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# HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XXVI.

HOLLAND, MICH., SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1897.

NO. 35

## Cloaks! Cloaks!

THE LATEST STYLES!  
THE LARGEST STOCK!!!  
THE LOWEST PRICES!!!



### In Ladies, Misses and Childrens Cloaks.

Our stock of Cloaks for the fall of 1897 has been carefully selected from the Eastern markets, made from the best materials, by the best workmen. We invite the public to visit our Cloak Department.

## Dry Goods, Underwear, and Hosiery.

All of the departments are complete with the right goods and the right prices. Visit our store and see our goods and get our prices before you make your purchase elsewhere.

Yours for Bargains,

**A. I. KRAMER,**

Van der Veen Block,

HOLLAND, MICH.

Go to

## John Bosman

For a Stylish Suit

### \$15.00 and upward.

Your money refunded if not Satisfied.

## BEAUTIFUL TEETH!



You can wear good clothes and perhaps be good looking, but a mouth full of bad teeth spoils it all. See

**DR. M. J. COOK,**

**..THE DENTIST..**

And have this defect  
Corrected.

RIVER AND EIGHTH ST.,

Under the Clock.

TRY .....  
**Dr. A. C. V. R. Gilmore,**  
Dentist  
..... VAUPELL BLOCK.

**T. W. Butterfield**

Physician and Surgeon.

OFFICE HOURS: 8 to 9 A. M., 2 to 4 P. M.  
and 6 to 7:30 P. M.

PEACHES AND CREAM  
EXCURSION,  
ST. JOSEPH, SHELBY AND  
PENTWATER.

Sunday, Sept. 19th, another opportunity will be given to visit the fruit country. C. & W. M. R'y train will leave Holland at 9 a. m., and arrive at St. Joe at 11:15 a. m., Pentwater at 12:30 p. m. Round trip rate to St. Joe \$1, Pentwater \$1, Shelby 75c.

GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A.

Boy's knee pants and school suits at A. B. Bosman's.

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Martin & Huizinga are headquarters for all kinds of school supplies. Prices reasonable.

Boy's knee pants and school suits at A. B. Bosman's.

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Bacon, Ham, salt pork and pure leaf lard at Will Botsford & Co.

Watermelons by the carload at Will Botsford & Co.

Go to Martin & Huizinga's for school books and school supplies.

A full line of school supplies, such as pencils, tablets, slates, etc., at Martin & Huizinga's.

## NOW

That I have increased my business interests I have added a full line of

## School Supplies

Such as school books for all grades, drawing books, speakers, pens, pencils, crayons, sponges, record books, etc. Also a complete line of school tablets and fine stationery at lowest possible prices.

**M. VAN PUTTEN.**

**W. R. Stevenson,**  
**GRADUATE OPTICIAN.**

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Opposite H. Walsh's Drugs Store.

## Holland City News.

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

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## CITY AND VICINITY.

The schooner D. A. Wells was in port Monday.

A marriage license was issued last week to Oscar Van den Berg and Hannah Beekin, both of Holland town.

Miss Lester is possessed of a voice of great flexibility and sweetness, and her singing of ballads is irreproachable.—Buffalo Review.

Miss Appy is an artist of rare ability; her school is excellent, her tone noble, and her playing warm and sympathetic.—Rotterdam Courant.

Prof. J. T. Bergen occupied Rev. H. G. Birchby's pulpit Sunday morning and in the evening supplied the pulpit of the First Ref. church at Zeeland.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Holkeboer died Saturday afternoon. The interment took place Monday afternoon, Rev. K. Van Goor officiating. It was but ten weeks old.

Miss Hughes performed with skill and grace Godefrid's "Dance des Sylphs" and Oberthur's "Fairy Legend" with a firm and dainty execution. She was forced to respond to many encores.—Pittsburg Times.

The Holland City News issued an eight page supplement last week giving a splendid write up of the recent celebration in Holland. The News is an enterprising publication and merits the praise it receives.—Zeeland Record.

The Hope College Boarding Club have re-engaged the services of Mrs. Bottom for the ensuing year. Its present membership is about seventy-five. The officers are: John De Jong, president; Henry Sluyter, commissary; John Nywenling, secretary; A. B. Van Zante, treasurer.

N. Davison, baker at E. A. Van der Veen's, has bought the restaurant business of Walter Van Kuren on Eighth street and has engaged the services of Frank J. Nye as manager. A first-class restaurant will be conducted, the parties in charge being experienced hands.

Undertaker Alberti was called to East Holland on Saturday morning to take charge of the remains of Mrs. Nick Skipper, who died the previous night of consumption. She leaves a husband and two children. The funeral occurred Monday afternoon, Rev. F. Wielandt officiating.

City electrician F. W. Fairfield is busily engaged in putting in fire alarm bells in the residences of the members of Columbia Hose Co. No. 2. The lines have been put in proper shape as a safeguard against usual storms and the service given to the patrons of the city is satisfactory. Within the past three weeks over two hundred new incandescent lights have been added. The equipment at the Ottawa furniture factory has been increased from 100 to 150 lights and the new High school building has been equipped with about 40 additional incandescents.

Born, a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Andy Johnson, on north River street, last Sunday.

To-day (Friday) is the eighth anniversary of the marriage of Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Gillespie.

"Dr. Van," owned by H. Boone, captured second money in the 2:40 trot at the Muskegon races last week.

E. J. Harrington is remodeling his residence on east Ninth street. W. M. Post has the contract for plumbing.

One of the Hope college students accidentally stepped with his heel upon a nail on Monday, inflicting a deep gash.

Ninety-five in the shade is exceptionally warm for the middle of September. That is what the thermometer registered on Tuesday.

Frankie, the eight-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Bates, died last Friday evening. The interment took place on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Adam Clarke officiating.

At a regular meeting of the board of education on Monday evening Miss Maud Marsilje was appointed as assistant in the sub-primary under Miss Emily Lowing. Aside from the passage of a large batch of bills no special business was transacted.

Frank Meyers who was incarcerated for pickpocketing during the Semi-Centennial, was re-arrested before Justice Kollen on Saturday morning. The examination was adjourned for one week and sheriff Van Ry took him back to the county jail.

Twelve members of the Beehive Lodge, D. of R., of Saugatuck visited Erutha Lodge of this city last Friday night. Ice cream was served and the party returned at about 11 p. m., well pleased with their visit. Erutha Lodge is gaining in membership, candidates being admitted at every session.

Squire Isaac Fairbanks on Tuesday filed an application for a marriage license for William H. Boggs and Miss Mary I. Cooley. The prospective groom operates a poultry farm in the southern part of the city, while his bonny bride has been for several years past connected with the West Michigan furniture factory in the capacity of stenographer.

Principal F. D. Haddock informs us that the enrollment in the High school is the largest in its history. The senior class numbers fifteen. A new feature offered the seniors this year is a course in drawing designed to prepare them for admission to the state normal school at Ypsilanti. Competent instruction in this branch is given by Miss Emma D. Roberts.

The Holland High school foot ball team organized last Friday with Frank Arleth as manager and Gerrit Van Houte as captain. A selection of eleven will be made from those making the best showing in practice games. The local diamond back of the water works station has been selected and practice games are played every evening. Contests will probably be arranged with neighboring teams in the near future.

The C. & W. M. and G. R. & I. both report a shortage of cars to carry increased freight business. Usually at this time of the year the peach crop has boomed the freight business, but this year the shortage of cars results from general activity all along the carrying line except in the peach business. The C. & W. M. has not carried a single solid carload of peaches out of Grand Rapids this year, although a number of carloads have been shipped from other points. The G. R. & I. has carried about ten or twelve cars of peaches from the Grand Rapids market for points in Ohio and Indiana, but not twenty-five per cent of the peach business that was done a year ago will be done this year.

One of the most pleasant events in social spheres this season was the celebration of the silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. John Douma at their home on East Thirteenth street on Wednesday. In the evening friends and relatives joined hands and presented them with an array of costly gifts, including fruit dishes, pickle castors, knives, forks, spoons, tea set and many other articles. A sumptuous repast was enjoyed and true sociability intermingled with congratulations, songs and speeches marked the event. The old veterans and their wives were present and the guests had full possession of the premises. Mr. and Mrs. Douma have resided in Holland for the past six years and with their four sons and three daughters comprise one of the happiest and most cheerful families in the city. The guests took their departure after midnight.

Nine years ago last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Francis Karr were united in marriage.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dorne, residing in Jonkers alley, on Friday.

Miss Lida Ver Schure has accepted a position as teacher in the Lake Shore school.

The three-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Oudemolen accidentally broke her right collar bone on Wednesday. Dr. O. E. Yates rendered surgical aid.

Next Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. J. Zimmerman hope to celebrate the 40th anniversary of their marriage at their home on 181 west Eleventh street.

The Misses De Vries have again secured the services of Mrs. P. Bradford of Grand Rapids as trimmer at their millinery establishment for the coming season.

H. Geerlings, Sr., had the misfortune to badly bruise his right foot while attempting to remove a barrel of salt in the basement of B. Stekelee's grocery store on Monday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. K. Van Goor are celebrating their silver wedding to-day at the parsonage. This evening the members of the congregation and others are invited at their home to join in the jubilee.

Rev. J. Van Houte will preach in the First Reformed church at Grand Haven next Sunday. His pulpit in the First Ref. Church here will be occupied in the morning by theological student A. W. De Jonge and in the afternoon by Rev. Dr. Henry E. Dokter.

Mrs. Joe Essenbagger loaned her feather box last week to a stranger, the latter promising to return it within an hour. She waited patiently for hours upon which she reported the case to marshal Dyke and Prosecuting Attorney A. Vlisscher. It is said that the stranger took the article with her to Grand Rapids.

Hotel Macatawa closed on Monday for the season. Manager Nick Whelan reports that although the weather was unusually cool during the entire summer, a fair business was enjoyed. Mrs. M. A. Ryder, the proprietress will yet remain for a few weeks. Mr. Whelan expects to return to the office of Smith & Stevens in Grand Rapids and practice law.

The resort season has closed and the hotels and cottages at Macatawa Park and Ottawa Beach have been restored to their winter quiet. The few who remain are preparing to pack their trunks and return to their city homes. The life saving crew stationed at the harbor will continue in service until the first of November. The season at both places has been prosperous notwithstanding the cool weather during the summer months.

A senile marriage occurred in Muskegon on Wednesday, the contracting parties being John Smith, aged 70, of Holland, and Emku Johnson, aged 66, of Muskegon. The groom is a well-known mason of this city, having for a number of years resided in the brick house on east Eighth street and having been twice married. The bride has been married but once. Both the contracting parties were born in the Netherlands. They will reside in Holland.

Harry Mokma, while at work in the Standard Roller Mills on Saturday afternoon, accidentally lost his foothold and fell backwards with his head upon an iron bar, sustaining a fracture of the skull. He kept at work and after supper took a run to Zeeland on his wheel to spend Sunday. On that evening he complained of severe pains in his head and a physician was summoned. His condition became alarming and he was delirious and his parents here were notified. Since Monday evening he is improving steadily. Had not the iron bar checked his fall he would have been hurled a distance of twenty feet.

The pulpit of the Fourth Ref. church will be occupied according to the following schedule prepared by the Holland classis: Sept. 26, Rev. Jacob Van der Meulen of Graafschap; Oct. 10, Rev. W. B. Lammers of Forest Grove; Oct. 24, Rev. G. De Jonge of Vriesland; Nov. 14, Rev. John Van der Meulen of East Holland; Nov. 28, Rev. G. H. Dubbink; Dec. 12, Rev. E. S. Schilstra of Jamestown; Dec. 26, Rev. J. Van Houte; Jan. 9, Rev. H. K. Boer of Hamilton; Jan. 23, Rev. A. Stegeman of New Holland; Feb. 13, Rev. W. Wolvius; Feb. 27, Rev. D. Scholten; March 13, Rev. A. Van den Berg of Overisel; March 27, Rev. W. G. Baas of Beaverdam.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.



ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Van der Meulen, on west Tenth street, last Friday—a son.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Van Landegend commemorated the seventh anniversary of their marriage last Friday.

The fifteen-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. K. Dorenbos died Sunday and was buried on Tuesday afternoon.

A daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Tremble, West Thirteenth street, on Thursday morning.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. P. H. Wilms, River street, Friday, Sept. 24th, at 3 p. m. All ladies come and hear the report of the county convention.

Nick Kammeraad and Miss Anna Dykema will be married at the home of the latter's parents, 86 west Twelfth street, next Wednesday evening. A reception will be given after the ceremony.

Geo. H. Souter, the nursery man, has secured an order from W. B. Conkey for about four hundred fruit, shade, and ornamental trees, with which he will beautify his premises on the south shore.

Two members of Ringling Bros. circus have been engaged by secretary G. J. Van Duren for acrobatic performances during fair week. Exhibitions on the double trapeze, horizontal bars and high wire walking will be given every day.

List of advertised letters for the week ending Sept. 17th at the Holland, Michigan, postoffice: Leslie Chamberlain, M. Kleff, S. H. Klinedinst, S. W. Mayer, Ruly Reukema, Sam Schneewind, Homer Williams. COR. DEKEYZER, P. M.

Marshal Dyke received a dispatch from Chicago on Saturday morning relative to the location of Mrs. Minnie Fath. Upon investigation it was learned that she came over on the steamer Soo City that morning and Mr. Dyke promptly answered the dispatch in the affirmative.

Mr. Rowson-Wade sang in splendid form, his voice showing to great advantage in the recitations and heavy solos. His tone was resonant while his flexibility was remarkable. From the first recitation, thus saith the Lord to the close of the grand "Trumpet" solo, his voice retained its fire and vigor.—Leeds (Eng.) Mercury.

Gerrit Sandstra, John Oudman, Jno. Beintema and Peter Klien, between the ages of 14 and 18 years, were arrested by Marshal Dyke on Sunday for stealing grapes in the vineyard of Van den Berg and Wilterdink. They were arraigned before Justice Kollen, plead guilty to the charge and were released upon the payment of a fine and costs amounting to \$3 each. Several similar cases of petty thievery have been reported by many of our citizens and more arrests may follow.

In another column will be found a notice relative to the date set for the examination of mail carriers under the free delivery service to be inaugurated in this city on Nov. 1st. The examination will be held on Friday, Oct. 8th at 9 a. m. in the post office building. Applicants are required to submit to an examination in spelling, arithmetic, letter writing, penmanship, copying from plain copy, geography of the United States, and reading addresses. Among the qualifications essential to eligibility are citizenship, medical certificate and good moral character. It is conjectured that many applicants will take the examination. No applications will be accepted unless filed with Postmaster C. De Keyzer before Oct. 4th. The inauguration of the free delivery service in Holland is another evidence of metropolitan advancement and a first-class system is promised. The volume of business in the Holland post office has assumed such proportions that the free delivery service is the direct result.

<p><b>Noah After the Flood.</b></p> <p>The first fruit planted by Noah when he left the ark was the grape, the most healthy of all the products of the earth. All through the Bible we read of grapes and wine from grapes being recommended as the first remedy for the ills of life; but it is the pure juice wine, not sugared and watered juice that the Bible refers to. Sugared wines are highly alcoholic and starchy; the sugar making excess of alcohol and other products not belonging to a healthful wine.</p> <p>Spain of New Jersey, the oldest vine grower in the United States, has judiciously avoided water and sugar or any foreign substance whatever, but as his wine fully matured by great care and careful handling.</p>	<p><b>New Use for Grapes.</b></p> <p>It has been discovered that grape used with Elecampane Root and the Herb Horehound in proper proportion made into a cordial is performing wonderful cures in stubborn cases of cold sore throat and hoarseness.</p> <p>Public speakers claim it far superior for the throat to any confection. It is coming in general use among physicians. Ask for Aunt Rachael's Horehound Cordial. For sale by druggists.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">—♦♦—</p> <p>"I burned my fingers very badly. The pain was intense. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil brought relief in three minutes. It was almost magical. I never saw anything like it." Amelie Swords, Saunderville, O.</p>
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makes clothes to order and makes them  
right Suits from  
**\$15.00 and upwards.**  
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**DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS.** The only safe, sure and reliable Female Pill ever offered to Ladies, especially recommended to married Ladies. Ask for DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS and take no other. Send for circular. Price \$1.00 per box; 6 boxes for \$5.50. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., - Cleveland, Ohio.

For Sale by J. O. DOESBURG. Also a full line of Patent Medicines, Trusses, Shoulder Braces, Spectacles, Paints and Oils. Brushes, Fine Cigars and choice lot of Perfumeries.

**Probate Order.**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.  
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.  
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Saturday, the twenty-eighth day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.  
Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Hubert Keppel, deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Gover Keppel, son and heir at law of said deceased, representing that Hubert Keppel of the Village of Zeeland, in said county, lately died intestate, leaving estate to be administered, and praying for the appointment of himself as administrator thereof.  
Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the Twenty-seventh day of September, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.  
(A true copy, Attest.)  
JOHN V. B. GOODRICH,  
Judge of Probate.

We aim to dispense the finest, ice cream soda in the city. All the choicest flavors.  
18-11 M. Kiekintveld.

Fresh wax beans, cucumbers, peas, beets, onions, etc., at City Grocery.

**Is Mrs. Hettie M. Harroun, of Grand Rapids, Your Portrait Artist?**  
IF NOT WHY NOT?  
She is a thoroughly educated Artist of the highest ability, holding a life certificate to teach art in any university in Great Britain. The expert judges of the world declare her one of the GREAT MASTERS OF ART IN WATER COLOR PORTRAITS.

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The family signature of *Dr. H. H. Hatcher* is on every wrapper.

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Leave Holland, Daily except Saturday at 8:00 p. m.  
Leave Chicago, Daily except Sunday at 7:00 p. m.  
FARE—\$2.25 one way. \$3.50 round trip. Berth included.  
D. F. WEBSTER, Gen'l Pass. Agt. W. R. OWEN, Gen'l Manager  
General Office, No. 1 State Street.

### GANG OF HORSE THIEVES.

They Are Said to Be Operating Through Southern Michigan.  
La Porte, Ind., Sept. 14.—The authorities at South Bend claim to have evidence of the existence of an organized gang of horse thieves operating through southern Michigan and northern Indiana. A large number of horses have been stolen within the last few days, and the thieves have all been traced across the state line. A number of horses have been traced to Edwardsburg, where all trace seemingly was lost. Farmers in southern Michigan counties have also suffered from the depredations, and a determined effort will be made to apprehend the gang. Livestockmen have suffered at the hands of the thief, who adopted the clever subterfuge that he was pursuing a horse thief, securing horses by this plan of operation, and then disappearing.

### GOOD VEIN OF COAL.

The Contract Let for Its Mining to Cleveland Firm.  
Day City, Sept. 13.—A contract has been entered into by J. H. Somers & Co., of Cleveland, and the Isaac Marston estate by which the former acquires the right to mine coal on the extensive Marston farm on the Kawakwin road. A well was recently sunk for water and a vein of four feet four inches was passed through, which leads to the belief that coal can be successfully mined there, the same as in Monitor township. By the terms of the contract Somers & Co. are obliged to begin operations within six months. The firm has secured coal-mining rights from adjacent property, and it is reported will operate extensively. The Michigan Central runs through the property.

### IN MICHIGAN WATERS.

The Government Ship Yantic Assigned to the Naval Reserves.  
Washington, D. C., Sept. 11.—The good ship Yantic, which has been given to the Michigan naval reserves, will not only serve the purpose of a floating armory, but will also act as a tolerably efficient cruiser for the navy department. It has been decided to leave the engines and boilers in the old vessel, and orders were given to start her for Detroit on October 1 under her own steam. This means that she will steam up to the mouth of the St. Lawrence river with her own engines, and will there be delivered over to the representatives of the state of Michigan, who will pontoon her through the lakes.

### To Develop Mineral Springs.

Benton Harbor, Sept. 13.—A company has been formed to be known as the "Eastman Springs company," that will develop the valuable mineral springs near town where thousands have visited annually for several years. A sanitarium will be built and the Eastman Springs electric railway now under construction will reach there this fall. One hundred thousand dollars capital stock has been placed at the company's disposal.

### Cooperative Foundry.

Jackson, Sept. 13.—A cooperative foundry has commenced operations in this city under the name of the Central City Cooperative Foundry company. The principal stockholders are A. C. Smith, who will be general manager; George J. Buchfink and George Schatt. Each workman employed will, however, have a personal interest in the business.

### The Brave Girl Died.

Detroit, Sept. 14.—Maggie Mack, the 17-year-old girl who was terribly burned while trying to save her two young brothers from flames caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove, died of her injuries. She suffered the most excruciating pain until her death. The other two children were badly burned, but will recover.

### Confession Was False.

Banoroff, Sept. 10.—The confession of a murder in Rochester, N. Y., by Harry F. Leadley, the bicyclist who died here, has been shown to be a pure fabrication. Leadley was a cigarette fiend, and his strange statements before his death were doubtless the ravings of a mind diseased by that habit.

### Hog Cholera in Ionia.

Ionia, Sept. 11.—Hog cholera has broken out in Ionia township, this county. W. D. Pace has lost 35 or 40 porkers. W. F. Scammell and A. J. Webber quite a number each and cases are scattered throughout the town. The officials will take every precaution to prevent the spread of the disease.

### Loss Nearly \$3,000.

Petoskey, Sept. 11.—Fire catching from burning stubble destroyed the house, barns and grain in stacks on the farm of Albert Auble, who came here from Grand Rapids three years ago and located four and a half miles west of this city. The loss is estimated at \$2,000 to \$3,000.

### Lengthy School Term.

Metamora, Sept. 11.—This village is to have the longest school term in its history. Several scholars were prevented from graduating last year on account of illness and the school board has decided to hold a ten months' term in order to accommodate the unfortunate ones.

### Found Dead in a Field.

Lexington, Sept. 11.—Francis Meyers, aged 74, was found dead in a field on the farm of his brother-in-law, Robert Wagner, this township. It is supposed that he was overcome by the heat. The thermometer has registered 100 in the shade for two days.

### Parsons Eight Convicts.

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 13.—Gov. Pinckney broke the pardon record by releasing eight convicts, all of whom were serving long terms for serious offenses, and paroling two short-term convicts.

### Fatally Scalded.

Battle Creek, Sept. 10.—The five-months-old child of Mrs. Frank Darling, a widow, was fatally scalded by turning from a gasoline stove a kettle in which meat was boiling.

### SUSTAINS MURRAY.

An Opinion Handled Down by Attorney-General Maynard.  
Lansing, Sept. 11.—Replying to an inquiry from Superintendent A. J. Murray, of the state public school, Attorney-General Maynard gave an opinion in which he holds that the attendant from the state public school has no legal authority to approve of homes for children sent out by the school, that duty being vested by law exclusively in the agent of the state public school and the county agent of the state board of corrections and charities. The board of control of the school, it is held, has no power to delegate the performance of this duty to any other person.  
It is understood that Superintendent Murray has disagreed with the board upon the question and the opinion of the attorney-general sustains the views taken by the former.

### AFTER MONTHS IN JAIL.

A Young Man Acquitted of Perjury Upon His Trial.  
Lapeer, Sept. 11.—Charles Schnoor, of Almont, who was arrested last April upon the charge of perjury, alleged to have been committed at the trial of Edwin R. Gould for violation of the liquor law, has been acquitted. Schnoor has laid in jail since his arrest, being unable to procure bail.

William Kreiner, a young man residing at Burnside, who was arrested at the instigation of a detective named Green, hailing from St. Johns, upon the charge of violating the liquor law, was found not guilty, the information being fatally defective.

### OIL OF GOOD QUALITY.

It Is Secured at the Well at the Sanborn Elevator.  
Port Huron, Sept. 13.—The work of pumping the oil well at the Sanborn elevator has commenced under the supervision of Alex Morrison, of this city, a man of considerable experience in that kind of work. In one hour 1 1/2 barrels of oil was obtained, after which it was found necessary to shut down to put in a larger pump. The oil secured was of excellent quality. Those who have interested themselves in this matter believe that this city has a future as an oil producer.

### Surprise for Members.

Grand Rapids, Sept. 10.—An unpleasant surprise awaits the 3,000 members of the Michigan Masonic Life association, which went into the hands of a receiver at its own request last winter. Circuit Judge Grove will, in a few days, issue a decree assessing each member \$60 to clear up the liabilities. It is admitted that the assessment cannot be collected from more than one-third of the members owing to their financial condition.

### Charged with Murder.

Menominee, Sept. 11.—Mrs. Labounty is under arrest at Wilson, Spalding township, charged with the murder of her three-year-old daughter, whose dead body was found in a cradle Monday. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of death from violence and neglect. The child's body and head were found to be a mass of bruises and sores. The woman has been held for examination.

### Heavy Criminal Docket.

Bay City, Sept. 14.—The criminal docket of the circuit court for the September term is the largest in history, containing 58 cases. Of these two are for murder, two for manslaughter and two for burglary. The jail is filled with prisoners, and Judge Maxwell says he will begin with the criminal cases on the 27th and keep on grinding until the jail is empty again.

### Died Suddenly.

Jackson, Sept. 10.—John O. Gunnison, aged 70, one of the best-known citizens of Jackson county, where he had resided for many years, died suddenly in this city. He was a large property owner. He was at one time proprietor of the Hibbard house and had retired from business.

### A Michipicoten Company.

Bay City, Sept. 11.—Twenty young men of this city have formed a company to send four of their number to the Michipicoten gold fields on a prospecting tour. They will leave at once and if their report is favorable, the company will begin mining.

### Saved by the Doctors.

Owosso, Sept. 14.—Mrs. White, wife of Alderman V. M. White, took a dose of morphine large enough to kill ten people. When the doctor was called she was already in a comatose condition, but after several hours' work she was brought back to life.

### Will Employ Extra Teachers.

Saginaw, Sept. 11.—At a special meeting of the school board of the east side it was decided to employ three extra teachers and also to purchase what is known as the Christian church building to provide for the overflow of pupils of several schools.

### Joined the Methodists.

Highland Station, Sept. 14.—Rev. Wallace R. Struble has resigned as pastor of the Congregational church here after two months' services and has united with the Michigan conference of the Methodist church.

### Little Boy Killed.

Rogers City, Sept. 13.—While raising a barn on the farm of Gus Lust, four miles north of Rogers City, a timber fell on the head of his four-year-old son, smashing his skull and killing him instantly.

### No More Dances.

Mt. Morris, Sept. 14.—At a meeting of the common council a resolution was passed prohibiting any more dances in the village hall.

### Blew Off His Head.

Niles, Sept. 11.—Jasper Kline, of Wakelee, while in a fit of despondency, blew his head off with a shotgun.

### A Fatal Fall.

Niles, Sept. 10.—John Watson, a colon contractor, fell from a scaffold and was killed.

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FALL and Winter styles now in. Call and look over our new line. The finest in the city. Prices right.  
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DIEHL & HENGE have purchased the Sharpsteen Gallery at No. 23 Monroe st. Mr. Diehl has been connected with the Hamilton Gallery on Canal street in the capacity of operator the past five years. We excel all others in our kind and prices.  
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The finest dental office in the State.  
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THE CRESCENT Restaurant and Lunch Room, open day and night. Tables reserved for ladies. Each for all dishes served from bill of fare. J. K. Bentley, proprietor, 66 Canal street.  
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DR. SMITH an educated and responsible physician seeks business in accordance with his worth. It matters not the origin of your disease. Call if all other doctors failed in your cure. There is help and a cure in the following diseases: Asthma, catarrh, cancer, fits, neuralgia, piles, rheumatism, sick headache. Smith Medical Co., 62 Canal st.  
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**Attorneys.**  
DICKEMA, G. J., Attorney at Law. Collections promptly attended to. Office, over First State Bank.  
POST, J. C., Attorney and Counselor at Law. Real Estate and Collections. Office, Post Block.  
LATTI, P. A., Attorney at Law. Office over Rinck & Co.'s Furniture, Eighth St.  
MCBRIDE, P. H., Attorney, Real Estate and Insurance. Office, McBride's Block.  
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DE MAAT, R., House, Carriage, and Sign Painting, plain and ornamental paper hanging. Shop at residence, on Seventh St., near B. Depot.  
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KREMER, H., Physician and Surgeon. Residence on Twelfth street, corner of Market. Office at drug store, Eighth Street.  
**Mortgage Sale.**  
DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of two certain mortgages made by Gary C. Calkin and Ida M. Calkin, his wife, to J. R. Jarrett and dated July 17, A. D. 1894, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Ottawa County, State of Michigan, on July 24th A. D. 1894, in Liber 29 of Mortgages, page 55, and the other, executed by the same parties to J. R. Jarrett dated March 15th 1897, recorded in office of Register of Deeds of Ottawa County, State of Michigan, March 15th, 1897, Liber 48 of Mortgages, page 24, on which two mortgages there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of Eleven Thousand Five Dollars and Ten cents, and attorney's fee provided by law, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgages or any part thereof.  
Now, Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgages, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, the 1st day of December, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house, in Grand Haven, that being the place where the Circuit Court for said County of Ottawa is held the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with 5 per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with an attorney fee of Fifty Dollars, as provided by law and as covenanted for therein, the premises being described in said mortgages as follows, to-wit:  
Block one and two in the village of Mill Point (now Spring Lake) and the following described parcel of land being a part of block three, in said village, viz: Commencing in the east line of block three of the original village of Mill Point (now Spring Lake) at a point 125 feet, north of the south east corner of said block and in the westerly line of fence of a small triangular park, running thence north-westerly along said line of fence 75 1/2 feet to the north-westerly corner of said park district 37 feet west of the said east line of said block three, thence north-westerly 140 feet and 9 inches to the south west corner of the engine house of the "Magnetic Mineral Springs Company," thence northerly 185 feet to the water of Spring Lake at a point 7 1/2 feet west of said east line of block three, thence easterly along the shore of said lake to a point north of the place of beginning, thence south to the place of beginning being a part of said block three and land adjacent on the north, Ottawa Co., Mich.  
J. R. JARRETT, Mortgagee.  
WALTER L. LILLIE, Attorney for Mortgagee. 34-139, Dated Sept. 8, 1897.  
**Watermelons. Watermelons, Watermelons, Watermelons at Will Botsford & Co.**  
Have you seen the beautiful silver ware we are giving away to our customers. Come in and look around. Will Botsford & Co.

The New Pickling Industry.

Since the report of the Saginaw growers published in last week's News, our merchants and business men have taken an increased interest in the workings of the new plant.

On Monday evening about two hundred people, mostly business men, assembled at the salting house of the H. J. Heinz Co., near the Holland Carriage & Bending Works, for the purpose of witnessing and inspecting the initial results of this new industry. The majority of them were surprised upon seeing the wonderful vision which confronted them. From Harrison avenue up to the salting house the street was lined with teams with loads ranging from ten to forty-five bushels of pickles. Farmers continue to arrive as late as ten o'clock to deliver their pickles.

Within the building the unloading process was another source of marvelous results. The forty-six vats capable of holding one thousand bushels each, greeted their eyes. Those on the one side were already filled, showing that the amount of pickles already delivered aggregated 23,000 bushels. The majority of the spectators say that they had no idea of the enormous business which was already being transacted in a place which had but just commenced operations, and upon their return expressed their satisfaction in discerning the huge benefit which an increase in the plant would be to Holland and the rich agricultural domain with which it is surrounded.

Mr. Zwemer is very active in endeavoring to secure the necessary \$600 with which to buy the point in order to secure an addition for the products of apples, tomatoes, cabbage, etc. He says that Mr. Heinz is able to purchase the site in view, but as the company has been offered bonuses in addition to the donation of a site by several larger cities and as he never has been compelled to buy a foot of ground, he leaves the proposition entirely with the citizens and farmers as to whether they want the company to continue their industry in Holland on a much larger scale.

The farmers thus far are highly pleased with their initial experiment with the company. Many are subscribing for increased acreage for next season, so that already 200 acres of pickles and 100 acres of tomatoes have been pledged. They realize that the establishment of a home market is a benefit which can not be overestimated.

Mr. Zwemer is meeting with fairly good success in the raising of subscriptions essential to the extension of the industry. If successful it means an addition to Holland's industries which will yield cash returns aggregating thousands of dollars to be shared by both merchants and farmers. Holland's enterprising business men will not allow this industry to escape. Other cities have a standing offer of a large site together with a good bonus for securing it. The superior advantages offered by Holland will secure for it this extension at an outlay of but \$600 and we anticipate that our people will heartily concur in the proposition of donating this site.

A travelling man from Walkerton, Indiana, was in the city on Tuesday, where a similar plant is located. He says the farmers there are so well pleased with that industry that they would not part with it under no condition. An amount of \$65,000 is spread upon the market of that city annually as a direct result of the operations of the company's factory.

Friends of the Farmers.

The following gentlemen constitute the roll of honor who have subscribed towards securing the necessary \$600 with which to purchase the strip of land between the south shore and the new salting-house for the purpose of securing the extensive addition to the H. J. Heinz Co.'s industry. The amount pledged has already exceeded \$350 and it is expected that the remainder will be subscribed within a few days. Mr. Zwemer's call has been responded to as follows:

\$25 each—J. C. Post, I. Cappon.  
\$10 each—Geo. P. Hummer, W. H. Beach, C. J. De Roo, A. Steketee, Dr. H. Kremers, H. & W. C. Walsh, Kanters Bros., G. J. Diekema, Ed. Vaupeell, G. W. Mokma, P. Oosting, T. J. Slagh, A. Visscher.  
\$5 each—M. Notler, John Nies, John Vandersluis, G. Van Putten, J. R. Klein estate, J. Wise, Lokker & Rutgers, James Kole, J. O. Doesburg, Dr. J. A. Mabbe, C. A. Stevenson, G. J. Van Duren, F. C. Hall, J. Van Landegend, Mr. McNeven, Jacob Fileman, Evert Takken, B. N. De Merell, John Pessink, H. Van Tongeren, Will Botsford & Co., P. H. McBride, J. A. Brouwer, O. A. Byrns, Geo. E. Kollen, Wm. Brusse & Co., H. Meyer & Son, John Bosman, A. B. Bosman, Dr. G. J. Kollen, T. Keppel Sons, W. Vandeveere, L. Lanting, H. Takken.  
\$3 each—W. H. Van den Berg, P. A. Kleis, Dr. F. J. Schouten.

THE LATE LEENDERT MULDER.

The memories that cluster around Pilgrim Home Cemetery were again enriched on Wednesday last, when loving hearts and mourning friends deposited within its sepulchral embrace all that was mortal of LEENDERT MULDER.

In the death of friends there is always a strange, an awe-inspiring interest. The deep, inscrutable ties of kindred and friendship, and often of business association, which we feel to be severed; the fond recollections that continue to hover around the departed form, and the undefined hopes that follow into a veiled future—all these constitute death the truly tragic event in the history of every-day life. Its imperial sway enforces a halt in the common recurrence of action and of thought.

LEENDERT MULDER died at the U. B. A. Home hospital, Grand Rapids, on Monday Sept. 13, at 4:35 A. M. He went there two weeks before to obtain surgical relief from hernia, with which he had been afflicted since early manhood. The operation was successfully performed by Drs. S. C. Graves and L. E. Best on Tuesday, the 31st ult., and the patient was steadily improving until Saturday morning, when erysipelas set in, after which he continued to linger in a comatose condition until life was yielded up.

The deceased came to this country in July, 1856, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johannes Mulder, and two brothers, Marinus and John. A third brother, Charles, the oldest, had preceded them a few years, coming here in 1852, with Rev. E. Gardener. The family came from the city of Goes, Netherlands, where Leendert was born Oct. 16, 1845. Upon his arrival here he attended the public school, until 1860. In the spring of that year the late John Roost started the publication of *De Grondwet*, with M. Hoogesteger, a cousin of the deceased, as editor, and Leendert at the age of fourteen entered the office as an apprentice.

In 1868 Mr. Roost disposed of the office and paper to the two young men named, and under the firm name of Hoogesteger & Mulder the publication of the *Grondwet* was continued until 1879, when by the death of Mr. Hoogesteger the deceased became sole owner and publisher, with I. Verwey as editor. Considering that at that time the paper was of limited size and circulation, and that to-day it is the leading Dutch newspaper in the United States, we feel as though no further commentary upon his life-work is needed. With the growth of the paper he grew also, and it was his pride that he never permitted it to deviate from the principles upon which it was founded.

In 1888 Mr. Mulder purchased the HOLLAND CITY NEWS from Wm. H. Rodgers, and continued its publication in connection with the "*Grondwet*" for a limited period, finally transferring it to his sons, the present publishers.

With the recent growth and development of the city Mr. Mulder also became interested in other industries and at the time of his death he was a stockholder in the Walsh-DeRoo Milling Co., the First State Bank and the Holland-Chicago Steamboat Line. In the first named concern he was a director. He was also a member of the committee recently charged with erecting the Soldiers' Monument in Pilgrim Home Cemetery.

Notwithstanding his pronounced and life-long identity with the Republican party, and the zeal he manifested in promoting its cause; and although often urged to do so, he invariably declined every position of honor or trust, and could never be induced to accept a nomination to office at the hands of his political friends. In this, as in many other respects, he was governed by a modest reserve, shunning even all appearances of obtrusion. To his friends he was faithful and true, to his employees kind, and in his business relations straight and honorable. Towards the poor he was charitable, and in connection herewith much might be quoted, but it is not for us to reveal what he himself so studiously concealed. In this respect he was one of God's noblemen, and this is the tribute which above all others we desire to echo to his memory. He considered not rank nor station, and never forgot his own humble beginning. His was a simple human heart, and loth is the parting therewith.

In 1866, Oct. 16, he was married to Miss Jennie Mulder, who, with eight of the eleven children born them, survive to mourn his early departure. The children are: Mrs. Henry Geerlings; John B., who of late years has been connected with the *Grondwet* publishing business; Benjamin A. and Charles L., publishers of the News—all married; Anna, Lena M., Marguerite B., and Marius—all at home. The loss of husband and father fell especially severe upon this group, preceded as it was only a few days by the sad death of the youngest member of the family, Leendert, Jr.

The remains of Mr. Mulder arrived here from Grand Rapids Monday evening, in charge of his friend Mr. D. Schram. The attendance at the funeral on Wednesday afternoon was large, and gave evidence of universal sorrow and sympathy. The services were conducted by Rev. J. Van Houte at the home, by Rev. K. Van Goor, the pastor of the family, and Rev. G. H. Dubbink in the church—the Ninth street Christian Reformed—and by Rev. H. G. Birchby at the grave. "When the mists have rolled away," a favored hymn of the deceased, was impressively rendered by a quartet—Prof. J. B. Nykerk, Mrs. G. J. Diekema, Mrs. J. H. Gillespie and Dr. Gilmore. The honorary pall bearers were I. Verwey, W. Benjaminse, G. J. Diekema, I. Marsilje, C. J. De Roo, I. Cappon, Dr. G. J. Kollen, and Dr. H. Kremers, while the active pall bearers were J. A. Kooyers, A. Klooster and J. Hamelink of the *Grondwet*, J. Geerlings of the News, F. Kamferbeek of the *Times* and H. Holkeboer of the *Wachter*. The other employes of the *Grondwet*, together with the force of the Walsh-De Roo Milling Co., which had closed their mill for the occasion, attended the funeral in a body. A striking and most impressive incident connected with the last rites was that as the funeral cortege wound its way through the cemetery and the loved remains were lowered into their final receptacle the heavens at the foot of the grave were being spanned with the emblem of the covenant, and the lustre of a magnificent rainbow lent majesty to the solemnity of the occasion. G. Van Schelven.

Sept. 17, 97.

Another Pioneer Gone.

Wednesday morning death removed one of the few remaining pioneers who emigrated here from the Netherlands in the summer of 1847, in the person of Henry Meengs. The party to which he belonged was headed by the late Rev. H. P. Scholte who effected a landing on June 22 of that year. He went to St. Louis where he remained for one year after which he took up his abode in Holland. Mr. Meengs was born in Geesteren, province of Gelderland, Netherlands, on March 4, 1821. Shortly after his arrival here he was joined in marriage to Aaltje Van Regenmorter and three years more would have marked the golden anniversary of their wedded career. For the past four years he suffered from a complicated attack of asthma and heart trouble, which terminated fatally. Deceased was an aged and respected citizen. He bore the distinction of being the first blacksmith in this colony, A. Kroes being his partner. In

after years he operated a saw mill and lumber yard, but in the great fire of 1871 he lost all his possessions. In city affairs he held the office of treasurer, from 1875 to '78, his successor being Dr. B., his oldest son, who at that time conducted a drug store on River street, but now resides in Grand Rapids. After the great fire he operated a grocery store, but later established a carpet weaving factory at the rear of his home on Tenth street, in which business he was afterward joined by his brother and which was the means of the family's support. Mr. Meengs prided himself in being permitted to witness and take part in the recent Semi-Centennial celebration and he took special delight in contrasting the hardships of the early days with the wonderful development attained by the city at the present time. Deceased leaves a widow and ten children. They are Dr. D. R. Meengs and Mrs. D. M. Coppock of Grand Rapids; Dr. Peter Meengs of Coopers-

ville; Mrs. G. H. Murray and Mrs. H. W. Harper of Streeter, Ill.; William Meengs of South Bend, Ind.; Mrs. E. S. Rouma of Jackson; Henry, Melvin, and George of this city.

The funeral took place this (Friday) afternoon from the Ninth street Chr. Ref. church, the Revs. K. Van Goor and H. G. Birchby officiating.

Remember to-night, (Friday) is the "Evolution of a New World," at the school house, and to-morrow night is the "Battle of Shiloh." You can secure admission to both for the price of one, 50c.

Matinee to-morrow, Saturday, afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Carrington Co. in the High school room. Children only 10c.

Orders for Semi-Centennial canes can be left at the news depot of M. Van Putten.

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Ladies heavy winter underwear for.....25c  
Ladies 10c Fast Black Hose for.....6c  
Yard wide Unbleached Cotton.....4c  
Children's all wool Hose (small sizes).....5c  
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A beautiful line Fleece Lined Wrapper Goods.....10c  
Turkey red table cloth (fast col).....25c

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John Pessink.

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**A. B. BOSMAN,**

**Holland, Mich.**

#### ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

##### Holland fair Sept. 28 to Oct. 1.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Overweg, corner of Land and Sixteenth streets, on Wednesday morning—a son.

The regular meeting of the Western Social Conference to be held at Hope church on Sept. 28, has been deferred on account of meetings of the classis.

Several of our sportsmen were out this week prospecting for game. They report plenty of quail, although squirrels are not numerous. The season opens Oct. 1.

The excursion on the steamer Soo City to Chicago last night drew an immense crowd. Freight agent Fred Zalsman says the number of passengers was between three and four hundred.

The rag weed and hay fever patients are squaring off at each other in dead earnest. It is when this detestable weed is in full bloom and begin to fly that the "hay fever" patients begin to sneeze.

A number of local wheelmen will participate in the bicycle races at Grand Haven next Tuesday. Frank Pifer will accompany them and enter the contest for the championship of Ottawa county.

The work of sheet piling a few hundred feet on the north pier by a Muskegon firm is progressing nicely. The depth of the water in the channel is reported to be between fourteen and fifteen feet.

The classis of Michigan will convene at Macon next Tuesday. C. A. Jongeward, a member of the graduating class of '97 of the Western theological seminary will be ordained and installed as pastor of that church in the evening.

The W. B. Conkey printing and publishing company, employing nearly 1,000 hands at their works in Chicago, have decided to leave Chicago and are considering the question of occupying the new purifier building in Jackson. He is attracted by the city's railroad facilities to a great extent.

Wednesday evening John Beekman and Miss Marie VondeLehr of Chicago were married at the home of the groom's cousin E. A. Beekman, corner Sixteenth street and College avenue. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. Dubbink. An elaborate wedding supper was served. They will spend their honeymoon here prior to returning to Chicago.

Base ball and acrobatic performances are scheduled for fair week.

Born, Sept. 16, to Mrs. A. Van Deren, 155 Colt ave., Grand Rapids—a daughter.

Mrs. Eliza White died at Grand Rapids last night at the age of 502 years.

Rev. J. W. Brink of Allendale, this county, has been called to the Fourth street Holland church at Muskegon.

E. J. Harrington has presented to his wife a handsome reclining chair. The upholstering was done by G. M. Pond and is a fine piece of workmanship.

The continuous and oppressive heat accompanied by a severe drought was broken by a refreshing rain Thursday morning. The farmers who were becoming alarmed about their fall plowing and seeding are jubilant.

A. I. Kramer, the dry goods merchant, has made his cloak department a special feature. His show window contains some of the many new and stylish patterns which can be found on exhibition there. In this as well as in the other departments his assortment is large and complete.

The coming fair to be held Oct. 28, 29, 30 and Oct. 1, will eclipse all previous records. The exhibits promise to be large and special features are scheduled for every day. The hearty co-operation of every citizen is essential towards its success and no one should fail to do his or her share.

A serious and perhaps fatal accident was averted on Saturday afternoon by the timely interference and heroic bravery of ex-sheriff B. D. Keppel. The bakery wagon of J. Van Dyk, occupied by his little son presented a thrilling aspect. The young driver accidentally dropped one of the lines and in attempting to recover it, the horse frightened and the boy fell upon the thills. The animal dashed over Eighth street with the youth in his perilous position for some distance when the ex-sheriff rushed out of his store, seized the reins of the horse and finally brought him to a standstill in front of C. M. Schreck's cigar store after being dragged for some distance. One of the rear wheels was broken, but otherwise no damage was done. The little fellow owes his miraculous escape to the gallant efforts of Mr. Keppel, as he was completely exhausted at the time of his deliverance. The ex-sheriff's grip is as firm as when he headed the police force of Ottawa county.

Miss Maude Squier of Grand Haven will resume her music lessons in this city next Monday.

Prepare your exhibits for the Holland fair and help to make it a grand success. The dates are Sept. 28 to Oct. 1 inclusive.

Miss Anna M. Pfanstiehl is in Grand Rapids, being treated by a specialist on eye, nose and throat. Her room in school is in charge of Miss Toren.

A special meeting of the Holland Cycle Club will be held next Monday evening. Business relative to the Lake street road and races at the coming fair will be discussed.

This weather will make you think that you need warmer underwear. Our dry goods merchant John Vanderhuis is prepared with a full line for ladies, gents and children, and he sells it cheap.

A new issue of postage stamps will shortly be turned out by this country. Red is to be discarded and green will be the color of stamps again. The change is made from red to green because the government can save about \$10,000 a year thereby.

Boy Love of Muskegon, while stopping at Macatawa Park with his parents, met with a severe accident last week by dropping an ax on his left foot, inflicting a wound that required several stitches to close. He was taken to his home and is able to get around by the aid of crutches.

Reports to the state board of health show that diarrhea, rheumatism, neuralgia, dysentery and bronchitis in the order named, caused the most sickness in Michigan during the past week. Consumption was reported at 187 places, typhoid fever at 46, diphtheria at 22, scarlet fever at 16, measles at 14 and whooping cough at 9.

Henry Harmon and Mrs. George Turner were married at New Buffalo on Wednesday evening by elder Stafford. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Harmon of this city acted as groomsmen and bridesmaid. An elaborate wedding supper was served. Both groom and bride are well known in this city, the former having conducted a barber shop here for many years, while the latter is the widow of the late Geo. Turner, who several years ago was engineer on a C. & W. M. passenger train. Henry has built a neat and cozy residence at New Buffalo and is numbered among its professional barbers. A host of juveniles surrounded the house and constituted a genuine charivari party.

Fred Zalsman reports the arrival of a little freight agent at his home on Wednesday.

Everybody admitted to the Carrington entertainment at the new High School Auditorium to night, at children's prices, 25c.

The races at the Holland fair will be special features this year. Good purses are offered and many trotters and pacers will be entered.

S. Sprietsma returned from Chicago Tuesday morning in company with his wife. Mrs. Sprietsma has spent a few weeks taking care of her daughter Mrs. Jacob Van Reenen, who is slowly recovering from a serious illness.

All persons desiring to enter articles for exhibition at the fair are requested to enter with the Secretary as early next week as possible. All entries close Tuesday, Sept. 28, at 3 p. m. This rule will be rigidly enforced.

The steamer Harvey Watson plying between the city and resorts will continue its trips for the remainder of this month. She leaves Holland at 10 a. m. and 2:30 p. m., and returning leaves Park at 11:15 a. m. and 5:15 p. m.

Rev. H. G. Birchby was taken suddenly ill last Saturday with inflammation of the kidneys. He has since so far recovered that he expects to occupy his pulpit both morning and evening next Sunday. His theme at the latter service will be, "Songs in the Night."

Simon Pokagon, chief of the Pottowatomies, has called a meeting of his tribe for next Saturday at the residence of John Mix, near Hartford. The purpose of the conclave is not made public, but as he cannot live much longer, it is supposed the chief desires once more to look into the faces of his kinsmen and to speak a parting word to the 275 members of the tribe who are now living.

A great many complaints are being lodged with the deputy game wardens over the state against persons who are hunting and killing squirrels. The attention of sportsmen is called to the fact that under the new law, which went into effect Aug. 29, the season for hunting squirrels does not begin until Oct. 1, and the importance of bearing this in mind is evident when it is known that for the violation of this law a hunter may be punished by a sentence of six months in jail or a fine of \$125, or both, at the discretion of the circuit court where all such cases must be tried.

The Carrington Illustrated concert at the High School to-night.

The schooner Alert, well-known at this port, was wrecked ten miles off St. Joseph yesterday and now lies on a sand bar, a total loss. Arthur Stone, a sailor, had three ribs broken, and Capt. Chas. Stone, master of the boat, was also injured. The Alert was bound to St. Joseph from Muskegon and became waterlogged in the northwest blow, soon after the canvas had been carried away. With the cabin under water a sailor used his coat as a signal of distress. The crew was rescued.

Ex Gov. Luce had a close escape Friday, at the hands, or rather horns, of a wild steer, near Bronson. He had just unloaded a carload of western cattle he had purchased at Chica o to feed on his farm, when the entire herd started on a run, and before they could be stopped, had run three miles. One of the steer, crazed by the heat, made for an adjoining field. Mr. Luce went to get him, when the animal started for him at a sharp run. The ex-governor had just time to jump behind a large tree when the steer struck it full head. The steer was finally secured, but the blow and the heat soon caused its death.

The Carrington scenic allegories, spectacular productions and delightful children's matinees, presenting in person America's historic artist, the famous "Drummer Boy of Shiloh," and introducing his wonderful novelty and musical specialties, will be given in the new High school hall on Friday and Saturday evenings of this week. His remarkable exhibitions have aroused the utmost enthusiasm wherever he has appeared throughout the world, in depicting the most desperately fought battle of ancient or modern times, "Shiloh." These productions are the same as presented 342 consecutive times in Chicago, ten weeks in New York, six weeks in Boston, and other large cities, from Maine to California. He enlisted at the age of 11 years and experienced an actual service of four years and four months in the field; was the youngest regularly enlisted soldier as shown by the official records; was twelve years of age when the "Battle of Shiloh" was fought; was present at the first; was present at the last; was present at twenty-three battles and skirmishes of the Great American Civil War of the Rebellion; was wounded; was captured; was reported dead, and his funeral sermon was preached. No one should fail to witness his marvelous performances.

The most beautiful scenic display ever witnessed in Holland will be to-night at the High school, in that beautiful new auditorium.

Rev. J. Kruidenier and family are making preparations for their return to the missionary field in Egypt. They will be stationed the next ten years at Cairo, the capital and metropolis of that country. Rev. Kruidenier is to be teacher in Hebrew at the Presbyterian mission college in that city. Mr. Kruidenier and family have been a year and a half in this country, most of their time being spent in Holland and Grand Haven, where their parents reside. They expect to sail for Europe on Oct. 23.

L. D. Taylor of Ravenna is in the county jail awaiting trial for rape at the November term of Circuit court. The charge was preferred by Miss Hattie Rollenhagen of the same place. The alleged crime occurred in this county on the night of July 31, while the couple returned from a dance to Coopersville. The arrest only took place last Wednesday for the reason that he was taken seriously ill with typhoid fever a few days after and is still very weak. He was arraigned before justice Pagelson, plead not guilty and is held in default of \$1,000 bail.

The last quarterly conference of the M. E. church for the present year was held on Monday evening. The membership during the year was increased from 156 to 206 and 32 probationists. The annual election resulted as follows: Dr. J. A. Mabbs, district steward; I. H. Fairbanks, recording steward; board of stewards, Chas. W. Fairbanks, John A. Kooyers, John Elferdink, Jr., Wm. A. Holley, D. Shaw, C. L. Stillman, John Baldwin, Mrs. Dr. Mabbs, Miss Clara Wise and Miss Eva Anderson. The board of trustees consists of Wm. A. Holley, chairman; I. H. Fairbanks, secretary; John Nies, treasurer; John Elferdink, Jr., Dr. J. A. Mabbs, Dr. L. N. Tuttle, C. L. Stillman, Daniel Bertsch, and John Baldwin. Work on the new church is progressing nicely and the edifice will be dedicated about Oct. 15, at which time one of the bishops of the M. E. church, the presiding elder and other distinguished speakers will be present. The pastor Rev. Adam Clarke left Wednesday morning for Kalamazoo to attend the annual conference and owing to his absence the services next Sunday will be dismissed. The new church when completed will be one of the most beautiful edifices in the city.

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## The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

### DOMESTIC.

President Andrews, of Brown university sent a letter to the corporation formally renewing his resignation.

John Egan, aged 84, and his wife, aged 80, died within a few hours of each other near Pittsburgh, Pa., and were buried in the same grave. They had been married 50 years.

Passenger trains collided on the Santa Fe road three miles east of Emporia, Kan., and 12 persons were killed and ten or twelve others badly wounded.

Lutie A. Lytle, a 23-year-old negro, was admitted to the bar at Memphis, Tenn. She is the only colored woman in the United States that is a member of the bar.

The steamer St. Louis made the trip from Sandy Hook to Southampton in 6 days 10 hours and 14 minutes, breaking all previous ocean records.

H. S. Perry was hanged at Atlanta, Ga., for the murder of Bely Lanier at Decatur.

The wheat crop of Michigan this year is placed at 24,821,987 bushels, the largest yield since 1892.

Nine of the eleven men who will form the monetary commission for the preparation of a bill to be submitted to congress have been named, George T. Edmunds, of Vermont, heading the list.

The American Eagle Tobacco company failed in Detroit with liabilities of \$115,000.

The sixteenth national encampment of the Sons of Veterans opened at Indianapolis with an informal reception at the Denison house.

Ballington Booth's Volunteers, opposition to the Salvation Army, disbanded in St. Louis.

A yacht capsized in Lake St. Clair and Thomas Newsome, Herman Gerters, Jay Tansey, Thomas Fritz, Charles Rice and Grant Murray, all of Detroit, were drowned.

Gen. Frank Reeder, secretary of state, sent his resignation to Gov. Hastings, of Pennsylvania.

The frigate Constellation, lying at the naval station at Newport, L. I., celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of her launching.

The twenty-first annual reunion of the Army of West Virginia began at Columbus, O.

James Quinn, a well-known citizen of Park City, Utah, killed his wife and then shot himself. Strong drink is said to have been the cause of the tragedy.

James Robinson, who on August 8 murdered his wife at their home in Fieldsboro, N. J., died in the jail at Mount Holly of tuberculosis.

Ninety-six families at Carlinville, Ill., the heads of which are striking miners, are in dire distress, wholly without food and in danger of starvation.

Later advices say that 12 known dead, one missing (probably incinerated) and fourteen injured, two of whom will likely die, is the record of the terrible head-on collision on the Santa Fe road near Emporia, Kan.

It was reported that in a collision a mile west of Newcastle, Col., between a Denver & Rio Grande passenger train and a freight 25 persons were killed.

It was said that the drought in Nebraska would reduce the corn crop at least 75,000,000 bushels.

Millions of feet of timber have been destroyed by a forest fire in the Big Horn country in Wyoming.

The annual report of the auditor for the interior department shows that the amount paid for pensions during the last year was \$149,477,637.

A claim is made that the city of Chattanooga, Tenn., is on Georgia soil, and a resurvey of the boundary will probably be made.

The will of the late Charles T. Wilder, of Wellesley, Mass., leaves over \$100,000 to charitable and educational institutions.

The Tulane Athletic club of New Orleans has offered \$20,000 for a fight between Corbett and Fitzsimmons.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 10th aggregated \$1,104,680,650, against \$1,129,245,846 the previous week. The increase compared with the corresponding week of 1896 was 45.6.

There were 215 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 10th, against 191 the week previous and 315 in the corresponding period of 1896.

The strike situation reached a terrible crisis on the outskirts of Latimer, Pa., when a band of deputy sheriffs fired into an infuriated mob of miners, killing 15 or 20 and injuring many others. Gov. Hastings called out the Third brigade of the state militia to prevent any further bloodshed.

The steamship Cleveland reached Seattle, Wash., from St. Michaels, bringing 65 passengers, many of whom are from the gold fields. They have with them \$400,000 in gold dust. The Cleveland also brings news of the probable loss of the steamer Eliza Anderson, with 125 gold seekers on board.

December wheat broke all former records in St. Louis, dating back to war times, by soaring up to \$1.01% a bushel. At the national encampment in Indianapolis of the Sons of Veterans a battle field monument association was organized to take charge of the placing of suitable monuments in national parks and on battle fields. The Ladies' Aid society elected Miss Kate Raynor, of Toledo, O., president.

For the first time in many years the treasurer of the United States officially informed the subtreasurers that gold is not wanted by the government. The gold reserve on the 10th was \$145,091,435.

Reports reaching the Marine hospital service in Washington from officials in Louisiana and Mississippi leave no further doubt as to the fact that yellow fever exists at several points in those states.

The percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 11th were: Baltimore, .703; Boston, .703; New York, .647; Cincinnati, .574; Cleveland, .495; Washington, .470; Chicago, .453; Brooklyn, .449; Pittsburgh, .439; Philadelphia, .432; Louisville, .412; St. Louis, .231.

In a freight-train wreck at Vanburen, Ark., seven persons were killed.

J. C. Boatman, recently appointed fish commissioner of Alaska, died in Juneau. He was a native of Ohio and 46 years of age.

At the annual meeting in Indianapolis of the Sons of Veterans Charles K. Darling, of Boston, was elected commander in chief, and Miss Kate G. Raynor, of Toledo, O., was chosen president of the Ladies' Aid society.

The increase of post office business in the principal cities in August over the same month last year was eight per cent.

Two maiden sisters, Miss Harriet C. Sheldon, 82 years of age, and Miss Matilda Sheldon, aged 86, were fatally burned at their home in Lynn, Mass., by the upsetting of a kerosene stove.

President McKinley has pardoned Francis A. Coffin, convicted of wrecking the Indianapolis national bank and sentenced one year ago to eight years' imprisonment.

The great miners' strike which was declared on July 4 was brought to an end at Columbus, O., by the action of the interstate convention of miners, which voted to accept the compromise of 65 cents a ton.

The latest news from the scene of the shooting of miners by deputy sheriffs at Latimer, Pa., say that 21 were killed and 40 others were injured. Four thousand state troops were preserving order.

In the great match race at Medford, Mass., between Star Pointer and Joe Patchen for a purse of \$4,000, Star Pointer won, his best time being 2:03 3/4.

Fire at Hubbard, Ia., destroyed one-half the business blocks in town.

Charles Gibson (colored) was lynched by a mob near Macon, Ga., for assaulting a white woman named Chapman.

### PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Gen. James Longstreet was married at Atlanta, Ga., to Miss Ellen Dortch, who is many years younger than her illustrious husband.

Consul-General Fitzhugh Lee arrived in New York from Havana on board the Segurita.

The Massachusetts prohibitionists have nominated Prof. J. Bascom, of Williamstown, for governor.

The Ohio "gold" democrats met at Columbus and nominated a full state ticket headed by Julius Dexter, of Cincinnati, for governor.

Rev. Jeremiah C. Long, an aged minister at Moultrieville, Ala., died suddenly at the very time he predicted.

Gen. George D. Ruggles, who has been adjutant general of the army since November, 1893, has been retired, having reached the age of 64 years.

John O'Donnell died at his home in Bloomington, Ill., aged 102 years.

Ex-Congressman Theodore Lyman died at his home in Nahant, Mass.

Mrs. Sarah Wright died at Flat Rock, Mich., aged 101 years.

Rev. Abel Stevens, LL.D., died suddenly of heart failure at San Jose, Cal., aged nearly 93 years. He was known as the historian of Methodism.

First national president of the Woman's Relief corps, Mrs. E. Florence Barker, died of consumption at her home in Malden, Mass.

### FOREIGN.

It is announced that a concession to complete the Panama canal has been given to England.

Louise, queen of Denmark, celebrated her eightieth birthday in Copenhagen. At Guadalupe in the West Indies almost continuous shocks of earthquake were being experienced.

Advices from Cuba say that Gen. Bartolome Maso has been elected president of the provisional government.

In the new customs tariff of Cuba nearly all American goods are subjected to lower duties.

The ambassadors met in conference in Constantinople with reference to the details of the peace treaty, but there was no definite advance in the negotiations.

The government of Great Britain has been directed by the queen to furnish information to the United States authorities when anarchists are known to be embarking for the United States.

The rainy season has put a stop to all military operations in the province of Havana.

Richard Holt Hutton, the famous literary critic and editor of the Spectator since 1861, died in London, aged 71 years.

By the explosion of a boiler at a brewery at Hoenstaedt, Austria, 11 persons were killed and many were injured.

The latest intelligence from Labrador confirms the reports of the complete failure of the codfishery this season.

The steam whaler Navarcho of San Francisco, cruising in the arctic waters, got caught in an iceberg and 42 men lost their lives.

The British fishing fleet in Iceland lost six boats during the past season and 30 persons were drowned.

The minister of war in Madrid cabled Capt. Gen. Weyler asking for an explanation regarding the capture by the insurgents of Victoria de Las Tunas, province of Santiago de Cuba, which is defended by seven forts.

An explosion in a mine near Johannesburg, South Africa, killed 30 men. At San Carlos, Mexico, three distinct earthquake shocks were felt in the space of five minutes.

The British steamer Polyphemus was damaged in a collision near Jebel Tar, an island of the Red sea, and 27 of the crew were drowned.

In a blast at a quarry near the City of Mexico 24 persons were killed and many others were injured.

On the Crystal palace track in London J. W. Stocks lowered the world's one-mile bicycle record, standing start, going the distance in 1:44.

The premises of the Hachette Publishing company in Paris were destroyed by fire, the loss being 1,000,000 francs.

The Norwegian bark Alette was wrecked in a gale off Yokohama and ten of the crew were drowned.

### LATER.

A tornado struck Port Arthur, Tex., and six people were known to have been killed and many others injured. Buildings were blown down and great damage was wrought. At Sabine Pass ten persons were killed and at other points some lives were lost.

Trouble broke out at Cox's Bros.' colliery at Eckley, Pa., and troops were sent to the scene.

Louise Michel, the notorious French anarchist, announces that she will visit the United States in October and make a speechmaking tour for the purpose of advancing the anarchist propaganda.

In a collision on the Antioquia railroad near Panama 24 persons were killed and 14 were more or less injured.

John L. Sullivan announces that he will run for mayor of Boston and that his platform will be to license gambling places and disorderly houses.

The nineteenth annual reunion of the Nebraska G. A. R. began at Lincoln with a large attendance.

Rev. Scott Hyatt and wife, Royal McQueen and Miss Mae Tibbets were drowned in the Cedar river near Waverly, Ia.

"Rev." G. F. B. Howard, a noted federal convict, escaped from the state prison at Columbus, O.

The new United States minister to Spain, Gen. Stewart L. Woodford, was received by the queen and presented his credentials.

In an interview in Washington Consul General Lee said that in his opinion the insurgents would eventually win their independence in Cuba without assistance from any outside sources.

Sulphur creek, a branch of Dominion creek, which is a tributary of the Indian river, is the scene of the latest gold excitement in the Klondike.

Sara Bernhardt, the actress, had a narrow escape from drowning at Belle Isle-en-Mer, department of Morbihan, France, while endeavoring to reach the seashore via the cliffs.

Claims are being staked out in the heart of Victoria, B. C., by men who say there is a ledge of gold-bearing rock under the city.

President McKinley has returned to Washington in good health and spirits from his summer vacation.

The sultan of Turkey has ordered a commission to visit the Armenian vilayets which have been the chief sufferers from massacres and raise funds to rebuild the Armenian schools, churches and monasteries and to build orphanages.

Senor Sagasta, the liberal leader, in an interview in Madrid on the subject of the Cuban insurrection, said that the uprising, instead of dying out, was spreading considerably.

Large numbers of coal miners in Pennsylvania and Ohio were returning to work.

A fire at Iron Mountain, Cal., destroyed property belonging to the Mountain Copper company valued at nearly \$200,000.

E. Benjamin Andrews has withdrawn his resignation as president of Brown university at Providence, R. I.

The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country say that hot weather has given them a big boost.

Ten dead and many injured and the destruction of property and crops worth \$250,000 sum up the losses by the hurricane at Port Arthur and Sabine Pass, Tex.

The Bank of Durand, Ill., closed its doors.

It has been decided to change the color of the current two-cent postage stamp from carmine to green of the shade now used on government notes.

Capt. Gen. Weyler issued orders to destroy seven towns in Santa Clara province in Cuba.

United States Senator George L. Wellington has resigned the chairmanship of the republican state central committee of Maryland.

The mill situation in Rhode Island is better than it has been for five years. Mills are running on full time.

S. H. Lanyon, one of the most widely known men of southeastern Kansas, dropped dead on the street in Pittsburg.

Miss Sarah Randall died in Baltimore on the one hundred and third anniversary of her birth.

Yellow fever was said to be spreading in New Orleans and other southern cities.

Carlotta, ex-empress of Mexico, was so dangerously ill in Brussels that her death was feared at any moment.

The Midland national bank of Kansas City, Mo., went into voluntary liquidation by resolution of its stockholders.

The eleventh annual convention of the National Association of Builders met in Detroit.

The ambassadors of the powers arrived at an understanding in regard to the terms of peace between Turkey and Greece. An international commission is to control the Greek revenues in order to meet the indemnity and the Turkish troops are to evacuate Thessaly.

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### Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa in favor of Jacob Phillips, against the goods and chattels and real estate of John Conklin, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did on the 19th day of June, A. D. 1897, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said John Conklin, in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: All that certain piece and parcel of land, described as the north east quarter of the north west quarter of section nine, town six north of range fourteen west, containing forty acres more or less, in Ottawa county, Michigan. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the north front door of the court house in the City of Grand Haven, in said County of Ottawa, that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county, on the Twenty-third day of September next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

Dated this 5th day of August 1897.  
FRANK VAN DYK, Sheriff.  
WALTER I. LILLIE, Plaintiff's Attorney.

### Chancery Sale.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, State of Michigan, made and entered on the twenty second day of May, 1897, in a certain case therein pending, wherein Geo. Motz is complainant, and William Walde and Ann C. Walde are defendants, notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder at the north front door of the Ottawa county Court House in the city of Grand Haven, county of Ottawa, state of Michigan, (that being the building in which the Circuit court for the county of Ottawa is held) on the Twenty-fifth (25) day of October 1897, at Eleven (11) o'clock in the forenoon of said day, all that certain piece or parcel of land, situated and being in the township of Blenden, in the county of Ottawa, state of Michigan, known and described as follows, to-wit: All of the south east quarter, of the north-west quarter of section four (4), in town six (6), north of range fourteen (14) west, containing forty (40) acres of land, according to the Government's survey, be the same more or less.

GEORGE E. KOLLEN,  
Circuit Court Commissioner in and for Ottawa County, Michigan.

CHAS H. McBRIDE, Solicitor for Complainant.

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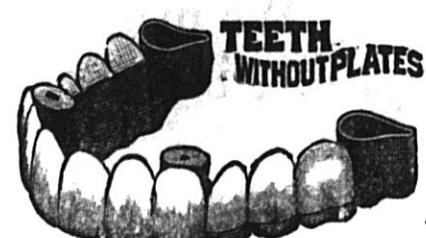
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At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Monday, the Thirtieth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

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

In the matter of the estate of Abel Klaveringa deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Hille Klaveringa, executor named in will of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument in writing filed in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and for the appointment of herself as executrix thereof.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the Eleventh day of October next at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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