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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XVII.

SATURDAY, HOLLAND, MICH., SEPTEMBER 15, 1888.

NO. 33.

The Holland City News,

PUBLISHED EVERY SATURDAY AT
HOLLAND, - MICH.

L. MULDER, Publisher.

Terms of Subscription:
\$1.50 per year if paid in advance; \$2.00
if paid at six months.

**Rates of advertising made known
on application.**

Business Directory.

Attorneys and Justices.

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

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

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

Bakeries.

BLOM, C. Jn., dealer in Bakers' Goods, Con-
fectionery, Foreign Fruits, Tobacco and
Cigars. Blom's new block, Eighth street.

CITY BAKERY, J., Pastry and Bakers' Goods, Confection-
ery, etc., Eighth street.

Bank.

HOLLAND CITY BANK, foreign and domestic
exchange bought and sold. Collections
promptly attended to. Eighth street.

Barbers.

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

Boots and Shoes.

HELDER, J. D., the cheapest place in the city
to buy Boots and Shoes, River street.

VAN DUREN BROS., dealers in Boots and
shoes. A large assortment always on hand.
Eighth street.

Clothing.

BUSMAN, J. W., Merchant Tailor, keeps the
largest stock of Cloths and Ready-made
Clothing in city. Eighth street.

VORNT, W., Tailor. Renovating and repairing
clothing a specialty cheap and good. River
street.

Commission Merchant.

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

Drugs and Medicines.

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

DOESBURG, J. O., Dealer in Drugs and Medi-
cines, Paints and Oils, Brushes, Toilet Arti-
cles and Perfumes. Imported Havana, Key West,
and Domestic Cigars.

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

WALSH, HEBER, Druggist and Pharmacist: a
full stock of goods pertaining to the busi-
ness.

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

Dry Goods and Groceries.

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

BOOT & KRAMER, dealer in Dry Goods, No-
tions, Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., Eighth
street next to Bank.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Furniture.

MEYER, BROUWER & CO., Dealers in all
kinds of Furniture, Curtains, Wall Paper,
Carpets, Picture Frames, etc.; River St.

VERBEEK, W., dealer in Furniture, Wall Paper,
Picture Frames, Household Decorations and
Novelties, Eighth street.

Flour Mills.

WALSH, DE ROO & CO., Manufacturers of
Roller Flour, proprietors of Standard Roll-
er Mills. Daily capacity, 300 barrels.

Hardware.

KANTERS BROS., dealers in general hard-
ware, steam and gas fittings, a specialty.
No. 52 Eighth street.

VAN OORT, J. B., dealer in General Hardware,
Stoves, Paints, Oils, Glass, etc. Eighth
street, opp. Post Office.

VAN DER VEEN, E., dealer in stoves, hard-
ware, cutlery, etc. Tin and sheet iron ware.
Corner River and Eighth street.

Hotels.

CITY HOTEL, Geo. N. Williams, Proprietor.
The only first-class hotel in the city. It is lo-
cated in the business center of the town and has
one of the largest and best sample rooms in the
state. Free bus in connection with the hotel.

PARK HOUSE, David L. Boyd, proprietor. Has
been thoroughly renovated and newly fur-
nished. Terms moderate. Cor. Fish and Ninth
streets.

PHOENIX HOTEL, Jas. Ryder, Proprietor, lo-
cated near depot of C. & W. M. R'y. A well
appointed Hotel. Rates reasonable.

Livery and Sale Stables.

HARRINGTON, E. J., proprietor of Hol-
land City Sale and Exchange Stable. Gen-
eral teaming done, cor. Market and Seventh sts.

HOPKINS, G. W., proprietor of Market Street
Livery and Sale Stable. Good Turnouts
can be had at all times.

Manufactories, Mills, Shops, Etc.

FLIEMAN, J., Wagon and Carriage Manufac-
turer and blacksmith shop. Also manufac-
turer of Ox Yokes. River street.

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

HOLLAND CITY STAVE FACTORY, Joseph
Fisher, proprietor, manufacturer of Staves
and Shingles. White and Black Ash Boils bought.
River Street.

HOLLAND MANUFACTURING COMPANY,
L. T. Katers, General Manager. Wind-
Mills, Tanks, etc., a specialty.

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

HUNTLEY, JAS., Architect, Builder, and Con-
tractor. Office in New Mill and Factory on
River street.

KEYSTONE PLANING MILL, J. R. Kleyn
Proprietor, Architect and Builder, dealer in
Lumber, Lath, Shingles, and Brick, Sixth street.

PHOENIX PLANING MILL, B. L. Scott, prop-
rietor, dealer in lumber, lath, shingles,
and brick. River street.

THE CAPRON & BERTSCH LEATHER CO.,
tanners of Hemlock Slaughter House, Cor-
ner, Calf and Kip. Office, Grand Rapids.

TAKEN & DE SPEDER, Manufacturers of
Carriages, Wagons, Cutters, Sleighs. Sole
owners of IXL Patent Wagon. Special attention
to Horsehoofing and Repairing. River street.

TE ROLLER, HEIN, Builder and Designer of
all kinds of Buildings. Office on River street.

VAN RAALE, B., dealer in Farm imple-
ments and machinery. Cor. River and
Ninth streets.

WILMS, P., Pump manufacturer, and dealer in
Agricultural Implements of all kinds. South
River street.

Merchant Tailors.

BRUSSE BROS., Merchant Tailors.

Marble Works.

DE MERELL, R. N., dealer in Granite and
Marble Monuments, Headstones, Tablets.
Building Work done. Eighth street.

Meat Markets.

VAN DUREN & VAN DER VEER, First
Ward Meat Market. Choice meats always
on hand. Eighth street, near Fish.

Millinery.

Physicians.

KREMERS, H., Physician and Surgeon. Res-
idence on Tenth street, cor. of Market St.
Office at the drug store of Kremers & Bangs. Of-
fice hours from 11 a.m. to 12 m., and from 5 to 6 p.m.

MADBS, J. A., Physician and Surgeon. Office
at Walsh's Drug Store. Residence, Corner
of Eighth and Fish streets, in house formerly oc-
cupied by L. Sprielsen. Office Hours: 9 to 10 a.
m., and 3 to 5 p.m.

WETMORE, J. D., Homeopathic Physician
and Surgeon. Office Hours: 10.30 a.m. to
12 m., 2.30 to 4 p.m., and 7.30 to 9 p.m. Of-
fice in Sutton's new building.

Real Estate Agency.

VAN WERT, T. R., proprietor Holland Real
Estate Agency. Property of all kinds,
bought, sold or exchanged.

Saloons.

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

SERRY, MICHAEL, Dealer in Wines, Liquors,
and Cigars. Saloon in First Ward, third
door east of City Hall.

Second Hand Store.

BUSMAN, A. B., proprietor of Second Hand
store, and dealer in Stoves, Tinware, etc.
Eighth street.

Watches and Jewelry.

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

STEVENSON, C. A., successors to H. Wyk-
huyzen, Jeweler and Optician, next door to
J. Pessink & Bro's. Bakery, Eighth Street.

Miscellaneous.

BEST, MRS. R. B., has a very fine line of
Fancy Goods and materials for fancy work.
Ladies' call. Ninth street, between Market and
Cedar streets.

DE KEYZER, C., Newspaper and Periodical
Subscription Agency. Leave order for any
publication in U. S. or Canada with him at P. O.

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

Societies.

I. O. O. F.

Holland City Lodge, No. 192, Independent Order
of Odd Fellows, holds its regular meetings at Odd
Fellows' Hall, Holland, Mich., on Tuesday evening
of each week.

Visiting brothers are cordially invited.
M. HARRINGTON, N. G.
L. D. BALDUS, Sec'y.

F. & A. M.

A Regular Communication of UNITY LODGE,
No. 191, F. & A. M., will be held at Masonic Hall
Holland, Mich., at 7 o'clock, on Wednesday
evenings, Jan. 25, Feb. 22, March 21, April 25,
May 23, June 30, July 18, August 15, Sept. 19,
Oct. 17, Nov. 14, Dec. 12. St. John's days, June
24 and December 27th.

K. O. T. M.

Crescent Tent, No. 63, meets in Odd Fellows
Hall at 7.30 p. m., on Monday night next.
All Sir Knights are cordially invited to attend.
Cheapest Life Insurance Order known. All
particulars given on application.
C. D. WISS, Commander.

W. A. HOLLEY, R. K.

Our Markets.

Produce, Etc.

(WHOLESALE.)
(Corrected every Friday by E. J. Harrington.)
Apples, 10c to 15c; Beans \$2.50; Butter, 18c; Cents;
Eggs, 14c; HONEY, 15c; Onions, 50c; Potatoes
25c; Apples, 10 to 25c.

RETAIL.
Apples 40 to 45c; Beans \$2.75; Butter, 20 to 24c;
Eggs, 15c; HONEY, 18c; Onions, 75c; Potatoes, 35 to
40c.

Grain, Feed, Etc.

(WHOLESALE.)
(Corrected every Friday by W. H. Beach.)
Buckwheat, 65c; Bran, \$1.00; Barley, \$1.00;
Corn, \$1.00; Clover seed, \$1.00; Corn Meal
\$1.00; Corn, \$1.00; Flour, \$1.00; Feed, \$1.00;
Hay, \$1.00; Middlings, \$1.00; Potatoes, \$1.00;
Rye, new, 45c; Timothy Seed, \$2.00; Wheat,
white, 85c; Red Fultz, 85c; Lancaster Seed, 85c.

Buckwheat, 50c; Bran, \$1.00; Barley, \$1.00;
Corn, \$1.00; Clover seed, \$1.00; Corn Meal
\$1.00; Corn, \$1.00; Flour, \$1.00; Feed, \$1.00;
Hay, \$1.00; Middlings, \$1.00; Potatoes, \$1.00;
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Hay, \$1.00; Middlings, \$1.00; Potatoes, \$1.00;
Rye, new, 45c; Timothy Seed, \$2.00; Wheat,
white, 85c; Red Fultz, 85c; Lancaster Seed, 85c.

LOCAL ITEMS.

THE WATERMELON.

In vernal massiveness you're seen,
In produce stall and windowed niche,
And tempt the palates of the green;
Likewise the purses of the rich.
Who has not felt your mighty thrall?
Alas! you double up us all.

—Boston Budget.

Low water in Macatawa Bay.

RAIN is needed badly in this section.

"JOHNNY Get Your Gun" and go
duck hunting.

D. L. BARBER, of Saugatuck, was in
the city Thursday.

A fat man, though not blind, is com-
pelled to feel his weight.

GET your best girl and go to the hop
this evening Saturday.

HAVE you heard from Maine? Free
Trade receives another blow.

THOUGH a lawyer may be long-wind-
ed his business is usually brief.

It is the fashion now-a-days to have
a cold. Almost everybody has one.

MISS STELLA DILLON, of Paxton,
Ill., is visiting Miss Jennie Kanters.

PROF. BOERS and wife will return
from their trip to Chicago next Mon-
day.

MRS. C. DE KEYZER is visiting in
Grand Rapids. She will remain about
two weeks.

WE understand that roller skating
will be revived in this city sometime
in the near future.

MISS NELLIE SMITH, of Chicago, is
stopping with her cousin, Miss Frankie
Coates, of this city.

ATTEND the elocutionary contest
which will be held in the Opera House,
this evening, Friday.

EX-ALDERMAN HARRINGTON and
wife of this city were in Grand Rapids
Tuesday of this week.

HOPE COLLEGE students are arriving
daily. The institution will open next
Wednesday, Sept. 19th.

THE finest peaches of the season are
now for sale in the city at all of the
grocery and fruit stores.

MISS FLORA LADNER, of Big Rap-
ids, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Leen-
dert Kleyn of this city.

MRS. HOLMES, nee Angie Albee, of
Grand Haven, is in the city this week,
the guest of Mrs. A. King.

AKELEY COLLEGE opened at Grand
Haven last Wednesday morning, with
forty pupils in attendance.

LARGE quantities of fruit, especially
peaches, are being shipped from this
city both by rail and water.

THE confectionery store of Pessink
Bros. is illuminated every evening with
Harrison and Morton lanterns.

PROF. C. DOESBURG and wife, have
returned home from their trip to Wis-
consin and points in this State.

PARENTS should see that their chil-
dren are indoors and not on the streets
at night as is frequently the case.

MISS KATE DE KEYZER, of Grand
Rapids, is stopping with relatives and
friends in this city for a few days.

The first dance of a series to be con-
ducted by H. L. Rosin will be held in
the Opera House to-night, Saturday.

MISS MINNIE MINDERHOUT, of Grand
Rapids, is in the city this week,
visiting relatives and acquaintances.

COUNTY CLERK GEO. D. TURNER
was in the city last Monday. Mr. Tur-
ner feels confident that the Republicans
will win.

MRS. WM. SWIFT left last Wednes-
day morning for Albion, where she
will visit relatives and friends for a
short time.

REV. DR. N. M. STEFFENS will oc-
cupy the pulpit in the German Lutheran
Church, to-morrow evening, Sunday.
All are invited.

REV. CH. VAN DER VEEN, of Mon-
tague, Mich., will occupy the pulpit at
Hope Church to-morrow, Sunday,
morning and evening.

THE Misses Werkman are moving
their millinery establishment into the
store building formerly occupied by
the NEWS as an office.

MISS ESTHER A. HUSTED, daughter
of D. F. Husted, formerly living here,
died on Sept. 3, 1888, at the Northern
Asylum, at Traverse City.

THE attendance at the Public Schools
of this city has increased about fifty
over that of last year, and the pupils
now number about eight hundred.

THE Republican Senatorial Conven-
tion for the twenty-sixth District of
Michigan will be held in Grand Haven
on Tuesday, Sept. 25th, at 11 o'clock
a.m.

"JACK FROST" completely paralyzed
the gardens in this city last Wednesday
night. It was the coldest night so far
of the season and nothing escaped
damage.

BENJ. VAN RAALE, P. Wilms and
John Kramer of A. C. Van Raalte
Post, G. A. R., went to Columbus, O.,
this week to attend the national en-
campment.

THE Harrison and Morton Marching
Company, composed of the members of
the Young Men's Republican Club,
were out drilling on the streets Thurs-
day evening.

A number of the people of this city
took advantage of the cheap rate
offered by the Chicago and West Mich.
R'y and went to the Exposition at Chi-
cago this week Tuesday.

GILBERT DE KLEIN's large barn was
burned last Tuesday with all its con-
tents while threshing. Loss \$3,000.
Mr. De Klein lives in Jamestown, seven
miles east of this place.

THE Phoenix hotel has changed
landlords. Mr. R. A. Hunt being suc-
ceeded by Mr. Marshall, who was at
the Shady Side hotel last season. John
van Geen will act as clerk.

ALL those who want election slips
printed should come to this office be-
fore sending elsewhere. We guarantee
that we can do the work as cheap as
any other office in this part of the
State.

THE Harrison and Morton Marching
Company is drilling almost nightly
under the direction of Captain P. A.
Moes, and it will not be long before
they can execute all the movements
perfectly.

MAYOR DE ROO, Albert Van Raalte,
Bastian Keppel and Doree Gilmore had
excellent luck last Saturday on their
hunting trip. They killed thirty-seven
squirrels. They went to Overisel for
their sport.

For the West Michigan Fair at
Grand Rapids tickets will be sold at
Holland on September 17, 18, 19, 20,
and 21, good to return not later than
the 22nd, for seventy-five cents for the
round trip.

REV. J. W. BANCROFT, of Hastings,
Missionary of the Episcopal Church,
will hold divine services in the Opera
House, to-morrow, both morning and
evening, at the usual hour. All are in-
vited to be present.

PESSINK BROS., have a large number
of Cleveland and Thurman lanterns
which they desire to dispose of before
election, and feel that if they do not
sell them by that time they will become
a drug on their hands.

A defective sidewalk is a great in-
convenience to those who are obliged
to travel it. A word to the wise is
sufficient. And while on the sidewalk
question, the city should put in cross-
walks on Seventh street.

THE Steamer Queen of the Lakes
left on Thursday for Elk Rapids. The
Macatawa laid up for the season on
Monday. The resort business has paid
the railway company better than the
steamboat men this year.

List of letters remaining in the Post
Office at Holland, Sept. 13th, 1888:
Benjamin F. Bailly, Mr. Frank Grim,
Mr. A. W. Gates, Stephen Gay, G. J.
Kelkma.

J. G. VAN PUTTEN, P. M.

AN editor never tells an untruth, but
we did so unintentionally last week
when we stated that the Holland City
Baseball Club would play the Browns
of South Haven in that village last
Monday. No date has been set for the
match yet.

WHAT has become of the Y. M. C. A.
Reading Room? Much good could be
accomplished by the establishment of
such a concern, and if properly man-
aged, financially and every other way,
it would become in time a necessity in
our midst.

THE steamer Lizzie Walsh intends to
enter the fruit trade next week and
will leave the dock in Holland for Sauga-
tuck at 3:00 p.m.; returning will leave
Saugatuck at 9:00 p.m. arriving in this
city in time to make connections for
trains north.

THE Allegan County Agricultural
Society have engaged Prof. Hogan for
the aeronaut, and Belva Lockwood, as
speaker, for attractions to their Fair,
which will be held in Allegan, October
2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th — the week fol-
lowing our fair.

JENNIE H., the three year old daugh-
ter of Mr. H. De Vries, died last Sun-
day, Sept. 9th, of cholera morbus. The
funeral occurred Tuesday from the
Market Street Church. Mr. and Mrs.
De Vries have the sympathy of the
community in their loss.

At the next meeting of the Young
Men's Republican Club it will be de-
cided definitely what kind of uniforms
the club will purchase. Every member
should be present and take an interest
in the matter. The meeting will be
held next Wednesday evening, Sept.
19th.

MRS. D. KRUIDENIER, nee Minnie
Plucker of Pella, Ia., who had been
visiting relatives and friends in this
city for the past week, left for Pullman,
Ill., last Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs.
Geo. P. Hummer, where they will visit
their sister, Mrs. E. C. Oggel, for a
short period.

**THE REVEREND DOCTOR PREACHES
AT THE TABERNACLE.**

Well now, let all those who have coming after them the lean hounds of poverty or the black hounds of persecution or the spotted hounds of vicissitude or the pale hounds of death or who are in any wise pursued, fly to the wide, deep, glorious lake of divine solace and rescue. The most of the men and women whom I happen to know at different times, if not now have had trouble after this, sharp muzzled troubles, swift troubles, all devouring troubles. Many of you have made the mistake of trying to fight them. Somebody meanly attacked you and you attacked them; they depreciated you, you depreciated them; or they overreached you in a bargain, and you tried, in Wall street parlance, to get a corner on them; or you have had a bereavement, and instead of being submissive, you are

Would you be young again
So would not I;
One tear of memory given,
Onward I'll hie;
Life's dark wave forced o'er,
All but at rest on shore;
Say, would you plunge once more,
With home so nigh?

If you might, would you now
Retrace your way
Wander through stormy wilds,
Faint and astray?
Night's gloomy watches fled,
Morning all beaming red,
Hope's smile around us shed,
Heavenward away!
Yes; for some people in this world

brutal hounds that have chased and torn and lacerated the world; yea, all that now bite or worry or tear to pieces, shall be prohibited. "Without our dogs!" No place there for harsh critics or back-biters or spoilers of the reputation of others. Down with you to the kennels of the darkness and despair! The hart has reached the eternal water brooks, and the panting of the long chase is quieted in still pastures, and "There shall be nothing to hunt or destroy in all God's holy mount."

Oh, when some of you get where it will

weather, "do you know that the use of such language will send you to a hotter place than this?" "It may be hotter," responded the young man, mopping his face, "but it's a dry, honest kind of heat. They won't have any of this blanked humidity down there."—*Life*.

LET there be no wilful perversion of another's meaning; no sudden seizure of a lawless syllable to play upon it.—*Dr. J. Watts*.

**HE RETURNS FRESH FOR THE WORK
OF THE CAMPAIGN.**

While it may be that neither party offers all that labor organizations desire, I believe that the Republican party, in adopting and advocating the American system of encouragement and protection to the labor and wages of our own

It is repeated from day to day in the campaign that General Harrison publicly declared, during the turbulent railway strikes of 1877, that "61 a day was enough for workmen." As General Harrison is never drunk and has never been idiotic, of course he never said so. * * *

It is repeated from day to day that General Harrison voted and spoke in favor of the free admission of Chinese labor to this country to destroy our home labor. It is not true, and every man of ordinary intelligence knows it to be false.

The Holland City News.

JOHN C. POST, Editor.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1888.

Republican National Ticket.

FOR PRESIDENT—

BENJAMIN HARRISON,
OF INDIANA.

OR VICE PRESIDENT—

LEVI P. MORTON,
OF NEW YORK.

For Presidential Electors.

At Large—RUSSELL A. ALGER, Detroit.
Isaac Cappon, Holland.
1st District—EDWARD BURN, Detroit.
2nd District—JUNIOR E. BEAL, Ann Arbor.
3rd District—EDWARD KINGMAN, Calhoun.
4th District—JOSEPH W. FRENCH, St. Joseph.
5th District—DON J. LEATHERS, Kent.
6th District—JAMES M. TURNER, Lansing.
7th District—JOHN S. THOMSON, Sault Ste. Marie.
8th District—ELIOTT F. GRABILL, Montclair.
9th District—WELLINGTON N. CUMMER, Westford.
10th District—HARRY P. MERRILL, Ray.
11th District—PERRY HANNA, Grand Traverse.

Congressional Ticket.

For Congress for Fifth District—
CHARLES E. BELKNAP, of Grand Rapids.

State Ticket.

For Governor—
CYRUS G. LUCE, of Gilead.
For Lieutenant Governor—
JAMES H. MACDONALD, of Escanaba.
For Secretary of State—
GILBERT R. OSMUN, of Detroit.
For State Treasurer—
GEORGE L. MALTZ, of Alpena.
For Auditor General—
HENRY H. ALPIN, of West Bay City.
For Commissioner of the Land Office—
ROSCOE D. DIX, of Berrien Springs.
For Attorney General—
STEPHEN V. R. TROWBRIDGE, of Ionia.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—
JOSEPH ESTABROOK, of Olivet.
For Member of State Board of Education—
PERRY POWERS, of Cadillac.

County Ticket.

For Judge of Probate—**CHARLES E. SOULE**.
Sheriff—**EDWARD VAUFELL**.
Clerk—**WALTER S. COLE**.
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Prosecuting Attorney—**WALTER I. LILLIE**.
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Surveyor—**EMMETT H. PECK**.
Coroners—**CURTIS W. GRAY**, **OSCAR E. YATES**.
For Representatives—
First District, **G. J. DIEKEMA**.
Second District, **J. V. B. GOODRICH**.

"One Term."

"My friends, you will never have any genuine reform in the civil service until you adopt the one-term principle in reference to the Presidency. So long as the incumbent can hope for a second term he will use the immense patronage of the government to procure his re-election."—From a speech by the Hon. Allen G. Thurman, Columbus, O., 1872.

The American people evidently agree with the "Old Roman" in applying the one term doctrine to Grover Cleveland. Everything indicates that he will go back to his law office at the close of his present term, to meditate on the mutability of earthly affairs and the foolishness of the American people in declining to swallow English Free Trade medicine.

Straws.

We made a business trip through Southern Michigan to Ohio last week. Everywhere we found the people wide-awake on political matters. In a drive through Hillsdale county, we saw five poles on one road, each bearing a fine Harrison and Morton flag. Not a single Cleveland flag was seen in the country, in Hillsdale county. The farmers there do not take any stock in the English Free Trade and free wool doctrines of the Democratic party. Hillsdale County also contains many prohibitionists, but in conversation with several of them we found that they will support Harrison and Morton and the Republican State ticket this year.

A well informed gentleman told us this week that H. B. Clafin and Company, of New York City, employ over 1300 men in their immense dry goods establishment. In 1884 over 1100 of them voted for Cleveland. This year they have a Harrison and Morton Club made up of these employees, numbering one thousand. There have been only about fifteen changes in the men employed since 1884, but there has been a decided change in their politics.

Prohibition County Convention.

The Prohibition county convention at Grand Haven this week elected John Wasson, of Wright, chairman and put the following ticket in the field:

Judge of Probate—Geo. W. Merrick, Chester.
Sheriff—Millard Dickerson, Talmadge.
Clerk—George Laubach, Coopersville.
Prosecuting Attorney—Stephen L. Lowing, Allendale.
Treasurer—Chas. Marshall, Spring Lake.
Circuit Court Commissioners—No lawyers in the party.
Surveyor—Hunten Foster, Polkton.
Coroners—Dr. Hofma, Grand Haven; A. J. Frost, Georgetown.
Register of Deeds—A. J. Huisenga, Holland.
Representatives—1st district, Chas. L. Stillman, Grand Haven township; 2d district, Byron Godfrey, Georgetown.
There were fifteen delegates present. George Laubach was re-elected chairman county committee.

The Republican Party and the Temperance Question.

Since the organization of the Republican party, it has at all times led the march of progress in State and National legislation. The early years of its history mark the war of the Rebellion and the overthrow of slavery. The problems left by the war have been met and solved by it.

The great evil of intemperance has cursed the world for thousands of years. Until a comparatively recent period, the business of liquor selling was considered a matter with which the public had but little to do, so far as its restriction and regulation was concerned. The baneful influences of the open saloon at length aroused the people's conscience. The W. C. T. U. and other societies were formed; and the warfare between the home and saloon began in earnest. It needed but little discussion to show that the liquor traffic was the greatest curse of modern civilization.

To-day the majority of the people of the United States recognize the fact that the saloon is the cause of the larger part of the crime, poverty and vice existing in the community where it is situated. The sole question remains, how can the saloon be got rid of?

To answer this question, enthusiastic men and women, the majority of whom are Christian people with the welfare of the community at heart, formed the Prohibition party. The evil was recognized as such by the majority of citizens, and to these men and women it seemed that an immediate enactment by the State Legislatures, or the National Congress, of prohibitory laws would end the whole matter.

A law must be enforced as well as enacted. Until a community becomes practically unanimous on a new question no law can be enforced. While public opinion is strongly opposed to the saloon; yet, all do not agree upon the methods by which it must be fought and suppressed.

The Republican party recognizes the importance of the issue and its platform and resolutions speak with no uncertain sound. The National Republican platform adopted at Chicago says: "The first concern of all good government is the virtue and sobriety of the people and the purity of the home. The Republican party cordially sympathizes with all wise and well-directed efforts for the promotion of temperance and morality."

The State Republican Convention passed the following resolution:

"We cordially indorse the progressive temperance legislation enacted by the last Legislature, and regret that it's full fruits were not realized, owing to the technical defects in the laws, held by the Supreme Court to be in conflict with the Constitution."

We record ourselves as in favor of the impartial enforcement of the temperance laws of the State and recommend to the next Legislature the reenactment of a local option law that shall be free from constitutional objections.

The Ottawa County Republicans say: "We commend the action of the last Republican legislature of this State in keeping sacred the pledges of the party; and submitting to the people the question of prohibition and further endorse their honest efforts to take the saloon out of politics, and in securing to the people of this State temperance legislation. And we pledge our further support to every honest effort to suppress the evils of intemperance."

The Prohibition party are in a minority and will not, in all probability, elect a single candidate on their ticket in this State. The Democratic party makes no allusion in its platform or in the resolutions at any of its conventions, to the subject, and it is known to be in sympathy with the liquor interests. Either the Democratic or Republican candidate for each office will be elected.

With the known utterances and position of the Republican party in favor of temperance; and the silence and sympathy of the Democracy with the saloon, every temperance man should cast his influence and ballot for the Republican party. It is possible that he may favor a more advanced position than has been taken by the Republican party; but to vote for the Prohibition ticket, and thereby cast half a vote for the Democrats, will certainly not help the matter, while his efforts and influence within the Republican party will contribute to secure the desired result.

M. H. Ford.

Hon. M. H. Ford was renominated by the Democrats and Greenbackers, for congress, at their convention held at Grand Rapids, on Tuesday. Mr. Ford, while he has not fulfilled all the promises made for him by his zealous friends, two years ago, is both able and honest, and we are sorry that he has consented to be sacrificed to the free trade idol this year.

Sensible Men.

"Mr. P. Danhof, candidate for prosecuting attorney on the Democratic ticket, has notified the committee that he declines to run. It is said D. F. Hutton will be put on the ticket in Danhof's stead."

It is reported that Henry Bloeker has declined to run for member of the legislature on the Democratic ticket.—Grand Haven Tribune.

Peter has got a long head. When Maine was heard from on Monday, he concluded that he was not ready to be sacrificed.

Henry Bloeker is also a man of sense; and he knows enough to keep in out of the November storm.

The Music in the Air.

A few weeks ago a Democratic Convention was held at St. Louis. While Henry Watterson, Frank Ford, William Morrison and other free traders, were there enjoying themselves and preparing a platform "in favor of revenue only," and as little of that as possible, the first gun of the campaign was fired upon the shores of the Pacific, thousands of miles away. The voters of Oregon recorded their protest against King Cleveland and his free trade lieutenants. The telegraph flashed the news over the land that in the far away State of Oregon, the Republicans had gained victory.

The Convention went on with its work, however, and the members present considered it only a slight shower. Grover Cleveland was renominated, the platform, prepared under the supervision of Watterson, was promulgated, the English newspapers lauded Cleveland as the great apostle of Free Trade in America, and the postmasters were all happy.

Last week the Green Mountain State sent greeting from the East to the Republicans of Oregon, who had done such good work. Vermont rolled up a Republican majority of 29,000, being a gain of 7,000, over the last election, and being the largest Republican majority ever given a Governor in the State. It began to look like a cold day for Democracy. The Great Mogul Cleveland was appealed to; and his letter of acceptance hurriedly finished and sent to the press on Saturday night. In this he pathetically pleads that he was not in earnest in his free trade talk, he holds up the "surplus" as a great bugbear, and wants to be elected again.

On Monday the citizens of Maine assembled to elect their State officers and Congressmen. This being a Presidential year, the vote was an index of the opinions of its people on national affairs. They had heard all of Cleveland's utterances, from his earlier free trade productions to his codfish message, Chinese manifesto and letter of acceptance. Nobly did the Pine Tree State respond to the bugle notes of their brethren of Oregon and their sister state of Vermont. It had been considered that if the Republican majority was less than 10,000 it would be a Democratic victory, if more than 10,000, a Republican triumph. The Republican majority will exceed twenty thousand, being the largest since 1860.

"There's music in the air" and it says that Benjamin Harrison of Indiana will be the next President of the United States.

Allegan Nominations.

Aaron Krug of Hopkins has been nominated by the Democrats for state representative from the second district of Allegan County. G. W. Mokma of Fillmore is the Republican candidate for the same honor.

This makes the election of Mr. Mokma certain. He is well known to most of our readers as an able and upright man; and he will make an excellent representative.

A STRANGE LIFE.

The Trappist Monks in a Kentucky Abbey.

The Century for August contains an interesting article on the present abbey of La Trappe, in Kentucky—the home of a silent brotherhood. The followers of De Rance, the celebrated monk of the old time, were driven out of France during the French revolution, and wandered into various countries. A small branch of the Trappists, as they are called, came in 1804 to the United States, and established itself for a while in Pennsylvania, but soon turned its eyes towards the greater wilds and solitudes of Kentucky.

A representative of the Cincinnati Enquirer describes a visit to the abbey as follows:

Presently a monk appeared. He entered the room with a bow to the latest guest. He introduced himself saying:

"Our abbot, the good Father Benedict, is ill. He cannot see you, but has commissioned me to represent him. So Father Edward, the guest master of the house, is at your service. What can I do for our guest?" He took a seat beside me and we entered into conversation. This Father Edward is, I think, the most gentle man I ever met.

"I have been in this monastery 20 years now," said Father Edward. "The monastery had been established 13 years when I entered. It was founded in 1848. Of the original community only two or three survive. One is an abbot and the other is an old cook. He has been within these walls for 20 years. There are but two communities of Trappist monks in the United States. This one and one in Dubuque, Ia. This is the older of the two, but numerically the Dubuque community is now the stronger. Our order is so rigid and austere that it does not hold out many inducements to the young men of today to enroll themselves in its membership."

"When I entered here 25 years ago there were 60 members in the community. It has dwindled down until there are but 35 of us at present. The increase is not keeping pace with the decrease by death."

"Very few Americans join our order. The life isn't to their taste. Our greatest accessions are now from among the Germans. Among our members there are three young German brothers. That was one of them who received you when you came in."

"Tell me something of the routine of the life of a Trappist," I urged the good father.

"Well, to begin with," he went on, "we arise at 2 o'clock in the morning on week days, at 1 o'clock in the morning on Sundays. Immediately upon arising we go to the chapel and enter

upon our devotions. We pray, chant, indulge in meditations and either celebrate mass or assist at mass. This takes till about 6 o'clock—time for us to enter upon our daily labors."

We till the soil, fell trees, raise and tend stock and devote ourselves to all the agricultural arts. At 2 o'clock in the afternoon the tolling of the bell summons us from whatever we may be employed to engage in further devotions. At half-past 2, our devotions over, we go in to dinner, or breakfast, or supper, or whatever you desire to call it, for it's the only meal we get in the 24 hours."

Our meal over, we return to work, and continue to labor until the evening bell summons us to the chapter room for our evening devotions. At 7 p. m. we retire. One meal a day is all we are ever allowed to eat. This rule is inflexible, and changes not for Sunday, holiday or festival. We get one meal on Christmas, the same as any other day in the year. There is no distinction. The meal consists of soup, vegetables, fruit, bread and water. We are never allowed to taste fish, flesh, butter, eggs, tea, coffee or pastry. Are we allowed to speak to one another? No, we are not. Silence is one of the strictest rules of our order. I am allowed to speak to outsiders, it is true. My position as guest master carries that privilege with it. We monks might dwell together for 50 years and never know the sound of each other's voices did we not hear one another singing the service of the church or making the self-accusation of faults to the abbot in the chapter room."

As for communication with the great world without, we have none. I, in my capacity as guest master, meeting visitors from the outside, know a little something of what is going on without these cloistered walls; but my brothers of the community know absolutely nothing. They know nothing of the scientific, social and political revolutions going on in the world without. Catastrophes and calamities that chill the blood of the world never reach their ears. "They never hear of the devastation of death; nothing of the characters who are disappearing from and appearing on the great stage of life. To all intents and purposes, as far as the outer world is concerned, the Trappist monk is dead and buried. No newspaper ever disturbs the unbroken calm of our cloister. Letters, save business communications to the abbot, never penetrate our walls. Here we live and die, as dead to the world as the world is dead to us."

The death of the Trappist does not plunge his fellow monks into gloom and grief, but on the contrary fills them with joy and exultation. They rejoice that the earthly pilgrimage of their brother is over and that he is at last at peace in heaven. The monastery bell does not toll out the dirgeful notes of mourning, but rings forth a merry peal of gladness. For 24 hours the body of the dead monk lies before the altar in the abbey chapel. At the end of that time it is borne forth for burial in the little convent cemetery."

As I was bidding Father Edward good-by when quitting the abbey, the good man went into rhapsodies over the life of the Trappist.

"We are so much happier than you people out in the world," he said, as the tears of joy stood in his eyes. "We have no care, no money, no trouble, no vexation. With you, all is strife, turmoil and excitement. With us, all is peace, calm and tranquility. The closer you come to the minimum of desire, the closer you approach the maximum of happiness. We experience the minimum of desire. There is nothing that we crave, nothing that we covet. We have enough to eat and enough to cover us, and when we die we'll get six feet of earth—all that the greatest potentate can expect. We're not living for this life, but for the life to come. If we're ever envious of another, it's when one of us passes away. We envy the brother whom death has taken from this vale of tears, and long for the time that we, too, may lie there, cold and inanimate, before the chapel altar, while the abbey bells peal forth their glad hosannas that tell of another soul at rest."

If you had been long separated by oceans from all the dear ones you loved on earth, and at length you had embarked to rejoin them, you wouldn't mind the hardships of the trip. Your heart would be buoyed up by expectancy at the reunion soon to come, and you'd be made strong by the conviction that every day's journey was bringing you nearer to the longed-for goal. We feel that life is the barque that's bearing us on the sea of time to the shores of heaven."

The Verdict Unanimous.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

REV. H. D. JORDAN, who has been pastor of the Methodist Church in this city for the past three years, received his appointment this week to Spring Lake from the Michigan M. E. Conference. The reverend gentleman leaves behind him many warm friends who will always remember his many kind acts towards them in the past. Rev. R. C. Crawford, of Grand Rapids, has been appointed to fill the pulpit in this city for the next year. He will be here to commence his work one week from to-morrow, Sunday. He is a man of high reputation in his conference.

We hear a great many men, from time to time, speaking of "luck" of other men as compared with their own. You may pick out the laziest and poorest man in this town and you will hear him grumble about luck. When he comes to explain his career you will see he planted his potatoes and waited for luck to hoe them, while he sat upon the dry goods box and talked politics. The ill-luck he growls about comes through shiftlessness and bad management, and generally no other cause. Diligence makes luck. It is too late in the day to make people believe that some were born to be rich and others poor. It rests solely with the man; if he is industrious and a good manager he will get along, but if he spends his time talking about his neighbors he will never prosper.

THE music selected for the Band Concert to be given at the Opera House by the Otsego Band on the evening of September 26th promises to be of a character suited to the taste of our music loving citizens. The soloists who will take part will be some of the best artists in Michigan, as the following roster will show: Prof. J. D. Woodbeck, solo cornet; Prof. John Martin, graduate of a musical college of Germany, piccolo and flute; F. K. Ellis, slide trombone. Besides these instrumental soloists there will be several noted vocalists who will take part in the program, and on the whole the entertainment will rival that given by the Philharmonic Society of Grand Rapids in the Opera House a year ago last winter. It is hoped that the Otsego Band may be well patronized and succeed in their efforts to give the people of Holland and vicinity a rare musical treat.

THE work on the new Grace Episcopal Church on Ninth street is progressing finely. The building committee think it can be completed in about two months. Being now in need of funds to finish the building, they offer for sale the old church lot, corner of Eleventh and Pine streets, at a very reasonable figure, as will be seen by advertisement in another column of this issue. Since the Rev. Mr. Coolbaugh left Grand Rapids, his successor, Rev. Dr. Knapp, has kindly volunteered to assist the building committee here in collecting subscriptions to complete the church. He will be in this city next week for that purpose. Great credit is due the members of this small society for their perseverance after the loss of their former church by fire, and with a little assistance from our citizens they can again have a comfortable place of worship, which will also be an ornament to the city.

A Pleasant Surprise Party.

Shortly after nine o'clock of last week Friday evening, and when our friend, Mr. Ed. Harrington, Jr., was enjoying with his worthy wife the celebration of his thirty-fourth birthday, the stirring and soul inspiring music of a brass band was heard headed in the direction of Ninth street, and together with a multitude of friends halted in front of Mr. Harrington's residence. It was the Zeeland band, a most excellent organization, which had been engaged for the occasion, and together with friends from this city and neighboring village made a complete surprise party. If it had been generally known that it was "Ed's" birthday the number present would have been much greater. The doors were thrown open and a couple of pleasant hours were spent in hearty congratulations. Speeches by a number of friends in attendance, interspersed by fine music from the band, made the occasion one long to be remembered. The party broke up about midnight, or later, with hearty cheers for "Ed" and his estimable wife.

The Chicago Steamboat Line.

Mr. Hugh Bradshaw, of Chicago, purchased the south half of the Harrington dock in this city last Saturday. This is for the purpose of using this dock for a Chicago steamboat line. It will be rebuilt, a warehouse erected on the lot and convenient arrangements made for caring for the freight and passenger business to Chicago next season. Mr. Bradshaw and Mr. Thomas Waters, of Muskegon, a well known steamboat man, intend to either buy or build a first-class boat to run from Holland direct to Chicago.

This is an important enterprise which will add very much to the business of our city. We trust that all our shippers will give the new line their patronage next year. Mr. Bradshaw owns a fine cottage at Macatawa Grove, and his frequent visits to our resorts have

convinced him that a direct boat to Chicago would be a good paying investment. This is another illustration of what the summer resort business is doing for Holland.

"Holland is able to support able and high priced papers. They carry on business in that town and mean the world shall know it. Some seventy business and professional cards fill two columns of the Holland City News alone. According to the business and professional cards published in the three papers in this city, Grand Haven can offset Holland's 70 with 12 professional and business cards, announcing to the world what kinds of business are going on here, and who are pushing the same. And, as is natural enough, men, when they want business done, go where they know it is done.—Grand Haven Herald.

We are, therefore, doing as well as our brethren at the county seat. As soon as our merchants wake up and give the News the advertising which it should have, the entire paper will be printed here. Grand Rapids merchants are ready at all times to take all the advertising space in the News, but we prefer to build up our home trade, if possible. The News should have at least six columns more of home advertisements; and we could name a dozen business men who are not represented in its columns, who could take this space and make five dollars for every dollar they invest in advertising in the paper. Will you do it, gentlemen, or shall we give Zeeland and Grand Rapids the space?

The Golden Wedding.

In our hurry last week of going to press, we were unable to obtain full particulars in regard to Mr. W. H. Finch's golden wedding. We supplement our report with a few details, this week, as the occasion was one of interest to a large circle of our readers.

Mr. and Mrs. Finch were married on Sept. 6, 1838 at Alamo, Kalamazoo County, Michigan. They have resided at Holland for 30 years last past and now enjoy good health, and bid fair to live for many years.

Mr. Finch is now 73 and his wife 65 years of age. The second wedding ceremony last week was performed by Isaac Fairbanks Esq., assisted by Dr. Scott and Prof. Kollen. We have not been able to learn whether Judge Fairbanks secured a marriage license for this occasion, or not.

Among the host of friends present at the celebration last week, were the following: A. B. Finch and C. D. Finch, of Racine, Wis.; A. A. Finch, Roseland, Ill.; Wm. Finch and family of Allegan, Mich.; Orville Finch and wife, J. Carpenter and wife, Mrs. P. Simmons, all of Cooper, Mich.; Mr. E. Sawyer, of Hiattville, Kansas; Mrs. G. Pratt, Kalamazoo, N. Chamberlain and wife, Decatur, Mich.; I. Fairbanks and family, Dr. Chas. Scott and wife, Prof. G. J. Kollen and wife, A. M. Kanters and wife, Dr. O. E. Yates and wife, Hon. Isaac Cappon, J. Elferdink and family, the members of A. C. Van Raalte Post No. 262, G. A. R., and many more of our prominent citizens. A number of beautiful presents were received by Mr. and Mrs. Finch, including a fine goldheaded cane upon which the old gentleman expects to lean for the next quarter of a century.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Zeeland.

Sept. 13. Mr. P. H. De Pree is home from Chicago and the west where he has been at work as expert for Wm. Deering for the past two years.

Mr. H. De Kruij has gone to Jackson to attend the State Fair.

Miss Gertie Higgins of Holland is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Benjamin.

A tramp harness maker came to town Monday. He struck a job for a few days and then started for Grand Rapids by rail. He said the only inconvenience he finds in this mode of travel is getting off from the track to get the train go by.

Ed Vappell, our next sheriff passed through here this morning.

Hon. J. V. Goodrich, W. I. Lillie and Hon. C. Van Loos addressed the people of Zeeland last night on the political issues of the day.

"Tim."

Olive Centre.

Sept. 12. We had a heavy frost on the morning of the fifth inst, which killed nearly everything that was freezable. Some corn was ripe enough to cut and some is still standing to ripen.

Fordyce Lyon found his only cow choked to death by the rope she was tied with.

School began Monday, with Rose Rankin, of Grandville as teacher. We predict a successful term.

Hon. G. J. Diekema spoke to a fair sized crowd, of promiscuous politicians Monday eve. The speaker proved himself and his side to be all right and now we await a speaker from the other party to come along and deny all that was said; and prove his side to be all right, for of such is American politics.

Two ex-republicans who were prohibitionists two years ago are now talking Harrison and Morton, and say they were always Republicans. (Of course they were.)

John W. Norrington of West Olive was through this neighborhood last Monday p.m., getting people out to the Diekema speech in the evening.

Mr. Sarah Benjamin told the people something about the work of the W. C. T. U. Sunday at the school house.

The Grangers had a melon feast at the hall Saturday evening after the meeting, furnished by the masters.

wife, Mrs. Mary Fellows. It was not regarded as a very melon-choly affair either.

People at the Centre, and we suppose all along the stage route from Holland to Robinson are rejoicing over the daily mail, which is quite convenient to all except our Postmaster.

Thomas Watson attended the Democratic Congressional Convention at Grand Rapids this week. M. R. Merritt accompanied him perhaps as an alternate although Mr. Merritt is supposed to be a Republican.

Ada Merritt is visiting her sister Grace at Grand Rapids.

"CRANK".

New Holland.

Sept. 13. The "campaign" was opened here by a rousing Republican meeting held on Tuesday evening. The Hon. G. J. Diekema addressed the people, speaking of the Tariff, the Surplus, the Direct Tax Bill, and the merits of the Presidential candidates. A noticeable feature of the meeting was the number of Democrats in attendance and the interest which they manifested in that part of the speech relative to the Protective Tariff. To say the least the remarks of Mr. Diekema had a telling effect upon his audience and the meeting was a grand success.

Miss Josie Bush, from Bass River, is visiting friends here.

Mr. Schuitema has sold his farm in Olive and will soon move to Grand Rapids.

We desire to extend our thanks to Mr. J. Miring of Noordeloos, whose push and enterprise was instrumental in securing a "daily mail" for this route.

Mr. Brotherton is having excellent success as teacher in the P. Nienhuis district.

Mr. Bloemendaal, a student of Hope College, occupied the pulpit of the Dutch Reformed Church on Sunday last.

Business Local.

The greatness of the American Republic is due mainly to the fact that almost every citizen is the possessor of his home. If you

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even a single dollar of stock in an enterprise, you are interested in it and do all you can to make it a success. The same is true of a government where the citizen owns part of the soil which is protected by its flag and laws. He has come to stay, at least a longer time than the man boarding at a hotel, or even one renting some shabby tenement and is, therefore, interested in securing good laws. If

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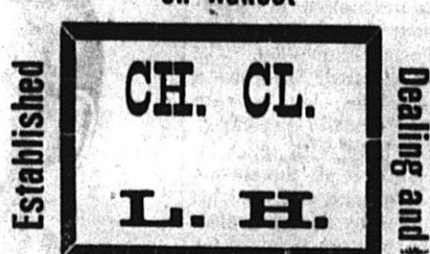
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