Repair Shop. Dealer in Agricultural Implements. River street.

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

#### Meat Markets.

DEKRAKER & DE KOSTER, Dealers in all kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats. Market on River street.

#### Drugs and Medicines.

DOESBURG, J. O., Dealer in Drugs and Medicines, Paints and Oils, Toilet Articles, Imported and Domestic Cigars. Eighth street.

#### End of Bitter Fight.

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung" writes J. F. Hughes of Du Pont, Ga. "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all Coughs, Colds and Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed by W. C. Walsh's Drug Store. Price 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottles 10c.

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Simon Pierce, 29 W. 16th St., Holland, Michigan.

### Mortgage Sale.

Whereas, DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a mortgage bearing date the 29th day of April A. D. 1892, made and executed by Franklin Phelps of Georgetown, Ottawa County, Michigan, as mortgagor, unto Julia Phelps, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, mortgagee, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan, in Liber 38 of Mortgages on Page 638 on the 15th day of June A. D. 1904;

And by reason of such default there is, on the date of this notice, claimed to be due upon the debt secured by said mortgage, including principal, interest and an attorney fee provided in said mortgage, the sum of twenty nine hundred twenty eight and fifty-nine one hundredth dollars (\$2985.59);

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

Therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statutes of Michigan in such case made and provided, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Courthouse, in the city of Grand Haven, County of Ottawa and State of Michigan (that being the place where the Circuit Court for said county is held), on Saturday, the 26th day of November A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the premises described in said mortgage, which are described as follows, to-wit:—All those certain premises situated in the Township of Georgetown, County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, described as the west half (1/2) of the west half (1/2) of the South west quarter (1/4) of Section twenty-three (23), in town six (6) North Range thirteen (13) west, forty (40) acre more or less, according to Government survey, Dated at Grand Rapids, Michigan, this 27th day of August A. D. 1904.

JACOB STEENSTER, Attorney for mortgagee, 83 Monroe Street, Grand Rapids, Michigan.

JULIA PHELPS, Mortgagee, 33-13w

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county on the 24th day of August, A. D. 1904. Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Geert Oetman, deceased.

Albert Oetman having filed in said court his petition praying that a certain instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to himself and Henry Oetman or to some other suitable person.

It is further ordered that the 19th day of September, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition; and it is ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk. 33-3w

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Chicago	*12:35 a.m.	3:30 a.m.	7:55 a.m.	12:30 p.m.	5:31 p.m.
Gr. Rapids	*5:15 a.m.	*12:44 p.m.	4:15 p.m.	9:25 p.m.	11:40 p.m.
Muskegon	101	103	105		
Ottawa Beach	121				
Allegan	46	106	235		
	8:10 a.m.	5:39 p.m.			

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## FRUIT AND FLOWERS

A FINE CHRYSANTHEMUM.

A New Variety That Ranks With the Robinson, Appleton and Eaton. Among notable chrysanthemum novelties of the past season is Mlle. Marie Liger, illustrated by Gardening, which says of it: The new French variety which won the prize at the Paris exposition offered by the Chrysanthemum Society of America is one of the best varieties of recent years and will rank with Mrs. Robinson, Colonel Appleton and Timothy Eaton. The flower is globular, incurved, measuring eighteen inches in circumference and is perfect in fullness and contour. The plant is



CHRYSANthemum Mlle. Marie Liger.

dwarf, June planted stock reaching barely three feet in height, and it requires no support whatever. Plants benched earlier attain a height of four feet. The stems are fully covered with foliage from soil to bloom and every flower is perfected, there being no seconds among them. The flowering season extends from about Oct. 20 onward through the season, according to date of planting. The color of the blooms is pearl pink, deepening to a brighter shade at the base of the petals. Mlle. Marie Liger is as easy of management as Timothy Eaton.

### Plum Culture in Vermont.

There is a large opportunity for plum growing in Vermont, both in the production of fruit for market and in growing it for home use. Almost any soil in which water does not stand can be used for plums, provided those varieties are chosen which are suited to the particular soil and circumstances. Trees may be set out either in fall or in spring, spring being recommended for persons who are not expert tree planters. Pruning follows somewhat the same method commonly used on apple trees. The ground should be thoroughly cultivated, especially on the surface, during early summer, but may be "laid by" about July 1. The blossoms sometimes require cross pollinating in order to set fruit. Black knot can be kept out by the timely use of the pruning knife. The rot of the fruit can be controlled by proper spraying and by thinning the plums. The curculio can be kept down by shaking the trees and catching the insects. Plums can be marketed most advantageously in small baskets when they are sold near home or in the new fashioned "six basket carrier" when long shipments are necessary.—F. A. Waugh.

### Dewberries and Blackberries.

Dewberries follow close on the heels of the strawberry, and every garden should have a few dozen vines at least. They can be planted three feet apart anywhere there is room and trained up to strips or to a trellis. Well kept they are highly ornamental and bear enormously of an exceedingly wholesome and luscious fruit if allowed to get perfectly ripe. A few dozen blackberry plants set the same distance apart as the dewberry will prolong the fruit season several weeks later still. The same manuring recommended for strawberries will answer for dewberries and blackberries, advises a correspondent in American Gardening.

### That Sturdy Ben Davis.

The Oregon board of horticulture's account of a shipment of several varieties of apples to China is interesting, especially as it concerns Ben Davis. The apples were packed in boxes and wrapped in paper. The losses with the different varieties were as follows: Ben Davis, 2 per cent; Lawver, 10 per cent; Spitzenberg, 10 per cent; Shannon Pippin, 25 per cent; Jonathan, 50 per cent; Red Russian, 75 per cent.

### Poinsettia Pulcherrima.

Poinsettia pulcherrima is rapidly becoming one of our principal plants for Christmas decorations. Cuttings will make good plants. If planted in a bunch they will make stems five or six feet long, and for pans or small pots they may be propagated until August or later, according to an American Gardening writer.

### Making Rose Slips.

In making cuttings of roses or shrubs where the leaves are not in pairs select wood which has bloomed and cut to include four or five joints, always making the lower cut at a joint. Remove the lowest two leaves and cut back the others.



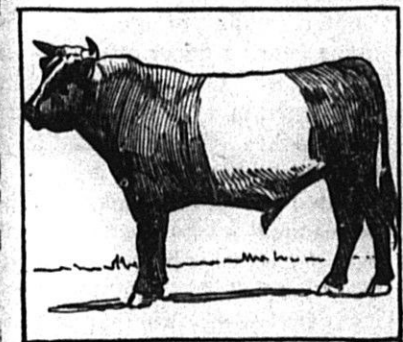
In an address before the Wisconsin buttermakers' convention Professor T. L. Haecker said that too little significance has been placed upon the disposition of the dairy cow. She may have many good points and yet be a failure or give only ordinary returns, simply because she has a bad disposition, is excitable, restive, rational or combative.

A cow with a placid, mild eye always has a good disposition and is not easily disturbed. She is disposed to make the best of things as they are and is composed. If it is too open it denotes a tendency to get excited and nervous, and the same is the case with the quick, flashing eyes. She should have breadth of forehead, because that denotes intelligence; learns quickly and is appreciative of kind treatment. It should be slightly dished between the eyes, because fullness there indicates aggressiveness.

The Roman nose is the fighter. The head should have a medium poise, because if carried too high she is rattle headed and is easily confused; if carried too low it indicates a stubborn, restive, pugnacious disposition. Slow movement of ears and body shows tractability and slowness to anger. She is not in a rush, does all leisurely, which is conducive to a full and persistent flow of milk.

### Dutch Belted Cattle.

This beautiful Dutch belted bull, Claudius 324, was four years old when the photo was taken and weighed 1,890



DUTCH BELTED BULL CLAUDIUS.

pounds, says American Agriculturist. His sire was Claude 234 and dam Grace Benedict 521, who in ten months gave 7,824.8 pounds of milk. Claudius was shown in 1897, 1898 and 1901 at the leading fairs in the east, including New York, New Jersey and the Pan-American. Out of a possible seventeen first prizes he took thirteen. In 1901 he headed his herd and took first at all fairs shown. He also took sweepstakes at Syracuse, N. Y., in 1901 and the prize for bull and get at Trenton, N. J. Claudius is owned by S. A. F. Servin of Orange county, N. Y., who also has Countess Warwick II, considered one of the handsomest Dutch belted cows ever on Valley farm. She was first shown in 1901 and took first prize at the Pan-American.

### Nebraska as a Dairy State.

In a recent bulletin by Professor A. L. Haecker prepared for a railroad company he shows what he believes to be the future possibilities of Nebraska as a dairying state. One creamery paid to farmers in 1903 for butter fat the sum of \$1,250,000, and another paid \$1,000,000. This, he believes, is only a small representation of what will be paid in the future when the dairy industry is more fully developed.

### Weed Out the Drones.

Weed out the drones from your herd. The sooner you do this the better. An unprofitable cow should have no place in a dairy herd. They are robbers and should be sent to the shambles.—Dairy and Creamery.

### Abortion in Dairy Herds.

The cow which has aborted should first be isolated in a portion of the barn entirely removed from the healthy animals, says Dr. Lehnert in American Agriculturist. Use some disinfectant liberally about the stall, and wash out the uterus daily for a week to ten days and then every few days as long as there is any discharge from the vulva. For this purpose use a 3 to 5 per cent solution of creolin or sulpho naphthol. The cheapest and best apparatus for douching is three-quarter foot of one-half inch hose and an ordinary tin funnel or tunnel. This is preferable to a syringe or pump, as it is less irritating. About two quarts should be used at each douche, using warm water. Do not breed affected cows for six months, and keep them farrow a year if they are worth it.

### Moisture in Butter.

According to the Iowa experiment station, butter can contain 18 per cent moisture without any apparent injury to the commercial quality of the butter. It requires a keen observer and a good judge to fault butter containing as much as 20 per cent without the use of a special test when moisture has been properly incorporated.

### Ration For Dairy Cow.

While most dairymen feed largely of what they have on hand, the following ration is one which will bring good results, hence warrant the purchase of any of the grains which must be bought. Sell some of the surplus corn if necessary to buy the other grains, for it will pay, says Farmers' Advocate. The ration given is based on feeding a cow of average size and appetite and may be reduced or increased to suit individual needs. For grains four pounds of wheat bran and three pounds of gluten meal with fifteen pounds of hay of good quality—this is the ration for one day and is a most economical one. When the cows are turned out to pasture, grain feeding should be continued, gradually reducing it as the grass gives the results in milk.

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Miss Winifred Andrews, a well known Grand Haven young lady, composed the music for the cele-brated Worlds fair song, "On the Pike," which is making such a hit the country over.

The best and widest of washable silk ribbons 5 and 10 cents per yard. Patent leather belts to cents. Buy your Labor Day candy to-day at the 5 and 10 cents store 47 East Eighth street.

John A. Kooyers, superintendent of parks, and Harry Doesburg, member of the park board, went to Hamilton and New Richmond Sat-urday and gathered a wagon load of choice wild flowers for Centennial Park.

The interstate commerce com-mission will meet in Chi-cago September 27 to investigate complaints of Michigan fruit shippers that several eastern roads are discriminating in favor of Armour & Co. in the matter of rates.

The ladies of Crescent Hive, No. 374 L. O. T. M., will give an Ice cream social in Maccabee Hall, Tuesday, Sept. 6. Lunch will be served from five o'clock until all are served. Tickets ten cents in-cluding a chance on a silk slumber robe. The quilt can be seen in the window at John Dykstra's store. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Frederick M. Steele, a wealthy Chicago railroad man, began suit in St. Joseph Saturday for an in-junction against the Graham & Morton line to restrain the company from widening the canal basin. Last spring the transportation com-pany let a contract for \$10,000 for improvements on the Benton Har-bor canal to accommodate the new steamer City of Benton Harbor. An agreement was made with Steele, who owns the adjoining property, but he alleges the delay in completing the work has ren-dered the contract void. He now wants to utilize the land for build-ing purposes.

G. R. Herald—The city officials of Holland, learning of the success our city has had in keeping the streets clean from grass and weeds through the use of Thistle-ine sent a committee to investigate. Upon looking over the district with Com-missioner Walsh, Mr. George Nauta remarked: "Your streets look nice, there is no mistaking about that. I have been commissioner for 12 years at Holland and I never have been able to keep my streets looking like this for three weeks after clean-ing them out, let alone the whole season." Thistle-ine is a chemical preparation manufactured by the Lingren Chemical Co. of Grand Rapids and is having an immense sale. It is used to spray in gutters for the purpose of destroying grass and all obnoxious weeds.

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## They Were Lightweights.

Russell Sage, on his recent birth-day, talked in an interesting manner about the famous Americans he has known. Apropos of Henry Ward Beecher, he said:

"I went to Beecher's church one night to hear him preach. The church was crowded to the doors. But Beecher, unexpect- dly, had been called out of town, and in his place in the pulpit there sat a beardless, black-clad youth—a youth who is, today, one of the most powerful preachers in America.

"But this youth, fresh from college was unknown then, and the great congregation had come to hear Beecher and not him. Consequently, as soon as he arose and announced that he was to preach in Beecher's place, the people began to drift out. First one went; then two; then a half-dozen, and the young man stood watching this dispersal from the pul-pit. It was a trying moment, and yet there sat on his youthful face a smile singularly composed. Out the people tiptoed, and he waited, saying nothing, for almost five minutes. Then he said, as if in explanation of his silence:

"We will not begin this public worship until the chaff blows off."

## Byron Center.

In writing the history of what is known as Jamestown to-day I must go back to the fall of 1843. At that time the town was a howling wilder-ness when the wolves were very hungry. Town 5 R. 3 W. was a part of Georgetown at that time. My father's family at that time lived in the adjoining town on the east, known as Byron. My father owned 80 acres of land in Georgetown on Sec. 11, four miles from where we lived. Our family consisted of father, mother, three sisters and myself. Being anxious to live at home we concluded to make a break for the woods. In the fall of 43, father myself and Mr. Lyman Hill, one of our neighbors, shouldered our axes and started for the wildings. On arriving at the place where we wished to build we went in to camp and as I had the biggest head of the party I was allowed to cut the first tree down.

The day passed without any acci-dent. Night came with 4 miles to go to get supper. I was taken very lame could not walk so far and said would sleep there, which I did. The next morning very early I heard some one howl which proved to be my dad and Mr. Hill. We cut house logs and in Oct. built the first log house in town 5, and in Feb. 1844 we moved into the woods and lived there 2 years without any neighbors. We were monarchs of all we surveyed.

In the spring of 46 Mr. S. L. Getchel and Mr. Mansus Brown mov-ed in with us until they could build each a house, three families in one room 16x22. Time passed on until 1847 when Mr. Joseph Bender moved into the same house with his family. In the fall of 47 Mr. Charles Richardson, Mr. Nathan Richardson and Mr. David Richardson moved in and settled on Sec. 4.

In 1847, Oct. 24, just tie a pin here while I run down to Georgetown to Esquire Isaac Lowing only 10 miles right through the woods, no roads yet, to have him come to our house to unite in wedlock a couple, the first couple united in this part of Ottawa Co., and still living and working in the same harness.

Now we will pass over our honey-moon and stop in the same neighbor-hood and count noses. Finding enough to hold town office we will call a town meeting and have a town of our own and what shall be its name—Jamestown.

Before we go any further we will see who the lucky ones were.

1. James Conkright, Justice.
2. S. L. Getchel, Supervisor.
3. Mansus Brown, Justice.
4. James M. Brown, Clerk.
5. G. G. Donnelly, highway Com.
6. O. R. Clark, Constable.
7. Jas. Skeels, School Inspector.
8. J. Bender.
9. J. M. Conkright, Treasurer.
12. Charles, Nathan and David Richardson. Twelve voters, every voter made happy by having a town office.

I forgot one thing. The town was organized in April 1849, first town meeting held at my house same month and year. In the fall of 1847 the road was opened from our place to Holland by cutting out brush and logs by myself and several others.

I hear that at the Jamestown pic-nic held at John Ball Park, Grand Rapids, Jamestown was misrepres-ented in many respects. The speaker is off his base in several things that happened in my time before he was born.

I think I had better stop. The more I write the more I want to say as many interesting happenings come up, but as this is my first attempt at writing history you will please make a big allowance and also pick out what is worth printing if any and throw the rest in a basket.

Respectfully J. M. Conkright. P. S. I will say this the, dates are correct and as I am the only survivor

of the first 12 voters I do not fear any contradiction as I am assisted by my running mate.

## General Items.

A Frenchman, M. Challeat, has invented a new sash, which he thinks will keep everyone who wears it from drowning. The won-derful article is made of India rub-ber, but inside it is placed a little box containing a certain quantity of one of the compounds of calcium. When the sash comes in contact with the sea the calcium compound decomposes and produces a quan-tity of gas sufficient to inflate the sash and preserve its wearer from death by drowning. Experiments have been made with this new idea and so far they have been satisfac-tory.

An endurance swimming match from the Brooklyn bridge to Coney Island, under the supervision of the U. S. volunteer life saving corps, has resulted in victory for a man with one leg. The winner was Charles Siegfried of Bay Ridge who negotiated the distance in five hours and 48 minutes. Two young women were close behind him at the finish. One of them fainted after they had led nearly the entire distance. Otherwise they probably would have won. Nearly all the men con-testants gave up long before Coney Island was sighted because of the cold water and swift tidal currents. Several were delirious when taken from the water and one or two had to be removed to the hospital.

Floyd Coffey, of Waterford Center, while bringing the cows home heard a queer rattling sound near him. On looking around he discovered in a stone pile a nest of rattlesnakes. He proceeded to kill them and when he had finished he counted 20 real rattlesnakes. When he reached his home he told his people about his bravery, but they were inclined to think he was tell-ing a snake story, whereupon Floyd went back to where the snakes were found, strung them on a stick and showed his capture.

The Boston Building Trades council has adopted a resolution calling on all union men to pur-chase only union made coffins and caskets and indorsing a proposed strike at a big local coffin factory.

The steamship City of Benton Harbor of the Graham & Morton line took the largest load of fruit last Monday night that ever crossed Lake Michigan. It carried 70,000 baskets of peaches. Twenty thou-sand packages were left on the dock and were taken to Chicago next morning by the City of Chi-cago.

## Labor Day Celebration At Jenison Park.

Labor Day will be celebrated at Jenison Electric Park next Monday and as the labor unions and the Grand Rapids, Holland and Chicago Interurban railway have joined forces in the plan of making the day a big one a rousing jollification may be expected.

The orator of the day will be Hon. Frank Kulp of Battle Creek who will speak on "What Workingmen Ought to Know" and a fine address may be expected as Mr. Kulp is a speaker of ability. He was elected to the office of alderman at Battle Creek a couple of years ago in the face of bitter oppo-sition and on last election came nearly capturing the mayoralty office, his opponent, defeating him by the narrow margin of a little over 100 votes.

A program of athletic contests will be carried out including running races between fat and lean men, swim-ming races, rowing races, athletic con-tests of every description and novelty contests galore. A baseball game will be played between picked nines of two different factories and a close, exciting contest will be the result. If the heavy men of the factories can be induced to enter; a tug of war will be given. Music will be furnished all day by a fine band under the leader-ship of Will Thomas.

All in all an especially grand celebration will be given. Special rates will be given by the Interurban railway company and the full equip-ment of cars will be put on to take care of the traffic.

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The Grand Haven Basket Com-pany has just completed the pur-chase of a part of the land and al-of the saw log timber of the Allen-dale Timber Company on Grand River. The timber will be used as material for the Grand Haven fac-tory. The Basket Company has also purchased the steamer Allendale and four large scows and with floating equipment, the company can transport the logs to Grand Haven after they have been cut. The purchase will include several million feet of lumber and involves the expenditure of many thousand dollars. The lumber camp of fully forty men will probably be main-tained on the newly acquired land. The Company's steamer Allendale, besides carrying the logs and tow-ing the scows, will also carry heavy freight in large quantities from Grand Haven to Grand Rapids. Baskets, too, will be taken to Grand Rapids and the Basket Company will thus be saved considerable ex-pense in freight bills, as they ship large quantities of baskets to Grand Rapids every year.

Holland was ignored on the second trip of the committee look-ing for a site for the new naval training station, but the committee visited Muskegon last Friday and that city stands a good show of get-ting the plom.

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