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CITY AND VICINITY.

P. T. McCarthy will close the Olympia Pavilion October 1.

Tuesday the six-year-old son of Arie Grevengeod fell and fractured his left arm. Drs. H. and E. Kremers were the attending physicians.

Prof. M. E. Dick, formerly teacher in the Holland High school, has gone to the U. of M. to take a course in chemistry.

The train to Ottawa Beach will be discontinued September 11 and the summer schedule on the Pere Marquette will be supplanted by a new time card.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Dreher died Tuesday morning at the family home on Eighth street. The funeral services were held Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Flieschman went to Muskegon Monday to attend the funeral of Mr. Flieschman's mother, who died in Fort Wayne, Ind., and was taken to Muskegon for burial.

Mrs. E. A. Carrier and A. Carrier formerly of this city, have moved from Santa Cruz, California, to Independence, Oregon, near the banks of the Willamette river, ten miles from Salem. They like their new home very well.

Capt. Austin Harrington took the steamer Post Boy to Chicago this week to put her in the dry dock for a thorough overhauling. The hull of the Post Boy is in A-1 condition and when the improvements are made she will be as good a passenger boat as there is on this shore.

The school census taken by John B. Stekatee and Will Boot shows a gain in the number of children over that of last year. In 1902 the census showed that there were 2433 children of school age, in 1903 it showed 2525 and this year shows 2612. The census by wards follows: First ward, 641, second ward, 240; third ward 493; fourth ward, 647; fifth ward, 591.

Abe Cappon let the contract this week to the Holkeboer company for a \$5,000 residence to be erected east of C. Ver Schure's residence on West Twelfth street. The structure will be frame with Bedford stone foundation and will be one of the handsomest in Holland. The lower floor will be finished in quarter sawed oak, the upper in ash. Samuel Habing has a force of men doing the mason work.

At the annual school election held in Grand Haven Tuesday Jacob Glerum and Edward W. F. Moll were re-elected to the board of education. There was but one slate in the field and the vote was very light. The Grand Haven school census, which has just been completed, shows the school population of the city to be 1,560, which is a falling off of about forty from the figures of last year.

After lying in idleness during the summer, the steamer Petoskey left South Haven at noon Monday for Milwaukee. Before getting far into the lake the boat was found to be leaking badly through dried out seams and a hurried run was made back to the harbor. The steamer has been purchased by the Crosby-Transit Company from the Dunkley-Williams Company and will be run in the freight trade between Grand Haven and Milwaukee.

Members of Hill's Twentieth Century Vaudeville company, which gave an entertainment at Dickinson's Opera house in Fennville Saturday night to a large audience of dissatisfied persons, were set upon in the street after the show and pelted with eggs. During the melee Mrs. James H. McCartney of Ganges was knocked down, where she was standing in wait for her carriage. It was some time before she was able to be driven home. Monday evening the village council passed a resolution strongly condemning such acts of lawlessness and instructed the village attorney to take vigorous measures to get at the bottom of the affair and prosecute those who are responsible for the trouble.

Hourly service has gone into effect on the G. R. H. & Chicago interurban railway.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Westveer, West Sixteenth street, Monday—a son.

Miss Adella Clark, who last year taught in the public schools of this city, will teach this year in the McLaughlin school at Muskegon.

While clearing Holland harbor last Saturday morning the steamer Holland brushed against the sheet piling and broke four buckets from her wheel.

Reports of the apple crop indicate that the American yield will be about 30 per cent larger than last year and 14 per cent above the average for the last ten years. Some dealers estimate the output at 70,000,000 barrels.

Harry R. Doesburg has in his garden a lilac bush in full bloom. He explains the unusual occurrence to the fact that he stripped the bush of its foliage early in August and it at once sent forth buds.

Grand Rapids Herald: A Zeeland fisherman gave as his excuse for coming home empty handed that a black snake as big as his arm chased him from the creek. But a temperance crusade is soon to begin in Ottawa county.

Grand Haven Tribune: Justice Wm. Walter officiated at the marriage of Labon Purchase of Olive and Miss Alice Burch of Fennville. The wedding took place in the office of the county drain commissioner in the court house.

John Bouwman fell from the running board of an open car near the middle switch about 8 o'clock Monday night and struck a guy pole, the injury rendering him unconscious. He was brought to this city where Dr. J. J. Mersen, who attended him, found that his injuries were not serious.

M. J. Kinch, formerly superintendent of the Interurban railway of this city, has been appointed superintendent of the interurban railway system out of Green Bay Wis. The system includes the Green Bay, Kaukauna interurban, the Green Bay DePere interurban and the city lines of the Fox River Electric railway.

After a delay of nearly two years it is now practically certain that a combined opera house and armory will be erected in Grand Haven. Plans for a building of the kind have been accepted and the financial side of the project has been practically provided for. The building will cost in the neighborhood of twenty thousand dollars.

Railroad Commissioner Atwood reports that the Michigan earnings of railroad companies for the month of July were \$4,217,875.40, a decrease from those of the corresponding month of last year of \$141,399.78. The aggregate Michigan earnings for the first seven months of 1904 were \$26,518,022.16. This is a decrease of 7 per cent from the earnings of the same period of 1903.

Melville Trotter, superintendent of the Grand Rapids city mission and well known to church going people of this city, has just brought out a book relating some of the experiences in the work in Grand Rapids. The title of the book is "Jimmie Moore of Bucktown." The scenes are laid in Grand Rapids and Jimmie is a real character. The proceeds of the sale of the book will be devoted to mission purposes.

Jacob Lokker has a trotter that will crowd the best of them close for honors at the Holland fair the first week in October. He will enter him in the Gentlemen's race trot or pace for a purse of \$50. In this race each owner must drive his own horse, making the test one of ability in the case of both horses and drivers, for it takes a good driver to get good work out of a good horse. The saying is that anyone can drive a second rate or a plug.

Two hobos and a deck hand from the steamer Holland met in the course of an outing in this city last Saturday and the recreation cost the deck hand \$2 and a couple of knife thrusts in the face. The hobos relieved him of the money and when he protested one of them drew a knife and did the slashing. Dr. Imus attended the sailor and Justice Devries administered to the hobos a 30 day dose of the county jail in one instance and a 90 day sojourn in the Detroit House of Correction in the other instance.

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

Gon DePree's Drug Store

Rev. C. C. A. L. John conducted services at South Haven last Sunday.

A Lansing street carnival company will on Sept. 12 to 17 conduct a street fair in the down town district of Grand Haven.

The Grand Haven Courier-Journal has been designated by the Auditor General to publish the annual tax sale list for Ottawa County the coming year.

Miss Jean Steffens is ready to resume her instructions in music and pupils desiring to take up the work will please advise her at their earliest convenience.

Con DePree, superintendent of the speed department of the Holland fair, is receiving entries in large numbers for the various races. It is safe to say that the biggest field of horses ever seen on the Holland track will face the starting flag the first week in October.

The records in the office of City Clerk VanEyck show that during the eight months ending September 1, 77 deaths occurred in Holland. During the same period last year there were 52 deaths, while in 1902 there were 59 deaths, 57 in 1901, 86 in 1900, 85 in 1899, and 49 in 1898.

State Game Warden Chapman is sending telegrams to every part of the state in an effort to correct the false impression concerning the opening of the duck season, created by the publication of an item to the effect that the open season would begin September 1. The duck law goes out October 1 and not September 1, as has been stated.

Henry Knoll of Holland, has purchased the lot on which the livery barn was located and is building a new blacksmith shop. Mr. Bell and daughter, of Holland, were guests of L. W. McDonald Sunday. Mr. Bell will go to Everett, Wash., to visit his son.—Douglas Correspondent to Saugatuck Commercial Record.

Double daily service between Holland and Chicago will be discontinued after Sept. 10, by the Graham & Morton line. The steamers Puritan and Holland will leave Holland on alternate nights so long as traffic is heavy. Neither boat has missed a trip since the double daily runs began in June. The season has been successful both in freight and passenger business.

I. Butterfield has arranged with the Holland fair association for the production at the Holland fair of a show of moving pictures. He will give reproductions of incidents in the Spanish-American war and other events of world wide importance and will show many novel scenes. Those who have seen the show say it is one of the best of the kind that is on the road. Everything is true to life and realistic enough to catch the fancy of the most exacting.

Turkeys are patronizing the G. R. H. & C. Interurban railway company. When the 8 o'clock steamboat special from Grand Rapids to Holland was passing Jeniora yesterday two turkeys stood in the middle of the track and one of them was scooped up by the fender. And on the fender it stayed until Zeeland was reached when the conductor went out and investigated. The bird was still alive, but was not kicking hard, as one leg was broken. Its ultimate fate has not been learned although the conductor seems to have the first claim on it for fare, and may have a right to keep it in default of payment.

IF THE MILLINERS WANT REALLY EXPENSIVE HATS,



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RAILWAY MISHAPS COST MANY LIVES

CARS ON WABASH ROAD PLUNGE DOWN AN EMBANKMENT NEAR FENDLETON, MO.

Eight Are Killed and Fifty or More Injured—Train Strikes Trolley Car in St. Louis—The Dead Number Seven.

Moberly, Mo., Sept. 7.—The south-bound Wabash passenger train which left Des Moines for St. Louis at 6:40 a. m. was wrecked Tuesday near Fendleton, Mo., killing eight passengers and injuring more than 50 others. The train, which was composed of an engine, baggage and smoking cars, day coach, dinner and Pullman sleeper, was well filled, it being estimated by Wabash officials that there were about 500 persons on board. The train was running at its scheduled speed when the accident occurred. The day coach left the track, and breaking loose from the baggage and smoking cars, plunged down an embankment, dragging the dinner with it. The Pullman did not leave the track. The heavy dining car crashed on top of the coach, and the majority of those killed and injured were passengers in the latter.

Seven Die in a Wreck. St. Louis, Sept. 5.—Without a chance to escape, seven persons were killed and 19 injured, one fatally and nine others seriously, in a wreck here Saturday in which a suburban trolley car was struck by a world's fair Wabash passenger train at the Sarah street crossing. The train, east-bound, running at 20 miles an hour, struck the trolley, south-bound, squarely in the middle. For reasons which have not been explained the car stopped on the crossing squarely across the track on which the train was approaching. The crews of both the Wabash train and of the suburban car were arrested. The list of dead follows: M. B. Bristol, 60 years old, Webster Grove, Mo.; Harry B. Culp, 60 years old, St. Louis; George W. Majors, aged 60, St. Louis county; McKinley, 12 years old, St. Louis; Mrs. John Merkley, Trenton, Ont.; Mrs. Sophia P. Aldrich, Indianapolis; John W. Wilson, Kirkwood, 70 years old.

THE BALL GAMES.

Tables Showing the Standing of Clubs in the Various Championship Contests.

The following table shows the number of games won and lost and the percentage of clubs of leading baseball organizations. National league:

Clubs	Won	Lost	Per cent.
New York	55	32	.726
Chicago	51	46	.697
Pittsburgh	47	47	.587
Cincinnati	47	50	.572
St. Louis	42	59	.512
Boston	43	56	.502
Brooklyn	41	76	.350
Detroit	37	86	.315
Philadelphia	34	84	.288
American league:			
New York	70	43	.621
Boston	71	45	.612
Philadelphia	63	47	.572
Chicago	67	51	.568
Cleveland	63	50	.558
Detroit	60	56	.518
St. Louis	46	68	.411
Washington	28	87	.243

Brothers Drowned. Chicago, Sept. 5.—Two children, brothers, Joseph and John Aldeksi, thirty-ninth street and Hermitage avenue, were drowned in the south branch of the river at Thirty-eighth street. Joseph, who was seven years old, fell from a dock, and John, aged nine, went to his assistance. The boys met death clasped in each other's arms. The bodies were recovered by the police.

Ran Behind Ticket. Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 7.—Late returns from the state election Monday show that while the unopposed democratic nominees for state officers received 95 per cent. of the total vote, the plurality for Gov. Davis (dem.) will be less than 40,000 and may drop to 30,000. The next legislature will stand: Senate, democrats, 24; republicans, 1. House, democrats, 95; republicans, 5.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

For the Week Ending Sept. 7.

James Archer, the portrait painter, is dead. He was born in 1822 and visited America professionally in 1884.

Perry Lundy and Mrs. Woods, of Lincoln, Ill., were struck by a train near Lawndale, Ill., and instantly killed.

The republicans of the Second Nebraska congressional district nominated John L. Kennedy, of Omaha, for congress.

George O. Travis, of Oklahoma City, enlisted in the army to gain \$130,000 left him by the will of his uncle, Col. Samuel Houston.

Railway mail clerks representing all parts of the United States opened their twenty-ninth annual convention in Faneuil hall, Boston.

Judge Parker has changed his mind in regard to his St. Louis trip and, in all probability, will not leave Rosemount again during the campaign.

The census of India for 1901, just completed, shows a total population of 117,459,193. The census takers were hampered by several odd tribes.

A Philadelphia youth, crazed by cigarettes, slashed his father and mother with a razor. He left a diary showing growth of the homicide mania.

Nathan A. Frye, for eight years treasurer of the Watertown (Mass.) savings bank, was arrested, charged with embezzling \$12,000 from the institution.

Capt. Viren, commander of the Russian cruiser Bayan, will replace Rear Admiral Prince Ouktomsky as commander of the Port Arthur squadron.

Prof. J. F. Blivins, head master of Trinity Park high school at Durham, N. C., was killed by a train near Durham while returning from his wedding trip.

The democrats of the Thirtieth Indiana congressional district nominated F. E. Herring for congress after he had twice declined to accept the nomination.

Joseph Woodberry Hole-in-the-Day, son of the distinguished Chippewa chieftain Hole-in-the-Day, of the Chippewa Nation of Minnesota, is dead, aged 45 years.

The democratic congressional conference of the Nineteenth Pennsylvania district nominated former Congressman Joseph E. Thropp, a republican of Bedford county.

John H. Diggle and Miss Mamie Johnson, of Stuttgart, and Mrs. Leta Vaselein, of Mullen, Idaho, were drowned in White river, near Clarenda, Ark., while boating in a gasoline launch.

Fire at the Griffin Lumber company's yards at Sandy Hill, N. Y., destroyed 1,500,000 feet of seasoned lumber, 2,000 tons of coal and several of the company's sheds. The loss will exceed \$50,000.

The Republic Iron & Steel company's East Chicago (Ind.) plant closed indefinitely without warning, throwing 1,500 men out of employment, and completing the shut-down in the Calumet region.

Congressman J. Fred C. Talbot, of Baltimore county, was renominated for congress by the democrats of the Second Maryland district. Talbot was decided upon on the two hundredth and twentieth ballot.

Henry Toler was burned to death at Anoka, Neb., while trying to rescue his wife from flames which enveloped her as the result of a kerosene explosion Tuesday. The woman was also fatally burned.

Gov. Odell, of New York, has set at rest all talk about himself as a candidate for governor to succeed himself by declaring that under no circumstances will he be a candidate and that he did not want the place.

The fourth of the stipulated \$500,000 semi-monthly payments to liquidate the government loan of \$4,600,000 has been made by the Louisiana Purchase Exposition company. The total amount refunded to date is \$2,408,149.19.

Gov. Dockery, of Missouri, has directed the sheriff and prosecuting authorities of St. Louis county to stop the bull fights, which, according to the management's announcement, are to be held daily hereafter until the close of the world's fair.

Eight hundred kegs of powder exploded Wednesday in the pressroom of the Laffin & Rand powder works, two miles east of Punxsutawney, Pa., instantly killing one man, seriously injuring three others and costing costly destruction of property.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Sept. 7.	
LIVE STOCK—Steers	\$5.50 @ 5.75
Hogs, Prime State	6.10 @ 6.25
SHEEP	5.80 @ 6.00
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents	2.90 @ 3.00
WHEAT—December	1.05 1/2 @ 1.06 1/2
May	1.04 1/2 @ 1.05 1/2
CORN—December	.57 1/2 @ .58
RYE—No. 2 Western	.69 @ .70
BUTTER	.12 @ .13
CHEESE	.19 1/2 @ .20
EGGS	.19 1/2 @ .20

CHICAGO.	
CATTLE—Prime Beef	\$5.50 @ 6.00
Fed Texas Steers	3.00 @ 3.10
Medium Beef Steers	3.75 @ 4.00
Good to Choice Steers	5.40 @ 5.75
Calves	2.75 @ 3.00
HOGS—Assorted Light	6.50 @ 6.75
Heavy Packing	4.50 @ 5.25
Heavy Mixed	5.15 @ 5.45
SHEEP	3.20 @ 3.40
BUTTER—Creamery	12 1/2 @ 13
Dairy	12 1/2 @ 13
EGGS—Fresh	14 1/2 @ 15
POTATOES—Per bu.	35 @ 40
MEAT—Pork—September	10.00 @ 11.00
LARD—September	6.75 @ 7.00
GRAIN—Wheat, September	1.02 1/2 @ 1.03 1/2
Corn, September	.52 1/2 @ .53 1/2
Oats, September	.31 1/2 @ .32 1/2
Barley, New Feed	.36 @ .37
Rye, September	.59 1/2 @ .60

MILWAUKEE.	
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Nor'n	\$1.14 @ 1.14 1/2
Corn, December	.51 1/2 @ .52
Oats, Standard	.33 @ .34
Rye, No. 1	.74 @ .75

KANSAS CITY.	
GRAIN—Wheat, September	\$1.04 @ 1.04 1/2
December	.99 1/2 @ 1.00
Oats, September	.47 1/2 @ .48
Oats, No. 2 White	.33 @ .34

ST. LOUIS.	
CATTLE—Beef Steers	\$5.50 @ 5.65
Texas Steers	3.00 @ 3.15
HOGS—Packers	5.20 @ 5.35
Butchers, Best Heavy	5.50 @ 5.75
SHEEP—Natives	3.50 @ 3.60

OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Native Steers	\$5.75 @ 5.90
Stockers and Feeders	2.50 @ 2.75
Cows and Heifers	2.00 @ 2.25
HOGS—Heavy	5.10 @ 5.30
SHEEP—Wethers	3.40 @ 3.75

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W. J. KENNA, Attorney at Law, collector of taxes, promptly attended to. Office over State Bank.
W. J. KENNA, Attorney and Collector at Law, Real Estate and Collection Office, Post's Block.
W. J. KENNA, P. H., Attorney, Real Estate and Insurance, Office, McBride Block.
Banks.
FIRST STATE BANK, Commercial and Savings Dept., G. J. Wickham, President; J. W. Kenna, Vice-president; G. W. McKim, Cashier; J. L. Laiden, Asst. Cashier. Capital Stock \$50,000.
HOLLAND CITY STATE BANK, Commercial and Savings Dept., J. B. K. Van Buren, Pres.; G. Ver Schure, Cash. Capital Stock \$50,000.
Dry Goods and Groceries.
GOT & KRAMER, Dealers in Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., eighth street.
W. J. PUTTEN, GABRIEL, General Dealer in Dry Goods, Groceries, Crockery, Hats and Caps, Flour, Produce, etc., River street.
Physicians.
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W. J. KENNA, H., Druggist and Pharmacist, full stock of goods partialing to the business, Drug Store, Eighth street.
Manufactories, Shops, Etc.
W. J. KENNA, J., Waggon and Carriage Man, factory and Blacksmith and Repair Shop, Dealer in Agricultural Implements, River street.
W. J. KENNA, A., Practical Machinist, M. and Engine Repairs a specialty. Shop on Seventh street, near River.
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W. J. KENNA, & DE KOSTER, Dealers in all kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats, Market on River street.
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W. J. KENNA, J. O., Dealer in Drugs and Medicines, Paints and Oils, Toilet Articles, Imported and Domestic Cigars, Eighth street.

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Butter, per lb.	15
Eggs, per doz.	18
Dried Apples, per lb.	15
Potatoes, per bu.	45
Beans, hand picked, per bu.	80
Onions	85

GRAIN.	
Wheat, per bu.	1.08
Oats, per bu., white	.32 1/2
Rye	.60
Buckwheat, per bu.	.60
Corn per bush, new, or old	.64
Barley per 100	1.00
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.	.08
Spring Chickens live	.10
Tallow, per lb.	.10
Lard	.08
Beef, dressed per lb.	.10
Pork, dressed per lb.	.10
Mutton, dressed per lb.	.10
Veal, per lb.	.10
Lamb	.10
Turkey's Live	.10

FLOUR AND FEED.	
Hay	per 100, 0.90
Flour "Sunlight," patent per barrel	6.80
Flour "Daisy," straight, per barrel	6.40
Ground Feed 1 1/2 per hundred, 25.00 per ton	
Corn Meal, unbolled, 1 1/2 per hundred, 25.00 per ton	
Corn Meal, bolled per 3 1/2 barrel	
Middlings 1 1/2 per hundred 24.00 per ton	
Brans 1 1/2 per hundred, 21.00 per ton	
Linseed Meal 21.45—22.25 per hundred.	

HIDES.	
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No tanned hide	104
No 1 green hide	84

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RUSSIAN ARMY IS NEARING MUKDEN

**BULK OF CZAR'S FORCES TAKING
UP POSITIONS AROUND
THE CITY.**

**CRITICAL STAGE IS
REGARDED AS PASSED**

**No Further Danger of Being Cut Off
by Japs—St. Petersburg Newspa-
pers More Cheerful—Tokio Silent
Regarding Operations.**

The St. Petersburg authorities Wednesday expressed themselves as confident that the critical stage of the Russian retreat is past and that Kuropatkin is no longer in danger of losing any part of his forces to the pursuing Japanese. It is also given out in St. Petersburg that the bulk of Kuropatkin's army is now near Mukden, where it is taking up prepared positions, but a dispatch from Mukden, filed Tuesday, says that the main Russian army was then pushing northward and evacuating Mukden. While details of the situation are lacking, dispatches indicate that the Japanese are still harassing the Russian rear. Gen. Kuropatkin is now at Mukden. Tokio preserves an absolute silence regarding the operations of Wednesday and Tuesday.

Critical Stage Passed.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 7.—The bulk of the Russian Manchurian army is near Mukden, where, it now appears, Gen. Kuropatkin has been since Monday. His troops, it is understood, are not entering the city, but are taking up prepared positions around Mukden. While there is no specific information on this point, the general staff believes that only a small rear guard is in the neighborhood of Yental. No further fighting of importance is expected south of Mukden. The critical stage is regarded as having passed, and the announcement was made Wednesday afternoon that the war office will no longer give out two bulletins each day.

Constant Rear-Guard Fighting.

From the latest advices received by the war office the authorities now believe that the danger of Field Marshal Oyama cutting off Gen. Kuropatkin has practically passed. According to their calculation the whole Russian army should reach Mukden Thursday night. Gens. Kuroki and Kuropatkin have been marching northward along parallel lines, both armies being greatly hampered by heavy roads, the Japanese in a rough region and the Russians along a flat country, but embarrassed by the high Chinese corn, which prevented marching on the side of the main roads. No difficulty is being experienced at the Hun river, a few miles south of Mukden, where bridges had been provided for crossing the stream. There has been constant fighting at the Russian rear and along the eastern wing, but so far as known by the war office nothing of importance has occurred since the retreat began.

Officials Reticent.

The general staff naturally is reticent about Kuropatkin's plans, especially whether he intends to stop at Mukden. His decision probably will depend on the intentions of the Japanese. Contingent preparations will probably be made to evacuate Mukden, and there is considerable evidence that Kuropatkin, if compelled to go north will make a stand at Tieling, where the Russians wintered last year. At this point there is a narrow defile, with the Liao river on one side and mountains running almost down to the railroad on the other. Steps are being taken to guard against a possible attempt to cut the line there.

The report that the sailing of the Baltic squadron had been postponed until November is officially denied, as also is the report that several of the ships composing it developed defects. The squadron will sail for Libau Sunday. Exactly when it will sail thence is not known.

Although the report that Rear Admiral Ouktomsky, in command of the Russian fleet at Port Arthur, is to be court-martialed is untrue, the admiralty has decided to recall him, probably placing Capt. Wren, of the armored cruiser Bayan, in command. It has been realized all along that Ouktomsky lacked the requisites of a commander of a fleet under such difficulties, but owing to the impossibility of sending a flag officer to Port Arthur he was allowed to remain in command. The admiralty is greatly dissatisfied with his action in returning to Port Arthur August 10, in the face of the order of the late Admiral Witthoff not to do so, and this led to the decision to supplant him.

Newspapers More Cheerful.

As the Russian newspapers begin to realize more fully the catastrophe which Gen. Kuropatkin avoided at Liaoyang and the skillful manner in which he upset Field Marshal Oyama's plan to surround the Russian army, they take a more cheerful view of the result and are beginning to bestow upon Kuropatkin great praise. It is now apparent that Oyama's purpose by pressing the Russian positions in front of Liaoyang was to hold Kuropatkin's attention while the Japanese right wing was thrust around the Russian rear to block the Russian line of retreat. But Kuropatkin, at its very inception, had his eyes upon this flanking movement and countered by early withdrawal of his main army to the right bank of the Taitse river, changing his front to meet and

hold Gen. Kuroki in check while Gen. Zaroubaleff's corps, at Liaoyang, crossed, burning the bridges behind him and placing the river between him and Gen. Oku. Both the Russian and Japanese accounts seem to agree in saying that until the withdrawal of the main Russian army from Liaoyang began, Kuropatkin had beaten off the Japanese assaults in front of Liaoyang and that the Russian commander in chief's first movement against Kuroki was also measurably successful.

No further details of the losses suffered by the Russians during the ten days' fighting have been received. How long the roll of casualties ultimately will be can be estimated by the official report of the number of officers killed or wounded between August 26 and August 31 in a single division. This division, that of Gen. Kondratsvitch, which is under Gen. Zaroubaleff, and which formed part of the Russian right, below Liaoyang, lost 12 officers killed, 35 wounded and one missing.

Japs Celebrate Victory.

Tokio, Sept. 7.—The general staff has not yet made public any details of the battle of Liaoyang. The people are still celebrating the victory, but there is considerable speculation over the official silence regarding Gen. Kuroki's movements since Sunday. It is reported that the Japanese, notwithstanding the ravages of fire, captured vast accumulations of Russian stores and ammunition at Liaoyang. The report that Lieut. Teraouchi, son of Lieut. Gen. Teraouchi, minister of war, was killed in the fighting before Liaoyang is denied Wednesday.

No Stop at Mukden.

Mukden, Sept. 6 (delayed in transmission).—Part of the Russian army, which is coming to Mukden by wagon road, is in danger of being cut off. All day and night Monday the Japanese in the hills on the east road shelled the Russian troops. In one instance the Japanese infantry attacked a large force of Russian infantry and artillery which had taken to the hills, running parallel to the Japanese, in protecting the flank of the retreating army. Troops, guns and transport are pouring into Mukden by train and road. Considerable transport was left behind. The roads are in a frightful state, owing to heavy rain Monday. The main Russian army pushing northward is evacuating Mukden.

THOUSANDS DEAD OR DYING

**American Consul at Harput Makes a
Report—Armenians Expect
Another Massacre.**

Washington, Sept. 7.—The American consul at Harput has reported to the state department that he has visited Bitlis and is now in Moush. He says that the governor general of the latter province paid him a visit on his arrival and offered him an escort to visit the Sassun mountains if he desired.

The consul states that the district of Sassun is tranquil and pacified and the strategic points are garrisoned by infantry detachments and permanent barracks erected. The survivors of the massacre are in a destitute condition, but are attempting to rebuild their burned villages with a little government aid. The consular corps at Bitlis estimates the number of massacred and dead from exposure and hunger, etc., as 3,500. The American colony at Bitlis appears to be in no present or prospective danger.

In the Moush district insurgents have adopted a guerrilla form of warfare, ambuscading troops and bodies of Kurds. They demand certain reforms which concern chiefly matters of local administration and economic questions not involving the integrity of the empire. A number of villages have been plundered and burned and many persons killed and maltreated, and another massacre is daily expected by the Armenian population, which is in destitute circumstances. About 15,000 have lost everything and are starving, many being ill and wounded. Small contributions toward their relief have been received through the American board of commissioners for foreign missions at Bitlis, but much more is urgently needed, the conditions being similar to those in Macedonia last year.

Plans Are Approved.

Washington, Sept. 7.—The board of construction has finally approved the plans and specifications for the armored cruisers North Carolina and Montana and the battleship New Hampshire, which were authorized by the last congress, and as soon as they have been approved by Secretary Morton they will be published. The armored cruisers, save in their interior arrangements, follow closely the lines of the Tennessee class and the New Hampshire the Louisiana class.

Settlement Threatened by Fire.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 7.—A forest fire of threatening proportions is burning in the timber within one mile of Holbrook Station, a settlement on the Northern Pacific railroad, 14 miles north of Portland. The residents of the place have been fighting the fire since Monday morning, but the flames have not been checked.

Odell Won't Run.

New York, Sept. 7.—Gov. Odell on Tuesday set at rest all talk about himself as a candidate for governor by succeeding himself by declaring during a conference of state leaders that under no circumstances would he be a candidate and that he did not want the place.

Eleven Lives Lost.

St. John, N. F., Sept. 7.—The mail boat Virginia Lake, from Northern Labrador, reports that the seaboard was swept by a fierce gale two weeks ago. Much damage was done to fishery property along the coast and five schooners were driven ashore, resulting in the loss of 11 lives.

LOOPING THE LOOP IN MANCHURIA.



CONTINUANCE OF STRUGGLE FAVORED

**THE STRIKING STOCKYARDS EM-
PLOYEES AT CHICAGO REFUSE
TO CALL OFF FIGHT.**

**ANOTHER BALLOT IS
ORDERED BY LEADERS**

**Result of First Vote Is Kept Secret—
Other Cities Favor Immediate End-
ing of Strike—Chief Barrier to a
Settlement.**

Chicago, Sept. 7.—Contrary to expectations, the peace plans for the ending of the meat strike were rejected Tuesday, but so few of the men voted that those who favor bringing the struggle to an end may demand another ballot. If this is refused a big break is likely to occur.

Under instructions from the allied trades conference board the Cattle Butchers' union at noon Wednesday began a second vote to decide whether the stockyards strike should be continued or ended at once. Other unions also were told to take a second vote. This followed a report that the vote taken Tuesday was not representative because only 20 per cent. of the strikers had cast ballots. Up to the time the cattle butchers had been instructed to take a second ballot the conference board had not announced definitely the result of the previous vote. The cattle butchers, however, it was said, had voted 1,035 for continuing the strike and 24 for peace.

Figures a Secret.

The counting of the ballots was completed at 12:15 p. m., but the leaders of the allied trades declared the result would not be announced till the meeting of the conference board had ended. This was construed to mean that the strike leaders will try to obtain another conference with the packers in the hope that some argument may be found that will induce the strikers to vote to return to work.

As the conference board was created since the strike and is not bound by a constitution, the members have it within their power to decide whether a one-fourth, a one-half or a two-thirds vote is necessary for a decision.

Count in Other Cities.

According to dispatches results of voting in other cities were: Sioux City—to return, majority of 28. Omaha—No figures. East St. Louis—to return, 1,760 to 511. St. Joseph—Favorable to return. New York—Voted to return. Kansas City—Vote to continue strike.

Stand by Unskilled Men.

The absence of any provision for the unskilled workmen in the terms agreed to between President Donnelly and the packers is said to be the chief barrier to a settlement. The skilled men have no fear but that they will promptly be able to regain their old positions with the concessions they are after, but they assert they would be betraying the cause for which they have fought so long should they consent to leave the unskilled men out of consideration.

The general belief is that the controversy could be quickly settled if some satisfactory arrangement could be made whereby the unskilled men are recognized.

A prominent labor leader declared a concession on this point by the packers would bring the strike to a speedy end.

Two Killed in Wreck.

Montivideo, Minn., Sept. 7.—A west-bound passenger train on the Great Northern collided with a light engine on the main track here Wednesday. Dan Fillmore, one of the engine crew, and a tramp who was stealing a ride were killed. Both engines were demolished.

Treaty Ratified.

Washington, Sept. 7.—American Minister Squiltes at Havana has cabled the state department that the Cuban senate has ratified the treaty of extradition recently concluded between this country and Cuba.

TRAIN TAKES FATAL PLUNGE

**DISASTER ON WABASH ROAD
NEAR PENDLETON, MO.**

**Cars Plunge Down Steep Embank-
ment—Six Persons Killed and
Many Injured.**

Moberly, Mo., Sept. 7.—The south-bound Wabash passenger train which left Des Moines for St. Louis at 6:40 a. m. was wrecked Tuesday near Pendleton, Mo., killing eight passengers and injuring more than 50 others. The dead are: J. E. Nichols, Macon, Mo.; Mrs. Henry Fochett, Huntington, Pa.; Mrs. G. H. Graves, La Plata, Mo.; Miss Edna Patterson, La Plata, Mo.; Miss Edna Hibler, Macon, Mo.; lady whose name has not been obtained, but who has been identified.

Immediately upon receipt of the news of the wreck a relief train was sent out and the dead and more seriously injured were brought back here. The train, which was composed of an engine, baggage and smoking cars, day coach, dinner and Pullman sleeper, was well filled, it being estimated by Wabash officials that there were about 500 persons on board. The train was running at its scheduled speed when the accident occurred. The day coach left the track, and breaking loose from the baggage and smoking cars, plunged down an embankment, dragging the diner with it. The Pullman did not leave the track. The heavy dining car crashed on top of the coach, and the majority of those killed and injured were passengers in the latter. There was no one in the dining car, it is stated, except the employees, who escaped with injuries.

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**Prince Sviatopolk Mirsky Is Appoint-
ed Minister of Interior by
the Czar.**

St. Petersburg, Sept. 7.—It is stated on high authority that Prince Sviatopolk Mirsky has been selected to succeed the late M. von Plehve as minister of the interior.

The emperor summoned Prince Sviatopolk Mirsky, who is now governor general of Vilna, and had a long interview with him at Peterhof Wednesday.

The prince is a military officer of the rank of general. Formerly he was governor of Penza and Ekaterinoslav and occupied the post of chief of the general staff and assistant minister of the interior under the late M. Siplaguine. He is 47 years of age and is considered an able man. He has not been identified with harsh measures and his appointment probably will be hailed as the inauguration of a mild regime.

Woman Shot by Wronged Wife.

Sioux City, Ia., Sept. 7.—Mrs. Grace Butch shot and fatally wounded Mrs. Mayme Heddington, whom the former found with her divorced husband in rooms in the Stevens' block. The bullet passed through Mrs. Heddington's face and lodged in the base of her skull. Mrs. Butch is under arrest.

Noted Indian Fighter Dead.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 7.—Maj. Henry Seton, of New York, a veteran of the United States army in the civil and Spanish-American wars, a noted Indian fighter with Gen. Crook, a brother of Archbishop Seton, of Rome, and a grandson of Mother Elizabeth Ann Bailey Seton, founder of the Sisters of Charity in the United States, is dead.

Two Thousand Die in Battle.

Buenos Ayres, Argentina, Sept. 7.—Two thousand men were killed and 4,000 wounded in a battle lasting three days between the Uruguayan government forces and the revolutionists. Gen. Vazquez, minister of war, who led the government troops, was defeated and has retreated, abandoning arms and munitions.

Return to Full Time.

Altoona, Pa., Sept. 7.—The extensive Pennsylvania railroad shops here were Wednesday ordered on full time of 55 hours a week. Fifteen thousand persons are benefited by the order.

Nominated for Congress.

Sheboygan, Wis., Sept. 7.—Roy L. Morse, of Fond du Lac, has been nominated for congress by the Sixth district republican convention.

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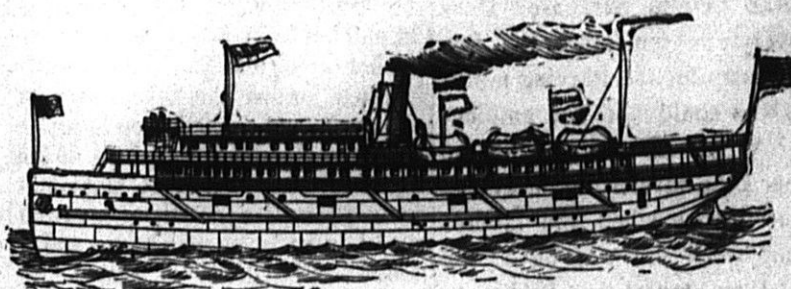
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Remember.
Speaking of hard times we have only to go back to the Cleveland administration. The tariff smashing bill knocked business skyward. Mills closed. Only a portion of the people found employment. Prices went down. Of course they did, for who was there to purchase? Does not every one remember the free soup houses for the starving multitudes who could not get employment? What was the use of the butcher shop advertising meats at a reduced price when the laborer without work did not have the price? It was tantalizing for him to be told that he could purchase a loaf of bread for a cent or two less than in good times, for in good times he would have had five cents in his pocket to pay for a loaf, but now if the bread were selling for a penny he could not procure it. That is what the workingman must understand. If they are all at work at a fair wage they have the price of bread and meat in their pockets, and if the price is higher than in troublesome times they should remember that it is the farmer who is prospering with them, and the farm and the mill are necessary to each other if there is to be general prosperity.—Lawrence (Mass.) "American."

Woodbury An Ideal Candidate For Sheriff.
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Big Republican Victory In Vermont Foretells Great Victory In November.
The Vermont barometer reads fair weather for Republicans. Tuesday's state election, resulted in a plurality of 33,000 for Charles J. Bell, Republican candidate for governor over Eli H. Porter, Democrat.
Variations above and below the 25,000 Republican plurality mark in the September elections preceding presidential contests in the Green Mountain State have for more than a score of years been taken as auguries of the national battle, and the eyes of the country have awaited anxiously the forecasts from the political weather station at White River Junction.
Going back a score of years, the Republican pluralities in Vermont have been in excess of 25,000 three times and in each of the years that those pluralities have prevailed a majority of Republican presidential electors have been chosen by the voters in the succeeding November. In 1884 and 1892 the Republican pluralities in September were below the 25,000 mark, and a Democratic President was inaugurated on the 4th of March of the following year each time.
Even back of 1884 the Vermont state elections have indicated national results, but the nation at large had not then begun to take notice of politico-meteorological conditions.
The state senate will be solidly Republican, the Democrats losing their present five seats, and in the house the Democrats lose about ten representatives.
There were four tickets in the field—Republican, Democratic, Prohibitionist and Socialist. The party leaders say that the labor vote went for Bell. This is taken to be a tribute to Roosevelt rather than to Bell, as the latter is not especially strong in that quarter.
The news from Vermont added to the news from Arkansas to the effect that Governor Jeff Davis, successful democratic candidate for governor, did not run this year within 25,000 votes as well as he did two years ago does not augur well for the democratic chances next November.

Pagelson, Republican Nominee, States Stand on Saloon
Self-explanatory is the following correspondence between C. VanLoo, one of Zeeland's most energetic and foremost citizens, and Dan F. Pagelson, republican candidate for prosecuting attorney of Ottawa county: Zeeland, Mich., Sept. 3, 1904.
Dan F. Pagelson, Esq.,
Dear Sir:
At Grand Haven, on the day of the Convention, it was reported to us, and has been persistently reiterated here since that you are favorably inclined toward the saloon interest and could not be relied upon to prosecute vigorously offenders of the liquor laws of our state. A statement from yourself upon that question would very much oblige me and, I doubt not, hundreds of other voters in the county, who are interested in sobriety and good order.
Will you please favor us with such a statement.
Yours truly,
(Signed) C. VAN LOO.
Grand Haven, Mich., Sept. 5, 1904
Hon. C. VanLoo, Zeeland, Mich.
My dear Mr. VanLoo:
I am in receipt of your favor under date Sept. 3rd, requesting a statement from me as to my position on the enforcement of the liquor laws of this state, in which you and hundreds of other voters of this county are interested.
When I was nominated, I stated in open convention that I would do my duty as I found it. I meant that statement then and I mean it now.
I am in no way under even the slightest obligation for my nomination to the "saloon element," in fact, several retail liquor dealers in this county sought to block the same. I owe the "saloon element" nothing.
If any violation of the liquor laws are reported to me after my election and on investigation it appears to me that a violation of the law has taken place, I shall do what I can to punish the offender.
The laws of the State of Michigan permit the selling of intoxicating liquors, and the sale of the same in the hours prescribed and to the persons prescribed, and under the conditions laid down is legal. I shall in no manner interfere with a legal business. As soon, however, as it is made to appear to me that the law has been violated, just so soon that violator will be punished, if it is in my power to secure a conviction.
I am pleased to note that you have asked me this question, as the report has already reached me from Zeeland that such derogatory reports were being circulated. I hope I have made myself clear on the subject.
In order that all people may know just how I stand on this subject, I hope you will have this letter published in your Zeeland paper and will grant me permission to have your letter, together with a copy of this

letter published in the Holland City News and the Grand Haven Courier Journal.
Thanking you for your interest in this matter, and thanking you and your good friends in Zeeland in advance for their earnest support of my candidacy this fall, I have the pleasure of remaining, my dear Sir,
Very respectfully,
DAN F. PAGELSON.
Death of Ralph Veneklasen.
The death of Ralph Veneklasen, one of Zeeland's most prominent men, occurred last Saturday at the age of 48 years. His health had not been of the best for some years but he did not relinquish his grasp on business affairs until the illness assumed serious form several weeks ago.
Mr. Veneklasen was born on a farm near Zeeland and his entire life was passed in that vicinity. Not only was he a leading factor in the business development and prosperity of Zeeland but he was interested in Holland enterprises, being president of the Holland Sugar company and a member of the board of directors of the Holland City State bank and the Holland Furniture company. His principal holding in Zeeland was the Zeeland Brick company in which he was interested in connection with his five brothers, John Albertus, Henry, Peter and Gerrit. He was secretary and treasurer of this company and was interested in the Valley City Brick company of Grand Rapids.
He is survived by his wife and six children, Mrs. H. Sluyter of Berne, N. Y., the Misses Mae, Jennie and Nellie, and Bernard and James, living at home.
The funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon and were attended by a number from this city.
The officiating clergyman at the house was Rev. James F. Zwemer and the services at the church were conducted by Dr. J. W. Beardslee and Rev. G. J. DeJonge. Henry Bouwens and the five brothers of the deceased were the pall bearers. Officers of the Holland Sugar company, the Holland City State bank and the Holland Furniture Company attended the funeral in a body.

McKinley Wins Race in Grand Style
Again has McKinley, H. Boone, sr.'s great trotter proved his gameness and added laurels to his racing record. At Providence, R. I. last Friday he won the 2:06 trot of the grand circuit and equaled the trotting race record of the year. 2:06 1/4 made by Sweet Marie. The purse was \$1,500. A despatch from Providence tells of the race as follows:
There was more record breaking work at Narragansett park today, when the Michigan gelding McKinley, and the Kentucky mare Fereno between them put up the fastest three heats trotted this season, the time of the miles being 2:07 1/4, 2:06 1/4 and 2:07 1/4, with McKinley the winner.
It was not, however, until young Boone, son of the owner of the horse, had, at his own request been supplanted in the sulky by Alta McDonald that victory came to the western horse. In the opening mile Fereno, who was favorite over the field at odds of 2 to 1, went away and took the track at once, as the word was given, with McKinley going bad gaited and not at speed. Fereno made her own pace, stepping the quarter in 31 3/4, the half in 1:04 1/4 and the three quarters in 1:36 1/4, with Hawthorne in second place all the way and McKinley a close third after the half was passed.
When McDonald was put up for the second heat he took McKinley away at a great pace, but could never overtake Fereno until the final eighth. The fight down the home stretch between the pair set the crowd to cheering, and it was not until the last stride that McKinley, who was on the outside, managed to beat the mare. When the time 2:06 1/4, the fastest trotting heat of the year in a race was announced, there was more cheering. In the third heat McDonald kept at McKinley all the way, but Fereno hung to him, and the pair trotted as a team three quarters of the mile. Half way down the home stretch it was plain that the gelding was winning, and he was first home by an open length in 2:07 1/4. Hawthorne was a good third in each of these miles and Wentworth last all the time.

Common Council.
At Wednesday nights meeting of the common council the committee on streets and crosswalks reported recommending the opening up of part of 23rd street East of College avenue, and that the quit claim deed of necessary property be ordered recorded.
Adopted.
The committee on streets and crosswalks reported recommending that Cherry street be surveyed.

Adopted.
The committee on streets and crosswalks reported that the street commissioner was removing noxious weeds from the streets of the city and that the use of Thistle-line in this city is not advisable.
Report accepted.
The committee on fire department reported relative to filling vacancy in Eagle Hose Co., No. 1.
Referred back to the committee, the hose company and the chief.
The committee on fire department reported on matter of using second floor on engine house No. 2.
By Ald. Nies,
Resolved, that the front room of second story of engine house No. 2 be set apart for sleeping rooms for the firemen. Lost.
The matter was referred back to the committee on fire department.
On motion of Ald. Kerkhof,
The matter of making street sprinkling assessment rolls was referred to the committee on streets and crosswalks and the supervisors.
On motion of Ald. Kerkhof,
The mayor and clerk were instructed to make a temporary loan of \$3000.00.
On motion of Ald. Nies,
The mayor and clerk were instructed to negotiate the sale of the 16th street Nos. 1 and 2 and 14th street sewer bonds.
On motion of Ald. Kerkhof,
The committee on streets and crosswalks were instructed to investigate the advisability of laying larger walks across Central avenue near Graves Place.
The annual appropriation bill carrying an aggregate of \$66,863 was passed.
The following figures show the appropriations for 1904:
Gen. fund.....\$9,500
Fire department.....5,000
Poor.....4,000
Park.....2,000
Library.....1,200
Water.....10,650
Light.....3,000
Fire alarm.....300
Sewer.....1,500
Interest and sinking.....7,713
Schools.....22,000
\$66,863

Rutgers & Tien's Store at Graafschap Burglarized
Burglars broke into Rutgers Tien's general store in Graafschap last Wednesday night forced entrance to the safe and took therefrom \$20 cash and \$50 in postage stamps.
Entrance was gained by breaking a panel in the front door and then unlocking the door from the inside. A hole was bored in the first safe door, which was opened. Entrance to the inner vault was not gained or the burglars would have made a bigger haul.
The burglary must have been perpetrated after twelve o'clock at night for people in that vicinity were awake until midnight and did not hear any disturbance.
It is thought that there were three men in the gang, as three suspicious looking characters were seen in the vicinity of Graafschap Wednesday, and footprints Thursday morning indicated the presence of three in the vicinity of the store.

The Democratic County Ticket
The following ticket was named by the Democratic county committee at Grand Haven yesterday afternoon:
Judge of Probate—Johannes G. Dykema, Holland.
Sheriff—Fred Kamferbeek, Holland.
Clerk—John F. Wilds, Wright.
Register of Deeds—Wm. H. Pellegron, Grand Haven.
Treasurer—Gerrit J. Veldmen, Blendon.
Prosecuting Attorney—Peter J. Danhof, Grand Haven.
Court Commissioners—Wm. N. Angell, Grand Haven; Wm. O. Van Eyck, Holland.
Coroners—Dr. J. S. Walling, Coopersville; Dr. Edward D. Kremers, Holland.
Surveyor—Gerrit J. Hesselink, Holland town.
Representative, 1st Dist.—Dr. John W. Vanden Berg, New Holland.
Representative, 2nd Dist.—W. W. Dickerson, Talmadge.

Hans Dykhuis Thanks Friends.
Hans Dykhuis wishes to thank the friends who stood by him at the republican county convention. Their determined struggle for his nomination is greatly appreciated and he desires to assure them that he shall not forget their favors.
Marriage Licenses.
Labon Purchase, 47, Olive; Alice Burch, 30, Fennville.
Fred W. Hoffman, 39, Appleton, Wis.; Anna M. Krueger, 23, Appleton, Wis.
George W. Long, 35, Madison, Wis.; Edith H. Allen, 31, Madison, Wis.
Real Estate Transfers
John J. Rutgers, Register of Deeds Tienon Slagh and wife to Henry Gruen-good pt of lot 5 blk A Holland.....\$7

General Items
A. O. Heine, candidate for state senator from the Twenty-fourth Michigan district, including Midland and Bay counties, is in receipt of a letter from a Gibson township, Bay county, farmer, promising him the votes of 17 relatives, besides some other votes, if he will agree to work against the tax on mortgages. The writer owns 74 acres clear, but has a mortgage of \$400 at 7 per cent on another 40 acres. He says that he must pay taxes on this 40, and also the interest every three months. This he finds a burden. He says: "We farmers borrow money to raise our crops, giving mortgages on our farms, and then have to pay taxes on the property and the mortgage, too. I have five sons, all voters, three sons-in-law, all voters; a sister with three voting, all of whom live in Gibson; a brother who is a Democrat, and a sister's husband, who is also a Democrat, but all will vote for you and Fred Warner if you will only agree to smash that pesky mortgage tax business."
They certainly do strange things in Kansas City. Not long ago it was declared to be a misdemeanor for three persons to ride in a single-seated buggy, the authorities evidently not believing in crowds. Now one of the worthy aldermen is endeavoring to have the council pass an ordinance ordering that the theaters have a ten-minute intermission every hour. "I understand that some of these shows run two and three hours without a break," declared the alderman at a meeting of the council. "That's a terrible long time to ask a man to sit still. It gives him cramps in his legs and it is not healthy to sit in one room so long. It would be humane to give the men a chance to get out once an hour, and I move you, sir, that we require a ten-minute intermission at least in every hour." Incidentally it might be added that the aforesaid alderman owns and operates several saloons in the vicinity of the theaters.—Des Moines Register and Leader.
A young man who lives in Minneapolis has beaten the girls of the northwest at their own game. He has taken the first prize at the fair for "fancy work," a term which includes all kinds of tidies and doilies and centerpieces and pin-cushions and embroidery and every other kind of dainty work with the needle.
Ravenna, Muskegon county, has an up-to-date rural mail carrier. George W. Eason, carrier of route No. 1, made his delivery in his new automobile one day last week. On account of the heavy shower the evening before the roads were not in the best of condition but Eason got along so well he will continue to use his horseless vehicle on his rounds.

Would Grow Fruit Trees on Highway
A Chicago man sojourning near the village of Hartford has a scheme under way to beautify the highways by planting fruit trees along the road and sharing the profits of the crops with the farmers. He will furnish the trees for planting and the farmers are to care for them. He only asks that a sufficient portion of the fruit be given him to pay for the investment and interest thereon.
He says the plan has been satisfactorily followed in Europe and he wants the Hartford district to be the first to adopt this plan in this section.
He argues for his plan that no more appropriate decoration could be given our highways than a fringe of fruit trees systematically set out and well cared for. The plan is meeting with some favor.

A Boy's Wild Ride for Life
With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, coughs and colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma; but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and Grip prove its matchless merit for all Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles 10c at W. C. Walsh's drug store.
Annie—Better doctor your health before applying beautifying remedies. Rid yourself of constipation, indigestion, with Rocky Mountain Tea, and you'll have a beautiful complexion. 35 cents. Haan Bros.

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.
Hope College Students—Board And Rooms Needed.
Any one wishing to let room or to furnish board to students will please communicate with Prof. Henry Boers, 124 West 12th street.
Please state Location, price, young men or young women preferred, whether room or table board can be furnished, or both.
If any desire to have some chores done by young men, or some housework, by young women, in part payment of their board, they can be accommodated, as a number of students have already applied for such opportunity.
G. J. KOLLEN.
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.
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 5th day of August, A. D. 1904. Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of George 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.
It is ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three consecutive 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.
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.

DREAM WORLD.

The wind is heavy
With dew, and the red
Of the rose is beside me;
And up overhead
The sky is a sapphire,
A deep vault and blue,
With never a sign
Of where stars glimmer through
When the night wraps the world; all the
earth and the sea,
And the rose and the sky—it was all made
for me.

And forget-me-nots hide
In the grass 'gainst the breast
Of the earth in my path,
Like the blossoms that rest
On the breast of a maid;
Each wee bloom softly lies
Just as pure and as sweet
As the look in her eyes;
And it's mine, where forget-me-nots nestle
and hide,
All the world it is mine; it is mine far and
wide!

It is mine where the birds
Of the day shrill their tune;
It is mine where the birds
Of the night softly croon;
And no king on his throne
Such a treasure has had,
And no heart in the breast
Of a king is as glad
As my heart is in me as I walk by the
sea,
And breathe the perfume of a world made
for me.

—J. M. Lewis, in Houston Post.

The Wallace Mill Affair

By FRANK H. SWEET

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THE owner has a right to pay whatever wages he may please for his own interests," flashed the girl, her voice clear and strong, and a little indignant. "The property is his and he can do as he likes with it—even to shutting the mill down, if it should seem best. The employees have absolutely nothing to do with the matter. Their option is to leave work if the pay does not suit."

"And I say the employer has no such right," returned the man, steadily. "There should be more than self-interest in his relationship with the workmen. In our own mill here, for instance, fully one-half the employees are from a distance, attracted by the mill's reputation for generous wages. Some are all the way from Ireland, brought here through letters from their friends. It is not right for the owner to cut 20 per cent, as is contemplated, without stronger reason than the mere increase of profit. From my position in the mill I happen to know the firm is making as good profit now as it has for years. What right has it to make this reduction?"

"The right of any business to add to its profits in a legitimate way," answered the girl, coldly. "Other mills through the country are cutting wages; why should this try to maintain its generous standard to the owner's loss. The new superintendent is a practical man, who is working for the owner's interest."

"If only I could get to that owner," cried the man, impetuously, "so I could lay the case before him. But he acts through his attorneys, and they through the superintendent, and he—well, he is a machine without a heart. If—but I beg your pardon, Miss Esten," breaking off suddenly, "I ought not to talk about this matter with you, so long as we disagree. I wish I could make you see it as I do. I—I have been hoping of late—that—"

He hesitated awkwardly and stopped. But the girl was looking at him comprehendingly, a slight change coming to her face.

"I forced the topic, I believe, Mr. Blaisdell," she said, more gently. "It is better for even friends to know each other's views. I wish, however, with a trace of irony in her voice, "that I could make you see this as I do."

The both laughed, but with more constraint than usual. Several mill girls were coming down the canal path, and they walked on to the lower gate and then stood aside to let the girls pass. In another few minutes the bell would ring.

This canal path, with its overarching elm branches, had become a favorite walk of Miss Esten's, and the young designer had got in the habit of joining her. They had many tastes in common, which they discussed with increasing friendliness, and with something warmer gradually coming into Blaisdell's manner. Miss Esten was different from the other mill girls, was more educated and refined, and sometimes he wondered what straits had reduced her to working for a living; but whatever it was he blessed the cause that had brought her to this mill. Now, as the clanging bell broke the air he looked at her with sudden determination and longing.

"I can't have you go away from me with that look in your eyes, Miss Esten—Louise," he cried, impetuously. "I couldn't bear to know you were thinking ill of me for even an hour. We are too good friends to disagree—no," sharply, "I mean more than that. We are not just friends. I would do anything in the world for you—everything, except what I felt was not right. And this proposed strike is right, and the help look for me to lead them. It is not for myself, but for them. Oh, Louise, don't you understand this, and that I love—"

He stopped suddenly, for she had shrunk back, her hands upraised protesting, her face startled.

"Please don't, Mr. Blaisdell," she gasped. "Indeed I would rather not hear. And you must excuse me now. It's time I were in the mill."

He watched her with set face as she hurried away; then he turned and walked toward the office.

The superintendent passed out as he was entering, then turned.

"Oh, I say, Blaisdell," he called, disagreeably; "I have just received a letter from the mill agents. The reduction will go into effect on the first, just as announced."

"Then the help will leave work on the first, just as they have warned," the designer answered, calmly. "There will scarcely be an exception."

"That's all right," curtly. "We are already advertising for more help at lower wages. I fancy we will be able to bear the strain as well as you."

When the mill shut down that evening it was raining hard. Blaisdell joined the hurrying line that was surging from the mill, bending his head to the storm like the others. At the post office he turned aside, taking a package of letters from his pocket which he wished to mail. A young girl near him also turned, drawing some letters from beneath her waterproof. He recognized her as a girl working beside Miss Esten in the weave shops.

"Shall I drop them in for you, Elsie?" he asked.

The girl gave him the letters with a smile and slipped back into the line. As he dropped them in Blaisdell noticed the address on the upper one. It was in Miss Esten's handwriting, and was to the mill agents. He thrust the other letters in quickly, with his eyes turned away.

What did it mean?

When she had first come among them, so different from the other girls and so eager in her inquiries about the cause of the dissatisfaction among the help, which was even then being felt, there had sprung up a rumor that Miss Esten was an emissary of the agents, a paid spy. But as the help had grown to know her better this suspicion died away. The remembrance of it flashed into Blaisdell's mind, but was instantly scouted away, indignantly. Miss Esten's sympathy was plainly not with the strikers, but she had not come as a paid spy.

The next noon he was out on the canal path as usual, but Miss Esten did not appear. On his way back to the office he stopped at the weave shop, and found that she had taken a train for Elton that morning. Elton was the address of the mill agents.

The last days of the month passed gloomily. The help went about their work mechanically, some dispiritedly.



HE MOVED QUICKLY TO A WINDOW.

The overseers were for the most part cross and exacting. On the last afternoon Blaisdell was in his office arranging the papers with the expectation that his work would soon be finished. Presently he had occasion to go into the main room, and while there the office boy brought in the mail and dumped it upon the table. Blaisdell stepped across and selected his. One letter was in a well-known hand, and he moved quickly to a window and opened it with trembling fingers. It read:

"Dear Mr. Blaisdell:

"I have come round to your point of view—indeed, I believe I had that day when contending my own so strongly. I knew very little about the business, being away at school most of the time during my father's life. When his death summoned me home, the agents explained the situation and I accepted their view. Later I was not quite satisfied and went down to see for myself, hiring out as one of the hands."

"I have ordered that the business go on as formerly, with no reduction of wages. Before long I shall come down and see what else can be done."

"As to the request you did not complete that day on the canal path, suppose you come up and repeat it to me, here. I shall be waiting, and will be glad to listen."

Yours,

"Louise Esten Wallace."

A sudden exclamation caused him to look up. The superintendent had opened a letter and was staring at the contents.

"Hello, what does this mean?" Blaisdell heard him mutter, wrathfully. "The mill to go on in the old way, without any reduction. What—?" He looked up suddenly and saw Blaisdell regarding him with an odd smile. "Do you know?" he demanded.

"Yes."

"Get a letter like mine—from headquarters?"

"Yes, I received a letter from headquarters," answered Blaisdell, still smiling. "It told me everything was to go on the same."

He slipped the letter into his pocket for later readings, and then left the office for a walk up the canal path.

Unconscious.

"Your friend Delver," said the editor, "left some verses with me to-day that were quite amusing."

"Indeed?" exclaimed Reader, "I didn't think he was a humorous writer."

"Neither does he."—Catholic Standard and Times.

Society and Personal.

Miss Kathrina Ingraham was the guest this week of Miss Luther, Tenth street.

S. L. Bignall and family have returned to their home in Evanston, Ill., after spending the season at their summer home on the north side of the bay.

Jimmie Whelan, who has been employed at Hotel Holland during the summer vacation, has returned to his home in Montague to attend school.

Dr. Perrin of Saugatuck was the guest of Dan Doyle Monday.

James Deto and Tom N. Robinson returned Monday from a visit with relatives in South Haven.

P. T. McCarthy, proprietor of the Virginia Park hotel and of the Olympia Pavilion, left Monday night for a trip to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Porter and family of Howell were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Williams the first of the week.

Miss Kate Blom returned Monday from a visit with relatives in Grand Rapids and Mill Creek.

Dar C. Huff of Ventura was in the city Monday.

Henry Ten Have has returned from a several weeks visit at Bitley.

Mrs. S. F. Mohr has returned from a visit to friends in Petoskey.

Miss Morton of St. Louis, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. U. F. DeVries.

Miss Maud Hudson of Allegan was the guest this week of Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Cook.

Mrs. John Alberti of Chicago is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. E. R. Vander Veen.

Dr. G. J. Kollen made a trip to Grand Rapids Monday in the interest of Hope College.

Hon. Luke Lugers accompanied by Benjamin Lugers, Miss Georgiana Lugers and Miss Thursa Van Vulpen left this week for the St. Louis fair.

Miss Jennie Kanter is on a trip to Denver, Col., and the St. Louis fair. Hoyt G. Post has charge of the city library in her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. James S. Whelan and Mrs. M. A. Ryder are on a trip to Sault Ste. Marie, Mackinac Island and other northern resorts.

Miss Maud Kleyn has returned from Chicago, where she spent the summer.

John Wieland of Grand Rapids was the guest of John B. Steketee last Monday.

Melvin S. Meengs of Jackson and Dr. J. E. Meengs of Grand Rapids, spent Labor Day with Mrs. H. Meengs, East Tenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Vander Lei left Monday evening for Chicago. From there they will go to Fulton, Ill., on a visit to Mr. Vander Lei's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Humphrey have returned to their home in Ironwood, after a visit with the former's mother, J. B. Humphrey, living on the south shore of Macatawa Bay.

Among the residents of Holland who registered at the St. Louis fair the past week were Alice Crockett, J. H. Doesburg, Mrs. Minta Doesburg, Mr. and Mrs. Philip G. Meengs, Paul Kleinheksel and Jacob Pelgrim.

The Misses Jennie Karsten and Reka Riksen are at the Worlds fair.

Mrs. J. K. Kleyn and daughter Josephine have returned from a visit to friends at Crystal Falls, Hancock, and other upper peninsula cities.

One of the most delightful social affairs taking place in this vicinity this season was the reception Thursday afternoon and evening at the home of Dr. W. I. J. Bruinsma of Olive. Neighbors and friends from Borculo, New Holland, West Olive, Crisp and Holland gathered there and were entertained royally. Music was furnished by an orchestra and a program of songs and recitations was carried out. Much amusement was furnished by selections from the Doctor's phonograph. Elaborate refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mieras and Mr. and Mrs. John Duursema drove from Grand Haven here Wednesday to visit relatives. They returned Thursday. They found the roads from Grand Haven here in good condition and say that the drive is a very enjoyable one.

Millie Van Regenmorter, light-keeper at Holland Harbor, was in the city Wednesday.

Frank Oosting and son Carl were the guests of friends in Kalamazoo this week.

L. Schoon has returned from a visit to Chicago.

Wm. Tromp of Pensacola, Fla., is the guest of his brother, M. Tromp.

Mr. and F. B. Ardis and Mark Ardis of Grand Haven were the guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Redmond.

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Lunch Room, Soda
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STORE WILL BE OPEN BOTH EVENINGS FROM 7:30 TO 9:30. No Goods will be sold in the evening but store will be entirely open to public inspection. All new Fall lines will be on display.

Monroe & Ottawa Sts.

Grand Rapids, Mich.

J. M. Waite of Hudsonville was the guest of friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Galentine were the guests of friends in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Mrs. J. L. Kymmer was in Grand Rapids yesterday.

Peter Notier made a business trip to Allegan yesterday.

Arend Smith and Earnest Falen attended the German picnic at Salem yesterday.

C. Pieper, the River street jeweler, made a business trip to Chicago this week.

Miss Anna Takken returned from a visit to Grand Rapids Sunday.

Marius Mulder, with DeGrondwet, and Ed Wilterdink are on a vacation trip to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou McCance of Wauseon, Ohio, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mulder at the Lake Breeze cottage at Macatawa Park.

J. B. Mulder was in Chicago on business this week.

Over 200 pairs of sample Blankets will be sold next Wednesday at John Vanderluis for 43c up to \$1.50 a pair. This will be the greatest Blanket-Bargain of the season—See them in his show window. Sale begins at 9 o'clock.

Saturday we expect some of those fine black and red belts again. Get the best taffeta ribbons in the city by us. Chocolate chips, almonds and other fine candies, the so-called high priced goods, at 10 cents per half pound. The 5 and 10 cents store 47 East 8th street.

Right from the shoulder speaks the advertisement of James A. Brouwer this week. For instance he tells of a handsome Morris chair that can be purchased for \$7.95, a reasonable figure indeed when the beauty, the comfort, and the utility of this chair is taken into consideration. Though not mentioned in his ad Mr. Brouwer has a long line of goods upon which bargains are offered, netting just as substantial a saving to the purchaser as in the case of the Morris chair. For house furnishings to suit every pocket book you will make no mistake if you go to Brouwers.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE FIRST STATE BANK.

AT HOLLAND MICHIGAN.
at the close of business Sept 6th, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts.....	\$ 515,940 72
Bonds, mortgages and securities.....	316,508 73
Overdrafts.....	1,250 87
Banking house.....	10,700 00
Furniture and fixtures.....	4,980 00
Due from other banks and bankers.....	13,892 13
Due from banks in reserve cities.....	90,477 84
Exchange for clearing house.....	7,020 80
U. S. and National Bank Currency.....	36,218 00
Gold coin.....	35,322 88
Silver coin.....	4,416 35
Nickels and cents.....	487 91
Checks, cash items, inter. rev. accounts.....	211 723
Total.....	\$1,043,251 78

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund.....	15,000 00
Undivided profits, net.....	7,144 62
Commercial deposits.....	148,674 52
Certificates of deposit.....	300,498 11
Savings deposits.....	530,739 85
Savings certificates.....	971,107 16
Total.....	\$1,043,251 73

What is Life?

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.

I, G. W. MOKMA, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. W. MOKMA, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of September 1904.

HENRY J. LUDWIGS,
Notary Public.

Com. expires May 28, 1906.

Correct—Attest:

JAN W. BOSMAN,
HENRY KREMER,
J. W. BEARDMAN,
Directors.

Did you get enough paper for this year for Jim and Sallie's or Pete and Klara's scratch tablets in school. One quarter will buy enough to last them the whole year at Vander Ploeg's Bookstore.

Regular meeting of the Loyal Americans will be held Monday evening Sept. 12. All members are requested to be present.

A girl's "complexion" may be stamped on her lover's heart, but most of the "complexion" comes off unless put there by Rocky Mountain Tea, and you'll have a beautiful complexion. 35 cents. Haan Bros.

Fearful Odds Against Him

Bedridden, alone and destitute. Such, in brief was the condition of an old soldier by name of J. J. Havens, Versailles, O. For years he was troubled with kidney disease and neither doctors nor medicines gave him relief. At length he tried Electric Bitters. It put him on his feet in short order and now he testifies, "I'm on the road to complete recovery." Best on earth for Liver and Kidney troubles and all forms of Stomach and Bowel Complaints. Only 50c. Guaranteed by W. C. Walsh Druggist.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve

Has world-wide fame for marvellous cures. It surpasses any other salve, lotion, ointment or balm for Cuts, Corns, Burns, Boils, Sores, Felons, Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Eruptions; infallible for Piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c at W. C. Walsh, Druggist.

What is Life?

In the last analysis nobody knows, but we do know that it is under strict law. Abuse that law even slightly, pain results. Irregular living means derangement of the organs, resulting in Constipation, Headache or Liver trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills quickly readjust this. It's gentle, yet thorough. Only 25c at W. C. Walsh's Drug Store.

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

In the matter of the estate of Henry Blink Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that four months from the 7th day of September 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 7th day of January A. D. 1905 and that said claims will be heard by said Court on Saturday the 7th day of January, A. D. 1905 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated September 7th, A. D. 1904.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.



THE CODLING MOTH.

Some of Its Aspects in the West. Fighting the Second Brood.

If injurious insects were classified according to the monetary loss caused by them the codling moth would undoubtedly rank first among those injurious to fruits. It has been estimated that from one-fourth to one-half of the apple crop of the United States is either totally ruined or materially injured by it.

In many newly settled districts of the west this insect has not yet made its appearance. By keeping all used apple boxes and infested fruit out of the district it may be a long time before the insect obtains a foothold. If it is present in small numbers it may be practically exterminated by a strenuous application of the measures of control.

The most important consideration in spraying is the time of the application. This should depend upon the stage of the insect, as the greatest efficiency is obtained by spraying just when the larvae are entering the fruit or immediately before. The sprayings may be designated as "early" and "late." The early sprayings are directed against the first generation of the codling moth. Two of these sprayings are advised—one a few days after the blossoms have fallen and before the calyx closes, and the other two weeks to a month later, when the larvae are entering the fruit. In cases of bad infestation another spraying may be added. In the west the evidence goes to show that the spraying immediately after the blossoms fall is not so effective as in the east. Some are of the opinion that it should be dispensed with, but the writer does not think the evidence at hand fully justifies discouraging this spray in the west.

The later sprayings are directed against the larvae of the second generation when they are entering the fruit. The time this generation enters the fruit varies with the locality and with the seasons in the same locality, but it is easily found by watching the fruit for the first new entrance holes, or spraying may be begun about twenty-one days after the date when the largest number of larvae of the first generation spin their cocoons. The larvae of the second generation usually begin to enter the last week in July and the majority enter in August, while a few enter in September. Two sprayings are usually sufficient against this second generation, but if the infestation is bad three should be made. The quantity of lime used in the last spraying should be reduced to the minimum required, as the lime in the ripe fruit reduces its market value.—C. B. Simpson.

A Fine Old Garden Lily.

Lilium candidum, a pure white variety and very fragrant, is a fine old sort of garden culture, thriving well in various soils and under almost all conditions, though it prefers an open situation. Old grown beds that have stood



LILIUM CANDIDUM.

for some years must be reset every five or six years and would do better still if reset in three. New beds must be planted in August, for if later than this they will not furnish bloom the following summer. The bulbs should be set some six inches apart in a bed somewhat raised, so as to insure good drainage, for places where the water is apt to stand will not do for the lilies. The green tops appear in September, closely following upon the planting in August.

The flower stems begin to appear in late spring, grow to from three to four feet high, and the flowers themselves show between the 10th and 20th of June in the locality of Philadelphia. They are pure spotless white, very sweet scented, and upon each stem from four to eight or ten in number are borne. A bed or border of them is wonderfully beautiful in the garden.

The American Lotus.

As to the notion that the American lotus is an ideal water lily and will grow like a weed almost anywhere W. Tricker, an authority on aquatics, has said in American Gardening:

True, in some sections it is very plentiful, it may be said common, but it is by no means common north of Kentucky, although there are occasional spots where it thrives very freely even in New Jersey and also in Massachusetts, but these are the exceptions and not the rule. I have planted it (Nelumbium luteum) in many places and under different conditions, and in all cases it is the most unsatisfactory of all nelumbiums.

It is truly a very desirable flower, being the only yellow lotus, and a most beautiful flower, but it will not grow anything like as well as the other nelumbiums in New Jersey, New York and other northern states.



IN A DUTCH GARDEN.

The "Yellow Bed" and Some of the Bright Blossoms in It.

The Dutch garden is to be filled with annuals for the most part, at least this first year. Many good annuals that we have not hitherto had room for are to be grown here. One of the four square, large center beds is to be devoted to orange and yellow flowers. In this letter I would like to describe some annuals which are not quite so common as those one generally sees in flower gardens.

The yellow bed is to have an edging of eschscholtzia or California poppy. This is a very common annual, to be sure, but it has many merits which commend it for a somewhat dry and sunny spot. To obtain the best plants of these they should be sown as early as possible. Perhaps it is not generally known that there are several species of eschscholtzia, all well worth planting. Besides Eschscholtzia californica there is E. crocea, which is, I believe, a distinct species. Its variety called Mandarin is a very fine kind, forming a compact plant which bears rich, reddish orange flowers in profusion. Then there are the double forms of Eschscholtzia crocea, which are exceedingly attractive. Another variety called Satin Blush is a good sort and has large, saucer shaped blossoms which are silvery white, tinged outside with rose. Eschscholtzia revel in hot sunshine and bloom continuously from July until late in the fall.

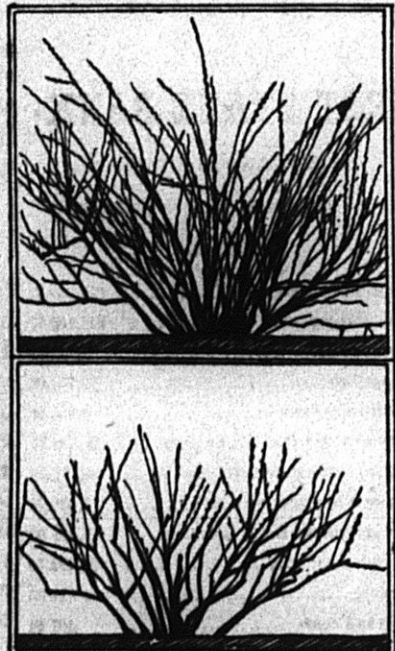
Some lantanas of cream, orange and sulphur yellow shades are under way for this yellow bed. Lantanas are very useful for the fall garden and are easily raised from seed or cuttings. They can be started in February under glass, planted out in warm weather, lifted in the fall and kept during the winter in the greenhouse. They are noteworthy from the fact that they bloom nine months of the year. The dwarf sorts are the ones we prefer for this bed. The tall ones are effective when grown as single specimens, making good sized bushes, with showy flowers of many odd hues. The objection to the dwarf species known as Latana sellowiana is the unpleasant smell of its pretty flowers.—Gardening.

THE GOOSEBERRY BUSH.

The New Wood and the Old—What and Where to Cut.

Gooseberry fruit is produced from lateral buds on one-year-old wood and also on short spurs on wood two or more years old. The same spur may produce fruit for three or four years if the strength of the bush is maintained by proper fertilizing and pruning. The first two crops from a given spur are, however, usually the best.

The new wood which is produced in a gooseberry bush each season appears as new branches arising from buds on the previous year's growth of the



GOOSEBERRY BUSH.

(Before and after pruning.)

canes already present or as new shoots arising from the crown of the bush. The new branches on the old canes will produce fruit from their lateral buds the year following the one in which they develop. The new shoots from the crown will become fruiting canes when two years old if allowed to grow. The new branches on a comparatively young cane are much stronger than those on an old cane. As soon as a cane shows signs of weakening it should be removed and a new shoot left to develop into a cane to take its place. If the bush is in normal condition, the number of young shoots left should be just equal to the number of old canes removed.

A symmetrically pruned gooseberry bush will consist of from six to a dozen or so canes of all ages from one to about five years, and there will be approximately an equal number of canes of each age.

In addition to the cutting away of old canes and superfluous young shoots the young wood on the old canes that are left is thinned out and headed in. The branches which are left are shortened back to from eight to twelve inches. A new shoot which is to be left to develop into a cane should be headed back to a height of from sixteen to twenty inches, says an American Agricultural writer, whose plan of pruning is given above.

Bananas Growing More Popular.

The popularity of the banana is evidently growing in England, where it is said that in the past two years the consumption has risen from 1,500,000 to 3,500,000 bunches a year.

ESCAPE CUT OFF AND MANY PERISH

FLAMES BREAK OUT DURING THE NIGHT IN A NEW YORK TENEMENT HOUSE.

Fourteen Persons, of Whom All But One Are Women and Children, Lose Their Lives—Many Others Are Injured.

New York, Sept. 5.—Fourteen persons were killed and nearly a score injured in a fire in a five-story double tenement in Attorney street at an early hour Sunday morning. The dead include four women, one man and nine children, ranging in age from three months to 12 years. Many of the injured were taken to hospitals, and it is thought that several of these will die. Among the injured were five firemen, who were on a fourth floor balcony when it fell with them.

The small number of men among the killed and injured was due to the fact that most of the men who lived in the building, following the Attorney street custom in hot weather, were asleep on the roof, while but few of the women and children were there. Those on the roof were unable to escape by descending through the burning building, and made their way to safety over neighboring roofs. Meanwhile the members of their families who had remained in their rooms found escape cut off and panic reigned throughout the structure.

Jumped from Windows.

The fire occurred at three a. m. When the firemen reached the scene some of the tenants were jumping from the windows and from the ends of fire escapes that reached only to the second floor. Others were crouching in the smoke in the small rooms and narrow halls. A number of daring rescues were made by firemen and police, and the conditions under which they worked were unusual and difficult. The loss of life was due chiefly to the fact that alterations were being made in the tenement building. The basement and the first floor, the latter about six feet above the sidewalk level, had both been cut through, the front and rear walls having been removed and the upper floors being supported by steel beams. The exit from the upper floors was by way of a small steel ladder. The fire is supposed to have been caused by the explosion of a lamp that had been left to light the hall on the second floor, and the sleeping tenants were not aroused until the hallway was ablaze and escape through the building cut off.

LAUNCH CAPSIZED.

Five Men Are Drowned While Sailing on Lake Erie, Near Cleveland.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 5.—Five men were drowned in Lake Erie Saturday night as the result of the capsizing of a 22-foot naphtha launch in which they were en route from Cleveland to Vermillion to attend yacht races at the latter place. The dead are: John D. Begley, Albert G. Treiber, Paul Hartner, Max Hustig, a traveling salesman for a New York city firm; Julius Hartner, draughtsman employed by the Gary Iron & Steel company, Cleveland. The Hartners were brothers. The first that was known of the drownings was when the launch floated to the beach near Edgewater park late Saturday night. Cries for help had been heard by campers along the shore, but no assistance could be given in the darkness. The launch is believed to have been caught in a trough of the lake, a heavy wind prevailing during the night.

INSANE WOMAN'S DEED.

Attempts to Take Life of Husband and Kills Boston Officer Who Tried to Capture Her.

Boston, Sept. 5.—In a sudden fit of insanity Sunday Mrs. Minnie McKenzie tried to kill her husband at her home on Falcon street, East Boston, then shot Patrolman Alfred M. Sturdivan, who died at the hospital, and finally barricaded herself in the front room of her tenement, where she remained for more than five hours standing off a squad of ten policemen. She was finally captured by the use of gas injected through holes in the barricaded door. When overcome by the fumes she was found to be armed with two large revolvers and a large amount of ammunition. During the barricade she fired made more than 50 shots, many going wide into a crowd of 5,000 people, who had gathered about the house.

Brutal Negro Lynched.

Brunson, Fla., Sept. 7.—Wash Bradley, the confessed negro murderer of Mrs. N. B. Barrow, was strung up to a tree and his body riddled with bullets after his ears had been severed from his head and his body otherwise mutilated. When Mrs. Barrow was shot she held a sucking babe at her breast. It escaped injury.

Treaty Ratified.

Washington, Sept. 7.—American Minister Squires, at Havana, has cabled the state department that the Cuban senate has ratified the treaty of extradition recently concluded between this country and Cuba.

Succeeds M. von Plehve.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 6.—Senator Platonov, a member of the council of the empire, has been appointed minister of the interior and chief of the Russian police, in succession to the late M. von Plehve.

Ventura.

School will begin to-morrow, in charge of Miss Jennings, teacher. M. Lampson and family has moved here from Chicago into Jay Nichol's house.

Threshing is done on the Lake Shore, all but two jobs. Ausicker Bros. did all of the threshing in this section.

Rye was poor, an average of about five bushels to the acre.

Harvey Nichols and wife of Kalamazoo were visiting friends on the Lake Shore. While here they received word that Mr. Nichols' sister in Kalamazoo had become slightly demitted. We are glad to say she is well now. Mr. Nichols went home to see her, leaving his wife here.

Laketown News.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Everhart visited Mr. Everhart's last Sunday at Berlin.

John Nyland has his new 20 horse power Gasoline Engine home, and will soon start out filling silos. Any one wanting any filled would do well to write or call on him.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Everhart spent Labor day at Grand Rapids with his Bro., C. W. Geo. Everhart of Oshkosh, Wis.

Miss Susie Busscher is working for Luke Brink of Graafschap.

Miss Gertrude Cronimer has returned to Holland after several weeks' stay with her sister, Mrs. J. Aalderink.

Mrs. Petie and daughter Mrs. Marshall also Mr. Williams of Macatawa Park spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Everhart.

FACTS AND FICTION

Experiences of Holland Citizens are Easily Proven to be Facts.

The most superficial investigation will prove that the following statement from a resident of Holland is true. Read it and compare evidence from Holland people with testimony of strangers living so far away you cannot investigate the facts of the case. Many more citizens of Holland will endorse our claims.

John Pilon, farmer near Ebenezer says: "I had more or less trouble for years from my kidneys and whenever I worked hard or caught a cold it always affected me and caused a heavy aching pain through the small of my back. It was very painful to stoop or lift anything and at times the aching was so persistent I could scarcely get about to do my work. I used different medicines and wore plasters but they did me no good. As I had seen Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended for such troubles, I went to J. O. Doesburg's drug store in Holland and got a box. I used them but a short time when I felt better and continuing the treatment I was soon cured."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., Sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, Doan's, and take no substitute.

"Now good digestion waits on appetite, and health on both."

If it doesn't try Burdock Blood Bitters.

Good for father. Good for mother. Good for the whole family. Makes the children eat, sleep and grow. Rocky Mountain Tea is a family blessing. 35 cents. Haan Bros.

Piles! Piles!

Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure blind, bleeding, itchy and itching piles. It absorbs the tumor, allays the itching at once, acts as a positive, 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, sent by mail, for \$1.00 per box. Williams' Medicine Co., Proprietors, Cleveland, O.

Sold on a guarantee by J. O. Doesburg, Holland.

Quick Arrest

J. A. Gullledge of Verbena, Ala. was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 34 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 at W. C. Walsh Druggist.

DR. LYON'S French Periodical Drops

Strictly vegetable, perfectly harmless, sure to accomplish DESIRED RESULTS. Greatest known female remedy.

CAUTION Beware of counterfeits and imitations. The genuine is put up only in paste-board cartons with the signature of Dr. Lyon on the side of the bottle, thus: Send for Circular to WILLIAMS' MED. CO., Sole Agents, Cleveland, Ohio.

For sale by J. O. Doesburg. We have a complete line of Munyon's Remedies Diamond Dyes, Chamolins, and all Patent Medicines advertised in this paper.

MOTT'S PENNY

of menstruation known to become known by drug.

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., Citz., 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

Stops The Cough and Works Off The Cold.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Table s cures a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price, 25 cents. 10 1w

\$100.

Dr. E. DeChon's Anti Diabetic

May be worth to you more than \$100 if you have a child who soils bedding from incontinence of water during sleep. Cures old and young alike. It arrests the trouble at once. \$100. Sold by Heber Walsh druggist, Holland, Mich.

Terrible plagues, those itching, pestering diseases of the skin. Put an end to misery. Doan's Ointment cures. At any drug store.

No need to fear sudden attacks of cholera infantum, dysentery, diarrhoea, summer complaint of any sort if you have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry in the medicine chest.

Diphtheria, sore throat, croup. Instant relief, permanent cure. Dr. Thomas' Ecleretic Oil. At any drug store.

Come and see our Line of

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AND FAMOUS Pitkins Paints

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Give us a call and we can save you money.

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 for Ottawa County, Michigan, in Liber 38 of Mortgages on Page 638 on the 15th day of June A. D. 1892;

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's fee provided in said mortgage, the sum of twenty nine hundred twenty eight and fifty-nine one hundredth dollars (\$298.59);

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 30th 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) acres more or less, according to Government survey. Dated at Grand Rapids, Michigan, this 27th day of August A. D. 1904.

JULIA PHELPS, Mortgagee.

JACOB STREETER, Attorney for mortgagee, 68 Monroe Street, Grand Rapids, Michigan 29-19w.



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"Six bottles brought me health, and was worth more than months under the doctor's care, which really did not benefit me at all. I am satisfied there is no medicine so good for sick women as your Vegetable Compound, and I advocate it to my lady friends in need of medical help."—Mrs. B. A. BLANCHARD, 422 Broad St., Nashville, Tenn.

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhoea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine, for you need the best.

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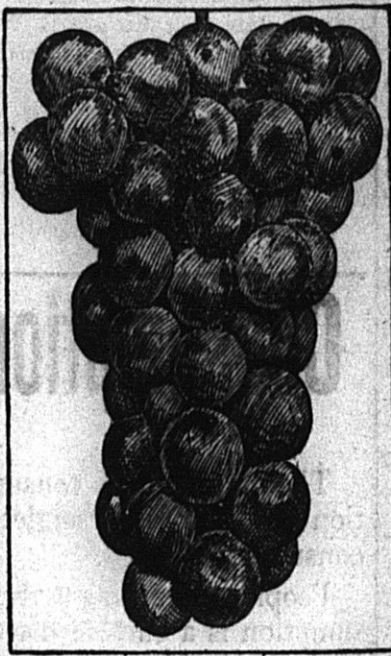
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FRUIT AND FLOWERS

A NEW GRAPE.

It Closely Resembles the Concord, but Ripens Earlier.

The Worden variety of grape was originated by S. Worden of New York state and is a seedling of the Concord, says American Cultivator. It is specially valuable for northern climates where the Concord is ripened with difficulty during the short seasons, because it ripens about a week earlier than the Concord. As an offset to this advantage it has a rather tender skin, which



THE WORDEN GRAPE.

inures its shipping qualities and makes it a rather poor keeper, not quite so good for that purpose perhaps as the Concord. It is, however, to be preferred in localities where the Concord is uncertain.

In appearance it closely resembles the Concord, and some nurserymen have palmed off the Concord for this variety. The illustration gives an excellent idea of the fruit and is reproduced by courtesy of Dr. James Mills of the Ontario department of agriculture.

The bunch is large and more compact than the Concord. The berry is large and black, skin tender, with heavy bloom. The flesh is sweet when well ripened and the pulp tender. In New England it ripens from the early middle to the end of September. The vine is a strong and vigorous grower, with coarse, robust foliage, very hardy and healthy and as productive as the Concord.

CHINA ASTERS.

The Modern Flower Shows Great Variety in Form and Color.

The China aster, which has come into prominence in comparatively recent years, is closely related to the chrysanthemum and, as its name implies, is a native of China. It was originally single flowered and of limited range of color—blue, violet and white—but under cultivation it has been made to assume a great variety of forms and colors, rivaling the chrysanthemum in these respects, although the aster has not been developed to the size of the larger varieties of chrysanthemums and has not yet been made to show the brilliant shades of yellow which are so prominent in certain of the varieties of the latter flower.

L. H. Bailey, a gardening authority, says of it:

"The China asters are among the best of all the annual garden flowers. They are of the easiest culture, most free of bloom and comprise a multitude of forms and colors. They are therefore admirably adapted to profuse and generous effects in schemes of planting. They are also worthy of wide attention because they are adapted to many of the purposes for which chrysanthemums are grown, and they can be raised to perfection wholly without the use of glass. They attain their best in the decline of the season, from late August till frost, at a time when many of the annuals and the greater part of the perennials are spent and gone. No garden flowers carry such a profusion of bloom and color down to the very closing in of winter. The aster border still has blooms when the snows fall in November and when even the wild golden-rod have waned and died."

The China aster is an annual and especially effective in borders. It grows well in almost any soil, but prefers a rich, moderately moist, but well drained loam. It responds generously to liberal fertilizing.

The World in Flowers.

The first prize at the Los Angeles flower parade was gained by a splendid float, globe shaped, about nine feet in diameter and representing the world. The oceans were of asparagus plumosus and the countries in carnations of different colors.

Stray Petals.

Gardening notes a new sort of peony of the clearest golden yellow as one of the most interesting things at the recent flower show at Ghent, Belgium.

Bathing with naphtha is said to be a certain cure for poisoning with poison ivy and poison sumac.

The pink Mary J. Semple is one of the finest of asters.

To revive wilted flowers put them in the refrigerator, but they will go to pieces very quickly when removed.

Violet growing appears to be having a boom in the Hudson river valley near New York.

In yellow chrysanthemums "Colonel D. Appleton is the whole thing to date," according to one authority.

For quick covering of rocks, rough ground or stumps Hall's Japanese honeysuckle is useful.

DAIRY CLEANLINESS.

Neatness Pays Rich Returns to the Dairyman.

Some dairymen have educated themselves so long in dirty habits, with filthy stables and manure plastered cows, that they honestly do not know what the word "clean" means, says Hoard's Dairyman. It is a relative term with them, and we sometimes wonder if they would know a really clean, wholesome looking cow if they met her in the road. Would she have a cleanly significance to them? It is doubtful. Such men constantly excuse themselves by saying they haven't time to do any better. No doubt they think that it is really profitable to them to be filthy; that they are saving money by it.

But it is always to be noticed with such farmers that they do not do any more work in the field than the neat farmer. They are disorderly by nature and education. They are careless and slovenly with their farm machinery and rude and unskillful in all their farm work. Disorder reigns outside of the stable and filth and disorder inside. The barnyard is knee deep in the spring with mud and manure. The cows are manure soaked and uncomfortable and do not respond to their feed in milk because the man who owns them is absolutely ignorant of right ideas and methods.

Nowhere on earth do neat, cleanly and orderly ideas of doing work pay better than on a dairy farm. The men who follow clean ideas and methods make the most money out of their labor. The hired help are the most contented and willing, and heaven smiles upon that farm, because "order is heaven's first law."

Short Weight Butter.

Because the pound prints of butter did not weigh sixteen ounces each a number of farmers had their entire stock confiscated by the market master on the Dubuque market a short time ago, says Dairy and Creamery. Every pound of butter on the market offered for sale was weighed by the market master, and he found a number of tubs containing rolls of butter supposed to contain a pound which weighed only fourteen ounces. The standard weight is sixteen ounces to the pound. Many of the farmers who sell butter of short weight are not aware that it is such. They mold it in a wooden device supposed to hold one pound, but many of these "prints," as they are called, are not large enough, and consequently the weight is a few ounces below the standard.

Feeding the Milk Maker

The drift is to get away from so much expensive purchased feeds and on to a ration that will pay the most for each dollar in feed.

Soiling and Pasturing.

An experiment was made on twenty-one cows divided into two lots. One lot was fed on green soiling crops and the other lot kept on pasture, says an Indiana dairyman in Farmer's Advocate. The pasture cows yielded the most milk by 6,618 pounds and the most butter fat by 290 pounds, but consumed 1,232 pounds more grain. The soiling crops brought an income above the cost of grain \$18.08 per acre, while the pasture brought only \$4.23 per acre. Of the soiling crops alfalfa gave the largest returns per acre, corn next, cane third, Kaffir corn fourth and oats fifth. The average result shows that four times as much per acre can be made by soiling as by pasturing.

Curing Hay.

Since rough feed is usually much cheaper than grain, too much importance cannot be placed on securing hay and fodder in the best possible condition, says W. J. Fraser of the Illinois Agricultural college. If hay is unduly exposed to dew and rain during the time of curing, it loses much, both in nutrition and palatability. It is also important that hay and fodder be cut at the proper stage, before becoming too ripe and the stems woody.

Grain For Dairy Cattle.

Grain feed should not usually compose over half the ration of dairy cows and from that to nothing, according to the character of the roughage available and amount of milk given by the cow. In general it is a safe rule to feed liberally roughage and vary the grain feed to suit the requirements of the individual.—Illinois Agricultural College Bulletin.

Value of Silage.

Silage is especially valuable on farms or in communities where rough feed is scarce, for more stock can be kept on a given area of land where the crops are made into silage than in any other way with the same amount of labor expended. No farmer keeping ten or more cows can afford to be without a silo.—Willbur J. Fraser.

Corn In the Silo.

I do not think there is anything else yet found that makes as good and cheap feed as corn put in the silo, said J. Patterson before the Missouri Dairy association. An acre of corn that turns out forty bushels per acre, if cut when it comes out of the roasting ear and is quite green, will make ten tons per acre. You know that good land well fertilized and well tended can double that and will make twenty tons per acre. Four tons is sufficient to feed a cow through the winter, that making an acre maintain five cows. But it would not be good to feed any stock on ensilage alone. The addition of ten to fifteen pounds of good clover hay for cows giving milk and three to six pounds of bran per day, or in place of some of the bran two pounds of

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Additional Local

Mr. Herman Renskers who has been teaching in the Holland language at Randolph Center during the summer season returned last Saturday, to spend a few weeks with relatives before leaving for Holland, Mich. Prof. E. Winter left for Alto and Waupun last Tuesday in the interest of the Academy—Cedar Grove Cor. to Sheboygan, Wis., Herald.

While employed on a threshing machine on the farm of Herman Looman at Borculo Monday, Simon Wiersma of Rusk slid down the side of the straw-stack and landed squarely on a pitchfork which had been placed against the stack with the tines upward. Two of the tines penetrated the thigh of the left leg. Dr. Masselink of Zee land attended him.

Rev. H. J. Veldman has written to John Pessink informing him that he declined the call extended by the Third Reformed church. It was thought that Rev. Veldman would accept the call as he was very favorably impressed with the surroundings here, but he feels that it is his duty to stay at Milwaukee inasmuch as his congregation there has undertaken the task of building a \$17,000 church.

Detroit Tribune: Judge Padgham of Grand Haven is an example of what a man may become by flinging away ambition and attending strictly to business. The judge has become one of the most profound and skillful golfers along the lake shore. He was one of the very few judges of Michigan who did not neglect a field in which he had won fame for the haubale of a state judgeship. The judge is also just as good at "judgin" as he is at golf linker.

An automobile marriage took place in connection with the Labor day celebration in Muskegon Monday. The bride was Miss Pansy Keefer of Holland and the bridegroom Albert Meeboer of Grand Rapids formerly of this city. They were attended by Daisy Moebeor and Paul Keefer of this city. Justice Wightman of Muskegon Heights performed the ceremony. The women were dressed in white. Beerman's band played the wedding march.

A petition signed by 105 members of Zeeland requesting to be set off and organized into an English speaking church was recently presented to the Classis of Holland. The committee appointed by this Classis to consider the matter met in the chapel of the Reformed church Monday evening, Aug. 29. The way being found clear for organizing, it was resolved that Monday, Sept. 12 at 7:30 p. m. the petitioners meet with the committee to perfect the organization.

A new order has gone into effect on the Grand Rapids street railway company's line. Heretofore all interurban passengers who rode around the loop either in Ottawa street or Ionia street were permitted to enjoy the extra ride gratis. The new order makes it compulsory for conductors to charge fare for the trip. The new rule was adopted to prevent the crowding of cars on the loop by passengers who desire to secure good seats before the train reached the depot.

The annual report of the Walsh-DeRoo Milling and Cereal Co. of Holland has been filed with the county clerk. The Company reports as follows: Capital stock, \$300,000; subscribed, \$254,000; amount actually paid in cash, \$214,000; real estate, \$137,574.81; present value of real estate, \$105,933.81; personal estate, \$119,922.67; present actual value of personal estate, \$43,134.88; debts, \$81,978.31; credits, \$18,043.90. The officers and directors are listed as follows: President, H. Walsh; vice president, I. Marsilje; secretary, Wm. Brusse; directors, H. Walsh, I. Marsilje, William Brusse, C. J. De Roo, J. Mulder, G. J. Diekema, George E. Kollen, H. Tien, George Souter of Holland, H. Kleyn of Graafschap.

President Kollen of Hope college, Holland, was a guest of a day this week of Mr. Siebe Baker, coming chiefly in the interests of the flourishing and excellent school of which he is the head. Hope College had a long and struggling existence before arriving at its present state of advancement, and very much of its success has been attained under Mr. Kollen's direction. The college offers to students all the advantages of the lesser colleges, and these are coming to be regarded more and more as more superior in many points to those of the greater schools and universities. Hope is more accessible than any other college to Allegan county students, and the considerable number which are there each year should be largely increased—Allegan Gazette.

Prof. John W. Beardslee, jr., will conduct services in the Third Reformed church next Sunday morning and evening.

The ladies of the German church will give an ice cream social next Tuesday afternoon and evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Knice at 186 W. Eighth street. All are cordially invited.

An excellent state of affairs is disclosed by the First State bank in its official report which appears in this issue of the news. The fine showing of this bank is a good indication of the prosperity of Holland financially.

List of advertised letters at the Holland Postoffice for the week ending Sept. 9:—Mrs. Geo. W. Cadwell, Frank Chapman, Martin J. Clark, M. Geerey, Frank Heiker, Mrs. Johnson, Saidy Lewis, Miss Carrie Parkinson, Dan Smith, Mrs. Sophia Staudard, Miss Nellie Stulting, Roy L. Turner.

To-morrow 75 members of the Chicago Automobile club will arrive here on the Chicago boat on their way to Grand Rapids to attend the automobile races. They will be met here by members of the Grand Rapids automobile club and after breakfast at Hotel Holland will proceed to Grand Rapids.

The jury in the case of the People against James B. Estelle, which was tried in Justice Hunton's court at Grand Haven brought in a verdict of not guilty. Estelle is from Port Sheldon and he was arrested about a month ago for an alleged attack upon Frank Mayo, of Olive, with a pitch fork. The trouble was the result of bad blood between the two men and at his trial Estelle put up the plea of self defense. He claims that Mayo struck at him at the same time with a hoe and shows a scar on the side of the head as evidence. The People's case was in the hands of P. H. McBride, the prosecuting attorney, and W. I. Lillie had charge of the defense.

A new excursion boat, one that will eclipse anything on fresh water in point of comfort, speed and convenience—a boat whose passengers are insured against mal de mer—all these claims are made for the Turbine Queen, to be built this winter for the Dunkley-Williams Company for its South Haven service. Negotiations have been completed between the transportation company and the Craig Shipbuilding Company of Toledo for a new steamer to cost \$300,000 and to be put in commission by June of next year. The new boat will be equipped with a Parsons turbine engine, twelve boilers, and will develop 5,000 horse power, enabling her, with three screws, to maintain a speed of twenty-five miles an hour.

Labor day was delightfully passed at Jenison Electric park, a large number from Holland and adjoining towns taking advantage of the opportunity to pass the day at this popular resort. Fine music was furnished all day by the West Michigan band under the leadership of Will Thomas. The committee on sports with Jacob Lokker as chairman was there with the goods and the athletic contests and novel races proved a source of great amusement. The main attraction in the forenoon was a base ball game between the Holland Juniors and a picked nine from Holland. A wrangle over a decision caused the game to come to an end before the last inning was finished. The score at that time was 2 to 5 in favor of the picked nine. Hon. Frank Kulp of Battle Creek was the orator of the day. He made an impassioned address, devoting most of his time to socialism and trade unionism. The days festivities were closed by a grand ball in the evening.

At John Ball Park in Grand Rapids Monday an earnest band of workers in the cause of the missions of the Reformed churches of America gathered for a picnic dinner and a missionary festival. The classis of Grand river and Holland unite in this annual meeting and an unusual amount of interest was manifested in the services. Several musical selections were sung, a cornet furnishing the accompaniment. After prayer by the Rev. John De Haan an address on the work of the medical missionary was given in Holland by the Rev. J. Otte of Grand Rapids who is one of the regular missionaries of the Reformed church. The theme, "Missions and Our Young People," was given in English by the Rev. T. W. Mulenberg, and the Rev. N. M. Steffens, D. D., made an earnest plea concerning Christ's command to spread the cause of missions. A collection was then taken for both home and foreign work, and the Rev. J. T. Bergen, D. D., described a camp meeting with the Comanches. The Rev. De Jonge of Zeeland and the Rev. De Scholten of South Blendon were present and took part in the exercises.

The testing car which has been in service on the Grand Rapids street railway lines begun work on the Holland interurban line Wednesday in charge of Superintendent Busby.

A colony is being made up in Grand Haven for settlement in Alabama, and it is expected that there will be quite an exodus to that section of the country from Grand Haven the coming winter.

Improvements are being made in the vicinity of St. Charles hotel. Jacob Kuite, sr., is having a cement walk laid on his property adjoining the hotel and Abel Jappinga will lay a cement walk in front of the hotel soon.

Mrs. G. Raak died at her home in Zeeland last Sunday morning after an illness of long duration with consumption at the age of fifty-nine years. She is survived by a husband and nine children. Mrs. Raak came to Zeeland from Noordeloos with her children five years ago.

General Ben J. Viljoen, a hero of the Boer war, who is at the St. Louis fair has been sued for divorce in Johannesburg. His wife alleges desertion and failure to support. They have two children. General Viljoen lectured in this city during the Boer war.

Deputy Sheriff Arie Zanting returned yesterday morning from Detroit where he took M. C. McFarland, the man who was mixed up in a row with Frank McHugh, whom he stabbed in the foot. McFarland will board in Detroit House of Correction for 90 days.

Frank Grey's grocery store on the corner of Tenth and River street was closed Wednesday by Marshal Kamferbeek by virtue of fore closure proceedings started by Attorneys Diekema, Kollen and Ten Cate in behalf of the Musselman Grocery company of Grand Rapids who held a chattel mortgage for nearly \$200 on the stock.

Edward Nedervelt of Grand Haven has a family heirloom which is undoubtedly very valuable, in the shape of a Dutch bible, which was printed in Dordrecht, the Netherlands, in 1643. The book is splendidly preserved and is a revelation of the printers' art, even for that early time. It weighs over seventeen pounds and is 17 inches long and 11 inches wide.

Burglars made the rounds of Crisp and New Holland Wednesday night and took away an assortment of articles that it will be difficult to hide. From K. Weener's store in New Holland they stole stone jars and crocks to the value of \$6 and from J. Bosch's store they stole two galvanized wash tubs. Nienhuis's store at Crisp was levied upon for crocks, some of them of the 30 gallon size.

George R., owned by H. Boone, sr., of this city, won the 2:35 pace at the Howard City fair Wednesday in fine style, coming in first in three straight heats. He was driven by Johnny Boone in the fashion started by Johnny when he won fame as the boy driver of the great McKinley. The time was 2:29, 2:29, 2:31. It is expected that George R. will be seen on the Holland track during the fair.

Plans and specifications are being prepared for the construction of a brick building for Walter C. Walsh on the lot between the new buildings being erected on East Eighth street by Werkman Sisters, milliners, and by A. Peters, proprietor of the 5 and 10 cents store. The lot is now occupied by a brick house and unless this house is sold soon it will be torn down to make way for the new structure. Mr. Walsh's new building will be 30 feet wide, 80 feet deep and will be two stories in height. It will be modern in every respect.

A splendid opportunity for brushing up on the three R's reading, writing and arithmetic with history and grammar thrown in, will be offered the young men and women of Holland this winter when Mr. Henry Vander Ploeg opens up his evening school about the first of October. Mr. Vander Ploeg has run an evening school before with entire success. He will be assisted by an ex-high school teacher, thoroughly competent to teach. Instruction in elementary English will also be given foreigners who are desirous of learning the English language. Those who desire to take advantage of this chance can see Mr. Vander Ploeg at his Bookstore any day. Terms will be reasonable.

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